

THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA



HAWKEYE SOCCER



News and Notes

2008 Schedule & Results

7-5-1, 1-1-1 Big Ten

8/23	Drake	W, 4-0
8/29	Western Illinois	W, 1-0
8/31	South Dakota State	L, 2-1
9/5-9/7	<i>at Pepperdine Nike Challenge</i>	
9/5	at Pepperdine	L, 1-0 (OT)
9/7	vs. San Diego	L, 1-0
9/12	at Northern Iowa	W, 2-0
9/14	Creighton	W, 2-0
9/19	at Missouri	L, 2-1
9/21	at Iowa State	W, 3-2
9/26	at Michigan	T, 0-0 (20T)
9/28	at Michigan State	L, 4-0
10/3	Indiana	W, 1-0
10/5	North Dakota State	W, 3-0
10/10	Illinois	7 P.M.
10/12	Purdue	1 P.M.
10/17	at Ohio State	6:30 P.M.
10/19	at Penn State	11 A.M.
10/24	Northwestern	7 P.M.
10/26	Wisconsin	1 P.M.
10/31	Minnesota	7 P.M.
11/6-9	Big Ten Tournament at Iowa City, IA	

Home Games in **BOLD**

2008 Soccer Quick Facts

Head Coach	Ron Rainey
Alma Mater/Yr.....	Wilkes University/1992
Record at Iowa	Third Year
Career Record	104-84-27
Asst. Coach	Eric Golz
Alma Mater/Yr.....	Grove City College/2002
Asst. Coach	Eileen Narcotta
Alma Mater/Yr.....	Vermont/2000
Location	Iowa City, IA
Founded	1847
Enrollment.....	30,409
President.....	Sally Mason
Director of Athletics	Gary Barta
Soccer Administrator	Jane Meyer
School Colors	Black and Gold
Nickname	Hawkeyes
Home Field	Iowa Soccer Complex
Capacity	1,000
Conference	Big Ten
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Week Eight

October 6, 2008

University of Iowa Hawkeyes

VS.



University of Illinois
9-4-0, 3-1-0
Friday, 7 P.M. (CT)
UI Soccer Complex



Purdue University
9-3-2, 3-0-1
Sunday, 1 P.M. (CT)
UI Soccer Complex

THIS WEEK

The University of Iowa soccer team (7-5-1, 1-1-1) looks to continue its winning ways this weekend when it hosts a pair of Big Ten teams. The Hawkeyes host No. 21 Illinois Friday and conference-leader Purdue Sunday. Match times are scheduled for 7 p.m. and 1 p.m., respectively.

LAST TIME OUT

Last weekend, Iowa won a pair of matches, first grinding out a Friday night win over conference foe Indiana, 1-0. Freshman forward **Alyssa Cosnek** scored the game-winning goal for the Hawkeyes in the 19th minute. The Hawkeyes also closed out their non-conference slate with a 3-0 victory over North Dakota State Sunday. The Black and Gold were aided by second-half goals from Cosnek, sophomore **Keli McLaughlin** and senior **Stephanie Hyink**.

HOME, SWEET HOME

The Hawkeyes pushed their home record to 5-1-0 following two victories last weekend. Overall, Iowa has won 10 of its last 12 matches played at the UI Soccer Complex, dating back to last season. The Hawkeyes own an all-time record of 46-41-2 at home, including a 12-6-3 record in Head Coach **Ron Rainey's** three-year tenure.

Big Ten Standings

	CONF.	OVERALL
1. PURDUE	3-0-1	9-3-2
2. PENN STATE	3-0-0	8-5-0
OHIO STATE	3-0-0	6-4-2
4. ILLINOIS	3-1-0	9-4-0
5. MINNESOTA	2-1-0	12-1-0
6. MICHIGAN STATE	2-2-0	10-3-0
7. IOWA	1-1-1	7-5-1
8. NORTHWESTERN	1-3-0	6-6-1
9. MICHIGAN	0-2-2	3-6-4
10. WISCONSIN	0-4-0	6-6-1
11. INDIANA	0-4-0	5-8-0

This Week's Big Ten Action

October 10

Illinois at IOWA
Purdue at Minnesota
Ohio State at Michigan State
Indiana at Wisconsin
Penn State at Michigan

October 12

Purdue at IOWA
Illinois at Minnesota
Ohio State at Michigan
Indiana at Northwestern
Penn State at Michigan State

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Hawkeye Soccer Notes

SCOUTING ILLINOIS

Illinois (9-4-0, 3-1-0) comes to Iowa City winners of five of its last six. They recently beat Michigan State, 3-0, and Michigan, 1-0, last weekend. They have spent part of the season in the NCAA Top 25, most recently being ranked No. 21.

The Fighting Illini have gotten off to quick starts all season, as they have outscored opponents 10-2 in the first half. Junior Chichi Nweke leads the team in goals with five.

Illinois is coached by Janet Rayfield, who is in her seventh season. She owns a career record of 126-107-17 in 12 seasons, including a mark of 81-43-10 as coach of the Fighting Illini.

The Hawkeyes are 4-9-0 all-time against Illinois, including a 6-0 loss last season in Champaign. Iowa's last win over Illinois came in 2002.

SCOUTING PURDUE

Purdue (9-3-2, 3-0-1) has won six of its last eight matches after downing Michigan State, 2-0, and earning a draw with Michigan, 1-1, last weekend.

Senior Felicia Schroeder and junior Loredana Rivero have combined for half of Purdue's scoring output (12 goals). Jenny Bradfish has been solid in goal for Purdue, who has 45 saves and four shut-outs on the season.

The Boilermakers are coached by Rob Klatte, who owns a record of 116-73-9 in his ten seasons at Purdue. Iowa is 3-4-2 all-time against the Boilermakers, including a 2-1 overtime loss last season in West Lafayette.

IOWA ON BIG TEN NETWORK

This Sunday's match with Purdue will be televised on the Big Ten Network, making it the first-ever televised match at the UI Soccer Complex. Mark Nelly and Kyndra de St. Aubin will have the call beginning at 1 p.m. (CST). Overall, Iowa is 0-2-0 all-time on the Network.

IOWA'S NON-CONFERENCE SUCCESS

With the win over North Dakota State, Iowa finished the 2008 non-conference slate with a record of 6-4-0, the best mark since 2002 when the Hawkeyes went 8-1-0. The Hawkeyes are unbeaten (7-0-1) against their three main in-state rivals (Iowa State, Drake, Northern Iowa) under Rainey.

INJURY UPDATE

Sophomore goalkeeper **Kali Feiereisel** went down with an undisclosed injury in the final minutes of the first half against North Dakota State and is expected to miss the next six weeks. Feiereisel has played in all 13 matches this season for the Hawkeyes (10 starts) and corralled 25 saves. Freshman goalkeeper **Emily Moran**, who split time with Feiereisel in every match this season, will likely see the bulk of the minutes in goal.

Freshman defender **Suzy Levett** also left Sunday's match after catching an elbow to the face, but Rainey does not believe the injury is serious. Levett is expected to play this weekend.