

IOWA HAWKEYES



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BASEBALL WEEKLY RELEASE

April 19, 2004

SCHEDULE/RESULTS (10-22, 3-9)

2/27	at Centenary College	W, 11-4
2/28	at Centenary College	L, 3-7
2/28	at Centenary College	L, 8-13
3/6	at SMS	L, 5-8
3/6	at SMS	L, 5-17
3/7	at SMS	L, 2-13
3/13	*Maine	W, 5-3
3/14	*Maine	L, 2-3
3/16	*Stetson	W, 9-7
3/17	*Massachusetts	L, 2-4 (10 inn.)
3/18	*Bucknell	W, 9-3
3/18	*Miami (OH)	L, 5-6
3/19	*Dartmouth	W, 4-3
3/20	*Army	L, 2-6
3/23	Western Illinois	L, 2-4
3/26	^Northern Colorado	L, 0-5
3/27	^Minnesota	L, 7-19
3/28	^Northern Illinois	W, 4-2
4/2	at Michigan State	L, 0-1 (11 inn.)
4/3	at Michigan State	L 4-5 (9 inn.)
4/3	at Michigan State	L, 3-6
4/4	at Michigan State	L, 1-12
4/6	Illinois State	W, 11-10
4/7	Iowa Cubs (Exh.)	L, 2-4
4/9	Michigan	W, 6-5 (13 inn.)
4/10	Michigan	L, 0-6
4/10	Michigan	L, 0-4
4/11	Michigan	L, 1-2
4/14	Northern Iowa	L, 6-8
4/16	at Indiana	W, 7-3
4/17	at Indiana	L, 4-5
4/17	at Indiana	W, 12-7
4/18	at Indiana	L, 9-25
4/20	&Northern Iowa	6:30 p.m.
4/23	at Penn State	2 p.m.
4/24	at Penn State (DH)	12 p.m.
4/25	at Penn State	10 p.m.
4/28	at Northern Iowa	6:30 p.m.
4/30	Northwestern	6 p.m.
5/1	Northwestern (DH)	2 p.m.
5/2	Northwestern	1 p.m.
5/7	at Minnesota	6:30 p.m.
5/8	at Minnesota (DH)	2 p.m.
5/9	at Minnesota	1 p.m.
5/14	Purdue	6 p.m.
5/15	Purdue (DH)	2 p.m.
5/16	Purdue	1 p.m.
5/19	at Illinois State	6 p.m.
5/21	Illinois	6 p.m.
5/22	Illinois (DH)	2 p.m.
5/23	Illinois	1 p.m.
5/26	Big Ten Tournament	
6/4	NCAA Regionals	
6/11	NCAA Super Regionals	
6/18	College World Series	

All times are central.
& at Veterans Memorial Stadium in Cedar Rapids

*PROBABLE LINEUP VS. NORTHERN IOWA

No.	Name	Pos.	B-T	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	GP	AVG.	HR	RBI
5	Andy Lytle	3B	R-R	6-0	185	Jr.	19	.271	0	5
12	Jim Reid	LF	R-R	5-11	180	Sr.	12	.357	0	6
18	Nate Yoho	RF	R-L	5-10	185	Jr.	32	.269	1	23
21	Kris Welker	C	R-R	5-11	200	Jr.	32	.271	1	13
23	Jeff Gremley	SS	R-R	6-0	180	Jr.	31	.262	0	14
8	Luis Andrulonis	1B	R-R	5-11	190	Jr.	17	.260	0	5
3	Gabe Haugland	DH	R-R	6-1	205	Sr.	3	.167	1	2
1	L.J. Mims	CF	R-R	5-11	170	So.	31	.266	0	13
2	Jason White	2B	L-R	6-0	160	Fr.	25	.218	1	8

*PROBABLE STARTER VS. NORTHERN IOWA

No.	Name	Throws	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	W-L	ERA	IP	SO
40	Ryan Dupic	R	6-2	180	#Fr.	1-4	9.00	31.0	18

* Subject to change, no particular order

IOWA AND UNI TO CLASH IN I-380 CORRIDOR CLASSIC -- The Hawkeyes and Panthers will play on Tuesday night in the I-380 Corridor Classic at Veterans Memorial Stadium in Cedar Rapids beginning at 6:30 p.m. Gates open one hour before starting time.

Tickets for the event are available thru the Kernels, Iowa and Northern Iowa Ticket Offices. Costs are \$8 for reserved seating, \$5 for bleacher and lawn seats and \$20 for all you can eat and drink in the patio section.

FIREWORKS TO FOLLOW -- The Iowa and Northern Iowa Spirit Squads will be on hand to entertain fans all night long and following the contest there will be fireworks.

WIN A HARLEY DAVIDSON MOTORCYCLE -- As a promotion for the American Diabetes Association, fans will be given the opportunity to buy raffle tickets to win a Harley Davidson motorcycle.

The "Kiss a Pig/Ride a Hog promotion" will give fans the chance to see local celebrities kiss a pig based on donations. Tickets are \$1 each or a \$5 donation gets you an entry to win the brand new "Hog" that will be given away in the 7th inning.

JOIN COACH DAHM AT FLANNIGAN'S -- Every Monday night from 6-7 p.m. during the Iowa baseball season Iowa Head Coach Jack Dahm will join KXIC's Brent Balbinot for a call-in show at Flannigans Bar & Grill for "Hawk Talk with Jack Dahm".

Fans can attend the show or call-in and talk Hawkeye baseball with Coach Dahm. Can't attend? Listen to the broadcast on the radio at KXIC (AM 800).

FOLLOW IOWA LIVE

ONLINE -- Fans can follow Iowa baseball team live via live stats on www.hawkeyesports.com.

ON THE AIR -- Fans wanting to listen to the live radio broadcast of Iowa baseball games can tune into KXIC (AM 800). Brent Balbinot will handle the play-by-play action for every game and various others will be the color commentators.

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HAWKEYES SPLIT FOUR GAME SERIES WITH HOOSIERS -- The Hawkeyes won the first and third games of the weekend series with Indiana at Sembower Field in Bloomington.

In the opener, Iowa got a superb outing from senior starter Nathan Johnson and came away with a 7-3 victory. Johnson gave up three runs on five hits in the opening two frames, but settled down to dominate the Hoosier batters. The senior struck out a career-high 14 batters and allowed no runs and scattered three hits over the final seven innings.

In the fifth inning, Iowa scored three runs to take a 5-3 lead. Freshman Jason White provided the Hawkeyes with some instant offense as he lifted a two-run shot over the right field fence.

On Saturday, Iowa scored three runs in the top of the seventh inning to take a 4-2 lead. With two runners on base and the Hawkeyes trailing by one run, White hit a sharp single through the middle to tie the game. After an Andy Lytle single, senior Jim Reid came up with the clutch two-out single to give Iowa the 4-2 advantage.

Indiana put together a late inning rally of its own in the bottom of the inning against Iowa closer Tim Gudex. The Hoosiers got three straight hits to start the inning and Ryan Parker hit a game-winning single to right field to drive in the winning run.

The final two contests of the weekend turned into slug fests. The Hawkeyes scored a season-high 12 runs and came away with the 12-7 victory. Kris Welker went 2-for-3 in the game with a solo home run.

With Iowa looking to win its first series of the season, the Hoosier bats awoke and pounded out 22 hits in the 25-9 victory. Indiana smacked seven homeruns on the day, including a grand slam by Reggie Watson.



Jack Dahm enters his first season as Iowa's head baseball coach and has a 283-276 career record. Prior to coming to Iowa, Dahm spent 10 years as the Head Coach at Creighton University, where he is the school's all-time winningest coach. Dahm also played for four years for the Bluejays under current Chicago Cubs General Manager Jim Hendry.

Assistant Coach **Nick Zumsande** is in his first season as Iowa's pitching coach after collecting 14 years of coaching experience throughout the Midwest. Prior to joining the Hawkeyes, Zumsande served as the pitching coach for Indiana State. Before joining the Hawkeyes, Zumsande coached for one year at Iowa State University where he helped lead the team to their first Big 12 Tournament appearance in school history.

Assistant Coach **Ryan Brownlee** is in his first season as Iowa's hitting/fielding instructor and recruiting coordinator. Prior to coming to Iowa, Brownlee was the hitting/fielding coach at James Madison University, where he led the Dukes to school records in fielding percentage. Before going to JMU, Brownlee served as an assistant at his alma mater, Evansville.

Volunteer Assistant Coach **Spencer Allen** is in his first season with the Hawkeyes. Allen will coach first base during game days and is responsible for outfield instruction. Allen earned his B.A. in 2001 from Iowa State, where he was a three-year starter at second base.

HAWKEYES SCORE SEASON-HIGH IN RUNS -- Iowa scored a season-high 12 runs in the second game of the doubleheader last Saturday against Indiana. In the game, the Hawkeyes scored five runs in the third inning and four in the fourth.

The five runs is the most the team has scored in one frame since scoring six runs in one inning against Stetson in Florida. The nine runs is the most the squad has scored in back-to-back innings this season.

SHAKIN' THINGS UP -- For the first time in since March 17, 2002, the regular Hawkeye starting shortstop, Jeff Gremley wasn't in the line-up. In the first two games of the series, freshman Jason White got the nod at short. Gremley had started all but two games in his career.

Andy Lytle, who has hit primarily in the bottom of the order, moved to the lead-off spot all weekend and started two games at second and third base.

WELK'S BAT COMES ALIVE -- Junior Kris Welker was the Hawkeyes' best hitter in the four-game set with Indiana last weekend. Welker, who was a perfect 4-for-4 in the finale, raised his batting average .61 points after batting .600 (9-15) with five RBIs and four runs scored. The catcher had three extra base hits (2 doubles, 1 HR) with a .933 slugging percentage.

IOWA IN THE BIG TEN

Team Statistical Rankings

Team Fielding 8th957, fielding percentage
Team Pitching 9th 6.07, earned run average
Team Batting 9th256, batting average

Individual Statistical Rankings

Hit By Pitch 1st 12, Kris Welker
Saves T1st 4, Tim Gudex
Games Started T1st 9, Nathan Johnson
Assists T2nd 100, Jeff Gremley
Triples T3rd 3, Jeff Gremley, Jesse Brownell
Games Finished T3th 8, Chris Maliszewski, Tim Gudex
Strikeouts 5th 49, Nathan Johnson
B SO Looking T5th 17, Nathan Johnson
Appearance 6th 14, Aaron Reasland
Stolen Bases T6th 9-of-13, Jeff Gremley
Chances 7th 213, Mike Best
Innings 7th 54 2/3, Nathan Johnson
Putouts 8th 195, Mike Best
Fielding % 10th995, Mike Best
Chances 10th 197, Kris Welker

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Welker, who batted in the clean-up slot the final three games, is tied for fifth with a .271 average on the season. He has 13 RBIs, four doubles, one home run and is leading Big Ten with 12 HBP.

REID TAKES ADVANTAGE OF PT -- Fifth-year senior Jim Reid was inserted into the line-up in the fourth inning on Friday night and never relinquished his spot in the order the rest of the weekend.

Reid, who won the Iowa batting title as a sophomore with a .338 average, is leading the team with a .357 average on the season. Reid started the final two games as the DH and finished the weekend going 6-15 (.400). Five of his six hits went for extra bases (three doubles, two triples) and he crossed the plate seven times. The two triples is the most in conference games this season.

HOME RUN TOTAL DOUBLES AT SEMBOWER -- The Hawkeyes entered the weekend series at Sembower Field with four long balls thru 28 games, but the short confines and strong winds helped Iowa hit four home runs in four games.

Jesse Brownell hit his team-leading third home run, while Gabe Haugland, Jason White and Kris Welker each tallied their first career homer in Black and Gold. Haugland's was the first hit of his career.

THE HAWKEYE WORKHORSE -- Senior Nathan Johnson struck out a career-high 14 batters against the Hoosiers after throwing 146 pitches. Johnson allowed three runs, two unearned, on five hits in the first two frames. After settling down, Johnson scattered three hits over the final seven innings to pick up his third win of the season.

Johnson has been the Hawkeyes' most reliable starter this season. He has a 49-11 K/BB ratio in 54 2/3 innings pitched with a respectable 3.95 ERA in nine starts.

IOWA SCHEDULE SUMMARY

Home	2-5
Road	4-11
Neutral	4-6
Day Games	6-18
Night Games	4-4
1-Run Games	3-6
2-Run Games	3-3
5+ Run Games	3-8
Extra Innings	1-3
Monday	0-0
Tuesday	2-1
Wednesday	0-2
Thursday	1-1
Friday	4-2
Saturday	2-11
Sunday	1-5
When Scoring First	7-6
Longest Winning Streak	2
Longest Home Winning Streak	2
Longest Road Winning Streak	1
Longest Neutral Winning Streak	1
Longest Losing Streak	5
Longest Home Losing Streak	4
Longest Road Losing Streak	5
Longest Neutral Losing Streak	2

In conference games, Johnson is second in innings pitched (25 1/3), tied for third in strikeouts (27), fourth in ERA (1.78) and is tied for fifth with seven batters struck out looking. He also is holding opposing hitters to a .229 average.

PANTHERS ENTER WITH 13-18 RECORD -- Northern Iowa dropped two-of-three games to Rockhorst over the weekend after defeating the Hawkeyes last Wednesday (8-6).

On the hill for Northern Iowa will be RHP Kory Kelcher. Kelcher has started five contests and has a 2-3 record with a 5.40 ERA. He has struck out 22 batters and walked 11 batters in 31 2/3 innings.

QUOTING COACH DAHM -- "We took a step in the right direction last weekend against Indiana as we made progress in all phases of the game. We would like to have won three-of-four, but we are satisfied with the split.

I am looking forward to playing Northern Iowa in Cedar Rapids. It is going to be a great event that people from all over Eastern Iowa are going to get excited about in the future years. Hopefully, the contest will get us ready for the Big Ten series this weekend at Penn State."

STANDINGS

<u>Team</u>	<u>Conference</u>	<u>Overall</u>		
1. Ohio State ..	8-4 .....	.667	17-14 .....	.548
2. Michigan	7-5 .....	.583	18-14 .....	.563
Minnesota ..	7-5 .....	.583	18-14 .....	.563
Penn St.	7-5 .....	.583	18-14 .....	.563
Mich. St.	7-5 .....	.583	18-15 .....	.545
6. Purdue	6-6 .....	.500	15-17 .....	.469
7. Indiana	5-7 .....	.417	21-14 .....	.600
N ^w estern ..	5-7417	15-16-1482
Illinois	5-7417	12-19385
10. IOWA	3-9250	10-22313

* As of 4/19/04

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2004 Hawkeye Starters

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>1B</u>	<u>2B</u>	<u>3B</u>	<u>SS</u>	<u>LF</u>	<u>CF</u>	<u>RF</u>	<u>DH</u>
Centenary	Johnson	Welker	Best	White	Sunderman	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Cox
Centenary	Seward	Welker	Cox	Lytle	Sunderman	Gremley	Mogard	Mims	Yoho	Brownell
Centenary	Dupic	Bitting	Best	White	Sunderman	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Haugland
SMS	Johnson	Welker	Best	White	Sunderman	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Cox
SMS	Seward	Bitting	Cox	White	Sunderman	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
SMS	Dupic	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Maine	Johnson	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Maine	Seward	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Stetson	Dupic	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
UMASS	Hansen	Bitting	Best	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Reid	Mims	Yoho	Sunderman
Bucknell	Johnson	Welker	Best	Lytle	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Miami (OH)	Brune	Bitting	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Dartmouth	Seward	Welker	Best	Lytle	Sunderman	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Andrulonis
Army	O'Rourke	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Andrulonis
W. Illinois	Johnson	Welker	Best	Lytle	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Andrulonis
N. Colorado	Seward	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Sunderman
Minnesota	Johnson	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
N. Illinois	Dupic	Welker	Best	Lytle	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Mich. St.	Johnson	Welker	Best	White	Cox	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Mich. St.	Seward	Welker	Cox	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Sunderman
Mich. St.	Dupic	Bitting	Best	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Welker
Mich. St.	Hansen	Welker	Cox	White	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Sunderman
Illinois St.	O'Rourke	Welker	Grandfield	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Petty
Iowa Cubs	Seward	Welker	Best	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Petty
Michigan	Johnson	Welker	Best	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Grandfield
Michigan	Seward	Welker	Grandfield	White	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Petty
Michigan	Dupic	Bitting	Cox	Lytle	Sunderman	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Wooldrik
Michigan	Hansen	Welker	Best	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Grandfield
UNI	O'Rourke	Welker	Best	Lytle	Andrulonis	Gremley	Reid	Brownell	Yoho	Sunderman
Indiana	Johnson	Welker	Cox	Lytle	Andrulonis	White	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Grandfield
Indiana	Seward	Welker	Cox	Lytle	Andrulonis	White	Reid	Mims	Yoho	Mogard
Indiana	Dupic	Welker	Cox	White	Lytle	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Reid
Indiana	Hansen	Welker	Cox	White	Lytle	Gremley	Brownell	Mims	Yoho	Reid

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Iowa Game-By-Game Batting Order

Opponent	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Centenary	Mims	Gremlay	Yoho	Brownell	Cox	Welker	Best	Sunderman	White
Centenary	Mims	Gremlay	Yoho	Brownell	Cox	Welker	Sunderman	Mogard	Lytle
Centenary	Mims	Gremlay	Brownell	Sunderman	Yoho	Haugland	Best	Bitting	White
SMS	Mims	Gremlay	Yoho	Brownell	Cox	Sunderman	Welker	Best	White
SMS	Mims	Gremlay	Yoho	Brownell	Cox	Sunderman	Mogard	Bitting	White
SMS	Mims	Gremlay	Brownell	Yoho	Welker	Cox	Best	Mogard	White
Maine	Gremlay	Mims	Brownell	Cox	Welker	Best	Yoho	Mogard	White
Maine	Gremlay	Mims	Brownell	Cox	Welker	Best	Yoho	Mogard	White
Stetson	Gremlay	Welker	Brownell	Best	Yoho	Cox	Sunderman	Mims	White
UMASS	Gremlay	Mims	Yoho	Best	Sunderman	Andrulonis	Bitting	Reid	Lytle
Bucknell	Gremlay	Welker	Yoho	Best	Brownell	Cox	Mogard	Lytle	Mims
Miami (OH)	Gremlay	Mims	Yoho	Best	Brownell	Cox	Mogard	Bitting	White
Dartmouth	Gremlay	Welker	Yoho	Best	Brownell	Sunderman	Andrulonis	Lytle	Mims
Army	Gremlay	Welker	Yoho	Best	Brownell	Cox	Andrulonis	Mims	White
W. Illinois	Gremlay	Welker	Brownell	Best	Yoho	Andrulonis	Cox	Lytle	Mims
N. Colorado	Gremlay	Welker	Brownell	Best	Yoho	Sunderman	Cox	Mims	White
Minnesota	Gremlay	Welker	Brownell	Best	Yoho	Cox	Mogard	Mims	White
N. Illinois	Gremlay	Welker	Brownell	Best	Yoho	Mogard	Cox	Lytle	Mims
Mich. St.	Gremlay	Welker	Yoho	Brownell	Cox	Mogard	Best	Mims	White
Mich. St.	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Cox	Sunderman	Andrulonis	Lytle
Mich. St.	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Best	Andrulonis	Bitting	Lytle
Mich. St.	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Andrulonis	Sunderman	Cox	White
Illinois St.	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Andrulonis	Grandfield	Petty	Lytle
Iowa Cubs	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Andrulonis	Best	Petty	Lytle
Michigan	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Andrulonis	Best	Grandfield	Lytle
Michigan	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Andrulonis	Grandfield	Petty	White
Michigan	Gremlay	Mims	Brownell	Yoho	Sunderman	Cox	Wooldrik	Bitting	Lytle
Michigan	Gremlay	Mims	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Andrulonis	Best	Granfield	Lytle
UNI	Gremlay	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Best	Andrulonis	Sunderman	Reid	Lytle
Indiana	Lytle	Welker	Brownell	Yoho	Andrulonis	Cox	Grandfield	Mims	White
Indiana	Lytle	Reid	Yoho	Welker	Andrulonis	Mogard	Cox	Mims	White
Indiana	Lytle	Reid	Yoho	Welker	Gremlay	Brownell	Cox	Mims	White
Indiana	Lytle	Reid	Yoho	Welker	Gremlay	Brownell	Cox	Mims	White