



2012 Drake Women's Golf - Week 2

Sept. 17-18 • Murray State Drake Creek Invitational
Ledbetter, Ky.

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.)	All Day
Oct. 1-2	Bob Hurley ORU Shootout (Tulsa, Okla.)	All Day
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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SEPT. 16, 2012

DRAKE TRAVELS TO KENTUCKY FOR MURRAY STATE DRAKE CREEK INVITATIONAL

WHAT'S AHEAD

The Drake women's golf team travels to Ledbetter, Ky., where the Bulldogs will partake in the 11-team Murray State Drake Creek Invitational on Monday (Sept. 17) and Tuesday (Sept. 18). The 54-hole event hosted by Murray State University will be held at the Drake Creek Golf Club. Golfers will tee off starting with shotgun starts on Monday (Sept. 17) at 8:30 a.m. CT and on Tuesday (Sept. 18) at 8:00 a.m.

The 11-team field includes: Arkansas State, Austin Peay, Belmont, Central Arkansas, Columbia, **Drake**, Jackson State, Murray State, Northern Iowa, Southern Illinois and Tennessee State.

A LOOK BACK

Carding a final-round 325, Drake earned a 54-hole score of 959 (318-316-325=959), good for an eighth-place finish among 15 teams at the Redbird Invitational hosted by D.A. Weibring Golf Club last Sunday (Sept. 9).

Junior **Hadley Jennings** (Trenton, Mo.) was the Bulldogs' top finisher with a two-day total of 225 (74-77-74) to tie for third place, after posting a final round 74.

Senior **Chelsey Falk** (Glenwood, Minn.) was nearly as impressive carding a final-round 78 to post a 54-hole total of 232 (79-75-78) en route to a 15th-place showing.

Sophomore **Danielle Brooks** (Red Wing, Minn.) and freshman **Katie Clausen** (Hinton, Iowa) each recorded tournament scores of 251 to tie for 61st place. Brooks (81-85-85=251) turned in a round of 85 over the final 18 holes, while Clausen (84-79-88=251) signed off on a score of 88.

DRAKE RESULTS: Hadley Jennings (74-77-74=225/T-3rd), **Chelsey Falk** (79-75-78=232/T-15th), **Katie Clausen** (84-79-88=251/T-61st) and **Danielle Brooks** (81-85-85=251/T-61st)

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

After a two-week layoff, the Bulldogs return to the course traveling to Tulsa, Okla., for the Bob Hurley Oral Roberts Shootout (Oct. 1-2).

2012-13 DRAKE WOMEN'S GOLF SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES

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
Strokes	DNP	DNP	DNP	251	251	232	225	959
Rounds/Average				3/83.7	3/83.7	3/77.3	3/75.0	3/319.6
Career Strokes	956	516	NA	2,160	251	4,562	4,503	NA
Career Rounds/Average	12/79.7	6/86.0	NA	26/83.1	3/83.7	56/81.5	55/81.9	NA