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The Hit List

#	Name	Ht	Pos	Yr.
0	Hyron Edwards	6'0	G	RSr.
1	Kris Martin	6'4	G	RSr.
2	Teyvion Kirk	6'4	G	Jr.
3	Kendle Moore	5'10	G	So.
4	Isaiah Stevens	6'0	G	Fr.
5	P.J. Byrd	6'1	G	So.
10	James Moors	6'10	F	Fr.
11	Dischon Thomas	6'9	F	Fr.
21	David Roddy	6'5	G/F	Fr.
22	Kyle Lukaszewicz	6'6	G	Jr.
23	John Tonje	6'5	G	Fr.
31	Adam Thistlewood	6'6	F	So.
32	Nico Carvacho	6'11	F/C	RSr.
43	Igans Sargiunas	6'5	G	So.

Colorado States Nico Caravacho is admittedly refusing to believe this game is even taking place following last year's embarrassment.

Colorado States all-time leading rebounder has been waking up in cold sweats for the past week with anticipation for tonight's game. He just can't get rid of the memory of Quetta stealing the inbound pass, dribbling it coast to coast, then slamming it home for 2 points. All on Nico's watch. (For all intents and purposes, I am going to call Caravacho "Nico" because the other name is way beyond my effort zone.)

You see last year Nico was supposed to be the Colorado State's all-star and one of the best centers in the conference. Well, that was until Neemius Quetta burst onto the scene. The freshmen phenom stole all the thunder earning numerous accolades while upstaging Nico every time they played.

The matchup between these two could be called "Clash of the Titans" but, rumor has it, Nico doesn't want that kind of pressure placed between the two. Because, let's be fair, Utah State has always come out on top.

This year Nico has much more to worry about. On top of his match up with returning Defensive Player of the Year, we have one of the nation's leading rebounders in Justin Bean. Let's just hope we can rattle this guy and make him dread coming to the spectrum. We have a once in a lifetime opportunity to heckle an All-time leader in rebounding for Colorado State.



Quetta's sick drive/dunk on Nico

In All Honesty: A Game Preview

They are ranked 3rd in the conference. It's been kind of a surprise to find them this high up in the rankings. But they do have some good players. Their Nico Caravacho was first team all-conference last year and holds CSU's total career rebounding total. Honestly, we could see this going either way, but we feel confident that we should pull this one off.

Mark Your Calendars!!!

UP NEXT: UNLV February 4th Tuesday @ 8 pm. Right now, they are the 2nd ranked team in the conference. They had four close losses outside of conference play to good teams, and ever since conference play started, they have been looking good. Expect a stiff contest from these guys.



Heart Breaking Loss

This season CSU suffered a heartbreaking loss at home to in-state rivals University of Colorado. With a minute left Nicolas Carvacho missed an easy lay-up, recovered the rebound, and ... and instead of passing the ball out to an open shooter he attempted another shot AND WAS BLOCKED. That had to sting, for his open teammates too...

The Dirt – What you should know, that they wish you didn't.

If you look up the Twitter account of any of the CSU players, you will find only one thing: CSU basketball. While you might suspect that the university made fake accounts for the players just trying to get students to show up for games, the truth is worse: the accounts are real. There is just absolutely nothing interesting at CSU to tweet about.

HC Niko Medved- Smith and Medved were assistant coaches together for five years underneath Tim Miles at CSU. A lot of people at CSU are rather bitter because they feel like they got the worse coach...

#31 Adam Thistlewood - Spent one year at Texas Tech, at which point we imagine the coaches realized they could win tournament games if they got rid of deadweight players. He's also got the worse case of babyface that has entered the Spectrum this year. Honestly, Brock Miller probably has more facial hair than this guy.

#32 Nico Carvacho- CSU currently has the worst free throw accuracy in the MWC: a whopping 66.5%. Nico Carvacho is leading the train of bricked free-throws with a percentage of 45.5% and most attempted free throws.

#1 Kris Martin- Adam Thistlewood is back from his ankle injury. Kris now had to go back to the bench. Since he's a senior he's probably pretty disappointed about that.

#4 Isaiah Stevens and **#21 David Roddy** have reported that they enjoy playing NBA 2K against each other. I mean who doesn't right, but the question is: Who is better? Isaiah insists that he is, but David still won't admit it publicly...

The Freshman's Corner

Have you seen this section before? Good! Thanks for coming back. If you haven't seen it, or this is your first game, then this section is for you! Just a simple section to reiterate traditional chants or a place to watch for new ones to start.

To preface our Offense Cheers I will have to say that not very many college basketball arenas start a chant for every offensive possession and make noise for all defensive possessions. Just know that opposing teams aren't used to the student section making this much constant noise. It really messes with their heads.

One last thing. When we make a free throw, say "Whoosh" right after it goes in. We have been noticing it has been getting a little weak.

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