

# 2023-24 Santa Clara University WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

#### **2023-24 Schedule**

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Date	Opponent	Stream Info	Time
Oct. 27	CSU Monterey Bay#	None	W, 82-38
Nov. 6	at San Jose State M	Iountain West Network	7 p.m.
Nov. 8	at Cal	Pac-12 Network	7 p.m.
Nov. 11	Hawaii	ESPN+	1 p.m.
Nov. 14	CSUN	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Nov. 18	at Oregon	Pac-12 Network	12 p.m.
Nov. 21	Texas A&M CC	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Nov. 24	vs. Boise State^	Flohoops.com	4 p.m.
Nov. 25	vs. Texas Tech^	Flohoops.com	4 p.m.
Nov. 29	at Sacramento State	ESPN+	6:30 p.m.
Dec. 1	Lincoln	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Dec. 10	Menlo College	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Dec. 15	at Oregon State	Pac-12 Network	6 p.m.
Dec. 19	at UC Riverside	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Dec. 21	at Cal State Fullerton	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Dec. 30	at Arizona State	Pac-12 Network	1 p.m.
Jan. 6	Pacific*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Jan. 11	at Gonzaga*	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Jan. 13	at Portland*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Jan. 18	Pepperdine*	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Jan. 20	San Francisco*	ESPN+	1 p.m.
Jan. 25	Gonzaga*	ESPN+	4 p.m.
Jan. 27	at Saint Mary's*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Feb. 1	at LMU*	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Feb. 3	at Pepperdine*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Feb. 8	San Diego*	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Feb. 10	Saint Mary's*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Feb. 15	at San Franscico*	fESPN+	6 p.m.
Feb. 17	Portland*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Feb. 22	at San Diego*	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Feb. 29	LMU*	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Mar. 2	at Pacific*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
Mar. 7-12	WCC Tournament (Las	s Vegas) ESPN+	TBA

Home games in BOLD and played at Leavey Center

Times are Pacific and subject to change

# - Exhibition

^ - South Point Classic (Las Vegas)

\* West Coast Conference

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#### Santa Clara (0-0) vs. San Jose State (0-0)

Monday, November 6, 2023 · 7:00 p.m. Pacific San Jose, Calif. · Event Center

Watch Live: The Mountain West Network

Live Stats: santaclara.statbroadcast.com

#### **Series History**

Series History	Santa Clara leads 31-25
Last Meeting	Dec. 13, 2022   W, 81-49
First Meeting	1963-64 W, 28-10

#### **Match Notes**

- The Broncos have a four-game winning stream against their crosstown rivals.
- Santa Clara is 9-1 all-time on the road against the Spartans.

#### **Season Notes**

- The Broncos won their lone exhibition 82-38 over CSU Monterey Bay.
- Santa Clara was picked to finish tied for third in the WCC in a poll of the league's nine head coaches. It is their highest placement in the preseason poll since being picked third prior to the 2005-06 season.
- Tess Heal was named to the Preseason All-WCC Team after her historic freshman campaign.
- Heal started all 32 games for Santa Clara while scoring 17.6 ppg and grabbing 4.3 rpg. She scored in double-figures in all but three contests and scored 20-plus 11 times, including a season-high of 39 against BYU. She also dished out five or more assists 13 different times.
- She scored 562 points, the fourth-most in a single season in Santa Clara history and the most by a freshman. She also landed

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on the single top-10 lists in made free throws (4th, 141), made field goals (t-4th, 200), and minutes played (8th, 1,031).

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- Also back are key members of last year's squad Lara Edmanson, Olivia Pollerd, Marya Hudgins, and Ashley Hiraki. Edmanson finished second on the team in scoring with 10.6 ppg and led thew ay with 5.7 rpg. Pollerd scored 10.2 ppg with 3.6 rpg and knocked down a team-high 54 3-pointers. Hudgins joined Heal on the WCC All-Freshman Team while scoring 7.5 ppg with 4.8 rpg. Hiraki had a team-best 60 steals while scoring 6.6 ppg with 3.9 rpg.
- The Broncos were the second-best offense in the WCC, scoring 71.3 ppg, just 0.3 ppg behind Gonzaga.
- They were also third with 14.6 assists per game, first with 12.8 turnovers per game, and first with a 1.14 assist-to-turnover ratio.
- As a team Santa Clara shot 43.1-percent from the field.
- The Broncos have seven international players on the roster. Keeley Frawley, Olivia Pollerd, Lara Edmanson, Jayde Cadee, and Tess Heal are from Australia while Georgia Grigoropoulou and Rafailia Stergaki are from Greece.

No. Name Yr. Ht. Po	sition
0         Malia Latu         Jr.         5-8           2         Keeley Frawley         Gr.         6-0           5         Olivia Pollerd         Jr.         6-3           10         Georgia Grigoropoulou         So.         6-3           12         Madison Naro         Fr.         5-7           13         Lara Edmanson         Sr.         6-0           22         Jayde Cadee         Sr.         5-11           23         Marya Hudgins         So.         6-0           24         Rafailia Stergaki         Jr.         5-10           31         Ashley Hiraki         Sr.         5-7           33         Danja Stafford         Gr.         6-1           34         Tess Heal         So.         5-10           52         Emma Shaffer         Gr.         6-2	GFFFG/FGGGGFGF

Head Coach: Bill Carr

(Eighth season, San Francisco, '91)

Associate Head Coach: Michael Floyd (Eighth season, Murray State, '00)

Assistant Coach: Kristin Iwanaga

(Eighth season, Cal, '05) **Assistant Coach**: Kerri Nakamoto

(Third season, San Diego, '03)

Graduate Assistant: Tahlia Garza

(Second season, UC Irvine, '21)

**Director of Operations**: Fa-Ko-Fieme'a Hafoka-Latu

(Secon season, San Jose State, '21)

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#### **Pronunciation Guide**

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#U Malia LATU	Lan-100
#10 Georgia GRIGOROPOULOU	GREE-gor-ah-POO-loo
#12 Madison NARO	Narrow
#13 LARA Edmanson	LARR-uh (like CARR-uh)
#22 JAYDE CADEE	
#23 MARYA Hudgins	Muh-RYE-uh
#24 RAFAILIA STERGAKI	Ruh-FYE-luh Stir-GAWK-ee
#31 Ashley HIRAKI	her-AWK-ee
#33 DANJA Stafford	
#52 Emma SHAFFER	SHAY-fur

#### COACHES

OUAUTEU	
Kristin IWANAGA	EE-wuh-NAW-guh
Kerri NAKAMOTO	
TAHLIA GARZA	TALL-yah GAR-zuh
FA-KO-FIEME'A HAFOKA-LATU.	FAW-coe-FEE-eh-MEH-ah
	ha-FOE-kah LAH-two