

NEBRASKA

MEN'S GOLF

AGGIE INVITATIONAL, COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS - APRIL 9-11, 2021

N 2020-21 SCHEDULE

SPRING 2021

Jan. 30	Big Red Alumni Invite	No Team Score
	Jacksonville, Fla. (TPC Sawgrass)	
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	No Team Score
	San Diego, Calif. (Rancho Santa Fe CC)	
March 8-10	Lamkin San Diego Classic	19th/20 (933)
	San Diego, Calif. (San Diego CC)	
March 19-21	Spring Break Texas Dual	No Team Score
	Houston, Texas (Champions GC)	
April 3-4	Hoosier Collegiate (Pfau GC)	3rd/9 (897)
April 9-11	The Aggie Invitational	8:15 a.m.
	College Station, Texas (Traditions GC)	
April 17-18	Git-R-Done Husker Invitational	TBA
	Lincoln, Neb. (Firethorn GC)	
April 30-	Big Ten Championships	TBA
May 2	Carmel, Ind. (Crooked Stick GC)	
May 17-19	NCAA Regionals	TBA
	Regional Site (TBD)	
May 28-	NCAA Championships	TBA
June 2	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Grayhawk GC)	

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
Big Ten Conference	Ninth Season
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HUSKERS TRAVEL TO TEXAS A&M FOR AGGIE INVITATIONAL

Fresh off a strong tournament showing in Indiana, the Nebraska men's golf team turns its attention to Texas to compete at the Aggie Invitational in College Station this weekend.

The Huskers will be part of a loaded 17-team field that features 11 top-75 teams, including No. 1 Oklahoma, No. 5 Texas, No. 12 Texas A&M and No. 25 Texas Tech, along with Baylor, Houston, Kansas, Lamar, Louisville, New Mexico State, Northern Illinois, North Texas, Prairie View A&M, Rice, UNLV and UTSA.

The teams will play single rounds each of the tournament's three days, beginning with 8:15 a.m. tee times on Friday, April 9. Tee times continue at 8:15 a.m. on Saturday, before the final round tees off at 7:30 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 freshman Jack Lundin, who tied for fourth at the Hoosier Invitational (April 3-4). Tom Westenberger added a top-10 finish in Indiana to help the Huskers to a third-place team finish. Branden Meyer, Jeremy Sisson and Will Marshall, who all played major roles in NU's strong showing in Indiana, will all be back in the lineup for the Big Red in Texas.

Following the tournament at Texas A&M, Nebraska will play host to the Git-R-Done Husker Invitational at Firethorn Golf Club in Lincoln (April 17-18). Coach Mark Hankins and the Huskers will host a Media Day for the event at Firethorn on Tuesday, April 13 at 1:30 p.m.

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.

Jack Lundin, who was a two-time high school state champion and the South Dakota Men's Amateur Champion in 2019, was Nebraska's top finisher by tying for fourth with a career-best 221 (71-75-75) at the Hoosier Invitational (April 3-4).

Lundin said the mental adjustments he made following Nebraska's first spring stroke play tournament in San Diego were key to his success in Indiana.

"I was very patient and didn't really get ahead of myself, and that was big for me," Lundin said. "I stayed in the present and played each shot, which allowed me just to stay focused on my game. That really helped me when things didn't go well. I was able to recover more quickly and get back on track."

Lundin also led the Huskers with a 3-1 individual record at the 2021 Big Ten Match Play.

Redshirt freshman Jeremy Sisson (Skaneateles, N.Y.) played out of the top of Nebraska's lineup in Indiana after making his competitive debut as NU's top finisher at the Lamkin San Diego Classic with a 231. His opening-round 73 in Indiana was a key to NU's season-best 296 team score in the first round.

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

Freshman Gentry Scheve (Emporia, Kan.) led the Nebraska Open entering the final day after rounds of 68 and 67 to head to the 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.

AGGIE INVITATIONAL

Location	College Station, Texas
Host	Texas A&M
Course	Traditions Golf Club (Par 72, 7,227 Yards)
Friday, April 9 (Tee Times)	8:15 a.m. (CT)
Saturday, April 10 (Tee Times)	8:15 a.m. (CT)
Sunday, April 11 (Tee Times)	7:30 a.m. (CT)

Live Scoring: GolfStat.com

Participating Teams (17)

Baylor (36)	Houston (46)
Kansas (56)	Lamar
Louisville (30)	Nebraska
New Mexico State	Northern Illinois
North Texas (60)	Oklahoma (1)
Prairie View A&M	Rice
Texas (5)	Texas A&M (12)
Texas Tech (25)	UNLV (68)
UTSA (33)	

NEBRASKA LINEUP

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

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.

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.

AGGIE INVITATIONAL, APRIL 9-11, 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.

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 at the Hoosier Invitational, where he contributed three solid counting scores to Nebraska's third-place team finish.

"We know it is a great field and a great course at the Traditions, but we are going to compete to win," Meyer said. "We know some of the best teams in the country will be there, but we are going to focus on us and keep playing shot by shot. We are getting close to playing some really good golf. We know the course, and it sets up pretty well for us."

Another junior college All-American, Tom Westenberger, will play out of the No. 2 spot for the Huskers at Texas A&M after tying for seventh at the Hoosier Invitational. 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.

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.

Sophomore Will Marshall helped the Huskers at the Hoosier Collegiate in his first lineup appearance of 2021. Marshall's final-round 72 was NU's best score of the day, as he finished in a career-best tie for 39th at 232.

"I have learned a lot and my game is improving," Marshall said. "I am trying to just stay committed to every shot, see the flight of the ball and use my athleticism to play some good golf. I think we are developing a great culture with guys who care about each other a lot and love playing golf."

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 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 Aggie (April 4-5), Git-R-Done Husker (April 11-12), the Hawkeye (April 18-19) invitationals and the Big Ten Championships (May 1-3) were canceled because of the COVID-19 pandemic.

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
Hoosier Collegiate (April 3-4)	3rd/9 (296-303-298=897)
The Aggie Invitational (April 9-11)	8:15 a.m.
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	1,830/6 Rounds
2020-21 Team Stroke Average	305.00
Season Low Round	296 (Hoosier Collegiate, 1st)
Season Low (54 Holes)	897 (Hoosier Collegiate)
Tournament Titles	0/2
Top Five Finishes	1/2
Top 10 Finishes	1/2

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)
Jack Lundin	71 (2021 Hoosier Collegiate, T4th)
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)

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL CAREER BEST TOURNAMENT

Golfer	Three Rounds
Tanner Owen	210 (2018 Fighting Irish Classic; 2017 Jackrabbit)
Jack Lundin	221 (2021 Hoosier Collegiate)
Caleb Badura	223 (2020 Desert Mountain)
Daniel Pearson	223 (2019 William H. Tucker)
Tom Westenberger	223 (2021 Hoosier Collegiate)
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)
Jeremy Sisson	231 (2021 Lamkin San Diego)

NEBRASKA 2020-21 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

JACK LUNDIN

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	3-1-0	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	77-79-76-232	T80th
Hoosier Collegiate	71-75-75-221	T4th
Season Totals	453 Strokes/6 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	75.50	
Season Low Round	71 (Hoosier Collegiate, 1st)	
Top Five Finishes	1/2	
Top 10 Finishes	1/2	
Top 20 Finishes	1/2	

TOM WESTENBERGER

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	1-2-1	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	79-81-77-237	T97th
Hoosier Collegiate	75-74-74-223	T7th
Season Totals	460 Strokes/6 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	76.67	
Season Low Round	74 (Hoosier Collegiate, 2nd & 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/2	
Top 10 Finishes	1/2	
Top 20 Finishes	1/2	

BRANDEN MEYER

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	0-4-0	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	77-79-77-233	86th
Hoosier Collegiate	77-76-77-230	T32nd
Season Totals	463 Strokes/6 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	77.17	
Season Low Round	76 (Lamkin San Diego, 1st & 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/2	
Top 10 Finishes	0/2	
Top 20 Finishes	0/2	

JEREMY SISSON

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	0-0-0	
Lamkin San Diego Classic	81-72-78-231	T76th
Hoosier Collegiate	73-80-79-232	T39th
Season Totals	464 Strokes/6 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	77.17	
Season Low Round	72 (Lamkin San Diego, 2nd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/2	
Top 10 Finishes	0/2	
Top 20 Finishes	0/2	

WILL MARSHALL

Tournament	Results	Place
Big Ten Match Play Championship	0-0-0	
Hoosier Collegiate	82-78-72-232	T39th
Season Totals	232 Strokes/3 Rounds	
2020-21 Stroke Average	77.33	
Season Low Round	72 (Hoosier Collegiate, 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	