

# STANFORD ATHLETICS



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## **Pepperdine vs. UC Davis Game No. 4 - Quotes Saturday, May 31, 2008 Stanford Regional Stanford, Calif.**

### **UC Davis Head Coach Rex Peters**

#### ***Opening Statement...***

I thought both teams played well. They got a few more hits with runners in scoring position than we did and I think that was the difference.

#### ***On having 11 strikeouts...***

Their pitchers have good stuff. Hunter has some of the best stuff on the west coast and that is why he is a top prospect. I think that we were a little over-anxious early on in chasing some of his pitches out of the zone. We put ourselves in too many two strike counts instead of being patient and putting ourselves in hitters' counts. Some of that is us being a little too aggressive and some of that is just them having good stuff and they do. They have a good pitching staff.

#### ***On Jeffries struggling at the plate...***

He is staying pretty balanced at the plate and having decent swings. He has been behind in the count a lot and that is hard to do. He is going to fine though, I am not concerned.

#### ***On playing Stanford tomorrow...***

It doesn't matter who you play. We just have to go out and play well. The good news is that we are still in it. We get to put on the uniform tomorrow and just have to go out and play hard.

### **UC Davis Third Baseman Ty Kelly**

#### ***On their lack of hitting with runners in scoring position...***

There was nothing in particular that I saw. I just think we need to get more quality at-bats with runners in scoring position. Try to put it in play and get runners in

#### ***On having seven hits in the first two games...***

I have seen the ball pretty well, just going to get pitches that I know I can hit.

### **UC Davis Stating Pitcher Brett MacAtee**

#### ***On the home run he gave up...***

It was supposed to be out, but it was up. The guy was giving us the corners away, but he just went the other way with it. With the wind going that way it helped it get out.

#### ***On the success of the bottom of the lineup...***

If they did do damage it was not that they were ripping the ball, they were just finding spots where we weren't.