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HAWKEYE TRACK & FIELD



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2010-11 IOWA TRACK & FIELD INDOOR SCHEDULE

Date	Meet		
Jan. 8	at Illinois Open		
	(Champaign, IL)		
Jan. 15	lowa Open		
	(Iowa City, IA)		
Jan. 23	at Gold Country Classic		
	(Minneapolis, MN)		
Jan. 29	at UNI Open		
	(Cedar Falls, IA)		
Feb. 4	at Husker Invitational		
	(Lincoln, NE)		
	New Balance Invite		
	(New York City)		
Feb. 11-12	at Cyclone Classic		
	(Ames, IA)		
Feb. 18	lowa Invitational		
	(Iowa City, IA)		
Feb. 26-27	at Big Ten Championships		
	(West Lafayette, IN) (W)		
	(Champaign, IL) (M)		
Mar. 5	at NCAA Last Chance Meet		
	(TBA)		
Mar. 11-12	at NCAA Championships		
	(Fayetteville, AR)		

IOWA COACHING STAFF

Layne AndersonHead Women's Coach			
Larry WieczorekHead Men's Coach			
Scott CapposAssistant CoachMen's and Women's Throws			
Clive RobertsAssistant CoachHorizontal jumps, women's shortsprints, hurdles, relays			
Christi SmithAssistant CoachCombined events, vertical jumps			
Joey WoodyAssistant CoachMen's sprints, short hurdles and relayswomen's long sprints and hurdles			

THIS WEEK

The Hawkeyes open the 2010-11 track and field season Saturday with the Intrasquad meet. The event will be held at the Recreation Building and is scheduled to begin at 4 p.m.

INDOOR SEASON AT A GLANCE

The Hawkeyes will compete in eight meets prior to the Big Ten Championships, Last Chance Meet and NCAA Championships during the 10-week track and field indoor season.

Iowa will host two meets at the University of Iowa Recreation Building. The Iowa Open is set for Jan. 15th and the Iowa Invitational will take place on Feb. 18th.

The women's 2011 Big Ten Indoor Championships will take place in West Lafayette, IN, on the campus of the University of Purdue, while the men's team will compete in Champaign, Illinois at the University of IL.

The Hawkeyes will compete throughout the season to qualify for the NCAA Indoor Championships, scheduled for March 11-12 in Fayetteville, Arkansas.

RETURNING ALL-AMERICANS

lowa welcomes back all-American honorees Patrick Richards, Chris Barton, Steven Willey and Erik Sowinski for the 2011 season. The four student-athletes earned the prestigious recognition following a successful season competing in the 1,600 meter relay. The team, made up of two juniors and two sophomores, capped off the season with a seventh place finish at the NCAA Outdoor Championships after running a time of 3:05.61 in Eugene, Oregon.

LAYNE ANDERSON

Layne Anderson is in his third year as head coach of the University of Iowa women's cross country and track and field teams. He has served as the Hawkeyes' head women's cross country coach for the past seven seasons, and was the interim head women's track and field coach in 2008. From 2003-07, he served as an assistant women's track and field coach for the Hawkeyes.

In 2010, 14 Hawkeyes qualified in 18 events for the NCAA Outdoor Championships.

LARRY WIECZOREK

Larry Wieczorek is in his 24th season as head men's cross country coach and is in his 15th season as head men's track and field coach at the University of Iowa. He served as an assistant track and field coach for 12 years before taking the helm in 1997.

Last season, Wieczorek guided 28 qualifiers, made up of 20 student-athletes competing in 13 individual events and two relays to the NCAA Outdoor Championships preliminary round.

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LETTERWINNERS

The Hawkeyes return 52 letterwinners from 2010. The women's squad welcomes back 21 letterwinners, including NCAA Outdoor Championship qualifiers Betsy Flood and Lauren Hardesty. The men's team returns 31 letterwinners, including all-American runners Richards, Barton, Willey and Sowinski.

NCAA OUTDOOR QUALIFIERS

Thirty-four student-athletes competed for lowa at the preliminary round of the NCAA Outdoor Championships last season. A number of Hawkeyes qualified in multiple events. Matt Banse, Barton, Richards, D'Juan Richardson, Zeke Sayon, Sowinski, Willey, Karessa Farley, Raven Moore and Rhonda-Kaye Trusty all competed in two or more events in the first round.

Flood and Hardesty both advanced to the women's championships in the 1,500 Meters. Matt Byers, Ryan Lamparek, Ray Varner and Willey each earned bids to the championships in individual events, while Richards, Sowinski, Barton and Willey competed in the 1,600-meter Relay.

COMING UP

Iowa competes in its first meet of the season at the Illinois Open. The Hawkeyes will compete in Champaign, IL, Jan. 8th. Following the Illinois Open, the Black and Gold prepare to host the Iowa Open January 15th.

2009-10 INDOOR SEASON LEADERS					
MEN'S		WOMEN'S			
	D'Juan Richardson	60 meters	Rhonda-Kaye Trusty 7.55		
60 meter hurdles Jordan Mullen8.02		60-meter hurdles Karessa Farley 8.32 P			
	Kevin Dibbern21.81	200 meters	Rhonda-Kaye Trusty 24.05		
	D'Juan Richardson		Raven Moore 40.99		
	Steven Willey47.15 P		Tiffany Hendricks		
•	Erik Sowinski 1:18.38		-		
•	Dan Kuhlman 1:11.73		Bethany Praska		
800 meters	Erik Sowinski1:48.90 P		Bethany Praska2:08.54P		
1,000 meters	Nick Kuczwara		Lauren Hardesty4:41.97 P		
Mile	Jeff Thode4:03.07 P	3,000 meters	Amanda Hardesty 9:30.17 P		
	Nick Holmes 8:15.48	5,000 meters	Hannah Roeder 16:58.95		
	Herron/Oest/Valdes6-11	High Jump	Caleigh Bacchus5-9 1/4		
Pole Vault	Zona/Reid16-4 3/4		Kirsten Weismantle11-5 3/4		
Long Jump	Josh Bean22-2 1/2		Emily Moore		
	Josh Bean47-6 1/2		-		
Shot Put	Ryan Lamparek56-10		Tiffany Medenwaldt45-9		
Weight Throw	Matt Banse61-7 1/2	Weight Throw	Kelsey Taylor53-7 3/4		
Heptathlon	Dan Rolling 5,205	Pentathlon	Missy Miller 2,749		
Distance MedleyNick Kuczwara, Chris Barton					
Dan Kuhlman, Nick Holmes 9:51.05		Distance Medley	Flood Hendricks		
			Hardesty L., Melander11:25.01 P		
1,600 meter relay	Kevin Dibbern, Steven Willey,		1 massey 12., iviciando11.25.011		
Ray Varner, Erik Sowinksi 3:09.83 P		1,600-meter relay Hendricks, Trusty,			

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