



SOUTH CAROLINA

MEN'S GOLF

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2013-14 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

September/October

6-8 Carpet Capital Collegiate 10th of 14
The Farm Golf Club (Rocky Face, Ga.)

22-24 Rees Jones Invitational T-2nd of 12
Haig Point Golf Club (Daufuskie Island, S.C.)

29-10/1 Badger Invitational 1st of 14
University Ridge Golf Course (Madison, Wis.)

November

3-5 Wendy's Kiawah Classic 1st of 18
Turtle Point Golf Club (Kiawah Island, S.C.)

February

21-23 Bayou City Collegiate Championship 3rd of 15
Country Club of Houston (Humble, Texas)

March

10-11 Palmetto Intercollegiate 3rd of 18
Palmetto Golf Club (Aiken, S.C.)

16-17 Seahawk Intercollegiate 1st of 13
Country Club of Landfall (Wilmington, N.C.)

23-25 Hootie at Bulls Bay 2nd of 15
Bulls Bay Golf Club (Awendaw, S.C.)

April

5-6 Augusta State Invitational 9th of 15
Forest Hills Golf Club (Augusta, Ga.)

25-27 SEC Championship 5th of 14
Sea Island Golf Club (St. Simons, Ga.)

May

15-17 NCAA Eugene Regional
Eugene Country Club (Eugene, Ore.)

23-28 NCAA Championship
Prairie Dunes Country Club (Hutchinson, Kan.)

NCAA EUGENE REGIONAL

Thursday, May 15 - Saturday, May 17
Eugene Country Club • Eugene, Ore.
Par 70 • 6,990 yards



Live Scoring:
Tee Times:

www.golfstatresults.com
Thursday: 8:20 a.m. PDT (10th Tee)
--Paired with Baylor and Liberty
Friday: 8:00 a.m. PDT
--Pairings based on team standing
Saturday: 7:30 a.m. PDT
--Pairings based on team standing
Oregon

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Gamecocks Set for NCAA Eugene Regional

The 22nd-ranked South Carolina men's golf team will play for a second-straight berth to the NCAA Championship on May 15-17 at the NCAA Eugene Regional in Eugene, Ore. The Gamecocks received the No. 4 seed and will compete against 12 teams at the par-70, 6,990-yard Eugene Country Club. The top five teams and the low individual not on those teams will advance to the NCAA Championship, which will be held on May 23-28 at Prairie Dunes Country Club in Hutchinson, Kan.

The Regional Lineup

South Carolina head coach Bill McDonald will look to get the Gamecocks back to the NCAA Championship with the same lineup he had at the SEC Championship. Sophomore Matt NeSmith will play as the Gamecocks' No. 1, followed by junior Will Murphy, sophomore Will Starke, junior Caleb Sturgeon and freshman Ben Dietrich.

History at NCAA Regionals

South Carolina is making its 22nd NCAA Regional appearance and its 17th in the last 18 years. The Gamecocks will be looking to advance to the NCAA Championship for the second-straight year and the 18th time overall. South Carolina has captured one regional title all-time, winning the 2007 West Regional at the ASU Karsten Golf Course in Tempe, Ariz. Four Gamecocks finished in the top 20 that year, with George Bryan IV finishing tied for 10th and Mark Anderson and Florian Fritsch tying for 18th. South Carolina has also finished runner-up on three occasions, finishing second in 1999 and 2009 and tied for second in 2013. Individually, Kyle Thompson finished first outright in 1999 and tied for first in 2001.

A Look Back at the 2013 NCAA Columbus Regional

The Gamecocks came up just short of winning their second regional title all-time, finishing tied for second at the NCAA Columbus Regional at the Ohio State University Golf Club in Columbus, Ohio. South Carolina posted a 54-hole total of 872 (+20) to finish two strokes back of New Mexico (870) for the title. Matt NeSmith tied for second to lead the way with a total of 214 (+1), while Will Starke tied for ninth with a total of 217 (+4).

Breaking Down the Field

South Carolina is one of 13 teams in the NCAA Eugene Regional field. Eight of the 13 teams are ranked in the Golfstat Top 50, including four in the top 25. Third-ranked Stanford is the No. 1 seed. The Cardinal won five tournaments this season, including the Pac-12 Championship. Houston is the No. 2 seed, followed by Oklahoma, the Gamecocks, Baylor, Liberty, Oregon, Tennessee, North Florida, East Tennessee State, Chattanooga, Wichita State and Northern Colorado. Liberty, Wichita State and Northern Colorado all earned automatic bids for winning their conference championship. The Gamecocks have competed against seven teams in the field at least once this season and have a 10-3 head-to-head record against those teams.

TOURNAMENT FIELD

(Listed by seed)

1. Stanford
2. Houston
3. Oklahoma
4. South Carolina
5. Baylor
6. Liberty
7. Oregon
8. Tennessee
9. North Florida
10. East Tennessee State
11. Chattanooga
12. Wichita State
13. Northern Colorado

Individuals

1. Cody Blick, San Jose State
2. Kyle Westmoreland, Air Force
3. David Fink, Oregon State
4. Owen Taylor, Sacramento State
5. Byron Meth, Pacific
6. Tyler Torano, Loyola Marymount
7. Cory McElyea, San Francisco
8. Pete Fernandez, California Irvine
9. Alex Franklin, Oregon State
10. Frederick Wedel, Pepperdine



NeSmith Named Second Team All-SEC

Sophomore Matt NeSmith was named Second Team All-SEC as selected by the league's 14 head coaches. A native of North Augusta, S.C., NeSmith is having one of the most successful seasons for an individual in school history. He leads the team and ranks 13th in the SEC with a stroke average of 71.66, which is currently the second lowest single-season average in program history. He has produced a team-high seven top-20 finishes, and his four top-five showings are tied for the fifth most in a single season at South Carolina.

A Top 25 Program

Under the guidance of head coach Bill McDonald, South Carolina has consistently been listed in the top 25 in golf rankings this season. The Gamecocks enter the regional ranked No. 20 by Golfweek, No. 22 by Golfstat and No. 21 in the Golf World/Nike Coaches' Poll.

Gamecocks in the SEC

As a team, South Carolina ranks fifth in the SEC with a team stroke average of 287.41, which currently ranks first all-time at South Carolina. The Gamecocks' three tournament wins are tied for the second most in the league.

Individually, sophomore Matt NeSmith's stroke average of 71.66 ranks 13th in the SEC. Sophomore Will Starke's average of 72.28 is the 22nd best in the league.

South Carolina in the Golfstat Statistics Rankings

South Carolina is listed as a team and has individuals in the top 20 of several Golfstat Statistics Ranking categories.

Junior Caleb Sturgeon has been among the best in the nation on par-3 holes this season. He ranks 18th with an average of 3.05.

As a team, South Carolina is ranked 12th with an average of 3.15.

South Carolina is eighth nationally in subpar strokes per round with an average of 3.53 and is 17th versus par at +1.17.

Lucky Seven

The Gamecocks set the record with a seventh-straight top-three finish with a runner-up finish at the Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate.

Among the Best in the World

South Carolina sophomore Matt NeSmith and juniors Will Murphy and Caleb Sturgeon are ranked in the top 100 in the latest Golfweek/Amateurgolf.com World Player Rankings. NeSmith is No. 52 in the world rankings and No. 27 in the U.S. rankings. Murphy comes in at No. 68 in the world and No. 36 in the U.S., while Sturgeon is ranked No. 77 in the world and No. 41 in the U.S.

2013-14 Tournament Recaps

SEC Championship

The South Carolina men's golf team finished fifth at the SEC Championship after carding a 283 (+3) in the final round at Sea Island Golf Club's Seaside Course. The Gamecocks wrapped up the event with a total of 838 (-2), which is the lowest 54-hole SEC Championship total in school history.

Junior Will Murphy was the Gamecocks' top finisher as he tied for fifth with a total of 205 (-5), which matches the second lowest 54-hole SEC Championship total in school history. Sophomore Matt NeSmith posted a 1-over 71 on Sunday and just missed a top-20 showing, finishing in a tie for 21st with a total of 210 (E). Sophomore Will Starke fired the low round of the day for the Gamecocks as he shot a 3-under 67 to end the weekend in a tie for 26th with a total of 211 (+1).

Freshman Ben Dietrich concluded his first SEC Championship with a round of 74 (+4). He finished the weekend in a tie for 43rd with a total of 217 (+7). Junior Caleb Sturgeon turned in a final-round 72 (+2) to finish in a tie for 51st with a total of 218 (+8).

Augusta Invitational

The South Carolina men's golf team carded a final-round 285 (-3) at Forest Hills Golf Club to climb three spots up the leaderboard to finish in ninth place at the Augusta Invitational. The Gamecocks wrapped up the weekend with a 54-hole total of 869 (+5) to move inside the top 10, snapping their streak of seven-straight top-three finishes, which was a school record.

Sophomore Matt NeSmith was the highest Gamecock on the leaderboard as he finished 11th with a total of 213 (-3).

Junior Will Murphy turned in a 75 (+3) on Sunday to finish tied for 26th with a total of 218 (+2). Junior Caleb Sturgeon, sophomore Will Starke and freshman Ben Dietrich all finished tied for 45th with a total of 222 (+6).

SOUTH CAROLINA MEN'S GOLF QUICK FACTS

Location..... Columbia, S.C.
Enrollment..... 30,721
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
8th Year (7th as head coach) (Georgia Tech, 1989)
Assistant Coach..... Alex Hamilton
Director of Golf..... Puggy Blackmon

PROGRAM HISTORY

NCAA Champ. Appearances..... 17
NCAA Regional Appearances..... 22

2012-13 TEAM INFORMATION

2013 SEC Finish..... 2nd/14
2013 NCAA Regional Finish..... T-2nd/13
2013 NCAA Champ. Finish..... T-27/30
Players R/L..... 8/2
Newcomers..... 2

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2013-14 ROSTER

Name	Class	Hometown	Last School
Ben Dietrich	Fr.	Bluffton, S.C.	Heritage Academy
Kieron Fowler	Fr.	Yeovil, England	British School of Alicante
Sean Kelly	Jr.	Staten Island, N.Y.	Saint Stephen's Episcopal
Alan King	Sr.	Columbia, S.C.	A.C. Flora
Caulder Moore	Sr.	Isle of Palms, S.C.	Wando
Will Murphy	Jr.	Columbia, S.C.	A.C. Flora
Matt NeSmith	So.	North Augusta, S.C.	North Augusta
Will Starke	So.	Chapin, S.C.	Chapin
Caleb Sturgeon	Jr.	Laurens, S.C.	Laurens
Blaine Woodruff	RS Jr	Acworth, Ga.	Harrison

Head Coach: Bill McDonald - 8th year at South Carolina (7th as head coach) (Georgia Tech, 1989)

Assistant Coach: Alex Hamilton - 1st year at South Carolina

Director of Golf: Puggy Blackmon - 19th year at South Carolina (Carson-Newman, 1973)



Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate

The 24th-ranked South Carolina men's golf team made a run at winning its fourth tournament title of the season at the Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate but it came up just short, finishing runner-up despite shooting a final-round 276 (-12) at Bulls Bay Golf Club.

The Gamecocks concluded the event with a total of 855 (-9), just three strokes back of Auburn for the title. The second-place finish marks the seventh-straight finish of third or better for South Carolina, which is the longest stretch of top-three finishes in school history.

Four of the five Gamecocks wrapped up the event with top-20 finishes, with sophomore Will Starke leading the way. After collecting his first collegiate win a week ago, Starke continued his stellar play in Awendaw on his way to a seventh-place finish, his fifth top-10 finish this season. His final-round 68 kept him firmly in the top 10 with a total of 212 (-4).

Junior Will Murphy and freshman Ben Dietrich tied for 11th with a total of 214 (-2), which is a season low for Murphy and a career-low for Dietrich. Sophomore Matt NeSmith earned his 15th career top-20 finish as he tied for 20th with a total of 217 (+1). Rounding out the lineup, junior Caleb Sturgeon turned in a 75 (+3) on Tuesday to finish the event in a tie for 49th with a total of 226 (+10).

Seahawk Intercollegiate

The South Carolina men's golf team won its third tournament title of the season by 19 strokes after the final round of the Seahawk Intercollegiate was canceled due to inclement weather at the Country Club of Landfall.

The Gamecocks finished the event with a two-round total of 560 (-16), which is the third-best 36-hole total in school history.

Sophomore Will Starke also brought home some hardware as he claimed his first collegiate title with a total of 137 (-7), including a career-low 64 in the opening round on Sunday. Starke's total is the fifth-lowest 36-hole total in school history.

The remainder of the Gamecocks in the lineup recorded top-20 finishes. Sophomore Matt NeSmith earned his sixth career top-five finish, claiming third with a total of 139 (-5). Junior Will Murphy also placed in the top-five, finishing fourth with a total of 140 (-4). Freshman Ben Dietrich tied for 10th with a total of 144 (E), while junior Caleb Sturgeon tied for 18th with a score of 146 (+2).

Bayou City Collegiate Championships

The 25th-ranked South Carolina men's golf team opened the spring in strong fashion by claiming third place at the Bayou City Collegiate Championships at the Golf Club of Houston.

The Gamecocks fired an 8-under 280 in the final round to wrap up the event with a total of 851 (-13). Tournament host Houston claimed the team title with a total of 833 (-31), while Texas finished runner-up with a score of 841 (-23).

Juniors Will Murphy and Caleb Sturgeon and sophomores Matt NeSmith and Will Starke all carded a 2-under 70 for the Gamecocks on Sunday, while junior Blaine Woodruff closed out the weekend with a 74 (+2).

NeSmith, Woodruff and Murphy all just missed out on a top-20 finish as they tied for 21st with totals of 215 (-1). Sturgeon tied for 33rd with a total of 216 (E), and Starke tied for 36th with a score of 217 (+1).

Badger Invitational

The South Carolina men's golf team closed out its fall schedule in dominant fashion, claiming its second-straight Wendy's Kiawah Classic title by 22 strokes at Turtle Point Golf Club.

The Gamecocks, who won last year's tournament by 20 strokes, posted a final-round 295 (+7) to finish the week with a three-round total of 864 (E) to secure their second-consecutive tournament title of the fall.

Four out of the five golfers in South Carolina's lineup finished the week in the top 15, with sophomore Matt NeSmith leading the way. The North Augusta, S.C., native fired a final-round 68 (-4) to finish runner-up with a total of 212 (-4). Sophomore Will Starke (T-4th), freshman Ben

Dietrich (12th) and junior Caleb Sturgeon (T-13th) also finished the week in the top 15. Junior Will Murphy just missed a top-20 finish as he tied for 21st.

Starke recorded his third career top-five showing as he shot a 77 (+5) on Tuesday to finish tied for fourth with a total of 216 (E).

Dietrich carded a final-round 74 (+2) to earn his first career top-20 finish with a total of 220 (+4). A native of Laurens, S.C., Sturgeon posted a 77 (+5) on Tuesday to finish the event with a total of 221 (+5). Murphy turned in a final-round 76 (+4) to conclude the week with a score of 223 (+7), missing out on his seventh career top-20 finish by a stroke.

Badger Invitational

The South Carolina men's golf team posted a final-round 291 (+3) to cruise to a 24-stroke victory at the Badger Invitational on Tuesday at University Ridge Golf Course.

The Gamecocks led wire-to-wire and wrapped up the week with a 54-hole total of 856 (-8) to pull away from the field for the win. Junior Caleb Sturgeon also captured medalist honors for the second time in his career after firing a 3-under 69 in the final round. He posted a total of 206 (-10) to become the 11th golfer in school history to win multiple tournament titles.

Sturgeon's closest competitor was also wearing Garnet and Black, as NeSmith carded a 73 (+1) to finish runner-up with a total of 212 (-4). NeSmith also has four top-five finishes for his career and has placed in the top 10 in six of the last seven regular-season tournaments dating back to last spring. Sophomore Will Starke recorded his fourth career top-20 finish as he shot a final-round 72 (E) to tie for 18th with a total of 222 (+6), while junior Will Murphy finished just outside the top 20 in a tie for 25th with a total of 224 (+8) after shooting an 81 (+9) on Tuesday. Rounding out the lineup, freshman Ben Dietrich turned in a 77 (+5) to tie for 44th with a total of 228 (+12).

Rees Jones Invitational

The South Carolina men's golf team came up short of claiming its third Rees Jones Invitational title as it shot a final-round 299 (+11) to finish in a tie for second at Haig Point Club. The Gamecocks, who have never placed worse than third at the event, finished tied with South Florida with a three-round total of 887 (+23) to fall two shots shy of tournament champion Kennesaw State. The Owls captured their third Rees Jones Invitational trophy with a total of 885 (+21).

The final day proved to be the toughest, as the average score rose to 78.16 with winds gusting as high as 20 miles per hour. South Carolina fought through the conditions to place three golfers in the top 15. Sophomore Matt NeSmith was the highest Gamecock on the leaderboard as he finished in a tie for fourth with a total of 218 (+2) after shooting a 74 (+2) on Tuesday.

Junior Will Murphy carded the lowest round of the day for the Gamecocks, shooting a 1-over 73 to finish in a tie for sixth with a total of 219 (+3). Junior Caleb Sturgeon posted a final-round 77 (+5) to record his second-straight top-15 finish at Haig Point with a total of 222 (+6). Sophomore Will Starke tied for 33rd with a total of 231 (+15) after turning in a 75 (+3) in the final round, while junior Blaine Woodruff shot an 80 (+8) to tie for 48th with a total of 235 (+19).

Carpet Capital Collegiate

The South Carolina men's golf team shot a final-round 297 (+9) at The Farm Golf Club to finish in 10th place at the Carpet Capital Collegiate.

Sophomore Will Starke recorded his second career top-five finish as he fired a 2-under 70 to conclude the tournament in a tie for fifth with a total of 214 (-2).

Junior Caleb Sturgeon, who posted a 76 (+4) on Sunday, was the next Gamecock on the leaderboard as he concluded the tournament in a tie for 41st with a total of 224 (+8).

Sophomore Matt NeSmith turned in a 78 (+6) on Sunday to tie for 45th with a total of 225 (+9), while junior Will Murphy tied for 48th with a total of 226 (+10) after shooting a final-round 74 (+2). Rounding out the lineup, junior Blaine Woodruff shot a 77 (+5) to tie for 62nd with a total of 230 (+14).

2013-14 SEASON SUPERLATIVES

Low 18-Hole Round - Individual

64 - Will Starke
Seahawk Intercollegiate, 1st Rd., 3/16/14

Low 18-Hole Round - Team

273 - Dietrich, Murphy, NeSmith, Starke, Sturgeon
Seahawk Intercollegiate, 1st Rd., 3/16/14

Low 54-Hole Total - Individual

205 - Will Murphy (66-68-71)
SEC Championship, 4/25-27/14

Low 54-Hole Total - Team

838 - Murphy, NeSmith, Dietrich, Starke, Sturgeon
SEC Championship, 4/25-27/14

Low First Round

64 - Will Starke
Seahawk Intercollegiate, 3/16/14

Low Second Round

67 - Matt NeSmith
Badger Invitational, 9/30/13

Low Third Round

67 - Matt NeSmith
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate, 3/25/14

ROUNDS OF PAR OR BETTER

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Matt NeSmith, Rees Jones Invitational (2)
Will Murphy, Rees Jones Invitational (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Badger Invitational (1)
Matt NeSmith, Badger Invitational (1)
Will Starke, Badger Invitational (1)
Will Murphy, Badger Invitational (1)
Will Starke, Bayou City Collegiate Championships (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Ben Dietrich, Augusta Invitational (1)

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Will Starke, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Matt NeSmith, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Will Murphy, Badger Invitational (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Kiawah Classic (1)
Will Murphy, Kiawah Classic (1)
Blaine Woodruff, Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate (1)
Will Murphy, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)
Blaine Woodruff, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)
Will Starke, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Will Murphy, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Matt NeSmith, Augusta Invitational (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Augusta Invitational (1)

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Will Starke, Carpet Capital Collegiate (1)
Will Starke, Kiawah Classic (1)
Ben Dietrich, Kiawah Classic (1)
Matt NeSmith, Bayou City Collegiate Championships (2)
Will Murphy, Bayou City Collegiate Championships (2)
Caleb Sturgeon, Bayou City Collegiate Championships (1)
Will Starke, Bayou City Collegiate Championships (1)
Will Starke, Palmetto Intercollegiate (1)
Matt NeSmith, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)
Ben Dietrich, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)
Matt NeSmith, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Will Murphy, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Ben Dietrich, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Will Starke, Augusta Invitational (1)
Will Starke, SEC Championship (1)

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Caleb Sturgeon, Badger Invitational (1)
Matt NeSmith, Kiawah Classic (1)
Will Starke, Kiawah Classic (1)
Matt NeSmith, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)
Will Murphy, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)
Will Murphy, Augusta Invitational (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, SEC Championship (1)

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Caleb Sturgeon, Rees Jones Invitational (1)
Matt NeSmith, Kiawah Classic (1)
Caleb Sturgeon, Bayou City Collegiate Championships (1)
Ben Dietrich, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Will Starke, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Matt NeSmith, Augusta Invitational (1)
Will Murphy, SEC Championship (1)

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Matt NeSmith, Badger Invitational (1)
Matt NeSmith, Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (1)
Will Starke, SEC Championship (1)

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Blaine Woodruff, Bayou City Collegiate Championships (1)
Will Murphy, SEC Championship (1)

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Caleb Sturgeon, Badger Invitational (1)
Matt NeSmith, SEC Championship (1)

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Will Starke, Seahawk Intercollegiate (1)



SOUTH CAROLINA IN THE NCAA REGIONAL

1989 East Regional - 9th of 19
The Long Bay Club
May 25-27 • North Myrtle Beach, S.C.
305-294-300=899

Bruce Bolina	77-74-70=221	T-18th
Rick Williams	74-74-76=224	T-29th
Jeff Hull	77-73-76=226	T-37th
Brett Quigley	77-73-78=228	T-42nd
Jerome Andrews	77-82-83=242	92nd

1991 East Regional - 11th of 23
Yale University Golf Club
May 23-25 • New Haven, Conn.
292-294-302=888

Brett Quigley	70-72-73=215	T-12th
Robert Dargan	70-74-74=218	T-20th
Carl Paulson	77-74-76=227	T-76th
Daniel Seawell	75-76-80=231	T-93rd
Michael Christie	80-74-79=233	T-96th

1992 East Regional - 9th of 22
Seven Oaks Golf Course
May 21-23 • Hamilton, N.Y.
301-301-293=895

Michael Christie	78-70-73=221	T-20th
Carl Paulson	80-73-72=225	T-37th
Morgan Beam	73-78-75=226	T-41st
Daniel Seawell	73-82-73=223	T-56th
Chad Mason	77-80-78=235	T-92nd

1993 East Regional - 14th of 22
Birdwood Golf Course
May 20-22 • Charlottesville, Va.
291-295-303=889

David Seawell	72-72-75=219	T-27th
Brett Pendergast	72-74-74=220	T-37th
Carl Paulson	70-76-78=224	T-60th
Chad Mason	77-76-76=229	T-85th
Joey Denton	77-74-78=229	T-85th

1996 East Regional - 6th of 23
Concord Resort Course
May 16-18 • Kiamesha Lake, N.Y.
305-302-295=902

Jake Kransteuber	77-75-70=222	T-8th
Stewart Ginn	73-78-74=224	T-22nd
David Seawell	76-76-74=226	T-26th
Matt Filipowicz	79-74-77=230	T-48th
Brad McFadden	79-77-79=235	T-72nd

1997 East Regional - 9th of 23
Cascades Course at the Homestead
May 15-17 • Hot Springs, Va.
294-307-291=895

Eric Ecker	70-75-75=220	T-19th
Jake Kransteuber	76-77-69=222	T-24th
Brent Roof	73-78-74=225	T-42nd
Mark Catalano	75-77-73=225	T-42nd
Stewart Ginn	77-79-79=235	T-94th

1998 East Regional - 8th of 23
Melrose Golf Course
May 14-16 • Daufuskie Island, S.C.
286-287-291=864

Jake Kransteuber	71-71-69=210	T-7th
Mark Catalano	73-73-70=216	T-26th
Eric Ecker	71-72-75=218	T-35th
Kyle Thompson	71-71-78=220	T-48th
Brent Roof	77-73-78=228	T-85th

1999 East Regional - 2nd of 23
Rhode Island Country Club
May 20-22 • Barrington, R.I.
286-292-276=854

Kyle Thompson	72-73-63=208	1st
Mark Catalano	72-72-71=215	T-12th
John Bloomfield	72-74-69=215	T-12th
Eric Ecker	70-73-74=217	T-24th
Daniel Brunson	78-76-73=227	T-87th

2000 East Regional - 12th of 27
Glenmaura National Golf Club
May 18-20 • Moosic, Pa.
306-295-297=898

Kyle Thompson	73-72-74=219	T-10th
John Bloomfield	72-73-79=224	T-31st
Scott Feaster	80-76-69=225	T-34rd
Eric Ecker	81-74-75=230	T-66th
Michael Maness	81-84-83=248	106th

2001 West Regional - 5th of 27
Trysting Tree Golf Club
May 17-19 • Corvallis, Ore.
294-298-288=880

Kyle Thompson	71-67-70=208	T-1st
Brent Delahoussaye	72-76-71=219	T-19th
Nash Elliot	75-78-72=225	T-61st
John Bloomfield	76-78-75=229	T-92nd
Ernie Rose	79-77-79=235	T-117th

2002 East Regional - 25th of 27
Ansley Golf Club - Settindown Creek
May 16-18 • Roswell, Ga.
301-307-330=938

Alex Hamilton	72-77-84=233	T-84th
Martin Rominger	76-81-77=234	T-87th
Jonathan Jackson	81-71-83=235	T-93rd
Nash Elliot	75-82-86=243	T-123rd
Matt Robinson	78-78-87=243	T-123rd

2003 East Regional - T-7th of 30
Auburn University Club
May 15-17 • Auburn, Ala.
296-285-292=873

Eirik Johansen	74-70-70=214	T-18th
Martin Rominger	69-71-75=215	T-25th
West Streib	77-74-70=221	T-47th
Alex Hamilton	76-70-77=223	T-58th
Nash Elliot	84-76-77=237	T-119th

2004 East Regional - 17th of 30
Yale Golf Course
May 20-22 • New Haven, Conn.
299-293-297=889

Martin Rominger	74-70-75=219	T-31st
Jake Thompson	80-72-72=224	T-66th
Eirik Johansen	73-74-81=228	T-85th
Alex Hamilton	76-79-74=229	T-90th
Robert Svensson	76-77-76=229	T-90th

2005 West Regional - T-10th of 27
Stanford Golf Club
May 19-21 • Stanford, Calif.
289-288-287=864

Alex Hamilton	74-70-68=212	T-12th
Mark Anderson	72-72-73=217	T-39th
Eirik Johansen	70-74-73=217	T-39th
West Streib	73-78-73=224	T-80th
Robert Svensson	80-72-77=229	T-111th

2006 East Regional - 9th of 27
Lake Nona Golf Club
May 18-20 • Orlando, Fla.
304-293-284=881

Eirik Johansen	74-73-73=220	T-22nd
Allen Koon	79-72-63=220	T-22nd
Mark Anderson	74-76-72=222	T-36th
Florian Fritsch	77-75-70=222	T-36th
Warren Thomas	79-73-81=233	T-110th

2007 West Regional - 1st of 27
ASU Karsten Golf Course
May 17-19 • Tempe, Ariz.
273-269-278=820

George Bryan IV	68-67-69=204	T-10th
Mark Anderson	68-68-70=206	T-18th
Florian Fritsch	68-67-71=206	T-18th
Mark Silvers III	69-73-69=211	T-43rd
Warren Thomas	74-67-70=211	T-43rd

2008 East Regional - 16th of 27
Council Fire Golf Club
May 15-17 • Chattanooga, Tenn.
288-293-278=859

Warren Thomas	73-68-68=209	T-17th
Mark Silvers III	71-76-67=214	T-47th
Mark Anderson	69-74-72=215	T-58th
George Bryan IV	77-75-71=223	T-113th
Patrick Cuning	75-77-77=229	133rd

2009 Southeast Regional - T-2nd of 14
RedTail Golf Club
May 14-16 • Sorrento, Fla.
273-287-269=829 (-23)

Mark Silvers III	69-74-64=207	T-10th
George Bryan IV	69-72-67=208	T-14th
Wesley Bryan	67-73-68=208	T-14th
Sam Braver	74-68-70=212	T-33rd
Patrick Rada	68-74-73=215	T-44th

2010 East Regional - 8th of 13
The Course at Yale
May 20-22 • New Haven, Conn.
286-285-275=846

George Bryan IV	71-70-66=207	T-6th
Wesley Bryan	71-66-70=207	T-6th
Paul Woodbury	71-70-67=208	T-8th
Clint Tolleson	73-81-72=226	T-63rd
Patrick Rada	77-79-86=242	75th

2012 Southwest Regional - 8th of 14
Jimmie Austin OU Golf Course
May 17-19 • Norman, Okla.
286-285-275=846

Wesley Bryan	69-75-77=221	T-18th
Caleb Sturgeon	80-72-74=226	T-35th
Will Murphy	79-74-76=229	T-48th
Sean Kelly	73-81-75=229	T-48th
Dykes Harbin	73-83-74=230	T-52nd

2013 Central Regional - 8th of 14
Jimmie Austin OU Golf Course
May 17-19 • Norman, Okla.
286-285-275=846

Wesley Bryan	69-75-77=221	T-18th
Caleb Sturgeon	80-72-74=226	T-35th
Will Murphy	79-74-76=229	T-48th
Sean Kelly	73-81-75=229	T-48th
Dykes Harbin	73-83-74=230	T-52nd



2013-14 SOUTH CAROLINA MEN'S GOLF STATISTICS / RESULTS

TEAM SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Date	Tournament	Team Score	Team Finish	Low Individual	Individual Score	Low Individual Finish
Sept. 6-8	Carpet Capital Collegiate	302-289-297=888 (+24)	10th/14	Will Starke	73-71-70=214 (-2)	T-5th
Sept. 22-24	Rees Jones Invitational	298-290-299=887 (+23)	T-2nd/12	Matt NeSmith	72-72-74=218 (+2)	T-4th
Sept. 29-Oct. 1	Badger Invitational	282-283-291=856 (-8)	1st/14	Caleb Sturgeon	65-72-69=206 (-10)	1st
Nov. 3-5	Wendy's Kiawah Classic	283-286-295=864 (F)	1st/18	Matt NeSmith	75-69-68=212 (-4)	2nd
Feb. 21-23	Bayou City Championship	288-283-280=851 (-13)	3rd/15	NeSmith/Murphy/Woodruff	215 (-1)	T-21st
March 10-11	Palmetto Intercollegiate	289-290-288=867 (+27)	3rd/18	Will Starke	70-71-73=214 (+4)	T-5th
March 16-17	Seahawk Intercollegiate	273-287=560 (-16)	1st/13	Will Starke	64-73=137 (-7)	1st
March 23-25	Hootie at Bulls Bay	281-298-276=855 (-9)	2nd/15	Will Starke	71-73-68=212 (-4)	7th
April 5-6	Augusta State Invitational	300-284-285=869 (+5)	9th/15	Matt NeSmith	74-68-71=213 (-3)	11th
April 25-27	SFC Championship	277-278-283=838 (-2)	5th/14	Will Murphy	66-68-71=205 (-5)	T-5th
May 15-17	NCAA Eugene Regional					
May 23-28	NCAA Championship					

INDIVIDUAL TOURNAMENT-BY-TOURNAMENT RESULTS

FALL 2013

Carpet Capital Collegiate (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Starke	73-71-70=214	T5
Caleb Sturgeon	75-73-76=224	T41
Matt NeSmith	76-71-78=225	T45
Will Murphy	78-74-74=226	T48
Blaine Woodruff	78-75-77=230	T62

Rees Jones Invitational (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Matt NeSmith	72-72-74=218	T4
Will Murphy	72-74-73=219	T6
Caleb Sturgeon	77-68-77=222	T14
Will Starke	77-79-75=231	T37
Blaine Woodruff	79-76-80=235	T48
*Ben Dietrich	73-75-81=229	T33

Badger Invitational (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Caleb Sturgeon	65-72-69=206	1
Matt NeSmith	72-67-73=212	2
Will Starke	77-73-72=222	T18
Will Murphy	72-71-81=224	T25
Ben Dietrich	73-78-77=228	T44

Wendy's Kiawah Classic (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Matt NeSmith	75-69-68=212	2
Will Starke	69-70-77=216	T4
Ben Dietrich	70-76-74=220	12
Caleb Sturgeon	73-71-77=221	T13
Will Murphy	71-76-76=223	T21
*Alan King	77-75-85=237	T76

SPRING 2014

Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
*Blaine Woodruff	76-71=147	T3
*Ben Dietrich	76-73=149	T7
*Alan King	79-75=154	T19
*Kieron Fowler	73-86=159	T32

Bayou City Collegiate Championships (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Matt NeSmith	75-70-70=215	T21
Will Murphy	70-75-70=215	T21
Blaine Woodruff	75-66-74=215	T21
Caleb Sturgeon	68-78-70=216	T33
Will Starke	75-72-70=217	T36

Palmetto Intercollegiate (Par 70)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Starke	70-71-73=214	T5
Matt NeSmith	72-74-71=217	T20
Will Murphy	73-75-72=220	T23
Caleb Sturgeon	74-74-72=220	T23
Blaine Woodruff	79-71-75=225	T47

Seahawk Intercollegiate (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Starke	64-73=137	1
Matt NeSmith	70-69=139	3
Will Murphy	69-71=140	4
Ben Dietrich	70-74=144	T10
Caleb Sturgeon	70-76=146	T18
*Blaine Woodruff	71-82=153	T45

Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Starke	71-73-68=212	7
Will Murphy	73-70-71=214	T11
Ben Dietrich	68-76-70=214	T11
Matt NeSmith	70-80-67=217	T20
Caleb Sturgeon	72-79-75=226	T49

Augusta Invitational (Par 72)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Matt NeSmith	74-68-71=213	T11
Will Murphy	74-69-75=218	T26
Caleb Sturgeon	76-75-71=222	T45
Will Starke	76-76-70=222	T45
Ben Dietrich	77-72-73=222	T45

*Played as an individual

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SEC Championship (Par 70)

Player	Rounds	Finish
Will Murphy	66-68-71=205	T5
Matt NeSmith	65-72-73=210	T21
Will Starke	74-70-67=211	T26
Ben Dietrich	72-71-74=217	T43
Caleb Sturgeon	77-69-72=218	T51

RECORD vs. OPPONENTS

Alabama

0-1

Arknon 2-0

Arkansas

2-0

Army 1-0

Auburn

0-3

Austin Peay 1-0

Baylor 1-1

Campbell 2-0

Charlotte 2-0

Charleston Southern 4-0

Chattanooga 2-0

Clemson 1-2

Coastal Carolina 1-0

College of Charleston 1-0

Creighton 1-0

Davidson 1-0

Delaware 1-0

Duke 1-0

East Carolina 2-0

East Tennessee State 1-0

Elon 3-0

Florida

1-0

Francis Marion 1-0

Furman 1-0

George Washington 1-0

Georgia

0-2

Georgia State 2-0

Georgia Tech 0-1

GRU Augusta 2-1

Houston 0-2

Houston Baptist 1-0

Illinois 0-1

Illinois State 1-0

Jacksonville State 1-0

Kansas 1-0

Kennesaw State 1-1

Kentucky

2-0

Lamar 1-0

Liberty 2-0

Louisiana 1-0

Louisiana Tech 1-0

Louisville 1-0

LSU

0-2

Marquette 2-0

Maryland 1-0

Middle Tennessee State 1-1

Minnesota 1-0

Mississippi

1-0

Mississippi State

2-0

Missouri

3-0

Missouri-Kansas City 1-0

Navy 1-0

New Mexico 1-0

New Mexico State 1-0

Nebraska 1-0

North Carolina 1-1

North Carolina State 2-0

North Florida 1-0

Northern Illinois 1-0

Northern Kentucky 1-0

Ohio State 1-0

Pennsylvania 1-0

Presbyterian 2-0

Purdue 0-1

Radford 1-0

Rice 1-0

Richmond 1-0

Rutgers 1-0

South Florida 1-0-1

TCU 1-0

Tennessee

3-0

Texas 0-3

Texas A&M

1-0

Towson 1-0

Troy 1-0

UCF 0-1

UNC Wilmington 2-0

USC Upstate 2-0

UTSA 1-0

Vanderbilt

1-0

Virginia 1-1

Virginia Tech 0-1

Wake Forest 1-1

Western Kentucky 1-0

Winthrop 2-0

Wisconsin 4-0

Wofford 2-0

Xavier 1-0

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2013-14 VARSITY RESULTS/STATISTICS

Name	Tourn.	Rounds	Low 54	Low 18	Par/Better	Top 5	Top 10	Top 20	Strokes	Avg.
Ben Dietrich	8	22	214	68	5	0	2	4	1623	73.77
Kieron Fowler	1	2	--	73	0	0	0	0	159	79.50
Sean Kelly	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Alan King	2	5	237	75	0	0	0	1	391	78.20
Caulder Moore	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Will Murphy	10	29	205	66	13	2	3	4	2104	72.55
Matt NeSmith	10	29	210	65	16	4	4	7	2078	71.66
Will Starke	10	29	211	64	14	4	5	6	2096	72.28
Caleb Sturgeon	10	29	206	65	11	1	1	4	2121	73.14
Blaine Woodruff	6	16	215	66	3	1	1	1	1205	75.31
TEAM	10	29	838	273	62	12	16	27	8335	287.41

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	8	22	214	68	5	0	2	4	1623	73.77
Kieron Fowler	1	2	--	73	0	0	0	0	159	79.50
Sean Kelly	15	44	218	68	8	2	2	2	3279	74.52
Alan King	2	5	237	75	0	0	0	1	391	78.20
Caulder Moore	14	42	214	69	5	0	0	3	3156	75.14
Will Murphy	26	76	205	66	25	3	5	9	5579	73.41
Matt NeSmith	22	65	209	65	33	6	11	16	4693	72.20
Will Starke	16	47	211	64	19	5	7	8	3430	72.98
Caleb Sturgeon	31	92	205	65	33	4	8	14	6730	73.15
Blaine Woodruff	23	66	206	66	11	2	2	4	4941	74.86

2013-14 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

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

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
*Rees Jones Invitational	73-75-81=229 (+13)	T33
Badger Invitational	73-78-77=228 (+12)	T44
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	70-76-74=220 (+4)	T12
*Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate	76-73=149 (+5)	T7
Seahawk Intercollegiate	70-74=144 (E)	T10
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	68-76-70=214 (-2)	T11
Augusta Invitational	77-72-73=222 (+6)	T45
SEC Championship	72-71-74=217 (+7)	T43

Bayou City Collegiate Championships	75-70-70=215 (-1)	T21
Palmetto Intercollegiate	72-74-71=217 (+7)	T20
Seahawk Intercollegiate	70-69=139 (-5)	T3
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	70-80-67=217 (+1)	T20
Augusta Invitational	74-68-71=213 (-3)	T11
SEC Championship	65-72-73=210 (E)	T21

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

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
Carpet Capital Collegiate	73-71-70=214 (-2)	T5
Rees Jones Invitational	77-79-75=231 (+15)	T37
Badger Invitational	77-73-72=222 (+6)	T18
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	69-70-77=216 (E)	T4
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	75-72-70=217 (+1)	T36
Palmetto Intercollegiate	70-71-73=214 (+4)	T5
Seahawk Intercollegiate	64-73=137 (-7)	T1
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	71-73-68=212 (-4)	T7
Augusta Invitational	76-76-70=222 (+6)	T45
SEC Championship	74-70-67=211 (+1)	T26

Kieron Fowler (Fr., Yeovil, England)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
*Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate	73-86=159 (+15)	T32

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

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
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Alan King (Sr., Columbia, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
*Wendy's Kiawah Classic	77-75-85=237 (+21)	T76
*Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate	79-75=154 (+10)	T19

Caulder Moore (Sr., Isle of Palms, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
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Will Murphy (Jr., Columbia, S.C.)

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
Carpet Capital Collegiate	78-74-74=226 (+10)	T48
Rees Jones Invitational	72-74-73=219 (+3)	T6
Badger Invitational	72-71-81=224 (+8)	T25
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	71-76-76=223 (+7)	T21
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	70-75-70=215 (-1)	T21
Palmetto Intercollegiate	73-75-72=220 (+10)	T23
Seahawk Intercollegiate	69-71=140 (-4)	T4
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	73-70-71=214 (-2)	T11
Augusta Invitational	74-69-75=218 (+2)	T26
SEC Championship	66-68-71=205 (-5)	T5

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

Tourney	Rounds	Finish
Carpet Capital Collegiate	75-73-76=224 (+8)	T41
Rees Jones Invitational	77-68-77=222 (+6)	T14
Badger Invitational	65-72-69=206 (-10)	T1
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	73-71-77=221 (+5)	T13
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	68-78-70=216 (E)	T33
Palmetto Intercollegiate	74-74-72=220 (+10)	T23
Seahawk Intercollegiate	70-76=146 (+2)	T18
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	72-79-75=226 (+10)	T49
Augusta Invitational	76-75-71=222 (+6)	T45
SEC Championship	77-69-72=218 (+8)	T51

Blaine Woodruff (Jr., Acworth, Ga.)

Tournament	Rounds	Finish
Carpet Capital Collegiate	78-75-77=230 (+14)	T62
Rees Jones Invitational	79-76-80=235 (+19)	T48
*Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate	76-71=147 (+3)	T3
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	75-66-74=215 (-1)	T21
Palmetto Intercollegiate	79-71-75=225 (+15)	T47
Seahawk Intercollegiate	71-82=153 (+9)	T45

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



2013-14 TOURNAMENT-BY-TOURNAMENT

Sept. 6-8 Carpet Capital Collegiate The Farm Rocky Face, Ga. Par 72 • 7,012 Yards 302-289-297=888 • 10th of 14

TEAM RESULTS

1. Georgia Tech	280-289-281=850	-14
2. Georgia	291-282-283=856	-8
3. LSU	297-287-280=864	E
4. Clemson	294-285-286=865	+1
5. North Carolina	290-288-296=874	+10
6. Auburn	299-287-289=875	+11
7. Wake Forest	301-295-284=880	+16
8. Middle Tennessee St.	298-297-289=884	+20
9. Texas	298-286-303=887	+23
10. South Carolina	302-289-297=888	+24
T11. North Florida	295-298-300=893	+29
T11. Tennessee	306-296-291=893	+29
13. Kennesaw State	297-299-301=897	+33
14. Chattanooga	306-296-297=899	+35

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

T1. Bailey Patrick (UNC)	68-69-70=207	-9
T1. O. Schniederjans (GA Tech)	67-67-73=207	-9
3. Stewart Jolly (LSU)	72-68-71=211	-5
4. Joey Garber (Georgia)	71-69-72=212	-4
T5. Smylie Kaufman (LSU)	74-73-67=214	-2
T5. Will Starke (SC)	73-71-70=214	-2
T41. Caleb Sturgeon (SC)	75-73-76=224	+8

Sept. 22-24 Rees Jones Invitational Haig Point Club Daufuskie Island, S.C. Par 72 • 7,380 Yards 298-290-299=887 • T-2nd of 12

TEAM RESULTS

1. Kennesaw State	290-297-298=885	+21
T2 South Carolina	298-290-299=887	+23
T2 South Florida	286-297-304=887	+23
4 UNCW	296-293-305=894	+30
5 East Carolina	298-292-309=899	+35
6 Middle Tennessee St.	299-300-301=900	+36
7 Liberty	291-305-305=901	+37
8 Charlotte	291-306-306=903	+39
T9 Winthrop	307-301-301=909	+45
T9 Troy	299-294-316=909	+45
11 Georgia State	304-299-320=923	+59
12 Charleston Southern	311-308-331=950	+86

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Chase Koepka (USF)	68-70-74=212	-4
2. Payne McLeod (UNCW)	71-70-75=216	E
3. Zach Seabolt (Winthrop)	77-69-71=217	+1
T4. Austin Vick (Kennesaw St)	74-71-73=218	+2
T4. Matthew NeSmith (SC)	72-72-74=218	+2
T6. Jimmy Beck (Kennesaw St)	73-70-76=219	+3
T6. Mathieu Fenasse (Liberty)	72-75-72=219	+3
T6. Will Murphy (SC)	72-74-73=219	+3

Sept. 29-Oct. 1 Badger Invitational University Ridge Golf Course Verona, Wis. Par 72 • 7,259 Yards 282-283-291=856 • 1st of 14

TEAM RESULTS

1. South Carolina	282-283-291=856	-8
2. Kansas	290-294-296=880	+16
3. Illinois State	287-300-296=883	+19
4. USC Upstate	286-300-300=886	+22
5. Austin Peay	290-293-308=891	+27
6. Wofford	292-295-304=892	+28
7. Rutgers	298-295-300=893	+29
8. Missouri-Kansas City	287-297-310=894	+30
T9. Xavier	287-303-309=899	+35
T9. Charleston Southern	292-300-307=899	+35
11. Wisconsin	295-307-290=900	+36
12. Marquette	291-303-307=901	+37
13. Northern Illinois	302-316-305=923	+59
14. Northern Kentucky	310-311-303=924	+60

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Caleb Sturgeon (SC)	65-72-69=206	-10
2. Matthew NeSmith (SC)	72-67-73=212	-4
T3. Jordan Fahel (Ill. St.)	71-74-70=215	-1
T3. R. Jacobsen (Wisconsin)	74-73-68=215	-1
T5. Chase Hanna (Kansas)	71-73-72=216	E
T5. Kyle Meihof (Ill. St.)	71-75-70=216	E

Nov. 3-5 Wendy's Kiawah Classic Turtle Point Golf Club Kiawah Island, S.C. Par 72 • 7,100 Yards 283-286-295=864 • 1st of 18

TEAM RESULTS

1. South Carolina	283-286-295=864	E
2. Marquette	292-296-298=886	+22
3. Winthrop	295-298-294=887	+23
4. Missouri	299-293-296=888	+24
5. Presbyterian College	292-297-301=890	+26
6. Charleston Southern	292-302-297=891	+27
7. Radford	291-305-299=895	+31
8. USC Upstate	297-305-297=899	+35
9. Wisconsin	305-296-301=902	+38
10. Minnesota	309-297-298=904	+40
11. Elon	300-298-307=905	+41
12. Towson	295-301-310=906	+42
13. Jacksonville St.	306-303-298=907	+43
14. Campbell	316-302-291=909	+45
15. Richmond	301-314-296=911	+47
16. Western Kentucky U.	299-310-312=921	+57
17. Creighton	312-313-308=933	+69
18. George Washington U.	321-310-308=939	+75

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Nick Nelson (Marquette)	70-67-73=210	-6
2. Matthew NeSmith (SC)	75-69-68=212	-4
3. Nick Brediger (Radford)	69-73-73=215	-1
T4. Christian Sease (Winthrop)	71-73-72=216	E
T4. Will Starke (SC)	69-70-77=216	E

Feb. 21-23 Bayou City Collegiate Championships Golf Club of Houston Humble, Texas Par 72 • 6,982 Yards 288-283-280=851 • 3rd of 15

TEAM RESULTS

1. Houston	280-277-276=833	-31
2. Texas	285-281-275=841	-23
3. South Carolina	288-283-280=851	-13
4. Arkansas	287-286-282=855	-9
5. Baylor	288-286-282=856	-8
6. Rice	288-293-280=861	-3
7. New Mexico State	294-289-285=868	+4
8. Charlotte	293-292-284=869	+5
9. UTSA	292-292-288=872	+8
10. South Florida	293-286-294=873	+9
T11. Louisiana Tech	290-286-299=875	+11
T11. Mississippi State	289-289-297=875	+11
13. Louisiana	295-299-286=880	+16
14. Lamar	298-295-291=884	+20
15. Houston Baptist	295-300-293=888	+24

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Roman Robledo (Houston)	69-69-66=204	-12
T2. Victor Lange (LA Tech)	71-67-71=209	-7
T2. Kramer Hickok (Texas)	71-70-68=209	-7
T2. Wesley McClain (Houston)	68-69-72=209	-7
T21. Matt NeSmith (SC)	75-70-70=215	-1
T21. Will Murphy (SC)	70-75-70=215	-1
T21. Blaine Woodruff (SC)	75-66-74=215	-1

March 10-11 Palmetto Intercollegiate Palmetto Golf Club Aiken, S.C. Par 70 • 6,695 Yards 289-290-288=867 • 3rd of 18

TEAM RESULTS

1. Clemson	281-290-283=854	+14
2. Virginia	290-287-279=856	+16
3. South Carolina	289-290-288=867	+27
4. Georgia State	294-291-289=874	+34
5. Chattanooga	295-296-284=875	+35
T6. GRU Augusta	294-295-287=876	+36
T6. S. Carolina-Aiken	295-293-288=876	+36
8. Liberty	290-299-288=877	+37
9. Maryland	299-294-294=887	+47
10. NC State	292-296-301=889	+49
T11. Wofford College	297-288-309=894	+54
T11. Furman	294-293-307=894	+54
13. Elon	298-302-298=898	+58
14. Presbyterian	303-296-303=902	+62
15. Francis Marion	294-306-307=907	+67
16. Akron	296-300-316=912	+72
17. Nebraska	296-308-311=915	+75
18. Pennsylvania	320-316-319=955	+115

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Austin Langdale (Clemson)	69-69-72=210	E
2. Derek Bard (Virginia)	72-69-70=211	+1
3. Niklas Lindstrom (Liberty)	68-77-67=212	+2
4. Denny McCarthy (Virginia)	72-74-67=213	+3
T5. Chris Robb (Chattanooga)	74-72-68=214	+4
T5. Will Starke (SC)	70-71-73=214	+4
T20. Matt NeSmith (SC)	72-74-71=217	+7



2013-14 TOURNAMENT-BY-TOURNAMENT

March 16-17
Seahawk Intercollegiate
Country Club of Landfall (Nicklaus)
Wilmington, N.C.
Par 72 • 6,761 Yards
273-287=560 • 1st of 13

TEAM RESULTS

1. South Carolina	273-287=560	-16
2. ETSU	279-300=579	+3
T3. Ohio State	282-299=581	+5
T3. Louisville	278-303=581	+5
5. Davidson College	278-308=586	+10
6. Campbell	286-301=587	+11
7. UNCW	287-309=596	+20
8. Wisconsin	292-305=597	+21
9. Elon	300-299=599	+23
10. Army	293-314=607	+31
11. East Carolina	298-312=610	+34
12. Navy	307-315=622	+46
13. Delaware	308-327=635	+59

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Will Starke (SC)	64-73=137	-7
2. Sam Echikson (Davidson)	64-74=138	-6
3. Matthew NeSmith (SC)	70-69=139	-5
4. Will Murphy (SC)	69-71=140	-4
5. Robbie Jacobsen (Wisconsin)	72-69=141	-3

March 23-25
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate
Bulls Bay Golf Club
Awendaw, S.C.
Par 72 • 7,282 Yards
281-298-276=855 • 2nd of 15

TEAM RESULTS

1. Auburn	285-294-273=852	-12
2. South Carolina	281-298-276=855	-9
3. College of Charleston	282-297-278=857	-7
4. Virginia	283-295-280=858	-6
5. Wake Forest	282-299-284=865	+1
6. Kentucky	283-310-273=866	+2
7. Missouri	281-303-284=868	+4
8. GRU Augusta	297-307-272=876	+12
9. North Carolina State	287-306-288=881	+17
10. S. Carolina-Aiken	297-307-282=886	+22
11. Charleston Southern	290-309-290=889	+25
12. Duke	298-310-290=898	+34
T13. Akron	303-309-287=899	+35
T13. Wisconsin	293-315-291=899	+35
15. North Carolina	294-316-294=904	+40

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

T1. Niclas Carlsson (Auburn)	70-73-66=209	-7
T1. Ben Stow (Kentucky)	69-73-67=209	-7
7. Will Starke (SC)	71-73-68=212	-4
T11. Will Murphy (SC)	73-70-71=214	-2
T11. Ben Dietrich (SC)	68-76-70=214	-2

April 5-6
Augusta Invitational
Forest Hills Golf Club
Augusta, Ga.
Par 72 • 7,142 Yards
300-284-285=869 • 9th of 15

TEAM RESULTS

1. UCF	287-277-282=846	-18
2. Texas	284-280-283=847	-17
3. Virginia Tech	280-285-285=850	-14
4. Illinois	288-281-283=852	-12
5. Baylor	282-291-288=861	-3
6. Houston	282-289-295=866	+2
7. Purdue	292-283-292=867	+3
8. GRU Augusta	292-285-291=868	+4
9. South Carolina	300-284-285=869	+5
T10. New Mexico	295-286-291=872	+8
T10. Tennessee	296-283-293=872	+8
12. Coastal Carolina	291-293-298=882	+18
13. TCU	293-299-291=883	+19
14. S. Carolina-Aiken	304-293-288=885	+21
15. Clemson	284-294-311=889	+25

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Greg Eason (UCF)	66-71-68=205	-11
2. Scott Vincent (Va. Tech)	68-69-69=206	-10
3. Kyle Jones (Baylor)	68-71-68=207	-9
11. Matt NeSmith (SC)	74-68-71=213	-3
T26. Will Murphy (SC)	74-69-75=218	+2

April 25-27
SEC Championship
Sea Island Golf Club (Seaside Course)
St. Simons Island, Ga.
Par 70 • 7,005 Yards
277-278-283=838 • 5th of 14

TEAM RESULTS

1. Alabama	272-266-268=806	-34
2. LSU	284-275-263=822	-18
3. Auburn	274-281-274=829	-11
4. Georgia	277-284-272=833	-7
5. South Carolina	277-278-283=838	-2
T6. Missouri	288-280-274=842	+2
T6. Arkansas	280-287-275=842	+2
8. Kentucky	287-284-273=844	+4
T9. Texas A&M	288-286-275=849	+9
T9. Mississippi State	287-281-281=849	+9
11. Vanderbilt	288-288-276=852	+12
T12. Tennessee	289-290-280=859	+19
T12. Florida	292-281-286=859	+19
14. Mississippi	292-293-290=875	+35

TOP INDIVIDUALS/GAMECOCKS

1. Bobby Wyatt (Alabama)	65-61-66=192	-19
2. Smylie Kaufman (LSU)	67-68-64=199	-12
3. Robby Shelton (Alabama)	67-67-66=200	-10
T5. Will Murphy (SC)	66-68-71=205	(-5)
T21. Matt NeSmith (SC)	65-72-73=210	(E)



SOUTH CAROLINA HISTORY AND RECORDS

GOLF WORLD/NIKE TOP 25 As of 5/5/14

1. Alabama
2. Oklahoma State
3. Georgia Tech
4. California
5. Stanford
6. Georgia
7. UCF
8. Illinois
9. Virginia
10. Houston
11. Washington
12. Virginia Tech
13. Texas A&M
14. Oklahoma
15. Vanderbilt
16. UCLA
17. Texas
18. UAB
19. Arkansas
20. Southern California
- 21. South Carolina**
22. New Mexico
23. Florida State
24. LSU
25. Auburn

GOLFSTAT TOP 25 As of 5/6/14

1. Alabama
2. Oklahoma State
3. Stanford
4. California
5. Georgia Tech
6. Georgia
7. UCF
8. Washington
9. Houston
10. Illinois
11. Virginia
12. Virginia Tech
13. Texas
14. LSU
15. Oklahoma
16. Southern California
17. Florida State
18. UCLA
19. Vanderbilt
20. Texas A&M
21. UAB
- 22. South Carolina**
23. Auburn
24. Arkansas
25. New Mexico

TEAM

Season Scoring Average

	Year	Rds.	Strokes	Avg.
1.	2013-14	29	8,335	287.41
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.	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
8.	Seahawk Intercollegiate, 3/16/14	1	273
	NCAA West Regional, 5/17/07	1	273
10.	Mason Rudolph Inter., 9/25/09	1	274

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 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.	George Bryan IV (2006-10)	72.37
2.	Kyle Thompson (1997-00)	72.81
3.	David Seawell (1993-96)	73.05
4.	Eirik Johansen (2002-06)	73.12
5.	Caleb Sturgeon (2011-Present)	73.15
	Mark Silvers III (2005-09)	73.15
7.	Wesley Bryan (2008-2012)	73.23
8.	Eric Ecker (1996-00)	73.25
9.	Martin Rominger (2001-04)	73.30
10.	Florian Fritsch (2005-07)	73.54

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

1.	George Bryan IV (2010)	71.35
2.	Matt NeSmith (2014)	71.66
3.	Kyle Thompson (2001)	71.83
4.	Webb Heintzelman (1984)	71.97
5.	Mark Anderson (2008)	72.00
6.	Paul Woodbury (2010)	72.06
7.	Wesley Bryan (2010)	72.12
8.	Eric Ecker (1998)	72.15
9.	David Seawell (1994)	72.23
10.	George Bryan IV (2008)	72.47

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 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
8. 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



Will Murphy

Junior :: Columbia, S.C. :: A.C. Flora HS



2013-14

Played in all 10 tournaments...Led the team at the SEC Championship, finishing tied for fifth with a career-best 54-hole total of 205 (-5)...Has four top-20 finishes on the season, including a fourth-place finish at the Seahawk Intercollegiate...Ranks third on the team with a stroke average of 72.55...Third on the team with 13 rounds of par or better.

2012-13

Solid contributor in six team events...Ranked fourth on the team in scoring with an average of 74.00...Recorded three top-20 finishes in team events...Finished tied for 15th in his first event of the season, the Rees Jones Invitational, with rounds of 76-75-76=227 (+11)...Played his best tournament of the season at the Bayou City Collegiate Championship, tying for eighth place with rounds of 72-69-73=214 (-2)...Turned in a second straight top-20 finish with a tie for 19th showing at the USF Invitational with rounds of 73-70-76=219 (+3)...Also played in the Savannah Quarters Individual and finished runner-up with a total of 211 (-5), including a career-low 66 in the second round.

2011-12

Became one of the top freshmen in the SEC...Competed in nine of 12 tournaments...Tallied one top-20 finish...Ranked fourth on the team with a stroke average of 73.88...Came on strong in the spring after playing only one tournament in the fall...Opened 2012 with a tie for 21st finish at the Seahawk Invitational with rounds of 78-73-72=223 (+7)...Posted career-best tie for 11th finish the following week at the Palmetto Intercollegiate, shooting 76-68-72=216 (+6)...Second-round 68 was a career low...Tied for 37th at the SEC Championship (72-73-73=218) and wrapped up the season in a tie for 48th at the NCAA Southwest Regional (79-74-76=229)...Carded seven rounds of par or better.

Prior to South Carolina

Graduated from A.C. Flora High School...Helped lead A.C. Flora to state titles in 2008, 2010 and 2011...All-State in 2009 and 2010...Five-time All-Region performer...Won the Georgia-South Carolina Cup in 2011...Made it to the U.S. Junior Amateur round of 32 in 2009 and carded a 67 in first round of stroke play...Carolinas match play runner-up as a 14-year-old in the 18 and under division in 2007...Finished in the top eight at the South Carolina Junior Amateur (2010) and Carolinas Junior (2009)...Won the Florence Junior in 2010...Sixth-ranked player in South Carolina in 2010 according to Polo Golf rankings...Also lettered in cross country...Vice President of the FCA...Member of the National Honor Society...Awarded South Carolina Scholar Athlete of the Year.

PERSONAL

Full name is William Butler Murphy...Born May 12, 1993...Parents are J.R. and Aimee Murphy...Father, J.R., lettered in soccer at South Carolina in 1979-80...Chose South Carolina over Furman and Wofford...Major is business management.

Career Bests

18-hole Score	66
54-hole Score	205
Tournament Finish	2nd
Top-10 Finishes	5
Top-20 Finishes	9

Career Results

2013-14

Carpet Capital Collegiate	78-74-74=226	T-48th
Rees Jones Invitational	72-74-73=219	T-6th
Badger Invitational	72-71-81=224	T-25th
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	71-76-76=223	T-21st
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	70-75-70=215	T-21st
Palmetto Intercollegiate	73-75-72=220	T-23rd
Seahawk Intercollegiate	69-71=140	4th
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	73-70-71=214	T-11th
Augusta Invitational	74-69-75=218	T-26th
SEC Championship	66-68-71=205	T-5th

2012-13

Rees Jones Invitational	76-75-76=227	T-15th
AutoTrader.com Collegiate Classic	78-75-73=226	T-35th
Savannah Quarters Individual	74-66-71=211	2nd
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	72-69-73=214	T-8th
USF Invitational	73-70-76=219	T-19th
Palmetto Intercollegiate	74-77-73=224	T-36th
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	82-75-76=233	T-58th

2011-12

Bridgestone Golf Collegiate	71-79=150	T-34th
Seahawk Invitational	78-73-72=223	T-21st
Palmetto Intercollegiate	76-68-72=216	T-11th
Chris Schenkel Invitational	74-69-78=221	T-48th
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	76-75-72=223	T-29th
Insperty Augusta State Invitational	71-71-75=217	T-34th
River Landing Intercollegiate	75-76-73=224	T-48th
SEC Championship	72-73-73=218	T-37th
NCAA Southwest Regional	79-74-76=229	T-48th

Murphy's Career Totals

Season	Tourn.	Rds.	Strokes	Avg.	Low 18	Best Finish
2011-12	9	26	1,921	73.88	68	T-11th
2012-13	7	21	1,554	74.00	66	2nd
2013-14	10	29	2,104	72.55	66	4th
Career	26	76	5,579	73.41	66	2nd



Caleb Sturgeon

Junior :: Laurens, S.C. :: Laurens HS



**2012 SEC All-Freshman Team **

2013-14

Played in all 10 tournaments...Has recorded four top-20 finishes, including a win at the Badger Invitational with a total of 206 (-10)...Fourth on the team with a stroke average of 73.14...Has produced 11 rounds of par or better...Career stroke average of 73.15 currently is tied for fifth all-time at South Carolina.

2012-13

One of the most consistent performers on the team...Played in all 12 tournaments...Recorded six top-20 finishes, including four top-10 showings...Ranked third on the team with a stroke average of 73.36...Turned in first top-20 finish of the season with a tie for 15th showing at the Rees Jones Invitational with rounds of 75-72-80=227 (+11)...Posted rounds of 68-74-68=210 (-3) to win the Wendy's Kiawah Classic and lead the Gamecocks to the program's first team title since 2009...Opened the spring with three straight top-20 finishes...Tied for eighth at the Bayou City Collegiate Championships, shooting rounds of 73-72-69=214 (-2)...Tied for 14th at the USF Invitational with a total of 217 (+1) and placed 10th at the Palmetto Intercollegiate with a total of 213 (+3)...Finished runner-up at the SEC Championship with rounds of 65-67-73=205 (-5) to lead South Carolina to a runner-up team finish...First-round 65 is a career low and is the lowest round ever by a Gamecock at the SEC Championship...Total of 205 (-5) is also a career best and is the second best 54-hole total by a Gamecock at the SEC Championship...Tied for 25th at the NCAA Columbus Regional with a total of 222 (+9) to help lead South Carolina to a tie for second finish and clinch a berth to the NCAA Championship for the first time since 2009...Finished tied for 128th in first NCAA Championship appearance with a total of 220 (+10)...Named to the SEC Community Service Team and the SEC Academic Honor Roll.

2011-12

Named to the SEC All-Freshman Team...Led the team with three top-10 finishes...Second on the team and 23rd in the conference with a stroke average of 72.58, which ranks second all-time for a freshman at Carolina...Had a breakout spring with three top-10 finishes...Produced a career-best fourth-place finish at the Palmetto Intercollegiate with rounds of 70-71-72=213...Tied for seventh at the Seahawk Invitational with rounds of 71-71-73=215...Carded a career-low 67 in the second round of the Chris Schenkel Invitational...Posted a 68 in the second round of the River Landing Intercollegiate on way to a tie for eighth finish...Shot a 68 in the second round of the SEC Championship, finishing in a tie for 27th.

Prior to South Carolina

Graduated from Laurens High School...Two-time All-State and four-time All-Region...Ranked fifth in the state of South Carolina...2011 South Carolina four ball champion...Tied for second at the Joe Cheves Junior Invitational in 2010...Finished fifth at the Big I National Championship in 2010...Qualified for the U.S. Junior in 2010...Placed fourth at the South Carolina Junior Golf Association Junior Championship in 2008...Won the Beth Daniel Junior Azalea Championship in 2008...Seventh at the 2008 Bobby Chapman Championship...Academic letter three years...Named to the Principal Honor Roll.

Personal

Full name is Caleb Anderson Sturgeon...Born Jan. 16, 1993...Parents are Annette Patterson and Chris Sturgeon...Brother, Kevin, plays baseball at The Citadel, while brother, Chris, plays baseball at Anderson University...Chose South Carolina over Clemson, College of Charleston and Winthrop...Major is sports entertainment and management.

Career Bests

18-hole Score	65
54-hole Score	205
Tournament Finish	1st
Top-10 Finishes	8
Top-20 Finishes	14

Career Results

2013-14

Carpet Capital Collegiate	75-73-76=224	T-41st
Rees Jones Invitational	77-68-77=222	T-14th
Badger Invitational	65-72-69=206	1st
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	73-71-77=221	T-13th
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	68-78-70=216	T-33rd
Palmetto Intercollegiate	74-74-72=220	T-23rd
Seahawk Intercollegiate	70-76=146	T-18th
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	72-79-75=226	T-49th
Augusta Invitational	76-75-71=222	T-45th
SEC Championship	77-69-72=218	T-51st

2012-13

Carpet Capital Collegiate	80-75-74=229	T-66th
Rees Jones Invitational	75-72-80=227	T-15th
AutoTrader.com Collegiate Classic	73-78-74=225	T-31st
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	68-74-68=210	1st
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	73-72-69=214	T-8th
USF Invitational	72-72-73=217	T-14th
Palmetto Intercollegiate	71-70-72=213	10th
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	83-80-75=238	T-67th
Insperty Augusta State Invitational	75-74-72=221	T-28th
SEC Championship	65-67-73=205	2nd
NCAA Columbus Regional	75-75-72=222	T-25th
NCAA Championship	73-75-72=220	T-128th

2011-12

Rees Jones Invitational	74-76-81=231	T-33rd
Seahawk Invitational	71-71-73=215	T-7th
Palmetto Intercollegiate	70-71-72=213	4th
Chris Schenkel Invitational	73-67-75=215	T-21st
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	71-72-76=219	T-19th
Insperty Augusta State Invitational	72-74-74=220	T-55th
River Landing Intercollegiate	74-68-71=213	T-8th
SEC Championship	74-68-74=216	T-27th
NCAA Southwest Regional	80-72-74=226	T-35th

Sturgeon's Career Totals

Season	Tourn.	Rds.	Strokes	Avg.	Low 18	Best Finish
2011-12	9	27	1,968	72.89	67	4th
2012-13	12	36	2,641	73.36	65	1st
2013-14	10	29	2,121	73.14	65	1st
Career	31	92	6,730	73.15	65	1st



Matt NeSmith

Sophomore :: North Augusta, S.C. :: North Augusta HS



****2014 Second Team All-SEC ****
****2013 PING Honorable Mention All-American****
****2013 PING All-Southeast Region ****
****2013 SEC Freshman of the Year ****
****2013 SEC All-Freshman Team ****

Career Bests

18-hole Score	65
54-hole Score	209
Tournament Finish	2nd
Top-10 Finishes	11
Top-20 Finishes	16

2013-14

Played in all 10 tournaments...Tied for the team lead with four top-five finishes, which is tied for the fifth most in a single season at South Carolina...Leads the team with a 71.66 stroke average, which ranks second all-time for a single season in school history and is the best all-time for a Gamecock sophomore...Ranks first on the team in rounds of par or better with 16.

2012-13

Turned in one of the most decorated freshman seasons in school history...Named PING honorable mention All-American...Garnered SEC Co-Freshman of the Year honors...Earned PING All-Southeast Region and SEC All-Freshman Team accolades...Led the Gamecocks and ranked 17th in the SEC with a scoring average of 72.64, which is the second lowest average for a freshman in school history...Played in all 12 tournaments and finished in the top 20 in nine of those events...Recorded seven top-10 finishes, which ties for the second most all-time in a single season at South Carolina...Opened collegiate career with a tie for 19th showing at the Carpet Capital Collegiate and followed it up with a tie for seventh finish at the Rees Jones Invitational...Closed out the fall schedule with a tie for sixth finish at the Wendy's Kiawah Classic to help lead the Gamecocks to their first tournament win since 2009...Reeled off four straight top-10 finishes in the spring, beginning with a tie for 10th showing at the USF Invitational with rounds of 74-71-71=216 (E)...Finished tied for third at the Palmetto Intercollegiate with rounds of 68-69-72=209 (-1)...Tied for seventh at the Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate with rounds of 77-72-70=219 (+3)...Tied for eighth at the Augusta State Invitational with rounds of 67-73-74=214 (-2)...Helped lead the Gamecocks to a runner-up finish at the SEC Championship with a tie for 20th showing, shooting 69-70-79=218 (+8)...Led the way at the NCAA Columbus Regional, tying for second with rounds of 75-71-68=214 (+1)...Was the Gamecocks' top finisher at the NCAA Championship, finishing tied for 38th with rounds of 70-75-66=211 (+1)...Final-round 66 at the NCAA Championship matches the lowest NCAA Championship round in school history...Three-time SEC Freshman of the Week (3/6, 3/13, 4/10)...Named to the SEC First-Year Academic Honor Roll.

Prior to South Carolina

Standout at North Augusta High School in North Augusta, S.C. ...One of four junior golfers to receive the prestigious Byron Nelson International Junior Golf Award in 2012...Won the 2012 Rolex Tournament of Champions and the 2012 Footjoy Invitational, earning a sponsor's exemption to play in the 2012 PGA Wyndham Championship...First team American Junior Golf Association All-American...Ranked No. 1 in the Golfweek and Polo junior rankings... Medalist in the 2009, 1010 and 2011 South Carolina Region 4A Championship...Won the South Carolina Lower State in 2011...Finished second at the 4A State Championship in 2010 and fourth in 2011...Won the 2009 Orange Jacket Junior, the 2009 and 2010 George Holliday Junior, the h2010 SCJGA Fall Challenge and the 2011 Junior Heritage...Had second-place finishes at the 2010 Jones Cup Junior Invitational and the 2010 SCJGA South Carolina Junior Championship...Finished third at the 2010 SCJGA South Carolina Players Championship, the 2011 Bobby Chapman Invitational and the AJGA Ping Invitational...Placed fourth at the 2011 Junior Invitational at Sage Valley...Represented the East in the AJGA Wyndham Cup and was the only player to go 4-0-0 for all his matches...Qualified for the 2011 U.S. Junior and finished 10th in the stroke play portion...Was named 2010 Male Athlete of the Year by the Greater Augusta Area Sports Council.

Personal

Full name is Matthew Christian NeSmith...Born Sept. 29, 1993...Parents are Darren and Beth NeSmith...Major is undecided.

Career Results

2013-14

Carpet Capital Collegiate	76-71-78=225	T-45th
Rees Jones Invitational	72-72-74=218	T-4th
Badger Invitational	72-67-73=212	2nd
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	75-69-68=212	2nd
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	75-70-70=215	T-21st
Palmetto Intercollegiate	72-74-71=217	T-20th
Seahawk Intercollegiate	70-69=139	3rd
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	70-80-67=217	T-20th
Augusta Invitational	74-68-71=213	11th
SEC Championship	65-72-73=210	T-21st

2012-13

Carpet Capital Collegiate	72-72-75=219	T-19th
Rees Jones Invitational	73-78-72=223	T-7th
AutoTrader.com Collegiate Classic	77-78-78=233	T-67th
Wendy's Kiawah Classic	69-73-75=217	T-6th
Bayou City Collegiate Championships	76-73-73=222	T-39th
USF Invitational	74-71-71=216	T-10th
Palmetto Intercollegiate	68-69-72=209	T-3rd
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	77-72-70=219	T-7th
Insperity Augusta State Invitational	67-73-74=214	T-8th
SEC Championship	69-70-79=218	T-20th
NCAA Columbus Regional	75-71-68=214	T-2nd
NCAA Championship	70-75-66=211	T-38th

NeSmith's Career Totals

Season	Tourn.	Rds.	Strokes	Avg.	Low 18	Best Finish
2012-13	12	36	2,615	72.64	66	T-2nd
2013-14	10	29	2,078	71.66	65	2nd
Career	22	65	4,693	72.20	65	2nd



Will Starke

Sophomore :: Chapin, S.C. :: Chapin HS



2013-14

Played in all 10 tournaments...Won first collegiate title at Seahawk Intercollegiate with a total of 137 (-7)...Tied for the team lead with four top-five finishes, which is tied for the fifth most all-time in a single season at South Carolina...Ranks second on the team with a stroke average of 72.28...Second on the squad with 14 rounds of par or better.

2012-13

Came on strong in the spring to lock down a spot in the postseason lineup...Played in six tournaments and recorded two top-10 finishes...Ranked fifth on the team with a stroke average of 74.11...Opened collegiate career with a runner-up finish at the Wendy's Kiawah Classic with rounds of 70-73-69=212 (-1) to help lead the Gamecocks to the program's first tournament win since 2009...Played a key role in leading South Carolina to a runner-up finish at the SEC Championship, finishing tied for 63rd with rounds of 79-75-75=229 (+19)...Tied for ninth at the NCAA Columbus Regional with a total of 217 (+4), including a career-low 68 in the first round...Tied for 116th at the NCAA Championship with rounds of 70-75-74=219 (+9)...Named to the SEC First-Year Academic Honor Roll.

Prior to South Carolina

Had a stellar career at Chapin High School in Chapin, S.C. ...Highly ranked by the Junior Golf Scoreboard...Qualified for the 2011 U.S. Junior Amateur...Finished second in the stroke play portion of the event with rounds of 68-71=139 (-5)...Advanced to the quarterfinals of match play...Claimed first at the 2011 Southern Cross and tied for fifth at the 2011 Big 'I' National Championship...Member of the Carolinas Junior team in both 2010 and 2011...Finished tied for first at the 2011 Carolinas Golf Association Junior and tied for second in 2010...Placed third at the 2011 South Carolina Junior...Received the 2011 David Parrott Memorial Award... Member of the National Honor Society and the Beta Club.

Personal

Full name is William Andrew Starke...Born Dec. 20, 1993...Parents are Tom and Sue Starke... Major is undecided.

Career Bests

18-hole Score	64
54-hole Score	211
Tournament Finish	1st
Top-10 Finishes	7
Top-20 Finishes	8

Career Results

2013-14

Carpet Capital Collegiate.....	73-71-70=214	T-5th
Rees Jones Invitational.....	77-79-75=231	T-37th
Badger Invitational	77-73-72=222	T-18th
Wendy's Kiawah Classic.....	69-70-77=216	T-4th
Bayou City Collegiate Championships.....	75-72-70=217	T-36th
Palmetto Intercollegiate.....	70-71-73=214	T-5th
Seahawk Intercollegiate.....	64-73=137	1st
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate.....	71-73-68=212	7th
Augusta Invitational.....	76-76-70=222	T-45th
SEC Championship.....	74-70-67=211	T-26th

2012-13

Wendy's Kiawah Classic.....	70-73-69=212	2nd
Bayou City Collegiate Championships.....	77-78-77=232	T-71st
Insperty Augusta State Invitational	80-74-71=225	T-45th
SEC Championship.....	79-75-75=229	T-63rd
NCAA Columbus Regional	68-73-76=217	T-9th
NCAA Championship.....	70-75-74=219	T-116th

Starke's Career Totals

Season	Tourn.	Rds.	Strokes	Avg.	Low 18	Best Finish
2012-13	6	18	1,334	74.11	68	2nd
2013-14	10	29	2,096	72.28	64	1st
Career	16	47	3,430	72.98	64	1st



Ben Dietrich

Freshman :: Chapin, S.C. :: Chapin



2013-14

Played in seven team tournaments and one individual event...Has three top-20 finishes in team events this season, including a career-best tie for 10th showing at the Seahawk Intercollegiate... Ranks fifth on the team with a 73.77 stroke average...Produced five rounds of par or better.

Prior to South Carolina

Graduated from Heritage Academy...Ranked in the top 10 in the Polo Golf Rankings for the class of 2013...Finished in a tie for 19th at the 2013 Players Amateur...Tied for third in match play at the Polo Golf Classic...Won the 2012 AJGA Junior at Savannah Quarters...Tied for seventh at the AJGA Junior Players Championship...Placed in the top 10 at the Junior Players...Finished tied for 12th at the 2011 Junior Jones Cup...Tied for 22nd at the 2012 Exide Technologies Junior Open...Was also a standout in the classroom...Graduated with honors... Member of the National Honors Society.

Personal

Full name is Ben Dietrich...Parents are Lee and Kristi Dietrich...Has one brother, Ethan... Majoring in business...Chose South Carolina because of the coaching staff and overall potential of the program.

Career Bests

18-hole Score	68
54-hole Score	214
Tournament Finish	T-7th
Top-10 Finishes	2
Top-20 Finishes	4

Career Results

2013-14

*Rees Jones Invitational.....	73-75-81=229.....	T-33rd
Badger Invitational.....	73-78-77=228.....	T-44th
Wendy's Kiawah Classic.....	70-76-74=220.....	12th
*Savannah Quarters Intercollegiate.....	76-73=149.....	T-7th
Seahawk Intercollegiate.....	70-74=144.....	T-10th
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate.....	68-76-70=214.....	T-11th
Augusta Invitational.....	77-72-73=222.....	T-45th
SEC Championship.....	72-71-74=217.....	T-43rd

*Played as an individual

Dietrich's Career Totals

Season	Tourn.	Rds.	Strokes	Avg.	Low 18	Best Finish
2013-14	8	22	1,623	73.77	68	T-7th
Career	8	22	1,623	73.77	68	T-7th

