



2012 Drake Women's Golf - Week 4

Oct. 15-16 • MSU Payne Stewart Memorial
Springfield, Mo.

2012 Fall Schedule and Results

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Sept. 8-9	Redbird Invitational (Normal, Ill.)	959 (318-316-325) 8th of 15 teams
Sept. 17-18	MSU Drake Creek Invitational (Ledbetter, Ky.)	958 (317-314-327) 8th of 11 teams
Oct. 1-2	Bob Hurley ORU Shootout (Tulsa, Okla.)	313-321-324=958 11th of 13 teams
Oct. 15-16	MSU/Payne Stewart Memorial (Springfield, Mo.)	All Day
Oct. 22-23	FIU Pat Bradley Invitational (Tampa, Fla.)	All Day

2012-13 Roster

NAME	YR.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
Kimmy Askelson	Fr. (R)	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Xavier)
Cristina Bowery	Jr.	Carmel, Calif. (Santa Catalina School)
Ashley Brooks	So.	Red Wing, Minn. (Red Wing)
Danielle Brooks	So.	Red Wing, Minn. (Red Wing)
Katie Clausen	Fr.	Hinton, Iowa (Hinton)
Chelsey Falk	Sr. (R)	Glenwood, Minn. (Minnewaska Area)
Hadley Jennings	Jr.	Trenton, Mo. (Trenton)

HEAD COACH: Leanne Smith - third season

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WHAT'S AHEAD

In its next-to-last tournament of the fall campaign, the Drake women's golf team travels to Springfield, Mo., for the 15-team Missouri State/Payne Stewart Memorial next Monday (Oct. 15) and Tuesday (Oct. 16).

The 54-hole event will be held at the Rivercut Golf Course. Golfers will tee off starting with 8:30 a.m. shotgun starts both days.

The 15-team field includes: Arkansas-Little Rock, Creighton, **Drake**, Drury, Indiana State, Missouri State, Nebraska, Nebraska Omaha, Oklahoma City, Oral Roberts, Rockhurst, South Dakota, UMKC, Valparaiso and Wichita State.

A LOOK BACK

Fueled by a career-low 74, sophomore **Danielle Brooks** (Red Wing, Minn.) collected a top-five finish to propel Drake in final-day competition at the Bob Hurley ORU Shootout hosted by Oral Roberts on Oct. 2 at the Meadowbrook Country Club in Tulsa, Okla.

Brooks was the catalyst for the Bulldogs over the final 18 holes firing a 74 to conclude the tournament as Drake's top finisher (T-5th) with a 226 (77-75-74=226) score.

Drake carded a final-round 324 to post a 54-hole mark of 958 (313-321-324=958) to finish 11th among the 13 competing squads.

Junior **Hadley Jennings** (Trenton, Mo.) was unable to keep her string of rounds in the 70's intact posting an 83 to register a 234 (74-77-83=234) total, good for a 17th-place tie.

Senior **Chelsey Falk** (Glenwood, Minn.) was off to a strong start for the Bulldogs before difficulties with her lie on a hole on the back nine resulted in a final-round 82. She concluded the tournament with a 54-hole total of 240 (77-81-82=240), to finish tied for 34th place.

Freshman **Katie Clausen** (Hinton, Iowa) and sophomore **Ashley Brooks** (Red Wing, Minn.) wrapped up competition carding tournament scores of 264 (91-88-85=264) and 266 (85-96-85=266) to place 70th and 71st, respectively.

DRAKE RESULTS: **Danielle Brooks** (77-75-74=226/T-5th), **Hadley Jennings** (74-77-83=234/T-17th), **Chelsey Falk** (77-81-82=240/T-34th), **Katie Clausen** (91-88-85=264/70th) and **Ashley Brooks** (85-96-85=266/71st)

DRAKE HEAD COACH LEANNE SMITH

Leanne Smith is in her third season as head women's golf coach for the Bulldogs after serving as an assistant coach with the Drake men's and women's golf programs from 2006-2010.

This past season, Drake turned in top-10 finishes in six of its 10 tournament appearances. Smith guided the Bulldogs through a spring campaign in which Drake was challenged by injuries, including its top-scoring individual, freshman **Kimmy Askelson**, who was lost due to injury.

Askelson directed the Bulldogs with a team-low 79.7 scoring average in 12 rounds, while sophomore Hadley Jennings turned in an 80.1 average in 28 rounds.

In her initial campaign leading the Drake program, Smith guided the Bulldogs to four top-six finishes, including three during the spring season.

UP NEXT

The Bulldogs close out their fall campaign competing at the Florida International Pat Bradley Invitational (Oct. 22-23) in Tampa, Fla.

2012-13 DRAKE WOMEN'S GOLF SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES (AS OF OCT. 11, 2012)

EVENT	ASKELSON	BOWERY	A. BROOKS	D. BROOKS	CLAUSEN	FALK	JENNINGS	TEAM
Redbird Invitational 54 holes • Sept. 8-9 Normal, Ill.	DNP	DNP	DNP	81-85-85=251 T-61st	84-79-88=251 T-61st	79-75-78=232 T-15th	74-77-74=225 T-3rd	318-316-325=959 8th of 15 teams
MSU Drake Creek Invitational 54 holes • Sept. 17-18 Ledbetter, Ky.	DNP	DNP	DNP	78-82-86=246 T-41st	89-85-88=262 54th	73-74-79=226 T-7th	77-73-74=224 5th	317-314-327=958 8th of 11 teams
Bob Hurley ORU Shootout 54 holes • Oct. 1-2 Tulsa, Okla.	DNP	DNP	85-96-85=266 71st	77-75-74=226 T-5th	91-88-85=264 70th	77-81-82=240 T-34th	74-77-83=234 T-17th	313-321-324=958 11th of 13 teams
Strokes Rounds/Average	DNP	DNP	266 3/88.7	723 9/80.3	777 9/86.3	698 9/77.5	683 9/75.9	2,875 9/319.4
Career Strokes Career Rounds/Average	956 12/79.7	516 6/86.0	266 3/88.7	2,632 32/82.3	777 9/86.3	5,028 62/81.1	4,961 61/81.3	NA NA

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