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IOWA WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS
NO. 27 GYM HAWKS WIN QUAD MEET

IOWA CITY – Iowa competed in the “quad meet” tonight with UW-Whitewater, Winona State, and Northern Illinois. Iowa scored highest for team total on every event and placed first with a total score of 194.575, which is also Iowa's season best team score.

On vault, **Kara Pinjuv** posted the highest score for the Hawkeyes with a 9.8, while **Katie Turcotte** and **Jenifer Simbhudas** tied for second, scoring 9.775. On bars, **Katie Burke** had the best finish for Iowa with a 9.875 for first place. **Kara Pinjuv** and **Ally Zipse** tied for second with a 9.8, and **Beth Dilick** tied for fourth (9.75).

“We did a great job today, we improved, and that was our overall goal,” said **Pinjuv**. Our improvement today will help us out for the rest of the season.

On beam, **Burke** placed first with a 9.825 while **Pinjuv** placed second with a 9.8, and **Danielle Legeai** placed third with a 9.7. On floor, **Simbhudas** came in first (9.85), while **Pinjuv** placed second (9.775), and **Legeai** finished third (9.675). In the all-around, **Pinjuv** won the event, scoring 39.175, while **Burke** placed second with a 39.025 and **Katie Turcotte** placed third with a 38.675.

“We are extremely pleased with how the team performed tonight,” said Iowa Head Coach **Larissa Libby**. “After last week we went back and refocused on the little things and taking care of details instead of just winning.”

Iowa will compete at Anchorage, AK, February 9th at 7 p.m., and February 11th at 2 p.m.

Final Team Scores

Team	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	Total
1. #27 Iowa	48.600	48.925	48.450	48.600	194.575
2. #49 Northern Illinois	47.800	48.400	47.125	47.375	190.700
3. #76 UW-Whitewater	44.900	45.250	44.575	43.925	178.650
4. #81 Winona State	44.275	44.825	43.825	44.000	176.925

Individual Results:

Vault (winner plus Iowa)		2t. Kara Pinjuv (Iowa)	9.8
1. Kara Pinjuv (Iowa)	9.8	2t. Ally Zipse (Iowa)	9.8
2t. Katie Turcotte (Iowa)	9.775	4t. Beth Dilick (Iowa)	9.75
2t. Jenifer Simbhudas (Iowa)	9.775	7t. Jenifer Simbhudas (Iowa)	9.7
5. Katie Burke (Iowa)	9.675	10. Katie Turcotte (Iowa)	9.6
7. Nikki Page (Iowa)	9.575		
9t. Beth Dilick (Iowa)	9.45	Balance Beam (winner plus Iowa)	
		1. Katie Burke (Iowa)	9.825
Uneven Bars (winner plus Iowa)		2. Kara Pinjuv (Iowa)	9.8
1. Katie Burke (Iowa)	9.875	3. Danielle Legeai (Iowa)	9.7





5. Katie Turcotte (Iowa)	9.65
8. Brandi Loffer (Iowa)	9.475
13. Jenifer Simbhudas (Iowa)	9.0

Floor Exercise (winner plus Iowa)

1. Jenifer Simbhudas (Iowa)	9.85
2. Kara Pinjuv (Iowa)	9.775
3. Danielle Legeai (Iowa)	9.675
4t. Katie Turcotte (Iowa)	9.65
4t. Katie Burke (Iowa)	9.65
12. Ally Zipse (Iowa)	9.15

All-Around (winner plus Iowa)

1. Kara Pinjuv (Iowa)	39.175
2. Katie Burke (Iowa)	39.025
3. Katie Turcotte (Iowa)	38.675
4. Jenifer Simbhudas (Iowa)	38.325

