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**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**

The University of Oklahoma clinched its 13th-straight Rocky Mountain Open title Saturday at the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo.

The Sooners posted a team score of 343.700, edging out second-place Air Force (333.300) by 10.400 points. Nebraska took third place with a 331.300 followed by club teams from Arizona State (314.100) and Washington (248.100). Members of the U.S. Olympic Training Center also competed but their results are not official.

As a team, Oklahoma claimed the top score on floor, pommel horse, rings, vault and high bar.

Chris Stehl, the only Sooner to compete in all-around, collected an 83.000 to take first place. In the past 13 seasons, all of the Rocky Mountain Open all-around champions have been Sooner gymnasts.

The Sooners opened the meet on rings, where they scored a 61.900, improving on last year's season-best of 61.250. Stehl set a Rocky Mountain Open record with a career-high 15.700. Dalton (15.500) and Patrick Piscitelli (15.300) also boasted career highs on rings.

On vault, Oklahoma posted a 58.400. Three of the Sooners' four counting scores came from freshmen, with Alec Robin scoring a 14.600 and Danny Berardini and Dylan Akers each earning a 14.400. Piscitelli led the Sooners with a 15.000.

As of this season, the NCAA is having judges score the vault one full point lower per gymnast than in the past.

Stehl led the Sooners on parallel bars with a 14.500 followed by freshman Jacoby Rubin with a 14.400. As a team, Oklahoma scored a 55.600 on the apparatus.

On high bar, Oklahoma scored a 56.800 behind Dalton's 14.700 and Rubin's 14.500.

The Sooners scored a 55.400 on floor exercise with Piscitelli leading the squad with a 14.300.

OU ended the night on pommel horse, posting a 55.600. Freshman Michael Reid led the Sooners with a 14.400, winning his first career event title.

Oklahoma is encouraged by its 343.700 total, which under last year's point system



would have been 1.200 points higher than its 2011 score at the season opener.

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA**

No. 5 California upended No. 4 Stanford on Friday evening 340.900-334.800 at Haas Pavilion in the season-opener for the rival squads. The Golden Bears took home team titles on four of six events, two of which came in the final two rotations, to secure the victory.

The Bears were ahead 284.000-281.600 heading into the final rotation, which had them on high bar and the Cardinal on parallel bars.

Cal bested Stanford 56.900-54.200 on high bar in addition to beating the Cardinal by more than four points on parallel bars (57.400-53.200) to give the Bears extra breathing room, and the victory.

Donothan Bailey took second in the all-around with an 82.600 behind Stanford's Eddie Penev's 84.200.

Cal's Donothan Bailey and Stanford's Paul Hichwa tied for first on FX, each notching 15.000. Jim Kerry tied Stanford's Sean Senters for third overall with a 14.700. Jeffrey Langenstein finished fifth (14.600) and Daniel Culpepper was ninth (13.200).

The Bears just edged the Cardinal on pommel thanks in no small part to Glen Ishino's first-place score of 15.00. Though Stanford took second and third, Nic Blair (14.100) and Matthew del Junco (13.800) finished fourth and fifth, respectively, to further bolster the Cal cause.

Jean Monteclaro was the highest finisher for Bears on Vault, taking second with a 14.900, just behind Stanford's Sean Senters (15.200). Langenstein was fifth with a 14.200 and Glen Ishino was sixth with a 14.100.

Steven Lacombe powered the Bears to the team rings event win thanks to his first place score of

15.500, more than a full point in front of second place, which Jordan Nolff took with a 14.400. Langenstein was third (14.300).

Dennis Mannhart and Bailey tied for first place on PB's, both scoring 14.800s. Daniel Culpepper was next in line with a 14.300, good for third. Amongst the Bears, Jim Kerry was next (13.500).

Dennis Mannhart tallied his second victory with a 15.100 on high bar. Nic Blair tied John Martin with a 14.600 for second. Jim Kerry took fifth with a 13.800. Jacob Jizrawi was seventh (13.400) and Bailey was eighth (13.200).

**STANFORD UNIVERSITY**

The No. 4 Stanford Cardinal began the 2012 season with a loss to the California Golden Bears, 340.900-334.800. The meet allowed the Cardinal to assess where it stands after its first competition since winning the NCAA title last season.

Opening on pommel horse, John Martin led the Cardinal with a 14.500. Gabriel Alvarado followed with a 14.200 and Eddie Penev contributed a 13.400. Sean Senters, in his first collegiate competition, posted a 13.400 to round out the scoring.

Floor exercise saw Paul Hichwa post a career-best 15.000. Senters followed with a 14.700, Penev scored a 14.500 and Brian Knott finished with a 14.100.

Jordan Nolff led Stanford in rings with a 14.200. Only four athletes competed in the event, with Knott (14.200), James Fosco (14.100) and Penev (13.800) posting counting scores.



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Senters posted the highest individual score of the evening for the Cardinal in vault with a 15.200. Penev scored 14.500, Knott 14.300 and Hichwa 13.900.

Senters made his presence felt competing in all six events with Penev.

"It was great to see Sean compete," said head coach Thom Glielmi. "He injured his knee his senior year of high school after we had signed him and sat out all of last season. For his first meet, he did a fantastic job and we're very happy with his performance today."

After a strong start, the lack of depth and endurance began to show for Stanford.

John Martin had a strong routine on high bar, posting a 14.600 to lead the squad. Penev (13.900), Hichwa (13.500) and Cameron Foreman (12.200) rounded out the scoring.

The final event, parallel bars saw Penev post a 14.100 in his sixth event of the evening. Cale Robinson (13.600), Knott (13.400) and Nolff (12.100) posted counting scores for Stanford.

#### AIR FORCE ACADEMY

Highlighted by an impressive debut from several freshmen, Air Force placed second at the Rocky Mountain Open on Saturday, Jan. 14. The Falcons tallied a total team score of 333.300 - a six-point improvement over last year's season-opening total - to collect its best team finish in recent history.

A pair of freshmen finished second to pace the Falcons in their respective events. Josh Ramos scored a 14.000 to finish second on the floor exercise, while classmate Greg Chaput scored a 14.400

to take second on the parallel bars. With his first collegiate performance, Chaput scored the ninth-best parallel bars score in program history. In addition to his runner-up finish on the floor, Ramos also paced the Falcons on the high bar with a fourth-place score of 13.900.



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Senior Devin Menefee, the team's co-captain, tied for third on the still rings with a career-best performance of 15.400. That score is ranked eighth in the program's all-time record book.

Junior James Okamoto placed sixth on the pommel horse with a season-opening score of 13.600, while classmate Tory Brown and sophomore Ben Zaiser rounded out the team leaders with a tied for eighth on the vault with matching marks of 14.100.

Freshmen Nick Gaudlip and Skyler Awisus picked up top-five finishes in their collegiate debuts, as Gaudlip finished fifth on the floor exercise (13.800) and Awisus earned the same placement on the parallel bars (14.200).

#### ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

Top scores for ASU were:

AA: Alex Gaudaur-77.90, Lee Wilkerson-



76.80, Stewart MacDonald-75.90.

FX: Wilkerson-13.10, Riley Barclay-12.70, Brian Malone-12.60.

PH: Sam Cook-13.20, MacDonald-12.10, Stephen Gragg-12.10.

R: Gaudaur-15.40, Anthony Sandt-13.70, Cody Payne-13.30, Gragg-13.30.

V: Gaudaur-13.80, Wilkerson-13.60, Hans Degnan-13.40

PB: Gaudaur-14.20, Payne-13.60, MacDonald 13.10.

HB: Wilkerson-13.40, Payne-13.00, Gaudaur - 12.80.

#### UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Top scores for Washington were:

AA: Peter Moser-72.30, Jon Chapman-71.00.

FX: Franklin Stutevoss-12.90, Moser-12.70, Greg Stewart-11.40.

PH: Chapman-11.60, Moser-10.20, Stutevoss - 9.50

R: Moser-12.80, Chapman-11.60, Stutevoss- 11.30.

V: Steward-13.60, Chapman-13.40, Stutevoss 12.70.

PB: Moser-13.10, Chapman-12.90, Stewart- 12.20.

HB: Moser-11.60, Chapman-11.50, Stewart- 11.00.

#### NATIONAL BEST SCORES

##### THIS SEASON

Penn State	349.80
Ohio State	344.50
Oklahoma	343.70
Illinois	341.90
California	340.90
Michigan	338.90
Minnesota	338.10
Stanford	334.80
Air Force	333.30
Nebraska	331.30
Ill-Chicago	327.20
Army	321.60
Iowa	316.80
Arizona State	314.10
Washington	248.10

#### INDIVIDUAL EVENT RESULTS

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# ROCKY MOUNTAIN OPEN INDIVIDUAL EVENT RESULTS U.S. AIR FORCE ACADEMY



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CHRIS STEHL

### ALL AROUND

1. John Orozco, USOTC	87.50
2. Chris Stehl, Okla	83.00
3. Andrew Elkind, USOTC	80.90
4. Jake Dastup, USOTC	80.00
5. Alex Gaudaur, ASU	77.90
6. Lee Wilkerson, ASU	76.80
7. Stewart MacDonald, ASU	75.90
8. Peter Moser, Wash	72.30

### FLOOR EXERCISE

1. Andrew Elkind, USOTC	14.60
2. Patrick Piscitelli, Okla	14.30
2. John Orozco, USOTC	14.30
4. Steven Ramos, AF	14.00
4. Will Eastman, Neb	14.30
6. Dylan Akers, Okla	13.90
7. Nicholas Gaudip, AF	13.80
8. Chris Stehl, Okla	13.70
8. Jake Martin, USOTC	13.70

### POMMEL HORSE

1. Michael Reid, Okla	14.40
2. Eric Schryver, Neb	14.20
2. John Orozco, USOTC	14.20
4. Troy Nitzky, Okla	13.90
5. Wyatt Aycock, Neb	13.80
6. Dylan Akers, Okla	13.70
7. James Okamoto, AF	13.60
7. Jacoby Rubin, Okla	13.60

### RINGS

1. Chris Stehl, Okla	15.70
2. Jake Dalton, Okla	15.50
3. Devin Menefee, AF	15.40
3. Troy Nitzky, Okla	15.40
3. Alex Gaudaur, ASU	15.40
3. John Orozco, USOTC	15.40
7. Patrick Piscitelli, Okla	15.30
8. Jacoby Rubin, Okla	15.00

### VAULT

1. Patrick Piscitelli, Okla	15.00
2. Wyatt Baier, Neb	14.80
3. John Orozco, USOTC	14.70
4. Alec Robin, Okla	14.60
5. Danny Berardini, Okla	14.40
5. Dylan Akers, Okla	14.40
5. Grant Perdue, Neb	14.40
5. Sean Melton, USOTC	14.40

### PARALLEL BARS

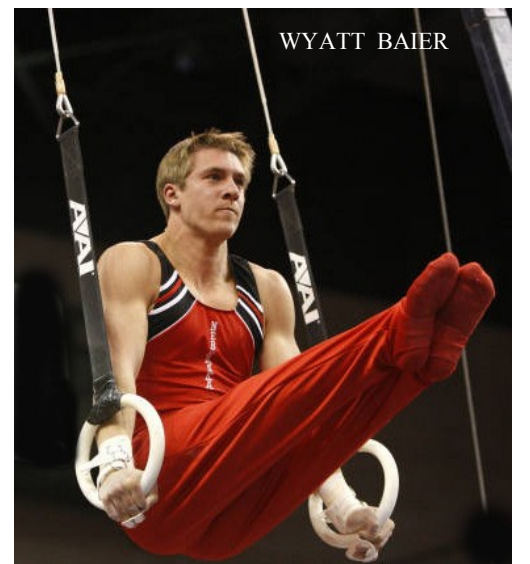
1. John Orozco, USOTC	15.30
2. Eric Schryver, Neb	14.50
2. Chris Stehl, Okla	14.50
4. Greg Chaput, AF	14.40
4. Jacoby Rubin, Okla	14.40
4. Jake Dastrup, USOTC	14.40
7. Andreas Hofer, Neb	14.30
8. Skyler Awisus, AF	14.20
8. Alex Gaudaur, ASU	14.20

### HORIZONTAL BAR

1. Jake Dalton, Okla	14.70
2. Jacoby Rubin, Okla	14.50
3. William Clement, Okla	14.00
4. Steven Ramos, AF	13.90
5. Corbin Palmer, AF	13.80



JAKE DALTON



WYATT BAIER



PATRICK PISCITELLI



ERIC SCHRYVER



JACOBY RUBIN

### HORIZONTAL BAR-cont.

6. Will Eastman, Neb	13.70
7. Eric Schryver, Neb	13.60
7. Chris Stehl, Okla	13.60
7. David Jacobs, Neb	13.60
7. Breeden Ritchie, AF	13.60
7. John Orozco, USOTC	13.60