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WSU QUICK FACTS

Name Washington State University City/State..... Pullman Wash. Founded...... 1890 (Land Grant) Enrollment23,300 School Colors Crimson and Gray Home Field.....Bailey-Brayton Field Capacity...... 3,500 Surface.....Field Turf Dimensions L/330, C/400, R/375 AffiliationNCAA Div. I Conference......Pacific-10 PresidentV. Lane Rawlins Alma Mater Brigham Young ('63) Athletics DirectorJim Sterk Alma Mater Western Washington ('79) Ticket Office(800)GO-COUGS

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WSU COACHING INFORMATION

WSU TEAM INFORMATION

2006 Overall Record	36-23
2006 Conference Recor	d10-14
2006 Conference Finish	Eighth (Pac-10)
Lettermen Returning/Lo	ost25/8
Position Starters Return	ing/Lost 7/2
Pitching Starters Return	ing/Lost 3/1
Newcomers	14
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ALL-TIME NCAA DIVISION I VICTORIES

Name, School		Yrs	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct
	1. Augie Garrido, Texas*	38	1,583	738	8	.681
	2. Gene Stephenson, Wichita St.*	29	1,552	511	3	.752
	3. Larry Hays, Texas Tech*	36	1,455	803	3	.644
	4. Chuck Hartman, Virginia Tech	47	1,444	816	8	.638
	5. Mike Martin, Florida State*	27	1,435	493	4	.744
	6. Cliff Gustafson, Texas	29	1,427	373	2	.792
	7. Rod Deadeux, USC	44	1,342	597	16	.691
	8. Larry Cochell, Oklahoma	39	1,331	813	3	.621
	9. Ron Polk, Mississippi State*	33	1,312	647	2	.670
	10. Bob Bennett, Fresno State	34	1,300	757	8	.631
	21. Bobo Brayton, WSU	33	1,162	523	8	.689
	* - Active coach					

(Brayton also ranks 42nd with a .689 career winning percentage and ranked fourth on the all-time victory list at the time of his retirement in 1994)





3,153 Cougar fans watch WSU host USC, April 17, 2004.

"BUCK" BAILEY, 1927-1961



A WSU sports institution for 35 years, Arthur "Buck" Bailey came to the Washington State University as assistant football coach and became a legend as its colorful - and winning - head baseball coach. He played football and baseball at Texas A & M and Bethany College in West Virginia and was captain of the West team in the first East-West Shrine

football game in 1925. At WSU, Bailey's baseball teams won 11 Northern Division pennants and were second 10 times. The 1950 team was runner-up for the NCAA title and Bailey's Cougars were seventh nationally in 1956. He was player-coach of "Bailey's Angels," barnstorming basketball team made up of WSU sports greats which toured the Northwest and entertained thousands. Bailey, who retired after the 1961 season as WSU's winningest coach in any sport, died in 1964.

"BOBO" BRAYTON, 1962-94



Fredrick Charles "Bobo" Brayton was one of the winningest collegiate baseball coaches in NCAA history and one of the most innovative and imaginative leaders in the college game. A three-sport letterman at WSU and the Cougar's first baseball All-American (at shortstop in 1947), Brayton played on two championship baseball teams at

WSU for his mentor and predecessor "Buck" Bailey. Beginning in 1965, he coached the Cougars to an unprecedented 13 straight Northern Division pennants. Brayton retired after the 1994 season as the winningest coach in WSU history and the fourth winningest NCAA Div. I baseball coach. His final record was 1,162-523-8 (68.9%). WSU's baseball complex, Bailey-Brayton Stadium, was named after Brayton and his mentor Buck Bailey. In 2003 his baseball uniform number, 14, was retired in ceremonies at Bailey-Brayton Stadium.



BAILEY-BRAYTON FIELD

NAME: Bailey-Brayton Field

CAPACITY: 3,500

DIMENSIONS:

Left: 330; Left Center 375; Center 400; Right Center: 385; Right: 335.

HISTORY:

- Bailey-Brayton Field is named after the legendary Cougar baseball coaches Arthur "Buck" Bailey and Bobo Brayton. Bailey won 603 games in a career which spanned 1927-42 and 1946-61; the four-year gap came when Bailey served in the military; he posted a 603-325-5 (64.9) career record at WSU, the winningest coach in the school's history at the time of his retirement;
- 1980—Bailey Field relocated to its present site southeast of the Beasley Performing Arts Coliseum; the field was moved when Martin (football) Stadium was renovated and Mooberry Track was moved from inside the stadium to the site then occupied by the baseball field;
- 1981—Electronic scoreboard added to Bailey Field;
- 1984—(May 11) A \$250,000 lighting project was completed, making Bailey Field the only on-campus, NCAA college-owned facility north of Santa Clara, California and west of Tulsa, Oklahoma, to have lights; WSU scored three runs in the bottom of the ninth to defeat crossstate rival Washington 3-2 in the first night game;
- 1988—Work was completed on the entrance to Bailey Field, including the "Walk of Fame," a historical look at WSU's great baseball teams, coaches and players.
- 1989—(May 8) First nationally televised game from Bailey Field; WSU vs. California, telecast live by ESPN. (back cover photo)
- 2000—(January 22) Field is rededicated with the name Bailey-Brayton Field.
- 2004—(February) The installation of FieldTurf at Bailey-Brayton Field was completed. All areas except the pitcher's mound and the home plate are covered by the state of the art turf, giving WSU the only NCAA Div. I field using FieldTurf.
- 2006—(Summer) The Indoor Pitching and Hitting facility adjacent to Bailey-Brayton Field was completed. Located off the right field line at Bailey-Brayton field, the 5,500 square-foot facility includes three hitting tunnels, three pitching mounds and a meeting/video room with state-of-the-art equipment.

January 22, 2000 the Cougar baseball complex was renamed from Bailey Field to Bailey-Brayton Field as part of a "Celebration of the Ages." The renaming of the field highlighted a weekend honoring Brayton and the lasting impression he made on Cougar baseball and Washington State University. Brayton, who maintained a 1,162-523-8 record in 33 years as WSU's head coach, also earned eight varsity letters for the Cougars in football, basketball and baseball. Cougars young and old, including several of the players Brayton tutored into the Major Leagues, came back to Pullman to honor Brayton's storied playing and coaching career.

WSU ATTENDANCE AT BAILEY-BRATYON FIELD

(All Games with an attendance 1,000 or more since 1989)

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	W/L	ATTENDANCE	MISC
4/21/90	Washington	10-3	W	4,666**	Doubleheader
4/17/99	Arizona	11-16	L	3,424	
4/30/89	California	3-6	L	3,235	ESPN TV
4/17/04	USC	7-10	L	3,153	
4/18/98	Washington	10-9	W	2,949	Doubleheader
3/31/90	LCSC	8-2	W	2,939	
4/17/93	Portland	4-11	L	2,830	Doubleheader
4/20/91	Washington	11-6	W	2,494	Doubleheader
4/12/97	Washington	4-9	L	2,283	Doubleheader
4/11/92	Washington	10-14	L	2,242	Doubleheader
4/9/05	Arizona	4-7	L	2,142	
4/8/90	Oregon State	11-4	W	2,042	Doubleheader
4/11/90	Eastern Washington	14-6	W	1,727	Night
4/7/90	Portland State	4-3	W	1,627	Doubleheader
4/12/90	Central Washington	18-5	W	1,507	Night
3/30/06	Arizona State	6-1	W	1,500	Night
4/28/06	USC	2-9	L	1,408	Night
3/28/92	Portland State	2-5	I	1,320	Doubleheader
3/31/06	Arizona State	3-8	L	1,273	
4/7/91	Gonzaga	6-9	L	1,269	
4/21/91	Portland State	11-7	W	1,266	
4/22/90	Portland	7-14	L	1,243	Doubleheader
4/16/91	LCSC	4-6	L	1,223	Night
4/23/94	Portland State	10-14	L	1,143	Doubleheader
4/27/91	Portland	7-12	L	1,131	
4/30/05	Washington	5-13	L	1,129	
4/30/99	Washington	6-9	L	1,115	
4/1/2000	Gonzaga	15-4	W	1,115	
4/25/92	Oregon State	7-6	W	1,072	Doubleheader
5/7/94	Washington	9-12	L	1,052	Doubleheader
4/29/05	Washington	5-17	L	1,034	

** - WSU Record for Bailey-Brayton Field (then known as Bailey Field)

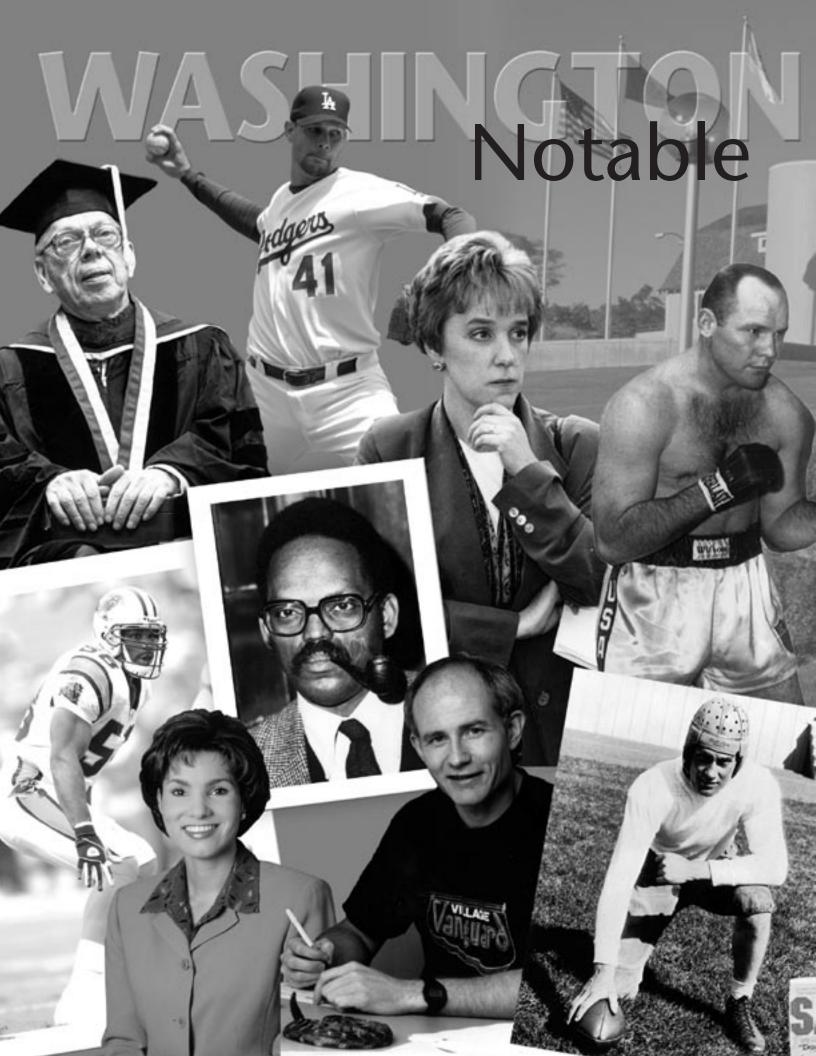


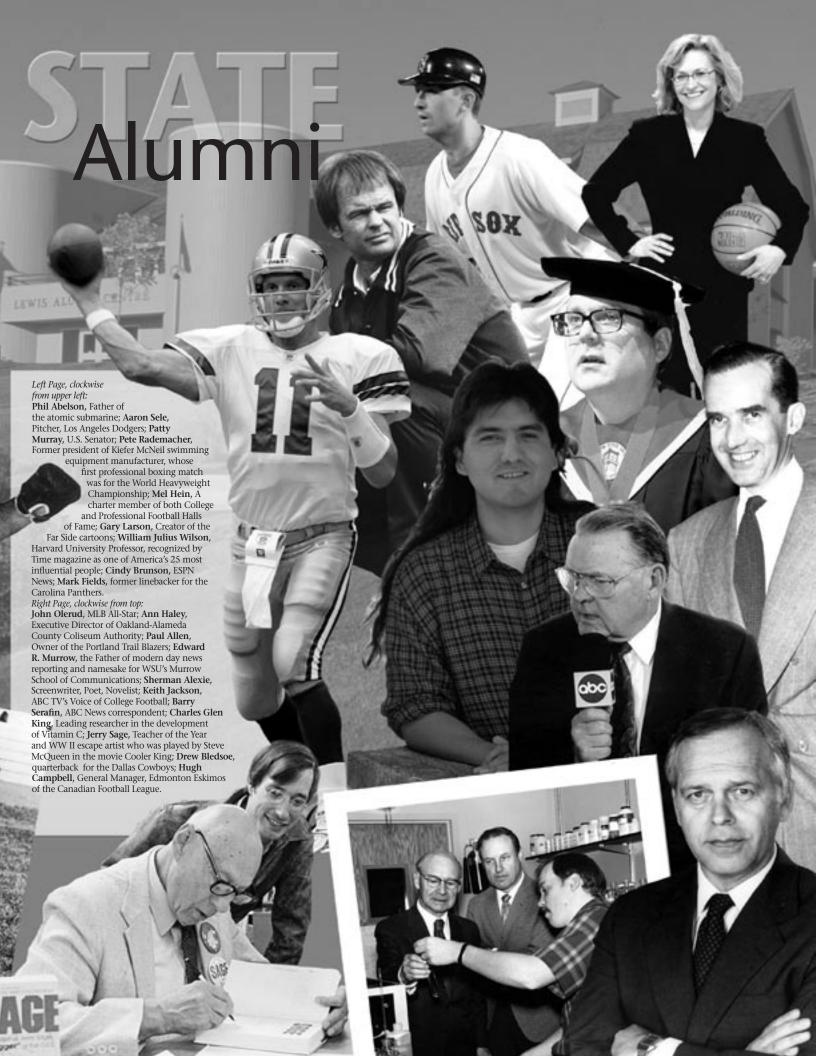
Bailey Field after lights were installed in 1984.











WASHINGTON Colleges WSU has 10 colleges and offers 150 majors and options spanning the liberal arts and sciences, as well as architecture, business education, nursing, pharmacy and agriculture, engineering, home economics, and veterinary medicine. Students from all 50 states and 103 foreign countries attend WSU. Agriculture Education **Sciences** Veterinary Medicine

STATE

Business

Nursing Education

Honors

53

Liberal Arts

ngineering

Pharmacy

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY



- Washington State University offers over 250 fields of study, many of them as majors.
- Pullman is ranked 63rd among The Sporting News' Best Sports Cities of 2004.
- U.S. News and World Report ranks
 WSU in the top 50 of the nation's best public research universities for 2004.
- The 2003 Princeton Review ranks WSU in the top 50 of America's most connected campuses.
- WSU is ranked in the nation's top tier of doctoral/ research universities by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.
- WSU's athletic facilities are ranked eighth best in the nation by campusdirt.com.

A friendly environment

The Pullman campus straddles College Hill in Pullman, a college town of 25,000 located among the rolling hills of the Palouse region of eastern Washington. The University is the largest residential university west of the Mississippi, which enhances the friendly, traditional collegiate atmosphere for which WSU is known.

WSU is located within easy traveling distance of Spokane and Coeur d' Alene to the north. Seattle and Portland are less than 300 miles to the west.

World class. Face to face.

At Washington State University you will work face to face with world-class professors. The University has ten colleges and offers over 250 fields of study spanning the liberal arts and sciences, as well as architecture, business, education, nursing, pharmacy, agriculture, engineering, and veterinary medicine.

College of Agricultural, Hu-

man, and Natural Resource Sciences

College of Business

College of Education

College of Engineering and Architecture

College of Liberal Arts

College of Nursing

College of Pharmacy

College of Sciences

College of Veterinary Medicine

Graduate School

Honors College



It's a refrain repeated by alumni time and again: WSU professors were their inspiration and their friends.

Enter the future with the confidence that comes from real preparation.

As an athlete, you know that if you've practiced hard you feel more confident for a big game. At WSU,

the education you receive, together with the programs available and great faculty, provides you with that same confidence for the biggest game of all—your future. The education gives you the skills to be critical thinkers and initiators, important skills in any endeavor you decide upon. Students can immerse themselves in a variety of learning situations, ranging from high levels of interaction with professors to hands-on research projects and community and public service activities. The newest technology, numerous leadership opportunities, and study abroad programs further enrich the WSU college experience.



WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY



Dedicated to diversity

Washington State University seeks to enrich every student's educational experience through exposure to different cultures, philosophies, and scholarly perspectives. This atmosphere of interchange and inquiry is fostered through various campus programs, diversity in the curriculum, and comfortable places around campus to meet and talk with students with different backgrounds. All students are encouraged to study abroad for a semester to experience life in another county. But you don't need to leave campus to find opportunities to learn about differences as there are numerous events, films, musicians, and speakers throughout the year that address issues of equity and diversity.

Office of the Vice President for Equity and Diversity

Given the importance of making WSU a welcoming and supportive place for everyone, the Office of the Vice President for Equity and Diversity was established in 2004. This office worked with students, faculty, and staff at all WSU locations to develop a university-wide Strategic Plan for Equity and Diversity. In accordance with this plan, goals have been established and work is underway to increase the diversity and retention rates among students and faculty, improve the campus climate for underrepresented students, infuse diversity into university leadership and management, provide increased educational/scholarship opportunities, and devise better methods of assessment and accountability for diversity progress. More information about the Office of the Vice President for Equity and Diversity and the Strategic Plan can be found by visiting www.diversity.wsu.edu/.





Equity and Diversity Partners

The following units report to the Office of the Vice President for Equity and Diversity and serve as valuable partners with all areas of the university working on these issues.

The Center for Human Rights www.chr.wsu.edu/

Gender Identity/Expression and Sexual Orientation Resource Center www.thecenter.wsu.edu/

Women's Resource Center www.women.wsu.edu/

Talmadge Anderson Heritage House www.heritagehouse.wsu.edu/

Disability Resource Center www.drc.wsu.edu/

Multicultural Student Services www.wsu.edu/multicultural/

Student-Athlete Development



Our Student-Athlete Development unit initiates support for academic and personal success during on-campus recruiting visits with prospective student-athletes, and continues providing support and services until student-athletes graduate from WSU. Our student-athlete development staff is committed to developing and implementing comprehensive and effective programs to assist student-athletes in identifying and meeting their academic and career goals leading to graduation and career development. We take a "life skills" approach when assisting student-athletes with class selection, major selection, graduation planning, career development, time management, goal setting, study skills, and learning strategies.

Our focus is the student-athlete and his personal development. We reinforce the value of maximizing the educational and career opportunities at WSU. And, most importantly, our staff emphasizes the importance of student-athletes taking personal responsibility and ownership in developing their academic and career plans. Our 92 percent graduation rate for those seniors who have exhausted their eligibility (over the past 10 years) reflects our consistent commitment to academic success while striking a balance between academics and athletics.



Thad S. Hathaway

Assistant Director Academic Support Services

Thad Hathaway enters his fourth year at Washington State University as the Cougars' assistant director for academic support services. His duties include counseling, advising, supporting,

developing and enhancing academic performance for WSU's student-athletes. He works directly with baseball and men's basketball. In addition, he oversees the academic monitoring program for all student-athletes.

A 1997 graduate of the University of Idaho, Hathaway is in his eighth year working in academic services for college athletics. He spent four years at his alma mater prior to coming to WSU. He completed his master's degree at Idaho in 2002 while serving as the Vandals' academic program advisor for athletics.

Hathaway and his wife Diane have four sons, Cody (6/27/01), Seth (10/26/06), Gabe (10/26/06) and Caleb (10/26/06), and one daughter, Alison (10/26/06).

UNIVERSITY

www.athletics.wsu.edu/arc



PACIFIC-10 ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

FIRST TEAM

2006 Steve Kost 2006 Jayson Miller 2005 Zach Kosturos 2004 **Brett Beetham** 2004 Collin Henderson 2004 Brandon Reddinger 2003 Brandon Reddinger 2002 Brandon Reddinger 2002 Collin Henderson 1999 Ray Hattenburg 1999 Todd Meldahl 1999 **Boyd Robertson** Kevin Brunstad 1993 1992 Kevin Brunstad

SECOND TEAM

1992

2006 Nick Cebula 2005 Jason Freeman Ray Hattenburg 2000 Todd Meldahl 2000 Shawn Stevenson 2000 1999 Shawn Stevenson 1993 Rob Nicholson

Tad Thompson

HONORABLE MENTION Jay Miller 2005 leff Miller Garrett Alwert 2004 2004 7ach Franklin 2004 lav Miller 2003 Garrett Alwert 2003 Bruce Jacobsen 2003 Jamin Svendsen 2002 Garrett Alwert Garrett Alwert 2001 2000 Zach Fisher 2000 Les McTavish 1999 Les McTavish

PACIFIC-10 **ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM** NORTHERN DIVISION

Greg Mitchell

Scott Randall

Boyd Robertson

David Wheeler

Ray Hattenburg

FIRST TEAM 1998 Aaron Cozzens

1998

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1997

1994

1997 Scott Randall 1997 Dave Wheeler 1996 Jered Fowler 1996 Jim Horner 1996 Greg Muehlbauer 1996 Rob Rvan 1996 Tv Solomon 1996 Wayne Vezzetti 1995 Jim Horner 1995 Justin Marquart 1995 Rob Ryan

HONORABLE MENTION

Kevin Brunstad

1998 Ray Hattenburg 1998 Les McTavish 1998 Todd Meldahl Justin Mentink 1998 Shawn Stevenson 1996 David Wheeler 1994 Rob Rvan 1994 Tv Solomon

CoSIDA **ALL-AMERICA**

FIRST TEAM

1971 Joe McIntosh Joe McIntosh 1972 1973 Joe McIntosh 1992 Tad Thompson

SECOND TEAM

Jim Chapados Jim Chapados

THIRD TEAM 1972 Steve Merkley

1984 Loren Hoppes 1985 Kurt Waananen 2004 Collin Henderson

CoSIDA **ALL-ACADEMIC DISTRICT VIII**

FIRST TEAM

2006 Steve Kost 2006 Jayson Miller Collin Henderson 2004 Brandon Reddinger 2002 Collin Henderson 1998 **Boyd Robertson**

SECOND TEAM

Zach Kosturos

- Learning Assessment
- Individual And Group Tutoring
- Assistance With Team Travel
- Writing And Math Assistance
- Graduation Planning
- · Computer Lab with internet and library access
- Priority Registration
- Summer School And Degree **Completion Financial Aid Programs**

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

- Junior and Senior Planning Meetings
- Etiquette Dinner
- Access To SIGI Website For Career **Exploration**
- Career Fairs and Workshops
- Interview Skills And Workshops
- Job Search Strategies
- Professional Development Portfolio
- Senior Folder
- Alumni Connections
- Resume Development

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

- New Student-Athlete Seminar
- Community Outreach Team CARE
- P.R.O.W.L. Resource And Referral Center
- NCAA Lifeskills Materials And Resources
- Career Resources

the Weight Room



With two floors covering

14,000 square feet and featuring
state-of-the-art equipment,
WSU's weight room is
considered one of the
top facilities in the nation.



Training & Athletic Medicine

Prevention of athletic injuries is the number one goal of WSU's staff, along with care and rehabilitation.

When injuries do occur, the Cougar athletic medicine staff provide the very best in care and use state-of-theart equipment to return the student athlete to 100 percent recovery.

Bill Drake (right) and assistant Brian Oelke (left), shown here in WSU's modern athletic medicine facility, consider the prevention of athletic injuries their number one priority.





2006-07 Athletic Training Services staff

- Ten certified athletic trainers.
- More than 30 students major in athletic training.
- Three sports medicine team physicians.

Men's Success

Cougar Men's Teams Garner National Attention



Jerome Harrison

Running back **Jerome Harrison** was named the 2005 Pontiac Pac-10 Game Changing Performance for his play against UCLA on Oct. 15 where he ran for a career-high 260 yards in the overtime thriller. For his play at the running back position, Harrison was named to the Sports Illustrated

All-America first team and the 2005 Associated Press All-America first team. Freshman linebacker **Greg Trent** was named to the 2005 The Sporting News

Freshman All-America second team, while defensive lineman **Fevaea'i Ahmu** was a third team selection. Both players were also named to The Sporting News Pacific-10 Conference All-Freshman team.



Greg Trent

Baseball's Jared Prince had an outstanding freshman



Jared Prince

campaign as he was named to Baseball America's All-Freshman team and the All-Pacific-10 Conference first team. He led the conference in hitting with a .401 average, ranking him 24th in the nation among all Division I payers. Baseball also had three Cougars selected into

the Major League Baseball Draft. Junior pitcher **Travis Webb** was selected by the Cincinnati Reds in the eighth round and senior

outfielder **Jay Miller** went to the Philadelphia Phillies in the 17th round. **Mike Wagner**, a junior pitcher out of Woodinville, Wash., went to the Texas Rangers in the 18th round.



Jay Miller



Robbie Cowgill

As a team, WSU men's basketball tied the school record for blocked shots in a season with 130 and rejected 86 opponent attempts in conference play to surpass the previous school record of 72 set during the 1985-86 season. **Robbie Cowgill** led the team with 1.32 blocks per game. **Kyle Weaver** recorded 116 rebounds and 107 assists to make him the fourth player in Washington State history to have at least 100 in each category during the same season.



Ryan Witz

Senior golfer **Ryan Witz** captured his first career win at the Duck Invitational, hosted by the University of Oregon. Witz was named a (Pacific-10 Conference honorable mention) upon season's end and was selected to compete in the NCAA West Regionals, the first Cougar to compete at the regional tournament since 2002. He finished tied for 83rd in the tournament.

John Cassleman, a junior out of Pullman, Wash., took

fifth place in the men's 400m hurdles at the 2006 NCAA Division I Track and Field Championships to earn All-American status. Cassleman's time of 49.55 seconds was just shy of his lifetime-best time of 49.53. Freshman teammate **Matt Lamb** placed third in the discus with a throw of 189-feet, 5 inches (57.74m). With his throw, Lamb became the first freshman to reach All-American status since Jan Johansson (javelin) in 1984.



John Cassleman



Men's Cross Country was honored by the United States Cross Country Coaches Association for having the 27th highest cumulative grade point average among 49 NCAA Division I men's teams. In addition, five men were named to the 2005 Pacific-10 Conference Cross Country All-Academic teams.

WSU Administration

V. LANE RAWLINS

PRESIDENT



V. Lane Rawlins is Washington State University's ninth president. A labor economist, Rawlins leads one of the nation's most productive research universities, classified with 96 of America's leading public and private universities with very high research activity by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

Under the guidance of a new strategic plan that he initiated, student enrollment and admission standards are at an all time high. Research funding has also reached new levels, and WSU has experienced a substantial increase in the enrollment of high-ability students.

With Rawlins' leadership, the university's campuses in Pullman, Vancouver, Spokane and the Tri-Cities have evolved into a University system in which WSU's regional campuses have greater flexibility to meet the needs of their communities. In the past five years, more than \$300 mil-

lion in construction has taken place including major facilities for research in shock physics and biotechnology.

Rawlins has received recognition for his research, leadership and communication. He is a member of the Governor's Global Competitiveness Council and the Technology Alliance Board of Directors. Rawlins also serves as the Pac-10 representative to the NCAA.

Rawlins' association with WSU began in 1968, when he joined the faculty of the WSU Department of Economics. He is published widely in major journals and co-authored books on labor economics and public policy. He chaired the department and later served as WSU vice provost. He then served as vice chancellor of the University of Alabama System and for nine years as president of The University of Memphis before returning to WSU.

Born in southeastern Idaho, Rawlins completed his bachelor's degree in economics at Brigham Young University in Utah and earned a doctoral degree in economics from the University of California Berkeley.

Rawlins and his wife Mary Jo have three children and 11 grandchildren.

MARCIA SANEHOLTZ

SENIOR ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS/SWA



Marcia Saneholtz has been an integral part of Cougar athletics for more than two decades, has been instrumental in the improvement of facilities since her appointment in 1982. She was the driving force in attaining the 1997 NCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Championships, 2001 Women's Basketball West Regional and 2003 Men's Basketball First and Second Rounds for Washington State to host at the Spokane Arena. The success of these events led to subsequent opportunities to host premier NCAA events.

From March 6 until July 1, 2000, Saneholtz served as the interim Athletic Director at WSU. Saneholtz was named a WSU Woman of Distinction in 2003.

Originally from Napoleon, Ohio, Saneholtz received her bachelor's degree from Bowling Green State University and taught in the Los Angeles public schools for three years. She moved north, taught in several Seattle-area school

systems as a substitute and coached in the CYO and Seattle Parks Department programs. She was active as an official and administrator in the Washington, Northwest, and national officials associations from 1973-82.

After earning her master's degree in sports administration at the University of Washington, Saneholtz was appointed the assistant women's athletic director at Washington State. Saneholtz was promoted to associate athletic director in 1982 and currently serves as a

senior associate director of athletics and is the Senior Woman Administrator at WSU. She served on the National Association of Collegiate Women's Athletic Administrators (NACWAA) Board of Directors from 1987-94, including a term as president in 1992-93. She was selected the NACWAA National Administrator of the Year in 1997.

Saneholtz has been a strong presence on several NCAA committees. She has served as the chair of the NCAA Women's Division I Volleyball Committee. Other NCAA memberships include the Committee on Athletic Certification (1993-99), chair of the Peer Selection Subcommittee (1992-99), President's Commission Liaison Committee (1992-96), the Women's Committee on Committees (1989-92) and the NCAA Committee on Women's Athletics (2001-05). She has also served on numerous Pacific-10 Conference committees including two terms as vice president (1988-89 and 1998-99).

Saneholtz and her husband, Byron, have two grown daughters, Jennifer and Amy.

JIM STERK

DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS



Washington native James M. Sterk was appointed Washington State University's director of athletics in June of 2000. In his six years, Sterk has seen unprecedented growth and success by the Cougars' 17 intercollegiate teams and 450 individuals who compete for WSU annually.

On the academic front, WSU earned 113 selections to Pacific-10 Conference All-Academic teams in 2004-05. That figure represented the most student-athletes to earn such an honor during an academic year in school history. WSU nearly reached this standard in 2005-06 with 109 selections to conference all-academic teams.

On the field, Cougar Athletics has enjoyed extraordinary achievements highlighted by three consecutive 10-win seasons by the football program from 2001-03. Most recently, 10 sports were represented either as a team or

individually in NCAA postseason competition during the 2005-06 season. Featured in this group was the rowing team's fourth place finish at the NCAA Championships, the highest finish ever by a WSU women's team in NCAA postseason competition.

Facility improvements have also been among projects Sterk has tackled. Following the 2006 football season, the initial phases of a renovation to Martin Stadium, the home of Cougar football, will commence. WSU recently completed a major baseball field renovation, becoming the first collegiate field to feature FieldTurf as a playing surface. In addition, plans are underway for an ambitious capital improvement plan that will enhance many other WSU sport facilities.

A 1980 graduate of Western Washington University, Sterk received his master's degree in sports administration from Ohio University. His professional career has included positions at North Carolina, Maine, Seattle Pacific, Tulane and Portland State, the latter as director of athletics for five years before joining the Cougar staff.

The foundation of Sterk's leadership plan is based on five areas: the student-athlete experience, resource acquisition, personnel, political dynamics, and facilities. All five areas have enjoyed growth in his first six years at Washington State University.

Sterk currently is a member of the prestigious NCAA Championship/Competition cabinet and has served on numerous Pacific-10 Conference committees during his tenure at WSU.

KEN CASAVANT

FACULTY ATHLETICS REPRESENTATIVE



Professor Ken Casavant, a member of the Washington State University family since 1967, currently serves as WSU's Faculty Athletics Representative to the Pacific-10 Conference and the National Collegiate Athletic Association. He is a past president of the Pac-10 and was recently chosen to serve on the NCAA Division I Management Council.

Casavant came to WSU as a graduate research assistant in the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics. He was named an assistant professor in 1971, an associate professor in 1975 and a full professor in 1980.

In 2004, Casavant received the honor of giving the Distinguished Faculty Address, the University's oldest award and also received the Sahlin Excellence in Public Service award for the University. In 1979, Casavant received the R.M. Wade award for outstanding teacher in

the college of agriculture at WSU, and in 1990, he earned the distinguished WSU Faculty of the Year award. Casavant was elected vice-chair (1991-92) and chair (1992-93) of the WSU Faculty Senate and has been accorded the Distinguished Teacher award by the American Agricultural Economics Association. He was named Distinguished Scholar by the Western Agricultural Economics Association in 2003 for his nationally recognized work as a transportation economist.

During his tenure at WSU, Casavant has served as associate director for the Washington State Transportation Center (1984-87) and the interim Vice-Provost for Academic Affairs and interim Vice-Provost for Research (1998).

The North Dakota native is a 1965 graduate of North Dakota State University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in agricultural economics. He received his master's degree from NDSU, followed by a Ph.D., from WSU in 1971.

Ken and his wife Dorothy have two grown daughters, Michele and Colette.

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT MISSION STATEMENT

It is the mission of the Athletic Department to create and foster an environment which provides opportunities for all student-athletes to enrich their collegiate experience through participation on athletic teams which are competitive at the conference and national level. In concert with the mission and values of Washington State University, the department is dedicated to providing opportunities, which will enhance the intellectual, physical, social, moral and cultural development of the whole person, while conducting all activities with honesty and integrity in accordance with the principles of good sportsmanship and ethical conduct. The Athletic Department values gender and ethnic diversity and is committed to providing equitable opportunities for all students and staff. The department will pursue its mission while upholding the values, purposes and policies of Washington State University, the Pacific-10 Conference, and the National Collegiate Athletic Association.



WASHINGTON STATE 2007 Season Outlook

2007 OUTLOOK

Following a 2006 season in which the Washington State University baseball team recorded its most wins in 15 years, the Cougars enter the 2007 campaign with the majority of its roster intact and the feeling last year's success was not enough.

"We were able to make a big jump in wins from the previous year, but we wanted and expected more," said second-year WSU head coach Donnie Marbut, who led the Cougars to a 36-23 record last season. That record marked a 15-win improvement over 2005 and tied the greatest single-season improvement in school history.

Highlights from the 2006 season included 10 conference wins, the most for the Cougars since the Pacific-10 Conference went to a full round-robin format. The team also snapped a 23-game skid against Stanford, won the series against the Cardinal for the first time since 1969, and earned a national ranking for the first time since the 1994 season.

The statistics surprised many, but for Marbut, the year was a glimpse into where the Cougars want to be.

"What stood out most to me about last year wasn't the wins, but that we showed we can play with the best teams in the nation," said Marbut. "Now we need to take that next step and win more of those close games. We have another year of experience under our belt and our expectations are to not just compete, but to win every series we enter."

COACHING STAFF

Marbut begins his third season at the helm of the Cougar squad and fourth overall in the WSU program. After spending the 2004 season as an assistant coach, Marbut became the 14th head coach in the program's history before the 2005 season. Prior to his arrival, Marbut spent four seasons as head coach at Edmonds Community College, where he amassed a 152-38 record and a winning percentage of 80 percent. Included in that stretch were the 2002 and 2003 Northwest Athletic Association of Community College championships, highlighted by a 43-7 record in 2003, the best mark ever achieved in the NWAACC.

In his two seasons at WSU Marbut has compiled a 57-60 record, coached two All-Americans (Jared Prince and Jay Miller), seen his team post a 2.84 grade point average, the highest ever by a Cougar baseball team, while recruiting and signing the best high school student-athletes in the state of Washington. In the last two recruiting classes, WSU signed 25 total players, 23 from the state of Washington.

"As a group it's a joy to go to practice each day with the group of coaches we have," said Marbut. "They are a very accomplished staff and with another year under our belt, everyone knows the program and knows how we want to do things. Each coach has their own personality, their own way of doing things and we have done a good job of meshing those together. The longer we can stay together the more continuity we build, and I think championship teams are built on continuity and it starts with the coaching staff."

Returning for his third season on the staff is associate head coach Travis Jewett, who handles the Cougar hitters while also serving as recruiting coordinator. A 1993 graduate of WSU, Jewett brings a wealth of experience to the program, serving three seasons as an assistant coach at both Washington (2002-04) and Gonzaga (1999-2001) prior to his Cougar appointment.

"Coach Jewett is in his third year in program as we came in here together," said Marbut. "In that time the offense has really begun to make strides and he's done a great job of recruiting the types of players and types of hitters that thrive under his scheme."

Gregg Swenson begins his second season as the Cougar pitching coach, working with a talented but very young group of hurlers. In 2006 the staff ERA was 4.87, the lowest at WSU since the 1991 season. Swenson arrived at WSU after spending the previous four years as an assistant coach at cross-state rival Washington, where he worked alongside Jewett. Swenson began his collegiate coaching career at Tacoma Community College in 1996, where he spent five seasons coaching against Marbut at Edmonds CC.

"Swenson has really taken the program to a different level in terms of having a plan and a process," said Marbut. "That position can be tough because sometimes he's on his own while Coach Jewett, Coach Dorey and I are working with the offensive. He's brought a whole new attitude to that group. I believe in a short time that pitching is going to be the strength of Washington State baseball and he has a lot to do with that."

Matt Dorey also begins his second season as the Cougars volunteer assistant coach, where his duties include working with the hitters and infielders. Dorey played one season alongside Marbut when the two were at Portland State during the 1996 season. He arrived at WSU after spending the previous two years as assistant coach at Mt. Hood Community College in Gresham, Ore. Last summer he served as head coach of the Mat-Su Miners of the Alaskan Baseball League.

"We are very fortunate to have Coach Dorey back for another year,"

said Marbut. "The volunteer position can be a rotating door and he had opportunities to go elsewhere but decided to stay because he wanted to see us play in the postseason. He's done a good job assisting Coach Jewett with the hitters. He's definitely a player's coach, which is an important part of the job."

OUTFIELD

With the graduation of All-American and career hits leader Jay Miller, the outfield will be anchored around preseason All-American Jared Prince. Prince, a sophomore co-captain who last season became the first Cougar to hit .400 (.401) since John Olerud did so in 1988, led WSU in all three triple crown categories in 2006. A third-team All-American and first-team Freshman All-American, Prince set freshman records for hits (83), RBIs (58) and batting average (.401), the latter among players with 100 or more at-bats.

"Jared is a big part of our team and in his first year proved what he can do at this level," said Marbut. "He is one of the best hitters in the Pac-10, if not the country, and will be a middle of the lineup hitter for us all season."

Seniors Ryan Krauser and Zach Borba look to round out the starting outfield. Krauser, a transfer from Lower Columbia College prior to his junior year, did not play until the conference opener at Stanford last season due to elbow surgery. Krauser added a spark to the outfield, hitting .363 for the year and established himself as a table-setter at the top of the Cougar lineup.

"Ryan came in last year and made an immediate impact at the top of our lineup," said Marbut "He has good speed in the outfield and we will count on him in the leadoff spot to set the table for the middle of the lineup."

Borba arrived on campus at the start of the season after transferring from UNLV, where he hit .324 with 25 RBI last season.

"Zack Borba is a really good defensive centerfielder," said Marbut. "He's very talented, a good defender, and is going to be a very productive player for us."

Another option for Marbut is to put junior Paul Gran in the outfield lineup. The athletic Gran, who is scheduled to be WSU's starting shortstop, could easily find time in centerfield where his speed and strong arm could bolster the defensive.

Other returning outfielders who will look for playing time include juniors Simi Reynolds and Scott Suttmeier, sophomore Kyle Hinrichs and freshman Matt Fanelli. Reynolds hit .333 in 33 games in 2006 and gives Marbut another left-handed hitting option with a lot of speed. Suttmeier is the ultimate utility player who adds a defensive presence and can play both outfield and infield positions. Hinrichs saw limited duty last year but has the ability to play multiple positions while Fanelli is another versatile player who will look to find playing time his first season.

"Scott Suttmeier has been a very valuable player for us the last couple of years, playing a number of different positions, though we see him mainly playing the outfield this season" Marbut said. "Simi Reynolds had a good fall and he gives us speed and a little pop from left side. Kyle Hinrichs is a quality player who has chance to be productive and make some noise before his career is over.

"Matt Fanelli had a great fall," Marbut continued/ "We see big things from Matt in the future. He's big, strong, fast, and had a great fall for us. Down the road he is going to be a really good player."

INFIELD

The infield is a veteran-laden unit with the ability to post huge numbers, and might be considered the team's strength. The unit will center on junior first baseman Jim Murphy, who started 58 of 59 games in 2006. Murphy, an All-Pac-10 honorable mention pick last season, hit .333 with eight home runs and 46 RBIs. Last summer he was named MVP of the New England Collegiate Baseball League as he led the league in hitting, slugging, RBIs and on-base percentage. Murphy is also set to move into the top spot on the career putouts list at WSU in less than three seasons, a testament to the defensive prowess of the Cougar infield.

"Jimmy has been a middle of order hitter for last two years," Marbut said. "What he did last year and over the summer shows he's one of the better hitters in the conference, as well as the country. He has tremendous power and obviously we count on him to drive in runs. Defensively, he is one of the better first basemen in the league."

Backing up Murphy at first will be the freshman Fanelli, and junior Bryan Yates, who played in only games last season.

"Bryan is a solid defender either at first or third," said Marbut. "He is a great Coug, a great team guy. His attributes don't always show up in the stat book but they are valuable to the success of our program."

Co-captain Jeff Miller returns at third base for his senior campaign. Miller, an All-Pac-10 honorable mention pick the last two seasons, batted .285 last season, finishing third on the team in home runs (7) and second in stolen bases (14)

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"I see Jeff having another strong year for us," said Marbut of his co-captain. "He is starting to come into his own as a player. He is a solid offensive player, can steal some sacks, and plays a good game of catch. He is very typical of the players we are trying to recruit: a tough, smart and heady type of player."

Freshman Michael Weber will back up Miller at third. Weber was an All-Metro League shortstop last season at O'Dea High School in Seattle.

"Michael is a tough player with a nice, left-handed swing," said Marbut. "With a little playing time he has a chance to be a special player in a year or two."

At shortstop Paul Gran returns for his junior campaign after hitting. 299 with 17 doubles and 13 stolen bases last year. One of the more talented players on the squad, Gran has all the tools and is versatile enough to play more than one position.

"Paul is very flexible for us as a guy who can play a lot of positions," said Marbut. "I thought Paul had a solid year last year and expect even better things this season. He has all the tools and if he continues to take his game to next level as I think he will, he can be one of the elite players in this league."

A pair of freshmen, Cody Bartlett and John Ashenbrenner, will look for playing time behind Gran. Bartlett was a first-team, All-State shortstop last season out of Kentwood High School in Kent, Wash., while Ashenbrenner is a versatile athlete who earned second-team, All-State honors last season while playing at Lake Washington High School in Kirkland, Wash.

"Cody and Josh are very talented players but very different. Both are very accomplished high school players, Cody had the better fall while Josh had an edge during winter. Both have proven they deserve the opportunity to play shortstop at this level and will push for playing time."

At second base the Cougars return sophomore Travis Coulter, a Freshman All-American last season who batted .345 and led WSU in runs scored while earning All-Pac-10 honorable mention honors. Coulter started 54 of 57 games, had a team-long 20-game hitting streak and hit a team-best .331 during Pac-10 play.

"Travis had a great freshman year, and quite honestly, we were not sure he was going to be that good that quick," said Marbut. "Travis showed last season that he was one of better second basemen in the league. He came back this year a little bigger, a little stronger and a little faster. Overall his game is better than last year. He's just a really good baseball player who is fun to watch."

Junior Matt Thomas will also find time at second base. Thomas hit .240 last season, starting 14 games at shortstop while connecting for two home runs and nine RBIs.

"Matt's another good utility player who can play every infield position," said Marbut. "I'm confident Matt will contribute for us when given the chance this season."

CATCHERS

The Cougars will be solid behind the plate with a mix of veteran experience and youthful talent. Sophomore Greg Lagreid, who started 38 games at catcher last season, returns as the incumbent. Lagreid hit .183 with 14 RBIs while throwing out 14 baserunners during his freshman season.

"Greg is another guy we expect big things from," said Marbut. "He was thrown in the fire last year and started about 80 percent of the games as a true freshman. If you look around league he is one of better defensive catchers and he's a guy we are leaning on that will continue to get better as he gets more experience."

Senior Mike Gilbert, freshman Jay Ponciano and junior Nick Hall round out the catching corp. Gilbert hit .357 last season in 40 games, 12 as a starter. Ponciano was a first-team, All-State catcher last season at Hudson Bay high School in Vancouver, Wash. Hall saw action in 14 games last year, going 5-for-20 with one home run and five RBIs.

"All three players are very steady, productive and bring something different to the table," said Marbut. "Mike had the best fall of any catcher as he really swung the bat well. We moved Nick behind the plate full time this year and if he can get his bat going, he will bring some lefthanded sock behind the plate. Jay is another accomplished high school player who is a little behind after missing the fall with a foot injury. He's a switch hitter who defensively is like Lagreid in that he can really catch and throw. He's a very good athlete and a heady player."

PITCHING

The pitching staff is as deep as it has ever been under Marbut, led by a trio of returning starters in seniors Wayne Daman Jr. and Nick Ison, along with sophomore Jared Prince.

Daman is a three-year letterwinner who posted a 6-4 record with a 4.50 ERA last season. He won his first five starts and led the team with 69 strikeouts. Ison was off to a 4-1 start last season before suffering a season-ending injury in his conference-opener at Stanford. Opponents hit just .197 against him before the injury and looks to be healthy once again heading into the year. Prince tied for the team lead with six wins, against two losses, while being one of the top two-ways players in college baseball.

"Daman and Prince were in the rotation from start to finish last year and Ison was as good as anyone we had until the injury," said Marbut. "Those are three nice guys to have. Two seniors we think are going to have professional careers who know how to pitch and we are going to learn on for big innings this year. Jared had to pitch in some big games on Friday nights as a freshman last year and it shows what type of kid you have for him to be able to do that. It's not an easy thing to do."

Another pair of veteran returnees that will play a key role in WSU's success this season are junior lefthanders Steve Kost and Jayson Miller. Kost appeared in 22 games last season with a 2.95 ERA while Miller had a 2-1 record in 19 appearances, recording a better than 4-to-1 strikeout-to-walk ratio.

"Both Steve and Jayson had numerous innings last year and were very reliable," said Marbut. "We can see Jayson as a long reliever and even a starter for us this season and Steve we want to give him the ball late in games because we have a lot of confidence in him."

Two other young lefthanders who will play a significant role this year are sophomore Russ Humes and Matt Way. Humes went 1-0 with a save in 12 appearances last season, most of them coming late in the year. Way was 1-1 in 13 games last year, recording 20 strikeouts in 24 innings, despite not pitching the final month of the season. "We like both Ross and Matt a lot," said Marbut. "Both have a chance to earn a spot in the rotation and be strong contributors this year in our program."

Another pair of lefthanders looking for time on the mound are sophomore Adam Dentz and junior Garrett Kimbrel. Dentz worked in two games last season as a freshman while Kimbrel is a converted outfielder who has not pitched at the collegiate level before last fall.

"Adam had a little bit of time as a freshman which was valuable experience for him," said Marbut. "Now he needs to take the next step and if he can do that he will give a boost to our bullpen. Garrett is the wildcard of the bunch. He might have the best stuff of anybody on our team. Obviously pitching is new to him but he has really showed an electric arm. If he can come along and help us this season that gives us another option we would be very happy to have "

Another veteran in the bullpen is senior righthander Nick Cebula, who has led the team with 23 appearances last season, posting a 1-0 record with two saves. "Nick has battled some injuries during the fall and we need to get him healthy," said Marbut. "He has proven he can get people out in this league and if he can get healthy and throw strikes he will be a valuable arm out of the bullpen."

Two returnees who have yet to pitch in a Cougar uniform are freshman Matt Crowe and junior Tommy Tribbett. "Both have battled injuries with Matt coming off Tommy John surgery and has worked his tail off to get back in shape," said Marbut. "Tommy Tribbett had a good summer and was progressing on the mound before an injury last summer that kept him out until January, which has put him behind. He has a little different arm angle and if he can get healthy he can definitely get people out."

The Cougars have a bevy of young arms looking to make an impact this season. From the right side Ryan Graves, Seth Harvey, Barrett Kanyer, Connor Lambert, Zach Miller and Michael Ratigan all will look for playing time. Another freshman, left-hander Carsten Bocchi, will also look to make an impact on the mound.

"Carsten is another accomplished high school pitcher who missed his entire senior year. We are slowly bringing him back, but he is a guy with big upside," said Marbut. "Four other freshmen have really turned heads this winter: Barrett Kanyer, Michael Ratigan, Connor Lambert and Seth Harvey. I see all four of these guys pushing for playing time early this season.

"Two other freshmen, Ryan Graves and Zach Miller, need to get more experience but I see them having strong futures at WSU," Marbut added.

SCHEDULE

The Cougars open the 2007 season with back-to-back road trips at Cal State Northridge followed by a three-game series at perennial national power Texas. The Longhorns, ranked No. 7 in the *Baseball America* preseason poll, hold a 7-4 series advantage over WSU, though the teams have not met since the 1991 season.

WSU then opens its home schedule at the Banana Belt Tournament where they face Utah Valley State, Southern Utah and Air Force sandwiched around a game at Lewis-Clark State. The Banana Belt marks the only tournament the Cougars participate in during the 2007 season after capturing three titles last season. Following a three-game series Mar. 8-10 at San Jose State, WSU opens its longest homestand of the season, hosting Rider and Illinois-Chicago in three-game series.

WSU opens Pacific-10 Conference play Mar. 23-25 against rival Washington at Bailey-Brayton Field. Other conference home series include Arizona and Stanford before closing the home schedule May 18-20 against UCLA. WSU will also host Brigham Young in a two-game nonconference series Mar 27-28, while hosting single games against Gonzaga, twice, and Lewis-Clark State.

The Cougars will travel for conference series at California, Arizona State, Southern California and USC, and then close out the regular season with a three-game series at UC Davis, May 25-27.

2007 OUTLOOK

2007 WSU Baseball Facts

HEAD COACH: Don Marbut (Portland State '97), infielders

WSU Record: 57-60 (Third season)

Career Record: Same

ASSOCIATE: Travis Jewett (Washington State '93), hitting/recruiting Gregg Swenson (Western Washington '94), pitchers ASSISTANT:

VOLUNTEER: Matt Dorey (Portland State '97), outfielders

2006 RECORD: 36-23 overall; 10-14 Pacific-10 (8th)

2006 POST-SEASON: None

LETTERWINNERS RETURNING: 25

LETTERWINNERS LOST: 8

STARTERS RETURNING FROM 2006: (10)

lim Murphy, R/R, 6-3, 255, IR, 2V (G/GS: 59/58, BA: .333, HR: 8, RBI: 46)

Travis Coulter, L/R, 5-8, 141, SO, 1V (G/GS: 57/54, BS: .345, HR: 2, RBI: 27)

Jeff Miller, R/R, 5-10, 190, SR, 3V (G/GS: 59/59, BS: .285, HR: 7, RBI: 35)

Paul Gran, R/R, 5-11, 183, JR, 1V (G/GS: 55/55, BS: .299, HR: 0, RBI: 27)

OF Jared Prince, R/R, 6-3, 186, SO, 1V (G/GS: 56/56, BA: .401, HR: 9, RBI: 58)

Ryan Krauser, L/L, 5-9, 163, SR, 1V (G/GS: 27/23, BS: .363, HR: 9, RBI: 32)

Greg Lagreid, R/R, 5-11, 183, SO, 1V (G/GS: 49/38, BS: .183, HR: 1, RBI:

RHP Wayne Daman Jr., R/R, 6-0, 211, SR, 3V (G/GS: 14/14, 6-4, ERA: 4.50, IP: 80.0. SO: 69, BB: 29)

RHP Jared Prince, R/R, 6-3, 186, SO, 1V, (G/GS: 15/12, 6-2, ERA: 4.53, IP: 59.2, SO: 32, BB: 15)

RHP Nick Ison, R/R, 5-9, 175, SR, 1V (G/GS: 7/6, 4-1, ERA: 3.79, IP: 38.0, SO: 32, BB: 9)

OTHER RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: (15)

Mike Gilbert, R/R, 5-11, 213, SR, 1V (G/GS: 40/12, BA: .357, HR: 0, RBI:

C Nick Hall, S/R, 6-2, 200, JR, 2V (G/GS: 14/2, BA: .250, HR: 1, RBI: 5)

Kyle Hinrichs, R/R, 5-10, 155, SO, 1V (G/GS: 12/0, BA: .500, HR: 0, RBI: 1)

Simi Reynolds, L/L, 5-9, 175, Jr., 1V (G/GS: 33/23, BA: .333, HR: 1, RBI: 15)

Util Scott Suttmeier, L/R, 6-1, 185, JR, 2V (G/GS: 42/10, BS: .194, HR: 0, RBI: 9)

SS Matt Thomas, R/R, 6-1, 184, JR, 2V, (G/GS: 32/14, BS: .240, HR: 0, RBI: 9)

INF Bryan Yates, R/R, 6-2, 215, JR, 2V (G/GS: 3/0, BS: .250, HR: 0, RBI: 2)

RHP Nick Cebula, R/R, 5-10, 176, SR, 2V (G/GS: 23/0, 2-3, ERA: 7.13, IP: 17.2, SO: 15, BB: 21)

LHP Adam Dentz, L/L, 6-1, 182, SO, 1V (G/GS: 2/0, 0-0, ERA: 27.00, IP: 4.1, SO: 4, BB: 4)

LHP Ross Humes, L/L, 5-11, 155, SO, 1V (G/GS: 12/2, 1-0, ERA: 6.65, IP: 23.0, SO: 19, BB: 8)

RHP Jeremy Johnson, R/R, 5-11, 165, SO, 1V (G/GS: 12/1, 1-1, ERA: 3.52, IP: SO: 10, BB: 7)

LHP Garrett Kimbrel, L/L, 6-0, 186, IR, 2V, (Played outfield last season)

LHP Steve Kost, L/L, 6-4, 205, SO, 1V (G/GS: 16/0, 0-2, ERA: 6.04, IP: 22.1, SO: 14, BB: 12)

LHP Jayson Miller, L/L, 5-11, 166, JR, 2V (G/GS: 19/1, 2-1, ERA: 4.11, IP: 50.1, SO: 31, BB: 7)

LHP Matt Way, L/L, 6-1, 187, SO, 1V (G/GS: 13/2, 1-1, ERA: 4.74, IP: 24.2, SO: 20, BB: 16)

NON-LETTERWINNERS RETURNING: (2)

RHP Matt Crowe, R/R, 5-9, 198, FR, SQ

RHP Tommy Tribbett, 5-11, 205, JR*, SQ

TRANSFERS: (2)

Zach Borba, R/R, 5-11, 178, SR, TR, Reno, Nev. (McQueen/Lower Columbia/UNLV)

RHP Kevin Kayner, R/R, 6-1, 180, FR, TR, Indianola, Wash. (O'Dea/Azusa Pacific)

FRESHMEN: (12)

RHP Chad Arnold, R/R, 6-3, 182, FR, HS, Kennewick, Wash. (Southridge),

John Ashenbrenner, L/R, 5-11, 165, FR, HS, Kirkland, Wash. (Lake

Cody Bartlett, R/R, 5-8, 160, FR, HS, Kent, Wash. (Kentwood)

LHP Carsten Bocchi, L/L, 6-1, 163, FR, HS, Federal Way, Wash. (Todd Beamer)

OF Matt Fanelli, R/R, 6-4, 189, FR, HS, Olympia, Wash, (Capital)

RHP Ryan Graves, R/R, 5-11, 211, FR, HS, Puyallup, Wash. (Puyallup)

RHP Seth Harvey, L/R, 6-2, 195, FR, HS, Olympia, Wash. (River Ridge)

RHP Connor Lambert, R/R, 6-0, 212, FR, HS, Olympia, Wash. (River Ridge)

RHP Zach Miller, R/R, 6-3, 317, FR, HS, Yelm, Wash. (Yelm)

Jay Ponciano, B/R, 5-8, 176, FR, HS, Vancouver, Wash. (Hudson Bay)

RHP Michael Ratigan, R/R, 6-3, 197, FR, HS, Ephrata, Wash. (Ephrata)

INF Michael Weber, L/R, 5-11, 191, FR, HS, Seattle, Wash. (O'Dea)

STARTERS LOST: (3)

SID:

OF Jay Miller, R/R, 5-9, 176, SR, 4V (G/GS: 59/59, BA .361, HR: 0, RBI: 37)

Zach McAngus, R/R, 6-0, 201, SR, 3V (G/GS: 56/45, BA: .262, HR: 6, RBI:

Mike Wagner, R/R, 6-0, 186, JR, 1V (G/GS: 18/13, 5-6, ERA: 5.67, JP: 85.2, SO: 59,BB: 23)

OTHER LETTERWINNERS LOST: (2)

Zach Franklin, R/R, 5-8, 180, SR, 4V (G/GS: 24/9, BA: .094, HR: 0, RBI: 1) Travis Webb, L/L, 6-3, 195, JR, 2V (G/GS: 21/0, 4-0, ERA: 2.17, IP: 29.0, SO: 31, BB: 10)

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FIGHT SONG: "The Fight Song," 1919, with words by Zella Melcher and music by Phyllis Sayles.

ALMA MATER: "Washington, My Washington," 1913, with words and music by J. DeForest Cline.