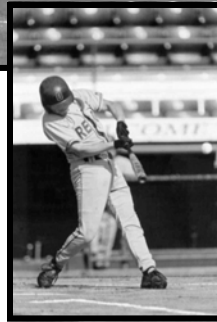




**University of Oregon**



**2004**

**05**

**BASEBALL**

**MEDIA GUIDE**



# SEASON PREVIEW



## 2004-05 BASEBALL SEASON

Baseball is back this year in the Pacific Mountain Conference with the University of Oregon Fighting Ducks returning as defending champions of the Northern Pacific Region. Look for this year's team to make a strong showing in this competitive league. The Ducks have many returning starters as well as several good young players and great potential to go back to the NCBA World Series in Florida again this year.



# BASEBALL COACHING STAFF



**#48 - Head Coach, Bradley Ficek**  
Hometown - Salem, OR  
Year in School - Graduated  
Degree - B.S. Educational Studies (2004)  
Last School - University of Oregon  
Hobbies - Baseball, Travel, Reading, Foreign Films  
Favorite Team - New York Mets  
Favorite Player - John Olerud  
Favorite Music - Reggae, Dance Hall, Blue Grass, Folk



**#34 - Assistant Coach, Dante Jordán**  
Hometown - Olympia, WA  
Year in School - Graduate Student  
Major - Public Administration  
Last School - Oregon Institute of Technology  
Degree - B.S. Applied Psychology/International Relations (2004)  
Hobbies - DJing, Basketball, Sci-Fi  
Favorite Team - Seattle Seahawks  
Favorite Player - Michael Jordan, Steve Largent  
Favorite Music - Def Leppard, Van Halen, Robert Plant



**#22 - Pitching Coach, Matt Mensik**  
Hometown - Needville, TX  
Year in School - Graduated  
Degree - B.S. Psychology (2004)  
Last School - University of Oregon  
Hobbies - Baseball, Reading  
Favorite Team - Boston Red Sox  
Favorite Player - Craig Biggio  
Favorite Music - Rock



**#51 - Pitching Coach, Jordan Shaw**  
Hometown - Lake Oswego, OR  
Year in School - Graduated  
Degree - B.A. Sociology (2005)  
Last School - University of Oregon  
Hobbies - Basketball, Music, Ping Pong  
Favorite Sports Team - New York Yankees  
Favorite Player - Latrell Sprewell  
Favorite Music - Hip Hop

# BASEBALL TEAM ROSTER



## 2004-05 Fighting Duck Baseball

NO.	PLAYER	YEAR	POS	HOMETOWN
0	Jonathan Jwayad	So.	P	Portland, OR
1	Travis Brown	Jr.	SS/2B	Salem, OR
3	Gavin Wahl-Stephens	Sr.	1B	Portland, OR
4	Casey Fife	So.	OF/P	Eugene, OR
5	Mike Hook-Venini	Sr.	P	Portland, OR
6	Marcus Denney	Sr.	2B	The Dalles, OR
7	Gregory Wells	Jr.	P	Gresham, OR
8	Jerry Wahl-Stephens	Sr.	SS/2B	Portland, OR
9	Brent Sasser	Jr.	P	The Dalles, OR
10	Jeffrey Frank	Fr.	C	Milwaukie, OR
11	Mason Wright	Sr.	OF	Portland, OR
12	Jordan Denney	Jr.	OF/P	The Dalles, OR
13	Jonathan Loomis	Sr.	C	Portland, OR
14	Ruskin Fiegenbaum	So.	C/U	Beaverton, OR
16	Nicholas Hall	So.	P	Sherwood, OR
17	Donald Udell	Jr.	P	Seaside, OR
18	Tom O'Brien	Jr.	P	Forest Grove, OR
19	Matthew Oss	So.	1B/OF	Canby, OR
20	Ian McEwen	Sr.	OF/P	Lake Oswego, OR
21	Anthony Del Prete	Jr.	OF	North Bend, OR
23	Edgar Gallardo	Fr.	P	Las Vegas, NV
24	Scott Sullivan	So.	P	Beaverton, OR
25	Tory Caputo	Sr.	OF	North Albany, OR
28	Taylor Carson	Jr.	3B	Portland, OR
30	Adam Dexter	Fr.	OF	Palo Alto, CA
31	Travis Chock	Sr.	3B	Honolulu, HI
33	David Schott	Fr.	P	Gervais, OR
38	RJ DePalo	So.	OF	Scottsdale, AZ
41	Timothy Hegdahl	Jr.	P/2B	Ashland, OR
42	Ryan McEwan	So.	P	Lake Oswego, OR
44	Jay Tlougan	Jr.	P/SS	Jackson Hole, WY
73	Shaun Ornellas	Jr.	P	Hayward, CA
77	Geoff Ziemer	Fr.	P	Portland, OR

# BASEBALL SCHEDULE

## 2005 Duck Baseball

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	RESULT	GAMES
Sat.	Feb 12th	Oregon Institute of Technology	Bocchi Field - Klamath Falls, OR	Snow	2
Sun.	Feb 13th	Oregon Institute of Technology	Bocchi Field - Klamath Falls, OR	Snow	1
Thu.	Feb 24th	University of California at Santa Cruz	Sam Boyd Complex - Las Vegas, NV	W (5-2)	1
Fri.	Feb 25th	University of Wyoming	Sam Boyd Complex - Las Vegas, NV	W (12-4)	1
Sat.	Feb 26th	University of Montana	Sam Boyd Complex - Las Vegas, NV	W (6-2)	1
Sat.	Feb 26th	Weber State University	Sam Boyd Complex - Las Vegas, NV	L (3-4)	1
Sat.	Mar 5th	Humboldt State University	Civic Stadium - Eugene, OR	L (2-8), W (7-6)	2
Sun.	Mar 6th	Humboldt State University	Civic Stadium - Eugene, OR	W (18-1)	1
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Mar 12th</b>	<b>*The Evergreen State College</b>	<b>Black Hills HS - Olympia, WA</b>	<b>W (27-0), W (18-7)</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Mar 13th</b>	<b>*The Evergreen State College</b>	<b>Black Hills HS - Olympia, WA</b>	<b>W (16-0)</b>	<b>1</b>
Wed.	Mar 16th	Lewis and Clark College	Huston Sports Complex - Lake Oswego, OR	RAIN	1
Wed.	Apr 6th	Lewis and Clark College	Huston Sports Complex - Lake Oswego, OR	W (13-8)	1
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Apr 9th</b>	<b>*Western Washington University</b>	<b>Joe Martin Stadium - Bellingham, WA</b>	<b>W (6-5), L (1-2)</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Apr 10th</b>	<b>*Western Washington University</b>	<b>Joe Martin Stadium - Bellingham, WA</b>	<b>L (9-11)</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Apr 23rd</b>	<b>*Eastern Washington University</b>	<b>Ed Chissus Field - Cheney, WA</b>	<b>W (9-8), W (9-2)</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Apr 24th</b>	<b>*Eastern Washington University</b>	<b>Ed Chissus Field - Cheney, WA</b>	<b>W (12-9)</b>	<b>1</b>
Tue.	Apr 26th	Willamette University	Roy S. Keene Stadium - Salem, OR	L (5-6)	1
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Apr 30th</b>	<b>*Western Washington University</b>	<b>Civic Stadium - Eugene, OR</b>	<b>W (3-2), W (5-2)</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>May 1st</b>	<b>*Western Washington University</b>	<b>Civic Stadium - Eugene, OR</b>	<b>W (7-5)</b>	<b>1</b>
Wed.	May 4th	Linfield College	Roy Helser Field - McMinnville, OR	L (4-13), L (1-10)	2
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>May 7th</b>	<b>*Eastern Washington University</b>	<b>Civic Stadium - Eugene, OR</b>	<b>W (6-1), W (12-1)</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>May 8th</b>	<b>*The Evergreen State College</b>	<b>Civic Stadium - Eugene, OR</b>	<b>RAIN</b>	<b>2</b>
Fri.	May 13th	**Weber State University	Swede Johnson Stadium - Eugene, OR	W (13-4)	1
Sat.	May 14th	**UCLA	Swede Johnson Stadium - Eugene, OR	W (13-7)	1
Sun.	May 15th	**Western Washington University	Swede Johnson Stadium - Eugene, OR	L (4-8), W (7-0)	2
Thu.	May 26th	***North Carolina State University	McKechnie Field - Bradenton, FL	W (3-1)	1
Fri.	May 27th	***Colorado State University	McKechnie Field - Bradenton, FL	L (1-6)	1
Sat.	May 28th	***University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire	McKechnie Field - Bradenton, FL	L (1-8)	1

\* BOLD denotes Pacific Mountain Conference Games (NCBA)

\*\* Regional Tournament

\*\*\* World Series

# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Jonathan Jwayad  
# - 0  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - Linn Benton Community College  
Major - Political Science  
Hobby - Bowling  
Favorite Team - Boston Red Sox  
Favorite Player - Nomar Garciaparra  
Favorite Music - Dave Matthews Band



Full Name - Gavin Wahl-Stephens  
# - 3  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Cleveland High School  
Major - Cultural Anthropology  
Hobby - Guitar  
Favorite Team - Chicago Cubs  
Favorite Player - Jim Thome  
Favorite Music - Eric Clapton



Full Name - Casey Fife  
# - 4  
Hometown - Eugene, OR  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - South Eugene High School  
Major - Journalism  
Hobby - Art  
Favorite Team - Boston Red Sox  
Favorite Player - Frank Thomas  
Favorite Music - Pink Floyd



Full Name - Mike Hook-Venini  
# - 5  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Cleveland High School  
Major - Business  
Hobby - Sports  
Favorite Team - New York Yankees  
Favorite Player - Shaquille O'Neal  
Favorite Music - Rap



# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Marcus Denney  
# - 6  
Hometown - The Dalles, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - The Dalles High School  
Major - Accounting  
Hobby - Fishing  
Favorite Team - Oakland Athletics  
Favorite Player - Pete Rose  
Favorite Music - Eagles



Full Name - Gregory Wells  
# - 7  
Hometown - Gresham, OR  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Sam Barlow High School  
Major - Sports Marketing  
Hobby - Sports  
Favorite Team - Boston Red Sox  
Favorite Player - Tiger Woods  
Favorite Music - Yellow Card



Full Name - Jerry Wahl-Stephens  
# - 8  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Cleveland High School  
Major - Journalism  
Hobby - Sports  
Favorite Team - San Francisco Giants  
Favorite Player - Barry Bonds  
Favorite Music - Mark Knopfler



Full Name - Brent Sasser  
# - 9  
Hometown - The Dalles, OR  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - The Dalles High School  
Major - Educational Foundations  
Hobby - Fly Fishing  
Favorite Team - Oregon Ducks  
Favorite Player - Ryu Seung Min  
Favorite Music - Jimmy Buffet



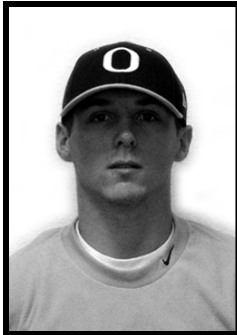
# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Jeffrey Frank  
# - 10  
Hometown - Milwaukie, OR  
Year in School - Freshman  
Last School - Milwaukie High School  
Major - Journalism  
Hobby - Baseball  
Favorite Team - Atlanta Braves  
Favorite Player - Chipper Jones  
Favorite Music - Linkin Park



Full Name - Mason Wright  
# - 11  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Lower Columbia College  
Major - Sociology  
Hobby - Basketball  
Favorite Team - Boston Red Sox  
Favorite Player - Jamaal Tinsley  
Favorite Music - Shyne



Full Name - Jordan Denney  
# - 12  
Hometown - The Dalles, OR  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Clackamas Community College  
Major - Sociology  
Hobby - Golfing  
Favorite Team - Seattle Mariners  
Favorite Player - Ken Griffey Jr.  
Favorite Music - All Types



Full Name - Jonathan Loomis  
# - 13  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Wilson High School  
Major - Economics  
Hobby - Fly Fishing  
Favorite Team - 1995 Buffalo Bills  
Favorite Player - Dan Wilson  
Favorite Music - Yanni



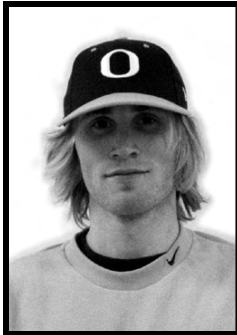
# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Ruskin Fiegenbaum  
# - 14  
Hometown - Beaverton, OR  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - Beaverton High School  
Major - Political Science  
Hobby - Shooting Dice  
Favorite Team - Portland Trailblazers  
Favorite Player - Clyde Drexler  
Favorite Music - Outkast



Full Name - Nicholas Hall  
# - 16  
Hometown - Sherwood, OR  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - Pacific Lutheran University  
Major - Business  
Hobby - Snowboarding  
Favorite Team - New York Yankees  
Favorite Player - Alex Rodriguez  
Favorite Band - Taking Back Sunday



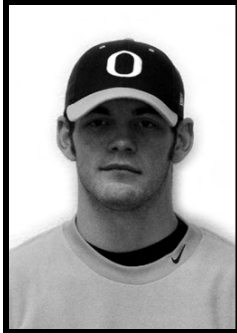
Full Name - Donald Udell  
# - 17  
Hometown - Seaside, OR  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Seaside High School  
Major - Architecture  
Hobby - Surfing  
Favorite Team - Portland Trailblazers  
Favorite Player - Jerome Kersey  
Favorite Music - Alternative Rock



Full Name - Tom O'Brien  
# - 18  
Hometown - Forest Grove, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Whitworth College  
Major - Economics  
Hobby - Reading  
Favorite Team - Seattle Mariners  
Favorite Player - Spike Owen  
Favorite Music - William Shatner



# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Matthew Oss  
# - 19  
Hometown - Canby, OR  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - Clackamas Community College  
Major - Sports Marketing  
Hobby - Music  
Favorite Team - Atlanta Braves  
Favorite Player - Andruw Jones  
Favorite Music - Incubus



Full Name - Ian McEwen  
# - 20  
Hometown - Lake Oswego, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Portland State University  
Major - Political Science  
Hobby - Politics  
Favorite Team - Portland Trailblazers  
Favorite Player - Cal Ripken Jr.  
Favorite Music - Ras Kass



Full Name - Anthony Del Prete  
# - 21  
Hometown - North Bend, OR  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Southern Oregon Comm. College  
Major - Business  
Hobby - Snowboarding  
Favorite Team - Los Angeles Dodgers  
Favorite Player - Pedro Martinez  
Favorite Music - Rock



Full Name - Edgar Gallardo  
# - 23  
Hometown - Las Vegas, NV  
Year in School - Freshman  
Last School - Durango High School  
Major - Journalism and Multimedia Design  
Hobby - Sports  
Favorite Team - Los Angeles Dodgers  
Favorite Player - Alex Rodriguez  
Favorite Music - All Country



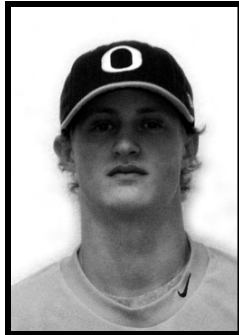
# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Scott Sullivan  
# - 24  
Hometown - Beaverton, OR  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - Beaverton High School  
Major - Sports Marketing  
Hobby - Halo  
Favorite Team - Seattle Mariners  
Favorite Player - David Ortiz  
Favorite Music - The Game



Full Name - Tory Caputo  
# - 25  
Hometown - North Albany, OR  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - University of the Sunshine Coast  
Major - Geographic Information Science  
Hobby - Surfing  
Favorite Team - San Francisco Giants  
Favorite Player - Will Clark  
Favorite Music - Grateful Dead



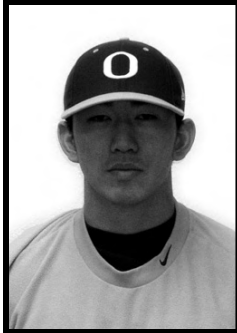
Full Name - Taylor Carson  
# - 28  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Lincoln High School  
Major - Business and Spanish  
Hobby - Video Games  
Favorite Team - Oregon Ducks  
Favorite Player - Matt Geiger  
Favorite Music - Led Zeppelin



Full Name - Adam Dexter  
# - 30  
Hometown - Palo Alto, CA  
Year in School - Freshman  
Last School - Palo Alto High School  
Major - Undeclared  
Hobby - Snowboarding  
Favorite Team - Boston Red Sox  
Favorite Player - Nomar Garciaparra  
Favorite Music - Van Halen



# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Travis Chock  
# - 31  
Hometown - Honolulu, HI  
Year in School - Senior  
Last School - Punahou High School  
Major - Education  
Hobby - Poker  
Favorite Team - Hawaii Rainbow Warriors  
Favorite Player - Jose Oquendo  
Favorite Music - James Taylor



Full Name - David Schott  
# - 33  
Hometown - Gervais, OR  
Year in School - Freshman  
Last School - Gervais High School  
Major - Journalism: Public Relations  
Hobby - Sports  
Favorite Team - Boston Red Sox  
Favorite Player - Michael Jordan  
Favorite Music - Blink 182



Full Name - RJ DePalo  
# - 38  
Hometown - Scottsdale, AZ  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - Arizona State University  
Major - Political Science  
Hobby - Baseball  
Favorite Team - Los Angeles Lakers  
Favorite Player - Barry Bonds  
Favorite Music - R&B



Full Name - Timothy Hegdahl  
# - 41  
Hometown - Ashland, OR  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Ashland High School  
Major - Sociology  
Hobby - Fly Fishing  
Favorite Team - Oakland Athletics  
Favorite Player - Tim Hudson  
Favorite Music - Dave Matthews Band



# BASEBALL - PLAYER PROFILES



Full Name - Ryan McEwan  
# - 42  
Hometown - Lake Oswego, OR  
Year in School - Sophomore  
Last School - Lakeridge High School  
Major - Economics and Political Science  
Hobby - Eating Chocolate and Cookies  
Favorite Team - San Francisco Giants  
Favorite Player - Darius Miles  
Favorite Music - Allman Brothers Band



Full Name - Jay Tlougan  
# - 44  
Hometown - Jackson Hole, WY  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Jackson Hole High School  
Major - Philosophy  
Hobby - Guitar  
Favorite Team - Pittsburgh Pirates  
Favorite Player - Jose Vidro  
Favorite Music - Jimi Hendrix



Full Name - Shaun Ornellas  
# - 73  
Hometown - Hayward, CA  
Year in School - Junior  
Last School - Mount Eden High School  
Major - Political Science  
Hobby - Sports  
Favorite Team - Oakland Athletics  
Favorite Player - Bobby Crosby  
Favorite Music - Social Distortion



Full Name - Geoff Ziemer  
# - 77  
Hometown - Portland, OR  
Year in School - Freshman  
Last School - Franklin High School  
Major - English  
Hobby - Baseball  
Favorite Team - Portland Trailblazers  
Favorite Player - Freddy Jones  
Favorite Music - Tupac Shakur



# PACIFIC MOUNTAIN CONFERENCE



## Member Schools

Central Oregon Community College

Eastern Washington University

Evergreen State College

**University of Oregon**

Western Washington University

# **DUCK QUICK FACTS**

## **University of Oregon**

**Club Sports Department  
1228 University of Oregon  
Eugene, OR 97403**

**Club Sports: (541) 346-3733**

**FAX: (541) 346-3913**

**<http://darkwing.uoregon.edu/~clbsprts/baseball.html>**

**Established in 1876**

**Enrollment: 20,044**

**18:1 Student / Faculty Ratio**

**295 Acre Campus**

The University of Oregon is a comprehensive research university that serves its students and the people of Oregon, the nation, and the world through the creation and transfer of knowledge in the liberal arts, the natural and social sciences, and the professions. It is the Association of American Universities flagship institution of the Oregon University System.

## **Mighty Oregon**

Oregon, our Alma Mater  
We will guard thee on and on  
Let us gather round and cheer her  
Chant her glory Oregon  
Roar the praises of her warriors  
Sing the story Oregon  
On to victory urge the heroes  
Of our mighty Oregon!

## University of Oregon Fighting Ducks

The University of Oregon's Fighting Ducks have an outstanding tradition of sports excellence. Our club sports teams enjoy a strong presence in their respective conferences, and have had impressive showings in many national tournaments. The University of Oregon is proud of the academic and personal successes of our student athletes. Scholar Athletes, Academic All-Americans, and high GPAs typify all Duck teams. The community and our fans show their commitment to the University of Oregon as well, and their spirit helps make our athletes feel great about playing for us.



**University of Oregon**  
1585 E. 13th Ave.  
Eugene, Oregon 97403  
(541) 346-1000

Colors:	Green and Yellow
Nickname:	The Fighting Ducks
Club Sports Director:	Sandy Vaughn
Office Manager:	Shawn Rubino
Baseball Trainer:	Erin Osiecki
Home Stadium:	Civic Stadium Swede Johnson Stadium



**National Club Baseball Association**