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USU vs. Boise State
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The Hit List

#	Name	Ht	Pos	Yr
11	Anthony Thomas	6-0	G	So.
15	Matt Bauscher	6-2	G	Sr.
20	Tyler Tiedeman	6-7	F	Sr.
24	Reggie Larry	6-6	F	Sr.
22	Matt Nelson	6-9	F	Sr.
1	Shawn Rouse	6-7	F	Fr.
3	Ike Okoye	6-8	F	Jr.
4	Jamar Green	6-0	G	Jr.
12	Aaron Garner	6-4	G	Jr.
25	Paul Noonan	6-6	F	Fr.
32	Zack Moritz	6-10	C	Fr.
43	Mark Sanchez	6-7	F	Jr.
50	Kurt Cunningham	6-9	C	So.

Coach: Greg Graham

Coby Karl takes Aggie Student Section to Maury Povich to settle paternity dispute

Boise State's visit to the Spectrum last season resulted in one of the most thrilling finishes to a game that anyone could ever ask for. Trailing Boise State 79-70 with less than a minute and a half to go, the Aggies stormed back with a 10-0 run capped by Chaz Spicer doing what Chaz Spicer does when he gets the ball in the clutch. A crucial part of the comeback was when Coby Karl, an 83.4% free throw shooter, came to the free throw line in the last minute with a chance to seal a victory for the Broncos. Karl was welcomed to the free throw line by an onslaught of Aggie Students chanting, "Who's your daddy" in his direction. Karl missed both free throws, Carroll hit a 3, and Chaz Spicer finished off the Broncos for the Aggie win.

Following that game, the then senior guard was swept into a flurry of confusion about his paternal situation. Karl said, "You know you go through life without really thinking twice that the father figure who's been there all along might not be the real deal. That night I had those second thoughts for the first time."

The confusion led Karl to begin investigating whether or not his daddy was in fact Denver Nuggets head coach George Karl as he had always assumed. The only other likely candidate that Karl could imagine was the Utah State Aggie Student Section that had held him down in a way that only a daddy figure could. After nearly an entire year of personal debate, Karl finally decided to settle the paternal dispute as so many do in this day and age... Coby Karl put the Aggie Student Section up to a paternity test on the Maury Povich show. The details of how exactly the test was performed on a collection of 4000-plus students were not revealed by Povich's staff, but the test did return a result expected by all who witnessed Karl's final visit to the Spectrum. With a live feed of the Spectrum crowd on screen at Maury's studios, Povich delivered what has become a signature line for his program by telling the Aggie Crowd, "You ARE the father!"

"It seems like the entire crowd knew something I didn't that night," Karl said. "I guess looking back I'm glad I didn't let them down by missing those shots." Daddy was proud that night.

New Mexico State leaves Logan with caravan of police cruisers in pursuit

Following Saturday's victory over New Mexico State, the NMSU team bus departed Logan with much more than a loss on their hands. The Aggies from down south fled town with seven police cars following closely behind in hot pursuit. "We can't say just yet why we were in pursuit of their team bus, but it seemed like a pretty safe bet that someone on that bus had at least done something that would've required police investigation," said Logan chief of police Russ Roper. The team managed to evade the police chase, but like so many others, were not able to evade the loss column during their visit to the Logan and The Spectrum. "With the weather conditions being the way they were, we decided it was best to call off the chase," Roper said. "We know that they'll have to come back here again next year. We'll have the police force ready."

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In Marvin's opinion, we rule all!!!

New Mexico State coach Marvin Menzies said in postgame comments that The Spectrum was every bit as tough a place to play as Duke, where NMSU played earlier this season. The Spectrum has officially been mentioned in the same breath with the elite student section in the nation...Yes, we're THAT good. Now we've got reputation to hold up among the elite. Keep bringin it!!!

In All Honesty: Boise = Paper Tiger

To put it lightly, Boise State has played a cupcake schedule so far this season. They have fared well against most of those cupcakes, but also have a couple very bad losses to the likes of Montana State and Loyola Marymount, who combine for a record of 13-21. Their weak schedule to accompany their solid win-loss record makes them look more dangerous than they really are. However they're still a good team, and have played well in the Spectrum the past two seasons. They're led by arguably the best frontcourt duo in the WAC in seniors Reggie Larry and Matt Nelson. The two average a combined 35.9 points and 16.9 rebounds per game. The question mark for Boise is their defense. Boise will get points down low, but will also allow a lot of points. Boise has also had trouble defending the high scoring guards, which is bad news for any team facing Jaycee Carroll.

Morrill and Carroll flirting with history

Stew Morrill is now tied for first place in career coaching victories at Utah State. With a win tonight he will log his 226th win, overtaking long time record holder E.L. Romney. Jaycee Carroll currently stands 31 points away from 2,128 for his career, which would pass Greg Grant for the most points scored in school history. The chances of two such career feats being reached on the same evening are impossible to calculate. Tonight's game has the potential to see history made that people will still be talking about decades from now. If/when the records break, embrace the moments, because no other generation of Aggie fans will be so lucky to witness stuff like this.

The Petri Dish - The 99 problems edition

Team - Lost at home to New Mexico State, allowing NMSU freshman (and alleged pants dropper) Jahmar Young torch them for 33 points. The same Jahmar Young who crumbled under the heat of the Spectrum for an impressive 4 points total on 2-12 shooting.

#4 Jamar Greene - Backed out of a verbal commitment to Seton Hall to go to Boise State. Didn't get the memo about which is the better basketball school

#20 Tyler Tiedeman - Was on a baseball scholarship at the U of Arizona but decided to play basketball instead of baseball. Couldn't quite cut it for Arizona's basketball team. Younger brother Zac plays for Santa Clara, who lost in the Spectrum earlier this year.

#11 Anthony Thomas - Myspace headline reads, "F*** these lien a** hoes, i could give a f*** about a b****." (Edited for obscene content)

#24 Reggie Larry - Myspace headline reads, "y be mad, I broke up with her."

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