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Posted by Island Pipeline - 2008/01/02 12:54

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Posted by gordito - 2008/01/02 13:00

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Likewise B) B)

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Posted by McGregor - 2008/01/02 13:01

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Well, props for taking your medicine like a man.

No props for bring up 2001.

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## Re:Hawai Went to Rumble and left real Humble BUT.....

Posted by jeremygeorge - 2008/01/02 13:05

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Actually, you coming back here after the loss will probably go a long way...but you had a long way to go.

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Careful with # 2 there MY BRUDDA, this poster doesn't "hate you." Props for coming in and "manin' up." I wanted to see a game last night. It was apparent that Georgia was not goin' Oklahoma on Hawaii. They were so pumped up and ready to play and they got after it. No shame in fighting for your team, that's what good fans do. Thanx for the New Year's wish, backatcha.... Stand tall "MY BRUDDA" Way to sneak # 4 in there but GO COUGARS..... 01' was a LONG time ago, those days are behind us.

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Posted by Gymcoug318 - 2008/01/02 13:17

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I'm glad unlike Airwolf Your kind of owning up too all the talking trash bull crap you've bee saying for months! You might never leave. But a bit of advice you can be on this site be a fan of a different team and not be hated! Like Ttexaxtim. I think that is how you spell that? I don't mind playful bantering! But when it's all my team rocks your team sucks! Blah! blah! blah! What did you expect? Your going to get some resentment! :angry:

So are you trying to convert all of us to be Hawaii fans? If you are? You are wasting your time! :evil:

We'll give you the whooping that you put on us in 01. But we avenged that game the next year in the rain at Les! In 02. I was there! That was sweet! The rest of the season sucked! But seeing get the bows get their butts handed to them was awesome! :lol:

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## Re:Hawai Went to Rumble and left real Humble BUT.....

Posted by mountaincougar - 2008/01/02 13:51

Maybe Hawaii got an object lesson that hair and attitude doesn't equal strength. While I was sad to see them not just lose but get completely worked, part of me was kinda smiling. Their intent to mug BYU players on every play still rankles me. So having their hair, attitude, et al handed to them so thoroughly seemed poetic to this old fart.

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Posted by CougarPeasant - 2008/01/02 13:56

You must have blocked out the 2005 season where your beloved Rainbows lost the following games:

USC 63-17

MSU 42-14

La Tech 46-14

Fresno St. 27-13

Wisconsin 41-24

I think that first game alone would have humbled you enough, but there were 4 more the rest of the season. Oh, and that first game was on your home turf too. Way to represent.

I won't take time to remind you the last time BYU and Hawaii played, BYU won.

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Posted by Real.Men.Wear.Blue - 2008/01/02 14:30

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Posted by Metal Bubba - 2008/01/02 17:55

Very impressive that you came back. That shows a lot of sack. It also shows you're a true fan through thick and thin.

I saw what I wanted to see last night. Not because I dislike Hawai'i, but because they didn't deserve to be in the BCS game after the schedule they played. I don't ever again want to see a BCS bowl game featuring a team that plays a total of 2 games against teams with a winning record AND then barely beats 4 teams with losing records. I hope this game reverses the WAC-inspired trend of scheduling down the OOC games when the majority of the IC games are already unchallenging to begin with. Non-BCS teams need to beef up their OOC schedules to make up for the weak IC schedule or they don't belong in or deserve a BCS bowl game. Cowardice in the scheduling should not be rewarded. Period.

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I still maintain that had Luke Staley not broken his leg, BYU beats Hawaii in 2001. BYU still scored 45 points with a backup QB (remember Doman broke some ribs and didn't finish the game) and WR playing RB (Mahe) and we still "only" lost by 27 points. You can't convince me that Staley wasn't good for at least 28 points in that game nor that he would have prevented at least three or four of BYU's six lost fumbles.

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What you saw last night was the result of parlaying the 117th rated schedule into an undefeated season only to get your a\$\$ handed to you by a team that actually played someone this season. Hawaii was the weakest non bcs team to get a BCS bowl invite and they played the strongest competition of the 3 in their bowl game. You were a bad representative of Non BCS teams and cost the non BCS teams every bit of respect that was earned by the previous 2 non BCS teams who won their games. Don't be surprised the next time a non BCS team has an undefeated season to hear all of the BcS losers talk about strength of schedule and "remember what Hawaii did against Georgia". You guys were good enough to win 12 in a row against the crappy Wac but you would have taken 4th or 5th place against the MWC this year behind BYU, Airforce, utah, and TCU (maybe even Wyoming).

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## Re:Hawai Went to Rumble and left real Humble BUT.....

Posted by BOID - 2008/01/02 19:24

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Good point, kitic. I would add that if BYU had not been missing Aaron Francisco for, IIRC, the entire game, then Hawaii's air game would have been scaled back by two or three TD's. Doman was not healthy, and BYU was missing its offensive MVP and best DB (Francisco was a stud, even as a freshman).

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Agreed...Hawaii doesn't play well enough on the mainland to win a MWC championship. They'd have to have BYU, Utah, TCU, and New Mexico at home to have a prayer. And can you imagine Hawaii playing in Fort Collins or Laramie in November? They were scarcely better than LA Tech, San Jose State and Nevada away from Honalulu this year. We simply don't have creampuffs like Idaho, Utah State, or New Mexico State to beat up on in this league.

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Posted by iShowsToGo.com - 2008/01/02 20:41

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5- I know how Georgia feels when you give a good "MOUNTAIN STOMPING", like BYU/Hawaii in 2002! BYU:35, Hawaii:32. :laugh: So, the last time BYU and Hawaii played, who won? :laugh:

GO Cougars!

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Posted by poppa - 2008/01/02 20:42

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I totally agree, Brennan

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Cougarblue is screwing up again....please ignore triple post.

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Trust me that Hawaii game felt nothing like 2001. I worked with that team and the lose was no shock after the loss of Staley in the previous game and being told that there was no shot at a BCS bowl if they won out. Unlike Hawaii we knew we were vulnerable espically without Staley in the back field, we knew that before the game was played. Hawaii thought they had that game all the way up to the kickoff, but the look on JJ's face when his team was getting rolled was priceless. I guess spouting off and thumping your chest before the game is played is not a great idea.

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## Re:Hawai Went to Rumble and left real Humble BUT..

Posted by Mars - 2008/01/03 16:26

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I will be surprised if Hawaii doesn't finish ranked behind BYU. Which makes sense. BYU was and is the best non-BCS team in the nation this year.

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Don't be shocked to see pollsters being stingy in their rankings for non cartel teams next year. Also don't be surprised if they actually take a look at their SOS when considering their ranking postion.

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If this game has done one thing it has brought out Hawaii's very weak SOS issue and made pollster more aware of SOS instead of win loss records at least for non cartel teams. Mandel even wrote a piece about this.  
[http://sportsillustrated.cnn.com/2008/writers/stewart\\_mandel/01/03/cfb.bag/1.html](http://sportsillustrated.cnn.com/2008/writers/stewart_mandel/01/03/cfb.bag/1.html)

"Sugar Bowl debacle will probably have the opposite affect on any potential BCS buster next season. Personally, I'm all for the inclusion of such teams in the major bowls if deemed worthy, but I don't think it's asking too much to see one win over a legitimate opponent before granting a blind benefit of the doubt just because a team went 12-0."

Basically expect voters to be more weary of schedules and who you play and how well you played them if they are a non cartel team. Let Hawaii and BSU play sorry OOC schedules it will likely hurt them now instead of helping them. Playing in the WAC vs the MWC is already a huge deficit for WAC teams since their in conference SOS is significantly lower then the MWC's. Hawaii and BSU will need to schedule up to prove they belong and scheduling up likely will throw them out each year.

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