

Sun Devils, Huskers expect tough game

Nebraska fullback hopes for repeat

By Todd Cooper
Senior Reporter

Although changes have been and will be made, Nebraska's battle with Arizona State Saturday night may be reminiscent of years' past, Cornhusker fullback Lance Lewis said.



Lewis

"I remember in 1988 when I was a true freshman, we lost to UCLA worse than we did to Washington (this year)," Lewis said. "We came back and ended up beating Arizona State bad and went on to win the Big Eight title. "And that's our goal right now." Nebraska beat Arizona State 47-16 in 1988, after losing to UCLA 41-28 the week before. During the era of Coach Tom Osborne, Nebraska has lost two straight regular season games

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STARTERS

ARIZONA STATE (2-0)

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|---------------|----|------|-----|-----|
| Eric Guliford | SE | 5-8 | 160 | Jr. |
| Craig Ritter | QT | 6-4 | 274 | Jr. |
| Tim Landers | QG | 6-3 | 272 | Sr. |
| Toby Mills | C | 6-3 | 270 | So. |
| Jeff White | SG | 6-3 | 271 | Sr. |
| Mike Ritter | ST | 6-6 | 295 | Sr. |
| Bob Brasher | TE | 6-5 | 236 | Jr. |
| Bret Powers | QB | 6-5 | 220 | So. |
| Kelvin Fisher | FB | 5-11 | 222 | Sr. |
| G. Montgomery | TB | 6-2 | 210 | So. |
| Kevin Snyder | FL | 5-8 | 162 | Jr. |
| Mike Richey | PK | 5-10 | 185 | Jr. |

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|-------------------|-----|------|-----|-----|
| Bryan Hooks | OLB | 6-3 | 256 | Jr. |
| Arthur Paul | DT | 6-5 | 290 | Sr. |
| David Dixon | NG | 6-7 | 315 | Sr. |
| Shane Collins | DT | 6-4 | 260 | Sr. |
| Darren Woodson | OLB | 6-1 | 222 | Sr. |
| Brett Wallerstedt | ILB | 6-1 | 239 | Jr. |
| Mike Phair | ILB | 6-1 | 220 | Jr. |
| Jean Boyd | SS | 6-0 | 188 | Jr. |
| Phillippi Sparks | LC | 6-0 | 195 | Sr. |
| Adam Brass | FS | 5-10 | 186 | Jr. |
| Kevin Miniefield | RC | 5-9 | 177 | Jr. |
| Steve Rausch | PNT | 6-2 | 194 | Jr. |

NEBRASKA (2-1)

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|-----------------|----|-----|-----|-----|
| Jon Bostick | SE | 6-2 | 190 | Sr. |
| Erik Wiegert | LT | 6-5 | 300 | Sr. |
| Dave Jensen | LG | 6-4 | 305 | Jr. |
| Bill Ziegelbein | C | 6-4 | 275 | Sr. |
| Witt Shields | RG | 6-1 | 295 | Jr. |
| Brian Boerboom | RT | 6-7 | 310 | Sr. |
| Wm. Washington | TE | 6-2 | 260 | Jr. |
| Kelthen McCant | QB | 6-2 | 200 | Sr. |
| Lance Lewis | FB | 6-0 | 225 | Jr. |
| Derek Brown | IB | 5-9 | 180 | So. |
| Nate Turner | WB | 6-2 | 220 | Sr. |
| Byron Bennett | PK | 6-1 | 185 | So. |

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|-----------------|-----|------|-----|-----|
| Travis Hill | LOL | 6-2 | 235 | Jr. |
| Kevin Ramaekers | LT | 6-4 | 290 | So. |
| Pat Engelbert | MG | 6-2 | 265 | Sr. |
| John Parrella | RT | 6-5 | 290 | Jr. |
| David White | ROL | 6-2 | 240 | Jr. |
| Mike Petko | SSL | 6-3 | 230 | Sr. |
| Mike Anderson | WSL | 6-2 | 230 | So. |
| Curtis Cotton | LC | 6-1 | 210 | Sr. |
| Tyrone Legette | RC | 5-10 | 180 | Sr. |
| Steve Carmer | SS | 6-2 | 210 | Jr. |
| Tyrone Byrd | FS | 6-0 | 175 | Jr. |
| Mike Stigge | PNT | 6-2 | 190 | Jr. |

OFFENSE

DEFENSE

Scott Maurer/DN

ASU coach expects big NU rebound

By Chuck Green
Senior Editor

According to Arizona State Coach Larry Marmie, Nebraska's loss was the Sun Devils' loss.

Marmie said that although playing the 16th-ranked Cornhusker football team is a difficult task anytime, it will be especially tough after Nebraska's 36-21 loss to Washington on Saturday.



Marmie

"They'll be pretty mad," Marmie said. "They're not too accustomed to losing. It doesn't happen very often, so when they do, they'll be looking to come back strong and prove what they're made of."

"I just hope we're made of enough to hang in there with them."

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Kiley Timperley/DN

Nebraska's Stephanie Thater and Eileen Shannon miss a block attempt against UCLA earlier this season. The Cornhuskers will host Georgia, Maryland and Colorado in this weekend's FirstTier Invitational at the Bob Devaney Sports Center.

Tournament offers peek at Big Eight

By Jeff Singer
Staff Reporter

The Nebraska women's tennis team will be seeing some familiar faces this weekend when it opens its season playing host to the Husker Invitational.

Three Big Eight foes will get a glimpse of the Huskers in the tournament beginning today.

"This tournament will show us how we match up with some of our Big Eight opponents," Cornhusker Coach Scott Jacobson said.

Colorado, Iowa State and Kansas State are in the tournament, though no team scoring will be kept.

Jacobson said he wants to see his players give their all in this weekend's play.

"I want the girls to go out and give a 100 percent effort, both mentally and physically," Jacobson said. "I want them to be satisfied with their performances, win or lose."

Jacobson said he would be satisfied if the Huskers put the same type of dedication into this weekend's tournament as they have been in practice.

Senior Rachel Collins, who will play at No. 3 singles and No. 1 doubles with newcomer Zarina Glavan, said the invitational will show her a lot of things.

"I'm looking forward to competing and seeing how well I play with my new doubles partner," Collins said. "This will also give us a chance to see how the singles and doubles lineups look."

Other squads competing in the eight-team tourney include Baylor, Minnesota, Texas Tech and Wichita State.

Competition will begin at 9 a.m. today and continue throughout the weekend at the Cather-Pound courts. The singles championships will start at 9 a.m. Sunday and the doubles finals will follow at 2 p.m.

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Upset possible, but unlikely, Buff coach says

By John Adkisson
Staff Reporter

For Brad Saindon, the scenario for an upset is almost too perfect.

Saindon, the Colorado volleyball coach, is bringing his Lady Buffs and a four-match winning streak to Lincoln to play Nebraska in the FirstTier Invitational tonight.

Meanwhile, the 7-3 and ninth-ranked Cornhuskers have struggled lately, losing three consecutive matches for the first time in almost a decade.

Despite those facts, Saindon said a Colorado upset is still unlikely.

"We've been chasing Nebraska for the last three years," he said. "We have some momentum, but I'm sure they're gearing up for this tourna-

ment and will be trying to end that streak."

The tournament, which begins with a 6 p.m. match tonight, also includes Georgia and Maryland. Nebraska will play Colorado at 8 p.m. tonight, Maryland at noon Saturday, and Georgia at 8 p.m. Saturday.

Nebraska Coach Terry Pettit said beating 10-4 Colorado will take no less than a top-notch effort from his Huskers, who have lost consecutively to UCLA, Brigham Young and New Mexico.

"(Colorado) has one of their better teams," Pettit said.

"They run a swing offense and they're well-coached."

Last season, Nebraska finished undefeated in the Big Eight, but got

its biggest test in a five-game match at Colorado. Saindon said he thinks his team is "close" to challenging the Huskers for a conference title.

"Our two main goals are to win at least a share of the conference, and to make the NCAA tournament," Saindon said.

Beating Nebraska, according to Saindon, will be more a matter of slowing down the Huskers' big guns instead of trying to stop one person.

"They come at you with so many weapons," he said. "We will be seeing them hopefully two more times this season, so we'll also be trying to learn some things tomorrow night."

Pettit said his team must try to stop the powerful hitting of Lady Buff junior Tiffany Jestadt, who already

has pounded 153 kills for a .264 hitting percentage this season.

"Their best player is their right-side hitter, Jestadt," Pettit said. "She's the set of choice."

The Colorado match will be the first home match of the season for Husker senior outside hitter Janet Kruse, who missed eight games early with an ankle injury.

Pettit said his team has put last week's losing road trip, in which the Huskers finished 0-2, behind them.

"I don't have any thoughts about it," he said. "We've put that all behind us and are focusing our energy toward this weekend."

Maryland, the Huskers' next op-