

SPORTS

SCCU Stadium Still set to Open During Yellowjackets Soccer Season



Aerial photo of the Superior Choice Credit Union Stadium at the start of construction summer 2024.

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The start of the soccer season for the University of Wisconsin-Superior's men's and women's teams started on familiar turf, but soon looks to move closer to home.

After two years from its initial announcement, the new Superior Choice Credit Union Stadium that was set to open at the beginning of the fall semester, is still under construction. Crews began construction on April 25, 2024, after the groundbreaking ceremony.

Over the summer, crews ran into a few delays which pushed back the grand opening of the stadium.

"As with any construction project, we have had unplanned for weather



Construction crews rolling out the turf on the new SCCU Stadium.
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and issues arise that have impacted the construction schedule. We have a great contractor in Northern Interstate that is working to ensure our teams are able to access the stadium yet this fall," said Nick Bursik, director of athletics at UW-Superior.

With these delays both

the men's and women's soccer teams have been playing their first few home games at NBC Spartan Sports Complex in Superior or Walt Hunting Stadium-Marv Heikkinen Field in Duluth, Minn.

The men's soccer team is currently in first place in the conference with an overall record of 3-2-2. For the women's team they are currently in first place with a recorded of 4-4 on the year.

A ribbon cutting ceremony is set for October 11, the day before the grand opening for the SCCU stadium, which is set for Oct. 12, where Yellowjacket men's and women's soccer will host Minnesota Morris in an Upper Midwest Athletic Conference match up.



Summer construction of SCCU Stadium.
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UMAC Standings: Fall Sports

Men's Soccer

- 1). UW-Superior, 3-2-2
- 2). Crown, 2-3
- 3). Bethany Lutheran, 2-4-2
- 4). Martin Luther, 1-5-1
- 5). Minnesota Morris, 1-7
- 6). Northwestern, 1-3-2
- 7). North Central, 2-4
- 8). Northland, 0-5

Women's Soccer

- 1). UW-Superior, 4-4
- 2). Martin Luther, 3-3-1
- 3). Crown, 1-4
- 4). Northwestern, 1-5-1
- 5). Bethany Lutheran, 1-5
- 6). North Central, 0-6
- 7). Minnesota Morris, 0-6



Women's Volleyball

- 1). North Central, 10-2
- 2). UW-Superior, 10-5
- 3). Crown, 4-3
- 4). Northwestern, 6-5
- 5). Bethany Lutheran, 7-6
- 6). Minnesota Morris, 4-7
- 7). Martin Luther, 3-11
- 8). Northland, 0-9



Up Next in Sports

Men's Soccer

- at Northwestern (Minn.)
Sep 24 (Tue) / 7 p.m.
- at Bethany Lutheran
Sep 28 (Sat) / 4:30 p.m.
- vs Northland
Oct 2 (Wed) / 7 p.m.
- at Martin Luther
Oct 5 (Sat) / 4:30 p.m.
- at Crown
Oct 8 (Tue) / 7 p.m.
- vs Minnesota Morris
Oct 12 (Sat) / 1 p.m.
- at Gustavus Adolphus
Oct 13 (Sun) / 1 p.m.

Women's Soccer

- at Northwestern (Minn.)
Sep 24 (Tue) / 4:30 p.m.
- at Bethany Lutheran
Sep 28 (Sat) / 2 p.m.
- at Martin Luther
Oct 5 (Sat) / 2 p.m.
- at Crown
Oct 8 (Tue) / 4:30 p.m.
- at Macalester
Oct 9 (Wed) / 7 p.m.
- vs Minnesota Morris
Oct 12 (Sat) / 3:30 p.m.

Volleyball

- vs Northland
Sep 24 (Tue) / 7 p.m.
- vs Crown
Sep 27 (Fri) / 7 p.m.
- vs Minnesota Morris
Sep 28 (Sat) / 1 p.m.
- at Northwestern (Minn.)
Oct 4 (Fri) / 7 p.m.
- at North Central (Minn.)
Oct 5 (Sat) / 1 p.m.
- vs Bethany Lutheran
Oct 11 (Fri) / 7 p.m.
- vs Martin Luther
Oct 12 (Sat) / 1 p.m.

Men's Cross Country

- at Blugold Invite
Oct 4 (Fri) / 5:15 p.m.
- at Augustana Interregional Invitational
Oct 18 (Fri) / 11:45 a.m.
- at UMAC Championship
Nov 2 (Sat) / TBA
- at NCAA Division III North Regional
Nov 16 (Sat) / TBA

Women's Cross Country

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