

# 2009 Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic

Monday, Oct. 5 & Tuesday, Oct. 6 2009 The Warren Golf Course • Notre Dame, Ind.



Senior Josh Sandman



Senior Doug Fortner

#### **Tournament Preview**



Senior Carl Santos-Ocampo

A new tradition began in 2006 when the University of Notre Dame played host to the inaugural Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic at the Warren Golf Course. Created by head coach Jim Kubinski, the Gridiron Golf Classic features a fun-filled weekend, blending the best of college golf with the unique experience of a Notre Dame football game. This year, the participants will have the opportunity to watch Notre Dame play Washington at historic Notre Dame Stadium.

2009 marks the fourth time Notre Dame will play host to the Fighting Irish Gridiron Classic. Lamar won the first-ever Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic title in 2006 with the Cardinals' Justin Harding earning medalist honors by finishing one shot better than Notre Dame's Cole Isban. In 2007, Michigan State took the tournament championship and Michigan State's Ryan Brehm was the '07 tournament medalist, finishing five shots clear of Notre Dame's Doug Fortner and Virginia's Greg Carlin. Last season, Arkansas prevailed to take the team title, while Michigan State's Randy Hutchison earned medalist honors.

All three previous tournaments featured impressive fields, and 2009 will be no exception as Arkansas, BYU, Cincinnati, Colorado, Georgetown, Houston, Iowa, Lamar, Miami (OH), Missouri, Ohio State, San Francisco, Saint Mary's (CA) and UT-Arlington join Notre Dame to comprise the 15-team field.



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### 2009-10 Notre Dame Men's Golf



Connor Alan-Lee Jr. • Solana Beach, California



Olavo Batista Sr. • Sao Paulo, Brazil



Jeff Chen Jr. • Walnut, California



**Doug Fortner** Sr. • Tustin, California



Paul McNamara III Fr. • Palos Verdes Estates, California



Josh Sandman Sr. • Greensboro, North Carolina



Carl Santos-Ocampo Sr. • Naples, Florida



**Max Scodro** So. • Chicago, Illinois



Tom Usher So. • Bradford, England



Chris Walker So. • The Woodlands, Texas



**Kyle Willis** Sr. • Lake Forest, Illinois



**Dustin Zhang**Jr. • Calgary, Alberta

## **Welcome to Notre Dame**

Dear Patron,

Welcome to our fourth annual Notre Dame Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic ("FIGGC"). We're pleased to bring so many of the nation's top men's collegiate golf teams together for a memorable weekend of great golf and football at "Ol' Notre Dame!"

Our first three events saw three of the top teams (Lamar '06, Michigan State '07 and Arkansas '08) in the country take home the trophy in convincing fashion. All three teams won with over-par totals in mostly beautiful weather, though, which is a testament to the difficulty of our Warren Golf Course. Once again, "The Warren" should be up to the challenge!

Lamar's Justin Harding captured the individual championship in '06 by holing out from just short of the final green to finish at 213 (+3) and defeat Notre Dame's own Cole Isban and Vanderbilt's Luke List by a single stroke.

In 2007, Michigan State's Ryan Brehm posted the tournament record in winning the individual title at 205 (-5) with, again, a Notre Dame golfer, Doug Fortner, in second, along with Virginia's Greg Carlin at 210 (E).

Last year, Michigan State's Randy Hutchinson held off Andrew Landry of Arkansas to win by one stroke. Hutchinshon turned in an even-par 210, while Landry carded a 211 (+1).

We're thrilled to once again offer football tickets for all participants and coaches to our Fighting Irish versus Washington Huskies football game on Saturday afternoon here in storied Notre Dame Stadium, especially for those visiting schools who do not have college football programs. Enjoy the game!

We are grateful for the support afforded our event from sponsors, volunteers, the Notre Dame Department of Athletics and our Notre Dame community. Area businesses such as the Waterford Estates Lodge has offered great support for our event.

Our Warren Golf Course General Manager, John Foster, and his staff deserve special recognition for their support of our golf programs throughout the year and their cooperation in hosting the FIGGC. Of course, our Golf Course Superintendent, Matt Cielen, deserves our gratitude for having the golf course in fantastic condition and ready to challenge even the best of players.

Most importantly, our event would not have become a reality without the tremendous support and generosity of Mike and Debra Isban, and the Isban family. The concept for this event and the enjoyment it will provide to its participants was born of their love of golf and their love for the University of Notre Dame. We are most grateful for their commitment to the FIGGC and to our Notre Dame golf family.

Please enjoy our unique event throughout the weekend. I hope it provides fond and lasting memories for you.

Sincerely,

Jim Kubinski University of Notre Dame Men's Golf Coach

### **Welcome to Notre Dame**

On behalf of the University of Notre Dame and the staff of the Warren Golf Course, it is our pleasure to welcome you to the third annual Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic.

Opened in 2000, the Warren Golf Course was designed by Bill Coore and Ben Crenshaw. In its short history, the course already has played host to some of the nation's premier amateur events, including the 2005 NCAA Central Regional, three U.S. Amateur Championship qualifiers, three Western Amateur Championship qualifiers as well as an AJGA Junior Open from July 27-30, 2009. In addition, we have been pleased to be the host course for five BIG EAST Conference



Men's Championships and three BIG EAST Women's Championships and look forward to playing host to a 2010 men's NCAA Regional on May 20-22.

The Warren Golf Course also continues to be recognized nationally and internationally for excellence in numerous major publications. In September 2005, the Warren Golf Course was selected as one of the nation's top 15 on-campus college course, according to a feature article in *Golf Digest*. And in 2008, we were thrilled and honored to have *Golfweek* rate our course second in the state of Indiana as part of its series "America's Best Courses: State-by-State Rankings of Best Public Access Courses."

We invite you to take advantage of everything our course has to offer, from the expansive driving range and adjacent putting green that greet you near the first tee, to the fantastic Warren Clubhouse Grill (with outdoor patio dining just off the 18th green) and our fully-stocked pro shop (designed to meet all your equipment and apparel needs) located inside our stately clubhouse.

We hope you will enjoy your time here at the Warren Golf Course and we look forward to having you join us again soon for your next round of golf. If there is anything we can do to make your stay more enjoyable, please do not hesitate to let us know.

Thank you again for joining us for this year's event and good luck!

#### Sincerely,

John Foster, General Manager/Head Golf Professional, The Warren Golf Course at Notre Dame Ryan Gowen, Assistant Golf Professional Cody Risedorph, Assistant Golf Professional Matt Cielen, GCSAA, Course Superintendent Sue Mansfield, Pro Shop Manager Lana Taylor, Coordinator of Golf Course Services

### **The Warren Golf Course**

May 1, 2000, marked the beginning of a new era in the history of Notre Dame golf as the University unveiled the championship-caliber William K. and Natalie O. Warren Golf Course at Notre Dame.

Since its opening, the course has been hailed as one of the best new courses in America by *Golf Digest* and has been featured in *Links Magazine* and *Golf Digest* as a must-play venue. In addition, *Golfweek* has tabbed the Warren Golf Course as one of the nation's top 15 on-campus collegiate layouts.



Through the generous donation of Notre Dame alumnus and Tulsa, Okla., resident Bill Warren ('56), the University features an impressive 18-hole golf course, designed by the Austin, Texas-based architectural firm of Coore and Crenshaw, headed by Bill Coore and PGA Tour veteran (and victorious 1999 U.S. Ryder Cup captain) Ben Crenshaw.

The design of the Warren Golf Course is reminiscent of the classic, "walkable" Irish and American courses built in the late 19th and early 20th century, with short distances between the greens and tees. Winding its way through 250 wooded acres on the northeast edge of the Notre Dame campus, the course incorporates traditional elements of the great golf courses of the early 20th century and — unlike many modern layouts — is built on subtleties rather than special effects.

Distinguishing features include: rectangular tee boxes that provide a classic start to each hole; undulating greens of varying shapes constructed in a push-up style that slopes from back to front; false fronts to greens that allow the golfer to run the ball or fly it to the flag; and strategically-placed bunkers that visually enhance each hole while challenging players to proceed with caution.

The course runs 7,023 yards from the back tees, 6,502 yards from the middle, and 5,302 yards from the forward tees. It includes more than 88 recently-reshaped and enhanced bunkers, scattered among the 18 holes, and water comes into play on six holes. The course has bent grass fairways and fescue grass rough, playing surfaces found at some of today's top facilities.

Two lakes add to the challenge of the course, with one stationed between the third and fourth holes, while another provides a hazard from the tee on No. 17. Water also comes into play with the existing Juday Creek winding through holes 16 and 18, and additional creeks have been added on holes 10 and 18.

The 7,000-square foot clubhouse — designed by Moake-Park Group, Inc., of Fort Wayne, Ind., in a French country style — was completed in June of 1999. The building matches the period of the course architecture (early 20th century), with a classic "clinker" style brick exterior. The design is completed by copper cupolas, dormers and trim, a slate rook and an enclosed porch. Brick fireplaces are located on both sides of the building, which welcomes the University community to venture over for lunch, meetings or shopping.

# **Driving Directions**

#### From Warren Golf Course To Waterford Estates Lodge

Turn right (West) out of golf course onto Douglas Road.

Proceed one mile and turn right (North) at stoplight onto Indiana SR-933.

Proceed one mile through town of Roseland, passing under Indiana Toll Road overpass.

Following stoplight at intersection of IN-933 and Cleveland Road (just beyond at the Toll

Road overpass), hotel entrance will be on the right side.

Hotel is located at: 52890 Indiana SR-933 North, South Bend, IN 46637.

Phone: (574) 272-5220.

#### From Waterford Estates Lodge To Warren Golf Course

Turn left (South) out of parking lot onto Indiana SR-933.

Continue one mile South through the town of Roseland.

Turn left (East) on Douglas Road at second of two stoplights past Perkins Restaurant.

Continue one mile to course on the left side.

Golf Course is located at: 100 Warren Golf Course, Notre Dame, IN 46556

Phone: (574) 631-4653.

## **Places to Eat**

#### **Fast Food**

Arby's - 52920 Indiana SR-933, South Bend (574-277-3300)

Fazoli's - 52770 Indiana SR-933, South Bend (574-277-4008)

Sonic Drive-In - 3906 Portage Rd., South Bend (574-273-9340)

Steak & Shake - 52965 Indiana SR-933, South Bend (574-271-9412)

Subway - 52577 Indiana SR-933, South Bend (574-277-1024)

Taco Bell - 231 N. Dixie Way, Roseland (574-272-2387)

Wendy's - 320 S. Dixie Way, Roseland (574-271-0166)

#### **Family-Style Restaurants**

American Pancake House - 508 N. Dixie Way, Roseland (574-247-0810)

Applebee's - 3703 Portage Rd., South Bend (574-277-2640)

Bob Evans - 204 S. Dixie Way, Roseland (574-272-6737)

Hacienda Mexican Restaurant - 3903 Portage Rd., South Bend (574-277-3843)

Chipotle - 1250 N. Eddy Street, South Bend (574-251-0175)

Perkins - 423 S. Dixie Way, Roseland (574-272-0655)

### **Tournament Information**

**DATES:** Monday-Tuesday, Oct. 5-6, 2009 (practice round on Sunday, Oct. 4)

**COURSE:** Warren Golf Course - Notre Dame, Ind. (par 70/7,023 yards)

**FIELD:** Arkansas, BYU, Cincinnati, Colorado, Georgetown, Houston, Iowa, Lamar, Miami (OH), Missouri,

Notre Dame, Ohio State, San Fracisco, Saint Mary's (CA) and UT-Arlington.

**FORMAT:** Five-player lineups, with the lowest four scores counted each round.

Practice round - Sunday, Oct. 4 (shotgun start at 10:40 a.m. ET)

Round 1 - Monday, Oct. 5 (shotgun start at 9:00 a.m. ET)

Round 2 - Monday, Oct. 5 (continuous play following Round 1)

Round 3 - Tuesday, Oct. 6 (split-tee starts from #1/#10 tees beginning at 8:15 a.m. ET)

**RESULTS:** Live in-progress scoring will be available on the Internet at the Golfstat web site (www.golfstat.

*com*). Complete results will be posted on the front door of the Warren Golf Course clubhouse following the completion of each round, and also will be posted on the official Notre Dame

athletics web site (www.UND.com).

**MEDIA:** No press credentials will be issued for this event. However, sports information personnel and/

or media wishing to attend the tournament in person should contact Notre Dame Golf SID Dan

Colleran in advance to make arrangements for parking and work space.

**HOTEL:** Waterford Estates Lodge

52980 Indiana SR-933 North

South Bend, IN 46637

(574) 272-5220

**CONTACTS:** Dan Colleran, SID Assistant/Tournament Media Relations Director

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Jim Kubinski, Notre Dame Head Men's Golf Coach

(574) 631-5907 (office); (574) 532-0294 (cell); (574) 631-3220 (fax)

John Foster, Warren Golf Course General Manager/Head Golf Professional

(574) 631-4653 (office)

Skip Meyer, Notre Dame Assistant Athletic Trainer

(574) 532-4186 (cell); will be on-call throughout the tournament.

**WEB SITES:** University of Notre Dame Athletics (www.UND.com)

Golfstat live scoring (www.golfstat.com)

Warren Golf Course (www.warrengolfcourse.com)

Waterford Estates Lodge (www.waterfordestateslodge.com)

# **Tournament Tee Times**

#### Round 1 Tee Times — October 5, 2009 9:00 a.m. (ET) shotgun start Warren Golf Course — Notre Dame, Ind.

1 A	Natur Dana #3	Al	C:: :: #2
1A	Notre Dame #2	Arkansas #2	Cincinnati #2
1B	Notre Dame #1	Arkansas #1	Cincinnati #1
2	Notre Dame #3	Arkansas #3	Cincinnati #3
3A	Notre Dame #5	Arkansas #5	Cincinnati #5
3B	Notre Dame#4	Arkansas #4	Cincinnati #4
4	BYU #1	Ohio State #1	lowa #1
5	BYU #2	Ohio State #2	lowa #2
6A	BYU #4	Ohio State #4	lowa #4
6B	BYU #3	Ohio State #3	lowa #3
7B	BYU #5	Ohio State #5	lowa #5
7A	UTA #1	Colorado #1	Lamar #1
8A	UTA #3	Colorado #3	Lamar #3
8B	UTA #2	Colorado #2	Lamar #2
9	UTA #4	Colorado #4	Lamar #4
10	UTA #5	Colorado #5	Lamar #5
11	Houston #1	Miami #1	St. Mary's #1
12A	Houston #3	Miami #3	St. Mary's #3
12B	Houston #2	Miami #2	St. Mary's #2
13A	Houston #5	Miami #5	St. Mary's #5
13B	Houston #4	Miami #4	St. Mary's #4
14	Georgetown #1	San Francisco #1	Missouri #1
15A	Georgetown #3	San Francisco #3	Missouri #3
15B	Georgetown #2	San Francisco #2	Missouri #2
16A	Georgetown #5	San Francisco #5	Missouri #5
16B	Georgetown #4	San Francisco #4	Missouri #4
17	ND Individual	ND Individual	ND Individual
18A	ND Individual	ND Individual	TBA Individual
18B	ND Individual	ND Individual	TBA Individual

# **Tournament Tee Times**

#### Round 2 Tee Times — October 5, 2009 Continuous play following the end of Round 1 Warren Golf Course — Notre Dame, Ind.

1A	Notre Dame #2	Arkansas #2	Cincinnati #2
1B	Notre Dame #1	Arkansas #1	Cincinnati #1
2	Notre Dame #3	Arkansas #3	Cincinnati #3
3A	Notre Dame #5	Arkansas #5	Cincinnati #5
3B	Notre Dame#4	Arkansas #4	Cincinnati #4
4	BYU #1	Ohio State #1	lowa #1
5	BYU #2	Ohio State #2	lowa #2
6A	BYU #4	Ohio State #4	lowa #4
6B	BYU #3	Ohio State #3	lowa #3
7B	BYU #5	Ohio State #5	lowa #5
7A	UTA #1	Colorado #1	Lamar #1
8A	UTA #3	Colorado #3	Lamar #3
8B	UTA #2	Colorado #2	Lamar #2
9	UTA #4	Colorado #4	Lamar #4
10	UTA #5	Colorado #5	Lamar #5
11	Houston #1	Miami #1	St. Mary's #1
12A	Houston #3	Miami #3	St. Mary's #3
12B	Houston #2	Miami #2	St. Mary's #2
13A	Houston #5	Miami #5	St. Mary's #5
13B	Houston #4	Miami #4	St. Mary's #4
14	Georgetown #1	San Francisco #1	Missouri #1
15A	Georgetown #3	San Francisco #3	Missouri #3
15B	Georgetown #2	San Francisco #2	Missouri #2
16A	Georgetown #5	San Francisco #5	Missouri #5
16B	Georgetown #4	San Francisco #4	Missouri #4
17	ND Individual	ND Individual	ND Individual
18A	ND Individual	ND Individual	TBA Individual
18B	ND Individual	ND Individual	TBA Individual

### **Tournament Tee Times**

Round 3 Tee Times — October 6, 200
Warren Golf Course — Notre Dame, Ind.
(all tee times listed are Eastern Time // based on 36-hole standings)

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8:15 AM
            #5 Team 7, #5 Team 8, #5 Team 9
            #4 Team 7, #4 Team 8, #4 Team 9
8:24 AM
            #3 Team 7, #3 Team 8, #3 Team 9
8:33 AM
8:42 AM
            #2 Team 7, #2 Team 8, #2 Team 9
            #1 Team 7, #1 Team 8, #1 Team 9
8:51 AM
9:00 AM
            #5 Team 4, #5 Team 5, #5 Team 6
            #4 Team 4, #4 Team 5, #4 Team 6
9:09 AM
            #3 Team 4, #3 Team 5, #3 Team 6
9:18 AM
9:27 AM
            #2 Team 4, #2 Team 5, #2 Team 6
9:36 AM
            #1 Team 4, #1 Team 5, #1 Team 6
9:45 AM
            #5 Team 1, #5 Team 2, #5 Team 3
9:54 AM
            #4 Team 1, #4 Team 2, #4 Team 3
10:03 AM
            #3 Team 1, #3 Team 2, #3 Team 3
10:12 AM
            #2 Team 1, #2 Team 2, #2 Team 3
           #1 Team 1, #1 Team 2, #1 Team 3
10:21 AM
Tee #10
8:15 AM
            Individuals 7, IIndividuals 8, Individuals 9
           Individuals 4, IIndividuals 5, Individuals 6
8:25 AM
            Individuals 1, IIndividuals 2, Individuals 3
8:35 AM
8:45 AM
            #5 Team 13, #5 Team 14, #5 Team 15
            #4 Team 13, #4 Team 14, #4 Team 15
8:55 AM
9:05 AM
            #3 Team 13, #3 Team 14, #3 Team 15
            #2 Team 13, #2 Team 14, #2 Team 15
9:15 AM
9:25 AM
            #1 Team 13, #1 Team 14, #1 Team 15
9:35 AM
            #5 Team 10, #5 Team 11, #5 Team 12
            #4 Team 10, #4 Team 11, #4 Team 12
9:45 AM
9:55 AM
            #3 Team 10, #3 Team 11, #3 Team 12
            #2 Team 10, #2 Team 11, #2 Team 12
10:05 AM
            #1 Team 10, #1 Team 11, #1 Team 12
10:15 AM
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Tee #1

#### **Sudden Death Team Playoff (no individual playoff)**

Begins on hole #16, continues (if necessary) at #17, #18, #16-18, etc.

### **University of Arkansas Razorbacks**

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)	
Christoffer Arvidsson	Fr.	5-7	Falkenberg, Sweden	Golfgymnasiet Klippan	
Austin Cook	Fr.	5-7	Jonesboro, Ark.	Jonesboro HS	
Stephen Cox	Sr.	6-3	Jonesboro, Ark.	Jonesboro HS	
Joe Doramus	Fr.	6-0	Little Rock, Ark.	Little Rock Central	
Joshua Eure	Fr.	5-11	Crofton, M.D.	South River	
David Lingmerth	Sr.	5-7	Tranas, Sweden	Golfgymnasiet Klippan	
Jamie Marshall	Sr.	5-8	Castle Rock, Colo.	Regis Jesuit HS	
Dalton Owens	Sr.	6-0	Mt. Vernon, Mo.	Mt. Vernon	
<b>Tobias Pettersson</b>	So.	6-3	Kalmar, Sweden	Lars Kagg	
Ty Spinella	Fr.	5-10	Dallas, Texas	Home Schooled	
Ethan Tracy	So.	5-10	Hilliard, Ohio	Darby	
Landon Tujague	Fr.	6-0	Dallas, Texas	Jesuit College Prep	
Kevin Vanden Heuvel	Fr.	6-4	Houston, Texas	James E. Taylor High	
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**Head Coach:** Brad McMakin **Assistant Coach:** Layne Savoie

### **Brigham Young University Cougars**

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Preston Alder	Fr.	5-10	Boise, Idaho	Centennial HS
Alton Anderson Jr.	Fr.	6-1	Thousand Oaks, Calif.	Thousand Oaks HS
Zac Blair	Fr.	5-6	Ogden, Utah	Fremont HS
Esteban Calisto	Jr.	5-10	Quito, Ecuador	Colegio Americano Quito
Robbie Fillmore	Sr.	5-10	Salt Lake City	East HS
Tommy Hinghem	Fr.	6-2	Shelley, Idaho	Shelley HS
Brady Johnson	Sr.	6-0	Mill Bay, B.C.	Frances Kelsey Secondary
Daniel Reid	So.	6-2	Orem	Orem HS
Jordan Rodgers	So.	6-1	Salt Lake City	Skyline HS

**Head Coach:** Bruce Brockbank

### **University of Cincinnati Bearcats**

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Zach Bates	Fr.		Chagrin Falls, Ohio	Kenston
Ryan Cahill	Jr.		Columbus, Ohio	Hilliard Davidson
Andrew Demairis	Fr.		Union, Ky.	Ryle
Kurt Harris	So.		Dublin, Ohio	Jerome
Joe Kastelic	Jr.		Newton, N.C.	Fred T. Foard
Matthew Ledom	Fr.		Leawood, Kan.	Rockhurst Jesuit Prep
Tommy Mosure	So		Hilliard, Ohio	Hilliard Davidson
Nick Proud	Jr.		Middletown, Ohio	Lakota East
David Tepe	Fr.		Liberty Township, Ohio	Lakota East
Ryne Toole	Fr.		Pickerington, Ohio	Pickerington
<b>Head Coach:</b> Doug Martin				

### **University of Colorado Buffaloes**

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Justin Bardgett	Sr.	5-11	St. Louis, Mo.	Chaminade College Prep
Jason Burstyn	Fr.	6-0	Miami, Fla.	Palmetto
Josh Creel	Fr.	6-0	Cheyenne, Wyo.	Central
Sebastian Heisele	So.	6-6	Dubai, UAE	Bradenton, Fla., Prep
Michael Imperato	Jr.	5-7	Westlake Village, Calif.	Westlake
Kevin Kring	So.	6-1	Springfield, Mo.	Central
Luke Symons	Sr.	6-5	Lone Tree, Colo.	ThunderRidge
Johnny Widmer	So.	6-0	George Town, Cayman Ilds.	Bradenton, Fla. Prep
Head Coach: Roy Edwards				-

**Head Coach:** Roy Edwards **Assistant Coach:** Jim Grady

**Georgetown University Hoyas** 

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Brad Cadigan	Fr.		South Weymouth, Mass.	Boston College HS
Brian Czarnecki	So.		Greenwich, Conn.	Greenwich
Brian Dorfman	So.		Greenwood Village, Colo.	Cherry Creek
Justin Edwards	Fr.		Westlake Village, Calif.	Westlake Village
Brandon Ellis	Jr.		Westerville, Ohio	St. Francis de Sales
Taylor Hall	So.		Roswell, Ga.	Blessed Trinity
Danny Hathway	Jr.		Rockville, Md.	Georgetown Prep
Rory Kenny	Sr.		Glenview, III.	Loyola Academy
Trevor Matese	Jr.		Bethesda, Md.	Georgetown Prep
John Olsen	Jr.		Mahwah, N.J.	Bergen Catholic
Vincenzo Salina	Sr.		Vandoeuvres, Switzerland	I Institut Florimont
Donald Thomas	Sr.		Murrysville, Pa.	Franklin Regional
Head Coach: Thomas	Hunter		•	

**Head Coach:** Thomas Hunter

**University of Houston Cougars** 

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)	
Eric Adler	So.	5-9	Sugar Land, Texas	Clements HS	
Beau Davis	Sr.	5-8	Abilene, Texas	Abilene Wylie/Paris JC	
Matt Eschenburg	Jr.	6-4	The Woodlands, Texas	The Woodlands	
A.J. Ferries	Jr.	6-1	Cypress, Texas	Cy-Fair	
Danny Kim	Fr.	5-8	Fairfax, Va.	Oakton	
Jackie Lindsey	Sr.	5-7	Houston, Texas	Jersey Village	
Clark Mitzner	Jr.	5-11	McKinney, Texas	McKinney/TCU	
Joseph Reynolds	Fr.	5-4	Houston, Texas	Cypress Falls	
Jordan Rumora	Fr.	6-0	Houston, Texas	Cy-Fair	

Head Coach: Jonathan Dismuke

**University of Iowa Hawkeyes** 

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)	
Chris Brant	So.	6-0	Edwardsville, IL	Edwardsville	
Brad George	So.	6-1	Marion, IA	Linn Mar	
Brad Hopfinger	Jr.	6-2	Lake Forest, IL	Lake Forest	
Vince India	Jr.	5-11	Deerfield, IL	Deerfield	
Barrett Kelpin	So.	6-2	Kalamazoo, MI	Loy Norrix	
Dusty Koth	So.	6-0	Bloomington, IL	University	
Ryan Marks	Fr.	6-3	Warrensburg, MO	Warrensburg HS	
James Reiss	So.	6-0	Aldeburgh, England	Woodbridge School	
Jared Walahoski	Fr.	6-2	Urbandale, IA	Johnston	
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**Head Coach:** Mark Hankins **Assistant Coach:** Tyler Stith

**Lamar University Cardinals** 

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Alec Bruney	Fr.		Port Neches, Texas	Nederland HS
MJ Daffue	So.	6-2	Johannesburg, South Africa	
James Dalthorp	Jr.	5-11	Houston, Texas	Oaks Christian Prep (Calif.)
Xavier Feyaerts	So.	6-0	Heist-Op-Den-Berg, Belgium	KA2 Sporthumaniora
Jake Fuljenz	So.	6-0	Beaumont, Texas	Kelly HS
Kevin Hesbois	So.	5-7	/ Tildonk, Belgium	KA2 Sporthumaniora
Hugues Joannes	Sr.	5-11	Brussels, Belgium	College Cardinal Mercier
Tor-Erik Knudsen	So.	6-6	Baerum, Norway	<del></del>
Pierre-Alexis Rolland	Fr.	5-11	Wauvre, Belgium	
Matt Stephens	Jr.	5-11	Mont Belvieu, Texas	Barbers Hill HS
<b>Head Coach:</b> Brian White				

**Head Coach:** Brian White **Assistant Coach:** Dusty Smith

### **Miami University RedHawks**

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Andrew Aseltine	Sr.		Fremont, Ohio	Fremont Ross
Michael Drobnick	Jr.		Hilliard, Ohio	Hilliard Davidson
Blake English	Fr.		Charlotte, Mich.	Charlotte
Charlie Hendrickson	Sr.		Columbus, Ohio	Upper Arlington
Andrew Mock	Sr.		Cincinnati, Ohio	St. Xavier
Ben Peacock	Fr.		Marshall, Mich.	Marshall
Matt Stasiak	Jr.		Clarence, N.Y.	Clarence
Nathan Sutherland	Jr.		Wyomissing, Pa.	Holy Name
Brett Tomfohrde	Fr.		Hinsdale, III.	Hinsdale Central
Craig Voorhees	Sr.		Burton, Ohio	Berkshire
Head Coach: Casey Luba	hn			

### **University of Missouri Tigers**

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)	
Stuart Ballingall	Fr.	5-7	Norwich, UK	Framingham Earl	
Michael Garden	Fr.	6-0	St. Albans, Mo.	<del></del>	
William Harrold	Jr.	6-2	Guestwich, UK	Gresham's School	
Chris Johnson	So.	5-8	Columbia, Mo.	Hickman HS	
Jace Long	Fr.	5-11	Dixon, Mo.	Dixon HS	
Brad Moody	Fr.	5-7	Jefferson City, Mo.	Helias HS	
Will Nixon	Fr.	6-4	Jefferson City, Mo.	Jefferson City Senior HS	
Adam Rosenthal	So.	6-1	Eden Prairie, Minn.	Eden Prairie High School	
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**Head Coach:** Mark Leroux **Assistant Coach:** John Utley

**University of Notre Dame Fighting Irish** 

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Connor Alan-Lee	So.	6-0	Solana Beach, Calif.	La Jolla Country Day School
Olavo Batista	Jr.	5-11	Sao Paulo, Brazil	Chapel HS
Jeff Chen	So.	5-11	Walnut, Calif.	Los Altos HS
Doug Fortner	Jr.	6-0	Tustin, Calif.	Foothill HS
Tyler Hock	So.	5-10	Ocala, Fla.	Forest HS
Josh Sandman	Sr.	6-1	Greensboro, N.C.	Southeast Guilford HS
Carl Santos-Ocampo	Jr.	5-8	Naples, Fla.	Community School of Naples
Max Scodro	Fr.	5-10	Chicago, III.	Notre Dame Prep (Ariz.)
Tom Usher	Fr.	6-2	Bradford, England	Guiseley School
Chris Walker	Fr.	6-1	The Woodlands, Texas	The Woodlands HS
Kyle Willis	Jr.	6-1	Lake Forest, III.	Lake Forest HS
Dustin Zhang	So.	5-9	Calgary, Alberta	Bishop Carroll HS

**Head Coach:** Jim Kubinski **Assistant Coach:** Steve Colnitis

**Ohio State University Buckeyes** 

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
David Becher	Sr.		Dublin, Ohio	Dublin Coffman
Dan Charen	So.		Langhorne, Pa.	Neshaminy
Michael Cress	Jr.		Dublin, Ohio	Dublin Jerome
Johnny Henno	Fr.		Solvang, Calif.	Santa Ynez
Bo Hoag	Jr.		Upper Arlington, Ohio	Upper Arlington
Michael Kinkopf	So.		Hillard, Ohio	St. Charles
Tanner Murphy	Jr.		Upper Arlington, Ohio	Upper Arlington
Gary Quinn	Fr.		Anthem, Ariz.	Anthem Boulder Creek
Alex Redfield	So.		Columbus, Ohio	Bishop Watterson
Patrick Simard	Sr.		Marbella, Spain	I.E.S. Ortega and Gasset
Jamie Sindelar	Fr.		Horseheads, N.Y.	Horseheads
Brad Smith	Jr.		Peru, Ind.	Peru
Zacher Sobel	Fr.		Clearwater, Fla.	Palm Harbor UnivMedical Magnet School
Matthew Turner	Fr.		Dubai, United Arab Emirate	es Dubai College
Evan Wood	So.		Dublin, Ohio	Dublin Jerome
Brad Wright	Sr.		Cambridge, Ohio	Cambridge/University of Akron

**Head Coach:** Donnie Darr **Assistant Coach:** Chris Yoder

### **University of San Francisco Dons**

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Thomas Buran	Sr.		Scottsdale, Ariz.	
Chris Cunningham	Sr.		San Diego, Calif.	University of San Diego HS
Jesse Galvon	Sr.		Calgary, Alberta, Canada	Holy Trinity
Domingo Jojola	Sr.		Albuquerque, N.M.	Lincoln High
E.J. Kahn	Jr.		Los Angeles, Calif.	Brentwood HS
Dash Lindsell	Fr.	7	Burlingame, Calif.	Burlingame HS
Conor McElyea	Sr.		Santa Cruz, Calif.	Harbor HS
Mat Miller	So.		Pleasanton, Calif.	Foothill HS
Ji Hwan Park	So.		Fullerton, Calif.	Emerson Honors HS
Joey Toulon	So.		Vista, Calif.	Rancho Buena Vista HS
Head Coach: Dr. Gary N	lelson			
Assistant Coach: Rich	∕okota			

### Saint Mary's College Gaels

Name	Year	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Daniel Cone	Sr.	6-1	Moraga, Calif.	Campolindo HS
Richard Conlin	Jr.	6-0	Richmond, B.C.	Vancouver College Prep
Ben Geyer	Fr.	6-0	Arbuckle, Calif.	Pierce High School
Eric Grimberg	So.	6-2	Portland, Ore.	Westside Christian High School
Henrik Holm	Jr.	5-10	Stabekk, Norway	Dodge City CC
Mac McClung	Fr.	5-7	Fremont, Calif.	Irvington High School
Robert McRae	Sr.	6-3	Salt Lake City, Utah	Waterford School
Nick Sako	Fr.	5-7	Menlo Park, Calif.	Menlo-Atherton High School
Kevin Smith	So.	5-11	San Jose, Calif.	Archbishop Mitty HS
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**Head Coach:** Scott Hardy

### **University of Texas-Arlington Mavericks**

Name	Year	Ĥt.	Hometown	Previous School(s)
Hunter Brown	Fr.	5-10	Richardson, Tex.	J.J. Pearce
Donald Dowie	Jr.	6-3	Pretoria, South Africa	Pretoria Boys HS
Bryce Easton	Sr.	6-1	Durban, South Africa	Westville Boys HS
Zack Fischer	Jr.	6-1	Texarkana, Texas	Texas HS
Trey Herring	Sr.	5-10	Temple, Texas	Harker Heights/Lon Morris
Cameron Hollek	Fr.	6-2	Richmond, Texas	Stephen F. Austin
Bobby Massa	Sr.	6-1	Irving, Texas	Irving High
Connor Ribble	Fr.	5-10	Texarkana, Tex.	Texas
Jamey Taylor	So.	5-11	Friendswood, Texas	Friendswood HS
Michael VandeVenter	Sr.	5-10	Centurion, South Africa	Affies High School
Kevin Varrichio	Sr.	5-10	Arlington, Texas	Lamar HS
Wes Worster	Jr.	6-2	Durban, South Africa	Pinetown Boys HS/Lon Morris JC

**Head Coach:** Jay Rees

**Assistant Coach: Stuart Powell** 

### **Tournament History**

A new tradition began in 2006 when the University of Notre Dame played host to the inaugural Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic at the Warren Golf Course. Created by head coach **Jim Kubinski**, the Gridiron Golf Classic features a fun-filled weekend, blending the best of college golf with the unique experience of a Notre Dame football game, as well as the opportunity to visit other landmarks in the South Bend area, including the College Football Hall of Fame and the Studebaker Museum.

Lamar won the first-ever Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic title in 2006 by carding a three-round total of 860 (+20), finishing 29 strokes clear of tournament runner-up Notre Dame (889, +49). The Cardinals' **Justin Harding** earned medalist honors at 213 (+3), one shot better than Notre Dame's **Cole Isban** and Vanderbilt's **Luke List** (both at 214, +4).

In 2007, Michigan State took the tournament championship at seven-over par 847, easing past Arkansas and defending champion Lamar by 14 strokes. MSU's **Ryan Brehm** was the '07 tournament medalist at 205 (-5), five shots in front of Notre Dame's **Doug Fortner** and Virginia's **Greg Carlin** (both shot even-par 210).

Last season, Arkansas and Michigan State were tied for the lead heading into the final round. In the end, Arkansas prevailed with an 863 (+23), while UC Davis finished in second with an 867 (+27). Michigan State's **Randy Hutchison** earned medalist honors with a 210 (E). **Andrew Landry** of Arkansas finished in second with a 211 (+1) and he was followed by his teammate **Jamie Marshall** in third, who turned in a 212 (+2).

Teams for this event are selected based upon two important criteria. Those schools that are among the very best academic institutions in the country are cross-referenced with the top golf programs in America to identify those teams with an elite blend of excellence on the course and in the classroom.

The Fighting Irish Gridiron Golf Classic is made possible thanks to the ongoing sponsorship and support from the Isban family and the University of Notre Dame Department of Athletics. In addition, the tournament organizers wish to extend their thanks to Waterford Estates Lodge for their assistance in housing each of the participating teams in this week's event.

For more information on sponsorship opportunities for this one-of-a-kind tournament, or to learn more about ways to volunteer for future collegiate events at the Warren Golf Course, contact Notre Dame head coach Jim Kubinski in the Irish men's golf office at (574) 631-5907 or kubinski.4@nd.edu.

#### Fighting Irish Gridiron Classic Record Book

Top In	<u>idividual Rounds</u>	
1.	Ryan Brehm, Michigan State (2nd Round - 2007)	64 (-6)
2.	Bryce Hanstad, Colorado State (3rd Round – 2007)	66 (-4)
3.	Greg Carlin, Virginia (3rd Round - 2007)	67 (-3)
3.	Justin Harding, Lamar (1st Round - 2006)	67 (-3)
3.	Luke List, Vanderbilt (1st Round – 2006)	67 (-3)
Top Te	eam Rounds	
1.	Michigan State (2nd Round – 2007)	274 (-6)
2.	Arkansas (2nd Round – 2007)	277 (-3)
3.	Lamar University (2nd Round – 2007)	282 (+2)
4.	Lamar University (3rd Round – 2007)	283 (+3)
4.	Lamar University (1st Round – 2006)	283 (+3)
Top In	ndividual Totals	
1.	Ryan Brehm, Michigan State (2007)	205 (-5)
2.	Doug Fortner, Notre Dame (2007)	210 (E)
2.	Greg Carlin, Virginia (2007)	210 (E)
2.	Randy Hutchison, Michigan State (2008)	210 (E)
5.	Andrew Landry, Arkansas (2008)	211 (+1)
5.	Jack Newman, Michigan State (2007)	211 (+1)
5.	Vincenzo Salina, Georgetown (2007)	211 (+1)
Top To	eam Totals	

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1.	Michigan State (2007)	847 (+7)
2.	Lamar University (2006)	860 (+20)
3.	Lamar University (2007)	861 (+21)
3.	Arkansas (2007)	861 (+21)
5.	Arkansas (2008)	863 (+23)