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HAWKEYE MEN'S GOLF News and Notes



Weekly Notes

Oct. 25, 2012



Royal Oaks Intercollegiate Royal Oaks Country Club Dallas, Texas Oct. 29-30



2012 Schedule & 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	Dallas, Texas

Spring Season

Feb. 8-9	Big Ten Match Play Championships	The Concession Golf Club	Bradenton, Fla.
Feb. 16	Big Four Championships		Scottsdale, 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 travels to Dallas, Texas, to close out the fall season at the 2012 Royal Oaks Intercollegiate on Oct. 29-30. Co-hosted by Baylor and SMU, the three-round event will be played at the 7,068-yard, par-71 Royal Oaks Country Club. The first two rounds will be played Monday beginning with a shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. (CT), while Tuesday's final round will begin with tee times at 8:30 a.m. (CT). Fans can follow live scoring at golfstat.com.

THE FIELD

The Royal Oaks Intercollegiate field consists of Augusta State, Baylor, Iowa, Lamar, North Carolina, Missouri, New Mexico, Ohio State, Oklahoma State, Oklahoma, SMU, Texas A&M, Texas Tech and Tulsa. Nine of 14 teams in the field participated in the 2011 Royal Oaks Intercollegiate, including the reigning champion, Texas A&M. Ten teams in the field are either ranked or receiving votes in the latest GolfWorld/Nike Golf Coaches Poll. Eight teams participating are ranked within the top-40 of the Golfweek/Sagarin Rankings. Six teams in the field are ranked within the top-30 of the Golfstat.com Rankings. Iowa is one of just two teams to win this tournament, claiming the title in 2010, while Texas A&M has won three times.

**Iowa Hawkeye
Men's Golf**

Hawkeye Men's Golf Notes

TOP INDIVIDUALS

The field consists of 24 players ranked within the top-150 of the Golfweek Individual Rankings, including three within the top-14. Twelve players in the field are ranked within the top-150 of the Golfstat Cup Standings, including Missouri's third-ranked Jace Long and Oklahoma State's No. 10 Talor Gooch.

THE COURSE

"Royal Oaks" course at Royal Oaks Country Club offers 18 holes of Bermuda grass with a course rating of 74.6 and slope rating of 142. Covering 7,068 yards from the tips, this par 71 holds the original layout and designs of J. Press Maxwell, Don January and Bill Martindale. Royal Oaks continues to be chosen as one of the best traditional layouts in the nation.

LAST TIME OUT

The Hawkeyes placed 15th at a talent-loaded field at the U.S. Collegiate Championship last weekend. Iowa had a three-round score of 912 (+48) on the Lakeside Course at the Golf Club of Georgia.

Junior Steven Ihm and sophomore Brian Bullington each led Iowa with top-35 finishes. Ihm placed tied for 28th with a 222 (+6), and Bullington placed tied for 34th with a 223 (+7).

Sophomores Ian Vandersee and Joseph Winslow, and junior Ryan Marks were also in action. Vandersee and Marks both tied for 71st (236), while Winslow tied for 74th (237).

IHM LEADING THE WAY

Junior Steven Ihm has had Iowa's lowest 54-hole score each tournament this season, and has shot Iowa's lowest 18-hole score in eight of 12 rounds.

The Peosta, Iowa, native has two top-10 finishes, and leads the team with a stroke average of 73.

Ihm is ranked 73rd in the Golfweek Individual Rankings, and 135th in the Golfstat Cup Standings.

2011 ROYAL OAKS INTERCOLLEGIATE

Texas A&M won the 2011 Royal Oaks Intercollegiate, shooting an 830 (-22) to edge Duke by one stroke. Lamar's MJ Dafue won medalist honors, carding a three-round score of 202 (-11).

Iowa tied for ninth at 11-over par (863), led by a Barrett Kelpin's 212 (-1). The Hawkeyes will have two players with returning experience at this tournament with Steven Ihm and Ian Vandersee participating last year. Vandersee

tied for 43rd (+5), and Ihm tied for 60th (+10).

STRENGTH OF SCHEDULE

The Hawkeyes have the 31st ranked strength of schedule in the nation, according to Golfweek.com.

A LOOK BACK

The Hawkeyes won the 2010 Royal Oaks Intercollegiate, shooting a 551 (-17) to win by five strokes over Texas A&M. Play was halted after 36 holes due to inclement weather.

Iowa's Vince India won the tournament with a 132 (-10). Brad Hopfinger also had a top-10 finish for Iowa, finishing at five-under (137).

GETTING EXPERIENCE

Iowa is getting experience up and down the lineup, as every player on the roster has competed in at least one tournament this fall.

Freshmen Nate Yankovich and Voramate Aussarassakorn made their collegiate debut at the Earl Vestingsmeier Invitational, while classmate Landon Kowalski has participated in two tournaments.

Joseph Winslow has played nine rounds this fall season, while Ihm, Vandersee, Bullington and Marks have played in all four tournaments.

CONSISTENT SCORES FROM BULLINGTON

Sophomore Brian Bullington has a 75.58 stroke average this fall season, and all but two of his 12 rounds have been within two strokes of his average.

In Bullington's last three tournaments, his 18-hole rounds have all been within three strokes of each other. Bullington has a 74.33 stroke average in his past six rounds.

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 Hankins' guidance, Iowa has advanced to NCAA postseason competition the past four seasons. The Hawkeyes have

Last Week's Starting Lineup

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

**This weeks lineup is not finalized*

Men's Golf 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	30,328
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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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

Iowa will take a break over the winter months before beginning the spring season in February. Iowa will host the Black & Gold Alumni Match in Sarasota, Fla., on Feb. 2, and will officially begin the spring season with the Big Ten Match Play Championships in Bradenton, Fla., on Feb. 8.

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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	12	907	75.58	73	---	---	---
Steven Ihm	12	876	73	68	2	2	5
Landon Kowalski	6	465	77.5	72	---	---	1
Ryan Marks	12	689	77.08	73	---	---	---
Ian Vandersee	12	677	76.08	71	---	1	2
Joseph Winslow	9	675	75	71	---	2	3
Nate Yankovich	3	215	71.66	68	1	---	1
TEAM	12	3,584	298.66	288	3	--	--

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		

SPRING SCHEDULE

Date	Tournament	Location	Team Finish	Top Individual Finish
Feb. 8-9	Big Ten Match Play Championships	Bradenton, Fla.		
Feb. 16	Big Four Championships	Scottsdale, 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 72, 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)



Voramate Aussarassakorn

Freshman

Bangkok, Thailand

Ramkhamhaeng Advent International School

Tournament Results

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

Season Bests

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

Career Bests

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



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Brian Bullington

Sophomore
Frankfort, Ill.
Lincoln-Way East



Steven Ihm

Junior
Peosta, Iowa
Indian Hills CC

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	T37th
Rod Myers Invite	223	+7	T35th
USCC	223	+7	T34th

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.

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 73
Low 54-Hole Score: 223, Rod Myers Invite, USCC
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Season Finish: T34th, USCC - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 71, Hawkeye GRE Invitational - 2012 Spring
Low 54-Hole Score: 219, Hawkeye GRE Invitational - 2012 Spring
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Finish: T21 - Hawkeye GRE Invitational - 2012 Spring

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

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

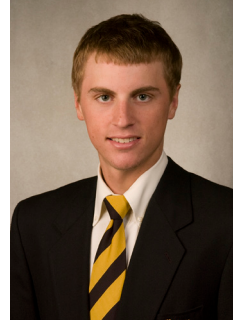


2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Landon Kowalski

Freshman
Buffalo Grove, Ill.
Stevenson



Ryan Marks

Junior
Warrensburg, Mo.
Warrensburg

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

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

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, Yestingsmier Invite - Fall

Career Bests

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 73, 4x
Low 54-Hole Score: 225, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Season Finish: T31, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 70, Golfweek Conf. Challenge - 2010 Fall
Low 54-Hole Score: 224, Hawkeye GRE Invite - 2012 Spring
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Finish: T26, Hawkeye Invite - 2010 Spring



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Ian Vandersee
Sophomore
West Des Moines, Iowa
Valley



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

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

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

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 71, 2x
Low 54-Hole Score: 219, Rod Myers Invite - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Season Finish: T20, Rod Myers Invite - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 66, NCAA Regionals - 2012 Spring
Low 54-Hole Score: 212, 2x, last at NCAA Regionals - 2012 Spring
Low 72-Hole Score: 313, Big Ten Championships - 2012 Spring
Best Finish: T7, 3x, last at Boilermaker Invite - 2012 Spring

Season Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 71, 3x
Low 54-Hole Score: 218, Rod Myers Invite - Fall
Low 72-Hole Score:
Best Season Finish: T15, Golfweek Conference Challenge - Fall

Career Bests

Low 18-Hole Score: 69, NCAA Championships - 2012 Spring
Low 54-Hole Score: 214, Hawkeye GRE Invite - 2012 Spring
Low 72-Hole Score: N/A
Best Finish: 10, Hawkeye GRE Invite - 2012 Spring



2012 Iowa Men's Golf Results



Nate Yankovich

Freshman
Blacklick, Ohio
St. Charles Preparatory

Tournament Results

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

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