

NEBRASKA

MEN'S GOLF

HOOSIER COLLEGIATE INVITATIONAL, BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA - APRIL 3-4, 2021

N 2020-21 SCHEDULE

SPRING 2021

Jan. 30	Big Red Alumni Invite Jacksonville, Fla. (TPC Sawgrass)	No Team Score
Feb. 5-6	Big Ten Match Play Championship Palm Coast, Fla. (Hammock Beach)	
Feb. 5	vs. Iowa	L, 2-3
	vs. Ohio State	L, 2-3
Feb. 6	vs. Rutgers	L, 0-4-1
	vs. Maryland	L, 1-1-3
Feb. 27	Challenge at Rancho San Diego, Calif. (Rancho Santa Fe CC)	No Team Score
March 8-10	Lamkin San Diego Classic San Diego, Calif. (San Diego CC)	19th/20 (933)
March 19-21	Spring Break Texas Dual Houston, Texas (Champions GC)	No Team Score
April 3-4	Hoosier Collegiate (Pfau GC)	8 a.m.
April 9-11	The Aggie Invitational College Station, Texas (Traditions GC)	TBA
April 17-18	Git-R-Done Husker Invitational Lincoln, Neb. (Firethorn GC)	TBA
April 30- May 2	Big Ten Championships Carmel, Ind. (Crooked Stick GC)	TBA
May 17-19	NCAA Regionals Regional Site (TBD)	TBA
May 28- June 2	NCAA Championships Scottsdale, Ariz. (Grayhawk GC)	TBA

N NEBRASKA ROSTER

Student-Athlete	Class	Hometown (High School/Other)
Caleb Badura	Jr.	Aurora, Neb. (Northwestern College)
Mark Foelbaek	Sr.	Jelling, Denmark (Ranger College)
Will Harding	Fr.	Prairie Village, Kan. (Shawnee Mission East)
Jack Lundin	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D. (Roosevelt)
Reed Malleck	Fr.	York, Neb. (York)
Will Marshall	So.	Elburn, Ill. (Kaneland)
Branden Meyer	Sr.	Gilbert, Ariz. (South Mountain CC)
Tristan Nelko	Jr.	Plymouth, Minn. (Wayzata)
Tanner Owen	Gr.	Parkville, Mo. (Park Hill South)
Daniel Pearson	Sr.	Longmont, Colo. (Fairview)
Gentry Scheve	Fr.	Emporia, Kan. (Emporia)
Jeremy Sisson	RFr.	Skaneateles, N.Y. (Arkansas)
Tom Westenberger	Sr.	Wuppertal, Germany (Iowa Western CC)

N HUSKER QUICK FACTS

Head Coach	Mark Hankins (Iowa State, 1997)
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2019-20 Top 10 Finishes	5/6
2019-20 Top Five Finishes	2/6
2019-20 Tournament Titles	0
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HUSKERS HEAD TO INDIANA FOR HOOSIER COLLEGIATE INVITATIONAL

The Nebraska men's golf team opens a busy month of April when the Huskers travel to Bloomington for the Indiana Hoosier Collegiate Invitational this weekend.

The Huskers will be part of a strong nine-team field that includes Big Ten Conference foes Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota and the hosts from Indiana, along with Ball State, Cincinnati, Eastern Michigan and Memphis.

The Big Red and the rest of the nine-team field will attack a challenging 7,432-yard, par-71 layout at the newly renovated Pfau Course.

The teams will play two rounds on Saturday, April 3, beginning with a shotgun start at 8 a.m. (CT). Sunday's final round will feature tee times off No. 1 and No. 10 beginning at 8 a.m.

Live scoring for the event will be available at GolfStat.com.

Nebraska's five-player lineup in count-four scoring will be led by freshmen Jeremy Sisson and Jack Lundin, followed by Branden Meyer, Tom Westenberger and Will Marshall.

The Hoosier Collegiate will be Nebraska's first scored team competition since competing at the Lamkin San Diego Classic (March 8-10). The tournament in Indiana opens an April that will also include a trip to the Aggie Invitational in College Station, Texas (April 9-11), before Nebraska plays host to the Git-R-Done Husker Invitational at Firethorn Golf Club in Lincoln (April 17-18).

The 2021 Big Ten Championships will be played at Crooked Stick Golf Club in Carmel, Ind., beginning April 30.

HUSKER NEWCOMERS MAKING IMMEDIATE IMPACT ON LINEUP

While the Nebraska roster features eight returning lettermen from 2019-20, the Huskers also showcase a talented five-player class of freshmen.

Freshman Jack Lundin, who was a two-time high school state champion and the South Dakota Men's Amateur Champion in 2019, will be playing out of the No. 2 position in the Nebraska lineup at Indiana. Lundin led the Huskers with a 3-1 individual record at the 2021 Big Ten Match Play Championships (Feb. 5-6) and opened his collegiate stroke play career with a 232 at the Lamkin San Diego Classic.

Lundin, who tied for seventh at the Nebraska Open with a 208 (-8) during the fall, is focused on learning and improving this season.

"I learned a lot about myself at the Big Ten Match Play," Lundin said. "I kind of proved to myself that I can play with these guys and I belong here. I learned even more in San Diego. I tried too hard and was worried about my score and other scores rather than just playing my game and focusing on each shot."

Redshirt freshman Jeremy Sisson (Skaneateles, N.Y.) made his competitive debut for the Huskers in San Diego, where he was NU's top finisher with a 231. He will play out of the top spot for the Big Red in Indiana.

Like Lundin, Sisson said his performance in San Diego provided a great opportunity to learn more about himself and his game.

"I learned a lot in San Diego. It really opened my eyes," Sisson said. "I know what my game is, and I realized I need to stay with my game and trust it. College courses are longer and firmer and really learning that every shot matters is a big adjustment. I think my game is trending in the right direction, and I am just going to take it shot by shot."

HOOSIER COLLEGIATE INVITATIONAL

Location	Bloomington, Ind.
Host	Indiana
Course	The Pfau Course (Par 71, 7,432 Yards)
Saturday, April 3 (Shotgun, 2 rounds)	8 a.m. (CT)
Sunday, April 4 (Tee Times)	8 a.m. (CT)

Live Scoring: GolfStat.com

Participating Teams (9)

Ball State	Cincinnati
Eastern Michigan	Indiana
Memphis	Michigan
Michigan State	Minnesota
Nebraska	

NEBRASKA LINEUP

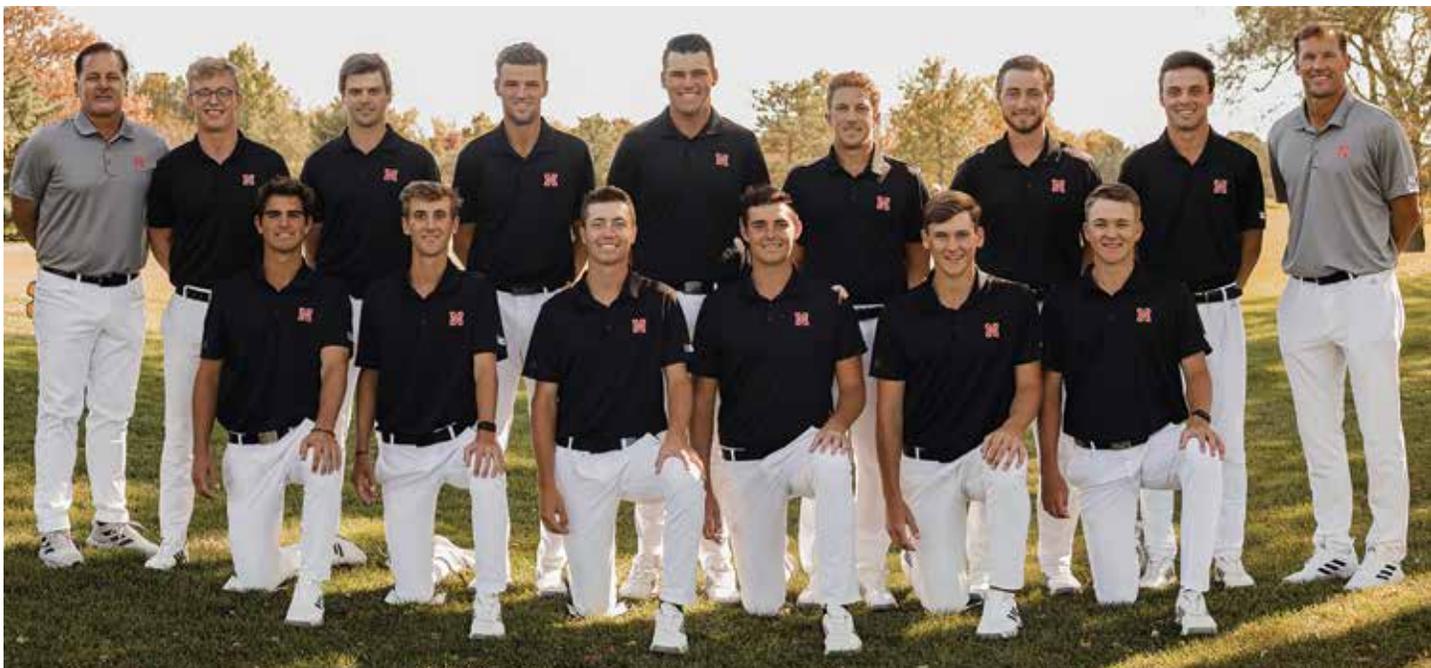
1. Jeremy Sisson	2. Jack Lundin
3. Branden Meyer	4. Tom Westenberger
5. Will Marshall	

Sisson, who produced NU's best individual round at the Nebraska Open with a final-round 66 (-6) during the fall, redshirted as a true freshman at Arkansas in 2019-20.

Freshman Gentry Scheve (Emporia, Kan.) led the Nebraska Open entering the final day after posting rounds of 68 and 67 to head to last 18 holes at 9-under par. Scheve was a two-time first-team Kansas Class 5A all-state selection in high school. He closed 2019 ranked No. 42 nationally in the Golfweek ratings.

Fellow Kansas standout Will Harding also brings a distinguished background to the Big Red roster. Harding was the Midwest PGA Student-Athlete of the Year in 2019 and was a first-team Kansas Class 6A all-stater as a junior after leading Shawnee Mission East to its second straight state title.

INDIANA HOOSIER COLLEGIATE, APRIL 3-4, 2021



The 2020-21 Nebraska Men's Golf Team (Back row, from left): Assistant Coach Brett Balak, Mark Foelbaek, Tom Westenberger, Tristan Nelko, Branden Meyer, Daniel Pearson, Tanner Owen, Caleb Badura, Head Coach Mark Hankins. (Front row, from left): Will Marshall, Will Harding, Jack Lundin, Jeremy Sisson, Gentry Scheve, Reed Malleck.

True freshman Reed Malleck (York, Neb.) rounds out Nebraska's group of newcomers. The No. 1 golfer in the state of Nebraska in the class of 2020, Malleck was the 2020 Nebraska Junior Match Play Champion after earning first-team Nebraska Super-State accolades in 2019.

EXPERIENCED GOLFERS GIVE HUSKERS REASON FOR OPTIMISM

NJCAA All-American Branden Meyer, who held Nebraska's No. 2 stroke average with a (75.53) while competing in all 15 rounds in the Husker lineup last season, continues to improve.

Meyer was NU's No. 3 finisher in San Diego and said he has spent the last three weeks honing his ball-striking and adjusting his mindset.

"It is always tough coming out of the winter break, but we have been getting some good work in. My ball-striking is coming around," Meyer said. "I pressed myself in San Diego and was thinking long term more than about each shot. This week I am just going to focus on staying in the present."

Another junior college All-American, Tom Westenberger, will play out of the No. 4 spot for the Huskers in Indiana. The German opened with a win and a tie at the Big Ten Match Play Championships before posting NU's fourth-best score in San Diego.

During the fall, Westenberger tied for fourth at the Nebraska Open with a 206 (-10).

Nebraska's individual stroke average leader the past two seasons, graduate student Tanner Owen returns for a fifth season after being granted an additional year of eligibility along with other NCAA golfers because of the COVID-19 pandemic.

In 2018-19, Owen posted a 72.86 average and tied for 16th at the Big Ten Championships, before posting a 75.46 average in 2019-20.

Senior Mark Foelbaek, who was an NJCAA All-American in 2019 before transferring to Nebraska, had an outstanding summer and fall after adjusting

to NCAA Division I competition as a junior in 2019-20. Foelbaek won the Nebraska Open (Sept. 11-13) at Elks Country Club in Columbus with a 204 (-12) with rounds of 69-68-67.

Junior Caleb Badura, who added a tie for ninth at the Nebraska Open with a 209 (-7), was a significant contributor in a shortened 2019-20 season, including a history-making 4-0 record at the 2020 Big Ten Match Play Championships.

HANKINS SET FOR THIRD SEASON AS NEBRASKA'S HEAD COACH

An outstanding coach with a record of success at the NCAA Division I and Big Ten Conference levels, Mark Hankins has the Nebraska men's golf program on the rise as he enters his third season in Lincoln.

In 2020-21, a senior-laden roster that includes fifth-year golfer and graduate student Tanner Owen, will lead the Big Red. The five-player class includes three 2019 NJCAA All-Americans (Mark Foelbaek, Branden Meyer and Tom Westenberger).

Hankins led Nebraska to its best Big Ten Match Play Championship finishes in history by taking fourth in 2019 and 2020. He also guided the Huskers to their best-ever Big Ten finish by capturing fifth at the 2019 conference tournament.

One of only three active coaches to lead a team to a Big Ten Conference men's golf title, Hankins came to Nebraska after serving as an assistant athletic director at the University of Iowa. He enters his fifth year as a member of the NCAA Division I Men's Golf Committee.

Overall, in 17 seasons as a Big Ten men's golf head coach, Hankins has coached five All-Americans, 21 golfers who earned All-Big Ten honors, including two Big Ten Players of the Year and a Big Ten Freshman of the Year. His student-athletes also earned a total of 55 Academic All-Big Ten accolades and 12 All-America Scholar awards from the Golf Coaches Association of America (GCAA).

2020 SPRING SEASON RECAP

Nebraska began its 2020 spring season at the Big Ten Match Play Championship, Feb. 7-8, at Hammock Beach Resort in Palm Coast, Fla. Nebraska opened by winning the tiebreaker in a 3-3 match against No. 4 seed Ohio State. Later the same day, the Huskers improved to 2-0 with an impressive 3.5-2.5 victory over Michigan State.

The Huskers secured a fourth-place finish despite suffering a 4-2 setback to Northwestern and a 3.5-2.5 loss to Maryland on the tournament's final day.

Caleb Badura provided the biggest individual highlights by becoming the first Husker to go 4-0 at the Big Ten Match Play. Meyer added an impressive 3-1 match play performance for the Big Red.

Badura built momentum for the spring by leading the Huskers a month later at the Desert Mountain Intercollegiate in Arizona (March 7-8). The Aurora, Neb., native tied for 21st with a 223 (+7) on the Outlaw Course at Desert Mountain, while Meyer added a tie for 32nd (226) to help Nebraska to a ninth-place team finish.

The Huskers were scheduled to play at The Aggie Invitational (April 4-5), the Git-R-Done Husker Invitational (April 11-12) and the Hawkeye Invitational (April 18-19) prior to competing at the Big Ten Championships (May 1-3), but the COVID-19 pandemic ended college sports seasons around the nation in mid-March.

Tanner Owen capped his 2020 season by earning his bachelor's degree from Nebraska, while being named a Golf Coaches Association of America Scholar All-American, a Big Ten Distinguished Scholar and Academic All-Big Ten. Owen was also Nebraska's Big Ten Sportsmanship Award winner for men's golf.

Branden Meyer joined Owen as a GCAA Scholar All-American, while Daniel Pearson and Patrick Clare added Academic All-Big Ten honors of their own.

NEBRASKA MEN'S GOLF 2020-21 STATISTICS

NEBRASKA 2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Tournament	Place/Teams (Round-by-Round Score)
Big Ten Match Play Championship (Feb. 5-6)	13th/13 (0-4)
Challenge at Rancho (Feb. 27)	No Scoring
Lamkin San Diego Classic (March 8-10)	19th/20 (314-311-308=933)
Spring Break Texas Dual (March 19-21)	No Scoring
Indiana Hoosier Collegiate (April 3-4)	8 a.m.
The Aggie Invitational (April 9-11)	TBA
Git-R-Done Husker Invitational (April 17-18)	TBA
Big Ten Championships (April 30-May 2)	TBA
NCAA Regionals (May 17-19)	TBA
NCAA Championships (May 28-June 2)	TBA
Season Totals	933/3 Rounds
2020-21 Team Stroke Average	311.00
Season Low Round	308 (Lamkin San Diego, 3rd)
Season Low (54 Holes)	933 (Lamkin San Diego)
Tournament Titles	0/1
Top Five Finishes	0/1
Top 10 Finishes	0/1

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL CAREER BEST ROUND

Golfer	Round
Tanner Owen	.68 (6 times, most recent 2019 Rod Myers/Duke, 2nd)
Caleb Badura	70 (2020 Desert Mountain, 3rd)
Tom Westenberger	70 (2020 Desert Mountain, 3rd)
Will Marshall	71 (2019 Royal Oaks, 3rd)
Daniel Pearson	71 (2017 Quail Valley, 3rd)
Branden Meyer	72 (3 times, most recent 2020 Desert Mountain, 1st)
Jeremy Sisson	72 (2021 Lamkin San Diego, 2nd)
Tristan Nelko	72 (2018 Cardinal Regional Challenge, 1st)
Mark Foelbaek	74 (2019 Rod Myers/Duke, 3rd)
Jack Lundin	76 (2021 Lamkin San Diego, 3rd)

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL CAREER BEST TOURNAMENT

Golfer	Three Rounds
Tanner Owen	210 (2018 Fighting Irish Classic; 2017 Jackrabbit)
Caleb Badura	223 (2020 Desert Mountain)
Daniel Pearson	223 (2019 William H. Tucker)
Branden Meyer	224 (2019 Prairie Club; 2019 Rod Myers/Duke)
Will Marshall	225 (2019 Royal Oaks)
Tristan Nelko	225 (2018 Quail Valley)
Mark Foelbaek	226 (2019 Rod Myers/Duke)
Tom Westenberger	226 (2019 Royal Oaks)
Jeremy Sisson	231 (2021 Lamkin San Diego)
Jack Lundin	232 (2021 Lamkin San Diego)

NEBRASKA 2020-21 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

JEREMY SISSON

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	0-0-0	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	81-72-78-231	T76th
Season Totals	231 Strokes/3 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	77.00	
Season Low Round	72 (Lamkin San Diego, 2nd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/1	
Top 10 Finishes	0/1	
Top 20 Finishes	0/1	

JACK LUNDIN

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	3-1-0	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	77-79-76-232	T80th
Season Totals	232 Strokes/3 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	77.33	
Season Low Round	76 (Lamkin San Diego, 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/1	
Top 10 Finishes	0/1	
Top 20 Finishes	0/1	

BRANDEN MEYER

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	0-4-0	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	77-79-77-233	.86th
Season Totals	233 Strokes/3 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	77.67	
Season Low Round	77 (Lamkin San Diego, 1st & 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/1	
Top 10 Finishes	0/1	
Top 20 Finishes	0/1	

TOM WESTENBERGER

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	1-2-1	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	79-81-77-237	T97th
Season Totals	237 Strokes/3 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	79.00	
Season Low Round	77 (Lamkin San Diego, 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/1	
Top 10 Finishes	0/1	
Top 20 Finishes	0/1	

MARK FOELBAEK

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	0-1-0	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	83-85-79-247	T110th
Season Totals	247 Strokes/3 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	82.67	
Season Low Round	79 (Lamkin San Diego, 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/1	
Top 10 Finishes	0/1	
Top 20 Finishes	0/1	

CALEB BADURA

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	0-3-1	
Season Totals	0 Strokes/0 Rounds	
2019-20 Stroke Average		
Season Low Round		
Top Five Finishes	0/0	
Top 10 Finishes	0/0	
Top 20 Finishes	0/0	

GENTRY SCHEVE

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	1-2-0	
Season Totals	0 Strokes/0 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	0.00	
Season Low Round		
Top Five Finishes	0/0	
Top 10 Finishes	0/0	
Top 20 Finishes	0/0	