2026 Santa Clara University
BRONCOS BASEBALL

2026 Schedule (0-0, 0-0 WCC)

Date	Opponent	Network	Time (PT)
Feb. 13	California	ACCN Extra	6 p.m.
Feb. 14	California	ACCN Extra	3 p.m.
Feb. 15	**California**	**ESPN+**	**3 p.m.**
Feb. 16	**California**	**ESPN+**	**3 p.m.**
Feb. 18	San Jose State	MW Network	6:05 p.m.
Feb. 20	**UC Davis**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
Feb. 21	**UC Davis**	**ESPN+**	**1 p.m.**
Feb. 22	**UC Davis**	**ESPN+**	**Noon**
Feb. 24	**Waseda University ~**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
Feb. 27	**UNLV**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
Feb. 28	**UNLV**	**ESPN+**	**1 p.m.**
March 1	**UNLV**	**ESPN+**	**Noon**
March 5	#19/NR Oklahoma	SEC Network+	4:30 p.m.
March 6	#19/NR Oklahoma	SEC Network+	4:30 p.m.
March 7	#19/NR Oklahoma	SEC Network+	Noon
March 8	#19/NR Oklahoma	SEC Network+	11 a.m.
March 10	**Pittsburgh**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
March 13	**Utah Tech**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
March 14	**Utah Tech**	**ESPN+**	**1 p.m.**
March 15	**Utah Tech**	**ESPN+**	**Noon**
March 18	**Connecticut**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
March 20	San Francisco *	ESPN+	2 p.m.
March 21	San Francisco *	ESPN+	1 p.m.
March 22	San Francisco *	ESPN+	1 p.m.
March 24	**San Jose State**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
March 27	**LMU ***	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
March 28	**LMU ***	**ESPN+**	**1 p.m.**
March 29	**LMU ***	**ESPN+**	**Noon**
March 30	**San Jose State**	**ESPN+**	**6:05 p.m.**
April 2	San Diego *	ESPN+	6 p.m.
April 3	San Diego *	ESPN+	6 p.m.
April 4	San Diego *	ESPN+	1 p.m.
April 6	**#20/17 Clemson ***	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
April 10	**Saint Mary's ***	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
April 11	**Saint Mary's ***	**ESPN+**	**1 p.m.**
April 12	**Saint Mary's ***	**ESPN+**	**Noon**
April 15	Stanford	ACCN Extra	6:05 p.m.
April 17	Pacific *	ESPN+	6 p.m.
April 18	Pacific *	ESPN+	3 p.m.
April 19	Pacific *	ESPN+	1 p.m.
April 21	**Stanford**	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
April 24	**Portland ***	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
April 25	**Portland ***	**ESPN+**	**1 p.m.**
April 26	**Portland ***	**ESPN+**	**Noon**
April 28	Cal Poly	ESPN+	4:05 p.m.
May 1	Gonzaga *	ESPN+	6 p.m.
May 2	Gonzaga *	ESPN+	6 p.m.
May 3	Gonzaga *	ESPN+	1 p.m.
May 5	**Cal Poly**	**ESPN+**	**4 p.m.**
May 8	Seattle *	ESPN+	4 p.m.
May 9	Seattle *	ESPN+	2 p.m.
May 10	Seattle *	ESPN+	Noon
May 14	**Pepperdine ***	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
May 15	**Pepperdine ***	**ESPN+**	**6 p.m.**
May 16	**Pepperdine ***	**ESPN+**	**1 p.m.**
May 20-23	*WCC Tournament*	ESPN+/ESPNU	TBA
May 29-J. 1	*NCAA Regionals*		TBA
June 5-8	*NCAA Super Regionals*		TBA
June 12-22	*Men's College World Series*		TBA

Home games in **BOLD** | Neutral games in *Italics* | * WCC game
All times are Pacific and subject to change
Rankings are Baseball America / USA Today Coaches' Poll

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Santa Clara (0-0, 0-0 WCC)
at / vs.
California (0-0, 0-0 ACC)

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Evan Giddings (play-by-play) (Sun. & Mon.)
Live Stats: statbroadcast.com

Series History

vs. California
Series History (since 2002)...California leads, 14-9
In Berkeley, Calif. / In Santa Clara, Calif..........Cal leads, 8-4 / Cal leads, 6-5
Current Streak ....W1, Santa Clara
Last Meeting...........Feb. 28-March 3, 2025 | Santa Clara won the series, 3-1

Series Notes

• Santa Clara begins its 2026 season with a four-game, home-and-home series versus Bay Area foe and Atlantic Coast Conference member California. The series' first two games will be played in Berkeley, Calif., on Friday and Saturday, with the series shifting to Santa Clara on Sunday and Monday.

• The Broncos have dominated the series of late, winning six of the last eight meetings since 2018, including taking three of four from the Bears last season. The Broncos have won four of the last five games played in Berkeley dating to 2018.

• Santa Clara earned two two-run victories in Berkeley last season to start another four-game home-and-home series, then shutout the Bears, 9-0, in the series finale.

• Santa Clara scored five or more runs in five of its last six victories over California (since 2018). That includes nine runs twice and an 8-1 victory in Santa Clara in 2023.

Season Notes

• Santa Clara returns 24 letterwinners -- including seven positional starters and three starting pitchers -- in 2026. The returners include all-West Coast Conference second team honoree **Max Bayles** and all-WCC Honorable Mentions **Ben Cleary** and **Cooper Lanz**. The Broncos return no less than 65% of every offensive statistical category from last season, and they bring back at least 60% if not more of every pitching stat category outside of saves, where only four of 11 saves last year return.

• The Broncos also welcome 16 newcomers to the roster in 2026, composed of five transfers (four four-year college transfers, one junior college transfer) and 11 true freshmen. 10 of the 11 freshmen are from California, with six of those from Northern California, and even four of those come specifically from the South Bay and Santa Clara County. Three of the five transfers (**Will Anderson**, **James Bose**, **Bryant Viskovich**) also have South Bay roots.

• Santa Clara junior right-hander **Max Bayles** raked in the preseason honors heading into the 2026 season. He was named to the Perfect Game West Coast Conference Preseason Team, then was named the WCC Preseason Pitcher of the Year by D1Baseball.com. He also landed on the official WCC Preseason Team, as voted on by the league's coaches. He was ranked the top 2026 MLB Draft Prospect in the WCC by D1Baseball.com after spending time this summer in both the Cape Cod League and at the USA Baseball Collegiate National Team training camp

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Season Notes

• Santa Clara won 20 games in 2025, marking its fourth consecutive 20-or-more wins season, the first time the Broncos have done that in 17 years. The Broncos posted back-to-back .500-or-better seasons for the first time in 18 years in 2023 and '24, and made the postseason in back-to-back seasons for the first time in 27 years in 2023 and '24.

• Santa Clara has been a comeback team in each of the past two seasons, totaling 26 come-from-behind wins in 2024 and '25. More than half of Santa Clara's wins in 2025 (13) were of the "come-from-behind" variety. The Broncos were also "comeback kids" in 2024, earning half of their 26 wins (13) in come-from-behind fashion. Santa Clara erased 23 different deficits during the 2024 campaign at any given point in a game. It erased 27 different deficits in 2025.

• Senior right-handed pitcher **Cooper Lanz** was named to the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association Preseason "Stopper of the Year" Watch List on Feb. 10. Lanz, who joined the Broncos in 2025 after previous stops at Pacific and Modesto Junior College, earned all-WCC Honorable Mention recognition in his first season at Santa Clara after appearing in 13 games and moving into the starting rotation late in the year. He led the team with four wins and posted a 3.75 ERA across 36 innings pitched, striking out 28 while holding opponents to a team-best .148 batting average. Lanz went 4–1 against WCC opponents with a 2.92 ERA and a .132 opponent batting average in 24 2/3 innings.

• Several Broncos enter 2026 carrying active hitting streaks and reached base safely streaks they ended 2025 with. The largest is **Thomas Ferroggiaro's** 18-game reached base streak, started on April 15, 2025, at Cal Poly. He also carries a four-game hitting streak into the season with him dating to May 11, 2025 versus San Diego. **Max Ross** brings with him a 13-game reached base streak, started on April 17, 2025, at LMU. **Johnny Luetzow** has a 10-game reached base streak in his pocket, which he started versus Pacific on April 27, 2025.

• Santa Clara had 12 players play professional baseball in 2025, including **Tommy Nance** (at Santa Clara in 2012-13), who posted a 1.99 ERA in 30 relief appearances for the AL champion Toronto Blue Jays, and **Steven Wilson** ('18), who made 59 appearances for the Chicago White Sox and carried a 3.42 ERA.

2026 Baseball Roster

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown
1	Payton Lambert	OF	6-0	180	Jr.	Pendleton, Ore.
2	Russ Filter	C	5-11	180	R-So.	Santa Clara, Calif.
3	Ben Cleary	IF	6-0	200	Jr.	Half Moon Bay, Calif.
4	James Bose	INF	6-0	180	Sr.	San Jose, Calif.
5	Henry Stewart	LHP	6-1	200	Sr.	Lakewood, Colo.
7	Thomas Ferroggiaro	IF	5-10	185	Sr.	Wilsonville, Ore.
8	Matthew Tiendas	OF	5-10	180	Fr.	Santa Clara, Calif.
10	Hunter Fujimoto	OF	5-10	175	Fr.	San Jose, Calif.
11	Max Reimers	RHP	5-11	185	Fr.	Aliso Viejo, Calif.
12	Tate Medicoff	IF/OF	6-3	220	So.	San Francisco
13	Jackson Cook	RHP	6-3	200	Fr.	Lincoln, Calif.
14	Max Ross	OF	6-2	195	R-Jr.	Woodside, Calif.
15	Koen Carston	C	5-9	170	Jr.	Davis, Calif.
16	Tate Gargasz	RHP	6-1	195	R-Fr.	Monument, Colo.
17	Will Anderson	INF/OF	6-2	215	Jr.	Gilroy, Calif.
18	Bryant Viskovich	OF	6-0	205	R-So.	Los Gatos, Calif.
19	Brayden Dotoli	RHP	6-1	205	R-Sr.	Roseville, Calif.
20	Mateo Garcia	IF	6-0	185	Sr.	Turlock, Calif.
21	Kai Cunningham	IF	5-9	175	R-Jr.	Atlanta
22	Johnny Luetzow	C	6-0	215	Sr.	La Jolla, Calif.
23	Chase Ruden	RHP	6-2	200	Fr.	Highlands Ranch, Colo.
24	Luke Devine	OF	6-4	200	So.	Los Altos Hills, Calif.
26	Christian Duarte	LHP	6-6	215	Fr.	San Jose, Calif.
27	Andrew Rayment	OF	6-5	215	So.	Spokane, Wash.
28	James Cunningham	RHP	6-4	165	Fr.	Los Angeles
29	Tyler Alleman	RHP	6-0	190	R-So.	Portland, Ore.
30	Bryce Padilla	RHP	5-11	180	R-Jr.	Fresno, Calif.
31	Andrew Habermann	RHP	6-6	225	So.	Westlake Village, Calif.
33	Robert Aivazian	RHP	6-3	180	R-Jr.	Martinez, Calif.
34	Vincent Braga	RHP	6-3	200	So.	Palo Alto, Calif.
36	Jace Gillmore	RHP	6-5	200	Jr.	Rocklin, Calif.
37	Cooper Lanz	RHP	6-0	190	Sr.	Atwater, Calif.
38	Nick Chow	RHP	6-5	215	Fr.	Redwood City, Calif.
40	Sebastian Schreiber	LHP	6-3	230	R-Sr.	Salinas, Calif.
41	Trevor Banning	IF/RHP	6-0	175	Fr.	San Juan Capistrano, Calif.
43	RJ Meyn	LHP	6-0	180	So.	San Ramon, Calif.
44	Jack Lazark	RHP	6-2	205	Jr.	Santa Rosa, Calif.
45	Max Bayles	RHP	6-3	210	Jr.	San Diego
46	Hunter Hargett	RHP	6-2	190	R-Sr.	San Diego
48	Josh Johnson	RHP	6-2	205	Gr.	Henderson, Nev.
51	Mace Wheeler	C	5-10	185	Fr.	El Cajon, Calif.
52	Waylon Walsh	INF	6-4	195	Fr.	Los Gatos, Calif.
54	Camden Sos	IF	6-3	200	Jr.	Alpine, Calif.

AROUND THE WCC

WCC Baseball Standings (In order of '26 Preseason Poll)

Pl.	Team	Conf.	Pct.	GB	Overall	Strk
1.	San Diego	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
2.	Gonzaga	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
3.	Saint Mary's	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
4.	Portland	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
5.	LMU	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
6.	Santa Clara	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
7.	San Francisco	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
8.	Pacific	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
9.	Pepperdine	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--
10.	Seattle	0-0	.000	-	0-0	--

WCC Preseason Player of the Year (via D1Baseball.com)
Mikey Bell, Gonzaga (INF, R-Jr., Fresno, Calif.)

WCC Preseason Pitcher of the Year (via D1Baseball.com)
Max Bayles, Santa Clara (RHP, Jr., San Diego)

WCC Preseason Freshman of the Year (via D1Baseball.com)
Andrew Mhoon, LMU (INF, Fr., Salem, Ore.)

BASEBALL AMERICA TOP-25 POLL

Season Notes

(Preseason Poll)

Rk.	School	Prev.	Last Week	Overall
1.	UCLA	6	--	0-0
2.	LSU	1	--	0-0
3.	Mississippi State	NR	--	0-0
4.	Georgia Tech	25	--	0-0
5.	Auburn	10	--	0-0
6.	Georgia	20	--	0-0
7.	North Carolina	9	--	0-0
8.	Texas	18	--	0-0
9.	TCU	NR	--	0-0
10.	Arkansas	3	--	0-0
11.	Coastal Carolina	2	--	0-0
12.	Florida State	11	--	0-0
13.	Tennessee	12	--	0-0
14.	Virginia	NR	--	0-0
15.	Oregon State	5	--	0-0
16.	Ole Miss	19	--	0-0
17.	Vanderbilt	17	--	0-0
18.	Louisville	4	--	0-0
19.	Oklahoma	NR	--	0-0
20.	Clemson	24	--	0-0
21.	West Virginia	13	--	0-0
22.	Florida	23	--	0-0
23.	Southern Miss	21	--	0-0
24.	East Carolina	NR	--	0-0
25.	Miami	16	--	0-0

Dropped from poll:

USA TODAY COACHES' TOP-25 POLL

(Preseason Poll)

Rk.	School (1st. Pl.)	Overall	Pts	Prev.
1.	LSU (15)	0-0	733	-
2.	UCLA (14)	0-0	724	-
3.	Texas	0-0	635	-
4.	Georgia Tech	0-0	596	-
5.	Arkansas	0-0	582	-
6.	Mississippi State (1)	0-0	574	-
7.	Coastal Carolina	0-0	503	-
8.	North Carolina	0-0	490	-
9.	Auburn	0-0	462	-
10.	TCU	0-0	449	-
11.	Louisville	0-0	438	-
12.	Oregon State	0-0	429	-
13.	Georgia	0-0	400	-
14.	Florida State	0-0	391	-
15.	Tennessee	0-0	384	-
16.	Florida	0-0	269	-
17.	Clemson	0-0	236	-
18.	Vanderbilt	0-0	203	-
19.	NC State	0-0	181	-
20.	Southern Miss	0-0	154	-
21.	Miami (Fla.)	0-0	140	-
22.	Virginia	0-0	101	-
23.	Oregon	0-0	100	-
24.	Arizona	0-0	98	-
25.	Wake Forest	0-0	93	-

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