

## **CONFERENCE NEWS**

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#### **UPCOMING SCHEDULE**

Friday, Mar. 20

USAG Championships at AIR FORCE 4:00 pm (MT) (Team Finals)

Saturday, Mar. 21

USAG Championships at AIR FORCE 2:00 pm (MT) (Event Finals)

Saturday, Mar. 28

MPSF Championships at AIR FORCE 5:00 pm (MT)

Thursday-Saturday, Apr. 9-11

NCAA Champi<mark>onships at OKLAHOMA 7:00 pm (</mark>CT)

#### SCHEDULE/RESULTS NOTES

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#### **RECENT RESULTS**

Saturday, Mar. 14

1. No. 1 OKLAHOMA 449.700 2. No. 8 Ohio State 425.700

Friday, Mar. 13

No. 7 CALIFORNIA 430.750
 Washington 386.350
 No. 10 Air Force 425.650

2. No. 16 ARIZONA STATE 408.250

Sunday, Mar. 8

% No. 1 Oklahoma 443.300
 No. 6 CALIFORNIA 430.800
 No. 3 Stanford 425.800
 No. 17 ILLINOIS-CHI 408.250
 Arizona State 397.300

Saturday, Mar. 7

No. 10 AIR FORCE 429.900
 No. 19 Washington 395.100

Friday, Mar. 6

No. 3 Stanford
 No. 2 ILLINOIS
 440.300
 420.400

#### 2015 MPSF MEN'S GYMNASTICS

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#### ALLAN BOWER OF OKLAHOMA MPSF GYMNAST OF THE WEEK

**Oklahoma** sophomore **Allan Bower** (Chandler, AZ) scored a 15 or higher on all three events in OU's 449.700 to 425.700 win over No. 8 Ohio State. Bower claimed the event titles on the vault (15.450) and parallel bars (15.200). The vault score of 15.450 matches Bower's career-best on the apparatus. Bower also posted a 15.050 on the pommel horse.



Also Nominated: Josh Ramos (AFA); Kevin Wolting (CAL)....

#### NO. 1 OKLAHOMA COMPLETES UNDEFEATED REGULAR SEASON

**No. 1 OKLAHOMA** wrapped up an unbeaten regular season for the first time since 2011, cruising past No. 8 Ohio State (Mar. 14), 449.700-425.700 to move to 13-0 on the year. The Sooners' senior class never lost a home meet in their four years. Oklahoma also became the only team in the nation to record 440-plus in every regular season meet during 2015. Michael Squires turned in the highest score of the meet, posting a 16.050 to win still rings. He went unbeaten in the event this year with six scores of at least 16. Allan Bower claimed titles on vault (15.450) and parallel bars (15.200). The vault score matches his career-best. Bower also posted a 15.050 on the pommel horse. Alec Robin won floor (15.700) and Jacoby Rubin high bar (15.500). Michael Reid claimed his fifth pommel horse title of the year (15.600).

**No. 8 CALIFORNIA** closed out the 2015 regular season on Friday (Mar. 13) with a win over No. 20 Washington. The Bears totaled 430.750 and were led by all-arounder Kevin Wolting, who claimed the all-around title with a total score of 88.900, the second-highest score in his career. He captured the individual title on floor with a 15.600, and was impressive on high bar (15.100) and pommel horse (career-high 14.950). Ryan Patterson went all-around for the first time in 2015, compiling an 86.000 for second-place. Kyle Zemeir hit a 14.800 on still rings, good for the event title. Taka Kawada had a season-best 15.100 to claim the pommel horse crown.

**No. 10 AIR FORCE** Josh Ramos collected a pair of first-place finishes to lead the 10th-ranked Falcons to a 425.650-408.250 win at No. 16 Arizona State (Mar. 13). He matched his career-high of 15.100 to take first on the parallel bars, and won the floor with a score of 14.900. His parallel bars score was third-best for the program. Air Force tallied its seventh-best high bar total in Academy history (71.200), led by Chase Cannon's No. 2 all-time Falcon score (15.100). Arinn Wade and Denis Aurelius were also event winners, taking pommel horse (15.150) and still rings (15.150), respectively. Air Force hosts the USAG Championships this weekend (Mar. 20-21), followed by the MPSGF Championships (Mar. 28).

**No. 2/3 STANFORD** ended its regular season Mar. 6-8, as it took down No. 2 Illinois on the road (Mar. 6), 440.300-420.400. The Cardinal registered season-bests on floor (75.200) and vault (74.900). Akash Modi claimed all three of Stanford's individual event victories, placing first on floor (15.550), pommel horse (15.250) and parallel bars (15.500). Modi has earned 17 individual event victories against NCAA teams this season: all-around (4), parallel bars (4), floor (3), pommel horse (3), rings (2), and high bar (1). Stanford tallied a 425.800 to place ahead of Illinois-Chicago (408.250) and Arizona State (397.300) in the regular season finale (Mar. 8). Michael Levy led the Cardinal with individual event wins on floor (14.950) and rings (14.950). Brandon Beckhardt earned the individual victory on rings with a 14.200. Ryan Sheppard went 15.150 on high bar to place first, while Robert Neff tallied a 87.300 in the all-around to earn his first collegiate win in the event.

## **2015 MPSF MEN'S GYMNASTICS**

## **2015 MPSF GYMNASTS OF THE WEEK**

Jan. 13Akash Modi, So., Stanford	ł
Jan. 20Mike Squires, Sr., Oklahoma	I
Jan. 27Akash Modi, So., Stanford	1
Feb. 3Kevin Wolting, California	
Feb. 10Akash Modi, Stanford	
Feb. 17Kanji Oyama, Oklahoma	
Feb. 24Allan Bower, Oklahoma	1
Mar. 3Alec Robin, Oklahoma	
Mar. 10Akash Modi, Stanford	
Mar. 17Allan Bower, Oklahoma	
Mar. 24	

### **2015 MPSF CHAMPIONSHIP MEET**



Four teams compete in the 23rd Annual MPSF Men's Gymnastics Championship Meet; March 28, 2015 at 5:00 pm (MT), hosted by the Air Force Academy. Joining the host Falcons will be Oklahoma, California, and Stanford.

## **2015 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP MEET**

April 9-11, 2015 Lloyd Noble Center University of Oklahoma Norman, OK

#### **MEN'S GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONS**

Year	MPSF	Score	NCAA
2014	Oklahoma	446.100	Michigan
2013	Oklahoma	435.350	Michigan
2012	Oklahoma	355.600	Illinois
2011	Stanford	362.250	Stanford
2010	Oklahoma	354.550	<b>Michigan</b>
2009	Stanford	363.750	Stanford
2008	Oklahoma	359.150	Oklahoma
2007	Oklahoma	217.950	Penn State
2006	Oklahoma	219.175	Oklahoma
2005	Oklahoma	225.650	Oklahoma
2004	California	220.225	Penn State
2003	Okl <mark>aho</mark> ma	223.500	Oklahoma
2002	Oklahoma	219.225	Oklahoma
2001	Oklahoma	217.725	Ohio State
2000	Oklahoma	230.675	Penn State
1999	Oklahoma/Nebraska	228.775	Michigan
1998	California	229.050	California
1997	Nebraska	230.700	California
1996	California	228.950	Ohio State
1995	Stanford	229.000	Stanford
1994	UCLA	N/A	Nebraska
1993	Stanford	N/A	Stanford

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## **2015 MPSF MEN'S GYMNASTICS**

# WEEKLY NATIONAL TEAM RANKINGS (3/16/15)

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#### Coaches' Poll:

Rank Team Name		Points/1 <sup>st</sup> -place	
1	Oklahoma	(360 points/18)	
2	Stanford	(337 points)	
3	Michigan	(308 points)	
4	Penn State	(303 points)	
5	Illinois	(287 points)	
6	Minnesota	(277 points)	
7	California	(250 points)	
8	lowa	(240 points)	
9	Ohio State	(224 points)	
10	Air Force	(192 points)	
11	Nebraska	(188 points)	
12	Army	(157 points)	
13	Navy	(136 points)	
14	William & Mary	(117 points)	
15	Springfield	(100 points)	
All-Around:		4-Score Avg.	
1-Okla	homa	447.083	
3-Stan	ford	438.317	
8-Calif	ornia	430.583	
10-Air	Force	426.850	
Floor Exercise:		4-Score Avg.	
1-Okla	homa	75.417	
5-Stanford		71.283	
7-California		73.083	
10-Air Force		72.350	
Pommel Horse:		4-Score Avg.	
1-Oklahoma		74.517	
3-Air Force		71.683	
5-Stanford		71.283	
12-California		69.433	
Still Rings:		4-Score Avg.	
1-Okla		76.067	
6-Stanford		73.750	
9-California		71.067	
10-Air Force		70.967	
Vault:		4-Score Avg.	
1-Stan		74.383	
7-Calif		74.267	
		73.017 72.767	
9-Air Force			
Parallel Bars:		<b>4-Score Avg.</b> 74.167	
2-Oklahoma 3-Stanford		73.233	
5-Stair		73.233 72.333	
10-Air		71.133	
High B		4-Score Avg.	
1-Okla		74.517	
2-Stan		72.900	
4-California		72.767	
11-Air Force		69.283	
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# WEEKLY NATIONAL INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS (3/16/15)

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All-Around:  1- Akash Modi (STAN)  2-Kevin Wolting (CAL)  4-Kyle Zemeir (CAL)  6-Allan Bower (OU)  9T-Robert Neff (STAN)	<b>4-Score Avg.</b> 89.683 88.550 87.033 85.733 84.283
Floor Exercise: 1T-Kevin Wolting (CAL) 4T-Colin Van Wicklen (OU) 4T-Alec Robin (OU) 7T-Hunter Justus (OU) 9-Akash Modi (STAN)	15.583 15.417 15.417 15.250 15.183
Pommel Horse: 1- Michael Reid (OU) 4-Allan Bower (OU) 5- Tim Wang (AFA) 6- Akash Modi (STAN) 8-Arinn Wade (AFA) 9-Jacoby Rubin (OU)	15.633 15.067 15.017 14.950 14.850 14.833
Still Rings: 1- Michael Squires (OU) 6-Thao Hoang (OU)	16.233 15.350
Vault: 1-Kevin Wolting (CAL) 2T-Sean Senters (STAN) 5-Allan Bower (OU) 6-Josh Yee (OU) 7-Colin Van Wicklen (OU) 8T-Akash Modi (STAN)	15.333 15.300 15.200 15.083 15.033 15.017
Parallel Bars: 1- Akash Modi (STAN) 7- Allan Bower (OU) 9-Yordan Aleksandrov (CAL) 10-Michael Reid (OU)	15.533 15.033 14.950 14.933
High Bar: 1-Danny Berardini (OU) 3-William Clement (OU) 7T-Brian Knott (STAN) 7T-Jacoby Rubin (OU) 9T-Kevin Wolting (CAL)	15.350 15.133 14.933 14.933 14.833