

IOWA FIELD HOCKEY



@ Michigan State
East Lansing, MI



2008 SCHEDULE

(11-4, 2-2)

8/30..... at #3 Wake Forest ^ L, 2-3
 8/31..... vs. #1 North Carolina ^ (N) .. W, 3-2
 9/5..... #14 American..... W, 4-1
 9/7..... #6 Duke..... L, 1-2
 9/13..... at Stanford W, 3-2
 9/14..... vs. Pacific (N)..... W, 8-0
 9/19..... Central Michigan..... W, 9-0
 9/21..... Boston W, 5-1
 9/26..... at Indiana*..... W, 6-1
 9/28..... at #11 Louisville W, 1-0
 10/3..... Northwestern* W, 2-0
 10/5..... Missouri State W, 8-0
 10/10... at #13 Penn State*!..... L, 2-1
 10/11... vs. #10 Virginia (N) W, 3-2
 10/19... Ohio State* L, 2-0
 10/25... at #4 Michigan State*!..... Noon
 11/2..... Michigan*!..... 2 p.m.

11/6-9.. Big Ten Tournament (Bloomington)

11/15-16 at NCAA (1st & 2nd Rds.)

11/21-23 at NCAA (Final Four)

All games listed are central time

N=Neutral

^ Big Ten/ACC Challenge

* Big Ten Conference Games

! Televised by Big Ten Network

CURRENT STX/NFHCA

RANKINGS

No.	Team	Points
1.	Maryland (29)	943
2.	Wake Forest*(5)	905
3.	Syracuse (11)	881
4.	Duke*	784
5.	North Carolina*	769
6.	Connecticut (4)	743
7.	James Madison	692
8.	Michigan State*	646
9.	Penn State*	579
10.	IOWA	521
11.	Louisville*	448
12.	Princeton	439
13.	Virginia*	395
14.	Boston College	325
15.	California	294
16.	Drexel	221
17.	Massachusetts	181
18.	American*	89
19.	Ohio State*	78
20.	Providence	71
20.	Rutgers	71

* - 2008 Opponents

2008 STATISTICS

No.	Name	GP	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Shot %	GW	PK-Att.	DSv.
5	Caitlin McCurdy	15	13	4	30	40	.325	3	0-0	0
20	Caroline Blaum	15	7	9	23	23	.304	2	0-0	0
7	Katie Naughton	15	8	0	16	22	.364	0	0-0	0
17	Lauren Pfeiffer	15	12	3	27	94	.128	1	0-0	0
22	Sarah Pergine	15	6	10	22	15	.400	2	0-0	0
21	Tricia Dean	15	2	10	14	10	.200	0	0-0	0
2	Roz Ellis	15	2	7	11	11	.182	1	0-0	0
9	Lindsey Duffy	15	2	0	4	20	.100	0	0-0	0
13	Jess Werley	15	1	2	4	11	.091	1	0-0	0
10	Amy Baxter	11	2	1	5	6	.333	1	0-0	0
25	Leslie Pyle	15	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	0
15	Meghan Beamesderfer	15	0	0	0	5	.000	0	0-0	0
31	Lauren Whalen	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
24	Chelsea Miller	11	1	0	2	3	.333	0	0-0	0
18	Nicole Fiorilla	3	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	0
4	Becca Spengler	8	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
Total		15	56	46	158	262	.214	11	0-0	3
Opponents		15	18	13	49	124	.145	4	0-0	3

Goalkeeper Statistics

No.	Name	GP-GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Svs.	Pct.	Sho.
6	Lissa Munley	15-15	1050:00	18	1.20	44	.710	5
Total		15	1050:00	18	1.20	45	.714	5
Opponents		15	1049:00	56	3.74	112	.667	1

THIS WEEK

The University of Iowa field hockey team (11-4, 2-2) travels to Michigan State for its final regular season road contest. The Hawkeyes and Spartans will battle Saturday at noon (CT) at Ralph Young Field in East Lansing, MI.

The game will be televised by the Big Ten Network. It will be shown as a same-day delay at 4 p.m. (CT). Dan Gutowsky and Kara Lenz will call the game.

MICHIGAN STATE

Michigan State enters Saturday's match with a record of 13-3 overall and 3-1 in Big Ten Conference play. They are currently ranked eighth in this week's STX/NFHCA rankings.

The Spartans have defeated Delaware (3-2), Louisville (6-1), Stanford (3-2, OT), Boston University (2-0), New Hampshire (5-1), Miami University (5-1), Pacific (7-1), Ohio State (3-1), California (3-2, OT), Indiana (9-1), Temple (9-0), Northwestern (3-1) and Ohio (2-1, 2OT). Michigan State lost to Syracuse (3-1), Wake Forest (2-1) and Michigan (1-0).

Michigan State is led by Head Coach Rolf van de Kerckhof. In his third season at the helm of the Spartans, he is 37-21 all-time.

**IOWA HAWKEYE
FIELD HOCKEY**

2008 BIG TEN STANDINGS

	Conf.	Over.
Penn State	3-0	11-4
Michigan State	3-0	13-3
Michigan	3-1	8-7
IOWA	2-2	11-4
Ohio State	2-3	11-6
Indiana	1-3	7-7
Northwestern	0-4	6-10

THIS WEEK IN BIG TEN

Friday	Northwestern at Ohio State Indiana at Penn State
Saturday	Iowa at Michigan State
Sunday	Michigan at Penn State Northwestern at Louisville

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IOWA ON THE WEB

The media and public can find a valuable and timely source of information about Iowa athletics on the world wide web. The address for the Iowa site is:



MEDIA INFORMATION

PRACTICE ATTENDANCE - All practices are open to the media, and interviews may be conducted 15 minutes prior to or at the completion of practice. However, media must inform Patrick Sojka of their intention to attend practice. The Hawkeyes practice daily from 2:30-5:00 p.m. at Grant Field.

PLAYER INTERVIEWS - All player interviews are coordinated through Patrick of the sports information office. Please contact Patrick (319-335-9411) so that he may set a time which does not interfere with the student-athlete's academic or practice schedules.

THE LAST TIME

Iowa and Michigan State split two matches in 2007. The Spartans defeated the Hawkeyes in the regular season, 1-0, in Iowa City. Iowa then defeated Michigan State, 3-2 in OT, in the second round of Big Ten Tournament en route to its second consecutive championship.

The Hawkeyes are 42-9-1 all-time against the Spartans. This includes a record of 14-4 against the Green and White in East Lansing.

IN THE RANKINGS

The Hawkeyes are ranked 10th in the latest STX/NFHCA rankings. Iowa is also ranked 10th in Women'sFieldHockey.com's latest poll.

Iowa has played or will play nine of the STX/NFHCA top 20 this season. In addition, the Hawkeyes have played or will play two of the teams receiving votes in the latest poll.

The Big Ten Conference currently has four teams ranked in the top 20. Michigan State sits at eighth in the latest rankings. Joining the Spartans are the Hawkeyes (No. 10), Penn State (No. 9), and Ohio State (No. 19). Michigan is receiving votes in the latest rankings.

The Hawkeyes have been ranked in the top 20 of the NFHCA Division I Coaches Poll for 19 straight weeks dating back to 2006. In 2007 and 2008, the Hawkeyes have yet to fall out of the top 10 of the poll.

TWO KEY MATCHES ON THE HORIZON

The Hawkeyes have two key Big Ten matches remaining in the regular season. The Hawkeyes travel to East Lansing for a showdown with the eighth-ranked Spartans Saturday. Iowa then returns home on Nov. 2 for the home finale at Grant Field against Michigan. All matches will have a major impact on the Big Ten Conference championship race.

Additionally, Iowa will only have one contest per week. For the first seven weeks of the regular season, the Hawkeyes played at least two matches a weekend.

HAWKEYES DOMINATE BIG TEN WEEKLY HONORS

The Big Ten Conference named University of Iowa senior back Lauren Pfeiffer Defensive Player of the Week on October 6 for her play in Iowa's matches against Northwestern and Mis-

souri State. It was Pfeiffer's second career Big Ten weekly honor.

The Mt. Laurel, NJ, native led the Iowa defense as the Hawkeyes shutout Northwestern, 2-0. In the victory, the Hawkeyes only allowed three penalty corners and four shots. She also anchored the Iowa defense as the Hawkeyes dominated Missouri State, 8-0. The stingy Hawkeye defense allowed only three penalty corners and four shots during the shutout. In addition, the senior tallied three goals against the Bears. It is the second time this season the senior recorded three goals in one contest. During Iowa's eight-game winning streak, the Hawkeyes outscored their opponents by a 42-4 margin.

It was the fourth-straight week a Hawkeye was honored and the fifth for the season. Iowa leads the Big Ten in weekly honors earned.

Caitlin McCurdy	Sept. 1	Offensive
Caroline Blaum	Sept. 15	Offensive
M. Beamesderfer	Sept. 22	Defensive
Roz Ellis	Sept. 29	Defensive
Lauren Pfeiffer	Oct. 6	Defensive

HAWKEYES ON BIG TEN NETWORK

The Iowa field hockey team will appear on the Big Ten Network more than any other conference school this season - three times.

Iowa's game at Penn State on Oct. 10 was televised by the Network. The Hawkeyes battle with No. 8 Michigan State Saturday will be shown as a same-day delay. The Hawkeyes' final home match against Michigan (Oct. 27) will be shown live.

TWO FORMER HAWKEYES NAMED TO NFHCA HALL OF FAME

The National Field Hockey Coaches Association (NFHCA) has announced its ninth Hall of Fame class and former Iowa Head Coach Beth Beglin (1988-99) and player Dawn Chamberlin (1981-85) are two of the six to be honored as part of the Class of 2008. Beglin and Chamberlin will be inducted Jan. 17, 2009, at the 2009 NFHCA Hall of Fame Luncheon in Philadelphia.

Beglin was one of the nation's most decorated field hockey coaches while coaching the Iowa Hawkeyes for 12 seasons. Beglin had over 20 years of experience as a player and coach. She boasted a 199-57-3 (.774) career record on the Iowa sidelines.

She led the Black and Gold to seven regular-season Big Ten championships, one conference tournament title and 10 NCAA tournament appearances, with trips to the Final Four seven of those 10 seasons. Four of Iowa's seven Big Ten titles, under Beglin, came with perfect 10-0 league records. Beglin was honored as the 1992, '95 and '96 Big Ten Coach of the Year. In 1992, she was recognized as the National Coach of the Year after guiding Iowa to a 20-1 record and a national runner-up finish. Beglin was also a six-time regional Coach of the Year (1990, '92, '94, '95 and '96).

Under her tutelage, 33 Hawkeyes earned all-American laurels. As a team, the Hawkeyes won an NCAA-record, 40-straight home games on Grant Field.

The captain of the U.S. National Team from 1985-88, Beglin led the squad during the 1988 Summer Olympics. A midfielder, she played on the U.S. team that captured the bronze medal at the 1984 Olympics and was a member of the 1980 team that did not compete due to the U.S. boycott of the Olympics.

Chamberlin is a 1985 graduate of the University of Iowa, where she was a four-

year letterwinner. The Hawkeyes won the Big Ten championship outright from 1981 to 1983, before sharing the top spot in 1984. The '84 squad finished second in the nation. Chamberlin, Iowa's co-captain as both a junior and senior, was also a member of the national indoor championship team and was selected to the all-Big Ten team her senior year.

While at Iowa, she also received the Women's Intercollegiate Athletic Academic Award (1982-1985) and the Physical Education Academic Achievement Award (1983-1985).

Chamberlin is in her 22nd year as head coach at Salisbury University (MD) where she has won three NCAA Division III national championships (2003, '04 and '05), made 20 trips to the NCAA tournament, along with nine final four appearances, and amassed over 300 career victories. This past summer she was elevated to the position of Assistant Athletic Director at SU. Chamberlin's current record at Salisbury is 326-87-8 through the first seven games of the '08 season.

Chamberlin has been distinguished as the NCAA Division III National Coach of the Year in back-to-back seasons (2004, '05), named the NFHCA South Region Coach of the Year seven times and Capital Athletic Conference Coach of the Year 11 times. The Sea Gulls have won 13 consecutive CAC championships and have posted 20 winning seasons, 14 in a row, under the tutelage of Chamberlin.

GRIESBAUM WINS 100TH

Head Coach Tracey Griesbaum celebrated her 100th win at the University of Iowa with a 3-2 victory at Stanford Sept. 13. She has a record of 105-60 all-time at the helm of the Hawkeye program.

Griesbaum won her 100th game as a head coach last season.

MILESTONE REACHED

The Iowa Hawkeye field hockey program reached its 500th all-time victory with a win over American Friday, Sept. 5. With the 4-1 victory at Grant Field, Iowa reached the plateau with an all-time record of 500-177-25. The Hawkeyes' first season was in 1977.

SCHEDULE NOTES

Iowa's last three NCAA Tournament opponents (2004, '06, '07) are on the season's schedule.

Iowa defeated American (4-1) Sept. 5 and defeated Boston (5-1) Sept. 21. The Hawkeyes lost to American 2-1 in 2004 on the campus of the University of Maryland. The Black and Gold fell to Boston a year ago, 1-0, in double overtime on the campus of the University of Connecticut.

Iowa defeated Oct. 11 (3-2) on the campus of Penn State University. The Hawkeyes lost to the Cavaliers 1-0 in 2006 on the Campus of Wake Forest.

BIG TEN TEAM STATS

SCORING MARGIN		SHUTOUTS		SHOTS		GOALS SCORED		GOALS ALLOWED		PENALTY CORNERS	
1. MSU	2.59	1. OSU	8	1. MSU	326	1. MSU	63	1. PSU	15	1. MSU	152
2. IOWA	2.53	2. PSU	7	2. IOWA	262	2. IOWA	56	1. IOWA	18	1. PSU	152
3. OSU	1.57	3. IOWA	5	2. OSU	262	3. OSU	49	3. MSU	20	3. OSU	136
SCORING AVG		GAA		SHOTS PER GAME		GOALS PER GAME		ASSISTS PER GAME		SAVES	
1. MSU	3.79	1. PSU	1.00	1. MSU	20.38	1. MSU	3.94	1. MSU	3.19	1. NU	107
2. IOWA	3.73	2. OSU	1.18	2. IOWA	17.47	2. IOWA	3.73	2. IOWA	3.07	2. IND	72
3. MICH	2.85	3. IOWA	1.20	3. OSU	15.41	3. OSU	2.88	3. MICH	2.50	3. PSU	68

BIG TEN INDIVIDUAL STATS

SHOTS		GOALS		GAME-WINNERS		POINTS/GAME		ASSISTS		GAA	
1. Pfeiffer (IA)	92	1. Haussener (OSU)	15	1. Miller (MSU)	4	1. Haussener (OSU)	2.41	1. Wilhite (MICH)	16	1. Beaumont (PSU)	1.08
2. Zug (PSU)	67	2. McCurdy (IA)	13	2. McCurdy (IA)	3	2. McCurdy (IA)	2.00	2. Haussener (OSU)	11	2. Munley (IA)	1.20
3. Deacon (MSU)	66	2. Rijpma (MSU)	13	2. Four others tied at 3		3. Miller (MSU)	1.94	2. Scola (PSU)	11	3. Unger (MSU)	1.21



Iowa Hawkeye Field Hockey
Iowa Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 19, 2008)
All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	11-4	5-2	3-2	3-0
CONFERENCE	2-2	1-1	1-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	9-2	4-1	2-1	3-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	##	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	ps-att	dsv	
Aug 30	at #3 Wake Forest	L	2-3	259	5	McCurdy, Caitlin	15	13	4	30	40	.325	23	.575	3	0-0	0
Aug 31	vs #1 North Carolina	W	3-2	176	17	Pfeiffer, Lauren	15	12	3	27	94	.128	61	.649	1	0-0	1
Sep 05	#15 AMERICAN	W	4-1	219	20	Blaum, Caroline	15	7	9	23	23	.304	17	.739	2	0-0	0
Sep 07	#12 DUKE	L	1-2	256	22	Pergine, Sarah	15	6	10	22	15	.400	12	.800	2	0-0	0
Sep 13	at Stanford	W	3-2	103	7	Naughton, Katie	15	8	0	16	22	.364	20	.909	0	0-0	0
Sep 14	vs Pacific Tigers	W	8-0	121	21	Dean, Tricia	15	2	10	14	10	.200	7	.700	0	0-0	1
Sep 19	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	W	9-0	131	2	Ellis, Roz	15	2	7	11	11	.182	8	.727	1	0-0	1
Sep 21	BOSTON UNIVERSITY	W	5-1	247	10	Baxter, Amy	11	2	1	5	6	.333	4	.667	1	0-0	0
* Sep 26	at Indiana	W	6-1	279	9	Duffy, Lindsey	15	2	0	4	20	.100	11	.550	0	0-0	0
Sep 28	at #11 Louisville	W	1-0	686	13	Werley, Jess	15	1	2	4	11	.091	8	.727	1	0-0	0
* Oct 03	NORTHWESTERN	W	2-0	179	24	Miller, Chelsea	11	1	0	2	3	.333	1	.333	0	0-0	0
Oct 05	MISSOURI STATE	W	8-0	184	15	Beamesderfer, Meghan	15	0	0	0	5	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
* Oct 10	at #13 Penn State	L	1-2	618	25	Pyle, Leslie	15	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
Oct 11	vs #10 Virginia	W	3-2	389	18	Fiorilla, Nicole	3	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	0
* Oct 19	OHIO STATE	L	0-2	298	31	Whalen, Lauren	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
					4	Spengler, Becca	9	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
					Total	15	56	46	158	262	.214	173	.660	11	0-0	3	
					Opponents	15	18	13	49	124	.145	66	.532	4	0-0	4	

TEAM STATISTICS	IOWA	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	56-262	18-124
Goals scored per game	3.73	1.20
Shot pct.	.214	.145
Shots on goal-Attempts	173-262	66-124
SOG pct.	.660	.532
Shots/Game	17.5	8.3
PENALTY CORNERS	125	66
PENALTY STROKES	0-0	0-0
PENALTIES		
Green cards	5	6
Yellow cards	0	1
Red cards	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	1514	1945
Dates/Avg Per Date	7/216	5/389
Neutral Site #/Avg	3/229	

##	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
6	Munley, Lissa	15	1050:00	18	1.20	44	.710	11-4-0	5
	Total	15	1050:00	18	1.20	45	.714	11-4-0	5
	Opponents	15	1049:00	56	3.74	112	.667	4-11-0	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	25	31	56
Opponents	6	12	18

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	125	137	262
Opponents	58	66	124

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	23	22	45
Opponents	54	58	112

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	55	70	125
Opponents	26	40	66

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Iowa Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 19, 2008)
Conference games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	2-2	1-1	1-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	2-2	1-1	1-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	ps-att	dsv	
* Sep 26	at Indiana	W	6-1	279	17	Pfeiffer, Lauren	4	3	0	6	25	.120	17	.680	0	0-0	0
* Oct 03	NORTHWESTERN	W	2-0	179	2	Ellis, Roz	4	2	1	5	7	.286	5	.714	1	0-0	0
* Oct 10	at #13 Penn State	L	1-2	618	5	McCurdy, Caitlin	4	2	0	4	9	.222	5	.556	1	0-0	0
* Oct 19	OHIO STATE	L	0-2	298	7	Naughton, Katie	4	2	0	4	2	1.000	2	1.000	0	0-0	0
					22	Pergine, Sarah	4	0	3	3	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	0
					21	Dean, Tricia	4	0	2	2	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	1

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SHOT STATISTICS

Goals-Shot attempts	9-52	5-31
Goals scored per game	2.25	1.25
Shot pct.	.173	.161
Shots on goal-Attempts	33-52	17-31
SOG pct.	.635	.548
Shots/Game	13.0	7.8

PENALTY CORNERS 30 16

PENALTY STROKES 0-0 0-0

PENALTIES

Green cards	1	3
Yellow cards	0	0
Red cards	0	0

ATTENDANCE

Total	477	897
Dates/Avg Per Date	2/238	2/448
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

20	Blaum, Caroline	4	0	1	1	3	.000	2	.667	0	0-0	0
13	Werley, Jess	4	0	1	1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
15	Beamesderfer, Meghan	4	0	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
9	Duffy, Lindsey	4	0	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
25	Pyle, Leslie	4	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
24	Miller, Chelsea	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
10	Baxter, Amy	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
4	Spengler, Becca	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
Total		4	9	8	26	52	.173	33	.635	2	0-0	1
Opponents		4	5	3	13	31	.161	17	.548	2	0-0	1

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
6	Munley, Lissa	4	280:00	5	1.25	11	.688	2-2-0	1
Total		4	280:00	5	1.25	11	.688	2-2-0	1
Opponents		4	280:00	9	2.25	23	.719	2-2-0	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	4	5	9
Opponents	2	3	5

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	27	25	52
Opponents	14	17	31

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	5	6	11
Opponents	12	11	23

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Iowa	15	15	30
Opponents	4	12	16