



2001 Sun Devil Baseball

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2001 Record: 28-14-1, 7-8
2001 Home Record: 21-7-1
2001 Road Record: 7-7
Final 2000 Record: 44-15
All-Time Record: 1,885-750-1
Head Coach: Pat Murphy (260-137-1)

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2001 Schedule and Results

(28-14-1, 7-8 Pac-10)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT/TIME
Jan. 26	Texas-Arlington	L, 5-3
Jan. 27	Texas-Arlington	Rained Out
Jan. 28	Texas-Arlington	Rained Out
Feb. 1	Southern Utah	W, 18-8
Feb. 2	Southern Utah	W, 10-2
Feb. 3	Southern Utah	W, 11-2
Feb. 4	Southern Utah	W, 6-5
Feb. 9	Duke (R) (TV)	W, 8-1
Feb. 10	Duke (DH) (TV)	W, 12-5/9-0
Feb. 11	Duke (R)	W, 11-3
Feb. 13	New Mexico State	W, 16-2
Feb. 16	Creighton (R)	W, 23-1
Feb. 17	Creighton	W, 15-2
Feb. 17	St. Mary's	L, 6-4
Feb. 18	Creighton (R)	W, 14-4
Feb. 23	at Cal State Fullerton (R)	W, 5-3
Feb. 24	at Cal State Fullerton (R)	Rained Out
Feb. 25	at Cal State Fullerton (R)	Rained Out
Mar. 2	LSU (R) (TV)	L, 12-11
Mar. 3	LSU (TV)	L, 15-7
Mar. 4	LSU (R) (TV)	T, 5-5
Mar. 6	Oral Roberts (R)	W, 17-3
Mar. 7	Oral Roberts	Rained Out
Mar. 9	South Florida	W, 16-5
Mar. 10	South Florida	W, 10-3
Mar. 11	South Florida (R)	W, 12-4
Mar. 16	at California* (R)	W, 7-4
Mar. 17	at California* (R)	W, 4-2
Mar. 18	at California* (R)	L, 5-17
Mar. 24	at Oregon State* (R)	W, 10-2
Mar. 25	at Oregon State* (R)	L, 1-4
Mar. 26	at Oregon State* (R)	L, 2-12
Mar. 30	Stanford* (R) (TV)	L, 2-6
Mar. 31	Stanford*	L, 2-5
Apr. 1	Stanford* (R)	W, 6-5
Apr. 6	at USC* (R)	L, 2-11
Apr. 7	at USC* (R)	L, 1-5
Apr. 8	at USC* (R)	W, 11-1
Apr. 9	at Cal State Fullerton	L, 6-13
Apr. 12	Washington State* (TV)	L, 1-2
Apr. 13	Washington State* (R)	W, 4-3
Apr. 14	Washington State* (R)	W, 14-4
Apr. 17	at New Mexico State	L, 13-16
Apr. 18	at Oklahoma	W, 5-3 (11)
Apr. 19	at Oral Roberts	W, 5-2 (11)
Apr. 23	Gonzaga	W, 7-6
Apr. 24	Gonzaga	W, 9-1
Apr. 27	Arizona* (R)	7:00 p.m.
Apr. 28	Arizona* (R) (Fox)	1:00 p.m.
Apr. 29	Arizona* (R) (TV)	1:00 p.m.
May 1	at Tennessee	7:00 p.m.
May 2	at Tennessee	7:00 p.m.
May 12	at Washington* (R)	6:30 p.m.
May 13	at Washington* (R)	1:00 p.m.
May 14	at Washington* (R)	1:00 p.m.
May 16	at Nevada	3:00 p.m.
May 18	UCLA* (R)	7:00 p.m.
May 19	UCLA* (R) (TV)	7:00 p.m.
May 20	UCLA* (R) (TV)	1:00 p.m.
May 24-27	NCAA Regionals	TBA
June 1-3	NCAA Super Regionals	TBA
June 8-16	College World Series	Omaha, Neb.

* Pacific-10 Conference game
(R) denotes Radio broadcast on XTRA 910 AM
(TV) denotes TV game on Cox Communications
All times are local to site and subject to change.

Sun Devil Baseball Carries Four-Game Win Streak Into Crucial Series With Rival Arizona Wildcats.

What's On Tap:

The No. 20 Arizona State Sun Devil baseball team (28-14-1, 7-8) return to Pac-10 action this weekend with a crucial weekend series with rival Arizona (28-19, 7-8) at Packard Stadium. ASU and the Wildcats will square off in a three-game set starting Friday at 7 p.m. Both team's carry identical 7-8 Pac-10 records into the series. The Sun Devils enter the heated rivalry with a four-game win streak in tact and have won six of their last seven contests. After winning a Pac-10 series with Washington State two weekends ago, the Sun Devils rattled off four wins against non-conference foes Oklahoma, Oral Roberts and Gonzaga. Mike Esposito will start for ASU in the Friday game, with junior Jon Switzer going Saturday and either Ryan Schroyer, Andy Torres or Eric Doble scheduled to get the start Sunday.



Arizona Wildcats (28-19, 7-8)

Packard Stadium • Tempe, Ariz.

Friday, April 27, 7 p.m. (Radio/Live Stats)

Mike Esposito (2-2, 4.46) vs. Marc Kaiser (7-4, 5.20)

Saturday, April 28, 1 p.m. (TV/Radio/Live Stats)

Jon Switzer (4-3, 4.33) vs. Sean Rierson (4-4, 5.45)

Sunday, April 29, 1 p.m. (TV/Radio/Live Stats)

(Schroyer/Torres/Doble) vs. Chris Goodman (3-1, 5.40)

*Probable Pitchers/times are Arizona Standard Time

The All-Time Series:

The Arizona Wildcats and Arizona State Sun Devils have met 254 times since ASU adopted baseball as a varsity sport in 1959. During that time the Sun Devils have held a commanding 154-100 lead over the 'Cats. Winning five of six last year by out-scoring Arizona 101-51, the Sun Devils are 23-13 against the Wildcats since 1995 when head coach Pat Murphy took over the helm in Tempe. Since 1998 ASU is 12-6 overall and carry a 5-4 record vs. Arizona at Packard Stadium. In addition to the head-to-head rivalry, ASU has dominated Arizona in the national picture of college baseball. Advancing to the College World Series 18 times and posting 55 wins in Omaha, Arizona State overshadows Arizona's 14 years in the CWS and 32 wins in Omaha. Over the past six years ASU has also dominated the draft, having 50 players taken in the annual MLB June Amateur draft, while during that same time period Arizona has had only 21 players drafted.

The Record Is In The Books. ASU Has Scored In 360 Straight Games:

The Arizona State baseball program made history on April 7 when they scored at least one run in its 350th consecutive game. The Devils broke the 12-year-old record in a 5-1 loss to USC exactly six years to the day when they were last shut out. ASU was shut out 9-0 on April 7, 1995 at Dedeaux Field. The one run scored in the 2-1 loss to Washington State (4/12) marked only the eighth time during the streak that ASU has scored only one run. The record is still in tact at 360 straight games. ASU was neck-in-neck with Wichita State who was not shutout in 332 games, but when the Shockers fell 1-0 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette ASU took over the national lead. Coastal Carolina held the record at 349 games set from 1983-1989. ASU also had a stretch of 278 games without being shut out from 1990 to 1994, meaning the program has only been limited to no runs three times dating back to 1990.

Media Exposure:

All three of the Arizona-Arizona State baseball games can be heard over the airwaves on XTRA 910 AM in the greater Phoenix Metropolitan area or over the internet at www.TheSunDevils.com. The voice of Arizona State Athletics Tim Healey will bring you all the play-by-play with ASU historian Bob Eger providing the color commentary. Saturday's game is the Pac-10/Fox Sports Net Game of the Week and can be viewed nationally on participating Fox Sports Net outlets. Barry Tompkins and legendary former Arizona head coach Jerry Kindall will call the action. Sunday's 1 p.m. game can be viewed locally on Cox Cable 9 with Doug Gerlach and George Allen handling the play-by-play duties. All three games can also be viewed using Live Stats on the official site of ASU Athletics at www.thesundevils.com.

The National Rankings:

The Sun Devils are ranked 20th by Baseball America, 19th by Collegiate Baseball and 16th in the Baseball Weekly/ESPN Coaches poll. ASU has now been ranked in the top 20 for 26 consecutive weeks in at least one of the three college baseball polls. Arizona is not ranked.



ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

April 27-29, 2001 • Arizona-Arizona State Series

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2001 National Polls

Baseball America

1. Nebraska
2. Notre Dame
3. **Stanford**
4. Miami
5. **LSU**
6. **USC**
7. Rice
8. **Cal State Fullerton**
9. Tulane
10. Pepperdine
11. Florida State
12. Clemson
13. Georgia Tech
14. **Tennessee**
15. Mississippi
16. Central Florida
17. East Carolina
18. Baylor
19. Stetson
20. **Arizona State**
21. Wake Forest
22. Mississippi State
23. South Alabama
24. Auburn
25. Georgia

Baseball Weekly/ESPN

1. **Stanford**
2. Nebraska
3. Miami, Fla.
4. Notre Dame
5. **LSU**
6. Rice
7. **USC**
8. Florida State
9. **Cal State Fullerton**
10. Georgia Tech
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15. Clemson
16. **Arizona State**
17. South Carolina
18. Pepperdine
19. East Carolina
20. Central Florida
21. South Alabama
22. Mississippi
23. Wake Forest
24. Auburn
25. Florida International

Collegiate Baseball

1. Notre Dame
2. **Stanford**
3. **LSU**
4. Nebraska
5. **Cal State Fullerton**
6. **Southern California**
7. Miami, Fla.
8. Stetson
9. Florida State
10. Mississippi
11. Rice
12. Clemson
13. **Tennessee**
14. East Carolina
15. Georgia Tech
16. Pepperdine
17. Tulane
18. Mississippi State
19. **Arizona State**
20. Baylor
21. Texas
22. Wake Forest
23. Auburn
24. South Carolina
25. Central Florida

Bold = 2001 ASU Opponent

Casey Myers is Chasing 300 and 283:

One of the hottest and best hitters in college baseball and making a name for himself as one of the best Sun Devils to ever wear the Maroon and Gold, Casey Myers has 297 hits in his illustrious career at ASU and is now just three short of becoming only the third Sun Devil hitter in history to record 300 hits. Myers is a career .389 hitter in Tempe (297x763) in 204 career games. The senior All-American catcher is also chasing the Pac-10 and ASU career RBI record of 283 set by former Sun Devil Andrew Beinbrink (1996-99). Myers is 23 short of the record with 260 in his career and 54 this year. He is only three short of reaching second place in the Pac-10 record books, a spot held by former Stanford Cardinal standout John Gall (263). Myers is also ranked sixth with 38 career home run, fourth with a .389 career batting average, fourth with 471 total bases, fourth with 60 doubles and seventh with 763 career at-bats. Myers is currently second on the squad and third in the Pac-10 with a .412 batting average (72x172).

Rod Allen is "DANGER"ous:

Freshman left fielder Rod Allen has quickly making a name for himself in his rookie campaign at the collegiate level. He entered the week with the 12th best batting average in the NCAA at .441, but dropped to .429 after going 2-for-8 vs. Gonzaga. Allen currently is riding a seven-game hitting streak in which he is hitting .519 with 14 hits (27 AB), nine runs scored, 13 RBI and two home runs. In Pac-10 play he leads ASU with a .429 batting average (18x42). In his last 10 games Allen is hitting at a .474 clip and over his last 15 games is hitting .453. He has started 14 games in left field and 13 at designated hitter. He recently moved to the cleanup position in the ASU order and has paid great dividends. ASU is 6-1 when Allen bats fourth and Allen is .519 (14x27) with 13 RBI since moving to that spot in the lineup.

Offensive Powerhouse ASU Tops In Scoring in NCAA Last Two Years:

Arizona State has led the NCAA in scoring each of the last two years, averaging 11.32 runs per game in 1999 and 10.97 runs per game last year. ASU also led the nation in batting average with a team total of .356 in 1999. The Sun Devils .346 average in 2000 fell just percentage points shy of matching that feat a second year in a row, trailing Stony Brook by one point. ASU out-hit Stony Brook 738-500. During Pat Murphy's seven seasons in Tempe, the Sun Devils have been a scoring machine with 3,714 runs, averaging 9.33 runs per game. 2001 has been no different for ASU, averaging 8.44 runs per game and hitting .337 as a team.

Murphy Chasing 100 Pac-10 Victories:

ASU head coach Pat Murphy has posted an impressive 260-138-1 record during his six-plus seasons in Tempe. He has recorded 97 Pac-10 wins during that time and is within three of reaching the 100-win plateau in conference games. The Sun Devils won their first Pac-10 Championship under Murphy last year with a 17-7 record in league play.

Torres Leads Nation In Wins:

Junior college transfer Andy Torres not only leads ASU with 11 wins, but leads the nation as well. Tied with three others, Torres is 11-3 on the year with one save. Posting an impressive 3.93 overall ERA, Torres has really shined for ASU since moving to the bullpen. As a relief pitcher this year the crafty right-hander is 5-0 with a 2.31 ERA. He has struck out 27 in 23.1 innings out of the bullpen. Overall Torres has made 19 appearances, with nine coming as starts, and has struck out 59 batters in 68.2 innings. He picked up wins in both of ASU's extra inning games at Oklahoma and Oral Roberts. Torres came to Arizona State from East Los Angeles Junior College where he was 11-3 with a 2.19 ERA.

ARIZONA STATE BASEBALL PROBABLE STARTING LINEUP

#16/20 Arizona State vs. University of Arizona

Batting Order	No.	Name (B/T)	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr	2001 Stats
1	39	Nick Walsh (L/R)	DH/RF	5-7	175	Fr.	.275/11 H/10 R/1 HR/10 RBI/3 GW Hits
or	6	Mel Stocker (S/R)	RF	5-9	160	Jr.	.252/26 H/30 R/3 2B/1 3B/15 RBI/18-20 SB
2	3	Chris Duffy (S/L)	CF	5-10	177	Jr.	.358/48 H/27 R/4 2B/1 3B/1 HR/18 RBI
3	22	Casey Myers (R/R)	C	6-0	215	Sr.	.421/72 H/42 R/13 2B/6 HR/54 RBI
4	10	Rod Allen (R/R)	LF	6-1	200	Fr.	.429/51 H/30 R/11 2B/1 3B/4 HR/35 RBI
5	4	Mike Lopez (R/R)	3B/DH	5-10	200	Sr.	.346/45 H/37 R/17 2B/2 HR/39 RBI
6	15	Brooks Conrad (S/R)	2B/3B	5-11	185	Jr.	.285/45 H/35 R/12 2B/3 3B/1 HR/31 RBI
or	7	Jonah Martin (R/R)	LF/RF	5-9	176	Sr.	.315/29 H/33 R/4 2B/1 3B/17 RBI/.488 OB%
7	20	Jeff Phelps (R/R)	1B/DH	6-0	195	Sr.	.321/43 H/18 R/15 2B/1 3B/1 HR/21 RBI
8	8	Jeremy West (R/R)	1B/DH	5-11	189	Fr.	.341/43 H/34 R/8 2B/4 3B/6 HR/33 RBI
9	5	Dennis Wyrick (R/R)	SS	6-1	219	So.	.356/42 H/19 R/7 2B/20 RBI
or	19	Steve Garrabrants (R/R)	LF/2B	5-10	160	Fr.	.323/42 H/29 R/5 2B/5 3B/22 RBI/16 SB

Probable Starting Rotation This Weekend vs. Arizona:

Day	No.	Name (B/T)	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr	2001 Stats
4/27	23	Mike Esposito (R/R)	RHP	6-0	190	RS-Fr.	2-2, 4.46 ERA, 42.1 IP, 8 GS, 21 ER, 39 K
4/28	55	Jon Switzer (L/L)	LHP	6-2	195	Jr.	4-3, 4.33 ERA, 14 GS, 79.0 IP, 100 K's
4/29	12	Ryan Schroyer (R/R)	RHP	6-1	216	Fr.	2-2, 6.59 ERA, 27.1 IP, 26 H, 20 R, 20 ER, 29 K
or	54	Andy Torres (R/R)	RHP	6-0	165	Jr.	11-3-1, 3.93 ERA, 59 K's, 68.2 IP, 19 G, 9 GS

**Rotation/Starting Lineup Subject to Change*



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Hitting Report:

At the plate ASU is leading the Pac-10 with a .337 average. The Sun Devils are second in the league with 363 runs scored and are first with 101 doubles. In Pacific-10 Conference games ASU is hitting .287 with 30 doubles, three home runs and 64 RBI. In non-conference games ASU is hitting at a stellar .361 clip with 19 of the team's 22 home runs. Over the last five games ASU is hitting .342 at the plate with five home runs and 42 runs scored and over the last 10 games the Sun Devils are hitting .340. The bench is hitting .342 (27x79) collectively as pinch-hitters. With runners in scoring position ASU is clutching up for a .348 average (218x626). With the bases loaded ASU is 26-for-77 (.338). ASU is coming off a series with Gonzaga in which they hit .357 as a team with 16 RBI and five doubles.

Pitching Report:

The Sun Devil pitching staff is currently sporting a 4.68 ERA and has allowed 223 earned runs in 383.1 innings... in Pac-10 play the pitching staff has combined for a 5.29 ERA with 76 earned runs given up in 129.1 combined innings... Sun Devil pitchers have chalked up 412 strikeouts, with 125 of those being strikeouts looking... in the last five games in which ASU is 4-1, the pitching staff has a 4.69 ERA... ASU entered the week ranked fifth in the league in ERA... senior relief pitcher Drew Friedberg leads the team with a 2.37 ERA and is 4-1 on the mound... redshirt freshman Aaron Klusman has maintained a 2.92 ERA and junior Andy Torres has a 3.93 ERA... the starting pitchers have combined for a 16-11 record, posting one complete game and allowing 98 earned runs in 202.0 innings... the starters have combined for a 4.37 ERA and struck out 209 batters... the bullpen is 12-3 on the year with six saves in 180.1 innings of work... of the 115 first batters the bullpen has faced, ASU has retired 74 of them... the bullpen has also allowed only 41 of the 99 runners they have inherited score.

The Best Freshmen Class Ever?:

The freshman class of 2001 was ranked as the No. 1 recruiting class in the nation and have lived up to that billing with a phenomenal coming out party. Dubbed the "Fabulous Frosh," Rod Allen, Jeremy West, Steve Garrabrants, Aaron Klusman, Nick Walsh, Ryan Schroyer, Eric Keefner and Ryan McKenna are the future of this program who are making huge contributions immediately. Allen is second in the Pac-10 in hitting at .429 and is bidding to record the best statistical year for a freshman in ASU history. No freshman, not even Barry Bonds, Reggie Jackson, Alvin Davis, Bob Horner or Willie Bloomquist ever hit over .400 in their rookie campaigns in Tempe. Through 43 games Allen is hitting .429 with four home runs and 35 RBI. Garrabrants is hitting a solid .323 and according to ASU records has already tied the freshman record with 16 stolen bases. Jeremy West is tied for the team lead with six home runs, ranking fifth of all ASU freshman behind Bond's 11 back in 1983. Casey Myers was the last freshman to enjoy great numbers in his first year in Tempe, recording a believed freshman batting average record of .386 with eight home runs and 58 RBI in 1998 when ASU advanced to the College World Series. On the mound, true freshman Ryan Schroyer has started seven games and posted a 6.59 ERA. Redshirt Aaron Klusman is second on the team with a 2.92 ERA and has struck out 41 batters in 24.2 innings.

Career Stats vs. Arizona:

Since 1998, the Sun Devils are 12-6 against their rivals from the South. After going 4-2 in 1998 and 3-3 in 1999, ASU took five of six last year by out-scoring the Wildcats 101-51. The following is a breakdown of career statistics for several Sun Devil players:

Career Hitting Statistics vs. Arizona Since 1998:

Player	Avg.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI
Lopez	.273	3	11	4	3	0	1	2	8
Wyrick	.368	5	19	6	7	0	0	0	2
Stocker	.444	5	18	5	8	0	1	0	2
Martin	.450	6	20	14	9	0	0	2	4
Conrad	.433	10	30	10	13	1	0	2	15
Phelps	.371	13	35	12	13	4	0	3	15
Myers	.523	15	65	22	34	6	0	7	31
Team	.377	18	703	235	265	53	14	36	209

Career Pitching Statistics vs. Arizona Since 1998:

Player	ERA	W-L-S	App	GS	IP	H	R	ER	SO
Johnson	99.00	0-0-0	1	0	0.0	3	3	3	0
Doble	9.35	0-0-1	3	0	8.2	14	11	9	10
Pezely	3.12	1-0-0	3	0	8.2	8	3	3	10
Friedberg	5.79	0-0-0	6	0	4.2	7	4	3	5
Liebeck	32.40	0-0-0	1	1	1.2	5	6	6	0
Switzer	8.31	2-1-0	5	3	17.1	29	21	16	23
Team	7.60	12-6-2	18	18	161.0	209	150	136	170

Offensive Breakdown:

Overall: .337
vs. LHP: .317 vs. RHP: .346
w/Runners in Scoring Position: .348
w/Bases Empty: .329 w/Bases Loaded: .338
w/Two Outs: .310 2-Out RBI: 118

In A Win: .373, 16 HR and 266 RBI
In A Loss: .266, 6 HR and 166 RBI

Pitching Breakdown:

Overall: 28-14, 4.68, 382.1 IP, .262 BA
Starters: 16-11, 4.37, 202.0 IP, .269 BA
Bullpen: 12-3, 6 S, 5.04, 180.1 IP, .253 BA
vs. Righties: .255 vs. Lefties: .274
w/Runners On: .277 w/Bases Empty: .247

In A Win: 2.64 ERA, 285 K's, .223 BA
In A Loss: 9.05 ERA, 120 K's, .330 BA

This Is Sun Devil Baseball...

- Casey Myers has been a run-producing machine in 2001 with 54 on the year, and with 260 in his career needs just 23 RBI to match the ASU and Pac-10 career record of 283. Myers has hits in 34 of ASU's 43 games, including 26 multi-hit affairs.

- The Sun Devil baseball program has finished ranked in the top 12 in the nation in three of the past four seasons; a feat matched by only six other college programs during that time. They have been ranked in the top 20 in the nation for 26 consecutive weeks.

- ASU has had four Academic All-Americans in the last two years, more than any other college baseball program in the nation.

- ASU has played 11 games against top 10 teams this season, going 3-7-1 in those games. ASU has played more games against top 10 schools than any other program in the nation.

- ASU's 10 stolen bases vs. Southern Utah (2/1) set a school record breaking the old record of nine set in 1982. Mel Stocker had four that game to tie a school record. On the year ASU has 76 stolen bases.

- Freshman Rod Allen and senior Casey Myers are the No. 2 and No. 3 hitters in the Pac-10.

- Myers needs just three hits to become only the third Sun Devil in history to reach 300 hits in a career. Pat Murphy needs three Pac-10 wins to reach 100 for his career at ASU. Jon Switzer needs one more strikeout to join the 300 club for his career.

Comparing 2000 to 2001

2000	Stat	2001
43	Games	43
468	Runs	363
528	Hits	516
.346	Avg.	.337
94	2B	101
21	3B	17
69	HR	22
422	RBI	328
34-9	W-L	28-14-1
4.22	ERA	4.68
378	SO	412

*Through 43 Games

National Players of the Week

Jon Switzer 2/05/01 (CB)
Jon Switzer 2/06/01 (NCBWA)



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Around the Pac-10

2001 Pac-10 Records:

Team	Overall	Pac-10
Stanford	33-9	11-4
USC	29-16	10-5
Oregon State	26-16	8-7
California	24-21	9-9
UCLA	25-17	6-6
Arizona State	28-14-1	7-8
Arizona	28-19	7-8
Washington St.	14-27	5-10
Washington	21-14	3-9

*Through 4/24

2001 Preseason Coaches Poll:

Team	Points
USC	52
Arizona State	49
Stanford	37
Arizona	31
California	30
UCLA	29
Oregon State	27
Washington	15
WSU	8

ASU Pac-10 Preseason Awards:

All-Pac-10:

Casey Myers, C
Chris Duffy, OF
Eric Doble, Relief Pitcher
Jon Switzer, Pitcher
Jeff Phelps, DH

Player of the Year:

Casey Myers, C

2001 Top Prospects:

4. Jon Switzer, LHP
7. Chris Duffy, OF
9. Eric Doble, RHP
10. Casey Myers, C

Best Tools:

Best Pure Hitter: Casey Myers
Fastest Baserunner: Chris Duffy
Best Defensive OF: Chris Duffy

*As voted by Baseball America



Chris Duffy Makes An Immediate Impact:

Junior Chris Duffy started the season with some bad news by spraining his right MCL before the Alumni game. After a month of intense rehab, the highly touted JC transfer from South Mountain CC saw his first action of his ASU career in the Creighton series and has fared well since his return by racking up a team-high 19-game hitting streak. During the streak, Duffy hit .378 (28x74) with 19 runs scored, 16 RBI, four doubles and a triple. Duffy, who was the nation's top base stealer at the JC level last year with 59, is described as a five-tool player and will play center field for ASU. Duffy is rated as one of the top 100 prospects in the nation by *Baseball America* (62) and earned the distinction of having the best outfield arm and best speed in the Pac-10's preseason outlook by *Baseball America*. Duffy hit .409 at South Mountain last year and was a 43rd round draft choice of the Boston Red Sox. Duffy also has three outfield assists, cutting down runners at home plate each time, and has recorded at least one hit in 28 of his 34 games played. Duffy also has 18 multi-hit games and three multi-RBI affairs. He clubbed his first collegiate home run Tuesday vs. Gonzaga. For the season he is third on the team with a .358 batting average (48x134) with 42 runs, four doubles and 18 RBI.

Memorable Moments in 2001:

- Down 3-2 in the top of the seventh, pinch-hitter Nick Walsh delivers a two-out, two-run single through the left side of the infield to help lift the Sun Devils to a 5-3 win over then No. 18 Cal State Fullerton (2/23)
- Jon Switzer strikes out 13 of the 16 batters he faces vs. Southern Utah en route to a 10-2 win over the Thunderbirds. He struck out eight consecutive in that game to rank second in the ASU record books and as a team ASU fanned 22 SUU batters to also rank second in the record books. (2/2)
- Mel Stocker steals home and makes great diving catch in right field vs. Oregon State (3/24)
- Mike Lopez goes 4-for-5 with three doubles and seven RBI in a 14-4 win over Creighton (2/18)
- Down 2-1 in the top of the ninth, Walsh comes through again with another two-out, two-run single to help lead ASU to a 4-2 come-from-behind win at Cal. Walsh grew up near Oakland (3/17).
- In possibly the weirdest and best play of 2001, second baseman Brooks Conrad slipped on his way to catch a pop fly, but on his way to the turf cleverly kicked the ball up into the air while on his back where right fielder Jonah Martin then snagged the ball to record the third out of the inning. With ASU leading 2-0 at the time, the hit would have tied the game scoring two runs for OSU (3/26).
- ASU snaps a four-game losing streak by defeating No. 1 Stanford 6-5 in a total team effort. (4/1)
- ASU breaks an NCAA record with a run on April 7, 2001. The 5-1 loss vs. USC broke the NCAA record having not been shutout in 350 consecutive games. The streak is currently at 355 games. (4/7)
- Nick Walsh records third game-winning hit of 2001 with first career home run in seventh inning to help defeat Washington State 4-3 (4/13).
- Aaron Klusman comes out of bullpen to strike out 10 in career high six innings. ASU goes on to defeat Cougars 14-4 in recording season-high 22 hits. It was Klusman's first career win. (4/14)
- Winning back-to-back 11-inning games at Oklahoma and Oral Roberts. (4/18-19)

The Espo Report:

Possibly the best news of the season for the Sun Devils is the fact the RHP Mike Esposito (Las Vegas) is back in the starting rotation. A reliever on strict pitch counts through much of the early season, Esposito made his return as a starter vs. LSU. Leaving the game with a lead against the Tigers, Esposito made good in his second start of the year, picking up the win against South Florida with 3.1 solid innings. Only 11 months from successful Tommy John surgery, Esposito turned in possibly ASU's most impressive pitching performance of the season. Despite picking up the no-decision vs. Cal, the hard-throwing right-hander allowed only four hits and two runs in seven innings against California. He struck out six and did not walk a batter in his start. Esposito is 2-2 on the year with a 4.46 ERA. He is coming off a strong outing at Oklahoma in which he struck out six and scattered three hits in five innings. He has struck out at least six batters in four of his last six starts and has 39 on the year. His start vs. Stanford (3/30) came exactly one year to the day after his Tommy John surgery. Esposito was a fifth-round draft pick by the Cincinnati Reds in 1999 and was ASU's opening day starter in 2000 before going down with the injury.

42 Years of Sun Devil Baseball:

While the history of baseball at Arizona State University goes back all the way to the early 1900's, the school officially began sponsoring varsity baseball in 1959. In 42-plus years of varsity baseball at Arizona State, the program has built a legacy matched by few in the college baseball world. With a 1,885-750-1 all-time record, Arizona State has recorded winning seasons in all but one year, advanced to the College World Series 18 times, won five national championships, won six Pac-10 titles, produced 13 Players of the Year and three Golden Spikes Award winners, and has gone to the NCAA Tournament 24 times. Under current head coach Pat Murphy, the Sun Devils have finished in the top 12 in three of the last four years and finished second in the nation in 1998. They have been ranked in the top 20 since the start of the 2000 season.

Switzer Chasing 300 K's:

Junior starting pitcher Jon Switzer needs only one more strikeout for 300 in his career. The hard-throwing left-hander leads ASU and is second in the Pac-10 with a 100 K's on the year. He is averaging 11.11 strikeouts per nine innings to rank in the top 20 in the NCAA.



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The Wild, Wild West: Jeremy West:

Freshman first baseman Jeremy West has wasted little time making himself one of the most feared hitters in the ASU lineup. The product of Silverado High School in Las Vegas, Nev., West has recorded a hit in 25 of 41 games this year and leads the team with six home runs. He is hitting .341 (43x126) with eight doubles, four triples and six home runs. He was 4-for-12 (.333) in the WSU series with all four of his hits coming in the series final Saturday vs. the Cougs (4x5, 4 RBI). West had a career night at the plate March 9 vs. South Florida, going 4-for-5 with two RBI that night, falling just a double short of the elusive cycle. West has started 32 games during his freshman campaign, with 25 coming at first base and seven at designated hitter. West has 12 multi-hit games and leads ASU with two, four-hit affairs. He also has six multi-RBI games to his credit. He provided the game-winner with a two-run triple in the 11th inning vs. Oral Roberts (4/19).

Pat Murphy at ASU:

Arizona's State has had only three coaches in its illustrious history. The latest to join the legacy is Pat Murphy who has enjoyed great success since arriving in Tempe six years ago in 1995. Murphy has guided ASU to a 260-137-1 (.652) and posted an impressive 97-85 record in the tough Pac-10. ASU has advanced to postseason play in three of the six years under Murphy, including a 2nd place finish at the College World Series in 1998. With his 254 wins at ASU, Murphy has the third best winning percentage of Pac-10 coaches. Murphy is three wins shy of 100 career Pac-10 victories. Of all active Division I coaches, Murphy entered 2001 ranked 14th with a career .675 winning percentage.

The Ultimate Team Player: Dennis Wyrick:

Dennis Wyrick has had his ups and downs so far in 2001, but the ups have far outweighed the downs. After entering the weekend series in Southern California, Wyrick was hitting .425, but after going hitless in 14 at-bats vs. the Trojans and Cal State Fullerton and 0-for-3 vs. Washington State, entered last week with an 0-for-17 slump. He broke out of that in a big way with three hits vs. New Mexico State and is now hitting .381 over his last five games to raise his season average to .356. Wyrick hit .500 (6x12) during the Oregon State series with a double and a RBI, Wyrick followed that with a stellar series against top-ranked Stanford. In the three games he hit .556, going 5-for-9 with two doubles, two runs scored and three RBI. Over the last five games before USC he was hitting .500 (8x16). For the year the Azusa, Calif., native is hitting .356 (42x118) with 19 runs scored, seven doubles and 20 RBI. His seven doubles are already four more than his 2000 season total of two in which he earned freshman All-America honors. Wyrick had a career-long seven-game hitting streak snapped vs. USC. He collectively went 12-for-24 (.500) with four runs scored and three doubles during the streak. Wyrick provided the game-winning, two-run single in ASU's 5-3 win over Oklahoma in 11 innings (4/18).

Bobby Winkles Field:

The Baseball Field at Packard Stadium was officially named Bobby Winkles Field April 3 as part of a special weekend honoring ASU's first varsity baseball coach. Winkles Field was officially named during a special ceremony before Saturday's game with LSU. Around 90 of Winkles former players joined a sellout crowd at Packard Stadium to honor Winkles and his tremendous strides to put ASU baseball on the map. Winkles was ASU's first varsity coach, compiling an impeccable 524-173 record during his 13-year career at ASU. He guided the Sun Devils to three national championships (1965, 67,69) and tutored future major league greats Rick Monday, Reggie Jackson and Sal Bando. ASU is 9-4-1 on the newly named Bobby Winkles Field. ASU recently played its 1,000th career game at Packard Stadium, posting an all-time 781-226-1 record at the home of Sun Devil baseball dating back to April 7, 1972.

The Ice Man Returns:

Last year Eric Doble earned the nickname "Ice Man" for coming in the game out of the bullpen in key situations and never cracking. The senior preseason All-American has had to battle through adversity and injury in 2001 to find that old form, but with one start against Gonzaga Tuesday looks to be back. Throwing 71 pitches, Doble struck out a career high nine batters in five innings to pick up his first win of the year. He did not allow a run and scattered three hits over his outing. Doble was a 10th round selection of the Boston Red Sox. For his career the hard-throwing senior has four wins, 10 saves and 113 strikeouts.

A Real Tough Schedule:

Arizona State has faced one of the most challenging schedules in the nation this year. The Sun Devils have played 11 games with opponents who are currently ranked in the top 10 in Baseball America's national college baseball poll. ASU is 3-7-1 in those games. ASU is ranked as having the 17th toughest schedule in the nation by www.boydsworld.com.

Myers Love Facing the Wildcats:

Senior Casey Myers has had a feeding frenzy in his career against the Arizona Wildcats. In 15 career games Myers is hitting .523 (34x65) with seven home runs, six doubles and 31 RBI vs. Arizona. He hit five home runs alone last year in the six games vs. the 'Cats.

Games With At Least One Hit

Allen	29 of 35 games
Conrad	32 of 43 games
Duffy	28 of 34 games
Garrabrants	24 of 35 games
Lopez	24 of 40 games
Martin	21 of 35 games
McKenna	4 of 15 games
Myers	34 of 43 games
Phelps	24 of 35 games
Stocker	18 of 35 games
West	25 of 41 games
Wyrick	25 of 36 games

Games With An RBI

Allen	18 of 35 games
Conrad	18 of 43 games
Duffy	13 of 34 games
Garrabrants	15 of 36 games
Lopez	21 of 41 games
Martin	12 of 35 games
Myers	28 of 43 games
Phelps	11 of 35 games
Stocker	9 of 35 games
West	22 of 41 games
Wyrick	13 of 36 games

Extra Base Hits

Lopez	19
Myers	19
West	18
Phelps	17
Conrad	16
Allen	16
Garrabrants	10
Wyrick	7
Duffy	6
Martin	5
Stocker	4
Keefner	2

Home Run Breakdown

Total Home Runs	22
Solo Home Runs	10
2-Run Home Runs	10
3-Run Home Runs	1
Grand Slams	1
First Inning	2
Second Inning	1
Third Inning	2
Fourth Inning	3
Fifth Inning	4
Sixth Inning	0
Seventh Inning	4
Eighth Inning	6
Ninth Inning	0



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14	Number of Returning Letterwinners from the 2000 club.
18	Times the Sun Devils have participated in the College World Series.
18	Number of home runs hit over the Green Monster in center field, last by Brooks Conrad in 2000.
24	Number of RBI Casey Myers needs to break the Pac-10 and ASU school career record.
75	Number of former Sun Devils who have played in the Major Leagues.
260	Number of Wins Coach Murphy has in his Arizona State career.
1,885	Number of wins in Arizona State varsity baseball history since 1959.

Sun Devils in the Polls

	BA	BW	CB
PS	6	6	6
2/5	6	6	6
2/12	5	4	6
2/19	5	4	6
2/26	3	3	6
3/5	8	8	6
3/12	6	4	4
3/19	5	3	3
3/26	6	4	4
4/2	10	6	9
4/9	15	12	16
4/16	15	14	17
4/23	20	16	19
4/30	--	--	--

Casey Myers An All-American On The Field And In The Classroom:

One of the best hitters in college baseball, Casey Myers, has not disappointed in living up to that title this year. After going 11-for-24 during his last six games, Myers is hitting at a .421 clip (72x177) with 13 doubles, six home runs and 54 RBI. The senior catcher has hits in 34 of ASU's 43 games this year, 26 of which have been multi-hit games. Myers already has 54 RBI on the year to place second in the Pac-10 and is quickly approaching the school and Pac-10 career record. With 260 in his four-year career, he is just 24 short of breaking both records set by former Sun Devil Andrew Beinbrink. Dating back to the start of 2000, Myers is hitting .416 (170x409) with 151 RBI and 24 home runs in 102 combined games. Myers is quickly reminding players why he is one of the best players in all of college baseball. A legitimate candidate for Player of the Year honors. Myers, who hit .412 last year and was a finalist for the National Player of the Year award, is now within one of second place in the ASU record books for career RBI. Behind the plate Myers has been instrumental in the success of the ASU pitching staff, calling all the pitches. He is also just 14 short of second place in the Pac-10 books (John Gall, Stanford). Myers needs 47 more RBI to rank among the top seven run-producers in college baseball history; a list that includes Robin Ventura, Joe Carter and Pete Incaviglia. Defensively, the 2000 *Collegiate Baseball* Defensive Player of the Year has also been solid, carrying a .991 fielding percentage into this weekend's action. In addition to his 22 multi-hit games this year, he has 88 in his career, including 34, three-hit games. He hit 18 home runs (second on the team) behind teammate Mitch Jones and now has 36 in his career to tie for seventh in school history. The school record is 56 set by Bob Horner. Myers has quietly done an excellent job behind the plate as well, calling the pitches himself and making the pitching staff step up to the next level. He has been named conference player of the week three times during his career at ASU. He reached base safely (hit, walk, HBP) in 54 of 59 games in '00. Myers led the squad in multiple-hit games (31) and multi-RBI games (29). His multi-hit games included three, four-hit affairs. He hit safely in 50 of 59 games. Myers was clutch with 26 two-out RBI and hit .417 with the bases loaded. He hit .466 (48x103) with runners in scoring position and .459 with runners on base. Myers finished his junior campaign ranked 30th in the nation in batting average (.412), third in RBI (97), and 35th in home runs (.31 per game). So far in 2001, Myers has not disappointed with a .421 average, six home runs, 54 RBI, 13 doubles and has recorded 26 multi-hit games and 16 multi-RBI games.



More On Myers: As asset for the program throughout his career in Tempe, Myers has also been stellar in the classroom. The math whiz that scored a perfect 800 on the math portion of the SAT out of high school, Myers has maintained a near-perfect GPA as a math/accounting major at ASU. He was an Academic All-American in 1999 and 2000, and received college baseball's highest academic honor last year when he was named the GTE/CoSida Academic All-American of the Year. In addition to being named the Academic All-American of the Year, All-American and Pac-10 Player of the Year in 2000, Myers was also named the *Collegiate Baseball* National Defensive Player of the Year with a .996 fielding percentage. In November, Myers was named the top amateur athlete in the state of Arizona by the March of Dimes.

Casey Myers in the Record Books.....

Pac-10 Career RBI

1. Andrew Beinbrink, ASU (1996-99)	283
2. John Gall, Stanford (1997-2000)	263
3. Casey Myers, ASU (1998-P)	260
4. Paul Carey, Stanford (1987-90)	220
5. Eric Valent, UCLA (1996-98)	219

ASU Career RBI

1. Andrew Beinbrink (1996-99)	283
2. Casey Myers (1998-P)	260
3. Clay Westlake (1973-76)	250
4. Bob Horner (1976-78)	229

ASU Career Batting Average

1. Kevin Romine (1981-82)408
2. Hubie Brooks (1977-78)396
3. Willie Bloomquist (1997-99)394
t4. Casey Myers (1998-P)389

Myers' Honors and Awards

1998

NCBWA 3rd Team All-American
Sporting News Freshman All-American
Collegiate Baseball Freshman All-American

1999

GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-American
First-Team Pac-10 All-Academic

2000

First-Team All-American
-Sporting News, NCBWA
Second-Team All-American
-Baseball America, Collegiate Baseball
Pac-10 Player of the Year
Pac-10 All-Academic
Academic All-American of the Year
Baseball America Player of the Year Candidate
Johnny Bench Catcher of the Year Finalist
Defensive Player of the Year

2001

Preseason All-American (CB, BA, NCBWA)
Street & Smith's All-Americans

Career statistics for: Casey Myers

Year	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB-ATT
1998....	.386	51-48	184	35	71	17	0	8	58	20	36	1-1
1999....	.329	51-46	170	39	56	11	0	6	51	25	24	1-4
2000....	.412	59-59	238	71	98	19	0	18	97	34	24	4-5
2001....	.421	43-43	171	42	72	13	0	6	54	24	15	2-3
TOTALS..	.389	204-196	763	187	297	60	0	38	260	103	99	8-13



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The Franchise; Jon Switzer:

Jon Switzer is on a strikeout binge. With five games this year of more than 10 strikeouts, Switzer has been a force on the mound. Averaging nearly 12 strikeouts per nine innings pitched (11.11), Switzer is second in the Pac-10 with 100 strikeouts in 79.0 innings pitched. He has also been the culprit of low run production by the Sun Devil offense in his last few starts. In his last five starts, in which he is 0-3, ASU has either had low run production or a high scoring game that has resulted in a loss. Switzer is 4-3 on the year with a 4.33 ERA. After going 11-3 last year and having a successful summer with Team USA Switzer (Houston, Texas) is looking to end his junior campaign strong. He matched his career high in strikeouts in his outing against Washington State with 13 against the Cougars. The junior earned the distinction of the *Collegiate Baseball* National Player of the Week award (2/5) when he struck out 13 of the 16 batters he faced against Southern Utah (2/2). At one point he struck out eight in a row to rank second in the ASU record books. Switzer was named a preseason All-American by *Collegiate Baseball* (2nd Team) and *Baseball America* (3rd team). For his career, the hard-throwing lefty has struck out 294 in 278.0 innings and is 22-8 with a 3.88 ERA. He was named an honorable mention on the 2000 Pac-10 All-Conference team. Switzer picked up win No. 11 vs. Arizona May 21 in a relief appearance, making him the first ASU pitcher to reach 11 wins since 1993. Switzer finished with an impressive 5-2 record in conference play with a 4.47 ERA. He was honored as Pac-10 Pitcher of the Week three times in '00 (tying UCLA's Rob Henkel for the most honors). He led the team with 121 strikeouts and held opposing batters to a .228 average at the plate. He ranked seventh in the conference in ERA (3.89), third in opposing batting average (.228), sixth in strikeouts (121) and third in wins (11). Drafted in the 26th round out of high school by the Pittsburgh Pirates, Switzer is listed as one of the top lefties for the 2001 draft. He was 1-0 with a 2.41 ERA with Team USA this past summer before leaving the team early after having an emergency appendectomy surgery. Switzer is labeled by Baseball America as the 19th college prospect in the nation for the 2001 draft.

El Torrito; Andy Torres:

He isn't fancy and he won't blow it past you, but for Andy Torres, it is all about beating you. At 11-3 on the year with one save, Torres has been a pleasant surprise to the roster. The junior joined ASU in January as a junior college transfer from East Los Angeles CC. He came to ASU with high credentials, leaving a stellar career on the mound behind at the JC level, capping his career with a 11-3 record, 2.11 ERA, one save and 113 strikeouts in 119.1 innings pitched. The 6-0, 165 Torres recorded a win in his ASU debut and has since tacked on 10 more to enter this weekend with an 11-3 record, tied for the national lead in that department. After starting the year 6-0 as a starter, Torres has since moved to the bullpen where has shined with five wins and a save in the last month. He picked up two wins last week at Oklahoma and Oral Roberts. With a fast and fluid motion, the quick-worker has managed a 4.01 ERA in his 15 outings, with nine coming as starts. He has struck out 59 and walked only 21 this year. Torres went 2-0 in one week vs. Oral Roberts and South Florida with a combined 3.38 ERA in 13.1 innings. The right-hander had one of his better outings of the year vs. the Cougars, throwing five shutout innings to lock down a 4-3 Sun Devil win. Torres matched his career high in strikeouts with seven that game (4/13).

Filling the Stands:

Through 24 home games of the 2001 season, ASU has drawn 76,892 fans to Packard Stadium to see the nationally ranked Sun Devils get off to a 28-14-1 start overall and 21-7-1 record at Packard Stadium. Averaging 2,746 fans per date at home, ASU is among the nations best so far this year in attendance for college baseball. ASU finished 11th in the nation and second on the west coast in 2000. The 18,465 fans that showed up for the LSU series was the largest draw for at three-game series since 1989 when 20,095 came out to see ASU and Arizona play. The attendance of 6,457 that came out for Bobby Winkles Day (3/3) on the Saturday game of the LSU series was the biggest single-game crowd since April 27, 1996 when 6,969 attended the USC-ASU game at Packard Stadium. ASU averaged 3,341 for the three games vs. Stanford last weekend.

Klusman Equals K:

Redshirt freshman Aaron Klusman has earned the nickname "Special K." Through ASU's first 43 games, he may be the biggest surprise of any Sun Devil. Beginning the year as a long-shot to be a big-time contributor, Klusman has relished as a short-reliever and has maintained stellar 2.92 ERA. Klusman is averaging over 15 strikeouts per nine innings pitched and in 24.2 innings on the mound has fanned 41. Opponents are hitting only .189 off him and he has scattered only 17 hits in his 17 appearances. Klusman registered a career day on the mound Saturday vs. Washington State (4/14). He pitched his longest career outing by going six strong, and struck out a career-high 10 batters. Yes, he struck out 10 out of the bullpen, and in doing so picked up his first career collegiate win. In his last two outings he has struck out 15 batters in 8.1 innings. On the year he has inherited 12 runners on base, only two of which have scored. He has also retired 11 of the 16 first batters he has faced. Klusman prepped in the Phoenix area at Brophy Prep High School.

Recruiting Class Draws Rave Reviews:

The recruiting class that makes up the freshman class on the diamond this spring was rated as the top class of recruits in the nation by *Baseball America*. Highlighted by seven players who were selected in the annual Major League Draft, the group includes several players who are expected to contribute immediately. The recruiting class was also ranked third in the nation by *Collegiate Baseball*.

The Casey Myers Watch

In the Record Books...

ASU Career Hits:

1. Clay Westlake	322
2. Andrew Beinbrink	318
3. Casey Myers	297
4. Gary Atwell	286
5. Mikel Moreno	277
6. Antone Williamson	264
7. Bob Horner	262

ASU Career Home Run:

1. Bob Horner	56
2. Mike Kelly	46
3. Barry Bonds	45
4. Dan Rumsey	44
5. Andrew Beinbrink	40
6. Casey Myers	38
Mitch Jones	38

ASU Total Bases:

1. Andrew Beinbrink	547
2. Clay Westlake	505
3. Bob Horner	492
4. Casey Myers	471

Misc. Categories:

Career At-Bats:	763 (7th)
Doubles:	60 (4th)
Runs:	187

Myers Multi Hit Games...

	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5+</u>	<u>Total</u>
1998	9	9	3	0	21
1999	6	7	1	0	14
2000	17	11	3	0	31
<u>2001</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>26</u>
Totals	47	37	8	0	92

Myers Multi RBI Games...

	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5+</u>	<u>Total</u>
1998	9	5	1	1	16
1999	7	3	2	1	13
2000	14	7	6	2	29
<u>2001</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>16</u>
Totals	39	19	12	4	74

Casey At Bat

Senior Casey Myers has been writing a bi-weekly diary on the internet that can be read on www.thesundevils.com. The column also appears on ESPN.com. The senior writes about the season, the players, the upcoming opponent and other behind the scenes action.



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How ASU Ranks In the Pac-10

Team Offensive Rankings:

Avg.	337	1st
Runs Scored	347	2nd
Doubles	96	1st
Total Bases	684	4th
Walks	214	1st
Hits	491	2nd
HBP	69	1st
OB %	438	1st

Team Pitching Rankings:

ERA	4.77	5th
SO	384	2nd
BB	162	7th
R	216	4th
Avg.	262	3rd
Saves	5	7th
IP	364.1	6th
Wins	28	3rd

Pac-10 Individual Rankings

Casey Myers

Batting Avg421	3rd
Total Bases	82	5th
Doubles	13	8th
Hits	69	5th
RBI	52	2nd

Rod Allen

Batting Avg441	2nd
Slugging %658	2nd

Jeff Phelps

Doubles	14	t5th
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Jon Switzer

Batters SO	95	2nd
Opp Avg.244	8th

Stats are through April 23, 2001

Rankings are as of April 23, 2001

How ASU Ranks In the NCAA

NCAA Individual Rankings

Casey Myers:

RBI Per Game	1.27	23rd
Batting Average421	23rd

Rod Allen

Batting Average429	11th
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Andy Torres

Wins	11	t-1st
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Steve Garrabrants

Triples Per Game14	16th
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Jon Switzer

K's Per Game	11.11	16th
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NCAA Team Rankings

Scoring	8.44	15th
Hitting337	10th

Stats updated as of April 26, 2001

Rankings are as of April 23, 2001



Blame It On The Rain:

Rain in Arizona, yeah, that's right, and it has put a damper on the 2001 baseball season so far. Record amounts of rain in the Southwest have forced three cancellations at Packard Stadium, with two more being cancelled when ASU traveled to Fullerton to play the Titans. ASU has already made up one game with St. Mary's (6-4, L) and have a make-up game with Cal State Fullerton scheduled for April 9. The Sun Devils have also added a game with Nevada in Reno on May 16 at 3 p.m.

Road Warriors:

With a tough schedule to start the Pac-10 season with three of their first four league series on the road, the Sun Devils traveled to USC for a tough three-game series in which ASU dropped two of three. ASU played the top two Pac-10 teams in the standings in consecutive weeks. Starting with the Washington State series, ASU played four teams and seven games in eight days. After the WSU series, ASU took back to the road to play three mid-week games in three different cities. The Sun Devils played Tuesday (Apr. 17) in Las Cruces, NM at New Mexico State, then Wednesday (Apr. 18) at Oklahoma in Oklahoma City and then finally at Oral Roberts on Thursday (Apr. 19) in Tulsa, Okla. ASU will also travel to Knoxville, Tenn., to play the Volunteers May 1-2. ASU logged over 2,000 miles during the three-game road trip and played over 12 hours of baseball during that stretch.

Nick Walsh Knows Game Winners:

Redshirt freshman Nick Walsh has a knack for the game-winning hit. Three times this year the Alamo, Calif., native has lifted the Sun Devils to wins with late-inning hits in clutch situations. The first came with a two-out, two-run single in the seventh inning in a 5-3 win over Cal State Fullerton (2/23). In front of several friends and family, Walsh gave ASU a 3-2 lead over Cal with a two-out, ninth inning single to right field to score two runs. ASU went on to beat the Bears 4-2 (3/17). The latest clutch hit for Walsh came Friday vs. Washington State when the left-handed swinger knocked his first career home run in the seventh inning to break a 3-3 tie. ASU went on to beat the Cougars 4-3. Walsh is hitting only .275(8x30), but has scored 10 runs, knocked home 10 more and is ASU's leading pinch-hitter at 7-for-17. The Sun Devils are 5-0-1 when Walsh starts.

Friedberg Is On Fire:

Senior left-handed relief pitcher Drew Friedberg is making the most out of his senior year. Opting to come back for a final year in Tempe after being drafted by his hometown Milwaukee Brewers in the 29th round of last year's amateur draft, the senior is tearing it up in 2001. Leading the pitching staff with an ERA of 2.37. In 38.0 innings pitched, Friedberg has allowed only 10 earned runs and 29 hits. Opponents are hitting just .203 off him and he has 40 strikeouts compared to only eight walks. He is 4-1 on the year with one save. For his career, the southpaw has chalked up an impressive 8-2 record with a 3.99 ERA. He has struck out 117 batters in 128.2 combined innings.

Mike Lopez is Mr. Clutch:

Senior third baseman/designated hitter Mike Lopez has been one of ASU's clutch hitters in 2001. Hitting .346 in 2001 with 17 doubles and two home runs, Lopez is second on the squad with 39 RBI. His 17 doubles tie him for the Pac-10 lead. A .358 career hitter in his two years at ASU, Lopez has tabbed 16 two-out RBI to lead the team. With runners in scoring position he is hitting .397 (23x58) and is 4-for-9 with the bases loaded.

Jeff Phelps Making the Most of His Hits:

Senior Jeff Phelps has his struggles at the plate this year, but when the senior first baseman/designated hitter gets hot, watch out. With hits in 24 of his 35 games played this year, the senior has 13 multi-hit games and fourth on the team with 17 extra base hits. He has 15 doubles, one triple and one home run to his credit. He is batting .321 overall (43x134) while battling through a hamstring injury for most of the first half of the season. Now healthy, Phelps has recorded hits in four of his last six games and is a .368 hitter of the last five games.

Sun Devils Offensive Powerhouse Under Murphy:

The Sun Devils have been an offensive powerhouse under head coach Pat Murphy. Leading the nation in scoring the last two year and in the top two in batting average, Murph's teams have flat out put the bat on the ball. Compiling an impressive 260-137-1 record since taking the program over, his teams have averaged 9.38 runs per game and collectively hit .333. The following is an offensive breakdown of what ASU has done since 1995:

Year	G	AVG	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI
1995	55	.307	1939	395	595	119	26	35	346
1996	56	.338	2075	552	702	128	23	73	484
1997	61	.326	2252	540	735	152	28	56	458
1998	64	.318	2277	557	723	132	27	57	483
1999	60	.356	2199	679	782	154	29	67	599
2000	59	.346	2134	647	738	128	37	86	588
2001	43	.337	1529	363	516	101	17	22	328
Totals	398	.333	14,405	3733	4791	914	187	396	2850



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Drafted Devils:

A total of 17 players on the 2001 Arizona State squad have been taken in the Major League Baseball Amateur Draft. Since the inception of the draft in 1965, ASU has had more players chosen (289), more first-round draft picks (21) and more No. 1 picks (3) than any other school in the nation. Eight (8) players from the 2000 Pac-10 Championship team were drafted last June. ASU's three No. 1 picks were Rick Monday (1965), Floyd Bannister (1976) and Bob Horner (1978, Atlanta).

Player	Year	Team	Round	Drafted
Rod Allen	2000	Reds	34th	round
Eric Doble	2000	Red Sox	10th	round
Chris Duffy	2000	Red Sox	43rd	round
Mike Esposito	1999	Reds	5th	round
Drew Friedberg	1997	Diamondbacks	25th	round
	2000	Brewers	29th	round
Skyler Fulton	2000	Mets	25th	round
Steve Garrabrants	2000	Twins	42nd	round
Jon Gutierrez	2000	Red Sox	25th	round
Eric Keefner	2000	Astros	4th	round
Jered Liebeck	1999	Diamondbacks	45th	round
Mike Lopez	1996	Blue Jays	52nd	round
Casey Myers	2000	Brewers	30th	round
Jeff Phelps	1997	Pirates	36th	round
Ryan Schroyer	2000	Tigers	16th	round
Jon Sheaffer	1999	Reds	29th	round
Jon Switzer	1998	Pirates	26th	round
Dennis Wyrick	1999	Tigers	35th	round

Horner Ranks Second As Player of the Century:

Former Sun Devil greats Bob Horner and Eddie Bane were honored by *Baseball America* by being placed on the publications' "Team of the Century." Horner, an ASU great under Jim Brock from 1976-78, hit .383 for his career and belted a school record 56 home runs. Horner was listed second on the team behind Oklahoma State slugger Pete Incaviglia (1983-85). Bane, a top pitcher for the Sun Devils from 1971-72, posted a career 40-4 record and a 1.64 ERA. Bane was listed as the ninth best player of the 20th Century by *Baseball America*. The top 10 players of the century were voted on by fans, coaches and baseball writers and are listed below:

1. Pete Incaviglia (Oklahoma State)
2. **Bob Horner (Arizona State)**
3. Robin Ventura (Oklahoma State)
4. Burt Hooten (Texas)
5. Dave Winfield (Minnesota)
6. Phil Stephenson (Wichita State)
7. John G. Olerud (Washington State)
8. J.D. Drew (Florida State)
9. **Eddie Bane (Arizona State)**
10. Derek Tatsuno (Hawai'i)

Bloomquist Earns Minor League All-Star Award:

Willie Bloomquist (1997-1999) showed signs he would be a great professional ball player during his time at ASU. After his first full season of professional ball, the 1999 Pac-10 Player of the Year turned in a banner season split between Single-A Lancaster and Triple-A Tacoma in the Seattle Mariners organization. The second basemen hit a blistering .379 at Lancaster to earn Single-A all-star status and was overall a second-team Minor League All-Star as selected by the writers at *Baseball America*. After having a great spring training last year with the M's, Bloomquist played for the Mariners briefly in Spring Training and has reported to Double-A San Antonio to play second base and shortstop. In 19 games with the Missiona, Bloomquist is hitting .271 with three doubles.

Team	AVG	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB
Lancaster (CAL)	.379	256	63	97	19	6	2	51	37	27	22
Lancaster/Tacoma	.313	447	80	140	24	7	3	74	44	55	27

Sun Devil Quick Facts

Name of School	Arizona State
City, State	Tempe, Ariz.
Founded	1885
Enrollment	42,255
Mascot	Sun Devils
School Colors	Maroon and Gold
Stadium	Packard Stadium (5,000)
Field	Bobby Winkles Field
Fences	LF/RF (339)
	Center (395)
Conference	Pac-10
President	Dr. Lattie F. Coor
Athletics Director	Gene Smith

Baseball History

First year of Baseball	1959 (28-18)
All-Time Record	2,218-1,087-1
Modern Era (1959-P)	1885-750-1 (.715)
Early Era (1906-1958)	333-338
Packard Stadium Record	781-226-1 (.776)
Years in College World Series	18
NCAA Championships	5
College World Series Record	56-30 (.652)
NCAA Appearances	24
NCAA Record	121-47
Last CWS Appearance	1998 (2nd)
Best All-Time Record	59-8 (1973)
Last All-Americans	Myers, Switzer
	Mitch Jones

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ASU Coaching/Support Staff

Head Coach	Pat Murphy
Record at ASU	260-137-1 (7th Season)
Career Division I	577-251-2 (14th Season)
Assistants	Jay Sferra (6th)
	Mike Rooney (3rd)
	Bill Mosiello (1st)
Baseball Operations	Chris Holick
	Joe Brennan
	Graham Rossini
	Billy Jones
Managers	Steve Kirkman
Trainer	Kenny McCarty, Mike Elliott

2000 Review

2000 Record	44-15
Home	33-8
Away	11-7
2000 Pac-10 Record	17-7 (1st)
Home	9-3
Away	8-4
Letterman Returning/Lost	14/13
Starters Returning/Lost	7/2
Starting Pitchers Returning/Lost	2/2



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2001 ASU Hitting Leaders

Batting Average:

1. Rod Allen	.429
2. Casey Myers	.421
3. Chris Duffy	.358
4. Dennis Wyrick	.356
5. Mike Lopez	.346

Hits:

1. Casey Myers	72
2. Rod Allen	51
3. Chris Duffy	48
4. Brooks Conrad	45
Mike Lopez	45

Runs Scored:

1. Casey Myers	42
2. Mike Lopez	37
3. Brooks Conrad	35
4. Jeremy West	34

RBI:

1. Casey Myers	54
2. Mike Lopez	39
3. Rod Allen	35
4. Jeremy West	33

Doubles:

1. Mike Lopez	17
2. Jeff Phelps	15

Triples:

1. Steve Garrabrants	5
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Home Runs:

1. Jeremy West	6
Casey Myers	6
3. Rod Allen	4

2001 ASU Pitching Leaders

Earned Run Average:

1. Drew Friedberg	2.37
2. Aaron Klusman	2.92
3. Andy Torres	3.93
4. Jon Switzer	4.33
5. Jered Liebeck	4.40

Wins:

1. Andy Torres	11
2. Drew Friedberg	4
Jon Switzer	4

Batters Struck Out:

1. Jon Switzer	100
2. Andy Torres	59
3. Aaron Klusman	41
4. Drew Friedberg	40

Innings Pitched:

1. Jon Switzer	79.0
2. Andy Torres	68.2
3. Mike Esposito	42.1

Opposing Batting Average:

1. Aaron Klusman	.189
2. Drew Friedberg	.203
3. Jon Switzer	.250

2001 ASU Fielding Leaders

Errors:

1. Dennis Wyrick	13
2. Brooks Conrad	12
3. Mike Lopez	8

Assists:

1. Brooks Conrad	93
2. Dennis Wyrick	79
3. Mike Lopez	59

Putouts:

1. Casey Myers	390
2. Jeremy West	202
3. Jeff Phelps	127

Preseason Awards Plenty for Sun Devils:

Several Sun Devils received honors from various preseason college baseball publications. Casey Myers was a unanimous Preseason All-American as the Devils cracked the polls at No. 6 in the nation. Eric Doble was named a third-team preseason All-American by the NCBWA and Jon Switzer was also coveted as a preseason All-American. In Baseball America's annual Pac-10 review, five players received all-conference recognition. Myers, Doble, Switzer, in addition to Chris Duffy and Jeff Phelps were named to the team.

ASU And Team USA:

Junior lefty Jon Switzer (Houston, Texas) was among 20 invitees to the 2000 USA Baseball Team Trials and was one of two ASU players to represent the Red, White and Blue last summer. Switzer was joined by three other Pac-10 players: USC's Mark Prior, UCLA's Josh Karp and Stanford's Brian Sager at the trials, and junior catcher Casey Myers was also selected to play for the team. Myers (Casa Grande, Ariz.) was a member of the junior national team in '96 and was a '98 national team invitee. Myers ended up hitting .310 with Team USA and Switzer was 1-0 with a 2.41 ERA.

Arizona State Claims Pac-10 Championship in 2000:

For the first time in league history, three teams finished in a tie for first place in the conference standings in 2000. ASU, Stanford and UCLA all notched a 17-7 record in Pac-10 play. By virtue of a tie breaker (ASU won both conference series against Stanford and UCLA), the Sun Devils received the Pac-10's automatic bid to postseason play. It was their first conference championship since 1993 and sixth since joining the Pac-10 in 1978. Stanford and Pac-10 runner-up USC advanced through the NCAA Tournament and made appearances at the College World Series in Omaha. Stanford was the eventual runner-up.

Two Sport Stars:

If you think you heard the names of a couple of ASU baseball players' names being called over the Sun Devil Stadium loudspeaker during football season, that wasn't a joke. Three players, Skyler Fulton, Jon Sheaffer and Eric Keefner all double as players on the ASU football team. Sheaffer (WR) and Fulton (RB) saw action on special teams, while Keefner (LB) was named the Scout Team MVP. Kevin Tommasini (1996-97) and Jason Verdugo (1994-97) were the last Devils to double as a player on the diamond and on the gridiron.

Murphy Garners Pac-10 Coach of the Year Award in 2000:

Head coach Pat Murphy was voted the Pac-10 Coach of the Year by his peers for the 2000 season. The Sun Devils skipper led his squad to its sixth Pac-10 Conference title and first since 1993. ASU was picked to finish sixth in the league in the preseason coaches' poll. Murphy led the Devils to their third postseason appearance in the last four years.

Success in the Classroom As Well As On The Field:

ASU has long enjoyed much success on the diamond, and with 18 College World Series appearances, it is known as one of the gems of college baseball. But lately academics, as well as on-field talent, have shown its true colors in the storied program. Pat Murphy's Sun Devil squads have produced four Academic All-Americans over the past two years (Willie Bloomquist, Mark Ernster, Jeff Phelps, Casey Myers), including Myers being named the Academic All-American for college baseball in 2000. The four players honored as National Academic All-Americans is the most by any college baseball program in the nation over the last two years. The 2001 squad also features two players, Ty Johnson and Mike Lopez, who have already received their undergraduate degrees and are pursuing their master's. Myers, Phelps, Eric Doble and Jonah Martin are all scheduled to graduate in May.

The Assistant Coaches:

Coach Murphy has long been regarded for his winning programs and the development of college players into top pro talent. Perhaps the most forgotten skill Murphy should be praised for is his development of assistant coaches into head coaches. Four of his former assistants, Nino Giarratano (San Francisco), John Pawlowski (Charleston), Doug Schreiber (Purdue) and Brian Cleary (Cincinnati) have all moved onto the head coaching ranks. His current staff that he has assembled over the years is one of the best in all of college baseball. Jay Sferra is in his sixth year in association with the ASU baseball program and his third as an assistant coach. Sferra helps with the pitching staff and is the recruiting coordinator. Mike Rooney is regarded as one of the best assistants in the country and his on-field leadership and teaching skills make him a coveted coaching prospect for the future. Billy Jones is in his first year as a volunteer assistant coach and will head up the Sun Devil outfielders this spring. Jones was recently named the head coach for the Brewster Whitecaps in the prestigious Cape Cod League.



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Golden Spikes Common At Arizona State:

While Kip Bouknight of South Carolina was the recipient of the 2000 Golden Spikes award as the nation's top amateur baseball player, it should be noted that three Arizona State players have won the award. Bob Horner, who was a standout at ASU from 1976-78, won the inaugural award in 1978. Oddibe McDowell, who was a member of the first Team USA baseball team to compete in an Olympics, won the award in 1984. Mike Kelly, who ranks second in ASU history with 46 home runs from 1989-91, won the award in 1991. In all, 13 players that have worn the Maroon and Gold have been named a Player of the Year for college baseball.

ASU Leader of the Pac When It Comes to Player of the Week:

Arizona State has amassed 41 Pac-10 Pitchers of the Week and 62 Players of the Week since 1981. That total leads all Pac-10 member schools. The Sun Devils had four players honored as Pac-10 POW last year (Mitch Jones -2, Brooks Conrad -2) and Jon Switzer was a three-time recipient of the award in 2000. ASU is yet to have a Pac-10 Player of the Week this year.

Arizona State in Postseason Play:

The Sun Devil baseball program has created a dynasty in college baseball that has been matched by few. With 18 appearances in the College World Series, ASU ranks fourth for the most trips to Omaha. Arizona State has advanced to the NCAA Tournament in 24 of the program's 42 seasons, amassing an incredible 116-43 (.730) record. ASU's five National Championships rank as the second most of any NCAA school. In addition to ASU's five national championships, the Sun Devils have also turned in five second-place teams and three third-place finishes.

Postseason Summary:

NCAA Appearances	24	Record in District 7	12-1
All-Time NCAA Record	121-47	CWS Appearances	18
Regional Appearances	18	CWS Titles	5
Regional Titles	12	CWS Runners-up	5
Record in Regionals	54-16	CWS Third-Place Finishes	4
District 7 Appearances	6	Record at CWS	55-30 (.647)
District 7 Titles	6		

ASU Stellar In Pac-10 Play:

While Arizona and Arizona State both joined the Pacific-10 Conference in 1979 as the newest additions to the "Conference of Champions," ASU has quickly made quick gains to place its name among the top two in winning percentage of all Pac-10 schools. With a career 440-302 record combined when apart of the old Six-Pac or the combined Pac-10, ASU's .593 winning percentage falls behind just behind USC's .642 winning percentage in 77 years being affiliated with the Pac-10.

ASU Is Now 22-2 In Season Openers Since 1979:

If you think ASU's Jan. 26th game vs. Texas-Arlington was a late start for the season, well it is. In fact, it is the latest ASU has started a season since opening Feb. 2 in 1996. Despite the loss to UTA, the Sun Devil baseball program has maintained an impressive 22-2 record in season openers dating back to 1979, while head coach Pat Murphy is 6-1 in Tempe having recorded a season-opening win in six of his seven years at the helm of the Sun Devils. Murphy's teams have also greatly outscored their opponents since 1995 in season openers, 71-23. In his 13+ years as a head coach at the Division I level (Now 7 at ASU, 7 at Notre Dame), Murphy has lost only one game (UTA). One of his season openers actually came against ASU when the Irish defeated the Sun Devils 11-4 in 1993. The last time ASU lost a season opener before this year was a 9-4 setback to Hawai'i in 1993, and ASU advanced to the CWS that year.

This is ASU Baseball:

- Only one losing season in school history
- 18 College World Series Appearances
- 24 years in the NCAA Tournament
- Six Pac-10 Titles
- Five NCAA Championships
- 13 NCAA National Players of the Year
- Three Golden Spikes Award Winners
- 58 All-Americans
- 2 NCAA Coaches of the Year
- 75 Major League Players
- 21 First-Round Draft Picks
- Finished in top 12 three of past four years
- Only one losing season in school history
- Three 2001 Preseason All-Americans
- Four Academic All-Americans in last two years
- Finished in the top 12 in three of the past four years.

This Week In The Pac-10

Fri., Apr. 27

ARIZONA at ASU, 7 p.m.

STANFORD at CAL, 2:30 p.m.

OREGON STATE at Hawaii, 9:30 p.m.

UCLA at USC, 6 p.m.

WASHINGTON at WSU, 6 p.m.

Sat., Apr. 28

ARIZONA at ASU, 1 p.m.

STANFORD at CALIFORNIA, 1 p.m.

OREGON STATE at Hawaii, 9:30 p.m.

UCLA at USC, 1 p.m.

WASHINGTON at WSU, 1 p.m.

Sun., Apr. 29

ARIZONA at ASU, 1 p.m.

STANFORD at CALIFORNIA, 1 p.m.

OREGON STATE at Hawaii, 5 p.m.

UCLA at USC, 1 p.m.

WASHINGTON at WSU, 1 p.m.

Rotary Smith Watch List

Five Arizona State baseball players are listed on the "watch list" for the 2001 Rotary Smith National Player of the Year Award. The annual award, which was won by ASU's Mike Kelly in 1990, is given to the top college player in the nation during the College World Series in June. Last year Mitch Jones was a finalist for the award before South Carolina's Kip Bouknight was named the winner. Casey Myers, Jeff Phelps, Eric Doble, Jon Switzer and Mike Lopez are all named as players to watch in 2001 for the award.

ASU's Rotary Smith Candidates:

Brooks Conrad (Spring Valley, Calif.)
Mike Lopez (Glendale, Ariz.)
Jeff Phelps (Yuma, Ariz.)
Casey Myers (Case Grande, Ariz.)
Jon Switzer (Houston, Texas)
Eric Doble (Case Grande, Ariz.)



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Media Guides:

Media guides will be available to working press only and can be purchased by fans at home games only from the souvenir stand. Press guides will not be distributed to fans from the press box or the media relations office.

Game Notes and Statistics:

Game notes and statistics will be distributed to all working media and scouts on game days at Packard Stadium. Copies will also be made available in the press box. The statistics are for working press, scouts and coaches only. A complete statistical book containing box scores, play-by-play and game notes will also be available in the press box for working media following each home game. All information will be made available to fans and ASU supporters through the school's official athletic website, www.TheSunDevils.com.

Live Stats:

While only certain games can be accessed by radio either through the internet or in the greater Phoenix area, every home game and selected road games can be tracked through live statistical updates on www.TheSunDevils.com.



Sun Devils Had a Successful Run in the 1990's:

While ASU started the new millennium with a bang winning the Pac-10 Championship with a 44-15 record, the decade of the 1990's was one that marked great success for the ASU program. The Sun Devils compiled a 398-213 (.651) record during the decade and made three trips to Omaha for the College World Series. The 398 wins were third-best of all conference schools.

Sun Devils in Major League Baseball in 2000:

Player	MLB Team	W-L	ERA	G	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
Doug Henry	Giants/Astros	4-4	3.79	72	1	78.1	57	49	62
Sean Lowe	White Sox	4-1	5.48	50	0	70.2	78	39	53
Gabe Molina	Braves/Orioles	0-0	9.00	11	0	15.0	28	10	9

Player, Pos.	MLB Team	Avg.	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI
Mike Benjamin, 2B	Pirates	.270	233	28	63	18	2	2	19
Barry Bonds, LF	Giants	.306	480	129	147	28	4	49	106
Jacob Cruz, CF	Indians	.241	29	3	7	3	0	0	5
Paul LoDuca, C	Dodgers	.246	65	6	16	2	0	2	8
Fernando Vina, 2B	Cardinals	.300	487	81	146	24	6	4	31

ASU Well-Represented In Arizona Fall League:

Player	Team	W-L	ERA	G	SV	IP	H	BB	SO
Ryan Bradley, RHP	Maryvale	2-1	6.00	13	0	21.0	18	12	21
Ryan Mills, LHP	Grand Canyon	1-4	5.35	8	0	33.2	41	7	23

Player, Pos.	Team	Avg.	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI
Willie Bloomquist, INF	Peoria	.289	90	14	26	7	1	0	8
Mark Ernster, INF	Maryvale	.295	95	13	28	4	5	2	11
Dan McKinley, OF	Maryvale	.313	16	1	5	0	1	0	4

2002 Recruiting Class Among Nation's Best:

The 2002 recruiting class that will debut on the diamond next spring (2002) has drawn rave reviews from Baseball America as one of the top three in the nation. Mike Jones and Kris Honel are listed as two of the top 10 pitching prospects out of this year's high school class. The 2001 class that debuts on the field this year was ranked as the No. 1 class in the nation by Baseball America and the No. 3 class by Collegiate Baseball. The list of players who signed NLI's with the Sun Devils is provided below:

Player	Position	Hometown	School	Notes
Joel Bocchi	C/3B	Phoenix, Ariz.	Desert Vista HS	Good all-around player
Ryan Bonesio	LHP/1B	Carrollton, Texas	Navarro CC	Solid gap hitter
Nickolas Cadena	SS/3B	Glendale, Ariz.	Apollo HS	Led Arizona in HR in 2000
Chris Collins	INF/C	Phoenix, Ariz.	S. Mountain CC	Brother of former ASU star
Tuffy Gosewisch	INF	Scottsdale, Ariz.	Horizon HS	Brother of Chip Gosewisch
Garrett Guzman	OF	Henderson, Nevada	Green Valley HS	One of nations best hitters
Travis Hinton	1B	Tempe, Ariz.	Santa Clara Univ.	Led SC with 9 HR in 2000
Kris Honel	RHP	Bourbonnais, Ill.	Providence HS.	No. 4 prospect by Team One
John Hoyos	LHP	Los Angeles, Calif.	East LA CC	Hard Throwing LHP
Mike Jones	RHP	Phoenix, Ariz.	Thunderbird HS	No. 1 prospect by BA
Matt Leaf	RHP	Peoria, Ariz.	Sunrise Mtn. HS	No. 61 prospect by Team One
Robert McClellan	RHP	Liberal, Kansas	Seward County CC	2nd in nation in Ks per IP
Dustin Pedroia	SS	Woodland, Calif.	Woodland HS	Great defensive skills
Ryan Richardson	C	Mesa, Ariz.	Central Arizona	Scrappy, hard nosed player
Miguel Sanchez	P	Los Angeles, Calif.	Bishop Amat HS	7-1 with 2.13 ERA Jr year



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Where ASU Ranked In The Nation in 2000:

ASU had a year that will go down in the NCAA record books. The Sun Devils finished second in hitting with a .346 team batting average, trailing only Stony Brook which posted a .347 average. The team went a collective 738-for-2134. The Sun Devils, however, were the most productive team in the nation in '00, leading the NCAA in scoring, while averaging 10.97 runs per game. The Sun Devils also led the nation with 37 total triples and ASU's nearest threat was Delaware with 10.02 runs per game. Here is a list of where the team and individual players ranked in the NCAA:

Team Rankings:

Scoring	1st	10.97
Batting:	2nd	.346
Fielding:	5th	.971%
Home Runs	7th	1.46 rpg
Slugging:	2nd	.561%
Triples:	1st	0.63
Won-Loss	8th	.746 (44-15)

Individual Rankings:

Batting:	Myers	30th, .412 avg.
RBI:	Myers	4th, 1.64 pg
	Jones	5th, 1.56 pg
Home Runs	Jones	1st, .458 pg
	Myers	35th, .31 pg
Triples:	Martin	17th, .12 pg
Runs:	Jones	11th, 1.34 pg
Slugging:	Jones	11th, .787 %

Varsity Squad Dominates Alumni In Annual Contest Held Jan. 20:

Led by a strong pitching performance from converted catcher Ty Johnson (Englewood, Colo.), the 2001 varsity squad defeated the Alumni 8-3 on Jan. 20 at Packard Stadium. The Alumni squad, which featured 15 players who are currently playing in the minor leagues and one former Major Leaguer (Ken Phelps) were easily handled by Johnson and lefty ace Jon Switzer (Houston, Texas). Johnson and Switzer combined to allow only three hits and one run in five innings. At the player the 2001 Devils pounded out 13 hits and were led by catcher Casey Myers who finished the day 2-for-4 with two RBI. Third baseman Mike Lopez and reserve infielder Lucas Weber (Tucson, Ariz.) also recorded two hits apiece in the winning effort. Both teams used wood bats in the game. For the Alumni, Montreal Expos product Dan McKinley was the only player to record more than one hit. Willie Bloomquist (1997-99), Mitch Jones (1999-2000) and Andrew Beinbrink (1996-99) were just a few of the past Sun Devil greats who played in the game.

Reviewing the 2000 Pac-10 Championship Season:

ASU won its sixth Pac-10 title (all since 1981) and first since 1993, after being picked sixth in the preseason poll... ASU hit the 40-win plateau for the fourth time since 1993... The 17 league wins were a five-game improvement from 1999 and it was the fifth time since 1990 with 17 or more wins in Pac-10 play... ASU was 2nd in the nation in batting, 5th in fielding percentage, and 1st in scoring in 2000... ASU led the Conference in batting average (.346), runs per game (11.0), slugging percentage (.561), on base percentage (.454), RBI (588), triples (37), walks (336), and stolen bases (92)... Sr. OF Mitch Jones broke Bob Horner's (1978) 22-year-old school record for home runs when he hit No. 26 vs. Arizona May 21. Jones finished with 27, becoming just the ninth player in Pac-10 history to hit at least 27 in a season, and seventh to do so since 1990... ASU had an extra-base hit in all but two games in 2000... ASU batters were hit by a pitch 115 times in 2000, breaking the Pac-10 record (101, UW, 1998). The mark ranks in the top-four all-time in the NCAA record books (125, Nevada in 1997)... Pac-10 Player of the Year Casey Myers finished '00 with 97 RBI, second-best in Pac-10 history, and 206 for his career, fifth-best. Myers led the Sun Devils with 98 hits, 19 doubles, 97 RBI, and a .502 on-base percentage. Myers led the Pac-10 in RBI and on-base percentage. He also ranked among the Conference leaders in hits (3rd), slugging percentage (.718, t3rd), total bases (171, 7th), runs scored (71, 9th), home runs (18, t8th), and doubles (19, t9th). Myers batted .412 for the season, second in the Pac-10 tied for 22nd-best average in single season Pac-10 history... Myers and Jones (92) ranked first and second in the Conference in RBI; third and fifth in the nation... The Sun Devils scored 10 or more runs in 31 games last season, and 20 runs nine times.

Sun Devil Baseball on the Tube:

Heading into the season, the Sun Devils are tentatively scheduled to play 11 televised games in 2001 on Cox Communications Channel 9. ASU is also guaranteed at least one game to be televised by Fox Sports Net as part of the Pac-10's agreement. With longtime ASU broadcaster George Allen and former Arizona State Assistant Sports Information Director Doug Gerlach calling the play-by-play, schedule highlights for TV games include the entire series vs. LSU (March 2-4). ASU and Arizona will play the Pac-10 Game of the Week on Fox Sports Net April 28. The tentative Cox schedule for ASU baseball is as follows:

Date	Opponent	Date	Opponent
Feb. 9	Duke	Apr. 12	Washington State
Feb. 10	Duke	Apr. 28	Arizona (Fox Net)
Mar. 2	LSU	Apr. 29	Arizona
Mar. 3	LSU	May 19	UCLA
Mar. 4	LSU	May 20	UCLA
Mar. 30	Stanford		

Summer Ball:

The following is a list of where ASU players spent their summers in the many collegiate summer leagues around the nation and where some are going to play in the 2001 summer. Doble, Phelps and Conrad helped lead the Alaska Goldpanners all the way to the NBC World Series in Wichita, Kansas:

2000 Summer:

Conrad	Alaska Goldpanners
Phelps	Alaska Goldpanners
Doble	Alaska Goldpanners
Myers	Team USA National
Switzer	Team USA National
Edginton	Mankato Mashers
Friedberg	Wisconsin Woodchucks
Kartler	Seattle Studs (PIL)
Stocker	Athletes in Action
Klusman	Athletes in Action

2001 Summer:

Alaskan League:

Keefner	Alaska Goldpanners
Jackson	Alaska Goldpanners
Liebeck	Alaska Goldpanners

Northwoods League:

Walsh	Alexandria
Kartler	Alexandria

Cape Cod League:

Schroyer	Falmouth
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Jayhawk League (Kansas):

West	Liberal
Garrabrants	Liberal
Esposito	Liberal

Central Illinois Collegiate League:

Sopko	Twin City
Allen	Twin City

Great Lakes League:

Weber	Summit City
Silvestri	Summit City



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#	Name	Pos.	B-T	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cl./Exp.	Hometown (High School/Last School)
3	Duffy, Chris	CF	L/L	5-10	177	Jr./TR	Glendale, Ariz. (Mtn. Ridge/S. Mountain CC)
4	Lopez, Mike	3B	R/R	5-10	200	Sr./1V*	Phoenix, Ariz. (Maryvale HS/Yavapai JC)
5	Wyrick, Dennis	SS	R/R	6-1	219	So./1V	Azusa, Calif. (Bishop Amat)
6	Stocker, Mel	OF	S/R	5-9	158	Jr./1V	Tucson, Ariz. (Cholla/Pima CC)
7	Martin, Jonah	OF	R/R	5-9	176	Sr./1V	Waianae, Hi. (Kamehameha/L.A. City JC)
8	West, Jeremy	1B/DH	R/R	5-11	189	Fr./HS	Las Vegas, Nev. (Silverado)
10	Allen, Rod	OF/DH	R/R	6-1	199	Fr./HS	Phoenix, Ariz. (Desert Vista)
11	Johnson, Ty	RHP/C	L/R	5-10	179	Sr./3V*	Englewood, Colo. (Cherry Creek)
12	Schroyer, Ryan	RHP	R/R	6-1	216	Fr./HS	Oracle, Ariz. (Canyon del Oro)
13	Jackson, J.J.	RHP	R/R	6-1	189	Fr./HS	Chandler, Ariz. (Chandler)
15	Conrad, Brooks	2B/SS	S/R	5-11	185	Jr./2V	Spring Valley, Calif. (Monte Vista)
17	McKenna, Ryan	OF	L/R	5-10	164	Fr./HS	Elgin, Ill. (Larkin)
18	Fulton, Skyler	OF	L/R	6-1	198	Fr./HS	Olympia, Wash. (Capital)
19	Garrabrants, Steve	2B/SS/LF	R/R	5-10	152	Fr./HS	Phoenix, Ariz. (Moon Valley)
20	Phelps, Jeff	INF/DH	R/R	6-0	195	Sr./3V	Yuma, Ariz. (Kofa)
21	Gutierrez, Jon	LHP	L/L	5-9	198	Jr./TR	Denver, Colo. (Arvada/Central Arizona)
22	Myers, Casey	C	R/R	5-11	215	Sr./3V	Casa Grande, Ariz. (Casa Grande)
23	Esposito, Mike	RHP	R/R	6-0	185	Fr./SQ*	Las Vegas, Nev. (Cimarron)
25	Doble, Eric	RHP	R/R	6-1	180	Sr./2V	Casa Grande, Ariz. (Case Grande/Grand Canyon)
26	Edginton, Ryan	OF	R/R	6-2	201	Fr./SQ*	Chester Springs, Pa. (Malvern Prep)
27	Kartler, Bryce	LHP	L/L	6-2	205	So./1V	Phoenix, Ariz. (Shadow Mountain)
28	Sheaffer, Jon	OF	R/R	6-1	221	Jr./TR	Mesa, Ariz. (Mnt. View/S. Mountain CC)
29	Weber, Lucas	INF	R/R	5-9	149	Fr./SQ*	Tucson, Ariz. (Palo Verde)
31	Pezely, Franco	LHP	L/L	5-11	194	Jr./1V	Taylorville, Utah (Taylorville/Dixie JC)
34	Creel, Alex	RHP	R/R	6-1	193	Fr./HS	Roseville, Calif. (Oakmont)
36	Ramirez, Angel	RHP	R/R	6-0	186	Jr./SQ*	Gadsden, Ariz. (Kofa/Arizona Western)
38	Friedberg, Drew	LHP	L/L	6-2	209	Sr./3V	Middleton, Wis. (Middleton)
39	Walsh, Nick	Utility	L/R	5-7	174	Fr./SQ*	Alamo, Calif. (De la Salle)
41	Sopko, Mark	RHP	R/R	5-10	194	Fr./HS	Joliet, Ill. (Joliet Catholic)
44	Keefner, Eric	DH/1B	R/R	6-2	235	Fr./HS	Chicago, Ill. (De la Salle)
45	Silvestri, Billy	RHP	R/R	5-11	175	Fr./HS	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Desert Mountain)
47	Liebeck, Jered	RHP	R/R	6-2	196	So./1V	Glendale, Ariz. (Mountain Ridge)
54	Torres, Andy	RHP	R/R	6-0	165	Jr./TR	Bell Gardens, Calif. (Bell Gardens/East LA CC)
55	Switzer, Jon	LHP	L/L	6-2	195	Jr./2V	Houston, Texas (Clearlake)
59	Klusman, Aaron	RHP	R/R	6-4	210	Fr./SQ*	Phoenix, Ariz. (Brophy Prep)
60	Schoenberger, Garrett	C	R/R	6-0	188	Fr./HS	Juneau, Alaska (Juneau-Douglas)
62	Castillo, Cesar	C	R/R	5-9	184	Jr./SQ*	Yuma, Ariz. (Yuma/Arizona Western)

* - has utilized redshirt year

Head Coach: 9 Pat Murphy (Florida Atlantic, '82; 625-301-4/16th Year Overall/7th at ASU)

Assistant Coaches: 2 Jay Sferra (6th year), 66 Mike Rooney (3rd year), 14 Bill Mosiello (1st year)

Baseball Operations: Billy Jones (Camps), Graham Rossini, Joe Brennan, Chris Hollick

Sports Medecine: Kenny McCarty, Mike Elliot (Student)

Media Relations: Jeff R. Evans (Baseball SID)

By Position Roster

Pitchers:

11 Ty Johnson, RHP/C
 12 Ryan Schroyer, RHP
 13 J.J. Jackson, RHP
 21 Jon Gutierrez, LHP
 23 Mike Esposito, RHP
 25 Eric Doble, RHP
 27 Bryce Kartler, LHP
 31 Franco Pezely, LHP
 34 Alex Creel, RHP
 36 Angel Ramirez, RHP
 38 Drew Friedberg, LHP
 41 Mark Sopko, RHP
 45 Billy Silvestri, RHP
 47 Jered Liebeck, RHP
 54 Andy Torres, RHP
 55 Jon Switzer, LHP
 59 Aaron Klusman, RHP

Infielders:

4 Mike Lopez, INF
 5 Dennis Wyrick, SS
 8 Jeremy West, 1B/DH
 15 Brooks Conrad, INF
 19 Steve Garrabrants, IF/OF
 20 Jeff Phelps, INF/DH
 29 Lucas Weber, INF
 39 Nick Walsh, Utility
 44 Eric Keefner, 1B/DH

Catchers:

22 Casey Myers, C
 60 Garrett Schoenberger, C
 62 Cesar Castillo, C

Outfielders:

3 Chris Duffy, OF
 6 Mel Stocker, OF
 7 Jonah Martin, DH/OF
 10 Rod Allen, OF/DH
 17 Ryan McKenna, OF
 18 Skyler Fulton, OF
 26 Ryan Edginton, OF
 28 Jon Sheaffer, OF

Coaches:

2 Jay Sferra, Coach
 9 Pat Murphy, Head Coach
 14 Bill Mosiello, Coach
 66 Mike Rooney, coach



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2001 Arizona State Baseball Game-by-Game Results

(28-14-1 Overall, 7-8 Pac-10, 21-7-1 Home, 7-7 Away)

Date	Opponent	W-L	Score	Att.	ASU Pitcher	Opp. Pitcher	Record	Notes
1/26	Texas-Arlington	L	5-3	1,901	Doble (0-1)	Faught (1-0)	0-1	ASU drops first season opener since '93
1/27	Texas-Arlington		<i>Game Rained Out</i>					
1/28	Texas-Arlington		<i>Game Rained Out</i>					
2/1	Southern Utah	W	18-8	1,711	Torres (1-0)	Kittrell (0-1)	1-1	18 runs on 18 hits. West 3x4, 3 RBI.
2/2	Southern Utah	W	10-2	1,873	Switzer (1-0)	White (0-1)	2-1	Switzer 13 K's in Five Innings.
2/3	Southern Utah	W	11-2	2,713	Schroyer (1-0)	Stoker (0-1)	3-1	Lopez 2 doubles, 4 RBI. Schroyer 9 K's.
2/4	Southern Utah	W	6-5	2,697	Torres (2-0)	Matthews (0-1)	4-1	Myers single in ninth scores winning run.
2/9	Duke	W	8-1	2,272	Switzer (2-0)	Caradonna (0-2)	5-1	Switzer 11 K's. Myers 2x5 with 3 RBI.
2/10	Duke (1)	W	12-5	----	Torres (3-0)	Thompson (0-1)	6-1	Conrad 2x4, 3-Run HR, 5 RBI.
2/10	Duke (2)	W	9-0	4,479	Schroyer (2-0)	Burke (1-1)	7-1	Phelps 3x4, 4 RBI. Allen two doubles.
2/11	Duke	W	11-3	2,656	Pezely (1-0)	Hannaway (0-1)	8-1	Myers 3x4 with 3-Run HR and 4 RBI.
2/13	New Mexico State	W	16-2	465	Torres (4-0)	Hale (1-1)	9-1	Myers 2-run HR, 4 RBI. Garrabrants 3x3.
2/16	Creighton	W	23-1	2,813	Switzer (3-0)	Koch (0-1)	10-1	Season High 21 hits. Myers 3x3. 11-run 7th.
2/17	Creighton	W	15-2	3,329	Liebeck (1-0)	Gooris (0-1)	11-1	10th straight win. Myers 3-for-5 with 2 RBI.
2/17	St. Mary's	L	6-4	746	Schroyer (2-1)	Byer (1-1)	11-2	10-Game Win Streak Snapped. Wyrick 2x4.
2/18	Creighton	W	14-4	2,894	Torres (5-0)	Slining (0-1)	12-2	Lopez 4x5, 3 doubles and six RBI.
2/23	@ #18 CS Fullerton	W	5-3	843	Friedberg (1-0)	Cordero (1-2)	13-2	Walsh 2-run single in 7th gives ASU win.
2/24	@ #18 CS Fullerton		<i>Game Rained Out</i>					
2/25	@ #18 CS Fullerton		<i>Game Rained Out</i>					
3/2	#2 LSU	L	11-12	6,043	Corcoran (3-0)	Doble (0-2)	13-3	Ninth Inning Rally Falls Short. Martin 2x4.
3/3	#2 LSU	L	7-15	6,457	Youman (3-0)	Torres (5-1)	13-4	Moore (LSU) 5x5, 3 2B, 2 HR, 7 RBI
3/4	#2 LSU	T	5-5	5,965	None	None	13-4-1	First Tie In ASU School History.
3/6	Oral Roberts	W	17-3	768	Torres (6-1)	Recio (1-1)	14-4-1	Myers 4x5, HR, 2 RBI. ASU 21 hits.
3/7	Oral Roberts		<i>Game Rained Out</i>					
3/9	South Florida	W	16-5	2,267	Friedberg (2-0)	Gorham (2-2)	15-4-1	West 4x5, HR, 3B, 2 RBI.
3/10	South Florida	W	10-3	1,697	Esposito (1-0)	Vigue (1-2)	16-4-1	Allen 3x4, 2B, HR. West 2x3, 2B, 3B.
3/11	South Florida	W	12-4	1,632	Torres (7-1)	Royal (1-2)	17-4-1	Myers 2x3, 4 RBI. 1,000th game at Packard
3/16	@ California*	W	7-4	329	Friedberg (3-0)	Hutchinson (2-4)	18-4-1	Bullpen combines for 5.0 no-hit innings.
3/17	@ California*	W	4-2	523	Pezely (2-0)	Brown (1-3)	19-4-1	3-Run 9th Give ASU Win. Walsh Winning Hit
3/18	@ California*	L	5-17	704	Cash (6-1)	Torres (7-2)	19-5-1	Allen and Duffy Extend Hitting Streaks.
3/24	@ Oregon State*	W	10-2	596	Switzer (4-0)	Johnson (3-3)	20-5-1	Phelps 3x3, Switzer CG, 10 K's.
3/25	@ Oregon State*	L	1-4	419	Nicholson (5-1)	Esposito (1-1)	10-6-1	Season-low 6 hits. Nicholson CG, 4 K's
3/26	@ Oregon State*	L	2-12	377	Hays (4-2)	Torres (7-3)	20-7-1	Beavers explode for 16 hits to hand ASU loss.
3/30	#1 Stanford*	L	2-6	3,871	Guthrie (7-0)	Esposito (1-2)	20-8-1	No. 6 Devils Fall to No. 1 Cardina. Wyrick 2x4
3/31	#1 Stanford*	L	2-5	2,869	Bruksch (6-0)	Switzer (4-1)	20-9-1	Ninth inning rally preserves scoring streak to 347
4/1	#1 Stanford*	W	6-5	3,284	Torres (8-3)	Hudgins (1-4)	21-9-1	Myers 3x4, 3 RBI, 5th home run of 2001
4/6	@ #12 USC*	L	2-11	945	Prior (9-1)	Schroyer (2-2)	21-10-1	Prior goes eight strong in 11-2 win over ASU.
4/7	@ #12 USC*	L	1-5	526	Currier (6-1)	Switzer (4-2)	21-11-1	ASU loses for seventh time in last 10 games.
4/8	@ #12 USC*	W	11-1	1,248	Esposito (2-2)	Reyes (1-2)	22-11-1	Myers 3x4. Lopez 2x5, 2 2B, 3 RBI.
4/9	@ #14 CS Fullerton	L	6-13	741	Littleton (2-0)	Liebeck (1-1)	22-12-1	Lopez 3x3, HR. Klusman 5 K's 0 H in 2.1 IP.
4/12	Washington State*	L	1-2	2,611	Davis (3-4)	Friedberg (3-1)	22-13-1	Switzer, 13 K's, 6 H, 1 R in 8.0 IP. Myers 3x3.
4/13	Washington State*	W	4-3	2,581	Torres (9-3)	Kenyon (0-3)	23-13-1	Walsh Game Winning Home Run in 7th Inning
4/14	Washington State*	W	14-4	2,462	Klusman (1-0)	Svendsen (2-1)	24-13-1	West 4x5, 4 RBI. Klusman 10 K's out of bullpen
4/17	@ New Mexico State	L	16-19	678	Hale (4-2)	Switzer (4-3)	24-14-1	Allen 4x5, 5 RBI, Grand Slam in loss.
4/18	@ Oklahoma	W	5-3 (11)	3,489	Torres (10-3)	Sorensen (1-3)	25-14-1	Wyrick GW 2-Run Single in 11th.
4/18	@ #25 Oral Roberts	W	5-2 (11)	1,237	Torres (11-3)	Davis (4-2)	26-14-1	West GW 2-Run Triple in 11th. Torres' 11th win
4/23	Gonzaga	W	7-6	2,162	Friedberg (4-1)	Clelland (1-2)	27-14-1	7 Runs in first two innings lead ASU to win.
4/24	Gonzaga	W	9-1	1,674	Doble (1-2)	Stencil (2-3)	28-14-1	Doble 5 IP, career high 9 K's. Lopez 3x3.
4/27	Arizona*		7:00 p.m.					
4/28	Arizona*		1:00 p.m.					
4/29	Arizona*		1:00 p.m.					
5/1	@ Tennessee		7:00 p.m.					
5/2	@ Tennessee		7:00 p.m.					
5/12	@ Washington*		1:00 p.m.					
5/13	@ Washington*		1:00 p.m.					
5/14	@ Washington*		2:00 p.m.					
5/16	@ Nevada		2:00 p.m.					
5/18	UCLA*		7:00 p.m.					
5/19	UCLA*		7:00 p.m.					
5/20	UCLA*		1:00 p.m.					



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2001 Arizona State Sun Devil Baseball Overall Statistics

Record: 28-14-1 Home: 21-7-1 Away: 7-7 Pac-10: 7-8

Player	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
10 Rod Allen.....	.429	36-27	119	30	51	11	1	4	35	76	.639	5	6	10	3	.466	3	0	3-8	22	5	2	.931
22 Casey Myers.....	.421	43-43	171	42	72	13	0	6	54	103	.602	24	5	15	5	.490	6	1	2-3	390	22	6	.986
3 Chris Duffy.....	.358	34-33	134	27	48	4	1	1	18	57	.425	17	5	24	1	.446	1	3	12-15	59	4	2	.969
5 Dennis Wyrick....	.356	37-31	118	19	42	7	0	0	20	49	.415	12	2	19	0	.424	0	1	2-3	49	79	13	.908
4 Mike Lopez.....	.346	41-39	130	37	45	17	0	2	39	68	.523	25	8	17	3	.470	3	3	5-7	21	59	8	.909
8 Jeremy West.....	.341	41-32	126	34	43	8	4	6	33	77	.611	19	0	19	5	.419	3	0	2-3	202	27	3	.987
62 Cesar Castillo...	.333	14-0	6	1	2	0	0	0	4	2	.333	1	0	0	0	.429	0	0	0-0	28	5	1	.971
19 Steve Garrabrants	.323	38-32	130	29	42	5	5	0	22	57	.438	15	2	24	1	.396	2	1	16-24	36	49	5	.944
20 Jeff Phelps.....	.321	36-33	134	18	43	15	1	1	21	63	.470	7	4	23	3	.370	1	1	2-3	127	23	3	.980
7 Jonah Martin.....	.315	36-30	92	33	29	4	1	0	17	35	.380	21	11	23	2	.488	1	7	10-12	27	1	2	.933
15 Brooks Conrad....	.285	43-42	158	35	45	12	3	1	31	66	.418	25	10	25	5	.406	4	3	13-16	70	93	12	.931
39 Nick Walsh.....	.275	29-6	40	10	11	0	0	1	10	14	.350	12	3	4	0	.473	0	1	0-1	6	1	1	.875
28 Jon Sheaffer.....	.261	27-3	23	8	6	0	0	0	3	6	.261	5	1	10	0	.400	1	0	2-2	11	0	0	1.000
6 Mel Stocker.....	.252	39-33	103	30	26	3	1	0	15	31	.301	21	11	13	0	.426	1	3	18-20	58	0	0	1.000
44 Eric Keefner.....	.235	14-0	17	1	4	2	0	0	2	6	.353	1	0	7	0	.278	0	0	0-0	3	0	0	1.000
17 Ryan McKenna.....	.217	20-3	23	7	5	0	0	0	3	5	.217	8	1	4	0	.438	0	0	1-2	9	0	0	1.000

29 Lucas Weber.....	1.000	10-0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1.000	1	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	4	3	1	.875
11 Ty Johnson.....	.500	1-0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.500	0	0	1	0	.500	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
26 Ryan Edginton....	.000	3-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Totals.....	.337	43-43	1529	363	516	101	17	22	328	717	.469	219	69	239	28	.436	26	24	88-119	1147	455	63	.962
Opponents.....	.262	43-43	1472	223	385	56	9	29	206	546	.371	166	44	412	24	.352	9	20	58-81	1106	490	75	.955

LOB - Team (401), Opp (341). DPs turned - Team (34), Opp (41). CI - Team (0), Opp (3).

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO/CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	AB	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
38 Drew Friedberg...	2.37	4-1	17	0	0	0/0	1	38.0	29	12	10	8	40	4	0	1	143	.203	2	3	3	1	3
59 Aaron Klusman....	2.92	1-0	17	0	0	0/0	0	24.2	17	9	8	15	41	1	0	1	90	.189	2	1	0	0	1
54 Andy Torres.....	3.93	11-3	19	9	0	0/0	1	68.2	72	36	30	21	59	13	1	8	268	.269	0	6	1	1	1
55 Jon Switzer.....	4.33	4-3	14	14	1	0/0	0	79.0	74	43	38	32	100	11	3	4	296	.250	8	9	1	1	5
47 Jered Liebeck....	4.40	1-1	7	3	0	0/0	0	14.1	20	8	7	4	10	3	0	3	60	.333	1	2	0	1	0
23 Mike Esposito....	4.46	2-2	11	8	0	0/0	0	42.1	41	22	21	17	39	2	1	4	159	.258	3	6	0	2	4
25 Eric Doble.....	5.79	1-2	12	1	0	0/1	1	18.2	23	12	12	7	25	4	0	1	79	.291	2	1	0	0	0
36 Angel Ramirez....	6.00	0-0	5	0	0	0/0	0	6.0	6	4	4	4	5	0	0	0	22	.273	1	0	0	1	0
27 Bryce Kartler....	6.29	0-0	16	0	0	0/0	3	24.1	29	20	17	11	22	3	2	1	91	.319	2	3	5	1	4
11 Ty Johnson.....	6.30	0-0	7	1	0	0/0	0	10.0	12	7	7	7	10	1	0	2	39	.308	0	4	1	0	0
12 Ryan Schroyer....	6.59	2-2	12	7	0	0/1	0	27.1	26	20	20	21	29	7	2	1	103	.252	1	4	0	1	2
31 Franco Pezely....	7.23	2-0	15	0	0	0/0	0	18.2	25	18	15	8	19	5	0	2	78	.321	1	4	0	0	0
13 J.J. Jackson.....	8.68	0-0	9	0	0	0/0	0	9.1	10	11	9	9	13	1	0	1	40	.250	3	1	0	0	0
21 Jon Gutierrez....	9.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	1	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	4	.250	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	4.68	28-14	43	43	1	1/1	6	382.1	385	223	199	166	412	56	9	29	1472	.262	26	44	11	9	20
Opponents.....	7.57	14-28	43	43	1	0/0	7	368.2	516	363	310	219	239	101	17	22	1529	.337	38	69	13	26	24

PB - Team (2), Myers 2, Opp (8). Pickoffs - Team (12), Torres 4, Esposito 2, Kartler 2, Schroyer 2, Pezely 1, Switzer 1, Opp (4).

