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**IOWA WOMEN'S GOLF**

**HAWKEYES IN EIGHTH AFTER DAY ONE OF BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**COLUMBUS, OH** – The University of Iowa women's golf team shot a two-round total of 623 to finish the first day of the Big Ten Championships in eighth. All six Hawkeyes competing finished the day in the top 50 individually. The host Ohio State is currently in first with a score of 600.

Leading the way for the Hawkeyes after the first round was junior **Liz Bennett**. Bennett fired a 36-hole total of 151, which ties her for sixth. Senior **Laura Holmes** carded a 154, which ties her for 16<sup>th</sup>. Junior **Shannon Fleming** shot a 178 to tie for 29<sup>th</sup>. Freshman **Amy Riepma** tied for 35<sup>th</sup> after carding a score of 162. Senior **Jennifer Reints** shot a two-round total of 163 to finish the day in a tie for 46<sup>th</sup>. Freshman **Virginie Bonfils** is tied for 50<sup>th</sup> with an 82. Individually the tournament is being led by Ohio State's Allison Hannah and Wisconsin's Malinda Johnson. Both shot opening day rounds of 145.

Iowa will continue competition tomorrow with an 8 a.m. start. You can follow the Hawkeyes with live scoring throughout the tournament on [www.hawkeyesports.com](http://www.hawkeyesports.com).

**Day One Team Results -- (Par 72)**

1.	Ohio State	301-299=600
2.	Indiana	308-297=605
3.	Purdue	305-310=615
4.	Michigan	312-305=617
5.	Wisconsin	306-305=611
6.	Northwestern	313-305=618
7.	Michigan State	304-317=621
<b>8.</b>	<b>IOWA</b>	<b>311-312=623</b>
9.	Illinois	312-313=325
10.	Penn State	313-319=632
11.	Minnesota	327-317=644

**Day One Individual Results (Top Two, Plus Iowa)**

T1.	Allison Hannah (Ohio State)	72-73=145
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<b>T6.</b>	<b>Liz Bennett (IOWA)</b>	<b>75-76=151</b>
<b>T16.</b>	<b>Laura Holmes (IOWA)</b>	<b>75-79=154</b>
<b>T24.</b>	<b>Shannon Fleming (IOWA)</b>	<b>80-78=158</b>
<b>T35.</b>	<b>Amy Riepma (IOWA)</b>	<b>81-81=162</b>
<b>T46.</b>	<b>Jennifer Reints (IOWA)</b>	<b>81-82=163</b>
<b>T50.</b>	<b>Virginie Bonfils (IOWA)</b>	<b>82-82=164</b>

