

DIVISION III COLLEGIATE WATER POLO NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORED BY USA WATER POLO SET TO BEGIN IN 2019-20

In the Fall of 2019, USA Water Polo will sponsor the Division III Collegiate Championship for the sport of water polo.

The Division III water polo championship is a joint effort by the Division III water polo institutions and USA Water Polo to provide Division III student-athletes the opportunity for a meaningful postseason competition in addition to offering an incentive for other Division III institutions to add the sport on a varsity level.

Beginning with men's water polo in December 2019, and followed by women's water polo in May 2020, two teams from both the SCIAC and the Collegiate Water Polo Association (CWPA), will square off in a four-team Division III national championship tournament. The SCIAC will assume hosting responsibilities for both genders in the first year of the championship (2019-20). Hosting responsibilities will then rotate every other year.

Previously, teams competed in the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Championship Tournament which includes Division I programs. This new championship will provide all Division III programs a competitive experience and the chance to vie for a national championship. In recognition that more Division III programs are beginning to take shape across the nation, the two goals of the Division III championship are to provide exposure for the sport so more institutions continue to add water polo and increase membership allowing water polo to be sponsored at the NCAA Division III level.

"In my discussions with athletic directors considering the addition of water polo as a varsity sport, the opportunity for a meaningful postseason championship is a major part of their decision," explained Collegiate Water Polo Association (CWPA) Commissioner Daniel Sharadin. "The establishment of this championship removes a key stumbling block for these schools. In addition, our Division III members are excited about the chance to compete against "like" institutions for a national championship."



Understanding the Game of Water Polo

Water Polo can be a confusing game for spectators. The whistle is constantly blowing and the play never stops, even when someone is ejected for a penalty. In addition, there are many misconceptions about the game, including how the players keep their horses swimming. The following information is here to make your game-viewing experience a little bit clearer!

General Information

1. Each team has six field players and a goalie.
2. Field players can only use one hand to touch the ball, goalies two.
3. The game consists of four quarters and the clock stops on the whistle. If the game is tied at the end of regulation, the teams play two three-minute overtime periods. If it is still tied, the game goes into sudden victory. A typical game lasts about an hour and ten minutes.
4. The object of the game is to score by placing the ball completely in the goal. Players may move the ball by swimming or passing.
5. Teams may substitute after a goal is scored, during a time-out, or during the play from the ejection area.
6. Each team receives three time-outs and one 30-second time-out per game.
7. Shots blocked out of bounds by defensive players result in the defensive team receiving possession. If a defender uses two hands to block a shot, the offensive team receives a penalty shot.

Types of Fouls

When an infraction of the rules occurs, the referee will point in the direction of the team taking possession, while blowing his whistle. The ball is put back into play with an action called a free throw. This means the player gets three seconds of free time to throw the ball to another teammate or swim it up the pool. A player cannot shoot his free throw unless outside the five-meter line. If the ball is not put into play within three seconds, the other team takes possession.

Fouls can be ordinary or major. Ordinary fouls are best understood as minor fouls. For example, a defender may reach over an opponent's back to get at the ball while facing away from the goal. The penalty for an ordinary foul is a free throw for the opposing team.

Major fouls are more severe and are penalized accordingly. For example, when a defender fouls an opponent too aggressively, or from behind when the opponent is facing the goal, the defender is ejected for 20 seconds (players may reenter if their team recovers the ball before the ejection time is up, or if the opposing team scores). When the foul occurs within five meters of the goal and the referee believes the player had a high chance of scoring, the opposition shoots a penalty shot. Major fouls can also occur through disrespect to the referee or when a player interferes with an opponent's free throw. Players may only receive three major fouls before elimination.

The easiest way to follow the play is by watching the scoreboard. If your team is ahead at the end, great! If not, well consider that you have expanded your horizons. When the game is over, you can at least explain to your friends that the horses never get wet.

2019 DIVISION III EASTERN CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 26, 2019			Game #	Score
10:00	4th Seed — Washington & Jefferson College	vs.	5th Seed — Penn State Behrend	1
11:30	2nd Seed — Johns Hopkins University	vs.	7th Seed — Monmouth College	2
1:00	3rd Seed — Connecticut College	vs.	6th Seed — Austin College	3
3:30	1st Seed — Massachusetts Institute of Tech.	vs.	Winner Game 1	4
5:00	Loser Game 1	vs.	Loser Game 2	5
6:30	Winner Game 2	vs.	Winner Game 3	6
Sunday, October 27, 2019			Game #	Score
9:00	Loser Game 1	vs.	Loser Game 3	7
10:30	Loser Game 6	vs.	Loser Game 4	Third Place
Noon	Winner Game 4	vs.	Winner Game 6	First Place
1:30	Loser Game 3	vs.	Loser Game 2	10

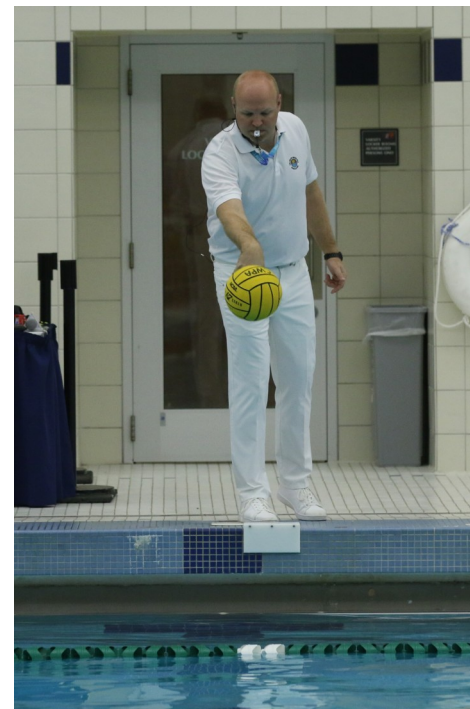
The win-loss records from Games 5, 7 and 10 determine Fifth through Seventh Place

Teams listed first wear dark caps and are home on the scoreboard. Host team always wears dark caps and is home on the scoreboard regardless of bracket position.

The Division III Eastern Championship qualifies two teams for the Division III Collegiate Water Polo National Championship sponsored by USA Water Polo on December 7-8 at a site to be determined. The Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (SCIAC) will host the event and also qualifies a pair of squads for the four-team event.

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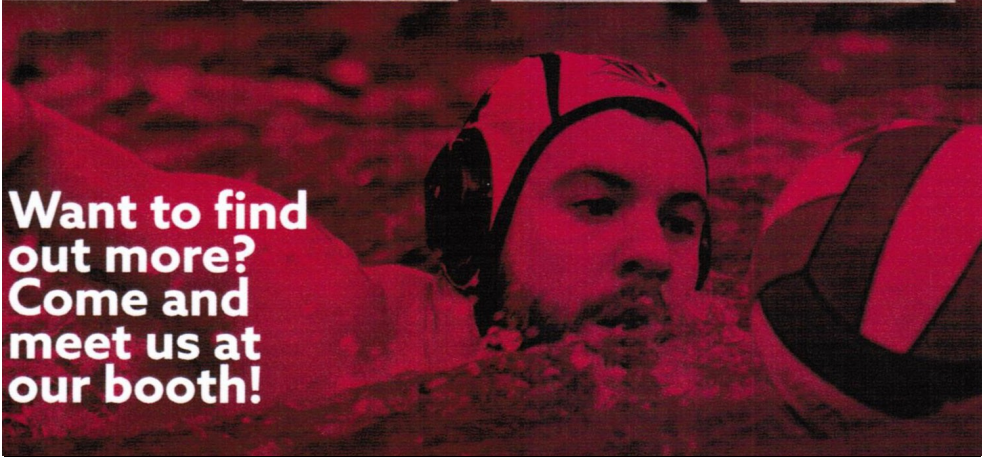
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TEAM INFORMATION



Location: Sherman, Texas
Mascot: Kangaroos
Head Coach: Mark Lawrence
2019 Record: 0-14 (0-0 MPSF)

1A	Michael Marks	Fr.	Cathedral City, Calif.
1B	Zachary Griffith	Fr.	Oak Brook, Ill.
2	Andrew Pope	So.	Flower Mound, Texas
3	Will Koelzer	So.	Richmond, Texas
4	Connor Watson	So.	League City, Texas
5	Nick Calapan	So.	Friendswood, Texas
6	Brett Skinner	So.	Flower Mound, Texas
7	Nico Masso	So.	The Woodlands, Texas
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9	Sam Skinner	So.	Flower Mound, Texas
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12	Robert Griffin	Jr.	Seabrook, Texas
13	Cade Griffith	Fr.	Oak Brook, Ill.
14	Taiton Fox	So.	Bend, Ore.
16	Max Wade	Fr.	Flower Mound, Texas
17	Evan Cueva	Fr.	Ontario, Calif.
18	AJ Pritchard	So.	Auburn, Wash.
19	Michael Colmenares	Fr.	Richmond, Texas
20	Duran Kittman	So.	Richmond, Texas
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26	James Mirt	Fr.	San Mateo, Calif.

AUSTIN COLLEGE

Austin College comes into the 2019 Division III Eastern Championship weekend seeking the program's first victory of the season...The Kangaroos will face host Washington & Jefferson College in a non-tournament game on Friday, October 25, to commence the weekend...Austin is 0-1 against the other teams in the field as of October 24 as the Kangaroos fell to Johns Hopkins University (15-10 L, September 7 at U.S. Naval Academy)...Against other Division III programs, Austin fell to Whittier College (18-6 L), California Lutheran University (14-6 L), Occidental College (17-12 L) and the University of La Verne (17-12 L)...Last year at the 2018 Division III Eastern Championship hosted by Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Md., Austin fell to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) by a 22-10 count in the opening round prior to being clipped by Connecticut College, 12-11, on Saturday, October 13. Facing Monmouth College in the final game of the weekend on Sunday, October 14, the Kangaroos picked up a 16-15 victory over the Fighting Scots to claim Sixth Place in the Seven Team field. The win marked the sole victory for Austin during the 2018 campaign as the squad finished 1-15...Historically, the Kangaroos are 0-2 against MIT (21-8 L, 22-10 L), 0-1 versus Connecticut (12-11 L), 0-2 against fellow Mountain Pacific Sports Federation (MPSF) institution Penn State Behrend (8-6 L, 13-10 L) and 1-0 versus Monmouth (16-15 W) with no prior games against Johns Hopkins University or Washington & Jefferson as of October 24...Head coach Mark Lawrence has a few connections to one of the other institutions in the field—MIT...An assistant coach at the United States Naval Academy prior to arriving in Sherman, Texas, Lawrence served as head coach at MIT from 2011-to-2012 guiding the Engineers to 21 wins in his two seasons....He led MIT to the 2012 CWPA Division III Eastern Championship title game at home in Cambridge, Mass., as the Engineers handled Washington & Jefferson (21-6 W) and Connecticut College (15-9 W) prior to suffering a 15-13 setback against Johns Hopkins in the title game...MIT did not compete in the 2011 Division III Eastern Championship at Penn State Behrend during Lawrence's first-year at the helm of the program.

TEAM INFORMATION



CONNECTICUT COLLEGE

The Camels of Connecticut College will seek to make the Division III Eastern Championship game for the first time in program history...Connecticut's highest finish has been second as the program downed Washington & Jefferson College (17-14 W) and Monmouth College (12-10 W) before taking a 17-8 loss to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology during the 2016 Division III Eastern Championship at Penn State Behrend on October 22-23. Johns Hopkins University elected not to compete at the 2016 event...Connecticut last finished among the Top Three in 2017 as the Camels fell to Johns Hopkins (15-8 L) prior to topping W&J (13-6 W) and Penn State Behrend (12-9 W) at MIT in Cambridge, Mass...Connecticut is 3-1 against the rest of the 2019 championship field with prior games against Penn State Behrend (11-8 W), MIT (18-7 L), Monmouth (19-14 W) and W&J (19-11 W) with no prior contests versus either Austin College or Johns Hopkins...Last year, the Camels fell to Penn State Behrend (15-13 L) and knocked off Austin (12-11 W) prior to escaping Monmouth (15-14 OT W) in finishing Fifth at Johns Hopkins in Baltimore, Md...Connecticut hosted the 2015 Division III Eastern Championship as the Camels placed Fourth with a defeat of Monmouth (12-8 L) prior to dropping games against Johns Hopkins (21-1 L) and Washington & Jefferson (11-9 L)...When Washington & Jefferson last hosted the Division III Eastern Championship in 2014, the Camels also finished in Fourth Place by downing Penn State Behrend (16-10 W) before falling to Johns Hopkins (19-9 L) and the host Presidents (17-12 L)...Connecticut also finished in Fourth Place in 2013 at Johns Hopkins as the squad downed Monmouth (16-14 W) before going down against the host Blue Jays (21-7 L) and Washington & Jefferson (17-9 L)...In 2012, Connecticut notched a Third Place mark at MIT as the Camels eluded Penn State Behrend (11-7 W) and fell to Johns Hopkins (21-6 L) before managing W&J (13-11 W)...Connecticut's three victories this year have all come against Division III competition in either Connecticut or Pennsylvania as the Camels took down Penn State Behrend (11-8 W) at home during the Connecticut Invitational on September 21, managed Monmouth (19-14 W) at the Washington & Jefferson Invitational on September 29 and surpassed W&J (19-11 W) on October 19.

Location: New London, Conn.
Mascot: Camels
Head Coach: Matt Anderson
2019 Record: (3-7, 2-4 MAWPC-West)

1	Tanner Michaelis	Jr.	Ramona, Calif.
2	Rahul Gill	Sr.	Bethesda, Md.
5	Lucas Verrilli	So.	Evanston, Ill.
6	Sam Guy	Fr.	Portland, Ore.
9	Tim Beloborodov	Sr.	Moscow, Russia
10	Arturo Freitas	Sr.	Weston, Fla.
12	Mike Gertsik	So.	Brooklyn, N.Y.
17	Sean King	Sr.	La Canada, Calif.
21	Christian Jacobsen	Fr.	
22	Ulas Cini	Jr.	Powell, Ohio

TEAM INFORMATION



WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON COLLEGE

Three-time Division III Eastern Championship runner-up (2007, 2009, 2011) Presidents of Washington & Jefferson College will strive to return to the title game in 2019...Through October 24, W&J has two wins this year — both coming at home — as the program handled Monmouth College (16-11 W) on September 28 in Mid-Atlantic Water Polo

Location: Washington, Pa.
Mascot: Presidents
Head Coach: Nikola Malezanov
2019 Record: 2-17 (1-5 MAWPC-West)

1	Nick Spehar	Sr.	Perkasie, Pa.
1A	Zishuo Ma	Fr.	Los Alamitos, Calif.
1B	Caine Dusza	Fr.	Souderton, Pa.
2	Will Kitsch	So.	Mohnton, Pa.
3	Keegan McLaughlin	Fr.	Wyndmoore, Pa.
4	Kyle Rubenstein	So.	Abington, Pa.
5	Ethan Moy	Jr.	New York, N.Y.
6	Jason Wright	So.	St. Louis, Mo.
7	Elijah Muzzi	Fr.	Honolulu, Hawaii
8	Robert Nino	Fr.	Madera, Calif.
9	Tyler Francis	Jr.	Mechanicsburg, Pa.
10	Robert Koch	So.	Worcester, Pa.
11	Cam Spicer	So.	Lansing, Mich.
12	Ian Geister	Sr.	Mechanicsburg, Pa.
13	Ostin Goodfin	Fr.	Bakersfield, Calif.
14	Ryan Bannon	Fr.	Bloomfield, Colo.
15	Anthony Ames	Fr.	Canyon County, Calif.
17	Dylan Gwinn	Sr.	Baltimore, Md.
18	Andrew Edwards	Fr.	Columbus, Ohio
21	Alex Lee	Fr.	Los Angeles, Calif.

Conference (MAWPC)-West Region league action and acquired a 5-0 forfeit defeat of Gannon University on September 8...The Presidents are 1-4 against the rest of the 2019 Division III Eastern Championship field with prior games against Penn State Behrend (13-9 L, September 7; 11-7 L, September 14; 9-8 L, September 22), Monmouth (16-11 W) and Connecticut College (19-11 L, October 19)...Last year at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Md., W&J claimed Fourth Place as the team defeated Monmouth (16-10 W) before dropping a 16-6 game to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and a 12-11 contest versus Penn State Behrend...Back in 2017 at MIT, the Presidents finished in Fifth Place with a 13-3 loss to Hopkins, a 13-6 defeat by Connecticut and a 16-9 victory over Monmouth...In 2016 at Penn State Behrend, W&J fell to Connecticut (17-14 L) prior to turning back the host Lions (19-7 L) and Monmouth (12-9 W) to clinch Third Place...The last time Washington & Jefferson made the title game in 2011, the Presidents took down Connecticut (11-9 W) before being stopped by Johns Hopkins (21-5 L) at Penn State Behrend...W&J managed Penn State Behrend (11-7 OT W) and Connecticut (16-11 W) in 2009 at home before dropping an 18-2 contest versus Johns Hopkins in a round-robin format. W&J punched its ticket to the title game and slipped against Hopkins (24-6 W) to claim a runner-up mark...The Presidents first made the title game in 2007 at MIT as Washington & Jefferson overcame Penn State Behrend (8-6 W) before taking a loss against the host Engineers (20-10 L) in a year Johns Hopkins did not attend the tournament.



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The Collegiate Water Polo Association and the participating teams extend thanks to the institutional staff of Washington & Jefferson College and Chartiers Valley High School for hosting the Division III Eastern Championship.

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PENN STATE BEHREND

Penn State Behrend comes into the Division III Eastern Championship holding a 3-2 mark against the rest of the field with prior meetings against Washington & Jefferson College (13-9 W, September 7; 11-6 W, September 14; 9-8 W, September 27), Connecticut College (11-8 L, September 21) and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (18-8 L, September 21)...Last year at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Md., the Lions claimed a program best tying Third Place finish as Penn State Behrend defeated Connecticut (15-13 W), fell to the host Blue Jays (19-7 L) and usurped Washington & Jefferson (12-11 W)...In 2011, the Lions were defeated by Johns Hopkins (20-6 L) prior to upending Connecticut (11-9 W) at home in Erie to finish in Third Place...In 2008, Penn State Behrend stopped Connecticut 21-12, dropped a 20-5 game to host Johns Hopkins and a 21-15 contest against the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) before overcoming Washington & Jefferson 12-9 to take Third Place...The Lions finished claimed a Third Place finish in 2006 at home in the Junker Center as the program downed Connecticut (13-12 W), came up short against Hopkins (18-4 L) and MIT (13-7 L) prior to cutting down Connecticut (8-6 W)...This year, Penn State Behrend made history on Friday, October 18, at home against Iona College as the squad defeated the Gaels by a 12-11 score. It marked Behrend's first defeat of a Division I school since picking up a 5-0 forfeit victory over Fordham University during the 2002 season at the Grove City College Invitational.

Location: Erie, Pa.
Mascot: Lions
Head Coach: Joe Tristan
Assistant Coach: Zarko Sadikovic
2019 Record: 4-8 (0-0 MPSF)

1	Matt Olimski	Jr.	San Diego, Calif.
1A	Alijah Santangelo	So.	Perkasie, Pa.
2	Jeffery Elliott	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas
5	Austin Hoff	Sr.	Lake Forest, Calif.
6	Isaak Hatopp	Sr.	Saline, Mich.
7	Justin Spence	Sr.	Houston, Texas
8	Justin Brown	Fr.	Healdsburg, Calif.
9	Chase Cordon	Fr.	Canyon Lake, Calif.
10	Austin Sparber	Fr.	Miami, Fla.
11	Dario Gonzalez	So.	Hanford, Calif.
12	Collin Holmes	So.	Lake Forest, Calif.
13	Greg Kinzler	Jr.	Kiski, Pa.
14	Jacob Stockwell	Fr.	San Diego, Calif.
15	Jacob Harkins	Fr.	Hollywood, Fla.
17	Andre Sardaryzadeh	Sr.	Murrieta, Calif.
18	Ryan Kenney	Fr.	Skippack, Pa.

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JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY

Johns Hopkins University will seek to claim the program's 18th Division III Eastern Championship as the Blue Jays previously picked up the 1994, 1995, 1996, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2017 titles with runner-up marks in 1991, 1992, 1993, 1997, 2000, 2003, 2010, 2014 and 2018...JHU did not make the 2007 (at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)) and 2016 (at Penn State Behrend) Division III Eastern Championship title games for a simple reason—the Blue Jays elected not to compete at either tournament...Head coach Max Schlegel will aim to acquire his first Division III Eastern Championship title as head coach after guiding the Blue Jays to the 2018 finale at home in Baltimore as the interim head coach. However, JHU fell to MIT by a 15-12 count. An assistant coach at JHU under previous head coach Ted Bresnahan from 2016 until being promoted to head coach in February 2019, Schlegel was part of the 2017 staff which helped Hopkins down Washington & Jefferson College (13-3 W), Connecticut College (15-8 W) and host MIT (11-10 W) to clinch the program's latest Division III title...The 2018 title game marked the 20th meeting between the Engineers and Blue Jays for the crown (1991, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018) with Johns Hopkins holding a 14-6 mark in the clashes...Washington & Lee University defeated JHU in 1992 and 1993 in the second and third Division III tournaments for the only championships not held by either Johns Hopkins or nine-time winner (1991, 1997, 2000, 2003, 2007, 2010, 2014, 2016, 2018) MIT...This year, Johns Hopkins is 1-0 against the rest of the Division III Championship field as the Blue Jays topped Austin College (15-10 W) on September 7 in the season-opener during the United States Naval Academy's Labor Day Open...The Blue Jays have previously faced four other Division III schools this year with prior contests against Claremont-Mudd-Scripps Colleges (9-8 W), California Lutheran University (17-11 L), Whittier College (13-10 L) and the University of Redlands (14-11 L) on October 4-5 at the Gary Troyer Memorial Tournament...Hopkins' title hopes will likely rely on netminder Max Fleming as the Blue Jays are putting up 11.18 goals per contest, while permitting an average of 15.36 scores through 22 games...Location can also play a role in JHU's title chances as three of the Blue Jays' victories this year have come in neutral site games with defeats of Austin, Iona College (15-13 W at Princeton University, September 14) and Mercyhurst University (16-11 W at Bucknell University, September 22).

Location: Baltimore, Md.
Mascot: Blue Jays
Head Coach: Max Schlegel
Assistant Coach: John Wilson
2019 Record: 6-16 (2-6 MAWPC-East)

1	Max Fleming	Jr.	Orinda, Calif.
3	Finn Banks	Sr.	Portola Valley, Calif.
4	Jake Pearson	So.	Key Biscayne, Fla.
5	Nico Ivanov	Jr.	San Diego, Calif.
6	Jacob Whitaker	So.	Annapolis, Md.
7	John Murphy	Jr.	San Diego, Calif.
8	Olin Shipstead	Jr.	Los Angeles, Calif.
9	Tim Peterson	Jr.	Tiburon, Calif.
10	Stephen Schmidt	Jr.	Orinda, Calif.
11	Kamran Eslami	Fr.	Mission Viejo, Calif.
13	Emerson Sullivan	So.	San Anselmo, Calif.
14	Chris Freese	Fr.	Bellevue, Wash.
15	Jayden Kunwar	So.	Woodside, Calif.

TEAM INFORMATION



MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

The reigning Division III Eastern Champion, the Engineers of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) come into the 2019 tournament seeking to join Washington & Lee University (1992, 1993) and Johns Hopkins University (1994-1996; 1998-1999; 2001-2002; 2004-2006; 2008-2009; 2011-2013) as the only programs to win back-to-back crowns...A nine-time champion (1991, 1997, 2000, 2003, 2007, 2010, 2014, 2016, 2018) and 13-time runner-up (1994, 1996, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2017), the Northeast Water Polo Conference (NWPC) member institution Engineers could face a familiar foe in the later rounds of the tournament as MIT and Johns Hopkins have met 20 times for the crown (1991, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018) with Johns Hopkins holding a 14-6 mark in the clashes...MIT is 2-0 against the rest of the 2019 Division III Eastern Championship field with prior games against Connecticut College (18-7 W, September 21), Penn State Behrend (18-8 W, September 21)...The Engineers have faced two other Division III programs with a win over California Lutheran University (7-6 W, September 8) and a loss to Pomona-Pitzer Colleges (10-4 L, October 20)...The inaugural Division III Eastern Champion after knocking off Colby College (21-7 W), Amherst College (20-8 W) and Johns Hopkins (13-10 W) in 1991, MIT has not appeared in the title game four times (1992, 1993, 1995, 2009). In 2009 at Washington & Jefferson College, the Engineers elected not to compete in the tournament...In 1992, MIT downed the United States Merchant Marine Academy (20-4 W), fell to Hopkins (11-9 L) and overcame Williams College (11-3 W) to finish Third. The team repeated in Third Place in 1993 by facing Bowdoin College (21-4 W), Hopkins (26-10 L) and Williams (13-10 W)...Similar to 2009, MIT did not play in the 1995 event...First-year MIT head coach Austin Ringheim has a special connection to potential weekend opponent Austin College. Named head coach in August, he previously served as an assistant men's and women's water polo coach during the 2018-19 academic year under former MIT head coach Mark Lawrence during the inaugural season of varsity competition at the college. The 2016 Whittier College graduate helped Lawrence steer the Kangaroos to the 2019 Collegiate Water Polo Association (CWPA) Women's Division III Championship title game and Second Place finish.

Location: Cambridge, Mass.
Mascot: Engineers
Head Coach: Austin Ringheim
Assistant Coaches: Craig Cheney, Chris Morgan,
Kale Rogers, Scott Stephens
2019 Record: 7-8 (1-4 NWPC)

1	Hayden Niederreiter Sr.	Visalia, Calif.
1A	Conrad Oakes	So. Pasadena, Calif.
2	Ward Weldon	Sr. Honolulu, Hawaii
3	Evan Kim	Jr. Irvine, Calif.
4	Griffin Leonard	So. Hermosa Beach, Calif.
5	Clyde Huibregtse	Sr. New York, N.Y.
6	Christian Schillinger Jr.	Orinda, Calif.
7	Miller Geschke	So. Los Altos, Calif.
8	Kyle Sandell	So. Mountain View, Calif.
9	Kevin Downey	Jr. Greenwich, Conn.
10	John Steele	So. Old Greenwich, Conn.
11	Pat Stefanou	Sr. Old Greenwich, Conn.
17	Kaden DiMarco	So. Eugene, Ore.
24	Sawyer Koettters	Fr. Santa Monica, Calif.

TEAM INFORMATION



Location: Monmouth, Ill.
Mascot: Fighting Scots
Head Coach: Peter Ollis
Assistant Coach: Tom Burek
2019 Record: 0-8 (0-6 MAWPC-West)

MONMOUTH COLLEGE

The Fighting Scots of Monmouth College enter the Division III Eastern Championship gunning for the program's first victory of 2019...Monmouth is 0-2 against the rest of the 2019 field with prior games against fellow Mid-Atlantic Water Polo Conference (MAWPC)-West Region members

1	Kyle Jones	So. Parkland, Fla.
2	Eli Kebschull	Fr. Homewood, Ill.
3	Dakota Salmi	Fr. Chicago, Ill.
4	Luke Mulcrone	Fr. Chicago, Ill.
6	Kaveh Moaddeli	Fr. Newport Beach, Calif.
7	Quentin Bartram	So. Dublin, Ohio
11	Jared Hankinson	Sr. St. Louis, Mo.
15	Tommy Schneider	Sr. Perkasie, Pa.
20	Joseph Addison	Fr. Eads, Tenn.
21	Jesus Aguirre	Sr. Cicero, Ill.

Washington & Jefferson College (16-11 L, September 28) and Connecticut College (19-14 L, September 29) at the W&J Round Robin...In addition to the Presidents and Camels, the Fighting Scots also faced Salem University (20-13 L, 18-12 L), McKendree University (22-5 L, 21-6 L), Mercyhurst University (20-12 L) and Gannon University (17-12 L)...In the history of the Division III Eastern Championship, Monmouth has previously placed Fourth (2016), Fifth (2013, 2014, 2015), Sixth (2017) and Seventh (2018)...Last year at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Md., the Fighting Scots fell to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (22-10 L), Connecticut (12-11 L) and Austin College (16-15 L)...In 2016, Monmouth claimed Fourth Place as the squad downed Penn State Behrend (25-7 W) before falling to MIT (18-10 L) and Washington & Jefferson (12-9 L) in a five-team field with MIT, Connecticut, W&J and Penn State Behrend...Historically, no team from a non-East Coast state has ever appeared in the Division III Eastern Championship title tilt as Hopkins (Maryland), MIT (Massachusetts), Connecticut (Connecticut), Washington & Jefferson (Pennsylvania) and Washington & Lee University (Virginia) have combined for all the prior berths. Both Austin and Monmouth — the only programs from outside Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Massachusetts — will aim to expand the map this weekend.

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