

# IOWA HAWKEYES

University of Iowa Athletic Communications – Seth Goodman Women's Golf Contact



## WOMEN'S GOLF WEEKLY RELEASE

March 2, 2018

### 2017-18 SCHEDULE

DATE	TOURNAMENT	START TIME/RESULTS
Sept. 11	Branch Law Firm Invitational	T-7/15
Sept. 12	Branch Law Firm Invitational	T-7/15
Sept. 18	Mercedes Benz Women's Collegiate	T-12/15
Sept. 19	Mercedes Benz Women's Collegiate	12/15
Oct. 13	UNC Tar Heel Invitational	T-14/18
Oct. 14	UNC Tar Heel Invitational	16/18
Oct. 15	UNC Tar Heel Invitational	18/18
Oct. 27	Ladies Fall Collegiate	11/13
Oct. 28	Ladies Fall Collegiate	10/13
Oct. 29	Ladies Fall Collegiate	10/13
Feb. 25	Westbrook Spring Invitational	14/15
Feb. 26	Westbrook Spring Invitational	15/15
<b>March 5</b>	<b>Arizona Wildcat Invitational</b>	<b>8:30</b>
<b>March 6</b>	<b>Arizona Wildcat Invitational</b>	<b>9:00</b>
March 16	Hawkeye-El Tigre Invitational	TBD
March 17	Hawkeye-El Tigre Invitational	TBD
March 23	Arizona State Invitational	TBD
March 24	Arizona State Invitational	TBD
March 25	Arizona State Invitational	TBD
April 1	Bruzy Challenge	TBD
April 2	Bruzy Challenge	TBD
April 3	Bruzy Challenge	TBD
April 20-22	Big Ten Tournament	TBD

\*All times Central

### 2017-18 ROSTER

Name	Year	Hometown
Annalee Dannegger	Fr.	Wheaton, Ill.
Rachel Fujitani	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz.
Kristin Glesne	Jr.	San Antonio, Texas
Stephanie Herzog	Fr.	Red Wing, Minn.
Jessica Ip	Sr.	Richmond Hill, Canada
Anna Kim	Sr.	Tulsa, Okla.
Morgan Kukla	Sr.	Winthrop Harbor, Ill.
Sophie Liu	So.	Vancouver, Canada
Sarah Overton	So.	Iowa City, Iowa
Shawn Rennegarbe	Jr.	Addieville, Ill.
Elisa Suarez	Sr.	Oviedo, Spain

### STAFF

Megan Menzel	Head Coach	(7th Year)
Michael Roters	Assistant Coach	(3rd Year)
Bill Maxwell	Strength & Conditioning	
Jennie Sertterh	Athletic Trainer	

### THIS WEEK

The University of Iowa women's golf team travels to Tucson, Arizona, to compete in the Arizona Wildcat Invitational on Monday and Tuesday.

### THE SCHEDULE

- Monday, March 5 -- First Round-- 8:30 a.m. (CT)
- Tuesday, March 6 -- Third Round -- 9:00 a.m. (CT)

### FOLLOW ALONG

Live scoring will be available throughout the tournament on [Golfstat.com](http://Golfstat.com). Links can be found on the Iowa women's golf schedule page at [hawkeyesports.com](http://hawkeyesports.com).

### THE COMPETITION

The field includes 17 teams (Golfstat Relative Rankings): Arizona (22), Augusta State, Denver (41), Grand Canyon, Iowa, Kansas State, Long Beach State, Missouri, Northern Arizona, North Carolina State (26), New Mexico State, New Mexico, Portland State, Purdue (25), Texas (7), UCLA (1), and UNLV (40).

### LINEUP

Seniors Jessica Ip and Morgan Kukla, junior Shawn Rennegarbe, and freshman Rachel Fujitani and Stephanie Herzog compete this week. Sophomore Sarah Overton will be making her Hawkeye debut this week. The lineup will be finalized on Saturday.

### THE COURSE

- The Sewailo Golf Club is one of the most premier golf experiences in Arizona.
- Notah Begay III designed the course to include the natural landscape of the land which includes rolling natural desert terrain, arroyos and streams with elevation changes, natural hazards, and smooth undulating greens.

### HISTORICALLY AT THE ARIZONA WILDCAT INVITE

- This will be Iowa's first time competing in this tournament.
- Iowa last competed in Tucson during the 2012-13 season, they finished the Mountain View Collegiate in eighth with a 54-hole score of 889 (+25).

### LAST TIME OUT

Iowa opened spring season at the Westbrook Spring Invitational, carding a 54-hole score of 885 (+21) to finish 15th.

- The Hawkeyes carded a 36-hole score of 582 (+6), the third best score in program history.
- Senior Jessica Ip shot her way in to the record book, carding an 18-hole score of 67 (-5), ties for first in program and history, and her 36-hole score of 142 (-2) is tied for fifth in program history. She finished tied 42nd with a 54-hole score of 218 (+2).
- Freshman Rachel Fujitani made her Hawkeye debut, competing as an individual, posting a three-round score of 224 to finish tied for 68th.



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Name	Place	To Par	Total
Iowa	15	+21	885
Jessica Ip	T-42	+2	218
Morgan Kukla	T-52	+4	220
Shawn Rennegarbe	T-68	+8	224
Rachel Fujitani	T-68	+8	224
Elisa Suarez	78	+12	228
Morgan Kukla	79	+13	229
Sophie Liu	85	+24	240

### FOLLOW THE HAWKEYES

Web Address: [hawkeyesports.com](http://hawkeyesports.com) (check the schedule page for live stat links)

Facebook: [facebook.com/iowawomensgolf](https://facebook.com/iowawomensgolf)

Twitter: [@iowaWomensGolf](https://twitter.com/iowaWomensGolf)

Live Scoring: [Golfstat.com](http://Golfstat.com)

### SEWAILO GOLF CLUB

HOLE	YARDS	PAR
1	364	4
2	360	4
3	138	3
4	384	4
5	475	5
6	421	4
7	157	3
8	544	5
9	390	4
OUT	3,233	36
10	550	5
11	394	4
12	376	4
13	176	3
14	555	5
15	134	3
16	328	4
17	383	4
18	390	4
IN	3,286	36
TOTAL	6,519	72

### COMPETING WITH THE BEST

- Through five tournaments, Iowa has competed against 32 top-50 teams according to Golfstat Relative Rankings.
- Six of those 29 opponents are ranked in the top-10, including No. 1 Stanford and No. 2 Alabama.
- Iowa has faced 16 top-25 opponents this season.
- Iowa opened the season at the Branch Law Firm Invitational, finishing tying for 7th with No. 18 ranked Iowa State and New Mexico.
- The Hawkeyes will face seven more top-50 ranked opponents this week -- including No. 1 UCLA.

### ETCHING INTO THE RECORD BOOKS

- Ip opened up the spring by carding an 18-hole score of 67 (-5) to tie for first in program history for 18-holes. Her 36-hole score of 142 (-2) to begin the spring is tied fifth in program history.
- The Hawkeyes carded a 36-hole score of 582 (+6) at the Westbrook Spring Invitational last week, that is tied third in program history.
- Iowa's 54-hole score of 885 (+21) to begin the spring is seventh in program history.
- In the fall, Iowa notched six team records and seven individual records.

### THREE NAMED BIG TEN PRESEASON HONOREES

Three members of the University of Iowa women's golf team -- seniors Jessica Ip and Morgan Kukla, and sophomore Sophie Liu -- were named 2017-18 Big Ten Women's Golf Preseason Honorees.

- Ip competed in all six competitions last spring, finishing with a 74.2 stroke average -- the best on the team.
- Liu competed in all six competitions last season, scoring a 77.0 stroke average -- the second best on the team.
- Kukla appeared in seven of Iowa's 10 tournaments last season, carding a career-best 18-hole score of 71 (-1) at the Hawkeye El-Tigre Invitational.

### HAWKEYE NEWCOMERS

This season, the Hawkeyes welcome three newcomers -- Annalee Dannegger, Rachel Fujitani, and Stephanie Herzog-- to the 2017-18 squad. Dannegger is from Wheaton, Illinois, Fujitani is from Phoenix, Arizona, and Herzog is from Red Wing, Minnesota.

### ON THE HORIZON:

Iowa travel to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, to compete in the Hawkeye-El Tigre Invitational on March 16-17.

