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San Diego Country Club, Chula Vista, CA
- 6,900 yards - Par 72 - Rating 74.2 - Slope 131
- deep bunkers, demanding greens and perfect fairways
- grass only range, 2 putting greens

The Farms Golf Club, Rancho Santa Fe, CA
- 6,911 yards - Par 72 - Rating 73.9 - Slope 143
- one of the top courses in San Diego
- grass only range, 2 putting greens, short game facility
USD HOME COURSES

The Farms

The Farms Golf Club was originally built in 1988 by Pete Dye and later remodeled in 2000 by the team of John Fought and Tom Lehman. This private facility is located in the ruggedly beautiful terrain of Rancho Santa Fe, one of San Diego's most prestigious communities. At just over 6900 yards, the golf course offers a layout that is both challenging and enjoyable to play every day. The club's practice facility includes a double-ended grass only range, two putting greens, and one of San Diego's best short game facilities. The Farms is easily one of the best courses in San Diego County.

San Diego Country Club

Located 10 miles south of downtown San Diego, San Diego Country Club is conveniently located for USD and its golf team. The club is known for having the best greens in the country and its practice facility includes a grass range, a large putting green and a large green for chipping and pitching up to 70 yards. At just over 7,000 yards and quick undulating greens, San Diego Country Club is considered one of the most challenging courses in San Diego.

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San Diego, CA 92110
Founded
1949
Enrollment
7,800
Conference
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Jake Yount 6-5 SR Danville, CA (De La Salle HS)

Head Coach: Tim Mickelson (6th Year)
Assistant Coach: Cory Scoggin (2nd Year)
Tim Mickelson has done a remarkable job in just five seasons as the head coach of San Diego's men's golf program. This past season he guided the Toreros to the program's first-ever West Coast Conference Championship, sharing Coach of the Year honors. USD finished with a three-day total of 888, edging out both Pepperdine and Saint Mary's College (892 totals). Junior Jake Yount earned medalist honors at the WCC Championships, winning the title in sudden death. With the title, the Toreros also earned the league's automatic bid into the NCAA Regionals. This marked USD's second trip to the NCAA Regionals in the last three years. For the season USD placed in the top-five in six tournaments, also winning the SDSU Intercollegiate, placing 2nd at their own Callaway Invitational, 3rd place in both the Nevada Wolf Pack and Barona Collegiate, and 5th at the Ron Moore Invitational.

The 2008-09 campaign has already gotten off to a great start, and the 2009 spring season promises to be just as successful. During the recent fall campaign USD earned three top-5 finishes in their five tournament showings, including a first place title at the Kauai Collegiate Invitational where they won by 15 strokes. In their final two tournaments this past Fall, USD placed third at the Sycuan Collegiate with a 25-under-par team score of 839, then followed up with the championship trophy at the Kauai Collegiate Invitational with an incredible 39-under-par team score of 825.

In 2006-07 he led the Toreros to eight top-five finishes in tournaments, including three second place showings. The Toreros tied for second at the fifteen team Hawaii Fall Intercollegiate; placed 2nd out of fifteen teams at its own Callaway Golf Invitational; and was runner-up at the 2007 WCC Championships. Sophomore Darrin Hall became just the second Torero to advance to the NCAA Regionals, and three Toreros earned All-WCC honors: Darrin Hall (5th at 221; 74-72-75), Dale Smith (6th at 222; 75-74-73), and Michael Barry (9th at 225; 79-74-72).

In his 2005-06 season, USD finished top three in three tournaments, all of which had fifteen or more teams entered. The season prior, Mickelson shared West Coast Conference Coach of the Year honors, guiding San Diego to its first tournament victory since 2000. Inheriting a Torero team that had placed in the lower half of the WCC in 2003, Mickelson immediately led San Diego to a top-tier conference finish in his first year directing the fortunes of USD golf. Mickelson's second campaign was highlighted by San Diego winning team championship honors at the 17-school 2005 Men's Fidelity National Title held at Cypress Ridge Golf Course on California's Central Coast.

Prior to taking the head coaching position at USD Mickelson spent two seasons as assistant to Dale Walker at San Diego State, helping lead the Aztecs to back-to-back appearances in the NCAA Regionals, as well as an appearance in the 2003 NCAA National Championships. Additionally, he played a key role in recruiting, scheduling, fundraising, daily practices, booster/alumni relations, and the running and operation of two tournaments annually. Additionally, he is the published author of a book about college golf recruiting titled The Road to College Golf.

Mickelson was an outstanding collegiate player at two PAC-10 programs. He played his first three seasons at Arizona State (1995-98) where he was a member of the 1996 NCAA Championship team. Mickelson also earned Academic All-PAC-10 honors in 1997 and 1998. He went on to play his senior year at Oregon State University (1998-2000) where he led Oregon State to a 2nd place finish in the 2000 PAC-10 Championships, and also finished 2nd individually. The current holder of numerous OSU golf records, including low 18, 36, 54, and 72 hole scoring records, he graduated Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Liberal Studies.

Tim is the younger brother of current PGA tour pro Phil Mickelson.
Cory Scoggin is in his second year with the Toreros as assistant coach to Tim Mickelson. In his first campaign (2007-08) he helped guide the Toreros to six top-5 finishes, including the program’s first-ever West Coast Conference championship. The Toreros advanced to the NCAA Regionals for the second time in three seasons.

This past Fall the Toreros tallied three top-5 finishes in their five tournaments, including a first place title at the Kaua'i Collegiate where they won by 15 strokes. USD also placed third at the Sycuan Collegiate, and tied for fifth at the San Francisco Intercollegiate.

During the 2006-07 season Cory was the interim head coach for the men’s golf team at Cal State San Marcos. He directed the team to 2nd place finishes at three tournaments - Bill Collum Invitational, Pala Mesa Invitational and their very own Cal State San Marcos Invitational. The team finished 5th at Regionals and advanced to Nationals where they placed 14th.

Scoggin competed at Cal State San Marcos where in 2003-04 he was a First Team All-American. During his senior year the team won the Cal State San Marcos Invitation- al and Grand Canyon Invitational and was a Top-100 in the Golfstat Cup in the. At Regionals, the team finished 2nd as Scoggin shot 6 under par for the tournament and was named Region II Golfer of the Year.

From Carbondale, Colorado, Cory attended Roaring Fork High School where he competed on the golf team. He also is currently an apprentice working towards my Class A membership in the PGA of America.
MEET THE TOREROS
2008-09 at USD: Enters his second and final year with the Toreros... Currently attending Graduate School... In Fall competition, placed 35th at the Sycuan Collegiate Invitational playing as an individual... Shot an even-par 216 (72-69-75).

2007-08 at USD: Joined team during the spring season... Last year appeared in two tournaments, the USD Callaway Invitational and the Ron Moore Invitational... Placed 3rd out of 17 individuals at the Ron Moore with his 216 total (68-72-76)... Started collegiate career with USD men's soccer team where he competed as a goalkeeper.

High School: Attended St. Augustine HS where he lettered in both golf and soccer all four years (2001-04)... Senior year was tabbed the Union-Tribune Student-Athlete of the Year, as well as an Academic Team Captain... Named All-CIF in 2003 and 2001, with team winning CIF title in 2002 and 2004... In soccer was named All-CIF all four years; team MVP in 2003; and team won CIF Championship twice (2001 & 2003).

Personal: Born on November 8, 1985 in San Diego, CA... Parents are Kathy and Louis Coffman... Chose USD for academic reputation, campus, atmosphere and athletics... Also recruited by Santa Clara, UC Davis, Cal and Boston College... Has a brother playing golf at University of Nevada, and his dad competed in Lacrosse at Penn.

Major: Accounting
2008-09 at USD: Enters his final year with the Toreros where he will once again play a key role in the team's success...This past Fall played in four tournaments with a stroke average of 72.5...Tied for 12th at the San Francisco Intercollegiate with a 4-over-par 217 (72-72-73)...Tied for 19th at the Sycuan Collegiate Invitational with a 4-under-par 212 (70-70-72).

2007-08 at USD: Named First Team All-West Coast Conference after helping the Toreros earn their first-ever league title...At the WCC's, Darrin tied for 3rd overall, just one stroke back of teammate Jake Yount who won medalist honors...Hall opened with a course record 66, and shot a three-round total of 219 (66-76-77)... For the season he turned in three top-10 performances, including a t-6th at the Wolf Pack Classic (213; 73-70-70) and a t-8th at the SDSU Intercollegiate... For the season he averaged 74.37 over 12 tournaments and 35 rounds.

2006-07 at USD: Was USD's top golfer as he became just the second Torero to advance to the NCAA West Regionals... Tied for 8th with a three-round total of 217 (70-75-72)... One of three Toreros named to the 2007 West Coast Conference First Team...Team-best 5th place showing at WCC Championships... For the season averaged a program-best 72.3 over 36 rounds... Over final six tournaments he turned in one 2nd place (USF Triumph), and two 5th place showings (USD Callaway & WCCs)... Carded five rounds in the sixties including a low of 66 in the final round of the Hawaii Fall Intercollegiate where he finished tied for first before falling in the playoff.

2005-06 at USD: Transferred prior to the 2005-2006 season from the University of New Mexico... Within the year he qualified for the U.S. Amateur and finished as the second lowest amateur in the Colorado Open with rounds of (76-65-69-69)... For USD played in three tournaments for nine rounds finishing with a stroke average of 77.77 and a low round of 74.

2004-05 Season: Was a member of the University of New Mexico team as a walk-on and redshirted.

High School: Is a 2004 graduate of J.K. Mullen High School... Lettered four years in golf... First individually in Centennial League...Member of two-time 4A state championship team.

Personal: Born May 29, 1985, in Englewood, Colorado... Son of Chris and Kathy Hall... Hobbies include skiing, playing poker, fishing and cooking... Has two sisters, Alicia and Courtney, and one brother Cliff.

Major: Communications
2008-09 at USD: Blake enters his second and final season with the Toreros golf program... This past Fall competed in four tournaments with a stroke average of 72.83 per round... Finished strong with a 7th place showing at the Kauai Collegiate that the Toreros won... Shot an impressive 9-under-par 207 (74-64-69).

2007-08 at USD: Turned in a solid first season for the Toreros... Averaged 74.0 over 13 tournaments and 38 rounds... Won medalist honors at the SDSU Intercollegiate with a two-round total of 146 (72-74)... Also turned in top-10 performances at the Ron Moore Invitational (t-4th at 209; 69-66-74) and USD's Callaway Invitational (t-6th at 216; 69-74-73)... Was tabbed the co-WCC Player of the Month for March after averaging 71.2 for three tournaments (9 rounds).

2005-07: Seasons at UNLV: Sophomore campaign averaged 74.42 over 12 rounds of action... Tied for 4th at the District 7 Shootout after totaling 206 (68-67-71)... Tied for 30th at ASU Thunderbird Invitational (217; 73-72-72)... In his first year at UNLV he was named to the Academic All-MWC team... Played in eight tournaments totaling 24 rounds... Shot a career low 69 during the first round of the NCAA East Regional... Finished sixth on team with 75.0 average.

High School: Attended nearby Torrey Pines High School where he was a 2005 graduate... Was the 2002 San Diego Player of the Year after winning the CIF San Diego Section high school championship... Named all-league and All-CIF four times and his team's MVP three times... Was twice an all-academic selection... was a FCWT All-American... his team won the league title four times and the CIF title twice... also won the state regional championships twice and won the 2004 California state championship.

Personal: Born on March 21, 1987 in Houston, TX... Son of Ed and Coleen Trimble of Rancho Santa Fe, CA... Chose USD because it is a great academic school, and to play for coach Mickelson... Also recruited by Wake Forest, Texas A&M, USC, UCLA, Pepperdine, and TCU... Is a huge San Diego Chargers fan... Notes he has played golf in fifteen different countries.

Major: Communications
Notable: Named the 2008 West Coast Conference Player of the Year after winning medalist honors at the WCC Championships in sudden death... Shot a three-round total of 218 (73-71-74)... Also named to the All-WCC First Team.

2008-09 at USD: Enters fourth and final year with the Toreros... This past Fall appeared in three tournaments and finished with a stroke average of 71.11 per round... Placed 2nd overall in his last outing at the Kaua'i Collegiate that the Toreros won by 15 strokes... Carded a three-round total of 202 (14-under-par) with rounds of 72-63-67... His second round 63 set a new course record.

2007-08 at USD: Besides his WCC Championship accomplishments, also placed 10th at the SDSU Intercollegiate and tied for 12th at the Barona Collegiate Cup (213; 69-73-71)... He averaged 74.44 over 11 tournaments and 32 rounds.

2006-07 at USD: Turned in two top-10 performances with a 6th place showing (100 golfers) at the Barona Collegiate Cup and a 9th place finish (95 golfers) at the Pacific Coast Intercollegiates... He opened up at Barona with a 63 (9-under-par) and went on to finish at 210 (74-73)... At the Pacific Coast Intercollegiates, he carded three straight 69's... For the season he averaged 73.13 for 15 rounds.

2005-06 at USD: In his first year with the Toreros, he played through 23 rounds, tallying a stroke average of 76.21 and a low round of 71... He tied for 17th at the UCR Braveheart as an individual... Played in the NCAA Tournament.

High School: Prepped at De La Salle HS where he turned in an outstanding high school career... Medalist at local qualifying for 2005 US Amateur at Montreux Country Club in Reno, Nevada... Made it to the round of 32 in the 2004 US Junior Amateur at the Olympic Club in San Francisco... Won the Future Collegians World Tour (FCWT) junior golf event at Singing Hills in nearby El Cajon by firing rounds of 66-70... Also won the 2004 Country Youth Classic in Illinois by 13 shots posting rounds of 67-64... Ranked among the Top 50 Junior Boys in 2004 by Golfweek magazine... 2003-2004 FCWT All American... Also posted one Top Ten and three Top Five finishes in his American Junior Golf Association (AJGA) career.

Personal: Born on December 3, 1986 in Fairfax, Virginia... Son of Steve and Alison Yount... Also recruited out of high school by the University of Arizona, UC Santa Barbara, and Xavier.

Major: Finance and Real Estate
Dale SMITH
Junior • Saltburn by the Sea, England • Freebrough CC

2008-09 at USD: Enters his junior year where he will play a key role in USD's success... This past Fall appeared in four tournaments finishing with a stroke average of 73.58 per round... Best finish was a tie for 11th at the Sycuan Collegiate Invitational where he finished at 5-under-par 211 (70-69-72)... In last two rounds of Kaua'i Collegiate, which the Toreros won, Smith fired back-to-back 71's in final two rounds.

2007-08 at USD: Named All-WCC Honorable Mention after helping the Toreros to the program's first-ever WCC title... At the WCC championships, tied for 11th overall with a three-round total of 224 after opening rounds of 71 & 72... Also tied for 4th among individuals at the Ron Moore Invitational with a three-round total of 219 (75-71-73).

2006-07 at USD: Played a key role in USD's success last during his freshman campaign... Averaged 74.52 for 33 rounds... Named First Team All-West Coast Conference after finishing in 6th place overall at 222 (75-74-73)... Tied for 16th at the Hawaii Fall Intercollegiate with a 220 total (72-74-74)... Carded a season-best 69 in second round of the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate where he finished with a three round score of 214 (2 under par).

High School: Was named the England Boys International Northern Boys Champion in 2006... Placed in the final 32 British Boys while playing for the England Boys Squad in 2005... In 2004, he played for the England Under 16s International Team where he was named Yorkshire Under 16s Boys Captain.

Personal: Born January 27, 1988 in Middlesbrough, U.K.... Parents are Shaun and Diane Smith of Skelton, Saltburn, UK... Played soccer for Middlesbrough FC for 6 years... Chose USD for its academics, ever improving golf team and good coaching staff.

Major: Finance  Minor: History

Ben MURRAY
Sophomore • La Quinta, CA • Texas Christian Univ.

2008-09 at USD: Enters his second season with the Toreros... This past Fall appeared in two tournaments... At the Sycuan Collegiate Invitational, shot a three-round total of 217 (1-over-par) with rounds of 76-70-71... Also competed in the Fighting Irish Gridiron Classic.

2007-08 at USD: Appeared in two tournaments for the Toreros... Participated in USD's Callaway Invitational, shooting a 73 in the second round.... Competed in the Ron Moore Invitational as an individual... Tied for 8th among individuals with a 221 total (74-75-72).

2006-07 Season: Played his freshman year at Texas Christian University.

High School: Attended La Quinta HS where he won the SoCal CIF Section and was named Most Valuable Player for his team... A Desert Valley All-League performer, was also his team's co-MVP his sophomore campaign, and named Freshman of the Year.

Personal: Born on May 19, 1989 in Palm Springs, CA... Parents are Mary and Matt Murray of La Quinta, CA... Chose USD for weather, golf, school and area... Also recruited by Arizona... Notes playing ping pong is his favorite hobby.

Major: Business
**Jason SHANO**

Sophomore • Scottsdale, AZ • Chaparral HS

**2008-09 at USD:** Second year player with the Toreros golf program... This past Fall competed in four tournaments for the Toreros where he averaged 72.75... His best finish was a tie for 11th at the Sycuan Collegiate Invitational where he finished at 5-under-par 211 (67-69-75)... Turned in a top-20 performance at the Kaua'i Collegiate with USD winning the tournament - Jason finished tied for 19th at 213 (71-73-69).

**2007-08 at USD:** Appeared in 10 tournaments during his freshman campaign... Averaged 75.17 over 29 rounds... Tied for 10th (103 golfers) at the John Burns Intercollegiate with a three-round total of 208 (72-71-65)... Followed that up by finishing tied for 11th (80 golfers) at the USD Callaway Invitational with a 218... He carded a 69 in the first round, and finished strong with a 68 in the final round... Tallied six rounds below 70.

**High School:** Attended Chaparral High School in Scottsdale, AZ... Was a member of the 4A All-State team for three consecutive years (Soph. thru Senior years)... Tied for 2nd in the Division 1 Boys State Championship in his senior year... Helped his school win the Arizona State Title in 2006... Placed 2nd at the 2006 4A Division I Desert Sky Regionals (shot 30 on back nine - 1st round; eagle, 3 birdies, 5 pars)... In the June of 2006, Jason won the Las Vegas Founders Junior Golf Championship with an impressive score of 69 on the final day and a three-round total of 206 for the tournament.

**Personal:** Born on September 23, 1988 in Scottsdale, AZ... Parents are Mike and Judy Shano of Scottsdale, AZ... Chose USD because of the outstanding coaching staff, the beautiful location of the school, and to receive a good education... Also recruited by Denver, University of the Pacific, and Texas... Besides golf, enjoys snowboarding.

**Major:** Undeclared

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**Gunner WIEBE**

Sophomore • Denver, CO • Kent Denver HS

**2008-09 at USD:** Gunner enters his second season with the Torero golf team... This past Fall he competed in the Sycuan Collegiate Invitational where he combined for a seven-over-par 223 (77-72-74).

**2007-08 at USD:** Played in five tournaments during his freshman campaign... Averaged 75.36 over 14 rounds... Strong showing at the USD Callaway Invitational where he finished tied for 3rd overall out of 80 golfers... Tallied a three-round score of 213 (72-71-70)... Also played well at the Barona Collegiate where he carded rounds of 70-77-70 to finish tied for 23rd out of 59 golfers.

**High School:** Attended Kent Denver High School in Colorado where he played for coach Bob Austin... During his senior year he earned seven individual wins and was named First Team All-State... Broke his own personal scoring record... Finished 3rd in the CJGA Junior Series Open in June 2006... As a junior, Gunner won six individual championships with the Sun Devils in the Metropolitan Conference while setting the team scoring record.

**Personal:** Born on January 1, 1989 in Englewood, CO... Parents are Mark and Cathy Wiebe of Aurora, CO... Chose USD for academic tradition, golf team and coaching staff... Also recruited by Colorado State, SJSU, Texas, Notre Dame, and Denver... His dad, Mark, owns two career PGA wins from a very successful professional career... This past summer Gunner had the privilege of caddying for his dad at the Senior British Open and Senior U.S. Open... His dad played collegiately at San Jose State before joining the PGA Tour in 1980.

**Major:** Undeclared
Alex CHING

Freshman • Honolulu, HI • Punahou HS

Notable: Played in the 2008 Sony Open where he shot back-to-back 72’s at the Waialae Country Club (par 70/7,068 yards)... He earned the chance to tee it up with the pros by winning a one-spot qualifier on December 17th, 2007, for the amateurs that played in the Governor’s Cup, a Ryder Cup-style competition between Hawaii’s best amateurs and club pros.

2008-09 at USD: First year with the Toreros... During the Fall campaign showed he will make an immediate impact with the USD men’s golf program... He averaged 71.53 for 15 rounds and turned in two top-10 finishes in team’s last two tournaments... Tied for 8th at the Sycuan Collegiate with a 7-under 209 (68-71-70), and followed up with a tie for 4th at the Kauai Intercollegiate Invitational at 205 (69-69-67)... USD took home the Kaua’i Collegiate Invitational trophy at the Puakea Golf Course by winning by 15 strokes... Five of his fifteen rounds were sub-70.

High School: Joined the Punahou golf team his senior year after concentrating on tennis as a two-time state doubles champion... In golf, Ching won the 100th Manoa Cup, the most prestigious amateur championship locally; the Hickam Invitational, the Army Amateur and the Oahu Country Club Invitational... That is in addition to winning the ILH and stay boys’ titles, and leading his team to the league and state team championships.

Personal: Born on April 1, 1990 in Honolulu, Hawaii... Parents are Steve and Kori Ching of Honolulu... Chose USD for its great weather, good golf team, and excellent education... Also recruited by USF, Pepperdine, and New Mexico... Has a great passion for ocean sports - surfing, body board, kayak and fishing.

Major: Business

Giles HEDLEY

Freshman • Durban, South Africa • Hilton College

2008-09 at USD: First year with the Toreros.

High School: Attended Hilton College where he played for coach Mike Todd... Both senior and junior seasons earned school honors and Provincial Colours... Also competed for Kloof Country Club with team winning league honors in 2005.

Personal: Born on April 15, 1989 in Durban, South Africa... Parents are Mark and Anne Hedley of Durban, South Africa... Chose USD for its golf program and strong academics.

Major: Business Finance
Kenneth McCREADY
Sophomore • Placerville, CA • Union Mine

2008-09 at USD: Third season with USD and second in competition... This past Fall he competed in the Wolverine Intercollegiate in Ann Arbor, MI... Carded a third round score of 74.

2007-08 at USD: Sat out as a redshirt.

2006-07 at USD: Appeared in four tournaments during his freshman campaign... Averaged 76.0 for 12 rounds... Best finish was tied for 40th (83 golfers) at the Hawaii Fall Intercollegiate... Turned in an even-par 72 in final round of the Hawaii Fall Intercollegiate.

High School: Attended Union Mine High School where the Diamondbacks were Sierra Valley Conference league champions during his sophomore campaign... Two year League MVP.

Personal: Born on March 20, 1988 in Sacramento, CA... Parents are Thomas and Ellen McCready of Placerville, CA... His sister, Kimberly, played golf at the University of Oregon... Chose USD for a great education, along with campus atmosphere and solid golf program... Also recruited by Oregon, San Jose State and New Mexico... Earned Second Honors Dean's List at USD... Enjoys snowboarding which he has been doing for 10 years.

Major: Marketing

Lukas ERIKSSON
Freshman • Mariehamn, Finland • Alands Lyceum HS

2008-09 at USD: First year competing with the Toreros.

High School: Attended Alands Lyceum and competed in golf for the Alands Golf Klubb.

Personal: Born on May 30, 1989 in Mariehamn, Finland... Parents are Kenneth and Kati Eriksson of Mariehamn, Finland... Chose USD to be able to play golf year round in a great environment.

Major: Economics
TORERO TEAM ROOM & TRANSPORTATION

USD GOLF TEAM ROOM
Created in 2003 by then first year head coach Tim Mickelson, the USD Golf Team Room (top left two pictures), located in the USD Sports Center, gives players an on campus meeting area to study and relax. Equipped with a full locker room, the team room also boasts lockers for every player and a study area that includes a high-speed internet computer. The room is also equipped with wireless internet for laptops as well. The team room also serves as a gathering place for team meetings, sporting events on the big screen television, or a friendly game of golf on the new Playstation 2 or the classic Golden Tee arcade system.

CLUB REPAIR ROOM
The latest addition to the team room is the workbench designed for club repair. Set aside in the locker room, the work area is equipped with a loft/lie machine and all the supplies to repair golf clubs. With the help of True Temper and Rife shafts, along with Golf Pride and Lamkin grips, we have all the needed supplies to outfit our equipment for success.

TORERO EXCURSION
Donated to the USD Golf program in the winter of 2005, the Torero Excursion is the official vehicle of the USD men's golf team. The team uses the Excursion for travel to competition, practice, and recruiting. The players enjoy the comfortable travel as the Excursion is equipped with seating for 7, Satellite radio, two TV monitors, power outlets, and Direct TV so they never have to miss that important sporting event while traveling.
Patrick Hawkins, '99 Medalist

In 1999 Patrick Hawkins shot a three-round total of 217 to edge out teammate Ryan Hanratty for medalist honors. The Toreros won their event for the second time with a team total of 893 at the Shadowridge Country Club in Vista, California. Berry Henson, playing as an individual, placed 4th overall with his 221 total.

**USD TORERO MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS (1980-99)**

1998-99    Keshav Misra
1997-98    Patrick Hawkins
1996-97    Brian Marchiori
1995-96    Jeramy Hainline
1994-95    Jeramy Hainline
1993-94    Larry Petryk
1992-93    Steve Brown
1991-92    Steve Brown
1990-91    Creighton Aotani
1989-90    Rick Schultz
1988-89    Geoff Dean
1987-88    John Schabacker
1986-87    Nonie Taguiam
1985-86    Nonie Taguiam
1984-85    Bret James
1983-84    Steve Callaway
1982-83    Greg Anderson
1981-82    Steve Callaway
1980-81    Bob Badke

**2009 CALLAWAY MATCH PLAY**
**Presented by The Farms Golf Club**
**March 22-24, 2009 -- 36 Hole Tournament**

On March 22-24, 2009, USD will host the Callaway Golf Collegiate Match Play Championship and it will be played at The Farms Golf Club in Rancho Santa Fe, Calif. This marks the first year the Collegiate Match Play will be hosted by a school and also marks the first year that the NCAA Championship format will mirror the format of the Collegiate Match Play Championship. The format will consist of 36 holes of stroke play on Sunday March 22 with two days of match play to be played on March 23rd and 24th.

This event will feature one of the strongest nationwide fields of the year with the following teams competing: Alabama, Arizona State, UC Irvine, UNC Charlotte, UT Chattanooga, Duke, Florida State, Indiana, Louisville, Middle Tennessee State, San Diego State, Texas A&M, Texas Tech and host Toreros.

**PAST USD INVITATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONS (1986-2007)**

2008 - Wichita State (853) @ Farms Golf Club
2007 - San Diego State (867) @ Farms Golf Club
2006 - San Diego State (880) @ Farms Golf Club
2003 - University of Utah (909) @ Del Mar Country Club
2002 - San Diego State (882) @ Del Mar Country Club
2001 - Fresno State University (864) @ Shadowridge Country Club
2000 - Cal State Stanislaus (899) @ Shadowridge Country Club
1999 - Univ. of San Diego (885) @ Shadowridge Country Club
1998 - UC Davis (893) @ Shadowridge Country Club
1997 - Central Florida (879) @ Shadowridge Country Club
1996 - Cal State Stanislaus (872) @ EastLake Country Club
1995 - San Diego State (892) @ EastLake Country Club
1994 - Cal State Stanislaus (880) @ Stardust Country Club
1993 - Cal State Sacramento (912) @ Stardust Country Club
1992 - San Diego State (886) @ Steele Canyon Golf Course
1990 - U.S. International (592, 2 rounds) @ Carmel Mountain Ranch
1989 - U. of San Diego (603, 2 rounds) @ Carmel Mountain Ranch
1988 - San Diego State (370, 1 round) @ Stardust Country Club
1986 - UC San Diego (381, 1 round) @ San Diego Country Club

Toreros MVP in 1988-89 Geoff Dean

Two-time USD MVP Jeramy Hainline
The WCC has sponsored men's golf championships since 1969, and the USD Toreros have been competing since 1980. The 2009 WCC golf championships will be held at the Hiddenbrooke Golf Course, April 13-14, 2009 in Vallejo, CA.

The Toreros have had 35 student-athletes place among the top-10 finishers at the WCC Championships with Jake Yount (2008), Patrick Hawkins (1998) and Brett James (1985) walking away with the individual medalist honors and WCC trophy.

As a team the Toreros have placed in the upper-division fifteen different times with a program-best 2008 title and a 2nd place finish in six different seasons (2007, 1998, 1985, 1984, 1982 and 1980).

The Toreros have also fared well in the classroom among their WCC competitors. Since 1992 San Diego has placed 24 student-athletes on the WCC All-Academic Squad. To be selected student-athletes must be a starter or key contributor and carry a cumulative grade-point average of 3.2 or above (4.0 scale) in the classroom.

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USD's Jimmy Harris was a first-team All-WCC selection in 2004.
2008-09 SAN DIEGO GOLF SCHEDULE

Sept. 8  USF Olympic Club Intercollegiate
Sept. 9  USF Olympic Club Intercollegiate
Sept. 20 2008 Wolverine Intercollegiate
Sept. 21 2008 Wolverine Intercollegiate
Oct. 6  Notre Dame Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic
Oct. 7  Notre Dame Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic
Oct. 20  Sycuan Collegiate
Oct. 21  Sycuan Collegiate
Nov. 3  Kauai Collegiate Invitational
Nov. 11  Kauai Collegiate Invitational
Nov. 5  Kauai Collegiate Invitational
Feb. 9  San Diego Classic
Feb. 18  John Burns Intercollegiate
Feb. 19  John Burns Intercollegiate
Feb. 20  John Burns Intercollegiate
Mar. 9  Fresno Classic
Mar. 10  Fresno Classic
Mar. 16  Barona Collegiate Cup
Mar. 17  Barona Collegiate Cup
Mar. 22  Callaway Match Play
Mar. 23  Callaway Match Play
Mar. 24  Callaway Match Play
Apr. 6  Wyoming Cowboy Classic
Apr. 7  Wyoming Cowboy Classic
Apr. 12  West Coast Conference Championships
Apr. 14  West Coast Conference Championships

San Francisco, CA
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Ann Arbor, MI
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South Bend, IN
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El Cajon, CA
El Cajon, CA
Kauai, HI
Kauai, HI
Kauai, HI
La Jolla, CA
Schofield Barracks, HI
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Fresno, CA
Fresno, CA
Lakeside, CA
Lakeside, CA
Rancho Santa Fe, CA
Rancho Santa Fe, CA
Rancho Santa Fe, CA
Scottsdale, AZ
Scottsdale, AZ
Vallejo, CA
Vallejo, CA