

2017 Big Ten Championships / Feb. 15-18
Boilermaker Aquatic Center / West Lafayette, Indiana

Purdue's Thursday Notables

* -- Purdue Season-Best Time/Score

^ -- Personal Season-Best Time/Score

(B) – NCAA Provisional Qualifying Time

(Z) – NCAA Zone Qualifying Score

1-Meter Diving (30 Points)

Morgan Meixner, 292.20* (Z) – Finished 2nd in Consolation Final (17 Points)

Samm Reese, 268.70 (Z, Prelim Score) – Finished 6th in Consolation Final (13 Points)

50 Free (7 Points)

Jackie Smailis, 22.80* (B, Prelim Time) – Finished 3rd in C Final (6 Points); **5th Fastest in Program History**

Danielle Auckley, 22.98^ (B, Prelim Time) – Finished in 8th C Final (1 Point)

Grace Hernandez, 23.32 (Prelim Time) – Won Heat 4, 35th Overall in Prelims

Maddie Barta, 23.63 (Prelim Time) – Won Heat 5, 52nd Overall in Prelims

500 Free (30 Points)

Kaersten Meitz, 4:37.45* (B) – Finished 3rd in A Final (27 Points); **NEW PROGRAM RECORD**

Emily Meckstroth, 4:47.33^ (B, Prelim Time) – Finished 6th in C Final (3 Points); **10th Fastest in Program History**

200 IM (16 Points)

Alex Clarke, 1:59.66* (B) – Finished 2nd in C Final (7 Points); **Improved on her 3rd-Fastest Time in Program History**

Meagan Lim, 2:00.08^ (B, Prelim Time) – Finished 4th in C Final (5 Points); **7th Fastest in Program History**

...Lim Won Heat 4 of Prelims

Taite Kitchel, 2:00.03^ (B, Prelim Time) – Finished 6th in C Final (3 Points); **5th Fastest in Program History**

Emmy Rawson, 2:00.09^ (B, Prelim Time) – Finished 8th in C Final (1 Point); **8th Fastest in Program History**

400 Medley Relay (48 Points)

Smailis, Phee, Kitchel & Meitz, 3:35.93* – Finished 6th (48 Points); **2nd Fastest in Program History**

Smailis 100 backstroke leadoff leg of 54.06 improved on her 3rd-fastest time in program history*

Team Scores Through Thursday Finals

- 1.) No. 15 Indiana 393
- 2.) No. 12 Wisconsin 378.5
- 3.) No. 6 Michigan 363
- 4.) No. 21 Minnesota 361
- 5.) No. 22 Ohio State 307
- 6.) Northwestern 230
- 7.) Purdue 223
- 8.) Penn State 174
- 9.) Iowa 172
- 10.) Rutgers 171.5
- 11.) Nebraska 155
- 12.) Illinois 117
- 13.) Michigan State 115