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HAWKEYE MEN'S GOLF

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Big Four Match Play Championship

Lone Tree Golf Club

Chandler, Ariz.

Feb. 16



2012-13 SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Fall Season

Sept. 9-10	Golden Gopher Invite	Spring Hill Golf Club	10th/15 teams
Sept. 16-19	GolfWeek Conference Challenge	Spirit Hollow Golf Course	4th/15 teams
Oct. 13-14	Rod Myers Invitational	Duke University Golf Club	5th/11 teams
Oct. 15-16	Earl Yestingsmeier Invitational	Delaware Country Club	NR
Oct. 19-21	U.S. Collegiate Invitational	The Golf Club of Georgia	15th/15 teams
Oct. 29-30	Royal Oaks Intercollegiate	Royal Oaks Country Club	T5th/14 teams

Spring Season

Feb. 8-9	Big Ten Match Play Championships	The Concession Golf Club	3rd/12 teams (2-1)
Feb. 16	Big Four Championships	Lone Tree Golf Club	Chandler, Ariz.
March 24	Spring Break Match		Scottsdale, Ariz.
March 28-30	U.S. Intercollegiate	Stanford Golf Club	Palo Alto, Calif.
April 13-14	Hawkeye-Great River Entertainment Invite	Finkbine Golf Course	Iowa City, Iowa
April 20-21	Boilermaker Invitational	Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex	West Lafayette, Ind.
April 26-28	Big Ten Championships	French Lick Resort	French Lick, Ind.
May 16-18	NCAA Regionals	TBA	TBA
May 28-June 2	NCAA Championships	Crabapple Course	Atlanta, Ga.

THIS WEEK

The University of Iowa men's golf team returns to action this weekend in a battle for in-state bragging rights, competing at the Big Four Match Play Championships. The Hawkeyes will face Iowa State, Northern Iowa and Drake at the Lone Tree Golf Club in Chandler, Ariz., on Saturday.

FORMAT

The annual competition, which is an exhibition event, pits the state's four major programs in a six-on-six medal-match competition. Iowa will meet Drake in the morning round before meeting either Iowa State or Northern Iowa in the afternoon.

THE FIELD

Iowa is the highest ranked team in the field, checking in at 50th in the Golfstat.com NCAA Head-to-Head Rankings. The Cyclones rank 92nd, while Northern Iowa (215) and Drake (251) currently sit outside the top-100. The Hawkeyes are also ranked 56th in the Golfweek/Sagarin Rankings.

Iowa Hawkeye
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HAWKEYE MEN'S GOLF NOTES

TOP INDIVIDUALS

Two competitors in the field are ranked in the top-100 of the Golfweek/Sagarin Individual Rankings, led by Iowa State sophomore Scott Fernandez. Fernandez is ranked 11th. Iowa's Steven Ihm has climbed to the No. 95 spot.

THE COURSE

The Lone Tree Golf Club plays as a 6,984 yard par-71 from the tips. The course was designed by architect Darryl Wilson of the CMX Group and opened in January of 2001. This semi-private, traditional-style course features five holes with water and one with an island green. The course's main feature is its 573-yard, par-five 18th hole.

LAST TIME OUT

The Hawkeyes earned a third place finish at the Big Ten Match Play Championships last week, closing with a 2-1 record and a 9-5-1 record in individual matches.

Third-seeded Iowa received a bye in the first round and defeated Purdue, 4-1, in the quarterfinals. Ihm, Ian Vandersee, Brian Bullington and Nate Yankovich won their matches. Iowa fell, 3-2, to Michigan State in the semifinals despite victories from Joseph Winslow and Nate Yankovich. Iowa rebounded in the third-place match with a 3.5-1.5 win against Ohio State. Winslow, Vandersee and Bullington won their matches, while Ihm halved his.

Winslow, Vandersee, Bullington and Yankovich each had a 2-1 record, while Ihm finished 1-1-1.

YANKOVICH DELIVERS

Freshman Nate Yankovich was inserted into the No. 5 position in the Big Ten Match Play Championships, and the Blacklick, Ohio, native didn't disappoint.

Yankovich picked up two of Iowa's most decisive victories. He defeated Ben-Marven Egel, 3&1, to help Iowa reach the semifinals. He also defeated Michigan State's Garreth Blease, 7&5. Yankovich finished with a 2-1 record at the event.

VANDERSEE CLOSES FALL WITH TITLE

Sophomore Ian Vandersee provided fireworks for Iowa in the final fall event, winning the individual title at the Royal Oaks Intercollegiate. Vandersee shot a seven-under, 206, which is tied for the lowest three-round score in program history. His opening round 65 (-6) is tied for the third lowest 18-hole score in program history. Vandersee became the 50th Hawkeye

to win medalist honors, and was named Big Ten Golfer of the Week for his efforts.

IHM LEADING THE WAY

Junior Steven Ihm recorded nine rounds at or below par and had two top-10 finishes in the fall, both of which were team highs. Ihm placed second at the Golfweek Conference Challenge (209/-7) and fifth at the Rod Myers Invitational (216/E). The Peosta, Iowa, native carded his best round of the season in the opening round at Spirit Hollow Golf Course, a four-under par, 68. Ihm is currently ranked 96th in the Golfweek/Sagarin individual rankings.

2012 BIG FOUR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Iowa claimed the team title at the 2012 Big Four Match Play Championships. Iowa opened with a 5-1 victory over Drake, and closed with a 3-3 (413-419) win against Iowa State. Ihm, Vandersee and Winslow competed at the event last year. Ihm went 2-0.

STRENGTH OF SCHEDULE

The Hawkeyes have the 19th-ranked strength of schedule in the nation, according to Golfweek.com.

GETTING EXPERIENCE

Every player on the roster has seen action in at least one tournament this season. Four players played all 15 rounds (Ihm, Vandersee, Bullington, Marks), while Winslow played 12. Freshman Landon Kowalski made his collegiate debut at the season-opening Golden Gopher Invitational. Each freshman (Kowalski, Aussarassakorn, Yankovich) competed individually at the Earl Yestingsmeier Invitational in Ball State as well.

A PROGRAM ON THE RISE

Under head coach Mark Hankins, the Hawkeyes are a program heading in the right direction. Iowa has advanced to NCAA postseason play in four consecutive seasons. The Hawkeyes have also reached the NCAA Championships three of the past four seasons, and are one of just 22 teams in the nation to do so. Iowa has won eight tournaments since 2008, had six individual medalists since 2009 and has had three All-Americans since 2008.

HEAD COACH MARK HANKINS

Head coach Mark Hankins enters his sixth season as head coach. Under

PROJECTED LINEUP

**Based on last week's lineup*

No.	Player.....	Year
1	Steven Ihm.....	Jr.
2	Joseph Winslow.....	So.
3	Ian Vandersee.....	So.
4	Brian Bullington.....	So.
5	Nate Yankovich.....	Fr.
6	Ryan Marks.....	Jr.

QUICK FACTS

Head Coach	Mark Hankins
Alma Mater/Yr.....	Iowa State, 1993
Asst. Coach.....	Dan Holterhaus
Alma Mater/Yr.....	Iowa, 2007
Letterwinners return/lost	4/3
Newcomers.....	3
2012 NCAA Championships	22nd
Location	Iowa City, Iowa
Founded	1847
Enrollment.....	31,328
President.....	Sally Mason
Director of Athletics.....	Gary Barta
Golf Administrator	Mary Curtis
School Colors	Black and Gold
Nickname	Hawkeyes
Home Course	Finkbine
Conference	Big Ten

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Hankins' guidance, Iowa has advanced to NCAA postseason competition the past four seasons. The Hawkeyes have advanced to three NCAA Championships in the past four years, and is one of just 22 teams in the nation to do so. Iowa was ranked 155th when Hankins took over the program in 2008, yet the Hawkeyes have been consistently ranked within the top-30 for the past three years. Hankins is a native of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, and a graduate of Iowa State.

LOOKING FORWARD

The Hawkeyes will take a month off before competing in their Spring Break Match in Scottsdale, Ariz., on March 24. Iowa begins its competition spring season four days after the event with the U.S. Intercollegiate in Palo Alto, Calif.

**Iowa Hawkeye
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2012-13 Iowa Men's Golf Results

2012-13 Stroke Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rds.</u>	<u>Strokes</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>Low</u>	<u>Top-10's</u>	<u>Top-20's</u>	<u>Rds. At Or Below Par</u>
V. Aussarassakorn	3	223	74.33	73	---	---	---
Brian Bullington	15	1,128	75.2	69	---	---	1
Steven Ihm	15	1,095	73	68	2	2	7
Landon Kowalski	6	465	77.5	72	---	---	1
Ryan Marks	15	1,150	76.66	70	---	---	1
Ian Vandersee	15	1,119	74.6	65	1	2	5
Joseph Winslow	12	887	73.91	68	---	3	5
Nate Yankovich	3	215	71.66	68	1	---	1
TEAM	15	4,435	295.66	277			

2012-13 Schedule

FALL SCHEDULE

Date	Tournament	Location	Team Finish	Top Individual Finish
Sept. 9-10	Golden Gopher Invitational	Minneapolis, Minn.	T10th/15 teams	Ihm (T29th)
Sept. 16-18	Golfweek Conference Challenge	Burlington, Iowa	4th/15 teams	Ihm (T2nd)
Oct. 13-14	Rod Myers Invitational	Durham, N.C.	5th/11 teams	Ihm (T10th)
Oct. 19-21	U.S. Collegiate Championship	Atlanta, Ga	15th/15 teams	Ihm (T28th)
Oct. 29-30	Baylor Intercollegiate	Dallas, Texas	5th/14 teams	Vandersee (T1st)

SPRING SCHEDULE

Date	Tournament	Location	Team Finish	Top Individual Finish
Feb. 8-9	Big Ten Match Play Championships	Bradenton, Fla.	3rd/12 teams	Four players (2-1)
Feb. 16	Big Four Championships	Chandler, Ariz.		
March 24	Spring Break Match	Scottsdale, Ariz.		
March 28-30	U.S. Intercollegiate	Palo Alto, Calif.		
Apr. 13-14	Hawkeye-GRE Invitational	Iowa City, Iowa		
Apr. 20-21	Boilermaker Invitational	West Lafayette, Ind.		
Apr. 26-28	Big Ten Championships	French Lick, Ind.		
May 16-18	NCAA Regionals	TBA		
May 28-June 2	NCAA Championships	Atlanta, Ga.		



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results

2012 Fall Tournament Results

Golden Gopher Invitational

September 9-10 -- Minneapolis, MN
Spring Hill Golf Club (Par 72, 7,020 yards)

T10th - Iowa - 303, 298, 321 - 922 (+58)

T29. Steven Ihm (2) 78, 74, 77 - 229 (+13)

T32. Ian Vandersee (1) 75, 74, 81 - 230 (+14)

T52. Brian Bullington (3) 78, 75, 82 - 235 (+19)

T52. Ryan Marks (5) 79, 75, 81 - 235 (+19)

T61. Landon Kowalksi (4) 72, 79, 88 - 239 (+23)

Golfweek Conference Challenge

September 16-18 -- Burlington, IA
Spirit Hollow Golf Course (Par 72, 7,360 yards)

4th - Iowa - 292, 291, 294 - 877 (+13)

T2. Steven Ihm (1) 68, 71, 70 - 209 (-7)

T15. Joseph Winslow (5) 76, 71, 73 - 220 (+4)

T31. Ryan Marks (4) 77, 73, 75 - 225 (+9)

T37. Brian Bullington (3) 74, 76, 76 - 226 (+10)

46. Ian Vandersee (2) 74, 76, 78 - 228 (+12)

Rod Myers Invitational

Oct. 13-14 -- Durham, N.C.
Duke University Golf Club (Par 72, 7,154 yards)

5th - Iowa - 288, 295, 290 -- 873 (+7)

T10. Steven Ihm (1) 71, 74, 71 -- 216 (E)

T18. Joseph Winslow (2) 71, 76, 71 -- 218 (+2)

T20. Ian Vandersee (3) 72, 71, 76 -- 219 (+3)

T35. Brian Bullington (5) 74, 74, 75 -- 223 (+7)

50. Ryan Marks (4) 79, 77, 73 -- 229 (+13)

Earl Yestingsmeier Invitational

Oct. 15-16 -- Muncie, Ind.

Deleware Country Club (Par 70, 7,154 yards)

T8. Nate Yankovich 71, 76, 68 -- 215 (+5)

22. Aussarassakorn 76, 74, 73 -- 223 (+13)

26.. Landon Kowalski 73, 76, 77 -- 226 (+16)

U.S. Collegiate Championship

Oct. 19-21 -- Alpharetta, Ga.

Lakeside Course at the Golf Club of Georgia (Par 72, 7,017 yards)

15th - Iowa - 403, 303, 305 -- 912 (+48)

T28. Steven Ihm (1) 69, 75, 78 -- 222 (+6)

T34. Brian Bullington (4) 74, 73, 76 -- 223 (+7)

T71. Ian Vandersee (3) 80, 78, 78 -- 236 (+20)

T71. Ryan Marks (5) 81, 77, 73 -- 236 (+20)

T74. Joseph Winslow (2) 81, 78, 78 -- 237 (+21)

Rod Oaks Intercollegiate

Oct. 29-30 -- Dallas, Texas

Royal Oaks Country Club (Par 71, 7,068 yards)

5th - Iowa - 283, 277, 291 -- 851 (-1)

T1. Ian Vandersee (4) 65, 70, 71 -- 206 (-7)

T16. Joseph Winslow (2) 71, 68, 73 -- 212 (-1)

T51. Steven Ihm (1) 77, 70, 72 -- 219 (+6)

T59. Brian Bullington (3) 77, 69, 75 -- 221 (+8)

T74. Ryan Marks (5) 70, 78, 77 -- 225 (+12)



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results

2013 Spring Results

Big Ten Match Play Championships

Feb. 8-9 -- Bradenton, Fla.

The Concession Golf Club (Par 72, 7,474 yards)

3rd - Iowa - 2-1 record

W vs. Purdue, 4-1

L vs. Michigan State, 3-2

W vs. Ohio State, 3.5-1.5

Big Four Championships

Feb. 16 -- Chandler, Ariz.

Spring Break Match

March 24 -- Scottsdale, Ariz.

U.S. Intercollegiate

March 28-30 -- Palo Alto, Calif.

Hawkeye-GRE Invitational

April 13-14 -- Iowa City, Iowa

Boilermaker Invitational

April 20-21 -- West Lafayette, Ind.

Big Ten Championships

April 26-28 -- French Lick, Ind.



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Voramate Aussarassakorn
Freshman
Bangkok, Thailand
Ramkhamhaeng Advent International School



Brian Bullington
Sophomore
Frankfort, Ill.
Lincoln-Way East

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Yestingsmeier Invite	223	+13	22

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Golden Gopher Invite	235	+19	T52
Golfweek Challenge	226	+10	T37
Rod Myers Invite	223	+7	T35
USCC	223	+7	T34
Royal Oaks	221	+8	T59

Match Play Results

Match Play Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Record</u>
Big Ten Match Play Championships	2-1

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 73, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 223, Yestingsmier Invite - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score:
Best Season Finish: 22, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 69, Royal Oaks Invite - Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 221, Royal Oaks Invite - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Season Finish: T34th, USCC - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 73, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 223, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score:
Best Finish: 22, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 69 - Royal Oaks Invite - 2012 Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 219, Hawkeye GRE Invitational - 2012 Spring
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Finish: T21 - Hawkeye GRE Invitational - 2012 Spring



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Steven Ihm

Junior
Peosta, Iowa
Indian Hills CC



Landon Kowalski

Freshman
Buffalo Grove, Ill.
Stevenson

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Golden Gopher Invite	229	+13	T29
Golfweek Challenge	209	-7	T2
Rod Myers Invite	216	E	T10
USCC	222	+6	T28
Royal Oaks	219	+6	T51

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Golden Gopher Invite	239	+23	T61
Yestingsmeier	226	+16	26

Match Play Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Record</u>
Big Ten Match Play Championships	1-1-1

Match Play Results

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 68, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 209, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Season Finish: T2, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 72, Golden Gopher Invite - Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 226, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Season Finish: 26th, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 67, LSU Invite - 2012 Spring
Low 54-Hole Score: 209, Golfweek Conference Challenge - 2012 Fall
Low 72-Hole Score: 308, Big Ten Championships - 2012 Spring
Best Finish: 2, Rod Myers Invitational/Golfweek Challenge

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 72, Golden Gopher Invite - Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 226, Yestingsmeier Invite - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score:
Best Finish: 26th, Yestingsmeier Invite, Fall



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Ryan Marks
Junior
Warrensburg, Mo.
Warrensburg



Ian Vandersee
Sophomore
West Des Moines, Iowa
Valley

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Golden Gopher Invite	235	+19	T52
Golfweek Challenge	225	+9	T31
Rod Myers Invite	229	+13	50
USCC	236	+20	T71
Royal Oaks	225	+12	T74

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Golden Gopher Invite	230	+14	T32
Golfweek Challenge	228	+12	46
Rod Myers Invite	219	+3	T20
USCC	236	+20	T71
Royal Oaks	206	-7	T1

Match Play Results

Match Play Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Record</u>
Big Ten Match Play Championships	2-1

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 70
 Low 54-Hole Score: 225, Golfweek Challenge, Royal Oaks
 Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
 Best Season Finish: T31, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 65, Royal Oaks Invite - Fall
 Low 54-Hole Score: 206, Royal Oaks Invite - Fall
 Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
 Best Season Finish: T1, Royal Oaks Invite - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 70, 2x
 Low 54-Hole Score: 224, Hawkeye GRE Invite - 2012 Spring
 Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
 Best Finish: T26, Hawkeye Invite - 2010 Spring

Career Bests

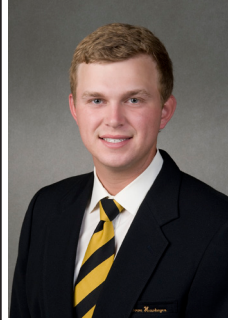
Low 18-Hole Score: 65, Royal Oaks Invite - 2012 Fall
 Low 54-Hole Score: 206, Royal Oaks Invite - 2012 Fall
 Low 72-Hole Score: 313, Big Ten Championships - 2012 Spring
 Best Finish: T1, Royal Oaks Invite - 2012 Fall



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Joseph Winslow
Sophomore
Overland Park, Kan.
St. Thomas Aquinas



Nate Yankovich
Freshman
Blacklick, Ohio
St. Charles Preparatory

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Golfweek Challenge	220	+4	T15
Rod Myers Invite	218	+2	T18
USCC	237	+21	T74
Royal Oaks	212	-1	T16

Tournament Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>To Par</u>	<u>Place</u>
Yestingsmeier Invite	215	+5	T8

Match Play Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Record</u>
Big Ten Match Play Championships	2-1

Match Play Results

<u>Event</u>	<u>Record</u>
Big Ten Match Play Championships	2-1

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 68, Royal Oaks Invite - Fall
 Low 54-Hole Score: 212, Royal Oaks Invite - Fall
 Low 72-Hole Score:
 Best Season Finish: T15, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 68, Yestingsmeier Invite
 Low 54-Hole Score: 215, Yestingsmeier Invite
 Low 72-Hole Score:
 Best Season Finish: T8th, Yestingsmeier Invite

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 68, Royal Oaks Invite - 2012 Fall
 Low 54-Hole Score: 212, Royal Oaks Invite - 2012 Fall
 Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
 Best Finish: 10, Hawkeye GRE Invite - 2012 Spring

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score:
 Low 54-Hole Score:
 Low 72-Hole Score:
 Best Finish: