NEBRASKA

MEN'S GOLF

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2024-25 SCHEDULE

FALL 2024			
Sept. 8-9	Gopher Invitational	3rd/15	
·	Independence, Minn. 292-284-289=865 (+13)		
Sept. 23-24	Git-R-Done Invitational	8 a.m.	
	Lincoln, Neb. (Firethorn GC)		
Sept. 29-	Badger Invitational	9 a.m.	
Oct. 1	Verona, Wis. (University Ridge GC)		
Oct. 14-15	Quebein Cup	8 a.m.	
	Greensboro, N.C. (Sedgefield CC)		
Oct. 26-27	Steelwood Invitational	9 a.m.	
	Loxley, Ala. (Steelwood GC)		

SPRING 2025

Feb. 9-11	Palmas Del Mar Collegiate	7 a.m.
	Humacao, Puerto Rico (Palmas Del Mar GC)	
March 17-18	The Johnnie-O	8 a.m.
	St. Simons Island, Ga. (Sea Island GC)	
March 24-25	Bell Bank "Pay It Forward" Collegiate	10 a.m.
	Litchfield Park, Ariz. (Wigwam GC)	
April 7-8	Tiger Intercollegiate	9 a.m.
	Columbia, Mo. (The Club at Old Hawthorne)	
April 18-19	Robert Kepler Intercollegiate	8 a.m.
	Columbus, Ohio (Scarlet Course)	
April 25-27	Big Ten Championship	8 a.m.
	Baltimore, Md. (Baltimore CC)	
April 30	NCAA Selection Show (Golf Channel)	1 p.m.
May 12-14	NCAA Regionals	TBA
	Stillwater, Okla.; Tallahassee, Fla.; Reno, Nev.	
	Fayetteville, Ark.; Amherst, Va.; Bremerton, Wash.	
May 23-28	NCAA Championship	TBA
	Carlsbad, Calif. (Omni La Costa Resort & Spa)	

HUSKER QUICK FACTS

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HUSKERS PLAY HOST TO 2024 GIT-R-DONE INVITATIONAL

The Nebraska men's golf team returns to action when the Huskers play host to the 2024 Git-R-Done Invitational at Firethorn Golf Club in Lincoln, Monday, Sept. 23 and Tuesday, Sept. 24.

It marks the return of the Git-R-Done Invitational for the first time since April of 2021, and will be the third version of the event at Firethorn, beginning with the inaugural tournament in April of 2019.

The Git-R-Done Invitational is made possible through the tremendous support of Dan Whitney (Larry the Cable Guy), whose famous catch phrase "Git-R-Done" has become the namesake of Nebraska's home men's golf tournaments.

Action in the two-day, 54-hole event begins on Monday, Sept. 23, with two rounds starting with tee times at 8 a.m. (CT). The tournament's final round also begins with tee times on Tuesday at 8 a.m. (CT).

A total of 11 schools will compete for the team title in the five-count-four scoring format, including Creighton, Kansas City, Louisiana, Minnesota, Omaha, Sam Houston State, South Alabama, South Dakota State, Wichita State, Xavier and the hosts from Nebraska.

The teams will take on a challenging 7,003yard, par-71 layout at Firethorn, which is a prairiestyle course featuring a Pete Dye design.

Live updates and scoring for the Git-R-Done Invitational can be found at HuskersGolf on Instagram and X, and Scoreboard.clippd.com. Complete coverage can be found at Huskers.com.

SAUTRON MAKES MAJOR SPLASH IN WINNING NEBRASKA DEBUT

Rudy Sautron made his NCAA Division I debut as a Husker by capturing the tournament title at the season-opening Gopher Invitational (Sept. 8-9). The sophomore from Reunion Island, France, who transferred to Nebraska after spending his first collegiate season at NCAA Division II Cameron University in Oklahoma, tied the Nebraska sophomore tournament record with a 208 (-5) at the Windsong Farm Golf Club in Independence, Minn.

Sautron's three-round total included an opening-round 69 (-2) that featured Nebraska's first eagle of the season on No. 18. He added a second-round 70 (-1) before closing with a final-round 69 (-2). His 208 matched the NU sophomore record set by former PGA pro Brady Schnell (2004-05) and Seth Porter (1999-2000).

Sautron's performance helped the Huskers to a third-place team finish in a strong 15-team field in Minnesota - Nebraska's best team finish since 2021

His effort also earned him a share of the first Big Ten Conference Men's Golfer-of-the-Week award for the 2024-25 season announced Sept. 12.

GIT-R-DONE INVITATIONAL

LocationLincoln, NebraskaHostUniversity of NebraskaCourseFirethorn Golf Club
(Par 71, 7,003 Yards)

Schedule

Monday, Sept. 23 (Rounds 1 & 2) - 8 a.m. CT (Tee times) Tuesday, Sept. 24 (Round 3) - 8 a.m. CT (Tee times)

Live Scoring: Scoreboard.clippd.com

Participating Teams (11):

Creighton, Kansas City, Louisiana, Minnesota, Nebraska, Omaha, Sam Houston State, South Alabama, South Dakota State, Wichita State, Xavier

NEBRASKA LINEUP

- 1. Rudy Sautron, So., Reunion Island, France
- 2. Hamish Murray, Sr., Sydney, Australia
- 3. Evan McDermott, RSo., Spring Lake, Michigan
- 4. Davis Johnson, Jr., Chaska, Minnesota
- 5. Reed Malleck, Gr., York, Nebraska

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUALS

IND - James Ackerman, Fr., Leawood, Kansas

IND - Brodie Cunningham, Fr., Glasgow, Scotland

IND - Grant Jabenis, Sr., Omaha, Nebraska

IND - Quinn Yost, Jr., Farmington, New Mexico

IND - Jackson Benge, Fr., Omaha, Nebraska

IND - Rhett Hughes, RFr., Edmond, Oklahoma

N HUSKERS ON PGA TOUR

 Golfer
 Years on Tour

 Scott Gutschewski
 2005-07, 2009, 2011, 2022, 2024

 Brady Schnell
 2019

 Jeff Klein
 2003

 Steve Gotsche
 1994-95, 2000

 Tom Sieckmann
 1982, 1985-94, 1997, 1999

 Mike Schuchart
 1990, 1993

 Mark Maness
 1988

MURRAY OPENS 2024-25 WITH SIXTH TOP-25 FINISH

Hamish Murray, a second-year Husker from Sydney, Australia, opened his senior season with his sixth top-25 finish as a Husker by tying for 24th at the Gopher Invitational (Sept. 8-9).

Murray produced a 54-hole score of 219 (+6) on a par-71 layout at Windsong Farm Golf Club in Independence, Minn., including rounds of 72, 73 and 74 to help the Huskers to a third-place team finish.

Murray, who led Nebraska with a 72.69 stroke average as a junior in 2023-24, opened his Husker career with three straight top-20 finishes, including a season-best tie for ninth in his

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Nebraska debut at the Bearcat Invitational (Sept. 18-19, 2023). He closed with a three-round score of 211 (-2) on a par-71, 7,279-yard layout at the Coldstream Country Club in Cincinnati.

Murray produced a tie for 19th with a 215 (-1) at the Badger Invitational in Wisconsin (Oct. 1-3), before tying for 17th at Purdue with a 214 (+1).

Murray closed the fall with a tie for 33rd with an even-par 216 at the Everett Buick GMC Classic in Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 16-17.

He added his fourth top-20 effort by tying for 19th at 146 (73-73) in the rain-shortened Battle at Briar's Creek in South Carolina (Feb. 5-6). He added another tie for 19th with a 214 (-2) to lead NU at The Johnnie-O at Sea Island (March 11-12).

He closed the year with a team-best 72.69 stroke average over 29 rounds.

During the summer of 2024, Murray was the runner-up at the Nebraska Amateur Championship with a four-round total of 274 (-10), trailing only champion Reed Malleck (273, -11).

Murray, who was a 2024 GCAA Scholar All-American and a College Sports Communicators Academic All-District VII selection, also took time during the summer to participate in the Nebraska Life Skills No Filter Service Trip Abroad to Panama.

Murray was ranked among the top 50 golfers in NCAA Division II by Golfstat in 2022-23 and was the Cameron Athlete of the Year across all sports.

MALLECKLEADS HUSKER SWEEP AT 116TH NEBRASKA AMATEUR

Reed Malleck fired a final-round 69 to end with a winning four-round total of 273 (-11) to capture the Nebraska Amateur Championship at the Fremont Golf Club (July 19).

Malleck, a four-year letterman for the Huskers entering the 2024-25 season, put together four consistent rounds (68-68-68) to work his way to his first Nebraska Amateur title. Malleck was the 2020 Nebraska Junior Match Play champion, and the 2022 Nebraska Match Player runner-up.

He led a Husker sweep of the top three spots at the 116th Nebraska Amateur by holding off teammate Hamish Murray (Sydney, Australia) who finished one shot back at 274 (-10), including a final-round 70 (-1).

Evan McDermott (Spring Lake, Michigan), a redshirt sophomore for the Huskers in 2024-25, added a third-place finish at 277 (-7), including a final-round 69 (-2).

Malleck became the 32nd Husker golfer in history to win the Nebraska Amateur Championship, but the first Husker to win the title since Brandon Crick in 2009.

HUSKER ROSTER FEATURES GROWING COLLECTION OF EXPERIENCED LEADERS

Nebraska's 11-man roster for 2024-25 features a growing group of experienced, high-character leaders both on and off the course.

Graduate student Reed Malleck returns for his fifth competitive season hoping to help lead the Huskers to an NCAA Regional berth. The reigning Nebraska Amateur champion, Malleck has represented the Huskers twice at the Big Ten Championship. The three-time Academic All-Big Ten choice was a 2024 GCAA Scholar All-American and Nebraska's Big Ten Sportsmanship



Hamish Murray owns six top-25 finishes in 11 tournaments as a Husker.

Award winner in 2023, before earning his bachelor's degree in finance from Nebraska in May of 2024.

Senior Hamish Murray has been a leader on the course, in the classroom and the community. The second-year Husker led Nebraska with five top-25 finishes a year ago before adding GCAA Scholar All-America honors. He was also Nebraska's 2024 Big Ten Sportsmanship Award winner.

Senior Grant Jabenis adds more leadership skills on and off the course. Jabenis has competed in 26 rounds for the Huskers the past two seasons, including an appearance at the 2023 Big Ten Championships. He was also a 2024 Big Ten Distinguished Scholar.

Juniors Quinn Yost (38 rounds) and Davis Johnson (26 rounds) add substantial experience by combining for 64 rounds on the course in their first two seasons at Nebraska. Yost was a 2024 GCAA Scholar All-American, while Johnson has competed for the Big Red at both the 2023 and 2024 Big Ten Championships while adding Academic All-Big Ten accolades.

Evan McDermott, who redshirted in his second season at Nebraska in 2023-24, also has seen significant playing time. The redshirt sophomore has competed in 23 rounds, while adding Academic All-Big Ten honors as a mechanical engineering major in 2024.

NEBRASKA ADDS THREE TALENTED FRESHMEN IN 2024-25

Nebraska adds a trio of talented freshmen to the mix for 2024-25.

Jackson Benge (Omaha, Neb.), James Ackerman (Leawood, Kan.) and Brodie Cunningham (Glasgow, Scotland) signed their letters of intent to join the Nebraska men's golf program on Nov. 8, 2023.

"I'm extremely excited to have Jackson, James and Brodie join our program," Nebraska Coach Judd Cornell said. "They have proven they can play at the highest level of college golf. All three bring plenty of experience and are well in tune with their golf games, so I expect them to make

immediate impacts. All three are outstanding students and come from great families. We have a great culture in our program and these three will add to that. I'm really excited for them. They will have a great experience at Nebraska"

Benge brings a rich family tradition with him from Nebraska high school power Omaha Westside. Benge, whose mother Amy (Roux) was a standout on the Husker women's golf team, helped the Warriors to back-to-back Class A state team titles in 2023 and 2024. The 2022 Nebraska Junior Match Play champion, Benge was a two-time Class A all-state selection (2022, 2023) and qualified for the 2022 U.S. Junior Amateur. He is also the cousin of Gold Glove winner and World Series champion Alex Gordon, and the nephew of Nebraska men's gym All-American Ted Harris.

Ackerman was the 2023 Kansas Class 6A Player of the Year after leading Blue Valley High School to back-to-back state team titles in 2021 and 2022. Ackerman also competed at the 2022 U.S. Junior Amateur in Oregon.

Cunningham comes to Nebraska after capturing back-to-back Barrie Douglas Scottish Junior Masters championships in 2023 and 2024. He competed at the Scottish Men's Open Championship at Muirfield in May of 2024, putting together rounds of 72 and 73.

SAUTRON POISED TO MAKE IMMEDIATE IMPACT FOR HUSKERS

One of the top newcomers in NCAA Division II in 2023-24, Rudy Sautron joined the Huskers for the 2024-25 season after signing with Nebraska in early March.

The former vice champion of France was named to the Golf Coaches Association of America Division II All-Freshman Team after producing eight top-10 finishes in 11 tournaments.

Sautron claimed one of five spots on the NCAA Division II All-Freshman Team selected by the GCAA after qualifying as an individual to the NCAA Division II West/South Central Super Regional. He was also named to the Division II PING All-South Central Region team.

Sautron followed former Cameron golfer Hamish Murray to Nebraska, after Murray joined the Huskers for the 2023-24 season. Sautron and Murray were not teammates at Cameron.

2024-25 NEBRASKA SEASON BESTS

Team Total: 865 (+13), Gopher Invite, Sept. 8-9 Team to Par: +13 (865), Gopher Invite, Sept. 8-9 Team Finish: 3rd, Gopher Invite, Sept. 8-9

Individual Finish: 1st, Rudy Sautron,
Gopher Invite, Sept. 8-9

Individual Total: 208 (-5)

Rudy Sautron, Gopher Invite, Sept. 8-9

Individual to Par: -5 (208)

Rudy Sautron, Gopher Invite, Sept. 8-9

Individual Round: 69 (-2)

Rudy Sautron, Gopher Invite, 1st, Sept. 8 Rudy Sautron, Gopher Invite, 3rd, Sept. 9

Individual Round to Par: -2, twice

Rudy Sautron, 69, Gopher Invite, 1st, Sept. 8 Rudy Sautron, 69, Gopher Invite, 3rd, Sept. 9 Eagles (1):

Rudy Sautron, No. 18 (Par 5), 1st, Gopher, Sept. 8

NEBRASKA ROSTER/COACHES



James Ackerman Fr. • Leawood, Kan.



Jackson Benge Fr. • Omaha, Neb.



Brodie Cunningham Fr. • Glasgow, Scotland



Rhett Hughes RFr. • Edmond, Okla.



Grant Jabenis Sr. • Omaha, Neb.



Davis Johnson Jr. • Chaska, Minn.



Reed Malleck Gr. • York, Neb.



Evan McDermott
RSo. • Spring Lake, Mich.



Hamish Murray
Sr. • Sydney, Australia



Rudy Sautron
So. • Reunion Island, France



Quinn Yost
Jr. • Farmington, N.M.



Judd Cornell Head Coach



Travis Minzel Assistant Coach



Craig Sager
Director of Operations





The 2024-25 Nebraska Men's Golf Team (from left): Assistant Coach Travis Minzel, Davis Johnson, James Ackerman, Brodie Cunningham, Quinn Yost, Hamish Murray, Evan McDermott, Rhett Hughes, Reed Malleck, Rudy Sautron, Jackson Benge, Grant Jabenis, Judd Cornell.

2024 GIT-R-DONE INVITATIONAL

MONDAY, SEPT. 23 - TUESDAY, SEPT. 24, 2024, FIRETHORN GOLF CLUB, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

Git-R-Done Husker Invitational

The third Git-R-Done Husker Invitational will be held at the Firethorn Golf Club in Lincoln, Nebraska, Sept. 23-24.

A total of 11 schools will compete for the tournament title in the largest field in the event's history.

Practice rounds begin at Firethorn on Sunday, Sept. 22 at noon. Monday's first round begins with tee times off No. 1 and No. 10 at 8 a.m. for the first of 36 holes. Tuesday's final round also begins with tee times at 8 a.m.

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Tournament History

The first event was held at Firethorn as a two-round tournament on Saturday, April 13, 2019, with Arkansas winning ahead of runner-up Nebraska.

The 2020 Git-R-Done Husker Invitational was scheduled for April 11-12 at Firethorn, but was canceled due to the pandemic.

The 2021 Git-R-Done Husker Invitational grew to a nine-team event over 54 holes.

Tournament Host

University of Nebraska

Firethorn Golf Club

9301 Firethorn Lane Lincoln, NE 68520 (402) 488-6447

https://www.firethorngolfclub.com/

Firethorn is a prairie-style golf course featuring a Pete Dye design. Accuracy is demanded throughout the more than 7,000yard course with intimidating tee shots, water hazards, fescue and subtle green contours.

Course Par/Yardage

Par 71 / 7,003 Yards

(Front - Par 36 - 3,650; Back: Par 35 - 3,353)

Start Times

1st & 2nd Rounds: Monday, Sept. 23 - 8 a.m. (CT) - Tee times Final Round: Tuesday, Sept. 24 - 8 a.m. (CT) - Tee times

Format

Xavier

5-count-4 scoring

Participating Teams

Nebraska (Host) Creighton Kansas City Louisiana Minnesota Omaha Sam Houston State South Alabama South Dakota State Wichita State

2021 Git-R-Done Husker Invitational Results

Firethorn Golf Club (Lincoln, Neb.) April 17-18, 2021 (Par 71, 7,040 Yards)

Team Results

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T1. Kansas State	289-285-278=852 (E)
T1. Minnesota	290-283-279=852 (E)
3. Michigan State	291-278-290=859 (+7)
	289-293-289=871 (+19)
5. Eastern Michigan	306-286-292=884 (+32)
	307-290-289=886 (+34)
T6. ULM	299-297-290=886 (+34)
8. UMKC	304-297-289=890 (+38)
	306-289-303=898 (+46)

Individual Results

1. Angus Flanagan, Minnesota - 70-71-66=207 (-6)

T2. Troy Taylor II, Michigan State - 70-68-70=208 (-5)

T2. Tim Tillmanns, Kansas State - 71-70-67=208 (-5)

4. James Piot, Michigan State - 68-69-73=210 (-3)

T5. Will Hopkins, Kansas State - 70-73-70=213 (E)

T5. Mark Foelbaek, Nebraska - 73-73-67=213 (E)

T5. Caleb Badura, Nebraska - 72-68-73=213 (E)

T5. Jack Lundin, Nebraska - 70-72-71=213 (E)

9. Lincoln Johnson, Minnesota - 76-69-70=215 (+2)

T10. Paul Foulquie, UMKC - 77-71-68=216 (+3)

T10. Otto Van Buynder, ULM - 75-72-69=216 (+3)

T10. Riccardo Leo, Kansas State - 71-73-72=216 (+3)

Nebraska Golfers

T5. Mark Foelbaek - 73-73-67=213 (E)

T5. Jack Lundin - 70-72-71=213 (E)

*T5. Caleb Badura - 72-68-73=213 (E)

T18. Tom Westenberger - 70-73-75=218 (+5)

*T25. Jeremy Sisson - 74-71-76=221 (+8) *T34. Reed Malleck - 75-74-75=224 (+11)

*36. Gentry Scheve - 74-73-78=225 (+12)

T46. Branden Meyer - 76-78-26=230 (+17)

T46. Will Marshall - 77-75-78=230 (+17)

*T51. Tristan Nelko - 77-77-79=233 (+20)

*T51. Will Harding - 80-77-76=233 (+20)

*59. Daniel Pearson - 88-82-83=253 (+40)

*played as an individual outside Nebraska's lineup

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