



# IOWA FIELD HOCKEY

**WEEK 9: MICHIGAN STATE (OCT. 20) & NO. 25 OHIO STATE (OCT. 22)**

## 2017 SCHEDULE (5-10) (1-5)

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 * .....	L, 1-2
9/24.....at #23 Rutgers * .....	L, 0-1
9/29.....vs. Indiana * ! .....	W, 4-3
10/8.....at #2 Duke.....	L, 2-4
10/13.....vs. #9 Northwestern * # .....	L, 4-5
10/15.....vs. #4 Michigan * # .....	L, 2-3
10/20.....at Michigan State * .....	2 p.m.
10/22.....vs. # 24 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 (14-0)	1,174 (46)
2.	Duke (12-2)	1,070 (1)
3.	Virginia (12-2)	1,027
4.	Michigan (13-2)	1,022
5.	North Carolina (12-3)	894
6.	Penn State (12-3)	856
7.	Louisville (11-4)	802
8.	Northwestern (12-4)	785
9.	Boston College (11-5)	747
10.	Syracuse (11-4)	745
11.	Delaware (10-4)	715
12.	Maryland (10-5)	655
13.	Wake Forest (9-6)	588
14.	Princeton (8-6)	538
15.	Harvard (10-3)	499
16.	James Madison (8-5)	382
17.	Stanford (8-6)	366
18.	William & Mary (11-4)	337
19.	Saint Joseph's (13-3)	334
20.	Albany (9-5)	251
21.	Rutgers (9-6)	234
22.	Boston University (9-6)	228
23.	Massachusetts (11-5)	162
24.	Ohio State (8-7)	153
25.	Iowa (5-10)	93

## THIS WEEK

The 25th-ranked University of Iowa field hockey team concludes the regular season this weekend. The Hawkeyes face Michigan State at 2 p.m. (CT) on Friday in East Lansing, Michigan and finish the season against Ohio State at 1 p.m. on Sunday at Grant Field. Iowa will honor its seniors before Sunday's match.

## FOLLOW ON THE WEB

Iowa field hockey fans can follow all contests via live stats on [hawkeyesports.com](http://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 MICHIGAN STATE

- The Spartans enter the weekend ranked sixth in the Big Ten with an 8-8 (2-4) record. They are 2-4 on their home turf.
- Michigan State has wins over UC Davis (2-1), California (5-4) in double overtime, Vermont (4-3) in overtime, Yale (4-0), Miami (Ohio) (3-2), Ohio State (2-1) in a shootout, Central Michigan (3-0), and Indiana (3-2).
- The Spartans have suffered seven losses to ranked opponents including, No. 25 Pacific (4-0), No. 21 American (1-0), No. 25 Old Dominion (3-2), No. 10 Virginia (6-1), No. 8 Michigan (6-0), No. 4 Penn State (1-0), No. 17 Maryland (4-1), and No. 18 Rutgers (3-2).
- Redshirt senior Kendal Anderson leads the Spartan's with seven goals.
- Senior Sophie Macadre and redshirt senior Simone Vagnoni are second on the team in goals (6). Macarde leads the team in assists (7) and points (19).

## IOWA VS. MICHIGAN STATE -- THE SERIES

- Iowa leads the overall series, 50-14-1.
- The Hawkeyes are 16-7 when playing in East Lansing, Michigan.
- Iowa has won the last two matches against the Spartans including, a 5-3 victory, at Grant Field last season.

## SCOUTING OHIO STATE

- Ohio State enters the weekend ranked 24th in the NFCA Rankings, and seventh in the Big Ten with an 8-7 (1-5) record.
- The Buckeyes have wins over Lehigh (4-0), No. 9 Louisville (2-1) in overtime, Miami (Ohio) (3-2), Ohio (3-0), No. 11 Stanford (3-2), UC Davis (1-0), California (3-2) in double overtime, and No. 18 Rutgers (2-0).
- Five of Ohio State's losses have come to top-25 opponents, all of which are in the Big Ten.
- Senior Maddy Hamphrey leads Ohio State in goals (7) and points (20). She ranks fifth in goals and goals per game (0.54) in the Big Ten. Hamphrey is also tied for ninth in points and seventh in points per game (0.54).
- Senior Liz Tamburro is second in the Big Ten in saves (78) and saves per game (5.20). She is also fourth in save percentage (.772), and goals against average (1.87). Tamburro's four shootouts are the third most in the Big Ten.

## IOWA VS. OHIO STATE -- THE SERIES

- Iowa leads the overall series, 46-14.
- The Hawkeyes are 17-5 when playing Ohio State at Grant Field.
- The Hawkeyes defeated the Buckeyes last year, 3-2, in Columbus, Ohio.
- The Buckeyes are 5-3 on the road this season.

## 2017 BIG TEN STANDINGS

		Conf.	Over.
1.	#4 Michigan	5-0	11-2
2.	#6 Penn State	4-1	12-2
3.	#8 Northwestern	4-1	10-4
4.	#12 Maryland	3-2	8-5
5.	#21 Rutgers	2-2	8-5
6.	Michigan State	1-3	6-7
7.	<b>#25 IOWA</b>	<b>1-3</b>	<b>5-8</b>
8.	#24 Ohio State	0-4	7-6
9.	Indiana	0-4	6-8

## 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

• Five of the seven freshmen on the Hawkeye roster have found the scoresheet this season. Maddy Murphy leads the freshmen class in all categories with nine goals, three assists, and 21 points.

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

• Freshmen were a part of all three goals against Penn on Sept. 17. Murphy scored the first goal of the game. Cimilluca scored to tie the game, and Freeman assisted on the game-winning goal.

• Mya Christopher recorded her first-career goal in Iowa's 4-3 win over Indiana at Grant Field on Sept. 29

• Maddy Murphy scored two goals against No. 9 Northwestern last weekend.

• Ellie Holley recorded her first-career goal in the Northwestern match.

• Nikki Freeman scored her second-career goal against No. 3 Michigan last weekend. She now has two goals in her last three games.

## BIRCH TALLIES NEW CAREER HIGHS

• Sophomore Katie Birch has surpassed her single-season highs in goals, assists, and points.

• Birch tallied 11 goals, four assists, and 26 points in 17 matches last season on her way to claiming the Big Ten Freshman of the Year.

• The sophomore recorded four points (one goal and two assists) last weekend giving her 13 goals, six assists, and 32 points in 15 matches this season.

## HAWKEYES CORNER SUCCESS

• Twelve of the Hawkeyes' last 14 goals have come off of penalty corners.

• Iowa has scored all of its goals off of corners in four different matches this season.

• The Hawkeyes were a perfect 5-for-5 on corners in their 7-1 victory over New Hampshire. They were also four for five against No. 9 Northwestern last weekend.

## FINDING THE BACK OF THE CAGE

• The Hawkeyes have scored 12 goals in their last four matches including four goals against Indiana and No. 9 Northwestern.

• Iowa's four goals against Northwestern were the second-most goals the Wildcats have given up in a match this season, and the most to a Big Ten opponent.

• The Hawkeyes are only the second Big Ten team to score more than one goal against Michigan this season.

## HAWKEYES VS RANKED OPPONENTS

• The Hawkeyes are ranked No. 25 in this week's NFCA National Rankings (Oct. 10).

• Seven of Iowa's 10 losses have come to top-25 teams, including No. 15 Wake Forest (3-2), No. 1 North Carolina (3-0), No. 13 Stanford (3-2), No. 2

Penn State (3-0), No. 10 Maryland (2-1), No. 23 Rutgers (1-0), No. 2 Duke (4-2), No. 9 Northwestern (5-4), and No. 3 Michigan (3-2).

• No. 24 Ohio State is Iowa's last ranked opponent of the regular season.

## SHARING THE WEALTH

• Thirteen different Hawkeyes have gotten on the scoresheet this season, with 11 finding the back of the cage.

• Six of Iowa's newcomers are on the 2017 scoresheet. Maddy Murphy leads all newcomers in goals (9) and points (21). Lucie Daman leads the newcomers in assists (7).

## STATISTICALLY SPEAKING -- INDIVIDUAL STATS

• Sophomore Katie Birch, the 2016 Big Ten Freshman of the Year, currently leads the Hawkeyes in goals (13), points (32), and shots (60). The sophomore is second in the Big Ten in goals (13) and goals per game (0.87), and ranks third in points (32) and points per game (2.13).

• Freshman Maddy Murphy is second on the team in goals (9), points (21), and shots (29). Murphy is tied for fourth in goals in the Big Ten.

• Junior Makenna Grewe leads the Hawkeyes and ranks third in the Big Ten with nine assists.

• Junior Melissa Progar is second on team and tied for fourth in the Big Ten in assists. (8).

• Graduate student Lucie Danman is tied for fifth in assists in the Big Ten with seven.

## STATISTICALLY SPEAKING -- TEAM STATS

• The Hawkeyes are ranked fourth in the Big Ten in points (110), and fifth in goals (36).

• Iowa's 38 assists are the third-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 Big Ten Quarterfinals begin on Oct. 28. The quarterfinals will be hosted by the top four teams in the Big Ten.

## 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.



# IOWA FIELD HOCKEY

## 2017 SEASON STATS

### Iowa Field Hockey IOWA Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 15, 2017) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	5-10	2-5	3-5	0-0
CONFERENCE	1-5	1-2	0-3	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	4-5	1-3	3-2	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	15	13	6	32	60	.217	40	.667	1	3-4	1
Aug 27	#1 NORTH CAROLINA	L 0-3	208	26	Madeleine Murphy	15	9	3	21	29	.310	17	.586	2	0-0	0
9/1/2017	at #13 Stanford	L 2-3	156	6	Mallory Lefkowitz	15	2	0	4	12	.167	8	.667	1	0-0	0
Sep 03	at California	w 3-0	215	7	Ellie Holley	15	1	2	4	10	.100	3	.300	0	0-0	0
09/04/17	at UC Davis	w 4-0	85	20	Sophie Sunderland	15	3	0	6	9	.333	5	.556	0	0-0	0
Sep 08	NEW HAMPSHIRE	Lot 2-3	103	4	Makenna Grewe	15	0	9	9	9	.000	4	.444	0	0-0	0
Sep 10	NEW HAMPSHIRE	w 7-1	103	9	Lizzy Cimilluca	14	2	0	4	7	.286	5	.714	0	0-0	0
* Sep 15	at #2 Penn State	L 0-3	494	24	Melissa Progar	15	1	8	10	7	.143	4	.571	0	0-0	0
Sep 17	at Penn	w 3-2	322	12	Taylor Omweg	15	1	2	4	6	.167	3	.500	1	0-0	0
* Sep 22	at #10 Maryland	L 1-2	242	16	Isabella Solaroli	15	1	0	2	4	.250	3	.750	0	0-0	0
* Sep 24	at #23 RU	L 0-1	403	8	Nikki Freeman	15	2	1	5	4	.500	3	.750	0	0-0	0
* Sep 29	INDIANA	w 4-3	105	21	Lucie Daman	15	0	7	7	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-0	0
10/8/2017	at #2 Duke	L 2-4	304	18	Mya Christopher	15	1	0	2	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	1
* Oct 13	#9 NORTHWESTERN	Lot 4-5	0	1	Ashley Drum	4	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
* Oct 15	#3 MICHIGAN	L 2-3	117	2	Emily Deuell	5	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				10	Isabella Brown	11	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				19	Ryley Miller	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
				15	Riley Kniptash	9	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0
					Total	15	36	38	110	162	.222	97	.599	5	3-4	3
					Opponents	15	36	23	95	165	.218	112	.679	10	3-4	3

TEAM STATISTICS	IOWA	OPP
<b>SHOT STATISTICS</b>		
Goals-Shot attempts	36-162	36-165
Goals scored per game	2.40	2.40
Shot pct.	.222	.218
Shots on goal-Attempts	97-162	112-165
SOG pct.	.599	.679
Shots/Game	10.8	11.0
PENALTY CORNERS	80	72
PENALTY STROKES	3-4	3-4
<b>PENALTIES</b>		
Green cards	9	10
Yellow cards	4	2
Red cards	0	0
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		
Total	943	2221
Dates/Avg Per Date	7/135	8/278
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
00	Katie Jones	15	1058:56	36	2.38	73	.670	5-10-0	2/0
	Total	15	1058:56	36	2.38	76	.679	5-10-0	2
	Opponents	15	1058:56	36	2.38	61	.629	10-5-0	3

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	13	23	0	36
Opponents	15	19	2	36

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	64	97	1	162
Opponents	81	80	4	165

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	37	37	2	76
Opponents	24	36	1	61

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	Total
IOWA	27	53	0	80
Opponents	31	39	2	72

