



2012 Drake Women's Golf - Week 5

Oct. 21-23 • FIU Pat Bradley Invitational
Sarasota, Fla.

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.)	316-315-323=954 9th of 15 teams
Oct. 21-23	FIU Pat Bradley Invitational (Sarasota, 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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OCT. 18, 2012

DRAKE VISITS SUNSHINE STATE FOR FALL FINALE COMPETING AT THE FIU/PAT BRADLEY INVITATIONAL

WHAT'S AHEAD

In its last tournament of the fall season, the Drake women's golf team travels to Sarasota, Fla., for the 35th annual Florida International/Pat Bradley Invitational next Sunday (Oct. 21) through Tuesday (Oct. 23).

The 54-hole event will be held at the Lakewood Ranch Golf and Country Club. Golfers will tee off starting at 8:30 a.m. CT on the tournament's first two days before an 8:00 a.m. CT start on Tuesday (Oct. 23).

The 14-team field includes: Bethune-Cookman, Boston College, Bradley, Cincinnati, Daytona State, Delaware, **Drake**, Florida Atlantic, Florida Gulf Coast, Florida International, Jacksonville, South Dakota, Texas A&M-Corpus Christi and Western Illinois.

A LOOK BACK

Led by a final-round 78 from senior **Chelsey Falk** (Glenwood, Minn.), Drake garnered a ninth-place showing among 15 teams at the Missouri State/Payne Stewart Memorial last Tuesday (Oct. 16) on the strength of a 54-hole score of 954 (316-315-323).

Junior **Hadley Jennings** (Trenton, Mo.) was the Bulldogs' top finisher with a 233 (77-73-83) score, an effort that resulted in a 24th-place showing.

Sophomore **Danielle Brooks** (Red Wing, Minn.) was unable to keep up her pace over the tournament's final 18 holes, firing an 81. She finished her round with a 54-hole total of 235 (76-78-81), which tied for 27th.

Falk registered a 241 (81-82-78) effort to tie for 41st, while freshman **Katie Clausen** (Hinton, Iowa) closed her competition in 61st place with a 248 (82-85-81) score.

Sophomore **Ashley Brooks** (Red Wing, Minn.) recorded a tournament score of 252 (84-82-86) to place 67th.

DRAKE RESULTS: Hadley Jennings (77-73-83=233/24th), **Danielle Brooks** (76-78-81=235/T-27th), **Chelsey Falk** (81-82-78=241/T-41st), **Katie Clausen** (82-85-81=248/61st) and **Ashley Brooks** (84-82-86=252/67th)

A YEAR AGO

Fueled by a pair of 78's from **Hadley Jennings** and **Chelsey Falk**, Drake fired a final-round 320 to finish 12th at the Pat Bradley Invitational at the par-72, 6,239-yard Pelican Preserve and Country Club's Egret to Ibis course in Fort Myers, Fla.

The Bulldogs concluded the tournament with a three-day total of 920 (331-325-320=920) on the strength of Drake's lowest score (320) of the event.

Jennings wrapped up action tied for 21st with a 54-hole total of 231 (77-76-78=231/T-21st).

Rounding out the Bulldogs' top four were Falk, Paige Menze and Christy Wittmer, who turned in tournament totals of 237 (80-79-78=237/T-46th), 251 (85-85-81=251/T-70th) and 257 (89-85-83=257/75th), respectively.

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.

OUR TOWN. YOUR TEAM.

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 open their spring campaign competing at the Jackrabbit Invitational (March 11-12) in Primm, Nev.

2012-13 DRAKE WOMEN'S GOLF SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES (AS OF OCT. 18, 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
MSU/Payne Stewart Memorial 54 holes • Oct. 15-16 Springfield, Mo.	DNP	DNP	84-82-86=252 67th	76-78-81=235 T-27th	82-85-81=248 61st	81-82-78=241 T-41st	77-73-83=233 24th	316-315-323=954 9th of 15 teams
Strokes Rounds/Average	DNP	DNP	518 6/86.3	958 12/79.8	1,025 12/85.4	939 12/78.3	916 12/76.3	3,829 12/319.1
Career Strokes Career Rounds/Average	956 12/79.7	516 6/86.0	518 6/86.3	2,867 35/81.9	1,025 12/85.4	5,269 65/81.1	5,194 64/81.2	NA NA