



IOWA FIELD HOCKEY

WEEK 5: NO. 10 MARYLAND (SEPT. 22) & NO. 23 RUTGERS (SEPT. 24)

2017 SCHEDULE (4-5)

8/26.....vs. #15 Wake Forest #	L, 2-3
8/27.....vs. #1 North Carolina #	L, 0-2
9/1.....at #13 Stanford	L, 2-3
9/3.....at California	W, 3-0
9/4.....at UC Davis	W, 4-0
9/8.....vs. New Hampshire #	L, 2-3
9/10.....vs. New Hampshire #	W, 7-1
9/15.....at #2 Penn State *	L, 0-3
9/17.....at Penn.....	W, 3-2
9/22.....at #10 Maryland *	2 p.m.
9/24.....at #23 Rutgers *	11 p.m.
9/29.....vs. Indiana * !	3 p.m.
10/8.....at #2 Duke.....	11 p.m.
10/13.....vs. #14 Northwestern * #	3 p.m.
10/15.....vs. #9 Michigan * #.....	12 p.m.
10/20.....at Michigan State *	2 p.m.
10/22.....vs. Ohio State * #	1 p.m.

Big Ten Tournament

10/29...First Round.....	TBA
11/3.....Semifinals!.....	TBA
11/5.....Final!.....	TBA

NCAA Tournament (Ann Arbor, Mich.)

11/8.....Play-In Games.....	TBA
11/11.....Round One.....	TBA
11/12.....Quarterfinals.....	TBA
11/17.....Semifinals.....	TBA
11/19... Championship.....	TBA

All game times listed are Central

* Big Ten Conference Games

! Televised by Big Ten Network

Streamed live on BTN260

PENN MONTO/NFCA RANKINGS

No.	Team	Points
1.	Connecticut (7-0)	1,165
2.	Duke (6-1)	1,079
3.	Penn State (7-1)	1,005
4.	Virginia (7-1)	1,001
5.	Delaware (6-1)	975
6.	Syracuse (8-1)	904
7.	North Carolina (6-2)	839
8.	Boston College (6-2)	782
9.	Michigan (5-2)	779
10.	Maryland (5-2)	704
11.	Wake Forest (4-3)	682
12.	Stanford (4-2)	647
13.	James Madison (5-2)	587
14.	Northwestern (5-3)	578
15.	Louisville (4-3)	563
16.	Harvard (4-2)	531
17.	Princeton (1-4)	385
18.	William & Mary (5-3)	331
19.	Iowa (4-5)	277
20.	Albany (3-3)	218
21.	Saint Joseph's (6-2)	173
22.	American (6-2)	166
23.	Rutgers(5-3)	130
24.	Boston University (4-3)	110
25.	Monmouth (5-2)	94

THIS WEEK

The 19th-ranked University of Iowa field hockey team continues its east coast road trip this weekend with a pair of Big Ten matches. The Hawkeyes take on No. 10 Maryland at 2 p.m. (CT) on Friday in College Park, Maryland, before facing No. 23 Rutgers at 11 a.m. on Sunday in Piscataway, New Jersey.

FOLLOW ON THE WEB

Iowa field hockey fans can follow all contests via live stats on hawkeyesports.com. Click on the "Live Stats" link found on the field hockey schedule page to access the live stats feed. Fans can also follow @IowaFieldHockey on Twitter for live in-game updates.

SCOUTING NO. 10 MARYLAND

- Maryland, the 2016 Big Ten Champions, is off to a 5-2 start with a 1-0 conference mark.
- The Terrapins have wins over Saint Joseph's (2-1), Towson (8-0), No. 9 Louisville (1-0), and Bucknell (4-1). Maryland got its first conference win last week against Indiana (3-1) in Bloomington, Indiana.
- Head coach Missy Meharg has been at the helm of Maryland's field hockey program for 30 years. She has led the Terrapins to seven NCAA titles and 23 conference titles.
- Senior midfielder, Lein Holsboer, leads the Terrapins in goals (5) and points (11). She is tied for fourth in the Big Ten in goals and tied for seventh in points in the Big Ten. Holsboer was named Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week Sept. 18.
- Junior goalkeeper, Sarah Holliday, is 5-2 on the season. She ranks second in the Big Ten in goals against average (1.33) and third in the Big Ten in save percentage (.788). Holliday shutout No. 9 Louisville this season, making four saves.
- The Terrapins are currently on a four-match win streak. Their two losses this season came against No. 2 Duke (2-0) and No. 12 Boston College (2-1).

IOWA VS. MARYLAND -- THE SERIES

- Maryland leads the series, 3-11-1.
- The Terrapins won last year's match, 4-2, at Grant Field.

SCOUTING NO. 23 RUTGERS

- The Scarlet Knights enter the weekend ranked 24th in the NFCA Rankings with a 5-3 record. Rutgers opens Big Ten play this weekend against Indiana.
- Rutgers started the season with four straight wins over Kent State (4-1), Towson (9-0), Penn (1-0), and No. 23 Old Dominion (5-1). The Scarlet Knights also defeated Cornell, 2-1, this season.
- The Scarlet Knights are nationally ranked for the first time since 2008. They have suffered losses to No. 12 Princeton (4-1), Saint Joseph's (3-1), and No. 3 Syracuse (4-0).
- Freshman Daphane Groothius leads Rutgers in goals (6) and points (15). She is tied for third in goals and goals per game (0.75) in the Big Ten. Groothius is also tied for fourth in the conference in points.
- Linde van Scaik is second on the team in goals (5) and points (14). She leads the Scarlet Knights in assists and ranks fourth in the Big Ten with four.
- Head coach Meredith Civico enters her sixth season at the helm of Rutgers. She led the Scarlet Knights to nine victories and their second Big Ten Tournament appearance last season.

IOWA VS. RUTGERS -- THE SERIES

- Iowa leads the overall series, 6-1-1.
- The Hawkeyes are undefeated when playing in Piscataway, New Jersey.
- Rutgers won the last match, 2-1, at Grant Field last season.

2017 BIG TEN STANDINGS

	Conf.	Over.
#3 Penn State	1-0	7-1
#10 Maryland	1-0	5-2
#9 Michigan	1-0	5-2
#14 Northwestern	1-0	5-3
#23 Rutgers	0-0	5-3
Indiana	0-1	5-3
Ohio State	0-1	4-3 TM
#19 IOWA	0-1	4-5
Michigan State	0-1	4-5

2017 ROSTER

00 Katie Jones	Sr.
1 Ashley Drum	Fr.
2 Emily Deuell	Fr.
4 Makenna Grewe	Jr.
6 Mallory Lefkowitz	Sr.
7 Ellie Holley	Fr.
8 Nikki Freeman	Fr.
9 Lizzy Cimilluca	Fr.
10 Isabella Brown	Jr.
11 Katie Birch	So.
12 Taylor Omweg	Sr.
15 Riley Kniptash	Jr.
16 Isabella Solaroli	So.
18 Mya Christopher	Fr.
19 Ryley Miller	So.
20 Sophie Sunderland	So.
21 Lucie Daman	Gr.
24 Melissa Progar	Sr.
26 Madeleine Murphy	Fr.
96 Leslie Speight	So.

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MEDIA INFORMATION

INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITY

Members of the University of Iowa field hockey team and coaching staff will be available for interviews each Tuesday before practice during the regular season.

To attend, please contact UI field hockey communications contact Kevin Quinn by phone (708-336-1294) or email (kevin-quinn@uiowa.edu). Be sure to include which coaches and student-athletes you would like to speak with to ensure availability.

FRESHMEN PRODUCTION

• Four of the seven freshmen on the Hawkeye roster have found the scoresheet this season. Maddy Murphy leads the freshmen class in all categories with six goals, three assists, and 15 points.

• Lizzy Cimilluca has two goals for four points, Ellie Holley has two assists for two points, and Nikki Freeman has recorded one assist so far this season.

• Freshmen were a part of all three goals against Penn last weekend. Murphy scored the first goal of the game. Cimilluca scored to tie the game, and Freeman assisted on the game-winning goal.

HAWKEYES VS RANKED OPPONENTS

The Hawkeyes are ranked No. 19 in this week's NFHCA National Rankings (Sept. 19). Four of Iowa's five losses have come to top-15 teams, including No. 15 Wake Forest (2-3), No. 1 North Carolina (0-3), No. 13 Stanford (2-3), and No. 2 Penn State (0-3). Iowa will face five more ranked opponents in 2017, four of which are members of the Big Ten. They include: No. 2 Duke, No. 9 Michigan, No. 10 Maryland, No. 14 Northwestern, and No. 23 Rutgers.

ROAD SUCCESS

• The Hawkeyes will play their sixth and seventh road matches this weekend. Iowa has posted a 3-2 mark on the road this season, falling to No. 13 Stanford and No. 3 Penn State.

• Iowa recorded back-to-back shutouts at California (Sept. 3) and UC Davis (Sept. 4).

Iowa's third road victory came over Penn last weekend, 3-2.

• The Hawkeyes have scored 12 goals, while only allowing eight throughout their road matches.

• The Hawkeyes have two more road matches after this weekend. They face No. 4 Duke on Oct. 8 and Michigan State on Oct. 20.

MURPHY NAMED BIG FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

• Maddy Murphy was named Big Ten Freshman of the Week, the league office announced Sept. 11. It was the first honor of Murphy's career.

• Murphy recorded six points for the Hawkeyes with two goals and two assists in Iowa's 7-1 victory over New Hampshire on Sept. 10

• Murphy is the first Hawkeye to earn Freshman of the Week honors since Sophie Sunderland was honored on Oct. 18, 2016.

SHARING THE WEALTH

• Twelve different Hawkeyes have gotten on the

scoresheet this season, with eight finding the back of the cage.

• Five of Iowa's newcomers are on the 2017 scoresheet. Maddy Murphy, leads all newcomers in goals (6) and points (15). Murphy and Lucie Daman each have three assists.

STATISTICALLY SPEAKING -- INDIVIDUAL STATS

• Sophomore Katie Birch, the 2016 Big Ten Freshman of the Year, currently leads the Hawkeyes in goals (9), points (20), and shots (36). The sophomore leads the Big Ten in goals (9), goals per game (1.00), and points (20). Birch is eighth in the nation in goals per game.

• Freshman Maddy Murphy is second on the team in goals (6), points (15), and shots (17). Murphy is tied for third in goals and tied for fourth in points in the Big Ten.

• Junior Makenna Grewe leads the Hawkeyes and ranks second in the Big Ten with six assists.

• Junior Melissa Progar is second on the team in assists (4). Progar is tied for fourth in assists in the Big Ten

STATISTICALLY SPEAKING -- TEAM STATS

• The Hawkeyes are ranked third in the Big Ten in goals (23) and points (67).

• Iowa's 21 assists are the second-highest mark in the Big Ten.

IOWA IN THE NCAA TOURNAMENT

The Hawkeyes have been selected to the NCAA Tournament 22 times in program history – the most of any school as a member of the Big Ten Conference. The Hawkeyes are 26-23 all-time in tournament play, including 9-5 in first round match-ups and 11-6 in second round contests. Iowa has advanced to 11 NCAA Final Fours, winning the 1986 national championship. The Hawkeyes' 26 tournament victories and 11 NCAA Final Fours are the most of any school as a member of the Big Ten Conference.

LOOKING AHEAD

The Hawkeyes return to Grant Field on Friday, Sept. 29, taking on Indiana at 3 p.m. (CT). The game will be televised on BTN Admission is free.

LINK UP WITH THE HAWKEYES

For an inside look at the Iowa field hockey program and to access exclusive coverage, "like" The University of Iowa Field Hockey Team on Facebook and follow @IowaFieldHockey on Twitter and Instagram.



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2017 SEASON STATS

Iowa Field Hockey IOWA Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 17, 2017) All games

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

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	ps-att	dsv
Aug 26	#15 WAKE FOREST	L 2-3	307	11	Katie Birch	9	9	2	20	36	.250	27	.750	0	2-3	0
Aug 27	#1 NORTH CAROLINA	L 0-3	208	26	Madeleine Murphy	9	6	3	15	17	.353	12	.706	2	0-0	0
9/1/2017	at #13 Stanford	L 2-3	156	6	Mallory Lefkowitz	9	2	0	4	8	.250	5	.625	1	0-0	0
Sep 03	at California	w 3-0	215	20	Sophie Sunderland	9	1	0	2	7	.143	3	.429	0	0-0	0
09/04/17	at UC Davis	w 4-0	85	24	Melissa Progar	9	1	4	6	6	.167	3	.500	0	0-0	0
Sep 08	NEW HAMPSHIRE	Lot 2-3	103	12	Taylor Omweg	9	1	0	2	6	.167	3	.500	1	0-0	0
Sep 10	NEW HAMPSHIRE	w 7-1	103	9	Lizzy Cimilluca	9	2	0	4	5	.400	4	.800	0	0-0	0
* Sep 15	at #2 Penn State	L 0-3	494	16	Isabella Solaroli	9	1	0	2	4	.250	3	.750	0	0-0	0
Sep 17	at Penn	w 3-2	322	7	Ellie Holley	9	0	2	2	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-0	0
				21	Lucie Daman	9	0	3	3	3	.000	1	.333	0	0-0	0
				4	Makenna Grewe	9	0	6	6	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0	0
				8	Nikki Freeman	9	0	1	1	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				19	Ryley Miller	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				1	Ashley Drum	4	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				2	Emily Deuell	4	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				18	Mya Christopher	9	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	1
				10	Isabella Brown	7	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				15	Riley Kniptash	7	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
					Total	9	23	21	67	99	.232	63	.636	4	2-3	2
					Opponents	9	18	13	49	89	.202	57	.640	5	2-3	3

TEAM STATISTICS IOWA OPP

SHOT STATISTICS

Goals-Shot attempts	23-99	18-89
Goals scored per game	2.56	2.00
Shot pct.	.232	.202
Shots on goal-Attempts	63-99	57-89
SOG pct.	.636	.640
Shots/Game	11.0	9.9
PENALTY CORNERS	45	40
PENALTY STROKES	2-3	2-3
PENALTIES		
Green cards	4	5
Yellow cards	2	1
Red cards	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	721	1272
Dates/Avg Per Date	4/180	5/254
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
00	Katie Jones	9	628:15	18	2.01	37	.673	4-5-0	2/0
	Total	9	628:15	18	2.01	39	.684	4-5-0	2
	Opponents	9	628:15	23	2.56	40	.635	5-4-0	2

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	9	14	0	23
Opponents	6	11	1	18

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	42	57	0	99
Opponents	36	51	2	89

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	14	24	1	39
Opponents	16	24	0	40

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	16	29	0	45
Opponents	16	22	0	38





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2017 CONFERENCE STATS

Iowa Field Hockey IOWA Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 18, 2017) Conference games

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

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
* Sep 15	at #2 Penn State	L 0-3	494

TEAM STATISTICS	IOWA	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	0-12	3-18
Goals scored per game	0.00	3.00
Shot pct.	.000	.167
Shots on goal-Attempts	10-12	12-18
SOG pct.	.833	.667
Shots/Game	12.0	18.0
PENALTY CORNERS	9	6
PENALTY STROKES	0-0	1-1
PENALTIES		
Green cards	0	1
Yellow cards	0	0
Red cards	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	0	494
Dates/Avg Per Date	0/0	1/494
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	ps-att	dsv
11	Katie Birch	1	0	0	0	6	.000	5	.833	0	0-0	0
21	Lucie Daman	1	0	0	0	2	.000	1	.500	0	0-0	0
12	Taylor Omweg	1	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	0
7	Ellie Holley	1	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	0
24	Melissa Progar	1	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	0
26	Madeleine Murphy	1	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	0
16	Isabella Solaroli	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
18	Mya Christopher	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	1
20	Sophie Sunderland	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
9	Lizzy Cimilluca	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
8	Nikki Freeman	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
6	Mallory Lefkowitz	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
4	Makenna Grewe	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
2	Emily Deuell	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
Total		1	0	0	0	12	.000	10	.833	0	0-0	1
Opponents		1	3	2	8	18	.167	12	.667	1	1-1	2

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
00	Katie Jones	1	70:00	3	3.00	8	.727	0-1-0	0/0
Total		1	70:00	3	3.00	9	.750	0-1-0	0
Opponents		1	70:00	0	0.00	10	1.000	1-0-0	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
IOWA	0	0	0
Opponents	1	2	3

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
IOWA	6	6	12
Opponents	8	10	18

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
IOWA	3	6	9
Opponents	6	4	10

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	Total
IOWA	4	5	9
Opponents	4	2	6

