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**IOWA WOMEN'S GOLF**

**HAWKEYES FINISH THIRD IN ILLINI SPRING CHALLENGE**

**CHAMPAIGN, IL --** The University of Iowa women's golf team finished in third place in the 36-hole Illini Spring Challenge in Champaign, IL. The Hawkeyes carded 618 (+42) after 36-holes. Oregon came n first, carding a 34 over par, 610.

**Jill Marcum** finished in fifth, carding a six over par, 150, making it her best finish of the season. **Karla Murra** came in eighth, with a 152 (+8). It was her best outing of the season as well. **Maggie Gelber** shot a 12 over par, 156, after two rounds to put her in a tie for 19<sup>th</sup>.

The Hawkeyes compete next at the Big Ten Championships April 28-30 in Bloomington, IN.

**Team Results**

1. Oregon	307-303=610 +34
2. Michigan	313-302=615 +39
<b>3. Iowa</b>	<b>308-310=618 +42</b>
4. Illinois	314-305=619 +43
5. Indiana	314-306=620 +44
6. Cincinnati	314-311=625 +49
7. Grand Valley	316-311=627 +51
8. Ball State	317-313=630 +54
9. Bowling Green	323-319=642 +66
10. Western Michigan	330-314=644 +68
11. Northern Illinois	332-313=645 +69
12. Eastern Illinois	328-325=653 +77
13. Truman State	341-324=665 +89
14. Illinois Wesleyan	341-334=675 +99
15. Indianapolis	339-338=677 +101
16. Southern Indiana	348-338=686 +110

**Individual Results (Top Two, Plus Iowa)**

1.	Cathryn Bristow (O)	74-72=146 +2
2.	Shannon Johnson (IU)	75-72=147 +3
<b>5.</b>	<b>Jill Marcum (UI)</b>	<b>73-77=150 +6</b>
<b>8.</b>	<b>Karla Murra (UI)</b>	<b>75-77=152 +8</b>
<b>T19.</b>	<b>Maggie Gelber (UI)</b>	<b>80-76=156 +12</b>
<b>T34.</b>	<b>Amy Riepma (UI)</b>	<b>80-80=160 +16</b>
<b>T40.</b>	<b>Melanie Boyles (UI)</b>	<b>81-80=161 +17</b>
<b>T50.</b>	<b>Becky Quinby* (UI)</b>	<b>84-79=163 +19</b>

\*Competed as individual

