TOWA HAWKEYES

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WOMEN'S GOLF WEEKLY RELEASE

APRIL 6, 2016

2015-16 SCHEDULE

DATE	TOURNAMENT START TIN	ME/RESULTS
Sept. 12	Diane Thomason Invitational	1st/12
Sept. 13	Diane Thomason Invitational	1st/12
Sept. 28	8th Annual Johnie Imes Invite	3rd/18
Sept. 29	8th Annual Johnie Imes Invite	3rd/18
0ct. 5	NM State Aggie Invitational	11th/14
0ct. 6	NM State Aggie Invitational	7th/14
0ct. 7	NM State Aggie Invitational	4th/14
Oct. 12	Pinehurst Challenge	2nd/19
Oct. 13	Pinehurst Challenge	4th/19
Feb. 21	Westbrook Spring Invite	10th/15
Feb. 22	Westbrook Spring Invite	9th/15
Feb.28	Edwin Watts Kiawah Island Classic	9th/41
Feb.29	Edwin Watts Kiawah Island Classic	9th/41
March 1	Edwin Watts Kiawah Island Classic	10th/41
March 14	Entrada Classic	2nd/14
March 15	Entrada Classic	2nd/14
April 8	Texas Tech Red Raider Invite	9 a.m. (CT)
April 9	Texas Tech Red Raider Invite	9 a.m. (CT)
April 16	Lady Buckeye Invitational	TBD
April 17	Lady Buckeye Invitational	TBD
April 22-24	Big Ten Championship	TBD
May 5-7	NCAA Regional	TBD
May 20-25	NCAA National Championship	TBD
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2015-16 ROSTER

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	Name	Year	Hometown
	Kristin Glesne	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas
	Amy Ihm	Sr.	Peosta, Iowa
	Jessica Ip	So.	Richmond Hill, Canada
	Anna Kim	So.	Tulsa, Okla.
	Morgan Kukla	So.	Winthrop Harbor, III.
	Briana Midkiff	Sr.	Carmel, Ind.
	Monika Poomcharoen	Fr.	Temecula, Cali.
	Jessie Sindlinger	Jr.	Charles City, Iowa
	Elisa Suarez	So.	Oviedo, Spain
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STAFF

Megan Menzel	Head Coach	(5th Year)
Michael Roters	Assistant Coach	(1st Year)
Kirby Dreher	Volunteer Assistant	(1st Year)
Lindsay Dinkelman	Strength & Conditioning	(2nd Year)
Jennie Sertterh	Athletic Trainer	(15th Year)

THIS WEEK

The University of Iowa women's golf team travels to Lubbock, Texas, for the Texas Tech Red Raider Invitational from April 8-9.

THE SCHEDULE

- Friday, April 8 -- First and Second Rounds -- 9 a.m. (CT) shotgun start
- Saturday, April 9 -- Final Round -- Tee times starting at 9 a.m. (CT)

FOLLOW ALONG

Live scoring will be available throughout the tournament on <u>Golfstat.com</u>. Links can be found on the lowa women's golf schedule page at <u>hawkeyesports.com</u>.

THE COMPETITION

The field includes 14 teams: Iowa, Texas Tech (host), BYU, Cal Poly, Colorado State, Kansas, Kansas State, New Mexico, New Mexico State, North Texas, Purdue, SMU, Texas State, and Tulsa.

LINEUP

At the top of the lineup in the number one spot for the Texas Tech Red Raider Invitational will be senior Amy Ihm, followed by sophomore Elisa Suarez, and freshman Monika Poomcharoen. Junior Jessie Sindlinger and sophomore Jessica Ip round out the Hawkeye lineup.

THE COURSE

- The Rawls Golf Course -- Par 71 -- 6,541 yards
- The course is known for its undulating fairways, beautiful bent grass greens, and many deep hunkers
- The Rawls Course at Texas Tech was designed by golf course architect Tom Doak.

OUICK STRIKES

- Senior Amy Ihm earned Big Ten Golfer of the Week honors the second time this season for her performance at the Entrada Classic on March 14-15.
- Junior Jessie Sindlinger fired a career best 54-hole score of 216 (E) at the Westbrook Spring Invitational on Feb. 22.
- Senior Amy Ihm earned Big Ten Golfer of the Week honors for her performance at the Johnie Imes Invitational on Sept. 28-29.
- lowa's even par 864 team score at the Johnie Imes Invite on Sept. 29 broke the 54-hole program record of 879 -- previously set at the Westbrook Spring Invitational in 2012 -- by 15 strokes.
- Ihm's 138 (-6; 68, 70) two-round score at the Johnie Imes Invite on Sept. 29 -- a career bestalso tied the program record for individual performance for 36 holes previously set by Kristi Cardwell in 2012.

LAST TIME OUT

The Hawkeyes took second in a 14-team field at the Entrada Classic on March 15. The Hawkeyes posted a 286 on the final 18 holes at Snow Canyon Golf Course to finish with a 54-hole team score of 911 (+47; 299, 306, 306).

Ihm led the way for the Hawkeyes throughout the two-day tournament, tying for fourth place overall. The senior carded a 73 (+1) on the final 18 holes to finish with a total of 221 (+5). She made par on 12 holes and added birdies on holes one, eight, and 18 in the final round.





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Name	Place	To Par	Total
Amy Ihm	T-4	+5	221
Jessie Sindlinger	T-17	+15	231
Elisa Suarez	T-17	+15	231
Jessica Ip	T-23	+17	233
Kristin Glesne	T-53	+28	244

FOLLOW THE HAWKEYES

Web Address: <u>hawkeyesports.com</u> (check the schedule page for live stat links)

Facebook: facebook.com/iowawomensgolf

Twitter: @lowaWomensGolf

Live Scoring: Golfstat.com

THE RAWLS COURSE

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HOLE	YARDS	PAR
1	336	4
2	492	5
3	132	3
4	353	4
5	407	4
6	170	3
7	335	4
8	410	4
9	507	5
OUT	3142	36
10	160	3
11	342	4
12	378	4
13	398	4
14	412	4
15	410	4
16	185	3
17	582	5
18	532	5
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TOTAL	6541	72

HAWKEYES IN THE TOP 10

- The Hawkeyes have had a total of nine individual top-10 finishes in seven tournaments this season.
- Four Hawkeyes -- Jessica Ip (1st), Jessie Sindlinger (4th), Amy Ihm (T-6th) and Anna Kim (T-10th) -- notched top-10 finishes at the Diane Thomason Invitational on Sept. 13.
- Ihm (T-8th) and Elisa Suarez (T-8th) finished in the top-10 at the Johnie Imes Invite on Sept. 29.
- Ihm (7th) and Sindlinger (T-8th) collected top-10 finishes at the New Mexico State Aggie Invitational on Oct. 7.
- Ihm tied for fourth at the Entrada Classic March 14-15.

IHM TABS 2ND BIG GOLFER OF THE WEEK HONOR

Senior Amy Ihm was named Big Ten Golfer of the Week on March 16 for her efforts at the Entrada Classic. It is the second honor of her career and her second honor this season.

Ihm led the Hawkeyes at the Entrada Classic, carding a 73 (+1) on the final 18 holes to finish with a total of 221 (+5). The Peosta, lowa, native shot an impressive 42 holes at or below par over the course of the tournament and led the 14-team field in birdies (10).

IP MAKES HISTORY

- •Sophomore Jessica Ip claimed the first medalist honor of her career at the Diane Thomason Invitational on Sept. 13 after firing a four-under par 212 (70, 69, 73).
- Ip finished 10 shots in front of runners-up Andrea Slane and Michelle Xie.
- The individual title was lowa's first since Feb. 14, 2008 when Tyrette Metzendorf won the Baja Invitational after carding a three-round total of 224 (74, 71, 79).
- lp's three-round total broke lowa's program record of 213 for individual 54-hole performance previously set by Kristi Cardwell in 2012.

IHM NAMED BIG GOLFER OF THE WEEK

Senior Amy Ihm earned Big Ten Golfer of the Week honors for her performance at the Johnie Imes Invitational on Sept. 28-29. It was the first honor of her career.

The Peosta, Iowa, native was the first Hawkeye to earn the weekly conference honor since Lauren English on April 3, 2013. Ihm fired a career-best, 54-hole score of 213 (-3) to tie for eighth at the Johnie Imes Invitational.

A TITLE TO START

The Hawkeyes claimed the team title at the Diane Thomason Invitational on Sept. 12-13, carding a 54-hole total of 888 (298-300-290).

The team title is the first for the program since April 11, 2012 when the Hawkeyes posted an 884 to win the Wyoming Cowgirl Classic. Four Hawkeyes -- Ip, Sindlinger, Ihm and Kimnotched top-10 finishes.





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3 NAMED TO BIG WATCH LIST

Three members of the University of Iowa women's golf team -- senior Amy Ihm, junior Jessie Sindlinger and sophomore Jessica Ip-- were named to the 2015-16 Big Ten Women's Golfers to Watch List.

- Ihm competed in all six spring competitions, tallying a 76.7 scoring average -- the third best average on the team.
- Sindlinger competed in all six competitions in the spring, registered a 76.5 scoring average -- the second best scoring average on the team.
- Ip impressed in her first season for the Hawkeyes, competing in all six spring competitions and posting a 77.7 scoring average.

ON THE HORIZON:

The Hawkeyes continue their spring slate on April 16-17 when they travel to Columbus, Ohio, for the Lady Buckeye Invitational.



