



# IOWA HAWKEYES

## ROWING

### 2022 SCHEDULE

<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>
March 25	vs. Ohio State, Syracuse, Yale (Cherry Hill, NJ)
<b>April 7-8</b>	<b>at Big Ten Invitational (Sarasota, Fla.)</b>
April 15	at Kansas (Kansas City, Kan.)
April 21-22	at Lake Wheeler Invitational (Raleigh, NC)
April 29-30	vs. California, Stanford, SMU (I Redwood Shores, Calif.)
May 14	at Big Ten Championships (Indianapolis)
May 26-28	NCAA Rowing Championships (Cherry Hill, NJ)

### HEAD COACH JEFF GARBUTT, SR.

Jeff Garbutt was named the fourth head coach in the history of the University of Iowa rowing program in October 2021.

In Garbutt's first season as Iowa's head coach, the Hawkeyes placed 5th at the Big Ten Championships - the program's best finish since 2019. During the season, a program record four boats were honored with the Big Ten Boat of the Week award.

Garbutt was an assistant coach on the Iowa staff for seven years from 2013-20. During that time, he helped Iowa reach heights the program had not seen before, qualifying for the NCAA Championships three consecutive years from 2017-19 and reaching No. 7 in the national rankings in 2018, the highest in program history. He returns to Iowa City from La Salle University, where he led the men's and women's rowing programs from 2020-21.

Garbutt was on staff in 2017 and 2018 when Iowa was named College Rowing Coaches Association Region 4 Staff of the Year. In 2017, Iowa broke a 16-year NCAA Championship drought and placed 12th nationally. The following year, the Hawkeyes placed a program-best fourth in the Big Ten and set a school scoring record at NCAA's, putting up 69 points and placing 11th.

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HEAD COACH | JEFF GARBUTT, SR. (2ND YEAR)

### THIS WEEK

University of Iowa rowing travels to Sarasota, Florida., for the Big Ten Invitational on April 7-8 at Nathan Benderson Park.

### EVENT SCHEDULE

\*All times Central-Standard Time

Friday:

AM - 8:30: 2V8 | 8:40: 1V8 | 9:50: 2V4 | 10:00: 1V4 | 10:20: 3V4 | 10:40: 4V8 | 11:20: 3V8

PM - 1:55: 2V8 | 2:05: 1V8 | 3:15: 2V4 | 3:25: 1V4 | 4:25: 4V8 | 4:55: 3V8

Saturday:

AM - 8:10: 2V8 | 8:20: 1V8 | 9:30: 2V4 | 9:40: 1V4 | 10:40: 4V8 | 11:00: 3V8

### ABOUT THE HAWKEYES

- Juniors Emma Dabinett and Abbey Klostermann enter the 2023 season after receiving first and second team all-Big Ten honors in the 2022 season.
- Iowa recorded a program-high four Big Ten Boat of the Week honors during the 2022 championship season.
- The Hawkeye's placed fifth at the 2022 Big Ten Championships - the program's best finish since 2019.
- Junior Hailey Mercuri represented her home country of Canada in the U23 World Rowing Championships during July in Varese, Italy.
- Senior Molly Rygh was a Big Ten Sportsmanship Honoree recipient at the 2022 Big Ten Championships.
- Iowa's roster represents a total of six countries and nine states, including 39 athletes from Iowa.
- Iowa's coaching staff includes associate head coach Megan Fitzpatrick, and assistant coaches Katie Thurstin and Lowell McNicholas.

### CLIMBING THE RANKS

Iowa received a total of 90 votes in the latest edition of the CRCA Pocock Poll, nearing in on the national top-20 ranking. The Hawkeyes spent 10 weeks receiving votes throughout the course of the 2022 spring season.

### GREAT COMPETITION

The Hawkeyes will face another slew of high-level opponents at the B1G Invitational - where eight of the nation's top-20 teams will be racing (#2 Duke, #6 Brown, #11 Ohio State, #13 Michigan, #15 SMU, #18 Tennessee, #19 Alabama, #20 Indiana).

### QUOTE FROM HEAD COACH JEFF GARBUTT

"We are really excited for the opportunity to travel down to Sarasota and race eight of the top-20 ranked teams in the country on a world-class course. It will be a great weekend of competition for the Hawkeyes."

### FOLLOW THE HAWKEYES

Fans can follow the Iowa rowing program on social media via Instagram (@iowa\_rowing) and Facebook (iowawomensrowing) with live updates on Twitter (@iowarowing).

### UP NEXT

The Hawkeyes will be back in action on April 15 in Kansas City, Kansas to take on the Kansas Jayhawks.

