



#13 TEXAS STATE BOBCATS Overall: 47-13 (Won 26 of 30)...Home: 26-6...Road: 19-6 (SBC: 15-0)...Sun Belt: 26-4 (1st)
Head Coach: #30 Steve Trout (3rd season: 82-53...SBC Coach of the Year)

Pitching Coach: **#22 Chad Massengale (5th season)...**SWT '00 – '01, T-7th in all-time saves
 Associate Head Coach (Dugout): **#5 Josh Blakely (3rd season)...**3 years ago at UTRGV, volunteer asst @ TXST (2018)
 Volunteer Assistant (1st Base): **#33 Jerry Cervantez (3rd Season)...**54 starts in two seasons at TXST



STORYLINES

Tough loss last night after winning first two games of the Regional on Friday and Saturday
Managed just 4 hits last night (fewest in a game all season), did draw 8 walks (only 1 walk led to a run)
Pair of solo HR last night (Dalton Shuffield & Jose Gonzalez, each now 13 on season...Gonzales, 3 in regional)
Allowed 3 HR to Stanford, all 3 came with men on base (pair of 2-R HR and a 3-R HR allowed as well)
Still in position to make history tonight: win sends them to their first ever Super Regional in their 38-year history



PITCHING STATS

ERA	4.35	2 nd SBC – LA
STRIKEOUTS	530	4 th SBC
WALKS	234	5 th Fewest SBC
WILD PITCHES	46	4 th Fewest SBC
HR ALLOWED	51	2 nd Fewest SBC
OPP BA	.248	Lowest SBC

FIELDING STATS

FIELDING	.965	8 th SBC
ERRORS	78	T-3 rd Most SBC
UNEARNED RUNS	46	Just 2 in last 12 games
DP TURNED	47	3 rd Most SBC
SB ALLOWED	38-53	2 nd Fewest allowed



ROSTER BY THE NUMBERS

16 freshmen...10 sophomores...9 juniors...8 seniors (last year: had 8th largest roster in NCAA)
 41 of the team's 43 players from TX (only two: Peyton Zabel – South Dakota...Damien Whitfield - Georgia)
STANFORD REGIONAL – BY THE NUMBERS
HITTERS: 18 hits (.194)...RISP: 6-for-25 (25 LOB)...drawn 19 walks (just 3 of those walked batters have scored)
PITCHERS: 13 ER in 26 IP (4.50 ERA)...29 K, allowed 12 BB...batters: .272 (allowed 5 HR)
DEFENSE: Just 2 errors so far, yet to allow an unearned run (turned just 1 double play...Friday vs UCSB)



#2 STANFORD CARDINAL Overall: 44-15 (Won 19 of 20)...Home: 23-6...Road: 13-8...Pac-12: 21-9 (1st)
HEAD COACH: #8 David Esker (5th Season...180 wins at Stanford, +700 wins total in career)
 Pac-12 Coach of the Year (3rd time he's won the honor, 2nd time at Stanford...was Pac-10 Coach of Year at Cal in 2001)
 2011 National Coach of the Year at Cal (spent 18 seasons coaching the Bears in Berkley)
 Former shortstop at Stanford in the mid-80s, won a World Series title with the Cardinal in 1987

Pitching Coach: **#17 Thomas Eager (5th Season)**
 Assistant Coach: **#3 Steve Rodriguez (3rd Season...3rd Base)**
 Assistant Coach: **#14 Andre Mercurio (1st Season...1st Base)**



STORYLINES

2 wins to keep their season alive yesterday (1 of 7 host teams to do that yesterday)
Very offensive in the 2 games: 16 runs scored, 28 hits (this after Bobcats held Stanford to 2 runs on Saturday)
The Cardinal have scored 38 runs through their 4 games in the regional (hit 7 home runs)
Some pitching was spent yesterday: Quinn Mathews 111 pitches vs UCSB, Ty Yuber 81 vs TXST (Ryan Bruno: 31)
One of the hottest teams in the country entering the tournament, looking to keep dreams of Omaha alive



PITCHING STATS

ERA	3.89	8 th lowest NCAA
STRIKEOUTS	533 (32)	4 th Pac-12
WALKS	228 (17)	6 th Most Pac-12
WILD PITCHES	68 (2)	2 against TXST
HR ALLOWED	31 (8)	Fewest Pac-12
OPP BA	.236	19 th D1 hits/9 inn

FIELDING STATS

FIELDING	.975	5 th Pac-12
ERRORS	54 (3)	5 th Fewest Pac-12
UNEARNED RUNS	26 (1)	1 last night
DP TURNED	34	2 nd fewest Pac-12
SB ALLOWED	29-41	4 th Fewest Pac-12



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

One of the oldest programs in the nation...first season was 130 years ago (1892)
Powerhouse in the late 1980s (won back-to-back National Championships in 1987 & 1988)
Been to the College World Series 17x (their trip to Omaha last year was their first since 2008)
 Number of notable players have come thru program: Mike Mussina, Jack McDowell, and John Elway



ALL TIME SERIES: (THIS WEEKEND: FIRST TIME PLAYING EACH OTHER)

Both teams do have history against the other conferences (Stanford is 5-0 vs SBC...TXST is 10-13 vs Pac-12)
Common opponents: The Cardinal beat Louisiana earlier this season in Round Rock, also lost at UTSA
Bobcats won a series at Arizona (Stanford got swept by the Wildcats, but beat them twice in Pac-12 Tourney)