



WOMEN'S GOLF

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WINDY CITY COLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIPS — OCT. 6-7 2008

PRE-TOURNAMENT NOTES

SOONERS HEAD TO THE WINDY CITY

The University of Oklahoma women's golf team will compete Monday in the Windy City Collegiate Championships, hosted by Northwestern University. The 54-hole tournament will be held at the 6,350-yard, par-72 Evanston Golf Club in Skokie, Ill. Thirty-six holes will be played on Monday, followed by 18 holes on Tuesday.

The tournament will be the second of the season for the Sooners. They finished in 11th place at the Ron Moore Women's Intercollegiate in Highlands Ranch, Colo., two weeks ago.

The top spot in the Sooner lineup belongs to senior Kendall Dye, who fired a three-round 226 (+10) in Colorado, tying for 19th. Occupying the No.2 spot is sophomore Ellen Mueller, who started all 11 tournaments of the 2006-07 season, and finished in 29th place at the Ron Moore Intercollegiate.

"We are looking forward to this lineup," OU head coach Carol Ludvigson said of her golfers. "We hope to find some stability within our lineup after this trip. I hope to see a high finish for the team and high individual performances from our leaders, Kendall and Ellen."

Sophomore transfer Sara Hemingway will also tee off with the team as she makes her second consecutive tournament appearance as a Sooner.

Junior Chelsey Collins will make her first appearance of the 2008-09 season, while her sister, freshman Brooke Collins, who will look to record her second straight solid finish. She made an impressive collegiate debut at the Ron Moore Intercollegiate by placing 24th with a 228 (+12).

"We need to eliminate any big numbers and take bogey at worst," Ludvigson said. "This is the area of par twos that we need to capitalize on."

Oklahoma will compete against 12 other squads, including five top-50 teams and two Big 12 teams. The field includes No.24 Arizona, East Carolina, Illinois, Iowa State, No.49 Michigan, Northwestern, No.26 Purdue, Texas, No.42 TCU, Texas State, UNC-Wilmington and No. 27 UNLV.

The Sooners will tee off Monday at 7:30 a.m. CDT and on Tuesday at 8 a.m. Live scoring of the Windy City Collegiate Championships can be followed at www.golfstat.com.

THE SOONER LINEUP

1. Kendall Dye (senior): earned her 13th career top-20 finish at 2008 Ron Moore Women's Intercollegiate
2. Ellen Mueller (sophomore): earned four top-20 finishes as a freshman
3. Sarah Hemingway (sophomore): placed 57th at her first tournament as a Sooner
4. Brooke Collins (freshman): will debut her second tournament as a Sooner
5. Chelsey Collins (junior): placed 24th in her collegiate debut two weeks ago



PLAYER TO WATCH

Senior Kendall Dye

Posted the second-best scoring average on the team in 2007-08 (76.03). Accumulated five top-10 finishes over the past two years. The senior also competed in the 2008 U.S. Women's Amateur Championship in August.

2008-09 ROSTER

Brooke Collins	Fr.	Louisville, Colo.
Chelsey Collins	Jr.	Louisville, Colo.
Kendall Dye	Sr.	Edmond, Okla.
Ryanne Elmer	Jr.	Edmond, Okla.
Sara Hemingway	So.	Kingwood, Texas
Ellen Mueller	So.	Evansville, Ind.
Andrea Sellmeyer	Jr.	McAlester, Okla.
Kelly Short	Fr.	Muncie, Ind.
Staci Smoot	Sr.	Rochester, Minn.

2008-09 TEAM SCHEDULE/RESULTS

FALL 2007		1st	2nd	3rd	Total	Place	Teams	Par
9/22-24	Ron Moore Women's Intercollegiate (Highlands Ranch, Colo.)	306	315	301	922	11th	13	72
10/6-7	Windy City Collegiate Championships (Skokie, Ill.)							
10/13-15	NMSU Prices "Give 'Em Five" Invitational (Las Cruces, N.M.)							
10/28-29	Kent Youel Invitational (Oahu, Hawaii)							

SPRING 2008		1st	2nd	3rd	Total	Place	Teams	Par
2/8-10	Lady Puerto Rico Classic (Rio Grande, Puerto Rico)							
2/16-17	Central District Invitational (Parrish, Fla.)							
3/20-22	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Invitational (Austin, Texas)							
3/28-29	Mountain View Collegiate (Tucson, Ariz.)							
4/5-6	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic (Norman, Okla.)							
4/24-26	Big 12 Championship (Lubbock, Texas)							
5/7-9	Regional Championship (TBA)							
5/19-22	NCAA Championships (Owings Mills, Md.)							

2008-09 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

FALL '07/SPRING '08	RON MOORE	WINDY CITY	"GIVE 'EM FIVE"	KENT YOEEL
Brooke Collins	(T24) 81-71-76=228			
Chelsey Collins	DNP			
Kendall Dye	(T19) 72-80-74=226			
Ryanne Elmer	DNP			
Sara Hemingway	(T57) 78-84-78=240			
Ellen Mueller	(T29) 76-75-80=231			
Andrea Sellmeyer	(T52) 80-84-74=238			
Kelly Short	(T32) 81-76-75=232			
Staci Smoot	DNP			

SPRING 2008	PUERTO RICO	CENTRAL DISTRICT	BESTY RAWLS	MOUNTAIN VIEW	SUSIE MAXWELL	BIG 12
Brooke Collins						
Chelsey Collins						
Kendall Dye						
Ryanne Elmer						
Sara Hemingway						
Ellen Mueller						
Andrea Sellmeyer						
Kelly Short						
Staci Smoot						

2008-09 INDIVIDUAL TOTALS

Golfer	Rounds	Low	Strokes	Average
Brooke Collins	3	71	228	76.0
Chelsey Collins	0	0	0	0
Kendall Dye	3	72	226	75.33
Ryanne Elmer	0	0	0	0
Sara Hemingway	3	78	240	80.0
Ellen Mueller	3	75	231	77.0
Andrea Sellmeyer	3	74	238	79.33
Kelly Short	3	75	232	77.33
Staci Smoot	0	0	0	0

CAREER TOTALS

Golfer	Rounds	Low	Strokes	Average
Brooke Collins	3	71	228	76.0
Chelsey Collins	32	68	2,511	78.47
Kendall Dye	94	68	7,224	76.85
Ryanne Elmer	26	72	2,113	81.27
Sara Hemingway	3	78	240	80.0
Ellen Mueller	34	72	2,615	76.91
Andrea Sellmeyer	24	69	1,881	78.38
Kelly Short	3	75	232	77.33
Staci Smoot	47	71	3,770	80.21

OKLAHOMA RECORDS

Team

18 Holes: 287 (2008 MountainView Collegiate and 1994 Chris Johnson Invitational)

54 Holes: 874 (2000 UALR Invitational)

Individual

18 Holes: 66, Kim O'Connor (1994 Lady Paladin Invitational)

54 Holes: 211, Kendall Dye (2007 MountainView Collegiate) and Lisa Meldrum (2002 Dick McGee Invitational and 2002 Susie Maxwell Berning)

Season Stroke Avg.: 74.94, Lisa Meldrum (2003-04)

Career Stroke Average

1. Lisa Meldrum (75.14)

2. Kendall Dye (76.90)

3. Allison Johnson (76.92)

4. Kelly Jacques (76.93)

5. Kim O'Connor (77.22)

6. Wendy Martin (77.44)