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IOWA WOMEN'S GOLF

HAWKEYES FINISH FIFTH AT LADY BOILERMAKER INVITATIONAL

WEST LAFAYETTE, IN – The University of Iowa women's golf team shot a final round of 321 to total 935 strokes in the three rounds of competition this weekend. The Hawkeyes finished fifth in the very strong 12-team Lady Boilermaker Invitational field. The six Hawkeyes competing all finished in the top 35 individually. Michigan State took the team title after posting a 54-hole total of 918.

Leading the way for the Hawkeyes was senior **Laura Holmes**. Holmes fired a 54-hole total of 230 to come from a tie for 15th after the first day of competition to finish the tournament in a tie for sixth. Junior **Liz Bennett** recorded a 234 to finish tied for 16th. Senior **Jennifer Reints** finished 26th after posting a score of 237. Freshman **Amy Riempa** shot a three-round total of 239 to finish in 28th. Junior **Shannon Fleming** shot a 242, which tied her for 29th. Freshman **Virginie Bonfils** tied for 31st with a score of 243. Indiana's Dana Ford held on to win the individual title with a final round score of 82. Ford totaled 221 strokes over the two days of competition, three strokes ahead of Northwestern's Alice Kim.

The Hawkeyes will continue competition next weekend at the Big Ten Championships. Competition will be held at The Ohio State University Scarlet Golf Course in Columbus, OH on April 23-25.

Final Team Results -- (Par 72)

1.	Michigan State	299-303-316=918
2.	Indiana	298-298-326=922
3.	Northwestern	315-306-310=931
4.	Purdue	298-314-320=932
5.	IOWA	311-303-321=935
6.	Michigan	303-313-329=945
7.	Notre Dame	314-321-319=954
8.	Kent State	317-312-327=956
9.	Illinois	325-325-325=975
10.	Wisconsin	310-321-345=976
11.	Minnesota	319-327-333=979
12.	Jacksonville State	325-334-335=994

Final Individual Results (Top Two, Plus Iowa)

1.	Dana Ford (Indiana)	71-68-82=221
2.	Alice Kim (Northwestern)	74-75-75=224
T6.	Laura Holmes (IOWA)	78-76-76=230
T16.	Liz Bennett (IOWA)	77-72-85=234
26.	Jennifer Reints (IOWA)	80-77-80=237
28.	Amy Riempa (IOWA)	80-78-81=239
T29.	Shannon Fleming (IOWA)	78-79-85=242
T31.	Virginie Bonfils (IOWA)	78-81-84=243

