



SOUTH CAROLINA MEN'S GOLF

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2014-15 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

August

29-31 The Carmel Cup 6th of 8
Pebble Beach Golf Links (Pebble Beach, Calif.)

September

5-7 Carpet Capital Collegiate 1st of 14
The Farm Golf Club (Rocky Face, Ga.)

19-20 DICK'S Collegiate Challenge Cup 4th of 12
Golf Club of Tennessee (Kingston Springs, Tenn.)

21 Match Play vs. Virginia W, 3-2
DICK'S Collegiate Challenge Cup

October

18-19 Camden Collegiate Invitational 1st of 15
Camden Country Club (Camden, S.C.)

February

20-22 Bayou City Collegiate Championship 1st of 15
Golf Club of Houston (Humble, Texas)

March

9-10 Palmetto Intercollegiate
Palmetto Golf Club (Aiken, S.C.)

13-15 Seminole Intercollegiate
Southwood Golf Club (Tallahassee, Fla.)

23-24 Valspar Collegiate Invitational
Floridian (Palm City, Fla.)

29-31 Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate
Bulls Bay Golf Club (Awendaw, S.C.)

April

17-19 SEC Championship
Sea Island Golf Club (St. Simons Island, Ga.)

May/June

14-16 NCAA Regionals
TBA (TBA)

29-3 NCAA Championship
The Concession Golf Club (Bradenton, Fla.)

Home tournament in **bold**

Palmetto Intercollegiate

Monday, March 9 - Tuesday, March 10

Palmetto Golf Club • Aiken, S.C.

Par 70 • 6,617 yards



Live Scoring:

Tee Times:

Host:

Website:

www.golfstatresults.com

Monday: 9 a.m. (Shotgun Start - 36 Holes)

--Clemson, USC Aiken

Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. (18 Holes)

--Pairing based on team standing

USC Aiken

www.pacersports.com

Carolina Set for Palmetto Intercollegiate

The eighth-ranked South Carolina men's golf team returns to the course this week at the 18th Palmetto Intercollegiate in Aiken, S.C. The 54-hole event runs Monday through Tuesday at the historic Palmetto Golf Club, which has a par-70, 6,617-yard layout.

History at the Palmetto Intercollegiate

The Gamecocks are making their fourth-straight appearance and sixth overall at the Palmetto Intercollegiate. Carolina has finished no worse than third in each appearance and won the event in 2004. The Gamecocks placed third last year, second in 2013, third in 2012 and third in 2003. A Gamecock has finished in the top five in all five appearances, including Will Starke tying for fifth last season, Matt NeSmith tying for third in 2013 and Erik Johansen winning medalist honors in 2004.

Last Time at the Palmetto - March 10-11, 2014

Carolina claimed third place at last year's Palmetto Intercollegiate with a 54-hole total of 867 (+27). Will Starke led the way, tying for fifth with a total of 214 (+4). Matt NeSmith also finished in the top 20, tying for 14th with a total of 217 (+7).

Breaking Down the Field

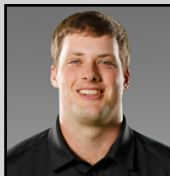
This year's Palmetto Intercollegiate features an 18-team field with five teams ranked in the most recent Golfstat Relative Rankings. Carolina is the highest ranked Division I team in the field at No. 8 as it comes in with three tournament wins this season. Tournament host USC Aiken is ranked No. 4 in the Division II Golfstat Rankings. The Pacers have won two events this season. Virginia, last year's runner-up, comes in at No. 19. Kennesaw State (No. 28), defending champion Clemson (No. 33) and Georgia Southern (No. 43) are also in the top 50. Elon, Francis Marion, Furman, GRU Augusta, Idaho, Liberty, Loyola (Md.), Maryland, Presbyterian, Western Carolina,

TOURNAMENT FIELD

Team	Golfstat Ranking
Clemson	33
Elon	130
Francis Marion	192
Furman	113
Georgia Southern	43
GRU Augusta	61
Idaho	102
Kennesaw State	28
Liberty	123
Loyola (Md.)	160
Maryland	59
Presbyterian College	176
South Carolina	8
USC Aiken	4 (DII)
Virginia	19
Western Carolina	194
Wisconsin	107
Wofford	101

This Week's Lineup

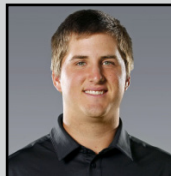
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Will Starke

Avg.: 70.13
Top 5/10/20: 4/4/5
Low Round: 66

2



Will Murphy

Avg.: 72.08
Top 5/10/20: 0/2/2
Low Round: 66

3



Matt NeSmith

Avg.: 71.13
Top 5/10/20: 1/2/4
Low Round: 67

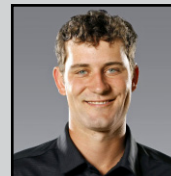
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Sean Kelly

Avg.: 72.87
Top 5/10/20: 0/1/3
Low Round: 67

5



Caleb Sturgeon

Avg.: 72.60
Top 5/10/20: 1/2/2
Low Round: 66



Wisconsin and Wofford round out the field. The Gamecocks have a 9-1 head-to-head record against teams in the field.

Getting Better with Age

The Gamecocks will be playing on the fourth oldest course in the nation this week. The Palmetto Golf Club, which features a par-70, 6,617-yard layout, was founded in 1892.

Shooting for Four

A win at the Palmetto Intercollegiate would be Carolina's fourth this season, which would match the school record set by the 1990-91 and 2008-09 teams. It would also be the Gamecocks third-straight tournament win, a feat no other team in Carolina history has accomplished.

Making it a Habit

The Gamecocks have finished in the top five in 13 of their last 16 tournaments dating back to last season, including six tournament wins. Carolina matched the school record for top-five finishes in a single season last year with nine, including three wins.

McDonald's 12

Gamecock head coach Bill McDonald is the winningest coach by tournament victories in school history with 12. McDonald broke the previous record of nine held by Puggy Blackmon (1995-2007) with Carolina's win at the Carpet Capital Collegiate this fall. The Gamecocks then gave McDonald his 11th tournament title with a win at the Camden Collegiate Invitational to close out the fall. Carolina opened the spring by winning the Bayou City Collegiate Championship.

A Top 25 Program

Under the guidance of head coach Bill McDonald, South Carolina has consistently been ranked in the top 25 of several polls the last two years. The Gamecocks ended last year ranked No. 14 in the final Golfstat Rankings, No. 21 in the final regular-season Golf World/Nike Coaches Poll and No. 20 in the Golfweek Rankings. Carolina is currently ranked No. 8 in the Golfstat Relative Rankings, No. 14 in the Golf Coaches Association of America Coaches Poll and No. 14 in the Golfweek/Sagarin Rankings.

Keeping it Low

Five Gamecocks currently have stroke averages in the 72s. Junior Will Starke leads the way with an average of 70.13, followed by junior Matt NeSmith (71.13), senior Will Murphy (72.08), senior Caleb Sturgeon (72.60) and junior Sean Kelly (72.87). Starke and NeSmith rank second and fourth, respectively, in the SEC in stroke average, while Murphy ranks 10th. Last season Starke, NeSmith, Murphy and Sturgeon wrapped up the year with a stroke average in the 72s, which is the first time of record four golfers have done that in school history.

Starke's Streak

Junior Will Starke is playing some of the best golf of his career this season as he has finished in the top 15 in all five events, including four top fives, and won his match against Virginia's Ji Soo Park. His four top-five finishes are tied for the fifth most in a single season in school history. Starke has also shot in the 60s in nine of his last 11 rounds and has only carded three rounds above par this season (73-73-78).

Gamecocks in the Golfstat Statistics Rankings

As a team South Carolina ranks ninth in the nation in average score (71.97) and seventh versus par (+0.55). The Gamecocks are sixth in par-4 scoring (4.06).

Climbing the Record Book

Seniors Caleb Sturgeon and Will Murphy and juniors Will Starke and Matt NeSmith continue to climb up South Carolina's career scoring average list. NeSmith currently ranks first all-time with an average of 72.22, while Starke isn't far behind in second with an average of 72.25. Sturgeon ranks fifth all-time with an average of 73.00, while Murphy is 10th with an average of 73.21.

QUICK FACTS

Location..... Columbia, S.C.
 Enrollment.....31,964
 Founded.....1801
 Team Name Gamecocks
 President Dr. Harris Pastides
 Faculty Representative..... Dr. Zach Kelehear
 Athletics Director..... Ray Tanner
 Colors Garnet (PMS 202C), Black
 Conference.....Southeastern

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach Bill McDonald
 9th Year (8th as head coach) (Ga. Tech, 1989)
 Assistant Coach..... Alex Hamilton

PROGRAM HISTORY

NCAA Champ. Appearances18
 NCAA Regional Appearances.....22

2013-14 TEAM INFORMATION

2014 SEC Finish..... 5th/14
 2014 NCAA Regional Finish 5th/13
 2014 NCAA Champ. Finish 9th/30
 Players R/L 7/2
 Newcomers3

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2014-15 ROSTER

Name	Class	Hometown	High School
Ben Dietrich	SO	Bluffton, S.C.	Heritage Academy
Brendan Gramley	JR	Sharon, Pa.	Shady Side Academy
Alex Handy	FR	Aiken, S.C.	South Aiken
Keenan Huskey	FR	Greenville, S.C.	Greenville
Sean Kelly	RS JR	Staten Island, N.Y.	Saint Stephen's Episcopal
Will Murphy	SR	Columbia, S.C.	A.C. Flora
Matt NeSmith	JR	North Augusta, S.C.	North Augusta
Will Starke	JR	Chapin, S.C.	Chapin
Caleb Sturgeon	SR	Laurens, S.C.	Laurens
Blaine Woodruff	RS SR	Acworth, Ga.	Harrison

Head Coach: Bill McDonald - 9th year at South Carolina (8th as head coach) (Georgia Tech, 1989)

Assistant Coach: Alex Hamilton - 2nd year at South Carolina



Starke also has nine career top-five finishes, which is tied for the fourth most all-time at South Carolina with Eirik Johansen (2002-06). NeSmith is tied for the seventh most career top-five finishes with seven.

A Look Back at the 2013-14 Season

The 2013-14 season was a special year for the South Carolina men's golf program. The Gamecocks finished ninth at the NCAA Championship, which is the second-best finish at the national championship in program history. During the regular season, Carolina matched the school record with nine top-five finishes in 12 events, including three tournament wins. At one point during the season, the Gamecocks reeled off a school-record seven straight top-three finishes. Four Gamecocks wrapped up the season with a stroke average below 73, the first time of record that has happened in school history.

Among the Best in the World

South Carolina senior Will Murphy and junior Matt NeSmith are ranked in the top 100 in the latest Golfweek/AmateurGolf.com World Player Rankings. Murphy is No. 10 in the world and No. 4 in the U.S., while NeSmith is No. 115 in the world and No. 52 in the U.S.

In the Scratch Players World Amateur Rankings, Murphy is ranked No. 47, and NeSmith is No. 76. Junior Will Starke is ranked No. 95.

Roster Breakdown

South Carolina's roster is made up of 10 golfers, including two true freshmen, one sophomore, four juniors and three seniors. Seven of the 10 golfers are from the Palmetto state, with the other three hailing from Georgia, New York and Pennsylvania. A total of six golfers have NCAA Championship experience.

Gamecock Accolades in 2013-14

The Gamecocks received several individual and team accolades last season. Will Murphy earned PING Honorable Mention All-America honors. Matt NeSmith was named to the PING All-Southeast Region Team and was a second-team All-SEC selection. Caleb Sturgeon was named a Cleveland Golf/Srixon All-America Scholar. Ben Dietrich made the SEC Community Service Team. As a team, the Gamecocks earned GCAA All-Academic Team Honors.

2014-15 Tournament Recaps

Bayou City Collegiate Championship

The ninth-ranked South Carolina men's golf team claimed its third title of the season, shooting a final-round 285 (-3) to hold off Sam Houston State to win the Bayou City Collegiate Championship at the Golf Club of Houston.

The Gamecocks wrapped up the weekend with a 54-hole total of 850 (-14) to finish two strokes ahead of the Bearkats (852), who made a charge by shooting a final-round 277 (-11). Carolina has now won three tournament titles for the second consecutive season. It marks the fifth time in school history a Gamecock squad has won three tournaments in a season.

Five Gamecocks secured top-20 finishes, led by junior Will Starke. After turning in a 66 (-6) in the second round, Starke fired a bogey-free 68 (-4) on Sunday to finish tied for fifth with a total of 212 (-4), his fourth top-five showing this season.

Senior Will Murphy recorded his second top-10 finish this season as he shot a final-round 70 (-2) to tie for 10th with a total of 214 (-2). Junior Matt NeSmith carded an even-par 72 to wrap up the weekend tied for 13th with a total of 215 (-1).

Junior Sean Kelly and freshman Keenan Huskey, who played as an individual, finished tied for 16th with a total of 216 (E). Kelly shot a final-round 75, while Huskey posted a 74. Rounding out the lineup, senior Caleb Sturgeon finished tied for 36th with a total of 221 (+5) after shooting a 75.

Camden Collegiate Invitational

The 10th-ranked South Carolina men's golf team fired a final-round 275 (-5) to win the inaugural Camden Collegiate Invitational by a stroke over Wofford at Camden Country Club.

The Gamecocks, who entered the day seven strokes back of Wofford, wrapped up the weekend with a 54-hole total of 847 (+7) to win their second tournament of the fall. It marks the second straight year Carolina has won two tournaments in the fall. The Terriers finished with a total of 848 (+8) to claim second.

Senior Caleb Sturgeon and juniors Matt NeSmith and Will Starke all carded rounds under par to lead the comeback. NeSmith carded the low round for the Gamecocks, shooting a 3-under 67 to finish tied for seventh with a total of 211 (+1). Sturgeon and Starke tied for fifth with a total of 210 (E) after shooting 68 and 69, respectively.

Senior Blaine Woodruff turned in a final-round 71 (+1) to tie for 26th with a total of 220 (+10), and freshman Keenan Huskey rounded out the lineup, finishing tied for 39th with a total of 223 (+13) after shooting a 73 (+3).

DICK'S Sporting Goods Collegiate Challenge Cup

The South Carolina men's golf team shot a 2-over 286 (+2) at The Golf Club of Tennessee to move one spot up the leaderboard and finish in fourth place in the DICK'S Sporting Goods Collegiate Challenge Cup.

The Gamecocks, whose round was tied for the second lowest of the day, wrapped up the stroke play portion of the tournament with a 54-hole total of 859 (+7). Georgia Tech won the tournament title with a total of 848 (-4).

Junior Will Starke had a stellar tournament, finishing second with a total of 206 (-7) after shooting a 69 (-2) on Saturday. Starke came up one stroke shy of first, as Georgia's Lee McCoy won medalist honors with a total of 205 (-8).

Gamecock junior Matt NeSmith fired a bogey-free 67 (-4) to climb nine spots up the leaderboard to finish tied for fourth with a total of 209 (-4). Senior Will Murphy tied for 23rd with a total of 219 (+6) after carding a 73 (+2) on Saturday. Senior Caleb Sturgeon turned in a final-round 77 (+6) finished 45th with a total of 226 (+13), and sophomore Ben Dietrich tied for 46th with a total of 227 (+14) after shooting a 77 (+6).

Carpet Capital Collegiate

The 12th-ranked South Carolina men's golf team captured its first team title of the season after firing a final-round 276 (-12) at the Carpet Capital Collegiate at The Farm Golf Club.

2014-15 SEASON SUPERLATIVES

Low 18-Hole Round - Individual

66 - Caleb Sturgeon
The Carmel Cup, 2nd Rd., 8/30/14
66 - Will Murphy
Carpet Capital Collegiate, 3rd Rd., 9/7/14
66 - Will Starke
Bayou City Collegiate Championship, 2nd Rd., 2/21/15

Low 18-Hole Round - Team

275 - Sturgeon, Starke, NeSmith, Woodruff, Huskey
Camden Collegiate Invitational, 3rd Rd., 10/19/14
275 - Starke, Murphy, NeSmith, Kelly, Sturgeon
Bayou City Collegiate Championship, 2nd Rd., 2/21/15

Low 54-Hole Total - Individual

209 - Will Starke
Carpet Capital Collegiate, 9/5-7/14

Low 54-Hole Total - Team

847 - Sturgeon, Starke, NeSmith, Woodruff, Huskey
Camden Collegiate Invitational, 10/18-19/14

Low First Round

69 - Caleb Sturgeon
Camden Collegiate Invitational, 10/18/14
69 - Will Murphy
Bayou City Collegiate Championship, 2/20/15

Low Second Round

66 - Caleb Sturgeon
The Carmel Cup, 8/30/14
66 - Will Starke
Bayou City Collegiate Championship, 2/21/15

Low Third Round

66 - Will Murphy
Carpet Capital Collegiate, 9/7/14

Rounds of Par or Better

72

Will Starke, The Carmel Cup (2)
Will Murphy, The Carmel Cup (1)
Matt NeSmith, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Keenan Huskey, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)
Matt NeSmith, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)

71

Ben Dietrich, The Carmel Cup (2)
Will Starke, The Carmel Cup (1)
Ben Dietrich, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Blaine Woodruff, Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate (1)

70

Matt NeSmith, The Carmel Cup (1)
Will Murphy, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Sean Kelly, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Matt NeSmith, DICK'S Collegiate Challenge Cup (1)
Keenan Huskey, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)
Will Murphy, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)

69

Will Starke, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Will Starke, DICK'S Collegiate Challenge Cup (2)
Caleb Sturgeon, Camden Collegiate Invitational (1)
Will Starke, Camden Collegiate Invitational (1)
Will Murphy, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)
Matt NeSmith, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)

68

Matt NeSmith, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Will Starke, DICK'S Collegiate Challenge Cup (1)
Will Starke, Camden Collegiate Invitational (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Camden Collegiate Invitational (1)
Will Starke, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)

67

Will Starke, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Matt NeSmith, DICK'S Collegiate Challenge Cup (1)
Sean Kelly, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)

66

Caleb Sturgeon, The Carmel Cup (1)
Will Murphy, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Will Starke, Bayou City Collegiate Championship (1)



The Gamecocks, who were three strokes off the lead heading into the round, wrapped up the weekend with a 54-hole total of 848 (-16) to win its first Carpet Capital Collegiate title in 24 appearances against one of the strongest fields in collegiate golf. The Gamecocks made their comeback after an incredible back nine as all five golfers in the lineup combined to shoot 10-under.

Senior Will Murphy led the charge up the leaderboard as he fired a 6-under 66, which matches his career low. A native of Columbia, S.C., Murphy finished the weekend tied for eighth with a total of 211 (-5).

Junior Will Starke was the highest Gamecock finisher, tying for fourth place with a total of 209 (-7) after shooting a 69 (-3) on Sunday. Junior Matt NeSmith posted a final-round 68 (-4) to finish in a tie for 18th with a total of 214 (-2). Sophomore Ben Dietrich tied for 32nd with a total of 218 (+2) after shooting a 73 (+1) on Sunday, while senior Caleb Sturgeon and junior Sean Kelly finished tied for 41st with a total of 219 (+3). Sturgeon shot a 74 (+2) on Sunday, and Kelly carded a 76 (+4).

The Carmel Cup

The South Carolina men's golf team posted a final-round 365 (+5) to finish in sixth place at The Carmel Cup at the Pebble Beach Golf Links.

The Gamecocks wrapped up the weekend with a 54-hole total of 1,079 (-1), with five scores counting all three days. Georgia won with a total of 1,063 (-17).

Senior Caleb Sturgeon led the way for Carolina, recording his ninth career top-10 finish as he tied for 10th with a total of 213 (-3) after shooting a 74 (+2) on Sunday.

Junior Will Starke carded the lowest round of the day for the Gamecocks as he turned in a 1-under 71 to finish tied for 13th with a total of 215 (-1). Sophomore Ben Dietrich tied for 15th with a total of 216 (E), following a round of 74 (+2) on Sunday. Junior Matt NeSmith carded a final-round 75 (+3) to finish tied for 26th with a total of 218 (+2), while senior Will Murphy and junior Sean Kelly both finished tied for 29th with a total of 221 (+5). Murphy turned in an even-par 72, and Kelly shot a 74 (+2) on Sunday.



2014-15 SOUTH CAROLINA MEN'S GOLF STATISTICS/RESULTS

TEAM SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Date	Tournament	Team Score	Team Finish	Low Individual	Score	Finish
Aug. 29-31	The Carmel Cup	362-352-365=1079 (-1)	6th/8	Caleb Sturgeon	73-66-74=213 (-3)	T-10th
Sept. 5-7	Carpet Capital Collegiate	291-281-276=848 (-16)	1st/14	Will Starke	73-67-69=209 (-7)	T-4th
Sept. 19-20	DSG Collegiate Challenge Cup	286-287-286=859 (+7)	4th/12	Will Starke	69-68-69=206 (-7)	2nd
Sept. 21	DICK'S Match Play vs. Virginia	W, 3-2	--	--	--	--
Oct. 18-19	Camden Collegiate Invitational	288-284-275=847 (+7)	1st/15	Sturgeon, Starke	210 (E)	T-5th
Feb. 20-22	Bayou City Championship	290-275-285=850 (-14)	1st/15	Will Starke	212 (-4)	T-5th
March 9-10	Palmetto Intercollegiate					
March 13-15	Seminole Intercollegiate					
March 23-24	Valspar Collegiate Invitational					
March 29-31	Hootie at Bulls Bay					
April 17-19	SEC Championship					
May 14-16	NCAA Regionals					
May 29-June 3	NCAA Championship					

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

FALL 2014

The Carmel Cup (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Caleb Sturgeon	73-66-74=213	T10
Will Starke	72-72-71=215	T13
Ben Dietrich	71-71-74=216	T15
Matt NeSmith	73-70-75=218	T26
Will Murphy	73-76-72=221	T29
Sean Kelly	74-73-74=221	T29

Carpet Capital Collegiate (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Starke	73-67-69=209	T4
Will Murphy	75-70-66=211	T8
Matt NeSmith	74-72-68=214	T18
Ben Dietrich	71-74-73=218	T32
Caleb Sturgeon	73-72-74=219	T41
*Sean Kelly	73-70-76=219	T41

DSG Collegiate Challenge Cup (Par 71)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Starke	69-68-69=206	2
Matt NeSmith	70-72-67=209	T4
Will Murphy	73-73-73=219	T23
Caleb Sturgeon	74-75-77=226	45
Ben Dietrich	76-74-77=227	T46

DSG Match Play vs. Virginia

Match	Result
Truslow (UVA) def. Dietrich (SC)	3&2
Sturgeon (SC) def. Stanger (UVA)	3&2
Starke (SC) def. Park (UVA)	4&3
NeSmith (SC) def. Bard (UVA)	3&2
McCarthy (UVA) def. Murphy (SC)	1 up

Camden Collegiate Invitational (Par 70)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Caleb Sturgeon	69-73-68=210	T5
Will Starke	73-68-69=210	T5
Matt NeSmith	73-71-67=211	T7
Blaine Woodruff	77-72-71=220	T26
Keenan Huskey	73-77-73=223	T39
*Sean Kelly	72-72-74=218	T20
*Ben Dietrich	72-76-71=219	T23
*Brendan Gramley	84-77-82=243	T80

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Savannah Quarters Individual Intercollegiate (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
*Sean Kelly	73-73-73=219	T8
*Blaine Woodruff	71-74-79=224	T16
*Keenan Huskey	76-74-76=226	T21
*Brendan Gramley	80-79-83=242	46

Bayou City Championship (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Starke	78-66-68=212	T5

Will Murphy	69-75-70=214	T10
Matt NeSmith	74-69-72=215	T13
Sean Kelly	74-67-75=216	T16
Caleb Sturgeon	73-73-75=221	T36
*Keenan Huskey	72-70-74=216	T16

*Played as an individual

RECORD VS. OPPONENTS

Alabama	1-0
Appalachian State	1-0
Arkansas	2-0
Auburn	1-0
Baylor	1-0
Charleston Southern	1-0
Charlotte	1-0
Chattanooga	1-0
Clemson	2-0
Coastal Carolina	1-0
Davidson	1-0
Duke	1-0
Elon	1-0
Florida	1-0
Francis Marion	1-0
Furman	1-0
Gardner-Webb	1-0
Georgia	1-1
Georgia Tech	1-1
High Point	1-0
Houston	1-0
Kennesaw State	1-0
Lamar	1-0
Louisiana	1-0
Louisville	1-0
LSU	1-0
McNeese State	1-0
Middle Tennessee State	1-0
Missouri	1-0
New Mexico State	1-0
North Carolina	1-0
North Carolina State	1-0
North Florida	1-0
Northern Illinois	1-0
Oklahoma	0-1
Oklahoma State	1-0
Ole Miss	1-0
Presbyterian	1-0
Radford	1-0
Rice	1-0
Sam Houston State	1-0
Southeastern Louisiana	1-0
TCU	0-1
Tennessee	1-0
Texas A&M	1-0
Texas Tech	0-1
Troy	1-0
USC Upstate	1-0
UTSA	1-0
Vanderbilt	0-2
Virginia	0-1
Wake Forest	1-0
Wofford	1-0
OVERALL	50-8



2014-15 VARSITY RESULTS/STATISTICS

Name	Tourn.	Rounds	Low 54	Low 18	Par/Better	Top 5	Top 10	Top 20	Strokes	Avg.
Ben Dietrich	4	12	216	71	3	0	0	1	880	73.33
Brendan Gramley	2	6	242	77	0	0	0	0	485	80.83
Alex Handy	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Keenan Huskey	3	9	216	70	2	0	0	1	665	73.89
Sean Kelly	5	15	216	67	2	0	1	3	1093	72.87
Will Murphy	4	12	211	66	5	0	2	2	865	72.08
Matt NeSmith	5	15	209	67	8	1	2	4	1067	71.13
Will Starke	5	15	206	66	12	4	4	5	1052	70.13
Caleb Sturgeon	5	15	210	66	4	1	2	2	1089	72.60
Blaine Woodruff	2	6	220	71	1	0	0	1	444	74.00
TEAM (4 scores count)	4	12	847	275	29	6	10	16	3404	283.67
TEAM (5 scores count)	1	3	1079	352	8	0	1	3	1079	359.67

CAREER VARSITY STROKE PLAY RESULTS/STATISTICS

Name	Tourn.	Rounds	Low 54	Low 18	Par/Better	Top 5	Top 10	Top 20	Strokes	Avg.
Ben Dietrich	14	40	214	68	9	0	2	5	2943	73.58
Brendan Gramley	2	6	242	77	0	0	0	0	485	80.83
Alex Handy	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Keenan Huskey	3	9	216	70	2	0	0	1	665	73.89
Sean Kelly	20	59	216	67	10	2	3	5	4372	74.10
Will Murphy	32	94	205	66	33	3	7	12	6882	73.21
Matt NeSmith	29	86	209	65	41	7	13	20	6211	72.22
Will Starke	23	68	206	64	33	9	11	14	4913	72.25
Caleb Sturgeon	38	113	205	65	38	5	10	16	8249	73.00
Blaine Woodruff	25	72	206	66	12	2	2	5	5385	74.79

2014-15 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Ben Dietrich (So., Bluffton, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
The Carmel Cup	71-71-74=216 (E)	T15
Carpet Capital Collegiate	71-74-73=218 (+2)	T32
DSG Collegiate Challenge Cup	76-74-77=227 (+14)	T46
DSG Match Play vs. Virginia	lost to Austen Truslow (UVA)	3&2
*Camden Collegiate Invitational	72-76-71=219 (+9)	T23

DSG Collegiate Challenge Cup	70-72-67=209 (-4)	T4
DSG Match Play vs. Virginia	def. Derek Bard (UVA)	3&2
Camden Collegiate Invitational	73-71-67=211 (+1)	T7
Bayou City Collegiate Championship	74-69-72=215 (-1)	T13

Brendan Gramley (Jr., Sharon, Pa.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
*Camden Collegiate Invitational	84-77-82=243 (+33)	T80
*Savannah Quarters Individual Intercollegiate	80-79-83=242 (+26)	46

Will Starke (Jr., Chapin, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
The Carmel Cup	72-72-71=215 (-1)	T13
Carpet Capital Collegiate	73-67-69=209 (-7)	T4
DSG Collegiate Challenge Cup	69-68-69=206 (-7)	2
DSG Match Play vs. Virginia	def. Ji Soo Park (UVA)	4&3
Camden Collegiate Invitational	73-68-69=210 (E)	T5
Bayou City Collegiate Championship	78-66-68=212 (-4)	T5

Alex Handy (Fr., Aiken, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
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Keenan Huskey (Fr., Greenville, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
Camden Collegiate Invitational	73-77-73=223 (+13)	T39
*Savannah Quarters Individual Intercollegiate	76-74-76=226 (+10)	T21
*Bayou City Collegiate Championship	72-70-74=216 (E)	T16

Caleb Sturgeon (Sr., Laurens, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
The Carmel Cup	73-66-74=213 (-3)	T10
Carpet Capital Collegiate	73-72-74=219 (+3)	T41
DSG Collegiate Challenge Cup	74-75-77=226 (+13)	45
DSG Match Play vs. Virginia	def. Jimmy Stanger (UVA)	3&2
Camden Collegiate Invitational	69-73-68=210 (E)	T5
Bayou City Collegiate Championship	73-73-75=221 (+5)	T36

Sean Kelly (Jr., Staten Island, N.Y.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
The Carmel Cup	74-73-74=221 (+5)	T29
*Carpet Capital Collegiate	73-70-76=219 (+3)	T41
*Camden Collegiate Invitational	72-72-74=218 (+8)	T20
*Savannah Quarters Individual Intercollegiate	73-73-73=219 (+3)	T8
Bayou City Collegiate Championship	74-67-75=216 (E)	T16

Blaine Woodruff (Sr., Acworth, Ga.)

Tournament	Rounds	Finish
Camden Collegiate Invitational	77-72-71=220 (+10)	T26
*Savannah Quarters Individual Intercollegiate	71-74-79=224 (+8)	T16

* Competed as an individual, did not count toward team total

Will Murphy (Sr., Columbia, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
The Carmel Cup	73-76-72=221 (+5)	T29
Carpet Capital Collegiate	75-70-66=211 (-5)	T8
DSG Collegiate Challenge Cup	73-73-73=219 (+6)	T23
DSG Match Play vs. Virginia	lost to Denny McCarthy (UVA)	1 down
Bayou City Collegiate Championship	69-75-70=214 (-2)	T10

Matt NeSmith (Jr., North Augusta, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
The Carmel Cup	73-70-75=218 (+2)	T26
Carpet Capital Collegiate	74-72-68=214 (-2)	T18



2014-15 TOURNAMENT-BY-TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Aug. 29-31

**The Carmel Cup
Pebble Beach Golf Links
Pebble Beach, Calif.
Par 72 • 6,828 Yards
362-352-365=1079 • 6th of 8**

TEAM RESULTS

1. Georgia	352-358-353=1063	-17
2. Vanderbilt	364-353-351=1068	-12
3. TCU	361-350-363=1074	-6
T4. Texas Tech	355-356-364=1075	-5
T4. Oklahoma	359-363-353=1075	-5
6. South Carolina	362-352-365=1079	-1
7. Arkansas	361-359-368=1088	+8
8. Oklahoma State	362-373-366=1101	+21

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Hunter Stewart (Virginia)	67-70-68=205	-11
2. Lee McCoy (Georgia)	67-73-67=207	-9
3. H. Ronneblad (Texas Tech)	71-69-69=209	-7
T10. Caleb Sturgeon (SC)	73-66-74=213	-3
T13. Will Starke (SC)	72-72-71=215	-1

Sept. 5-7

**Carpet Capital Collegiate
The Farm Golf Club
Rocky Face, Ga.
Par 72 • 7,012 Yards
291-281-276=848 • 1st of 14**

TEAM RESULTS

1. South Carolina	291-281-276=848	-16
2. Georgia Tech	293-276-280=849	-15
T3. Auburn	294-275-283=852	-12
T3. Kennesaw State	281-288-283=852	-12
5. Alabama	286-283-284=853	-11
T6. Clemson	287-284-284=855	-9
T6. LSU	282-287-286=855	-9
8. Wake Forest	286-287-286=859	-5
9. North Carolina	286-291-284=861	-3
10. Chattanooga	291-282-293=866	+2
11. Tennessee	296-280-296=872	+8
12. North Florida	300-292-294=886	+22
13. Florida	312-288-297=897	+33
14. MTSU	300-299-308=907	+43

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. O. Schniederjans (GT)	72-64-68=204	-12
2. Robby Shelton (Alabama)	69-68-69=206	-10
3. Stewart Jolly (LSU)	71-70-66=207	-9
T4. Will Starke (SC)	73-67-69=209	-7
T8. Will Murphy (SC)	75-70-66=211	-5

Sept. 19-20

**DICK'S Collegiate Challenge Cup
The Golf Club of Tennessee
Kingston Springs, Tenn.
Par 71 • 7,184 Yards
286-287-286=859 • 4th of 12**

TEAM RESULTS

1. Georgia Tech	290-272-286=848	-4
2. Vanderbilt	280-284-285=849	-3
3. Virginia	286-282-285=853	+1
4. South Carolina	286-287-286=859	+7
5. Georgia	292-280-289=861	+9
6. Louisville	298-284-286=868	+16
7. Clemson	289-285-297=871	+19
8. Mississippi	295-290-291=876	+24
9. North Carolina State	292-302-288=882	+30
10. Texas A&M	295-283-307=885	+33
11. Duke	296-287-304=887	+35
12. Missouri	295-301-295=891	+39

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Lee McCoy (Georgia)	67-69-69=205	-8
2. Will Starke (SC)	69-68-69=206	-7
3. Ollie Schniederjans (GT)	74-67-67=208	-5
T4. Matt NeSmith (SC)	70-72-67=209	-4
T4. Derek Bard (UVA)	70-70-69=209	-4

Sept. 21

**DICK'S Match Play vs. Virginia
The Golf Club of Tennessee
Kingston Springs, Tenn.
Par 71 • 7,184 Yards
W, 3-2**

MATCH RESULTS

A. Truslow (UVA) def. Ben Dietrich (SC)	3&2
Caleb Sturgeon (SC) def. J. Stanger (UVA)	3&2
Will Starke (SC) def. Ji Soo Park (UVA)	4&3
Matt NeSmith (SC) def. Derek Bard (UVA)	3&2
D. McCarthy (UVA) def. Will Murphy (SC)	1 up

Oct. 18-19

**Camden Collegiate Invitational
Camden Country Club
Camden, S.C.
Par 70 • 6,455 Yards
288-284-275=847 • 1st of 15**

TEAM RESULTS

1. South Carolina	288-284-275=847	+7
2. Wofford	284-281-283=848	+8
3. Furman	290-284-291=865	+25
4. Charleston Southern	291-287-289=867	+27
5. Radford	280-293-299=872	+32
T6. Presbyterian	286-294-297=877	+37
T6. Coastal Carolina	288-292-297=877	+37
8. USC Aiken	291-286-303=880	+40
T9. Gardner-Webb	296-285-301=882	+42
T9. USC Upstate	295-290-297=882	+42
11. Davidson	294-290-301=885	+45
12. Francis Marion	289-293-304=886	+46
13. Elon	303-295-297=895	+55
14. Appalachian State	296-296-307=899	+59
15. High Point	316-303-303=922	+82

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Brannan Hudson (Wofford)	67-63-71=201	-9
T2. Jeremy Grab (Wofford)	69-70-68=207	-3
T2. Ryan Cornfield (USCU)	70-65-72=207	-3
4. Preston Cole (Furman)	69-73-67=209	-1
T5. Caleb Sturgeon (SC)	69-73-68=210	E
T5. Will Starke (SC)	73-68-69=210	E

Feb. 20-22

**Bayou City Collegiate
Championship
Golf Club of Houston
Humble, Texas
Par 72 • 6,982 Yards
290-275-285=850 • 1st of 15**

TEAM RESULTS

1. South Carolina	290-275-285=850	-14
2. Sam Houston State	295-280-277=852	-12
3. Baylor	297-285-278=860	-4
4. Arkansas	288-288-285=861	-3
5. Houston	293-291-284=868	+4
6. Southeastern La.	302-286-281=869	+5
7. Troy	294-292-284=870	+6
8. Charlotte	291-288-296=875	+11
9. McNeese State	294-302-280=876	+12
10. UTSA	294-293-293=880	+16
11. New Mexico State	298-293-291=882	+18
12. Louisiana	301-300-291=892	+28
13. Lamar	299-297-297=893	+29
14. Rice	304-308-283=895	+31
15. Northern Illinois	311-307-301=919	+55

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Zach Cabra (S. Houston St.)	72-71-65=208	-8
T2. Kyle Jones (Baylor)	73-69-69=211	-5
T2. Kolton Crawford (Arkansas)	71-68-72=211	-5
T2. Raoul Menard (Charlotte)	71-69-71=211	-5
T5. Will Starke (SC)	78-66-68=212	-4
T10. Will Murphy (SC)	69-75-70=214	-2



SOUTH CAROLINA HISTORY AND RECORDS

GCAA DIVISION I COACHES POLL As of 2/20/15

1. Illinois
2. Oregon
3. Florida State
4. Georgia Tech
5. LSU
6. Baylor
7. Texas
8. Wake Forest
9. North Carolina
10. Southern California
11. UCLA
12. Vanderbilt
13. Arizona State
14. South Carolina
15. Virginia
16. Alabama
17. Auburn
18. South Florida
19. Texas Tech
20. Stanford
21. Washington
22. Oklahoma State
23. Kennesaw State
24. Oklahoma
25. UNLV

GOLFSTAT TOP 25 As of 2/18/15

1. Illinois
2. Florida State
3. Southern California
4. Texas
5. Vanderbilt
6. Arizona State
7. Georgia Tech
- 8. South Carolina**
9. South Florida
10. Texas Tech
11. Baylor
12. Oregon
13. LSU
14. Auburn
15. Stanford
16. UCLA
17. Washington
18. Alabama
19. Virginia
20. California
21. Wake Forest
22. Oklahoma State
23. Oklahoma
24. North Carolina
25. North Florida

TEAM

Season Scoring Average

Year	Rds.	Strokes	Avg.
1. 2013-14	35	10,061	287.46
2. 2009-10	31	8,919	287.70
3. 2007-08	32	9,256	289.25
4. 1997-98	39	11,292	289.54
5. 2008-09	34	9,890	290.88
6. 2000-01	35	10,199	291.40
7. 2012-13	36	10,492	291.44
8. 2003-04	37	10,787	291.54
9. 2011-12	35	10,230	292.29
10. 2006-07	36	10,535	292.64

Low 18-Hole Score

Tournament	Rd.	Score
1. Administaff Augusta St. Inv., 4/3/10	2	266
2. Red River Classic, 10/11/99	1	267
3. NCAA Southeast Regional, 5/16/09	3	269
NCAA West Regional, 5/18/07	2	269
5. NCAA Championship, 5/24/14	1	272
Hootie at Bulls Bay, 3/29/10	2	272
Red River Classic, 10/12/99	2	272
Billy Hitchcock Inter., 4/11/99	3	272
9. Seahawk Intercollegiate, 3/16/14	1	273
NCAA West Regional, 5/17/07	1	273

Low 54-Hole Score

Tournament	Score
1. Red River Classic, 1999	816
2. NCAA West Regional, 2007	820
3. NCAA Southeast Regional, 2009	829
4. Administaff Augusta State Inv., 2010	833
5. SEC Championship, 2014	838
6. Mason Rudolph Championship, 2008	839
7. Mason Rudolph Championship, 2010	844
8. Palmetto Classic, 1997	845
Gator Invitational, 1997	845
10. NCAA Championship, 2014	846
NCAA East Regional, 2010	846
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate, 2009	846
South Carolina Intercollegiate, 1984	846

INDIVIDUAL

Career Scoring Average (Min. 60 Rounds & Two Years)

1. Matt NeSmith (2012-Present)	72.22
2. Will Starke (2012-Present)	72.25
3. George Bryan IV (2006-10)	72.37
4. Kyle Thompson (1997-00)	72.81
5. Caleb Sturgeon (2011-Present)	73.00
6. David Seawell (1993-96)	73.05
7. Eirik Johansen (2002-06)	73.12
8. Mark Silvers III (2005-09)	73.15
9. Wesley Bryan (2008-2012)	73.23
10. Will Murphy (2011-Present)	73.21

Single-Season Scoring Avg. (Min. 18 Rounds)

1. George Bryan IV (2010)	71.35
2. Kyle Thompson (2001)	71.83
3. Webb Heintzelman (1984)	71.97
4. Mark Anderson (2008)	72.00
5. Paul Woodbury (2010)	72.06
6. Wesley Bryan (2010)	72.12
7. Eric Ecker (1998)	72.15
8. Will Starke (2014)	72.20
9. David Seawell (1994)	72.23
10. Matt NeSmith (2014)	72.26

Low 18-Hole Score

Player/Tournament	Score
1. K. Thompson, '99 NCAA Regional (3)	63
D. Seawell, '96 Gator Invitational (2)	63
3. W. Starke, '14 NCAA Championship (1)	64
W. Starke, '14 Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)	64
W. Bryan, '10 Hootie at Bulls Bay (2)	64
M. Silvers III, '09 NCAA Regional (3)	64
K. Thompson, '99 Red River (1)	64
D. Brunson, '99 Red River (1)	64
9. M. NeSmith, '14 SEC Championship (1)	65
C. Sturgeon, '13 Badger Invitational (1)	65
C. Sturgeon, '13 SEC Championship (1)	65
G. Bryan IV, '10 Augusta State Inv. (2)	65
W. Bryan, '10 Augusta State Inv. (2)	65
G. Bryan IV, '09 Hootie at Bulls Bay (3)	65
G. Bryan IV, '07 Bank of Tennessee (2)	65
(also seven other occasions)	

Low 54-Hole Score

Player/Tournament	Score
1. J. Bloomfield, '99 Red River	197
2. G. Bryan IV, '09 Hootie at Bulls Bay	201
3. D. Seawell, '96 Gator Invitational	202
4. D. Seawell, '95 Gator Invitational	203
5. G. Bryan IV, '10 SEC Championship	204
G. Bryan IV, '07 NCAA West Regional	204
E. Johansen, '04 Palmetto Inter.	204
J. Kransteuber, '97 Gator Invitational	204
9. W. Murphy, '14 SEC Championship	205
C. Sturgeon, '13 SEC Championship	205
E. Johansen, '03 Augusta State Inv.	205

