### FEB. 25 & 28 | AT ILLINOIS | AT INDIANA



# IOWA HAWKEYES WOMEN'S SOCCER

ESTABLISHED 1997 | 11 BIG TEN TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES | 2 NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time</u>
Feb. 20	at Wisconsin	L, 0-1
Feb. 25	at Illinois	3 p.m.
Feb. 28	at Indiana	Noon
March 4	Michigan	Noon
March 8	Northwestern	11 a.m.
March 14	Minnesota	TBA
March 18	at Rutgers	Noon
March 21	at Maryland	11 a.m.
March 25	Penn State	2 p.m.
March 28	Purdue	1 p.m.
April 3	at Nebraska	1 pm.
April 8-11	Big Ten Wildcard Weekend	TBA
April 15	Big Ten Tournament	TBA

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### **THIS WEEK**

The University of Iowa soccer team hits the road for a pair of Big Ten Conference contests beginning with a Thursday afternoon game at Illinois. The game will begin at 3 p.m. (CT) at Demirjian Park in Champaign, Illinois. The Hawkeyes then will head to Bloomington, Indiana, for a Sunday matinee against Indiana. Game time is set for noon at Bill Armstrong Stadium.

Due to the coronavirus pandemic, general admission fans will not be permitted to attend the contests.

### WATCH/FOLLOW LIVE

- Both Thursday and Sunday's games will be streamed live on BTN+.
- Live stats will be available on hawkeyesports.com.

• Fans can follow the lowa soccer program on Twitter (@HawkeyeSoccer) for live in-game updates.

### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

• Head coach Dave Dilanni is in his seventh season at the helm of the soccer program. In 2019, Dilanni led the Hawkeyes to a 15-5-1 overall record and an at-large berth into the NCAA Tournament for the second time in program history.

• lowa returns six starters from a team that won a school-record 15 games in 2019. The Hawkeyes must replace a senior class that accounted for 25 goals and included the all-time wins leader Claire Graves in goal.

• Three Hawkeyes -- Hailey Rydberg, Sara Wheaton, and Samantha Cary -- were named to the Big Ten Preseason Honors List. Iowa was picked to finish sixth of 14 teams in the preseason coaches' poll.

• Junior Samantha Tawharu and sophomore Gianna Gourley return as the team's top two goal scorers with five apiece. Tawharu scored five goals on just 19 shots and she finished with 15 points -- one off the team lead.

• The Hawkeyes have eight newcomers -- all freshman -- to round out the 28-player roster.

• Juniors Hailey Rydberg and Riley Whitaker were voted team captains for the 2021 spring season.

• The Hawkeyes will play 11 games over a seven-week period before competing in a Big Ten







Dave Dilanni is entering his seventh season as head coach for the University of Iowa women's soccer program. Dilanni was tabbed as the fifth coach in program history on May 17, 2014, coming to the UI following an 11-year head coaching stint at Grand Valley State.

Dilanni, a native of Ontario, Canada, has amassed a 282-70-26 career record and guided three Grand Valley State teams to three NCAA Division II national championships, nine-consecutive Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletics Conference (GLIAC) titles, seven Final Four appearances in eight seasons, 11-straight NCAA Tournament berths, while coaching 21 All-Americans.

Dilanni's .895 winning percentage was tops in NCAA Division II history. In six seasons at Iowa, Dilanni has 61-50-8 record.

Dilanni led the Hawkeyes to one of the best seasons in program history in 2019. Iowa tied a school record, winning its first nine games of the season, which included road wins at No. 14 NC State and Notre Dame. It resulted in the Hawkeyes achieving the highest ranking — No. 19 — in program history.

lowa finished with 15 wins to tie the single-season record and it earned an at-large berth into the NCAA Tournament for the second time in program history. The Hawkeyes won seven games in Big Ten play to tie a program record and the fifth place finish was tied for the second-highest finish in school history. Iowa also finished with a school-record nine victories at the Iowa Soccer Complex.

The Hawkeyes won with a potent offense and a stout defense. Iowa finished with 45 goals in 2019 with an NCAA-best 16 different goal scorers. The team ranked second in the Big Ten and 26th nationally in scoring, while posting eight shutouts. Senior Claire Graves finished had 14 wins in 2019 — the second-most in school history — and finished with a school record 37 victories in four years.

At season's end, three Hawkeyes — Natalie Winters, Devin Burns, and Gianna Gourley — earned All-Big Ten recognition. Winters became the first player to earn all-league honors all four seasons and she also garnered all-region honors for a second straight season.

### **DIIANNI YEAR-BY-YEAR**

2003 GVSU	17-2-2	2015 lowa	7-10-1
2004 GVSU	15-5	2016 <u>lowa</u>	8-11-0
2005 GVSU	19-3	2017 lowa	9-8-2
2006 GVSU	19-2-1	2018 <u>lowa</u>	
2007 GVSU	21-1-1	2019 <u>lowa</u>	15-5-1
2008 GVSU	22-1	2021 lowa	0-1-0
2009 GVSU	22-0-4	At GVSU	221-18-18
2010 GVSU	22-1-2	At Iowa	61-50-8
2011 GVSU	20-1-4	Career Totals	282-70-26
2012 GVSU	20-2-3		
2013 GVSU	24-0-1		
2014 Jowa	14-7-1		

Wildcard Weekend from April 8-11. The semifinals of the Big Ten Tournament will be held April 15, but it will include only four teams.

### LAST GAME

• Iowa opened the season with a 1-0 loss at Wisconsin on Feb. 20 in Loves Park, Illinois. The Badgers scored in the 10th minute en route to the win. The game marked the Hawk-eyes' first competition as a team since the NCAA Tournament in 2019.

### HAWKEYE DEBUTS

Five Hawkeye freshmen made their debuts against Wisconsin. Aleisha Ganief and Maggie Johnston made their first career starts, while Rielee Fetty, Jalyn Mosley, and Meike Ingles all entered as reserves. Ganief played all 90 minutes.

### 90 TRACKER

Three Hawkeye position players played the duration of the season-opener at Wisconsin. They were Samantha Cary (1), Aleisha Ganief (1), and Sara Wheaton (1).

### **DEFENSIVE DEFENDERS**

The Hawkeyes most experienced position on the roster is the defender position where juniors Sara Wheaton and Riley Whitaker and sophomore Sam Cary started every game in 2019. The trio was instrumental in Iowa allowing just 18 goals in 21 games and posting six shutouts.

• The trio has started 101 combined games in their Hawkeye careers.

### FRESH HAWKEYES

A year after having one of the most veteran teams in the nation, the Hawkeyes will be one of the youngest. Iowa has only one senior on the 2021 spring roster in Diane Senkowski. Eighteen of the 28 players on the roster are underclassmen.

### WHO'S IN GOAL

For the first time in four seasons, lowa has a starter not named Claire Graves in goal. Redshirt sophomore Monica Wilhelm is the only goalkeeper with game experience. The Illinois native allowed a single goal and made one save in her first career start Feb. 20 at Wisconsin.

### 2021 HOME GAMES "AWAY" FROM HOME

The Hawkeyes will play "home" games away from Iowa City for at least the early portion of the 2021 season. Iowa will play its first two home games at the TBK Banks Sports Complex in Bettendorf on March 4 and March 8. The Hawkeyes also could also play games in Cedar Rapids at Mount Mercy.

### **ROSTER BREAKDOWN**

 The Hawkeyes have 28 players on the 2021 roster, which includes 10 freshmen/redshirt freshmen.

• Junior Samantha Tawharu and sophomore Gianna Gourley return after combining to start 16 games (eight apiece) during their first Hawkeye seasons. Junior Skylar Alward scored two goals in 18 games as a reserve as a sophomore

• The Hawkeye midfielder are anchored by junior Hailey Rydberg. The St. Charles, Illinois, native started 11 games as a sophomore and has 24 career starts. Junior Josie Durr has three career goals in 33 career games (11 starts).

Along with sophomore Monica Wilhelm, the Hawkeyes have a total of three underclass-





men at the goalkeeper position. Redshirt freshman Sabrina Shaw and freshman Macy Enneking have no collegiate experience.

• The Hawkeyes welcome eight newcomers to the mix in 2021, including two players --Enneking and Jayln Mosley -- who joined the program last January.

• Forward/defender Aleisha Ganief played on the Canadian National Team, joining Tawharu, who was a part of the New Zealand Youth National Team prior to becoming a Hawkeye.

### **NEW DIGS ON THE HORIZON**

Construction is underway on the new soccer operations facility at the lowa Soccer Complex. The \$4 million facility, which is expected to open in time for the 2021 fall season, will include a spacious locker room and lounge area, multi-purpose space, athletic training space, visiting team and official locker rooms, and a press box.

### **SCOUTING REPORT**

• Illinois opened the season with a 1-0 road victory at Purdue. Junior Makena Silber scored the game's only goal in the 80th minute to seal the shutout win.

• The Fighting Illini, who were 9-8-1 last season, were picked to finish 10th in the Big Ten Preseason Coaches' Poll.

• Indiana's opener against Northwestern also came down to the wire , as the Wildcats netted the game-winning goal in the 85th minute to secure the 1-0 victory.

• The Hoosiers posted an 8-9-2 overall record in 2019, including a 4-5-2 mark in Big Ten play. This season, Indiana was picked to finish eighth in the preseason poll.

### **SERIES HISTORY**

• Iowa is 9-14-1 all-time against Illinois. The Hawkeyes won the most recent meeting, 3-1, in 2019.

• The Hawkeyes also defeated Indiana, 2-0, during the 2019 season. Iowa leads the all-time series 12-9-1.

### **UP NEXT**

The Hawkeyes will host Michigan at the TBK Sports Complex in Bettendorf, Iowa, for their "home opener" on March 4. Game time is set for noon.

TEAM	COMPARISON
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Below is a look at how lowa stacks up against this week's opponents.

Overall Record Home Away Neutral Conference Record Last 5 games	<b>IOWA</b> 0-1-0 0-0-0 0-1-0 0-0-0 0-1-0 2-2-1	<b>ILL</b> 1-0-0 0-0-0 1-0-0 0-0-0 1-0-0 2-2-1	IND 0-1-0 0-0-0 0-1-0 0-0-0 0-1-0 1-4-0
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Goals Against	1	0	1
GAA	1.0	0.0	1.0
Saves	1	4	5
Saves Percentage	.500	1.000	.833
Shutouts	0	1	0
Corner Kicks	4	5	4
Fouls	12	10	11
Cards (Y-R)	0-0	0-0	1-0

### 2021 B1G STANDINGS

	Big	Ten		0ve	erall						
Team	W-L-T	Pct.	Pts.	W-L-T	Pct.						
Illinois	1-0-0	1.000	3	1-0-0	1.000						
Northwestern	1-0-0	1.000	3	1-0-0	1.000						
Rutgers	1-0-0	1.000	3	1-0-0	1.000						
Wisconsin	1-0-0	1.000	3	1-0-0	1.000						
Maryland	0-0-1	.500	1	10-0-1	.500						
Michigan	0-0-1	.500	1	0-0-1	.500						
Michigan State	0-0-1	.500	1	0-0-1	.500						
Minnesota	0-0-1	.500	1	0-0-1	.500						
Nebraska	0-0-1	.500	1	0-0-1	.500						
Ohio State	0-0-1	.500	1	0-0-1	.500						
Indiana	0-1-0	.000	0	0-1-0	.000						
lowa	0-1-0	.000	0	0-1-0	.000						
Penn State	0-1-0	.000	0	0-1-0	.000						
Purdue	0-1-0	.000	0	0-1-0	.000						

### Feb. 25

Maryland at Purdue Nebraska at Michigan State Minnesota at Michigan Rutgers at Indiana Wisconsin at Ohio State Iowa at Illinois Penn State at Northwestern

### Feb. 28

Minnesota at Michigan State Nebraska at Ohio State Rutgers at Purdue Penn State at Illinois Maryland at Northwestern Iowa at Indiana March 1 Wisconsin at Michigan

#### March 4

Michigan at Iowa Indiana at Penn State Ohio State at Maryland Northwestern at Minnesota Illinois at Wisconisn Michigan State at Rugers Purdue at Nebraska





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*	02/20/2021	at Wisconsin	L	0-1	0

#### **Team statistics**

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Goals-Shot attempts	0-5	1-3
Goals scored per game	0	1
Shot pct.	.000	.333
Shots on goal-Attempts	1-5	2-3
SOG pct.	.200	.667
Shots/Game	5	3
Assists	0	1
GOAL BREAKDOWN		
Total Goals	0	1
Penalty	0	0
Unassisted	-	-
Overtime	0	0
Goals scored average	0	1
CORNER KICKS	4	3
Goals off corners	-	-
PENALTY KICKS	0-0	0-0
OFFSIDES	1	1
PENALTIES		
Fouls	12	10
Yellow cards	0	0
Red cards	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	0	0
Dates/Avg Per Date	0/0	1/0
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	-

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7	Alward, Skylar		1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
18	Senkowski, Diane		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
6	Fetty, Rielee		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
24	Wheaton, Sara		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
25	Durr, Josie		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
10	Ganief, Aleisha		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
9	Cary, Samantha		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
15	Cramin, Samantha	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
16	Hellweg, Olivia		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
21	Johnston, Maggie		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
32	Gourley, Gianna		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
19	Cape, Jenny		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
12	Mosley, Jalyn		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
8	Massa, Natalie		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
28	Wilhelm, Monica		1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.0	00	0	0-0
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### **Goals by Periods**

Team	1st	2nd	OT1	ОТ2	TOTAL
lowa	0	0	0	0	0
Opponents	1	0	0	0	1

### Shots by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	0T1	ОТ2	TOTAL
Iowa	3	2	0	0	5
Opponents	1	2	0	0	3

#### **Saves by Periods**

Team	1st	2nd	OT1	OT2	TOTAL
Iowa	0	1	0	0	1
Opponents	0	1	0	0	1

### **Corners by Periods**

Team	1st	2nd	0T1	ОТ2	TOTAL
lowa	1	3	0	0	4
Opponents	1	2	0	0	3

#### **Fouls by Periods**

Team	1st	2nd	OT1	ОТ2	TOTAL	
Iowa	5	7	0	0	12	
Opponents	5	5	0	0	10	







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GAME 1	
Wisconsin 1, Iowa 0 Feb. 20, 2021 Loves Park, Illinois	
Goals by Period 1 2 OT O2 T   lowa (0-1, 0-1) 0 0   0   Wisconsin (1-0, 1-0) 1 0   1	
Scoring Summary 9:25 UW Claire Odmark (Emma Jaskaniec)	
Shots: Iowa 5, Wisconsin 3 Corner Kicks: Iowa 4, Wisconsin 3 Saves: Iowa, 1 (Wilhelm, 1), Wisconsin (Bloomer, 1) Cautions:	
<b>Iowa Starters:</b> Wilhelm (GK), Rydberg, Alward, Cary, Ganief, Hellweg, Cape, Johnston, Wheaton, Durr, Tawharu	
<b>Iowa Subs:</b> Fetty, Massa, Mosley, Ingles, Cramin, Senkowski, Gourley	



### 2021 ROSTER

#### **NUMERICAL ROSTER**

NOMERICAL ROSTER					
No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown/High School (Last School)
0	Sabrina Shaw	GK	5-9	RS Fr.	Zionsville, Ind./Zionsville Community
1	Macy Enneking	GK	5-9	Fr.	Hilliard, Ohio/Hilliard Bradley
2	Hailey Rydberg	М	5-8	Jr.	St. Charles, III./St. Charles North
3	Daisy Light	F	5-10	So.	Louisville, Colo./Monarch
4	Faith Mulder	F/D	6-0	Fr.	Holland, Mich./Holland Christian
5	Riley Whitaker	D	5-6	Jr.	Ankeny, Iowa/Ankeny
6	Rielee Fetty	М	5-6	Fr.	Clarkston, Mich./Clarkston
7	Skylar Alward	F	5-7	Jr.	Littleton, Colo./Columbine
8	Natalie Massa	D/M	5-6	So.	Naperville, III./Waubonsie Valley
9	Samantha Cary	D	5-8	So.	St. Charles, Mo./Francis Howell North
10	Aleisha Ganief	F/D	5-10	Fr.	Vancouver, B.C., Canada/Burnaby Central Secondary School
12	Jalyn Mosley	D	5-8	Fr.	Irvine, Calif./Prospect (III.)
13	Zoë Bessert	F	5-9	Fr.	Grosse Pointe, Mich./Grosse Pointe North
14	Meike Ingles	F	5-2	Fr.	Shelby Township, Mich./Utica Eisenhower
15	Samantha Cramin	F	5-4	So.	Northbrook, III./Glenbrook North
16	Olivia Hellweg	Μ	5-8	Jr.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa/Cedar Rapids Kennedy
18	Diane Senkowski	D	5-9	Sr.	Livonia, Mich./Adlai E. Stevenson
19	Jenny Cape	F	5-9	Jr.	Brookfield, Wis./Brookfield Central
21	Maggie Johnston	M/F	5-6	Fr.	Corona, Calif./Santiago
22	Grace Necker	D/M	5-6	RS So.	Bettendorf, Iowa/Pleasant Valley
23	Adrianna Naumoski	F	5-9	RS So.	St. John, Ind./Lake Central
24	Sara Wheaton	D	5-6	Jr.	Chandler, Ariz./Basha
25	Josie Durr	М	5-8	RS Jr.	Solon, Iowa/Solon
27	Samantha Tawharu	F	5-7	Jr.	Green Bay, Auckland, New Zealand/Forrest Hill Milford
28	Monica Wilhelm	GK	5-10	RS So.	Antioch, III./Antioch Community
31	Hannah Rittenhouse	F	5-9	RS Fr.	Geneva, III./St. Francis
32	Gianna Gourley	F	5-9	So.	Las Vegas, Nev./Bishop Gorman
33	Riley Burns	D	5-5	Jr.	Green Oaks, III./Loyola Academy

### **COACHING STAFF**

Head Coach: Dave Dilanni (Spring Arbor University, 1997, 7th Year) Associate Head Coach: Blair Quinn (Rockhurst, 2005, 2nd Year) Assistant Coach: Katelyn Longino (Columbus State, 2016, 3rd Year) Volunteer Assistant Coach: Drago Ceranic (Mount Mercy, 2010, 3rd Year) Director, Soccer Operations: Stephanie Burak (Michigan, 2016, 3rd Year)

#### **SQUAD ANALYSIS**

Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 13/15 Total Players/Newcomers: 28/8 Class Breakdown: Freshman -10, Sophomores -8, Juniors - 9, Seniors - 1 Newcomer Breakdown: 8 -- Freshman States/Countries: Iowa 4, Illinois 6, Michigan 5, California 2, Colorado 2, Indiana 2, Arizona 1, Ohio 1, Missouri 1, Nevada 1, Wisconsin 1, Canada 1, New Zealand 1.



#### **PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

Stephanie <b>Burak</b>	BYUR-ack
Drago <b>Ceranic</b>	Cera-nich
Dave <b>Dilanni</b>	Di-Awn-ee
Aleisha <b>Ganief</b>	Gun-eef
Gianna <b>Gourley</b>	Gurley
Meike Ingles	Micah
Natalie <b>Massa</b>	Mass-uh
Adrianna <b>Naumoski</b>	Nuh-Mah-ski
Hailey <b>Rydberg</b>	Ry-berg
Samantha <b>Tawharu</b>	Tuh-hair-ru



