

## IRISH FENCERS COMPLETE UNDEFEATED SECOND DAY AT NOTRE DAME COLLEGIATE DUALS

**NOTRE DAME, Ind.** (2/2/03) – The second-ranked Notre Dame men's and women's fencing teams wrapped up a strong showing with wins Sunday over Cal State Fullerton, Wayne State and Lawrence University, in the second and final day of action at the Notre Dame Collegiate Duals.

The more noteworthy bouts of the day included six Notre Dame wins over fencers who have competed in previous NCAA Championships. Sophomore **Michal Sobieraj** (5-4) and senior captain **Jan Viviani** (4-3) both posted wins over Wayne State men's epeeist Wojciech Dudek while sophomore **Alicja Kryczalo** dispatched of two-time women's foil All-American Inga Wallrabenstein (5-1).

Notre Dame fencers also posted three wins over 2002 NCAA entrants from Cal State Fullerton, with sophomore foilist **Derek Snyder** besting Roland Breden (5-3) while sophomore **Andrea Ament** (5-10) and senior captain **Liza Boutsikaris** (5-2) both posted wins over foilist Christy Stewart.

The Notre Dame men (14-0) extended the program's third-longest winning streak to 74 regular-season matches, dating back to early in the 2000 season, while the Irish women boosted their season record to 12-2.

Several Notre Dame weapons completed strong weekend showings, led by the women's foil (59-13), men's sabre (58-14) and women's sabre (57-15) squads.

### RECORD BOOK UPDATE

Senior men's sabre **Gabor Szelle** (18-3 in 2003) won all six of his bouts on Sunday to continue his climb up the Notre Dame list for career wins (all men's weapons), moving up from ninth to seventh on that list (162-11) – behind former sabres Bill Lester (213), Luke La Valle (200) and Mike Sullivan (183), foilist Jeremy Siek (191) and epeeists Brian Stone (183) and Carl Jackson (174).

Three others also moved up on that list, including Viviani (5-0 on Sunday, 26-3 season, 144-17 career) from 20th to 19th, senior foilist **Ozren Debic** (4-0, 27-1, 141-8) from 24th to 21st and senior sabre **Matt Fabricant** (6-0, 28-3, 130-20) from 35th to 28th.

Debic also ranks seventh in Notre Dame history for career men's foil wins (just six wins out of third) while his .946 career winning pct. remains third-best in ND men's fencing history (tops among foilists). Szelle heads into next week's Duke Duals with a .936 career winning pct. (fifth-best among all weapons, third among sabres) while Viviani (12th, .894) and Fabricant (23rd, .867) also remain ranked on the win pct. list, with Boutsikaris and junior sabre captain **Destanie Milo** (7-0, 19-3, 105-22) now tied for 18th on the Notre Dame list for career winning pct. (.817) among all women's weapons.

On the women's side, Carnick (4-0, 27-4, 167-40) moved into a tie with Magda Krol ('97-'99) for fourth on the ND list for women's epee wins while her classmate **Meagan Call** (3-1, 21-8, 154-51) moved up a spot to 15th on the Irish list for women's fencing wins among all weapons (Carnick remains 10th), with Call also now seventh on the women's epee victory list. Boutsikaris (4-1, 22-6, 152-34) moved up two spots on the women's victories list to 16th (now 10th among foilists)

Several second-year Notre Dame fencers continued their impressive careers, led by the foil tandem of Kryczalo (5-0, 26-1, 65-3) and Ament (4-1, 24-4, 52-6), their fellow sophomore sensations Sobieraj (5-0, 27-1, 53-1) and Snyder (5-0, 22-3, 54-10), and junior women's epeeist **Kerry Walton** (3-0, 27-3, 67-8).

### 2003 NOTRE DAME DUALS – DAY 2

#### **Men's Scores**

##### **Notre Dame 18**

Air Force 20  
Northwestern 24

##### **Notre Dame 22**

Air Force 18  
**Air Force 27**  
UC San Diego 18  
Wayne State 21

##### **Notre Dame 25**

Northwestern 16

##### **Cal State Fullerton 9**

UC San Diego 7  
Detroit 3

##### **Wayne State 5**

Detroit 0  
**Lawrence 0**  
Northwestern 9  
Detroit 6

##### **Lawrence 2**

Wayne State 11

#### **Women's Scores**

##### **Notre Dame 22**

Air Force 22  
Northwestern 23

##### **Notre Dame 19**

Air Force 19  
Cal State Fullerton 26  
Air Force 25  
Northwestern 26  
Wayne State 15

##### **Notre Dame 26**

Northwestern 18

##### **Cal State Fullerton 5**

UC San Diego 5  
Detroit 4

##### **Wayne State 8**

Detroit 8  
Lawrence 1  
Lawrence 2  
UC San Diego 1  
Detroit 7

##### **Lawrence 1**

Wayne State 9

\* See complete results and updated statistics on page 2 \*

### 2003 NOTRE DAME DUALS – RESULTS AND UPDATED RECORDS

**ND Men 14-0 (2nd in USFCA Poll)**

**ND Women 12-2 (2nd in USFCA Poll)**

Notre Dame 18	UC San Diego 9	Notre Dame 25	UC San Diego 2
Notre Dame 15	Air Force 12	Notre Dame 21	Air Force 6
Notre Dame 15	(1) Penn State 12	(1) Penn State 16	Notre Dame 11
Notre Dame 24	Detroit 3	Notre Dame 22	Detroit 5
Notre Dame 19	Northwestern 8	Notre Dame 19	(7) Northwestern 8
Notre Dame 18	Cal State Fullerton 9	Notre Dame 22	Cal State Fullerton 5
Notre Dame 22	Wayne State 5	Notre Dame 19	Wayne State 8
Notre Dame 22	Lawrence 2	Notre Dame 26	Lawrence 1

Men's Epee	UCSD	AFA	PSU	DET	NW	CSF	WS	LAW	Total	Season	Career
North Carey	0-1	0-3	0-3	0-1	---	1-1	1-0	3-0	5-9	13-11	13-11
Adam Harvey	1-0	----	----	1-0	0-1	1-0	----	1-0	4-1	7-3	16-8
Michael Macaulay	0-1	----	----	1-0	1-0	0-1	0-1	1-0	3-3	8-3	28-14
T.J. McNally	0-1	----	----	2-0	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-1	2-5	5-8	5-8
Nick Schumacher	1-0	----	----	0-1	0-1	1-0	1-0	1-0	4-2	7-4	26-14
Michal Sobieraj	2-0	2-1	3-0	1-0	3-0	2-0	2-0	1-0	16-1	27-1	43-1 (.977)
Jan Viviani	2-0	1-2	3-0	2-0	2-0	1-0	3-0	1-0	15-2	26-3	144-17 (.894)
	<b>6-3</b>	<b>3-6</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>49-23</b>	<b>93-33</b>	<b>275-73 (.790)</b>

Men's Foil	UCSD	AFA	PSU	DET	NW	CSF	WS	LAW	Total	Season	Career
Matt Castellan	1-1	0-1	----	1-0	1-1	----	2-0	3-0	8-3	17-4	53-18
Ozren Debic	1-0	2-0	2-1	3-0	1-0	2-0	2-0	----	13-1	27-1	141-8 (.946)
Sean Donovan	1-0	0-1	----	2-1	1-2	0-1	0-1	3-0	7-6	7-6	7-6
Jack Goetz	0-1	0-1	----	2-0	1-1	----	1-0	2-1	6-4	6-4	6-4
Derek Snyder	2-0	1-1	1-2	----	----	3-0	2-0	----	9-3	22-3	54-10
Forest Walton	2-0	2-0	0-3	----	1-0	0-3	1-0	----	6-6	22-7	92-26
	<b>7-2</b>	<b>5-4</b>	<b>3-6</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>5-4</b>	<b>5-4</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>49-23</b>	<b>101-25</b>	<b>353-72 (.831)</b>

Men's Sabre	UCSD	AFA	PSU	DET	NW	CSF	WS	LAW	Total	Season	Career
Brian Dosal	1-1	1-2	2-1	2-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	2-0	11-7	20-11	20-11
John Espinosa	0-1	----	----	1-0	1-0	0-1	0-1	1-0	3-3	8-3	8-3
Matt Fabricant	2-0	3-0	2-1	2-0	2-0	2-0	2-0	2-0	17-1	28-3	130-20 (.867)
Brendan Prendergast	0-1	----	----	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	5-1	7-4	7-4
Alex Schumacher	0-1	----	----	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	5-1	9-2	9-2
Gabor Szelle	2-0	3-0	2-1	2-0	2-0	2-0	2-0	2-0	17-1	28-3	162-11 (.936)
	<b>5-4</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>9-0</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>9-0</b>	<b>58-14</b>	<b>100-26</b>	<b>336-51 (.868)</b>

Women's Epee	UCSD	AFA	PSU	DET	NW	CSF	WS	LAW	Total	Season	Career
Natalie Bustamante	1-0	---	---	0-1	---	1-0	0-2	2-0	4-3	10-3	10-3
Meagan Call	2-0	1-2	1-2	1-0	2-1	2-0	0-1	1-0	10-6	21-8	154-51
Anna Carnick	1-0	2-1	2-1	2-0	2-1	2-0	1-0	1-0	13-3	27-4	167-40
Rebecca Chimahusky	1-0	----	----	0-1	----	1-0	1-1	2-0	5-2	10-3	10-3
Jocelyn Landgraf	1-1	---	---	0-2	---	1-1	1-1	2-0	5-5	5-5	5-5
Kerry Walton	2-0	2-1	1-2	2-0	3-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	13-3	27-3	67-8 (.893)
	<b>8-1</b>	<b>5-4</b>	<b>4-5</b>	<b>5-4</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>4-5</b>	<b>9-0</b>	<b>50-22</b>	<b>100-26</b>	<b>413-110 (.790)</b>

Women's Foil	UCSD	AFA	PSU	DET	NW	CSF	WS	LAW	Total	Season	Career
Andrea Ament	----	3-0	2-1	3-0	3-0	2-0	2-1	----	15-2	24-4	52-6 (.897)
Liza Boutsikaris	2-0	3-0	1-2	1-0	2-1	2-0	2-1	----	13-4	22-6	152-34 (.817)
Elizabeth Emilian	0-1	----	----	2-0	----	0-1	----	3-0	5-2	11-3	12-6
Jill Inghram	1-0	----	----	0-1	----	0-1	----	2-1	3-3	11-5	16-10
Alicja Kryczalo	3-0	3-0	2-1	1-0	3-0	2-0	3-0	----	17-1	26-1	65-3 (.956)
Colleen Walsh	2-0	----	----	1-0	----	0-1	----	3-0	6-1	12-1	12-1
	<b>8-1</b>	<b>9-0</b>	<b>5-4</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>59-13</b>	<b>106-20</b>	<b>307-60 (.837)</b>

Women's Sabre	UCSD	AFA	PSU	DET	NW	CSF	WS	LAW	Total	Season	Career
Danielle Davis	2-0	2-1	0-3	3-0	0-3	1-0	1-1	2-0	11-8	22-12	29-19
Jessie Filkins	1-0	----	----	----	----	1-0	2-0	1-0	5-0	5-0	49-23
Maggie Jordan	2-0	3-0	1-2	3-0	2-1	3-0	3-0	2-0	19-3	32-5	57-21
Destanie Milo	3-0	3-0	1-2	3-0	2-1	3-0	3-0	1-0	19-3	19-3	105-22 (.817)
Tiffany Muller	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	11-6	11-6
Natalie Tenner	1-0	----	----	----	----	0-1	----	2-0	3-1	8-3	8-3
	<b>9-0</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>2-7</b>	<b>9-0</b>	<b>4-5</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>9-0</b>	<b>57-15</b>	<b>97-29</b>	<b>259-94 (.734)</b>