

# IOWA HAWKEYES

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## SWIMMING & DIVING WEEKLY RELEASE

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### 2008-09 Schedule & Results

**Men: 0-0 (0-0 Big Ten)**

**Women: 0-0 (0-0 Big Ten)**

10/4	Black & Gold Intrasquad Meet* Gold: 135, Black: 109
10/10	Truman State* Iowa City, IA -- 4:00 p.m.
10/17	Wisconsin* Iowa City, IA -- 5:00 p.m.
10/25	Michigan State* East Lansing, MI -- 11:00 a.m.
11/1	Nebraska# Iowa City, IA -- 11:00 a.m.
11/7	Minnesota* Minneapolis, MN -- 5:00 p.m.
12/5-12/7	Missouri Invite* Columbia, MO -- TBA
12/12	Iowa State# Ames, IA -- 6:00 p.m.
1/10	Competition TBA* -- 11:00 a.m.
1/16	Western Illinois* Macomb, IL -- 4:00 p.m.
1/24	Northwestern* Iowa City, IA -- 11:00 a.m.
1/31	Missouri* Iowa City, IA -- 11:00 a.m.
2/5	Northern Iowa# Cedar Falls, IA -- 5:00 p.m.
2/19-2/21	Big Ten Championships# Ann Arbor, MI -- All Day
2/26-2/28	Big Ten Championships^ West Lafayette, IN -- All Day
3/13-3/15	NCAA Diving Qualifying Meet* TBA -- TBA
3/19-3/21	NCAA Championships# College Station, TX -- All Day
3/26-3/28	NCAA Championships^ College Station, TX -- TBA
4/18	Alumni Meet Iowa City, IA -- 11 a.m.

All times are central. \* -- co-ed meet,  
# -- women's only meet, ^ -- men's only meet

**THIS WEEK** -- The Iowa men and women's swimming and diving team will kick off its regular season Friday against Truman State University. The meet is scheduled to begin at 4 p.m. in the Field House Pool and is open to the public at no charge.

**LAST WEEK** -- The Hawkeyes hosted the annual Black and Gold Intrasquad meet at the Field House Pool. The Gold Squad pulled out a 135-109 win over the Black Squad.

"It was just a fun opportunity for us to see everyone race," said Iowa Head Coach Marc Long. "After all the aerobic and strength concentrated practicing we've been doing, it is a good time of year to get in the pool and get ready for the dual meet season."

**ON TRUMAN STATE** -- Truman State has claimed the women's NCAA Division II Swimming & Diving Championship seven of the past eight years. After claiming the 2008 NCAA Championship, the women's team looks to begin another strong year.

After preparing for the season with an intrasquad and alumni meet at home, the Bulldog men will also travel to the University of Iowa for their first dual meet of the season. The men's team ended the 2007-08 season third in the New South Intercollegiate Conference and 15th in the nation.

**NEXT WEEK** -- The Hawkeye men and women will host the Wisconsin Badgers Friday, October 17. The meet is scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. in the Field House Pool.

**HEAD COACH MARC LONG** -- Marc Long is in his fifth season as head coach for the University of Iowa swimming team. It's his fourth year as head coach of the combined program. During his tenure as head coach of both programs, 10 school records have fallen and 39 Hawkeyes have provisionally qualified for the NCAA Championships.

**DIVING COACH BOB RYDZE** -- Bob Rydze is in his 34th year as diving coach of the men and women's teams at the University of Iowa. Rydze returns to Iowa this season fresh from the 2008 Olympics in Beijing, China where he served as Team Leader for USA Diving. During his tenure with the Hawkeyes, Rydze has coached 31 all-Americans, nine Big Ten and one NCAA Champion.

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### CAMPUS RECREATION AND WELLNESS

**CENTER** -- Ground was broken for the Campus Recreation and Wellness Center in October 2007. The facility will serve as the new home for Iowa Swimming and Diving upon completion in the fall of 2009. The facility will be at the corner of Burlington and Madison streets and is expected to cost \$69 million.

**FIELDHOUSE POOL** -- Iowa's Fieldhouse Pool was built in 1927 and was, at the time, the world's largest indoor swimming pool. In 1979, the pool underwent a \$400,000 renovation. Diving platforms were added in 1980. The pool is 150 feet long and 60 feet wide, with eight lanes. Diving facilities include a pair of one and three meter springboards, plus five and ten meter platforms.

**IOWA SWIMMING HISTORY & TRADITION** -- Iowa was one of the first schools in the nation to compete on a collegiate level and competed at the first NCAA Championship. From 1937 to 1960, Iowa placed in the NCAA top ten 18 times, crowning nine NCAA and 22 Big Ten Champions.

### 2007-08 Top Times

#### Men:

50 free	Sean Hagan	20.85
100 free	Conor Dwyer	44.66
200 free	Conor Dwyer	1:36.44
500 free	Conor Dwyer	4:27.21
1,000 free	Brian Farris	9:38.28
1,650 free	Brian Farris	15:54.33
50 back	Wil Whaley	24.03
100 back	Wil Whaley	49.31
200 back	Wil Whaley	1:46.11
50 breast	Sean Hagan	27.33
100 breast	Sean Hagan	56.41
200 breast	Sean Hagan	2:04.35
50 fly	James Dragon	23.73
100 fly	Nate Keeling	49.26
200 fly	Nate Keeling	1:49.30
100 IM	Max Dittmer	54.30
200 IM	Sean Hagan	1:52.27
400 IM	Alex Dragon	4:03.79
200 free relay		1:22.92
400 free relay		3:00.68
800 free relay		6:33.95
200 med. relay		1:31.44
400 med. relay		3:22.48
One-Meter	Frank Van Dijkhuizen	333.60
Three-Meter	Frank Van Dijkhuizen	359.20

#### Women:

50 free	Julie DeBruin	23.18
100 free	Christine Kuczek	50.55
200 free	Christine Kuczek	1:50.50
500 free	Ashley Dell	4:53.69
1,000 free	Ashley Dell	10:14.21
1,650 free	Ashely Dell	16:45.29
100 back	Alison Gschwend	55.39
200 back	Alison Gschwend	2:02.07
50 breast	Katarina Tour	30.15
100 breast	Katarina Tour	1:02.51
200 breast	Julie Feingold	2:20.43
50 fly	Kathryn Michelau	26.74
100 fly	Lauren Mozdzen	56.49
200 fly	Margie Chamberlin	2:03.81
100 IM	Katarina Tour	1:00.08
200 IM	Katarina Tour	2:03.72
400 IM	Julie Feingold	4:34.81
200 free relay		1:32.95
400 free relay		3:22.52
800 free relay		7:29.57
200 med. relay		1:43.81
400 med. relay		3:44.05
One-Meter	Deidre Freeman	295.85
Three-Meter	Deidre Freeman	287.70