



## QUICK FACTS

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Location . . . . . Lawrence, Kan.  
Population . . . . . 81,816  
Founded . . . . . 1866  
Enrollment . . . . . 29,260  
Nickname . . . . . Jayhawks  
Colors . . . . . Crimson & Blue  
Conference . . . . . Big 12  
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## 2008-2009 JAYHAWKS

Name	Class	Hometown	Previous School
Meghna Bal	So.	New Delhi, India	Saddlebrook Preparatory HS
Kalynd Carson	Fr.	The Woodlands, Texas	The Woodlands HS
Jennifer Clark	So.	Kansas City, Kan.	Piper HS
Meghan Gockel	Jr.	Dallas, Texas	Plano West Senior HS
Maria Jackson	Fr.	Lansing, Kan.	Lansing HS
Emily Powers	Jr.	Quincy, Ill.	Quincy Notre Dame HS
Alyssa Rainbolt	So.-RS	Wichita, Kan.	Andover Central HS
Grace Thiry	So.	Victoria, Australia	Mount St. Joseph HS
Sydney Wilson	So.-RS	Lawrence, Kan.	Lawrence HS

**Head Coach:** Erin O'Neil (Fifth Season)

**Assistant Coach:** Sarah Trew (Third Season)



**2008-09 KANSAS WOMEN'S GOLF TEAM**

**Back Row (L to R):** Meghan Gockel, Assistant Coach Sarah Trew, Jennifer Clark, Grace Thiry

**Middle Row (L to R):** Sydney Wilson, Kalynd Carson, Alyssa Rainbolt, Meghna Bal

**Bottom Row (L to R):** Head Coach Erin O'Neil, Emily Powers, Maria Jackson



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## MEDIA INFORMATION

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### Weekly Press Release

A complete release previewing the athletic events for the upcoming week and reviewing the previous week will be available on [kuathletics.com](http://kuathletics.com). The release will also be e-mailed to media requesting this service.

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Home and cell phone numbers for players will not be provided and players have been instructed not to accept calls from media without prior notice from the media relations office. Please do not contact a player or coach without scheduling the interview through the media relations office.

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### Internet

Log on to the Jayhawks' official website, [www.kuathletics.com](http://www.kuathletics.com), to find updated women's golf information throughout the year. The site will feature rosters, schedules, tournament results and updated stats, as well as a link to the GolfStat Collegiate Scoring System online, which allows the general public to view tournament updates in real time.







## HEAD COACH ERIN O'NEIL

Fifth Season (Georgia, 1997)

Erin O'Neil returns for her fifth season as head coach of the women's golf team at the University of Kansas.

O'Neil came to KU in 2004 after four seasons as an assistant at Auburn. In her first season as head coach, O'Neil led the Jayhawks to a first-place finish at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational, the program's first team title since 2000. Coach O'Neil's teams have also notched first-place finishes at the 2006 Mountain View Collegiate and the 2006 and 2007 Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitations.

Coach O'Neil has overseen the development of several individual champions while at KU, including current Jayhawk Emily Powers (2008 Marilyn Smith Invitational, U.S. Open qualifier) and recent graduates Annie Giangrosso (2006 Kansas Women's Amateur champion), Amanda Costner (2005 Lady Boilermaker Champion, All-Big 12 First Team, NCAA Regional qualifier, 2007 Big 12 Champion) and Chelsey Pryor (2005 ORU Shootout winner).

While at Auburn, O'Neil helped lead the Tigers to three top-10 NCAA Championship team finishes, including a tie for second in 2002. She coached four All-Americans and seven all-conference selections during her stint there.

Before joining the Auburn program, O'Neil played professionally for three years on the Futures Tour and the Kosaido Ladies Asian Tour.

She was a four-year letterwinner at the University of Georgia from 1994-97 and led the Bulldogs to a pair of SEC Championships in 1994 and 1997.

O'Neil was a three-time All-SEC selec-

tion from 1994-96 and earned SEC Freshman of the Year honors in 1994. She won the 1995 Auburn Tiger-Derby Invitational and shot a 66 at the 1997 SEC Championship, the second lowest round in UGA history.

O'Neil was listed on the Director's Honor Roll for six quarters while at Georgia and was a two-time SEC Academic Honor Roll selection in 1996 and 1997.

As an amateur, O'Neil qualified for seven United States Amateur Championships, as well as two United States Opens.



Emily Powers with Coach O'Neil

**Full Name**  
Erin Kathleen O'Neil

**Born**  
St. Charles, Ill.

**Hired at Kansas**  
September 2004

**Education**  
University of Georgia  
B.S., Education, 1997

**Playing Experience**  
1994-97 - Georgia  
1997-99 - Futures Tour  
Winter 1998 - Kosaido Ladies Asian Tour

**Coaching Experience**  
2000-04 - Auburn Assistant  
2004-current - Kansas Head Coach

**Women's All-Americans**  
Danielle Downey - 2000, 2003(HM)  
Celeste Troche - 2000-03  
Courtney Swaim - 2002  
Nicole Hage - 2003-04 (2nd Team)

**All-Conference Honorees**  
**Celeste Troche**  
All-SEC First Team (2000-03)  
**Danielle Downey**  
All-SEC First Team (2000, 2003)  
All-SEC Second Team (2002)  
**Courtney Swaim**  
All-SEC First Team (2002)  
**Diana Ramage**  
All-SEC First Team (2003)  
All-SEC Second Team (2001)  
SEC Freshman of the Year (2001)

**Maria Martinez**  
All-SEC Second Team (2003)  
All-SEC First Team (2004)

**Kingsley Barrett**  
All-SEC Second Team (2002)  
Freshman of the Year (2002)

**Amanda Costner**  
All-Big 12 First Team (2006)  
All-Big 12 First Team (2007)

**Emily Powers**  
All-Big 12 First Team (2008)



## ASSISTANT COACH SARAH TREW

Third Season (Arkansas, 2006)

Sarah Trew begins her third season at the University of Kansas as the assistant coach. Trew continues her first coaching job with a wealth of playing experience to bring to the table.

Trew began her college career at the University of Georgia from 2001-03. She played one season for the Bulldogs and took a redshirt the next.

In 2003, she transferred to the University of Arkansas. While with the Razorbacks, Trew was named to the SEC academic honor roll all three years.

She ended her career with the eighth-lowest career stroke average in Arkansas' women's golf history.

Trew graduated in May 2006 with a

bachelor's degree in criminal justice and sociology.

Following graduation, she turned professional in July 2006 and played in select events. Trew was a qualifier for the finals of the Re-Max World Long Drive Challenge in 2006 and 2007.

"Since I have been at KU, I have seen us improve every year," said Trew.

"The young ladies are meeting and exceeding their goals faster and faster, as well as constantly challenging each other to be the best. I believe the future of Kansas women's golf is extremely bright."

### Full Name

Sarah Ann Trew

### Born

Milwaukee, Wisc.

### Coaching Experience

August 2006 - Present

Assistant at Kansas

### Education

University of Arkansas  
Bachelors in Criminal Justice and  
Sociology, 2006

### Playing Experience

Georgia - 2001-03

Arkansas - 2003-06

Finalist - 2006 & 2007 Re-Max World  
Long Drive Challenge

Turned professional - July 2006



Alyssa Rainbolt with Coach Trew



# PLAYER PREVIEWS

## Head Coach Erin O'Neil On:

**Emily Powers**—"Emily has an incredible work ethic. She is constantly looking for ways to improve her game, whether it's adding another shot to her short game or finding a better way to handle pressure. Emily is a great competitor and she finds a way to get the most out of every round."

Emily's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Slow down and don't swing so hard."*

**Meghan Gockel**—"Meghan is usually the first one to the course and the last to leave. She is very driven both on the golf course and in the classroom. She is a true team player who puts her heart and soul into everything whether it is during work outs, playing, practicing extra or studying. Meghan definitely strives for excellence each day."

Meghan's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Keep your head still."*

**Sydney Wilson**—"Sydney is incredibly driven and competitive. She is a tremendously talented athlete. She has worked hard the last two years and I think she is on the verge of taking her golf game to a higher level. Sydney is a great leader for us on the golf course, in the classroom, and in work outs."

Sydney's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Trust your swing."*

**Alyssa Rainbolt**—"Alyssa has a lot of ability and I think she is also very close to breaking through and accomplishing some of the goals we have set for her. She is a great motivator for the team. She carries herself well wherever she is and represents our team and the athletic department with class and integrity."

Alyssa's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Smile after every shot."*

**Meghna Bal**—"Meghna is very competitive and a hard worker. She brings a wealth of competitive experience from playing in strong international events. Meghna has the ability to shoot low numbers and as she continues to improve her short game and course management, she will accomplish great things."

Meghna's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Stay in the moment."*

**Grace Thiry**—"I believe we will see great things from Grace in her time here at KU. She has a very consistent swing. Once she adds a little more distance/strength to her game, as well as a few more shots to her short game, she will be even more successful."

Grace's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Every shot must have a purpose."*

**Jennifer Clark**—"Jennifer has a strong work ethic. She is also a true competitor at heart and loves the atmosphere of a tournament. She has a fundamentally sound swing. I think she will continue to excel by adding a few more shots to her short game and by continuing her hard work in the gym to add distance. There is no doubt she has a very bright future."

Jennifer's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Play one shot at a time."*

**Kalynd Carson**—"Kalynd is very talented and with some dedication and experience she will blossom into a wonderful player for KU. She has a solid swing and with continued work on her short game, and believing in herself, she will consistently shoot low numbers."

Kalynd's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Fairways, green, two putts and a birdie will fall."*

**Maria Jackson**—"Maria is one of the most determined players I have coached. She knows what she wants and will do what it takes to reach her goals. Maria enjoys the competitive atmosphere of tournaments and with more experience she will see continued improvement."

Maria's Favorite Golf Tip: *"Don't sway."*





# MEGHAN GOCKEL

Junior • Dallas, Texas • Plano West HS

## As a junior (Fall 2008)

Competed in three events for the Jayhawks in the fall ... Opened the fall season by shooting a 234 at the Chip-N-Club Invitational ... Tied for 43rd at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational after posting a three-round total 244 ... Shot a 242 at The Derby to tie for 79th place ... Finished the fall season with an even 80 scoring average in nine rounds.

## As a sophomore (Spring 2008)

Played in 18 of a possible 30 rounds for the Jayhawks ... Averaged 79.72 strokes per round in the spring ... Named to the National Golf Coaches Association All-American Scholar Team ... Opened the spring season by finishing in a tie for 52nd at the Qdoba Collegiate Championships with a three-round score of 242 ... Finished tied for 77th place at the Betsy Rawls Invitational with a final score of 172 ... Shot a three-round total 234 to finish tied for 67th at the Mountain View Collegiate ... Completed the spring with an 80.7 scoring average in 10 rounds of play.

## As a sophomore (Fall 2007)

Shot a 75 in the mid-July U.S. Women's Amateur Qualifier in Richmond, Texas, which was good enough to qualify for the U.S. Women's Amateur in Carmel, Ind., where she tied for 88th place ... Competed in three tournaments in the fall, posting an average of 78.5 ... Started the season in a tie for 41st at the Nebraska Chip-N-Club Invitational after firing a score of 239 ... Carded a 77 in the third round to tie for 64th at the Ron Moore Intercollegiate ... Finished the fall season at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational in a tie for 19th with a score of 153.

## As a freshman (Spring 2007)

Named to the National Golf Coaches Association (NCGA) All-American Scholar Team after the conclusion of the spring 2007 season ... Fired a 39th-place 160 at the Baja Invitational to open the spring ... Recorded a 253 to help Kansas finish seventh at the Chrysler Challenge ... Carded a 241, including a final-round 79, at the Betsy Rawls Invitational ... Shot a 224 at MountainView Collegiate ... Played a final round of 72 to help the Jayhawks finish fourth at the Susie Maxwell Berning Classic ... Finished with a 249 at the Big 12 Championship ... Named to NCGA All-American Scholar Team.

## As a freshman (Fall 2006)

Placed in a tie for 30th at Colorado State's Parmigan/Ram Fall Classic after shooting a 71 in the final round for a total score of 226 ... At Nebraska's Chip-N-Club Invitational, led the Jayhawks throughout the tournament and tied for fourth place after scoring 231 ... Tied for 26th with a 237 as Kansas hosted the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational ... Finished in a tie for 64th place at Price's "Give 'Em Five Fund"/New Mexico State Invitational after shooting 239 ... Concluded the fall season at The Derby Invitational in a tie for 75th place with a total two-round score of 161.

## High School

Four-time letterwinner at Plano West ... Coached by Rick Hardison ... Named Plano West Team MVP (2003-06) ... Was named to the all-district first team (2003-06), all-region first team (2005 and 2006) and all-state first team in the Texas 5A class (2006) ... Was a member of the AJGA HP Scholastic All-America Team ... AP Scholar with Distinction ... National Merit commended ... Nominated for the Wendy's High School Heisman Award.

## Personal

Born Meghan Christine Gockel in Dallas, Texas ... Daughter of Doug and Carol Gockel ... Majoring in accounting and finance ... Member of the University Honor's Program ... Member of the Finance Scholars Program ... Wants to help KU women's golf get to the NCAA Regionals and National Tournament.



## GOCKEL STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
2006-2007	11	31	2446	78.85	71	224	T34
2007-2008	7	18	1453	79.72	75	234	T19
Fall 2008	3	9	720	79.83	74	234	T41
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>4619</b>	<b>79.64</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>T19</b>



# EMILY POWERS

Junior • Quincy, Ill. • Quincy Notre Dame

## As a junior (Fall 2008)

Opened the fall season by posting a 228 at the Chip-N-Club Invitational...Claimed the individual title at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational by firing rounds of 77-75-71 to finish with a 223 ... Shot a season-low 221 at the Johnie Imes Invitational to finish in a tie for sixth ... Tied for seventh place at the McHaney/Morehead Invitational after shooting a 227...Was the team's top performer in three of five tournaments ... Compiled a team-low 75.07 scoring average in 15 rounds ... Had three top-10 finishes on the fall.

## As a sophomore (Spring 2008)

Opened the spring season by tying for 24th place at the Qdoba Collegiate Championships after shooting a three-round score of 229 ... Qualified for the NCAA West Golf Regional as an individual ... Shot rounds of 80-77-71 for her 228 total, which tied for 56th place overall at the NCAA West Golf Regional ... Selected to the 2008 All-Big 12 Women's Golf Team ... Was one of only 26 amateurs to qualify for the U.S. Women's Open Golf Championship ... Shot a two-round total 165 to finish 19-over par and in a tie for 153rd place at the U.S. Open ... Fired a one-over-par total of 145 to finish in a tie for second-place at the Kitahara Invitational ... Tied for 29th after shooting a final score 161 at the Betsy Rawls Invitational ... Led the team to an 11th place finish at the Mountain View Collegiate with a final score of 220, which tied for seventh individually ... Shot a team-best 223 to lead the Jayhawks to a third-place finish at the Susie Maxwell Berning Classic ... Shot a 247 to tie for 29th individually at the Big 12 Championship ... Reached the round of 16 at the U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links in Erin, Wis. ... Led the team with a 76.56 scoring average in 16 rounds in the spring.

## As a sophomore (Fall 2007)

Qualified for the U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship after shooting a 79 to finish third at the regional qualifier in Glendal, Mo., late spring 2007 ... Recorded three top-10 finishes and finished in 11th place in her remaining two tournaments of the fall season ... Posted an average of 74.36 and led the Jayhawks in four of Kansas' five tournaments ... Led Kansas to a fifth place finish at Nebraska's Chip-N-Club Invitational, firing a 224 to tie in 10th place ... Fired a five-under-par 67 in the final round of the Ron Moore Intercollegiate, good for a tie in seventh place ... Finished in a tie for 11th place after shooting a 73 in the final round of the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational for a 150 total ... Shot a 223 at NMSU's Price's "Give 'Em Five" Intercollegiate to tie for eighth place ... Propelled the Jayhawks to a 13th place finish at the UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate after firing a par-71 in the third



## As a freshman (Spring 2007)

Opened the spring by finishing 69th at the Baja Invitational after shooting a two-round score of 167 ... Finished 42nd with a 248 in KU's seventh-place finish at the Chrysler Challenge ... Placed 36th following a final-round 79 at the Betsy Rawls Invitational ... Led the Jayhawks to a fourth-place finish at the MountainView Collegiate following a final-round 69, which was the second-best round in the event's history ... Finished the tournament with a seventh-place 215, and was one of just nine players to finish under par ... Used a final-round 74 to earn a 29th-place tie at Susie Maxwell Berning Classic to close out the regular season ... Placed 42nd with a 241 at the Big 12 Championship ... Qualified for U.S. Amateur Public Links Championship.

## As a freshman (Fall 2006)

Tied for 38th at Colorado State's Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic, shooting a 228 ... Finished in a tie for 10th with a 236 at Nebraska's Chip-N Club Invitational ... At Kansas' Marilyn Smith Invitational, finished in fourth place with a 221 ... Carded a 231 to place her in a tie for 31st place at Price's "Give 'Em Five Fund"/New Mexico State Invitational ... Finished the fall campaign in a tie for 72nd place after shooting a two-round score of 158 at The Derby Invitational at Auburn.

## High School

Five-time letterwinner (four in golf, one in soccer) at Quincy Notre Dame ... Coached by Chris Hogge ... Named Quincy Notre Dame Golf team MVP (2002-05) ... Athlete of the Year in golf in 2004 ... PGA Junior Series Player of the Year (2002-04) ... IHSA State Champion (2004-05) ... Team finished first in regionals (2003-2005) and fifth in state in 2005 ... Only female golfer to win the state championship at Quincy Notre Dame two times ... Had three regional wins ... At the state championship was -1 -- a state record ... Shot a 66 in her senior year at state -- a course and state record ... A member of National Honor Society ... SAA award winner.

## Personal

Born Emily Kathleen Powers in Quincy, Ill. ... Daughter of Tim and Laura Powers ... A communications major ... Plans to play golf professionally after graduation.

## POWERS STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
2006-2007	11	31	2407	77.70	69	215	4th
2007-2008	11	30	2266	75.53	67	220	T2nd
Fall 2008	5	15	1126	75.07	71	221	1st
<b>Totals</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>5799</b>	<b>76.30</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>1st</b>





## ALYSSA RAINBOLT

Redshirt Sophomore • Wichita, Kan. • Andover Central

### As a redshirt sophomore (Fall 2008)

Competed in one event for the Jayhawks in the fall season ... Tied for 66th place at the Marilyn Smith Invitational after posting a three-round total 258 ... Had an even 86 scoring average in three rounds.

### As a redshirt freshman (Spring 2008)

Selected to the Big 12 Spring Sports Good Works Team ... Tied for sixth in the Collegiate Players Tour/Manhattan Collegiate Open in the summer, shooting a three-round total of 231 ... Finished 19th with a 253 total at the Kansas Women's Golf Association Amateur Championship.

### As a redshirt freshman (Fall 2007)

Represented Kansas in the Four-State Championship in Arkansas alongside fellow Jayhawk Sydney Wilson ... Competed in the Collegiate Players Tour Championship at Texas Star Golf Course, where she was in a three-way tie for ninth overall (81-77-78-236) before coming up short in a playoff for a top-10 individual medal.



### As a freshman (Spring 2007)

Took a redshirt year.

### As a freshman (Fall 2006)

Took a redshirt year.

### High School

Four-time golf letterwinner and two-time track letterwinner at Andover Central ... Coached by Scott Kincaid ... Carded a 69 at 2005 Regionals, an Andover Central record ... Finished in fifth place at the 2006 state championship ... In 2005 was named to the Athletic Wall of Fame at Andover Central ... Team was league champions in 2004 and regional champions in 2005 ... Cum laude graduate ... Kansas Honor Scholar.

### Personal

Born Alyssa Marie Rainbolt in Kansas City ... Daughter of Cyndee and Steve Rainbolt ... Her father, Steve, attended KU and was on the track and field team ... Pre-journalism major.

RAINBOLT STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
2006-2007	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007-2008	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fall 2008	1	3	258	86.00	84	258	T84
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>86.00</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>T84</b>



## SYDNEY WILSON

Redshirt Sophomore • Lawrence, Kan. • Lawrence HS

### As a redshirt sophomore (Fall 2008)

Competed in two events for the Jayhawks in the fall ... Opened the season by shooting a three-round total 253 at the Chip-N-Club Invitational ... Tied for 66th at the Marilyn Smith Invitational after posting a 250 ... Posted an 83.83 scoring average in the fall.

### As a redshirt freshman (Spring 2008)

Named to the National Golf Coaches Association All-American Scholar Team ... Fired a third-round 76 to tie for 63rd place with a final score of 240 at the Susie Maxwell Berning Classic ... Tied for 52nd with a final score of 259 at the Big 12 Championship in Stillwater, Okla. ... Finished third in the Kansas Women's Golf Association Amateur Championship with a three-round total 226 ... Completed the spring season with an 82.13 average in eight rounds of play.

### As a redshirt freshman (Fall 2007)

Placed fifth at the 85th Kansas Women's Amateur Golf Championship in Wichita, firing a 226 ... Finished 11th in the Collegiate Players Tour Championship in Euless, Texas, after carding 233 ... Represented Kansas in the Four-State Championship in Arkansas ... Began the fall season at Nebraska's Chip-N-Club Invitational in a tie for 58th with a 243 ... Carded her lowest score of 234 as she tied for 47th at the Price's "Give 'Em Five" Intercollegiate ... Carded a 246 to finish the fall season at the UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate with a 90th-place finish ... Averaged 80.33 strokes per round in the fall.

### As a freshman (Spring 2007)

Took a redshirt year.

### As a freshman (Fall 2006)

Took a redshirt year.

WILSON STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
2006-2007	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007-2008	6	17	1380	81.18	75	234	T47
Fall 2008	2	6	503	83.83	79	250	T66
<b>Totals</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>1883</b>	<b>81.87</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>T47</b>

### High School

Eight-time letterwinner at Lawrence High ... Coached by Mike Lewis ... Received four letters in golf, three letters in basketball and one letter in volleyball ... Named Naismith Student-Athlete of the Year Award for participation in golf, basketball and volleyball in 2006 ... Named second team All-Sunflower League for basketball (2006) ... Awarded Hy-Vee High School Scholar Athlete of the Month for golf and volleyball (2005) ... Was Lawrence High School's Female Athlete of the Year (2005) ... Named to the all-metro team in 2003 for golf ... Was a Kansas honors scholar ... Also on the principal's honor roll.

### Personal

Born Sydney Sloan Wilson in St. Joseph, Mo. ... Daughter of Doug and Terri Wilson ... Majoring in pre-business and accounting ... Brother, Spencer Wilson, also attended KU ... Member of the University of Kansas Honors Program.





## MEGHNA BAL

Sophomore • New Delhi, India • Saddlebrook Preparatory

### As a sophomore (Fall 2008)

Opened the fall season with a 30th place finish at the Chip-N-Club Invitational with a three-round total 231 ... Finished in 30th with a 236 at the Jayhawk's home tournament, the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational ... Tied for 14th at the Johnie Imes Invitational after posting a 228 ... Finished with a three-round total of 238 to tie for 32nd at the McHaney/Audrey Morehead Invitational ... Shot a season-low 224 to finish 12th at The Derby ... Was second on the team with a 77.13 scoring average in 15 rounds ... Had three top-20 finishes on the season.

### As a freshman (Spring 2008)

Opened the spring season by finishing in a tie for 34th at the Qdoba Collegiate Championships with a three-round score of 234 ... Finished with a final score of 149 at the Kitahara Invitational to tie for 13th place ... Shot back-to-back rounds of 87 to earn a tie for 81st with a final score of 174 at the Betsy Rawls Invitational ... Finished with a three-round total 228 to tie for 43rd at the Mountain View Collegiate ... Qualified for Athletic Director's honor roll ... Fired a sub-par 71 in the final round of the Susie Maxwell Berning Classic to tie for 17th with a final score of 225 ... Placed second among KU golfers in five of 10 tournaments in the spring ... Tied for 38th with a final score of 250 at the Big 12 Championship in Stillwater, Okla. ... Posted a 78.75 average in 16 rounds in the spring.

### As a freshman (Fall 2007)

Earned three top-30 finishes while averaging a 76.86 in the fall ... Made her debut as a Jayhawk at Nebraska's Chip-N-Club Invitational, where she placed 29th after shooting a 234 ... Fired a third-round score of 73 to tie for 36th place with a score of 234 at the Ron Moore Intercollegiate ... Carded consecutive rounds of 74 and 75 for a 149 total at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational, good enough to tie for seventh place ... Tied for 23rd place with a score of 229 at Price's "Give 'Em Five" Intercollegiate ... Concluded the fall season by firing a one-over-par 72 in the third round at the UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate to launch her into a tie for 54th place.

### High School

Two-time letterwinner at Saddle Brook Preparatory HS in Wesley Chapel, Fla. ... Coached under the direction of Mark Kirschey ... Member of the District and Regional Championship teams in 2004-05 ... A 2005 FIGA Tournament honoree ... Named Saddle Brook HS Golfer of the Year in 2004-05 ... 2007 Indian National Amateur Champion ... Represented India at the Asian Games, where she finished 11-under-par in the four-day event ... President of National Honor society at Saddle Brook HS.

### Personal

Born Meghna Bal in New Delhi, India ... Daughter of Rajiv and Raka Bal ... Majoring in economics ... Aspires to be a professional golfer on the LPGA Tour after college.

BAL STATS							
Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
2007-2008	11	30	2336	77.86	71	225	T7
Fall 2008	5	15	1157	77.13	73	224	T12
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>3493</b>	<b>77.62</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>T7</b>







## JENNIFER CLARK

Sophomore • Kansas City, Kan. • Piper HS

### As a sophomore (Fall 2008)

Shot a 234 to open the fall season at the Chip-N-Club Invitational ... Finished second in the individual standings at the Marilyn Smith Invitational after posting a three-round total 225 ... Tied for 14th at the Johnie Imes Invitational with a 228 ... Her 241 at the McHaney/Morehead Invitational tied for 48th in the individual standings ... Shot a 249 and tied for 85th at The Derby ... Finished third on the team with a 78.46 scoring average in 15 rounds.

### As a freshman (Spring 2008)

Won the Collegiate Players Tour/Manhattan Collegiate Open in the summer after posting a three-round score of 217 ... Won the Kansas Women's Golf Association Amateur Championship with a final total of 219.

### As a freshman (Fall 2007)

Appeared in one tournament during her inaugural season as a Jayhawk ... Finished in a tie for 31st at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational, carding a 157 to help Kansas claim tournament honors.

### High School

Two-time Kansas State Champion (2003, 2005) and four-time Regional Champion at Piper High School ... Coached by Denise Duke ... Earned 27 consecutive first-place finishes from her freshman year to State Tournament junior year ... Won 36 of her 39 high school tournaments played in ... Two-time recipient of the Kenneth Smith Golf Award (2005-06) ... Named four times to the *Kansas City Star* "All Metro Girls Golfer of the Year" first team (2003-06) ... Named The *Kansas City Star* "All Metro Girls Golfer of the Year" twice (2005-06)... Earned EA Sports Student Sports Magazine "Girls Golf All-Americans" award in March 2005 ... Named to the 2005 Midwest Section PGA Junior Golf Team, and recognized in the event as "Junior Golfer of the Year" ... Member of National Honor Society ... A 2006 Kansas Honor Scholar honoree.

### Personal

Born Jennifer Diane Clark in Kansas City, Kan. ... Daughter of Gary Clark, former member of the Oklahoma State University men's golf team, and Diane Clark, former Jayhawk and member of the University of Kansas women's golf team ... Younger sister of Jeffrey Clark ... Majoring in graphic design ... Aspires to play on the LPGA Tour after college.



### CLARK STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
2007-2008	1	2	157	78.5	77	-	T31
Fall 2008	5	15	1177	78.46	74	225	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1334</b>	<b>78.47</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>2</b>



## GRACE THIRY

Sophomore • Victoria, Australia • Mount St. Joseph HS

### As a sophomore (Fall 2008)

Led the Jayhawks to a seventh place-finish at the Chip-N-Club Invitational by posting a season-low 223, good for 10th place individually ... Finished in 28th with a final score of 238 at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational ... Shot a 237 at the Johnie Imes Invitational ... Tied for 51st at the McHaney/Audrey Morehead Invitational with a three-round total 243 ... Shot a 240 and tied for 72nd place at The Derby in Auburn, Ala. ... Was fourth on the team with a 78.73 scoring average in the fall.

### As a freshman (Spring 2008)

Fired a two-over-par 74 in the third round of the Qdoba Collegiate Championship to finish with a final score of 224, good for seventh place in the individual standings ... Shot a team-best 160 at the Betsy Rawls Invitational, good for 24th place ... Shot a three-round score of 237 to tie for 76th place at the Mountain View Collegiate ... Finished in a tie for 29th after posting a final score of 229 at the Susie Maxwell Berning Classic ... Tied for 33rd with a final score of 248 at the Big 12 Championship in Stillwater, Okla. ... Posted a 78.0 average in 16 rounds in the spring.

### As a freshman (Fall 2007)

Garnered three top-25 finishes while averaging a 77.29 in the fall ... Made her first appearance as a Jayhawk at Nebraska's Chip-N-Club Invitational where she finished in 18th place as an individual ... Finished in a tie for 71st place at the Ron Moore Intercollegiate ... Fired consecutive rounds of 74 and 75 for a 149 total at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational and tied for seventh place ... Tied for 23rd place at NMSU's Price's "Give 'Em Five" Intercollegiate with a score of 229 ... Concluded the fall season in a tie for 61st place after carding a 235 (79-82-74) at the UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate.

### High School

Graduated from Mount St. Joseph HS in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, in 2006 ... A three-time letterwinner in golf, 2003-2005 ... Was a member of the Victorian secondary school girls state team in 2005-2006 ... Received the Academic Excellence award in 2003.

### Personal

Born Grace Thiry in Mareeba, Australia ... Daughter of Gerhard and Christine Thiry ... Younger sister of Anna ... Major currently undecided ... Plans to play professional golf after graduation.



THIRY STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
2007-2008	11	30	2330	77.66	71	224	T7
Fall 2008	5	15	1181	78.73	73	223	10
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>3511</b>	<b>78.02</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>T7</b>



## KALYND CARSON

Freshman • The Woodlands, Texas • The Woodlands HS

### As a freshman (Fall 2008)

Opened her Jayhawk career with a three-round total 230 at the Chip-N-Club Invitational, good for a 27th place finish ... Shot a 241 at the team's host tournament, the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational ... Tied for 67th place after shooting a 246 at the Johnie Imes Invitational ... Shot a 244 at the McHaney/Morehead Invitational, good for a 53rd-place finish ... Compiled an 80.08 scoring average in the fall.

### High School

Claimed a victory in the 52nd Annual Texas-Oklahoma Junior Tournament with a four-round 297... Won the AJGA Texas-Oklahoma 15-year old division in 2005 ... Placed fourth at the AJGA in Edmond, Okla. in 2006 ... Won the AJGA Texas-Oklahoma Championship division in 2008.

### Personal

Born Kalynd Blair Carson in The Woodlands, Texas ... Daughter of Bill and Cindy Carson.

#### CARSON STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
Fall 2008	4	12	961	80.08	75	230	T27th
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>961</b>	<b>80.08</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>T27th</b>



## MARIA JACKSON

Freshman • Lansing, Kan. • Lansing HS

### As a freshman (Fall 2008)

Completed in one event for the Jayhawks in the fall ... Posted a 248 at the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational, good for a 58th place finish individually ... Finished the season with an 82.67 scoring average.

### High School

Earned four letters in golf at Lansing High School ... Coached by Bill Pekarek ... Played on the boy's golf team in high school, as Lansing did not have a girls program ... Was a part of the 2008 Kaw Valley League Championship team ... Finished second at the Kansas 5A regional tournament after posting a 75 her sophomore year ... Member of the Lion's Honor Roll ... A Kansas Scholar ... Notre Dame African American Scholar ... Vice President of the National Honor Society ... Member of the National Spanish Honor Society.

### Personal

Born Maria O. Jackson in Lansing, Kan ... Daughter of Dr. George Jackson and Kathee Jackson ... A pre-dental/biology major ... Plans to attend dental school after graduation.

#### JACKSON STATS

Year	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Low Rd.	Low 54	Place
Fall 2008	1	3	248	82.67	78	248	T58th
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>82.67</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>T58th</b>





## POWERS COMPETES ON NATIONAL STAGE AT 63RD U.S. WOMEN'S OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

College basketball has the Final Four. The NFL has the Super Bowl. For the sport of golf, however, the U.S. Open is arguably the most prestigious event in which a golfer can compete. Last spring, KU golfer Emily Powers was presented with an opportunity of a lifetime when she qualified for the 2008 US Women's Open in Edina, Minn. Playing alongside prominent professionals such as Annika Sorenstam and Michelle Wie, Powers was able to showcase her skills against some of the top competition in the world.

For Powers, a junior from Quincy, Ill., the road to the Open was fairly roundabout. After shooting an 82 in the local stage of qualifying, Powers was given an alternate spot for the sectional qualifier in the off chance that anyone dropped out. Although disappointed in her performance, Powers remained prepared in case a spot opened up.

As it turned out, that optimism paid off for Powers as she received an unexpected phone call last June.

"Eighteen hours before the sectional was to tee off, I got a call saying that I could come play," explained Powers.

On short notice, Powers and her father hurried to Chicago, the site of the sectional. When they arrived at Skokie Country Club that evening, Powers and her father found that they had only enough daylight to survey the course for about an hour.

Despite the chaotic schedule, Powers teed off at 7 a.m. the next morning and shot a 78. Later that afternoon, she fired a 76 in the second round. At the end of a hectic 24 hours, Powers found herself in a nine-way tie to be decided by a one-hole sudden death playoff the next morning. Up for grabs were the last two spots to go to the U.S. Open.

Sensing the incredible opportunity in front of her, Powers was determined to come out strong. Playing one of the most difficult holes on the course, Powers was one of two women to make par, securing one of the final two spots to qualify for the U.S. Open.

Playing in front of thousands of spectators and a national television audience is certainly an intimidating task for any amateur athlete. Powers, however, saw the Open as an opportunity to showcase her skills in front of the top golfers in the world.

"I knew that if playing professionally is what I want to do as my career – which it is – then I needed to get past that intimidation in order to compete at their level."

She teed off in a foursome that included professionals Katherine Hull, Nicole Castrale and Laura Diaz. Her time with these three allowed her to gain invaluable insight into what it takes to make it professionally.

"Talking to those three really taught me a lot about the things I need to do and work on to be at their level. I also learned valuable lessons that I can take to college tournaments and share with my teammates."

Although her performance was not quite enough to make the final cut, Powers' two rounds at the U.S. Open provided her with nothing but positive memories.

"My dad was my caddie and my mom and sister came along to watch. Coach O'Neil also came and walked inside the ropes for one of the practice rounds, which was great. It was nice to see all of those who supported me."

Armed with an experience that very few amateurs get the opportunity to participate in, Powers is prepared to face the challenges she will encounter in her remaining two years at KU, and beyond.

"I just hope to keep working hard and get everything out of my experiences here as possible," said Powers. "After going to the Open and seeing all of the women who play, I realize I look up to all of them and all the hard work they have put into their sport."



Powers led the KU golf team this fall with a 75.07 scoring average.



## 2008 Fall Recap

The Kansas women's golf program opened its 30th season of play at the Chip-N-Club Invitational in Lincoln, Neb. Led by a third-round score of 73 from sophomore Grace Thiry, the Jayhawks finished in seventh place with a three-round total 916 at the Wilderness Ridge Golf Course.

Next the team returned home to host the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational at Lawrence's Alvamar Public Golf Course. The exciting weekend concluded with a two-hole playoff between Nebraska and eventual champion Oral Roberts. The Jayhawks finished their home tournament in fifth place behind a strong individual performance from Emily Powers. The junior from Quincy, Ill., finished atop the individual standings with a score of 223. Finishing in second place in the overall standings was sophomore Jennifer Clark, who was competing as an individual.

The team next traveled east along Interstate-70 to Columbia, Mo., to compete in the Johnnie Imes Invitational. After shooting back-to-back opening rounds of 306, the team finished strong with a third-round 301 to notch a fifth place finish for the second week in a row. Powers' season-low 221 was good for a sixth-place tie in the individual standings. Also performing well for the Jayhawks were sophomores Meghan Bal and Clark, who tied for 14th place with scores of 228.

Coach Erin O'Neil and the Jayhawks next headed to the Lone Star state to compete in the McHaney/Morehead Invitational in Lubbock, Texas. The 13-team tournament featured seven Big 12 schools. After three rounds of play, KU finished in seventh place with a composite score of 943. Powers' third top-10 performance (227, T7) of the season led the way for the Jayhawks.

The Jayhawks concluded the fall season with a trip to Auburn, Ala., where they competed in The Derby, hosted by Auburn University. The 17-team event featured 13 of the top 50 teams in the nation, according to GolfStat.com. Bal's season-low 224 (12th place) led the Jayhawks to a 14th place finish (311-306-314-931).

"The fall season gave us the opportunity to learn where some of our weaknesses are and what we need to continue to work on in practice and competition," said Coach O'Neil. "In the grand scheme of things we are a young team. They are a very talented, dedicated group of players who I believe will accomplish great things in their time here at KU."

## 2009 Spring Preview

After nearly four months since their last tournament, the KU women's golf team returns to action this spring with five events against some of the best competition in the country. The Jayhawks will travel to Florida, Arizona, Georgia, Oklahoma and Ohio this spring before heading to Lubbock, Texas to compete in the Big 12 Championship in late April.

The Jayhawks open the spring season in Parrish, Fla., where they will compete in the Central District Invitational, Feb. 16-17. In 2006, KU finished in seventh place at the Invitational, which is again being held at the Wilderness Golf Club.

After a week off, the Jayhawks will head to Rio Verde, Ariz., to compete in the Rio Verde Collegiate, March 6-8. Hosted by Western Michigan, the tournament will be held at the 18-hole Quail Run course at Rio Verde Country Club, which opened in 2007.

The team then heads south to Athens, Ga., where they will compete in the Liz Murphey Collegiate, March 27-29. Hosted by the University of Georgia, the 37th annual event will be played at the UGA Golf Course.

Coach Erin O'Neil will then take the team to Norman, Okla., where they will compete in the 31st annual Susie Maxwell Berning Classic, April 5-6. The Jayhawks will look to have another strong performance at the Jimmie Austin OU Golf Club, where they finished in third place last spring.

KU next travels to Big 10 country, where it will compete in the Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational in Columbus, Ohio, April 18-19. Hosted by Ohio State, the Invitational will be held at the par-71 Scarlet Course at the Ohio State Golf Course Facility.

Kansas' postseason will begin April 24-26 at the Big 12 Championship at the Rawls Course in Lubbock, Texas. The Rawls Course is familiar to the Jayhawks, as the team finished in fifth place at the McHaney/Morehead Invitational in October. The team will look to improve off of last year's 10th place finish at the Championship.

"I am very excited about our spring tournaments," said Coach O'Neil. "It is probably one of the most competitive schedules we have had in some time."

"We will have the chance to compete against some of the best teams in the country, as well as play on some incredible golf courses."

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## FALL 2008 RESULTS

Date	Tournament, Location	Champion (Score)	KU Place/Score
Sept. 15-16	<b>Chip-N-Club Invitational, Lincoln, Neb.</b> 10. Grace Thiry (76-74-73--223) t20. Emily Powers (75-75-78--228) *t27. Kalynd Carson (75-78-77-230) t30. Meghna Bal (81-75-75--231) *t41. Jennifer Clark (76-77-81--234) t41. Meghan Gockel (74-82-78--234) 71. Sydney Wilson (83-86-84--253)	Nebraska (884)	7th/916
Sept. 22-23	<b>Marilynn Smith Sunflower Invitational, Lawrence, Kan.</b> 1. Emily Powers (77-75-71--223) *2. Jennifer Clark (74-75-76--225) t20. Meghna Bal (81-77-78--236) t28. Grace Thiry (80-79-79--238) t37. Kalynd Carson (80-81-80--241) t43. Meghan Gockel (86-77-81--244) *t58. Maria Jackson (Ind.)(81-78-89--248) *t66. Sydney Wilson (Ind.)(90-79-81--250) *t84. Alyssa Rainbolt (Ind.)(84-86-88--258)	Oral Roberts (926)	5th/934
Sept. 29-30	<b>Johni Imes Invitational, Columbia, Mo.</b> t6. Emily Powers (72-76-73--221) t14. Jennifer Clark (74-78-76--228) t14. Meghna Bal (79-74-75--228) t39. Grace Thiry (82-78-77--237) t62. Kalynd Carson (81-81-84--246)	Mississippi (900)	5th/913
Oct. 6-7	<b>McHaney/Morehead Invitational, Lubbock, Texas</b> t7. Emily Powers (74-79-74--227) t32. Meghna Bal (82-79-77--238) *t32. Meghan Gockel (75-80-83--238) 48. Jennifer Clark (81-77-83--241) t51. Grace Thiry (79-81-83--243) t53. Kalynd Carson (79-85-80--244)	Arkansas-Little Rock (908)	7th/943
Oct. 24-26	<b>The Derby, Auburn, Ala.</b> t12. Meghna Bal (77-73-74--224) t21. Emily Powers (73-78-76--227) t72. Grace Thiry (79-79-82--240) t79. Meghan Gockel (83-76-83--242) 85. Jennifer Clark (82-85-82--249)	Arizona State (869)	14th/931

\* - Denotes player competed as an individual.

## FALL STATISTICS

Player	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg.	Best 18	Best 54	Top 10	Top 20	Best Finish
Emily Powers	5	15	1126	75.07	71	221	3	4	1
Meghna Bal	5	15	1157	77.13	73	224	-	3	T12
Jennifer Clark	5	15	1177	78.46	74	225	1	2	2
Grace Thiry	5	15	1181	78.73	73	223	1	1	10
Meghan Gockel	3	9	720	79.83	74	234	-	-	T41
Kalynd Carson	4	12	961	80.08	75	230	-	-	T27
Maria Jackson	1	3	248	82.67	78	248	-	-	T58
Sydney Wilson	2	6	503	83.83	79	250	-	-	T66
Alyssa Rainbolt	1	3	258	86	84	258	-	-	T84





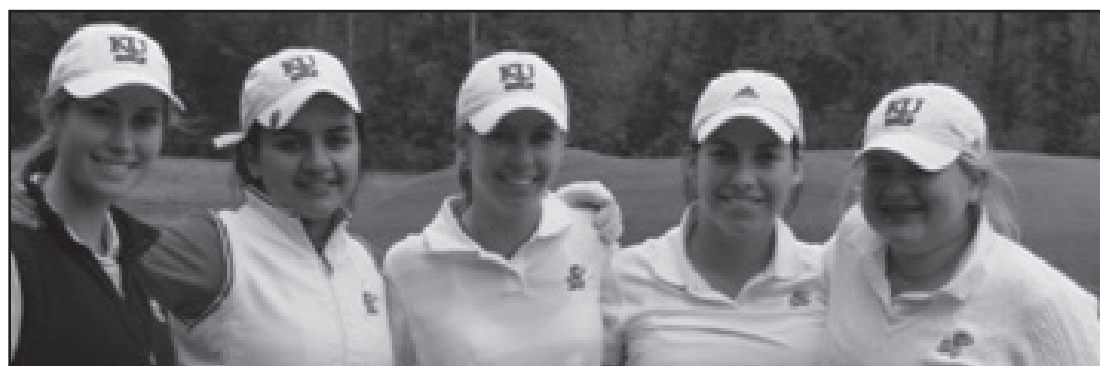
# ON THE ROAD...



L to R: Emily Powers, Grace Thirty, Annie Giangrosso



L to R: Meghna Bal, Annie Giangrosso, Grace Thirty, Meghan Gockel



L to R: Meghan Gockel,  
Meghna Bal, Jennifer Clark,  
Emily Powers, Grace Thirty

(Below) L to R: Annie Giangrosso, Sydney Wilson, Meghan Gockel, Camilla Svensson,  
Alyssa Raibolt (upside down), Emily Powers, Grace Thirty



Back: Coach Trew  
Front: Alyssa Raibolt





L to R: Meghan Gockel, Grace Thiry, Meghna Bal, Emily Powers



L to R: Alyssa Rainbolt and Jennifer Clark



L to R: Emily Powers, Jennifer Clark, Meghna Bal, Kalynd Carson, Alyssa Rainbolt, Sydney Wilson, Meghan Gockel, Maria Jackson, Grace Thiry

L to R: Alyssa Rainbolt and Emily Powers



Top: Meghna Bal  
Middle (L to R): Grace Thiry, Emily Powers  
Bottom (L to R): Coach O'Neil, Annie Giangrosso, Sydney Wilson





## 2007-08 SEASON RECAP

The Jayhawks opened the 2007 fall season in Lincoln, Neb., at the Chip-N-Club Invitational. Emily Powers' 10th-place individual performance led the team to a fifth-place finish out of 19 teams. KU used rounds of 313-305-303 to finish with a final total 921 at Woodland Hills Golf Club.

The team next headed west to compete in the Ron Moore Women's Intercollegiate in Denver, Colo. Behind a seventh-place finish from Powers – a performance that included a five-under-par, third-round total 67 – the team finished eighth out of 18 teams. Powers' round of 67 tied Amanda Costner (10-10-05) for the lowest one-round score in program history. KU finished the tournament with a three-round total of 911 (309-308-294).

After two tournaments out of state, the team returned to Kansas to play in the Marilyn Smith Sunflower Invitational in Manhattan, a tournament it had won the previous year. The Jayhawks led rival Missouri by two strokes after two rounds of play. Heavy thunderstorms forced the cancellation of the final round and the Jayhawks were able to defend their title with a two-round total 600 (302-298). Camilla Svensson was KU's top finisher, tying for fourth at three-over par 147.

Riding high on their first-place finish, the Jayhawks next headed to Las Cruces, N.M., to compete at Price's "Give 'Em Five" Invitational. The team fired rounds of 302-302-304 for a 44-over-par 908 to claim a fourth-place finish. Powers led the way for the 'Hawks as she tied for eighth with two other players with a score of 223.

The Jayhawks concluded the fall season with a trip south where they competed in the UA-Ann Rhoades Intercollegiate in Tuscaloosa, Ala. The highly competitive field featured three teams ranked in the nation's top 10, including No. 5 Florida, No. 6 Auburn and seventh-ranked Arkansas. The team finished the tournament in 13th place after posting a three-round total 926 (317-312-297).

After four months off, the Jayhawks opened the spring season at the Qdoba Invitational in Miami Lakes, Fla. The team again faced strong competition, with 11 of the 12 teams ranked in GolfStat.com's top-100. The Jayhawks put together a final round 300 - their best of the tournament - to finish sixth overall with a three-day total of 921 (307-314-300).

Next, the team headed west to compete in the Kitahara Invitational in Fresno, Calif. Freshman Meghna Bal fired an opening-round one-under-par 71 as the Jayhawks saw themselves atop the leaderboard after day one. After posting a 301 in round two, however, the team slipped two spots to finish the tournament in third place with a combined total of 596.

After a three-week hiatus, the Jayhawks traveled to Austin, Texas to compete in the 35th annual Betsy Rawls Longhorn Invitational. Heavy rains in round two shortened the event to 36 holes. KU finished in 13th place after shooting a two-round total 657 (325-332). Freshman Grace Thiry led the team with a 24th place individual finish with a 160.

The Jayhawks continued the spring season at the Mountain View Collegiate in Tuscon, Ariz., an event they won in 2006. In the third round, Powers fired a 70, her lowest of the tournament, to secure a seventh place finish individually. As a team, the Jayhawks jumped three spots in the final round to finish in 11th place with a three-round total 909 (299 308 302)

The team next traveled to Norman, Okla. to compete in its final event of the regular season - the 30th annual Susie Maxwell Berning Classic. Despite the strong Oklahoma winds, the Jayhawks posted a third-round 294 to finish in third place with a 898 (304-300-294). Powers once again led the team individually, posting a 223 (77-73-73) to finish in a tie for 14th place.

### 2007-2008 Statistics

Player, Class	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Avg. 18	Best 18	Best 54	Top 10	Top 20	Best Finish
Emily Powers, So.	11	30	2266	75.53	67	220	4	8	T2
Grace Thiry, Fr.	11	30	2330	77.66	71	224	2	4	T7
Meghna Bal, Fr.	11	30	2336	77.86	71	222	1	3	T7
Camilla Svensson, So.	3	8	623	77.87	72	227	1	1	T4
Annie Giangrosso, Sr.	11	30	2346	78.20	70	227	0	2	T12
Jennifer Clark, Fr.	1	2	157	78.50	77	---	-	-	T66
Meghan Gockel, So.	7	18	1453	79.72	75	234	-	1	T19
Sydney Wilson, RS Fr.	6	17	1380	81.17	75	234	-	-	T47
Alyssa Rainbolt, RS Fr.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Team</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12,891</b>	<b>734.01</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>T2</b>





## SPRING 2008 RESULTS

### **Qdoba Collegiate Championships** - Don Shula Golf Club - 2/17/08 - 2/19/08

<b>Team</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>307.0</b>	<b>6/12</b>
Grace Thiry	71	79	74	224	74.67	T7
Emily Powers	75	78	76	229	76.33	T24
Annie Giangrosso	79	79	76	234	78.00	34
Meghna Bal	82	78	74	234	78.00	34
Meghan Gockel	82	80	80	242	80.67	T52
Camilla Svensson (Ind.)	84	79	86	249	83.00	T58

### **Kitahara Fresno State Invitational** - Copper River Country Club - 2/25/08 - 2/26/08

<b>Team</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>301</b>	-	<b>596</b>	<b>298.0</b>	<b>3/16</b>
Emily Powers	72	73	-	145	72.50	T2
Meghna Bal	71	78	-	149	74.50	13
Grace Thiry	75	75	-	150	75.00	T20
Annie Giangrosso	79	75	-	154	77.00	37
Sydney Wilson (Ind.)	82	76	-	158	79.00	T50
Meghan Gockel	77	82	-	159	79.50	T5 <sup>7</sup>

### **Betsy Rawls Invitational** - The University of Texas Golf Club - 3/17/08 - 3/19/08

<b>Team</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>332</b>	-	<b>657</b>	<b>328.5</b>	<b>13/17</b>
Grace Thiry	80	80	-	160	80.00	T24
Emily Powers	77	84	-	161	80.50	T29
Annie Giangrosso	84	81	-	165	82.50	51
Meghan Gockel	84	88	-	172	86.00	T77
Meghna Bal	87	87	-	174	87.00	T56

### **Mountain View Collegiate** - Mountain View Golf Course - 3/29/08 - 3/30/08

<b>Team</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>11/18</b>
Emily Powers	77	73	70	220	73.33	T7
Meghna Bal	74	77	77	228	76.00	43
Annie Giangrosso	70	81	79	230	76.67	51
Meghan Gockel	79	79	76	234	78.00	T67
Grace Thiry	78	79	80	237	79.00	T76

### **Susie Maxwell Berning Classic** - Jimmie Austin University of Okla. Golf Course - 4/6/08 - 4/7/08

<b>Team</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>299.33</b>	<b>3/16</b>
Emily Powers	77	73	73	223	74.33	T14
Meghna Bal	77	77	71	225	75.00	17
Camilla Svensson	76	75	76	227	75.67	T21
Grace Thiry	79	76	74	229	76.33	T29
Annie Giangrosso	74	76	80	230	76.67	31
Sydney Wilson (Ind.)	85	79	76	240	80.00	T63

### **Big 12 Championship** - Karsten Creek Golf Course - 4/25/08 - 4/27/08

<b>Team</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>998</b>	<b>332.67</b>	<b>10/12</b>
Emily Powers	80	82	85	247	82.33	T29
Grace Thiry	86	77	85	248	82.67	T33
Meghna Bal	83	84	83	250	83.33	T38
Annie Giangrosso	84	82	91	257	85.67	50
Sydney Wilson	87	85	87	259	86.33	T52



## ALVAMAR GOLF CLUB

Alvamar opened for play on May 15, 1968, and included two original nines, Jayhawk and Quail Creek. The two courses were joined by the Hidden Valley nine in 1973 and The Sunflower in 1978. In 1982, the Hidden Valley and Sunflower nines were consolidated into Alvamar Country Club.

Alvamar was named by developer Bob Billings from the contraction of his parents' names, Alva and Margaretta Billings of Russell, Kan. The Alvamar Golf and Country Clubs encompass over 3,000 acres of West Lawrence. The 36 holes at Alvamar were designed by Mel Anderson and Bob Dunning and include a public and private clubhouse, driving range and three practice greens. The two courses at Alvamar were the first in the United States to utilize zoysia grass for its fairways and tees. The course currently uses cohansey bent green on both surfaces.

In 1991, Alvamar Country Club hosted the Kansas Amateur. Alvamar Golf Club annually hosts the Kansas Open and has been the site of the United States Golf Association's Women's Public Links tournament. It was the site of the Big Eight Conference Men's Championship for eight consecutive years. In 1990, the Big Eight Conference Women's Championship was held at Alvamar and was won by the Jayhawks. Alvamar Golf Club hosted the inaugural Big 12 Women's Championship in 1997 and is the site of the KU men's Kansas Invitational and women's Marilynn Smith Sunflower Invitational.

Having been honored as one of the "best maintained golf courses in the United States" by Grounds Maintenance Magazine, Alvamar continues to improve its attractive golf venue. Alvamar's Director of Golf is former KU player and former women's head coach, Brad Demo. Randy Towner serves as head professional at Alvamar Country Club.

Alvamar Country Club is considered one of the finest golf courses in the state. Alvamar's reputation is one of the reasons KU attracts some of the top golfers in the country.



## The Knapheide Family Practice Facility at Alvamar

Last fall, construction was completed on the newest addition to the Kansas golf program's state-of-the-art facilities: the Knapheide Family Practice Facility.

The new practice facility consists of four climate-controlled hitting bays with cutting-edge swing technology. There are three smaller bays in addition to one larger bay, which is equipped with a V1 video swing analysis system and a Trackman radar launch monitoring system.

"We are incredibly excited about our new hitting facility," said head coach Erin O'Neil. "It will allow us to hit shots and work on our putting under realistic conditions during January and February."

Armed with this valuable new facility, the KU golf team looks to have a productive winter in preparation for the spring season and beyond.

"It will have a positive impact on our players' confidence levels, especially for the first couple of tournaments in the spring," said O'Neil.





## HOME COURSES



### **Alvamar Country Club**

**Course Architect:** Bob Dunning

**Year Opened:** 1968

**PGA Professional:** Randy Towner

**Phone:** 785/842-2929

**Yardage (Par):**

Blue - 6829 (72)

White - 6237 (72)

Gold - 5392 (72)

Red- 4985 (72)



### **Alvamar Golf Club**

**Course Architect:** Bob Dunning

**Year Opened:** 1969

**PGA Professional:** David Dunn

**Phone:** 785/842-1907

**Yardage (Par):**

Black - 7092 (72)

Blue - 6636 (72)

White - 6017 (72)

Red - 4892 (72)



### **Eagle Bend Golf Course**

**Course Architect:** Jeff Brawer

**Year Opened:** 1997

**PGA Professional:** John Morris

**Phone:** 785/748-0600

**Yardage (Par):**

Gold - 6812 (72)

Blue - 6367 (72)

White - 6004 (72)

Red- 5471 (72)



### **Lawrence Country Club**

**Course Architect:** Bob Peebles

**Year Opened:** 1915

**PGA Professional:** Jon Zylstra

**Phone:** 785/843-2938

**Yardage (Par):**

Blue - 6565 (72)

White - 6328 (72)

Red- 5066 (72)





## 2009 JAYHAWK BIRDIE CLUB KU GOLF BOOSTER ORGANIZATION

Our coaches - Kit Grove, Erin O'Neil and Sarah Trew - and student-athletes need your help. Our two golf programs require a tremendous amount of fan and financial support to remain competitive in a conference as competitive as the Big 12. The Jayhawk Birdie Club combines those two important sources of support in order to help support our golf teams.

Throughout the calendar year, we will monitor the total number of birdies our teams make and update it on our team web site, [www.kuathletics.com](http://www.kuathletics.com). Members of the Birdie Club make a pledge for each birdie or eagle made by a Jayhawk men's or women's golfer, and for each team's academic success and tournament victories.

Ultimately, low scores are the best way for our teams to succeed, and the Jayhawk Birdie Club is great motivation for shooting them. Our players are very excited that they have direct involvement with and responsibility for this part of our fundraising efforts.

You may support the men's team, the women's team, or both. Your donation is roughly 80 percent tax deductible (priority points credit and member benefits) and will be used solely for the KU golf teams. We use the funds for a variety of purposes, including special projects, travel and equipment. Additionally, your contribution to KU Golf will count toward the priority system for men's basketball and football seating.

Please contact Assistant Coach Sarah Trew if interested at 785/864-3382 or [strew@ku.edu](mailto:strew@ku.edu).

### 2008-2009 JAYHAWK BIRDIE C L U B MEMBERS

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## MARILYNN SMITH

- Kansas All-American
- LPGA Co-Founder

At age 79, Marilynn Smith, or "Miss Personality", remains an influential figure in the world of women's golf. Smith, who resides in Goodyear, Ariz., currently teaches golf and hosts the Kansas golf program's home tournament named in her honor.

A native of Topeka, Kan., and graduate of KU, Smith was one of the original 13 founders of the Ladies Professional Golf Association (LPGA) in 1950. Smith won 21 tournaments while on tour with the LPGA, including the 1963 and 1964 Titleholders, one of the major women's events at the time. Her first LPGA title was in 1954 at the Fort Wayne (Ind.) Open, and her final tournament win came in 1972 at the Pabst Ladies Classic.

Before Smith helped found the LPGA, she left a legacy at Kansas. She won the Kansas Women's Amateur Championship from 1946 to 1948, and was crowned champion of the 1949 National Collegiate Individual tournament.

Smith then accepted an offer from Spalding to turn pro for \$5,000 a year. In 14 seasons between 1954-1972, she won at least one event while on tour. She served as the LPGA's president from 1958 to 1960. Smith made history at the 1972 U.S. Open Championship when she became the first female

television commentator to cover a men's golf tournament.

Smith has formed a number of golf events, including the Marilynn Smith Founders Classic - the first senior women's professional golf tournament - and the Marilynn Smith Dallas EWGA Golf Championship.

In 1979, Smith received the inaugural Patty Berg Award for distinguished service to women's golf. *Golf Digest* presented her the LPGA Founders Cup for charitable service off the course in 1983.

She was also selected as one of the Distinguished Champions of the Vincent T. Lombardi Tournament in 1987. The award recognizes leadership in sports and demonstration of high ideals of public good. In 1991 she was inducted into the Women's Sports Foundation International Hall of Fame.

The collegiate tournament, The Marilynn Smith Invitational, was named in her honor in 1993 and teams from around the country compete in the annual event.

In recognition of her professional, personal and amateur accomplishments, Smith was recently inducted into the World Golf Hall of Fame through the Lifetime Achievement category in 2006.

### KU AT THE MARILYNN SMITH INVITATIONAL

<u>Year</u>	<u>KU Finish</u>	<u>KU Top Individual</u>
1994	6/11 (1029)	Michelle Uher - T15/253
1995	7/14 (994)	Mandy Munsch - T12/243
1996	T6/14 (985)	Anne Clark - T8/239
<b>1997</b>	<b>1/11 (932)</b>	<b>Jamie Tucker - T1/226</b>
2000	5/8 (966)	Jennifer Bawanan - T22/240
2001	10/17 (328)	Heather Rose - T9/77
2002	T3/17 (924)	Heather Rose - 7/226
2003	4/12 (944)	Jill Womble - 8/234
2004	1/11 (946)	Tiffany Woods - T5-236
2005	6/12 (923)	Amanda Costner - 6/220
2006	1/16 (917)	Emily Powers - 4/225
2007	1/13 (600)	Camilla Svensson - T4/147
<b>2008</b>	<b>5/16 (934)</b>	<b>Emily Powers - 1/223</b>



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## ALL-TIME LETTERWINNERS

### -A-

Atchison, Sherri ..... 1987-90

### -B-

**Bal, Meghna ..... 2008-**  
Bauerle, Linda ..... 1986  
Bawanan, Jennifer ..... 2001-04  
Belisle, Tracy ..... 1993-95  
Birdsell, Kelly ..... 2005-06  
Bishop, Ashely ..... 1998-01  
Black, Lisa ..... 1983-84  
Boozer, Barbara ..... 1975-76  
Boozer, Beth ..... 1975-78  
Boozer, Beverly ..... 1982-1983  
Braymen, Ann ..... 1985-86  
Burgess, Sarah ..... 1978-81

### -C-

Clark, Anne ..... 1994-97  
**Clark, Jennifer ..... 2008-**  
Coe, Patricia ..... 1980-83  
Costner, Amanda ..... 2004-07

### -D-

DeLong, A. Jacqueline ..... 1977  
Donnelly, Tara ..... 1994

### -E-

Eyre, Catherine ..... 1979

### -G-

Giangrosso, Annie ..... 2005-08  
Gnewuch, Tina ..... 1985-88  
**Gockel, Meghan ..... 2007-**  
Goetsche, Pamela ..... 1977-78  
Goolsbe, Barbara ..... 1977-78, 80  
Gustafson, Karen ..... 1982

### -H-

Hadl, Charneil ..... 1977  
Hallenbeck, Jo Jo ..... 2007-08

Helleberg, Jane ..... 1985-86  
Hepler, Sara ..... 1989  
Hiatt, Jaci ..... 2007-2008  
Hoins, Nancy ..... 1976-79  
Holbrook, Ann ..... 1993-95  
Howard, Barbara ..... 1980  
Howard, Lisa ..... 1979-82

### -J-

Johnson, Cynthia ..... 1979

### -K-

Kelly, Maureen ..... 1983-86  
Kierl, Sarah ..... 2005-06  
Krugger, Tiffany ..... 2000-03

### -L-

Lauritsen, Lori ..... 1994, 96-97  
Loeffelholz, LeeAnn ..... 1983-84  
Loftus, Ellen ..... 1981  
Lowen, Donna ..... 1987-90  
Lowery, Ashley ..... 1999

### -M-

MacDonald, Jill ..... 2002-03  
Mahoney, Sarah ..... 2000-01  
Marney, Kelly ..... 1996-97  
Martin, Laura ..... 1990-92  
Merwald, Julie ..... 1980  
Morrison, Patricia ..... 1975, 77  
Mossberg, Suzanne ..... 1987-89  
Mulvihill, Michelle ..... 1986-88  
Munsch, Mandy ..... 1996-99  
Myers, Laura ..... 1989-92

### -P-

Padden, Carrie ..... 1997-2000  
Pekar, Susan ..... 1985-88  
**Powers, Emily ..... 2007-**  
Pryor, Chelsey ..... 2003-06

### -R-

**Rainbolt, Alyssa ..... 2008**  
Reinbeck, Cathy ..... 1991, 93  
Renz, Lauren ..... 2005  
Reuter, Beth ..... 1995-98  
Reynolds, Holly ..... 1991-94  
Rose, Heather ..... 2000-03  
Russell, Missy ..... 1994-97

### -S-

Sanders, Brenda ..... 1983-86  
Scheid, Marilee ..... 1984-86  
Schultz, Andi ..... 1999-2000  
Schwerman, Kendall ..... 2004  
Shockley, Toni ..... 1985-87  
Shogren, Sharon ..... 1977  
Simpson, Jill ..... 1997, 99  
Svensson, Camilla ..... 2007-08  
Straub, Kristy ..... 2000-03

### -T-

Tessary, Susan ..... 1997-2000  
**Thiry, Grace ..... 2008-**  
Thornberry, Tegan ..... 2001-02  
Thorsteindottir, Solveig ..... 1983-84  
Triplett, Shelly ..... 1989-92  
Thompson, Jessica ..... 1996  
Tucker, Jamie ..... 1998

### -U-

Uher, Michelle ..... 1992-94

### -W-

Webb, Kathy ..... 1975-76  
White, Sally ..... 1979-80  
Williams, Deann ..... 1981-82  
Williamson, Lynn ..... 1993-96  
**Wilson, Sydney ..... 2008-**  
Wineinger, Pam ..... 1993-94  
Winkelmann, Meredith ..... 2004-06  
Womble, Jill ..... 2004-07

## CONFERENCE HISTORY Big Eight (1976-96), Big 12 (1997-Present)

Year	Champion	KU Finish	Year	Champion	KU Finish	Year	Champion	KU Finish
1976	Nebraska	2nd	1987	Oklahoma State	4th	1998	Texas A&M	9th
1977	Oklahoma State	2nd	1988	Oklahoma State	4th	1999	Oklahoma State	11th
1978	Oklahoma	3rd	1989	Oklahoma State	5th	2000	Oklahoma	12th
1979	Oklahoma State	6th	<b>1990</b>	<b>Kansas</b>	<b>1st</b>	2001	Oklahoma State	12th
1980	Oklahoma State	6th	1991	Oklahoma	4th	2002	Oklahoma State	12th
1981	Oklahoma	6th	1992	Oklahoma State	3rd	2003	Oklahoma State	11th
1982	Oklahoma State	6th	1993	Iowa State	T4th	2004	Texas	8th
1983	Nebraska	T4th	1994	Oklahoma State	6th	2005	Oklahoma State	9th
1984	Oklahoma State	6th	1995	Oklahoma State	6th	2006	Texas A&M	11th
1985	Oklahoma State	3rd	1996	Oklahoma State	7th	2007	Texas A&M	9th
1986	Oklahoma State	6th	1997	Texas	7th	2008	Oklahoma State	7th





### TOP ONE-ROUND PERFORMANCES

Score	Player	Event	Date
67	Emily Powers	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	9.17.07
67	Amanda Costner	Marilynn Smith	10.10.05
69	Emily Powers	Mountain View Collegiate	3.26.07
69	Amanda Costner	Mountain View Collegiate	3.26.06
69	Amanda Costner	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.13.05
69	Chelsey Pryor	Dick McGuire Invitational	9.15.04
69	Amanda Costner	Mountain View Collegiate	3.27.04
69	Sue Tessary	Mountain View Collegiate	3.13.99
70	Emily Powers	Mountain View Collegiate	3.30.08
70	Annie Giangrosso	Mountain View Collegiate	3.29.08
70	Amanda Costner	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.11.06
70	Chelsey Pryor	Mountain View Collegiate	3.25.06
70	Amanda Costner	Lady Razorback Invitational	10.16.05
70	Tiffany Woods	Mary Fossum Invitational	9.20.03
70	Heather Rose	Anteater Invitational	3.10.03
70	Jill MacDonald	Hawkeye Invitational	4.13.02
70	Jill MacDonald	Sam Houston Invitational	3.11.02
70	Ashely Bishop	Mountain View Collegiate	3.13.99
71	Meghna Bal	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.6.08
71	Meghna Bal	Kitahara Invitational	2.25.08
71	Grace Thiry	Qdoba Invitational	2.17.08
71	Emily Powers	Marilynn Smith	9.23.08
71	Emily Powers	UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate	10.28.07
71	Emily Powers	UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate	10.26.07
71	Emily Powers	Price's Intercollegiate	10.16.07
71	Emily Powers	Prices' Intercollegiate	10.15.07
71	Meghan Gockel	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.12.06
71	Annie Giangrosso	Mountain View Collegiate	3.25.06
71	Amanda Costner	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.12.05
71	Amanda Costner	Lady Boilermaker	4.9.05
71	Jill Womble	Edwin Watts/Palmetto	11.4.03
71	Jennifer Bawanan	Lady Aztec Invitational	2.17.03
71	Jill MacDonald	Hawkeye Invitational	4.13.02
71	Tiffany Kruggel	Islander Invitational	2.19.02
71	Jennifer Bawanan	Sunflower Cup	9.26.01
71	Sue Tessary	Utah Dixie Classic	4.4.00
71	Jamie Tucker	Roadrunner Invitational	11.3.97
72	Meghna Bal	UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate	10.26.07
72	Camilla Svensson	Marilynn Smith Invitational	10.1.07
72	Meghan Gockel	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.9.07
72	Emily Powers	Johnie Imes Invitational	9.29.08
72	Emily Powers	Kitahara Invitational	2.25.07
72	Emily Powers	Sunflower Invitational	10.3.06
72	Amanda Costner	Sunflower Invitational	10.2.06
72	Annie Giangrosso	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.9.06
72	Amanda Costner	Lady Razorback Invitational	10.17.05
72	Amanda Costner	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.12.05
72	Chelsey Pryor	Mountain View Collegiate	3.26.05
72	Annie Giangrosso	Mountain View Collegiate	3.26.05
72	Chelsey Pryor	Big 12 Championship	4.23.04
72	Jill Womble	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.13.04
72	Amanda Costner	Texas A&M "Mo" Morial	3.1.04
72	Amanda Costner	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.8.03
72	Tiffany Kruggel	Shootout at The Legends	10.8.02
72	Mandy Munsch	Utah Dixie Classic	4.5.99
72	Sue Tessary	Utah Dixie Classic	4.5.99
72	Sue Tessary	Chip-N-Club Invitational	9.15.98
72	Jamie Tucker	Utah Dixie Classic	4.7.98
72	Jamie Tucker	Sunflower Invitational	10.22.97

### TOP THREE-ROUND PERFORMANCES

Score	Player	Event	Date
212	Amanda Costner	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.12-13.05
216	Amanda Costner	Lady Razorback Invitational	10.16-18.05
217	Chelsey Pryor	Mountain View Collegiate	3.25-26.06
217	Amanda Costner	Lady Boilermaker	4.9-10.05
218	Annie Giangrosso	Mountain View Collegiate	3.25-26.06
220	Emily Powers	Mountain View Collegiate	3.29-30.08
220	Annie Giangrosso	Mountain View Collegiate	3.26-27.05
220	Amanda Costner	Marilynn Smith	10.10-11.05
220	Sue Tessary	Utah Dixie Classic	4.3-4.00
221	Emily Powers	Johnie Imes Invitational	9.29-9.30.08
221	Emily Powers	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	9.17.07
221	Emily Powers	Sunflower Invitational	10.2-3.06
221	Amanda Costner	Mountain View Collegiate	3.25-26.06
221	Amanda Costner	Texas A&M "Mo" Morial	3.1-2.04
221	Jill MacDonald	Hawkeye Invitational	4.13-14.02
222	Amanda Costner	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.9-10.06
222	Amanda Costner	Mountain View Collegiate	3.26-27.05
223	Emily Powers	Marilynn Smith	9.22-9.23.08
223	Grace Thiry	Chip-N-Club	9.15-9.16.08
223	Emily Powers	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.6-8.08
223	Emily Powers	Price's Intercollegiate	10.15.07
223	Emily Powers	UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate	10.26.07
223	Amanda Costner	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.11-12.06
223	Chelsey Pryor	Central District Invitational	3.10-12.06
223	Jill Womble	Shootout at the Legends	10.6-7.03
223	Mandy Munsch	Utah Dixie Classic	4.4-6.99
224	Meghna Bal	The Derby	10.24-10.26.08
224	Grace Thiry	Qdoba Invitational	2.17-19.08
224	Emily Powers	Chip-N-Club Invitational	9.10.07
224	Chelsey Pryor	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.12-13.05
224	Chelsey Pryor	Mountain View Coll.	3.26-27.05
224	Chelsey Pryor	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.8-9.03
224	Sue Tessary	Shootout at the Legends	10.11-12.99
225	Jennifer Clark	Marilynn Smith	9.22-9.23.08
225	Meghna Bal	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.6-8.08
225	Amanda Costner	NMSU Invitational	10.16-18.06
225	Chelsey Pryor	The Derby	11.4-6.05
226	Meghan Gockel	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.11-12.06
226	Chelsey Pryor	ORU Shootout	10.3-4.05
226	Tiffany Woods	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.8-9.03
226	Heather Rose	Sunflower Invitational	10.14-15.02
226	Tiffany Kruggel	Shootout at The Legends	10.7-8.02
226	Jamie Tucker	Sunflower Invitational	10.20-21.97
227	Emily Powers	The Derby	10.24-10.26.08
227	Emily Powers	Moorehead/ McHaney	10.6-10.7.08
227	Camilla Svensson	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.6-8.08
227	Annie Giangrosso	Chip-N-Club Invitational	9.10.07
227	Annie Giangrosso	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	9.17.07
227	Amanda Costner	Sunflower Invitational	10.2-3.06
227	Amanda Costner	Central District Invitational	3.10-12.06
227	Amanda Costner	UC-Irvine Anteater Invite	3.15-16.04
227	Sue Tessary	Chip-N-Club	9.13-15.98
228	Jennifer Clark	Johnie Imes Invitational	9.29-9.30.08
228	Meghna Bal	Johnie Imes Invitational	9.29-9.30.08
228	Emily Powers	Chip-N-Club	9.15-9.16.08
228	Meghna Bal	Mountain View Collegiate	3.29-30.08
228	Emily Powers	Ptarmigan/Ram Fall Classic	9.11-12.06
228	Meredith Winkelmann	Mountain View Collegiate	3.25-26.06
228	Jill Womble	Price's Give 'Em Five	10.4-5.05
228	Chelsey Pryor	Mountain View Collegiate	3.27-28.04
228	Jennifer Bawanan	Sunflower Invitational	10.14-15.02
228	Sarah Mahoney	Big 12 Preview	9.13-14.99
229	Grace Thiry	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.6-8.08
229	Meghna Bal	Price's Intercollegiate	10.15.07
229	Annie Giangrosso	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.9-10.06
229	Chelsey Pryor	Susie Maxwell Berning	4.12-13.04
229	Amanda Costner	Mountain View Collegiate	3.27-28.04
229	Tiffany Woods	Mountain View Collegiate	3.27-28.04
229	Jill Womble	UC-Irvine Anteater Invite	3.15-16.04
229	Heather Rose	Shootout at The Legends	10.8-9.01
229	Sue Tessary	Hawkeye Invitational	4.18-19.98
229	Mandy Munsch	Roadrunner Invit.	11.2-4.97
229	Sue Tessary	Roadrunner Invit.	11.2-4.97



TOP SEASON AVERAGES		
Average	Player	Year
75.45	Amanda Costner	2005-06
75.53	Emily Powers	2007-08
75.87	Amanda Costner	2006-07
76.33	Chelsey Pryor	2005-06
77.50	Amanda Costner	2004-05
77.65	Emily Powers	2006-07
77.66	Grace Thiry	2007-08
77.86	Meghna Bal	2007-08
77.87	Camilla Svensson	2007-08
78.06	Chelsey Pryor	2003-04
78.09	Annie Giangrosso	2005-06
78.15	Amanda Costner	2003-04
78.20	Annie Giangrosso	2007-08
78.20	Sue Tessary	1998-99
78.40	Mandy Munsch	1998-99
78.50	Jamie Tucker	1997-98
78.52	Sue Tessary	1999-00
78.56	Camilla Svensson	2006-07
78.59	Chelsey Pryor	2004-05
78.90	Meghan Gockel	2006-07
79.16	Annie Giangrosso	2006-07
79.21	Jill Womble	2003-04
79.41	Tiffany Woods	2003-04
79.61	Ashely Bishop	2000-01
79.69	Sarah Mahoney	1999-00
79.70	Sue Tessary	1997-98
79.72	Meghan Gockel	2007-08
79.74	Jill MacDonald	2001-02
79.85	Jill MacDonald	2002-03
79.88	Annie Giangrosso	2004-05
79.96	Jennifer Bawanan	2002-03
80.03	Tiffany Kruggel	2002-03
80.03	Heather Rose	2002-03
80.07	Jennifer Bawanan	2003-04
80.10	Tiffany Woods	2004-05
80.18	Carrie Padden	1999-00
80.32	Chrystal Thayer	2000-01
80.63	Jill Womble	2004-05
80.70	Ashley Lowery	1998-99
80.79	Missy Russell	1996-97
80.80	Mandy Munsch	1997-98
80.82	Meredith Winkelmann	2005-06
81.03	Heather Rose	2001-02
81.03	Ashely Bishop	1999-00
81.11	Chelsey Pryor	2002-03
81.17	Sydney Wilson	2007-08
81.52	Sarah Mahoney	2000-01
81.55	Kendall Schwerman	2002-03
81.60	Jill Womble	2005-06
81.61	Kristy Straub	2002-03
81.70	Ashely Bishop	1998-99
81.80	Jill Simpson	1998-99
81.91	Mandy Munsch	1996-97
81.93	Jennifer Bawanan	2000-01
82.00	Jaci Hiatt	2006-07
82.03	Anne Clark	1996-97
82.04	Meredith Winkelmann	2004-05
82.11	Beth Reuter	1996-97
82.20	Tiffany Kruggel	2000-01
82.20	Carrie Padden	1997-98

## EVOLUTION OF THE JAYHAWK



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## DEBBIE VAN SAUN

Associate Athletics Director - Senior Woman Administrator

Debbie Van Saun, former assistant city manager of Lawrence, Kan., since 2000, joined the Kansas athletics staff as Associate Athletics Director, Senior Woman Administrator, in July 2007.

In her position as assistant city manager, Van Saun provided direct supervision to the Planning, Neighborhood Resources, Parks and Recreation, Public Works, and Utilities departments. Her responsibilities included oversight of the Public Safety Departments and the development of the annual operating budget for the City of Lawrence - \$140,842,355 in 2008. She also assisted the City Manager with day-to-day management of the city staff, which included personnel management, daily interaction with all department heads, and frequent interaction with elected officials. She also played a leadership role in negotiations with Lawrence Police Officers Association.

Van Saun was assistant utilities director for the city of Lawrence from 1989 to 2000, during which time she provided direct supervision to the clerical, technical, and professional staff responsible for providing water and

wastewater services to the community. Prior to that she served as the city's assistant finance director (from 1985-1989) and as collections supervisor (from 1979-1985).

Van Saun, who grew up in Wichita, Kan., earned undergraduate (Bachelor of Science in Education) and graduate (Master's in Public Administration) degrees from the University of Kansas. She serves on the Board of Directors of The Shelter, Hilltop Child Development Center and People's Bank. She has also served on the Board of Directors of Court-Appointed Special Advocates and the Red Cross.

Van Saun's husband, Paul, played varsity football for KU in the 1970's and owns Van Saun Decorating Service in Lawrence. They have two adult children - Kristen Van Saun Toner, a 2006 graduate of KU Law School, currently working for Chief U.S. District Judge John Lungstrum, and Joseph, a CPA with Deloitte & Touche LLP. Kristen was a four-year member of the Notre Dame swimming team; Joseph was a four-year member of the Boston College swimming team.



**Sandy Arbuthnot**  
Administrative Assistant



**Will Rodecap**  
Equipment Manager



**Glenn Quick**  
Assistant AD,  
Academic and Career Counseling  
Center



**Bill Cowgill**  
Trainer



**Brady Holt**  
Strength and Conditioning Coach





# KANSAS HISTORY

## Spring 1977

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 11-13	Betsy Rawls Invitational	1052	Nancy Hoins – 257

## Fall 1978

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 11-13	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	16/18 (1046)	Nancy Hoins – 253
Sept. 29-30	AIWA Region VI Championship	7/10 (692)	Nancy Hoins – 175
Oct. 5-6	Kansas Invitational	5/8 (716)	Nancy Hoins – T6/172
Oct. 11-12	Wichita State Invitational	1/3 (661)	Nancy Hoins – 2/155

## Fall 1979

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 14-15	Air Force Academy	(1043)	Sarah Burgess – 11/251
Oct. 11-12	Kansas Invitational	(700)	Sally White – 9/171
Oct. 20-21	Missouri Invitational	8/12 (708)	Cathy Eyre - 172

## Fall 1980

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 15-17	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	21/24 (1010)	Patty Coe – 247
Sept. 26-27	Iowa State Invitational	7/13 (660)	Sally Donnini – T32/166
Oct. 9-10	Kansas Invitational	3/6 (690)	Cathy Eyre – T10/168

## Spring 1981

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
April 9-12	Tiger Classic	4/6 (1001)	Patty Coe - 239
April 19-22	Sooner Invitational	8/10 (1018)	Sarah Burgess - 246
April 27-29	Big Eight Championship	6/7 (1008)	Patty Coe – T11/240

## Fall 1981

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 14-16	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	21/21 (996)	Bev Boozer – T74/245
Sept. 21-22	Iowa State Invitational	9/11 (990)	Bev Boozer – 150
Oct. 16-18	Mizzou Invitational	6/10 (1000)	Lisa Bradley – 11/242
Oct. 22-23	Kansas Invitational	4/6 (992)	Lisa Bradley – 3/237

## Spring 1982

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 18-20	Tiger Tangle	6/7 (1080)	Bev Boozer – 279
April 2-4	Missouri Invitational	3/5 (1036)	Bev Boozer – 254
April 26-28	Big Eight Championship	6/7 (1010)	Bev Boozer – T12/248
May 1-2	Stephens Invitational	4/8 (916)	Bev Boozer – T3/224

## Fall 1982

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 13-15	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	18/18 (1006)	Bev Boozer – T42/238
Sept. 30-Oct. 2	Iowa State Invitational	6/9 (1020)	Bev Boozer – T13/254
Oct. 14-15	Kansas Invitational	4/7 (1015)	Bev Boozer – 2/236
Oct. 21-23	Missouri Invitational	5/6 (999)	Patty Coe -- 245

## Spring 1983

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 31-April 1	Missouri Invitational	5/7 (333)	Patty Coe – T3/77
April 18	Kansas Mini-Invitational	1/8	Bev Boozer – 79
April 25-27	Big Eight Championship	T4/8 (1009)	Patty Coe – 241
May 1	Stephens College Invitational	4/6 (323)	Patty Coe – 117



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## Fall 1983

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 12-14	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	16/16 (1032)	Solveig Thorsteindottir—255
Sept. 30-Oct. 2	Lady Northern	17/19 (1002)	Sue Pekar - 241
Oct. 9-10	Missouri Invitational	4/6 (1023)	Brenda Sanders – 11/248
Oct. 17-18	Kansas Invitational	4/8 (1020)	Brenda Sanders – 10/246

## Spring 1984

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
April 3	Big Red Invitational	8/8 (1060)	LeeAnn Loeffelholz – 24/255
April 16-17	Kansas State Invitational	4/6 (1033)	Maureen Kelly – T10/252
April 23-25	Big Eight Championships	6/7 (1039)	Brenda Sanders – T16/252
April 28-29	Stephens College Invitational	4/5 (1021)	Solveig Thorsteindottir – T9/249
			LeeAnn Loeffelholz – T9/249

## Fall 1984

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 10-12	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	6/8 (984)	Maureen Kelly – T5/236
Sept. 16-18	Oklahoma State Invitational	13/14 (1062)	Maureen Kelly – T54/258
Sept. 28-29	Northern Iowa Invitational	4/6 (968)	Maureen Kelly – T6/237
Oct. 15-16	Kansas Invitational	2/8 (665)	Tina Gnewuch – 3/161
Oct. 20-21	Missouri Invitational	4/9 (995)	Tina Gnewuch – T3/241

## Spring 1985

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 31	South Carolina Invitational	14/14 (1011)	Marilee Scheid – 53/251
April 8-9	Big Red Invitational	6/10 (1010)	Maureen Kelly – T11/246
April 12-13	Illini Spring Classic	11/16 (1046)	Brenda Sanders - T26/254
April 22-23	Big Eight Championships	3/7 (1008)	Tina Gnewuch - 10/249
	Washington Gearhart Invitational	4/4 (681)	Maureen Kelly – 9/165

## Fall 1985

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 19-22	Lady Seminole Invitational	17/19 (991)	Tina Gnewuch – T75/246
Sept. 26-28	Northern Iowa Invitational	(989)	Maureen Kelly – 7/244
Oct. 3-6	Memphis Invitational	15/17 (993)	Tina Gnewuch – 250
			Marilee Scheid – 250
Oct. 12-15	Beacon Woods Invitational	5/7 (970)	Maureen Kelly - 234
Oct. 21-22	Kansas Invitational		
	Kansas A	4/8 (972)	Marilee Scheid – T10/241
	Kansas B	6/8 (1000)	Sue Pekar – 14/243

## Spring 1986

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 13-15	North-South Classic	1/6 (806)	Sue Pekar – T2/195
March 21-22	Rayburn Classic	3/4 (1023)	Marilee Scheid – 250
Marcy 29-30	South Carolina Invitational	13/13 (1012)	Tina Gnewuch – T48/246
April 7-8	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	9/12 (1023)	Tina Gnewuch – T19/251
April 14-15	Pepsi Women's Classic	6/8 (711)	Tina Gnewuch – T8/171
April 28-29	Big Eight Championships	6/7 (997)	Sue Pekar – 13/240

## Fall 1986

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 12 -13	Iowa State Invitational	5/10 (9595)	Sue Pekar – T7/240
Sept. 10-12	All College Kickoff	10/12(969)	Sue Pekar – T30/241
Sept. 26-28	Lady Seminole Invitational	9/17 (964)	Sue Pekar – T9/232
Oct. 3-5	Beacon Woods Invitational	9/12 (963)	Sue Pekar – 232
Oct. 20-21	Kansas Invitational		
	Kansas A	1/8 (954)	Sue Pekar – T4/236
	Kansas B	3/8 (959)	Marilee Scheid – T4/236



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## Spring 1987

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 18-19	Illini Spring Break Classic		Sue Pekar – T7/152
March 29-31	Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational	6/10 (345)	Sue Pekar - 84
April 6-7	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	7/14 (1010)	Tina Gnewuch – T22/253
April 11-12	Missouri Invitational	3/12 (635)	Sue Pekar – 1/150
April 18-19	Lady Buckeye Invitational	7/14 (951)	Tina Gnewuch – T8/226
April 27-28	Big Eight Championships	4/7 (976)	Sue Pekar – T12/238

## Fall 1987

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 4-5	Iowa State Cyclone Classic	3/9 (980)	Tina Gnewuch – T5/237
Sept. 12-13	Iowa Invitational	6/8 (978)	Sue Pekar – 8/27
Oct. 9-11	Beacon Woods Invitational	13/14 (979)	Sue Pekar – 52/244
Oct. 19-20	Kansas Invitational	3/8 (1003)	Tina Gnewuch – 2/241

## Spring 1988

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 19-20	Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational	3/16 (984)	Sue Pekar – T6/237
March 29-30	Illini Spring Break Classic	4/8 (944)	Sue Pekar – 2/226
April 11-12	Nebraska Invitational	3/9 (966)	Sue Pekar – 2/231
April 25-26	Big Eight Championships	4/7 (1009)	Sue Pekar – 11/250

## Fall 1988

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 2-3	Iowa State Cyclone Classic	3/9 (650)	Laura Myers – 4/160
Sept. 23-24	Air Force Academy Classic	2/10 (996)	Shelly Triplett – 2/242
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Wichita State Shocker Classic		
	<b>Kansas A</b>	<b>1/7 (942)</b>	<b>Laura Myers – T3/231</b>
	<b>Kansas B</b>	<b>3/7 (1006)</b>	<b>Donna Lowen – 6/233</b>
<b>Nov. 2-4</b>	<b>Texas Invitational</b>	<b>1/5 (624)</b>	<b>Shelly Triplett – (T1) 155</b>
			<b>Sherri Atchison – (T1) 155</b>

## Spring 1989

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 5-6	Utah Dixie Classic	3/12 (926)	Shelly Triplett – 2/220
<b>March 13-14</b>	<b>Snowbird Intercollegiate</b>	<b>1/8 (627)</b>	<b>Laura Meyers – T2/155</b>
			<b>Shelly Triplett – T2/155</b>
March 24-25	USF Summerfield Invitational	6/10 (966)	Laura Myers – 13/237
April 8-9	Lady Paladin Golf Tournament	8/12 (330)	Laura Myers – T8/78
April 17-18	Nebraska Invitational	2/6 (955)	Donna Lowen - 233
April 24-25	Big Eight Championships	5/7 (990)	Sherri Atchison – T11/243

## Fall 1989

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 15-17	Roadrunner Invitational	3/12 (953)	Sherri Atchison – T8/236
Sept. 23-24	All-College Kickoff	2/11 (972)	Laura Myers – T8/236
<b>Oct. 2-3</b>	<b>Shocker Classic</b>		<b>Donna Lowen—T4/238</b>
	<b>Kansas A</b>	<b>1/7 (977)</b>	<b>Sherri Atchison – 2/241</b>
	<b>Kansas B</b>	<b>5/7 (1081)</b>	<b>Trisa Leibig –11/258</b>
Nov. 5-6	Lamar Cardinal Invitational	5/10 (941)	Sherri Atchison – T8/230





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## Spring 1990

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 5-6	Utah Dixie Classic	4/18 (960)	Laura Myers – 16/240
March 12-13	Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational	4/17 (932)	Donna Lowen – 4/226
April 2-3	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	2/12 (957)	Laura Myers – T4/237
April 13-15	Azalea Festival Tournament	2/6 (934)	Donna Lowen – 3/229
<b>April 23-24</b>	<b>Big Eight Championships</b>	<b>1/7 (936)</b>	Donna Lowen – 2/231

## Fall 1990

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 16-18	Roadrunner Invitational	5/12 (951)	Shelly Triplett - 231
Oct. 15-17	Edean Ihlanfeldt Invitational	4/15 (965)	Laura Myers – T9/237
Nov. 16-18	Palmetto Dunes Collegiate	11/12 (965)	Shelly Triplett – T32/238

## Spring 1991

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 4-5	Utah Dixie Classic	4/19 (972)	Laura Myers – 11/241
March 11-12	Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational	7/19 (976)	Laura Myers – T8/238
April 6-7	Earl Steward Lady Mustang	8/12 (949)	Laura Myers – T11/229
April 12-14	Azalea/Seahawk Invitational	4/13 (956)	Laura Myers – T4/233
April 29-30	Big Eight Championships	4/7 (981)	Shelly Triplett – 9/237

## Fall 1991

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 14-15	Minnesota Invitational	3/9 (627)	Laura Myers – 2/153
Sept. 26-28	Dick McGuire Invitational	6/18 (947)	Laura Myers – T12/233
<b>Oct. 6-8</b>	<b>Alabama Intercollegiate</b>	<b>1/9 (941)</b>	Holly Reynolds – T12/233
Oct. 14-16	Edean Ihlandfeldt Invitational	5/15 (950)	Shelly Triplett – 1/226
			Laura Myers –T14/235

## Spring 1992

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 9-10	Utah Dixie Classic	2/18 (944)	Laura Myers – 1/226
March 27-29	South Carolina Invitational	10/14 (954)	Shelly Triplett – T13/234
<b>April 10-12</b>	<b>Azalea Seahawk Invitational</b>	<b>1/9 (920)</b>	<b>Holly Reynolds – 1/220</b>
April 27-28	Big Eight Championships	3/7 (951)	Holly Reynolds – T6/235

## Fall 1992

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 11-13	Roadrunner Invitational	T7/14 (991)	Holly Reynolds – T2/228
Sept. 26-27	Cyclone Classic	3/11 (667)	<b>Holly Reynolds – 1/156</b>
<b>Oct. 3-4</b>	<b>Yale Intercollegiate</b>	<b>1/10 (654)</b>	<b>Holly Reynolds – 1/153</b>
Oct. 12-13	Shocker Fall Classic	2/10 (1011)	<b>Holly Reynolds – 1/234</b>

## Spring 1993

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 8-9	Utah Dixie Classic	T12/15 (974)	<b>Holly Reynolds – 1/224</b>
March 26-28	Lady Gamecock Classic	12/18 (973)	Holly Reynolds – T13/230
April 3-4	Indiana Invitational	10-14 (685)	Holly Reynolds – T5/158
April 11-13	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	8/11 (983)	Holly Reynolds – 6/232
April 25-26	Big Eight Championships	T5/7 (1017)	Holly Reynolds – T8/241
May 13-15	NCAA West Regional		Holly Reynolds – T9/215
May 26-29	NCAA Championships		Holly Reynolds – T15/299



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## Fall 1993

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 10-12	Roadrunner Invitational	11/16 (1010)	Holly Reynolds — T7/230
Sept. 26	Hawkeye Invitational	3/10 (312)	Holly Reynolds — T4/75
Oct. 1-2	OSU Nike Invitational	5/13 (955)	Holly Reynolds — T2/223
Oct. 18-19	Jayhawk Invitational	4/9 (989)	Holly Reynolds — T2/226
Nov. 5-7	Texas A&M Bookstore	12/17 (1008)	Holly Reynolds — T8/240

## Spring 1994

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 7-8	Utah Dixie Classic	9/19 (959)	Holly Reynolds — 2/220
<b>March 24-25</b>	<b>Aztec Invitational</b>	<b>1/5 (1012)</b>	<b>Holly Reynolds — 1/227</b>
April 2-3	Indiana Invitational	9/18 (974)	Holly Reynolds — 1/223
April 11-12	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	5/12 (981)	Holly Reynolds — T6/237
April 25-26	Big Eight Championships	6/7 (978)	Holly Reynolds — 10/232
May 13-14	NCAA West Regional		Holly Reynolds — T15/222

## Fall 1994

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 9-11	Roadrunner Invitational	9/17 (968)	Missy Russell — T22/237
Sept. 24-25	Spartan Fall Invitational	9/21 (653)	Michelle Uher — T15/158
Oct. 3-4	Nike Invitational	6/16 (973)	Lynn Williamson — T27/238
Oct. 17-18	Sunflower Invitational	6/11 (1029)	Michelle Uher — T15/253

## Spring 1995

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 6-7	Utah Dixie Classic	10/18 (648)	Michelle Uher — T28/160
March 20-22	Lady Bronc Classic	5/9 (1014)	Ann Holbrook — T9/250
March 24-25	Texas A&M Bookstore	T4/17 (955)	Missy Russell — T9/234
April 1-2	Indiana Invitational	T4/15 (958)	Missy Russell — T4/231
April 10-11	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	5/12 (326)	Michelle Uher — 2/75
April 24-25	Big Eight Championships	6/8 (1015)	Michelle Uher — 4/238

## Fall 1995

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 9-10	Minnesota Invitational	5/11 (649)	Lori Lauritsen — T6/158
Sept. 25-26	Northwest Women's Collegiate	12/18 (965)	Mandy Munsch — T21/264
Oct. 7-8	Lady Buckeye Fall Invitational	5/13 (986)	Mandy Munsch — 8/238
Oct. 16-17	Sunflower Invitational	7/14 (994)	Mandy Munsch — T12/243
Oct. 30-31	Lamar Lady Cardinal Invite	10/12 (992)	Anne Clark — T24/246

## Spring 1996

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 18-20	Lady Bronc Classic	T7/16 (1009)	Missy Russell — T7/245
April 1-2	SW Missouri State Invitational	2/16 (988)	Missy Russell — 1/234
April 8-9	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	8/12 (992)	Anne Clark — T21/243
April 13-14	Boilermaker Invitational	9/12 (984)	Beth Reuter — T19/243
April 22-23	Big Eight Championships	7/8 (1025)	Missy Russell — T21/251

## Fall 1996

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 14-15	Minnesota Invitational	4/15 (640)	Missy Russell — T15/158
Sept. 23-25	Northwest Invitational	6/18 (966)	Missy Russell — T13/238
Oct. 7-8	Big 12 Preview	7/12 (949)	Anne Clark — T20/236
Oct. 14-15	Sunflower Invitational	T6/14(985)	Anne Clark — T8/239
Oct. 28-30	Roadrunner Invitational	9/19 (982)	Missy Russell — T16/238



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## Spring 1997

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 24-25	Texas A&M Bookstore	10/18 (1002)	Mandy Munsch – T25/245
March 3-4	Bay Area Classic	8/17 (676)	Beth Reuter – T21/169
			Missy Russell – T21/169
			Susan Tessary – T21/169
March 17-19	UNM Spring Intercollegiate	8/15 (971)	Susan Tessary – T20/239
<b>March 24-25</b>	<b>SW Missouri State Invitational</b>	<b>1/8 (1005)</b>	Anne Clark – 5/248
April 7-8	Utah Dixie Classic	8/18 (967)	Anne Clark – T28/238
April 14-15	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	6/11 (968)	Missy Russell – 6/232
April 21-23	Big 12 Championships	7/12 (959)	Missy Russell – T16/239

## Fall 1997

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 22-23	Northwest Invitational	8/14 (997)	Mandy Munsch – T25/244
Sept. 25-27	Dick McGuire Invitational	16/ 18 (943)	Jaime Tucker – T31/232
<b>Oct. 21-22</b>	<b>Sunflower Invitational</b>	<b>1/11 (932)</b>	<b>Jamie Tucker – T1/226</b>
Nov. 2-4	Diet Coke Roadrunner Invite	7/19 (932)	Mandy Munsch – T20/229
			Susan Tessary – T20/229

## Spring 1998

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 23-24	GTE "Mo" morial Invitational	8/16 (969)	Jamie Tucker – T22/237
March 2-3	Bay Area Classic	6/19 (637)	Jamie Tucker – T7/151
March 14-16	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Classic	12/14 (1004)	Jamie Tucker – T21/237
April 6-7	Utah Dixie Classic	T5/24 (621)	Jamie Tucker – T11/151
			Susan Tessary - T11/151
April 18-19	Hawkeye Invitational	8/10 (950)	Susan Tessary – T7/229
April 24-26	Big 12 Championships	9/12 (972)	Beth Reuter - T33/241

## Fall 1998

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 14-15	Chip-N-Club Invitational	13/15 (966)	Susan Tessary - T11/227
Sept. 21-22	Heather Farr Memorial Tournament	11/14 (956)	Susan Tessary - T26/234
Oct. 3-4	Big 12 Fall Preview	1112 (972)	Susan Tessary - T23/235
Oct. 12-13	Shoot-out at the Legends	10/15 (936)	Mandy Munsch - T28/232
Oct. 30-Nov. 1	Diet Coke/Roadrunner Invitational	9/18 (940)	Susan Tessary - T13/230

## Spring 1999

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 26-28	Sun Trust Lady Gator Invitational	18/19 (6690)	Mandy Munsch - T54/163
March 13-14	Mountain View Collegiate	3/9 (607)	Mandy Munsch - T5/148
March 26-28	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Classic	7/8 (968)	Susan Tessary - 13/234
April 4-6	Utah Dixie Classic	4/24 (927)	Mandy Munsch - T2/223
April 12-13	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	9/15 (958)	Mandy Munsch - T18/235
April 19-21	Big 12 Championships	11/12 (951)	Mandy Munsch - T16/230

## Fall 1999

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 13-14	Big 12 Preview	11/12 (960)	Sarah Mahoney - T8/228
Sept. 23-24	Dick McGuire Invitational	17/18 (964)	Sarah Mahoney - T49/234
Oct. 11-12	Shoot-out at the Legends	12/12 (942)	Susan Tessary - T13/224
Nov. 1-3	Diet Coke/Roadrunner Invitational	21/21 (986)	Sarah Mahoney - T69/242





# KANSAS HISTORY

## Spring 2000

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 18-19	Kansas vs. Indiana	2/2 (663)	Susan Tessary - 3/162
Feb. 28-29	Carolinas Classic	5/26 (631)	Susan tessary - T2/152
March 10-11	N. Illinois Springlake Intercollegiate	4/18 (623)	Sarah Mahoney - T11/154
<b>March 22</b>	<b>Kansas vs. Coastal Carolina</b>	<b>1/2 (317)</b>	<b>Sarah Mahoney - 1/7</b>
<b>March 23</b>	<b>Kansas vs. College of Charleston</b>	<b>1/2 (308)</b>	<b>Ashley Bishop - T1/75</b>
April 3-4	Utah Dixie Classic	5/20 (923)	Susan Tessary - T5/220
April 10-11	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	9/13 (982)	Carrie Padden - 19/241
April 21-23	Big 12 Championships	12/12 (978)	Sarah Mahoney - T25/236

## Fall 2000

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 8-10	Unlimited Potential Baytree Classic	14/18 (942)	Ashley Bishop - T30/233
Sept. 23-24	Mary Fossum Invitational	15/15 (328)	Tiffany Kruggel - T46/79
Oct. 2-3	Big 12 Fall Preview	12/12 (969)	Ashley Bishop - T28/233
Oct. 9-10	Shoot-out at the Legends	14/15 (959)	Ashley Bishop - T45/231
Oct. 15-17	Sunflower Invitational	5/8 (966)	Jennifer Bawanan - T22/240

## Spring 2001

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 19-20	Islander Invitational	4/15 (957)	Chrystal Thayer - T2/234
Feb. 26-27	Carolinas Classic	T6/22 (644)	Tiffany Kruggel - T9/156
March 5-6	Verizon "Mo"morial Invitational	10/17 (955)	Tiffany Kruggel - T27/237
April 7-8	Indiana Invitational	10/15 (982)	Ashley Bishop - T36/244
April 14-15	Hawkeye Invitational	9/12 (948)	Ashley Bishop - T23/235
April 23-25	Big 12 Championships	12/12 (1007)	Heather Rose - T29/244

## Fall 2001

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 7-9	Unlimited Potential Baytree Classic	14/31 (966)	Heather Rose - T45/241
Sept. 26	Sunflower Cup	2/2 (320)	<b>Jennifer Bawanan - 1/71</b>
Oct. 1-2	Big 12 Invitational	14/16 (987)	Jill MacDonald - T19/234
Oct. 8-9	Shoot-out at the Legends	16/19 (939)	Heather Rose - T33/229
Oct. 15-16	Sunflower Invitational	10/17 (328)	Heather Rose - T9/77

## Spring 2002

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 18-19	Islander Invitational	3/13 (963)	Jill MacDonald - T9/239
Feb. 25-26	Carolinas Classic	T12/22 (648)	Jennifer Bawanan - T32/159
March 4-5	Verizon "Mo"morial Invitational	T16/18 (670)	Jill MacDonald - T36/163
March 11-12	Waterwood National Spring Invit.	7/17 (987)	<b>Heather Rose - 1/235</b>
April 6-7	Indiana Invitational	13/14 (980)	Heather Rose - T28/240
April 13-14	Hawkeye Invitational	7/10 (937)	Jill MacDonald - 3/221
April 19-21	Big 12 Championships	12/12 (989)	Heather Rose - T32/238

## Fall 2002

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 6-8	Unlimited Potential Bay Tree Classic	14/35 (949)	Jill MacDonald - T39/235
Sept. 16-17	Chip-N-Club Invitational	8/14 (938)	Jennifer Bawanan - T15/232
Oct. 7-8	Shoot-out at the Legends	11/16 (925)	Tiffany Kruggel - T17/226
Oct. 13-15	Sunflower Invitational	T3/17 (924)	Heather Rose - 7/226
Oct. 29-30	Kent Youel Invitational	11/17 (930)	Jill MacDonald - T37/231



# KANSAS HISTORY

## Spring 2003

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 17-18	Lady Aztec Spring Invitational	2/15 (613)	<b>Jennifer Bawanan</b> - 1/148
Feb. 28-March 2	Carolinas Classic	9/22 (970)	Chelsey Pryor - T13/233
March 10-11	Anteater Invitational	8/13 (966)	Heather Rose - T14/234
March 23-25	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Invitational	12/12 (1013)	Tiffany Kruggel - T42/248
April 7-8	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	8/16 (974)	Chelsey Pryor - T22/241
April 21-23	Big 12 Championships	11/12 (973)	Jennifer Bawanan - T22/235

## Fall 2003

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 8-9	Ptarmigan Ram Fall Classic	7/16 (905)	Chelsey Pryor - T14/224
Sept. 20-21	Mary Fossum Invitational	4/16 (937)	Tiffany Woods - T15/232
Oct. 6-7	Shoot-out at the Legends	15/18 (930)	Jill Womble - T20/223
Oct. 13-14	Sunflower Invitational	4/12 (944)	Jill Womble - 8/234
Nov. 3-4	Edwin Watts/Palmetto Intercollegiate	11/18 (944)	Chelsey Pryor - T28/233

## Spring 2004

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
March 1-2	Texas A&M "Mo" morial Invitational	T7/16 (916)	Amanda Costner - T2/221
March 15-16	Anteater Invitational	5/13 (926)	Amanda Costner - T11/227
March 21-23	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Invitational	15/18 (1006)	Amanda Costner - T52/249
March 27-28	Mountain View Collegiate	7/17 (910)	Chelsey Pryor - T28/228
April 12-13	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	7/15 (934)	Chelsey Pryor - T10/229
April 23-25	Big 12 Championships	8/12 (617)	Amanda Costner - T7/148

## Fall 2004

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 13-15	Dick McGuire Invitational	13/17 (927)	Chelsey Pryor - T22/225
Sept. 24-26	Jeannie McHaney Invitational	13/18 (628)	Amanda Costner - T17/151
Oct. 4-5	Price's Give 'Em Five	5/18 (921)	Jill Womble - T15/228
<b>Oct. 11-12</b>	<b>Sunflower Invitational</b>	<b>1/11 (946)</b>	Tiffany Woods - T5/236
Oct. 17-19	Lady Razorback Invitational	9/19 (938)	Chelsey Pryor - T29/235

## Spring 2005

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 28-March 1	Texas A&M "Mo" morial Invitational	T14/15 (992)	Amanda Costner - T15/238
March 11-13	Betsy Rawls Invitational	16/17 (978)	Amanda Costner - T42/241
March 18-20	LSU/Cleveland Classic	15/18 (934)	Amanda Costner - T35/231
March 26-27	Mountain View Intercollegiate	9/15 (892)	Annie Giangrosso - T15/220
April 9-10	Lady Boilermaker Invitational	6/13 (912)	<b>Amanda Costner</b> - 1/217
April 22-24	Big 12 Championships	9/12 (952)	Chelsey Pryor - T26/235

## Fall 2005

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 12-13	Ptarmigan Ram Fall Classic	6/18 (894)	Amanda Costner - 3/212
Oct. 3-4	ORU Shootout	2/17 (919)	<b>Chelsey Pryor</b> - 1/226
Oct. 10-11	Sunflower Invitational	6/12 (923)	Amanda Costner - 6/220
Oct. 16-18	Embassy Suites Invitational	8/16 (918)	Amanda Costner - 4/216
Nov. 4-6	The Derby Invitational	16/17 (947)	Chelsey Pryor - T16/225



# KANSAS HISTORY

## Spring 2006

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 20-21	Central District Invitational	7/14 (922)	Chelsey Pryor - T5/223
March 10-12	Texas A&M "Mo" morial	10/18 (971)	Amanda Costner - T11/231
March 17-19	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Invitational	13/15 (963)	Amanda Costner - T22/236
<b>March 25-26</b>	<b>Mountain View Collegiate</b>	<b>1/15 (884)</b>	Chelsey Pryor - 6/217
April 9-10	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	T9/17 (923)	Amanda Costner - T6/222
April 17-19	Big 12 Championships	11/12 (955)	Amanda Costner - T14/231

## Fall 2006

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 11-12	Ptarmigan Ram Fall Classic	9/17 (903)	Amanda Costner - T18/223
Sept. 18-19	Chip-N-Club Invitational	3/14 (943)	Meghan Gockel - T4/231
<b>Oct. 2-3</b>	<b>Sunflower Invitational</b>	<b>1/16 (917)</b>	Emily Powers - 4/225
Oct. 16-18	Price's Give 'Em Five Intercollegiate	14/17 (933)	Amanda Costner - T13/225
Oct. 27-29	The Derby Invitational	15/17 (636)	Amanda Costner - T39/156

## Spring 2007

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 5-6	Baja Invitational	T9/15 (639)	Amanda Costner - T32/158
Feb. 24-26	FSU Chrysler Challenge	7/10 (967)	Amanda Costner - T22/238
March 17-19	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Classic	11/15 (943)	Amanda Costner - 15/229
March 25-26	Mountain View Collegiate	T4/17 ( 874)	Emily Powers - T7/215
April 8-9	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	4/18 (884)	Amanda Costner - T10/217
April 16-18	Big 12 Championships	9/12 (945)	<b>Amanda Costner - 1/221</b>

## Fall 2007

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 10-11	Chip-N-Club Invitational	5/19 (921)	Emily Powers - T10/224
Sept. 17-18	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	8/11 (911)	Emily Powers - T7/221
<b>Oct. 1-2</b>	<b>Marilynn Smith Invitational</b>	<b>1/13 (600)</b>	Camilla Svensson - T4/147
Oct. 15-17	Price's "Give 'Em Five" Intercollegiate	T4/16 (908)	Emily Powers - T8/223
Oct. 26-28	UA-Ann Rhoads Intercollegiate	13/18 (926)	Emily Powers - T11/223

## Spring 2008

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Feb. 17-19	Qdoba Invitational	6/12 (921)	Grace Thiry - T7/224
Feb. 25-26	Kitahara Invitational	3/16 (596)	Emily Powers - T2/145
March 17-19	Betsy Rawls Invitational	13/17 (657)	Grace Thiry - T24/160
March 29-30	Mountain View Collegiate	11/18 (909)	Emily Powers - T7/220
April 6-8	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	3/16 (898)	Emily Powers - T14/223
April 25-27	Big 12 Championships	10/12 (998)	Emily Powers - T29/247

## Fall 2008

Date	Tournament	Result	Top Individual
Sept. 15-16	Chip-N-Club Invitational	6/12 (916)	Grace Thiry - 10/223
Sept. 22-23	Marilynn Smith Sunflower Invitational	5/16 (934)	<b>Emily Powers - 1/223</b>
Sept. 29-30	Johnie Imes Invitational	5/18 (913)	Emily Powers - T6/221
Oct. 6-7	McHaney/Morehead Invitational	7/14 (943)	Emily Powers - T7/227
Oct. 24-26	The Derby	14/18 (931)	Meghna Bal - T12/224





## JAYHAWK GREATS: AMANDA COSTNER



Thumbing through the Kansas women's golf media guide it doesn't take long to identify one name that appears at the top of every records list: Amanda Costner. From 2004-2007, Costner established herself as one of the all-time greats in program history; her list of accomplishments speaks for itself:

- The lowest scoring average in KU history (75.45, '05-'06)
- Three of the five lowest rounds in KU history
- Three of the five lowest three-round performances in KU history
- Nine top-10 finishes
- All Big 12 First Team 2006 & 2007

Costner's incredible career culminated at the 2007 Big 12 Championship in Waco, Texas. She led the field after the first two rounds after posting a 71 and 73, respectively. In the final round, Costner posted a 77 to hold on and win the Big 12 individual title, becoming the first Jayhawk to win the event.

As exceptional a career as she had on the golf course, Costner's accomplishments off the course were equally impressive. She was named an NGCA Academic All American in 2005-06 and 2006-07. As a senior, she was named to the Academic All-Big 12 First Team, graduating with a degree in Applied Behavioral Science. That season she was named the Big 12 Female Sportsperson of the Year, an award that recognizes student-athletes who display an extraordinary degree of sportsmanship and/or community service.

After graduation, Costner, a native of Claremore, Okla., decided to turn professional playing the sport she loves. In 2007 she joined the Duramed FUTURES Tour, the official developmental tour of the LPGA. Since turning professional, Costner has competed in nine events and is ranked 157th on the tour entering the 2009 season.



### COSTNER TOP-10 FINISHES

<u>Event</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Date</u>
Texas A&M "Mo" morial Invitational	T2 (221)	March 1-2, 2004
Big 12 Championships	T7 (148)	April 23-25, 2004
<b>Lady Boilermaker Invitational</b>	<b>1 (217)</b>	<b>April 9-10, 2005</b>
Ptarmigan Ram Fall Classic	3 (212)	Sept. 12-13, 2005
Sunflower Invitational	6 (220)	Oct. 10-11, 2005
Embassy Suites Invitational	4 (216)	Oct. 16-18, 2005
Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	T6 (222)	April 9-10, 2006
Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	T10 (217)	April 8-9, 2007
<b>Big 12 Championship</b>	<b>1 (221)</b>	<b>April 16-17, 2007</b>



# THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS



## KANSAS ROOTS, GLOBAL REACH

The University of Kansas — fondly known as KU — is a tradition-rich, comprehensive research university that throughout its distinguished history has excelled in creating superior, enduring value for students, the state of Kansas and the world.

Founded by the same determined New Englanders who had emigrated to the Kansas Territory to create a state free of slavery, KU became one of the first universities of the Great Plains. The university opened its doors on Sept. 12, 1866, to 29 men and 26 women. Never in its history has KU restricted admissions based on race or gender.

Since its early years, KU has been fueled by high aspirations and today enjoys a national reputation for innovation and academic excellence. In 1890, the first chapters of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi west of the Mississippi River were chartered at Lawrence. The following year, the KU Endowment Association was established, the first foundation of its kind supporting a state-assisted university. Not to be forgotten: KU initiated interscholastic basketball competition in 1898 under the leadership of Dr. James Naismith, the inventor of the game.

With a student body of nearly 30,000 and an endowment with assets of more than \$1 billion, KU has become a diversified, broad-based center of learning with professional schools in allied health, architecture and urban planning, business, education, engineering, fine arts, journalism and mass communications, law, medicine, nursing, pharmacy and social welfare. KU also has expanded geographically, adding the KU Medical Center in Kansas City, Kan.; the School of Medicine clinical branch in Wichita; the Edwards Campus in Overland Park; and educational and research facilities throughout the state.

In addition, KU prepares students for success in an increasingly global economy. Among public universities, KU ranks seventh in the nation for the percentage of its students who study abroad and 25th in the nation for the number of graduates serving as Peace Corps volunteers.

## WORLD-CLASS, ACCESSIBLE EDUCATION

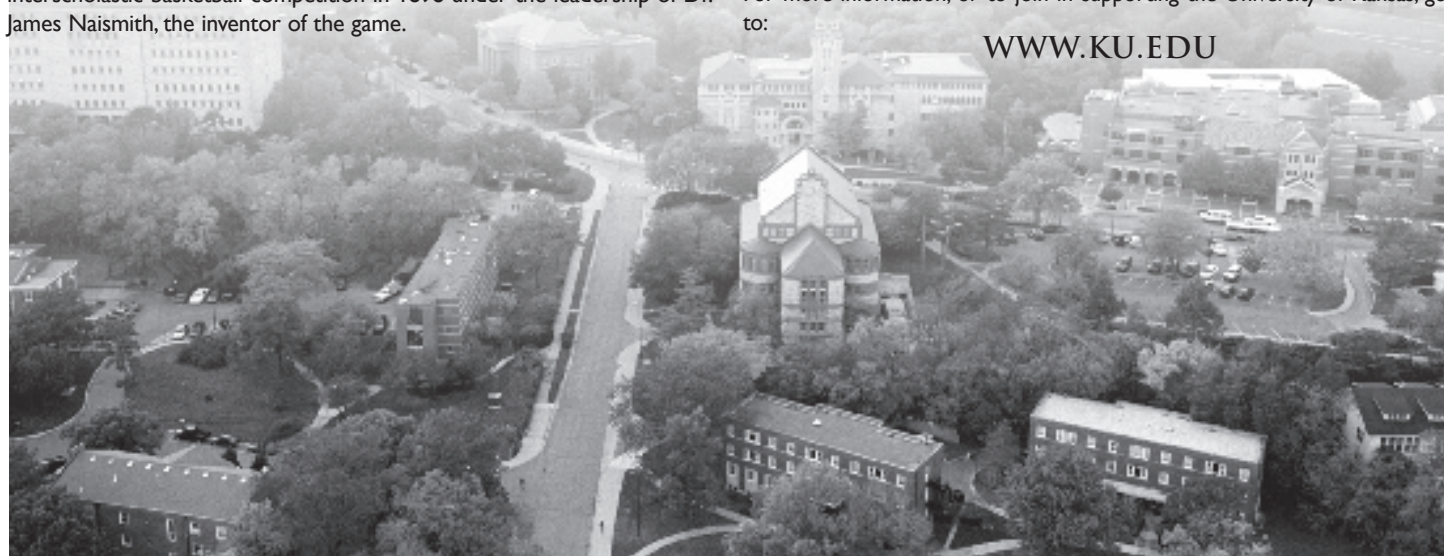
KU teachers have earned international distinction: 12 have been elected national academy members, 33 are fellows of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and 283 have received Fulbright awards for international study since 1950. Astronaut Steve Hawley, a Salina native and KU graduate, will return to Lawrence in fall 2008 to join the Department of Physics and Astronomy. He'll teach students and travel the state emphasizing the importance of science education.

Led by these world-class teachers, KU students have achieved an impressive record of major honors: 25 Rhodes, 406 Fulbright, 45 Goldwater, 24 Mellon, 16 Truman, 16 Udall and nine Marshall scholarships. Architecture magazine has twice bestowed its "Home of the Year" award on KU student-built projects. The debate team has won four national titles. Journalism and math students have placed first in their respective collegiate competitions.

The attractiveness of KU to outstanding high school graduates is reflected in the current student body. In fall 2007, 30 percent of KU first-time freshmen scored 27 or higher on the ACT or converted SAT equivalent. Nationally, 15 percent of ACT test takers scored 27 or above. The average freshman ACT score of 24.6 is a record high for KU, well above the national average of 22. Last fall, KU enrolled 35 National Merit scholars, eight National Hispanic scholars and two National Achievement scholars.

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# THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS



## PATH-BREAKING RESEARCH

KU is known for bioscience research in areas such as cancer, vaccines and Parkinson's disease. The KU Cancer Center seeks to heighten Kansans' access to breakthrough treatments by becoming a designated National Cancer Institute Comprehensive Cancer Center. Strong programs in drug development and delivery are fueled by the School of Pharmacy, which is No. 1 in the nation in portion of faculty funded by the prestigious National Institutes of Health, and No. 4 overall in funding. KU's total research expenditures in all disciplines reached \$289 million in 2007.

There are 19 KU-developed technologies in the marketplace and nearly 70 new invention disclosures a year. Professors across campus are researching critical topics such as climate change, monarch migration, payday lending businesses and avian flu. KU students contribute to major research, too. One student studied why — despite the risks — people talk on cell phones while driving.

## DEEP ANALYSIS OF KU

A nationwide study by Indiana University, the "Documenting Effective Educational Practice" report, in 2004 lauded KU as a progressive research university that thoroughly engaged students in the learning process. "Many other colleges and universities will benefit from learning about KU policies and practice," the DEEP report stated.

## UNIVERSITY STATISTICS

- 20,298 undergraduates and 5,321 graduate students at the Lawrence and Edwards campuses; 2,918 students at the KU Medical Center in Kansas City, Kan.
- More than 100 fields of study and more than 100 opportunities to study abroad are offered to students.
- \$165 million in financial aid and scholarships went to more than 16,000 students in 2007-08.

## STUDENT STATISTICS

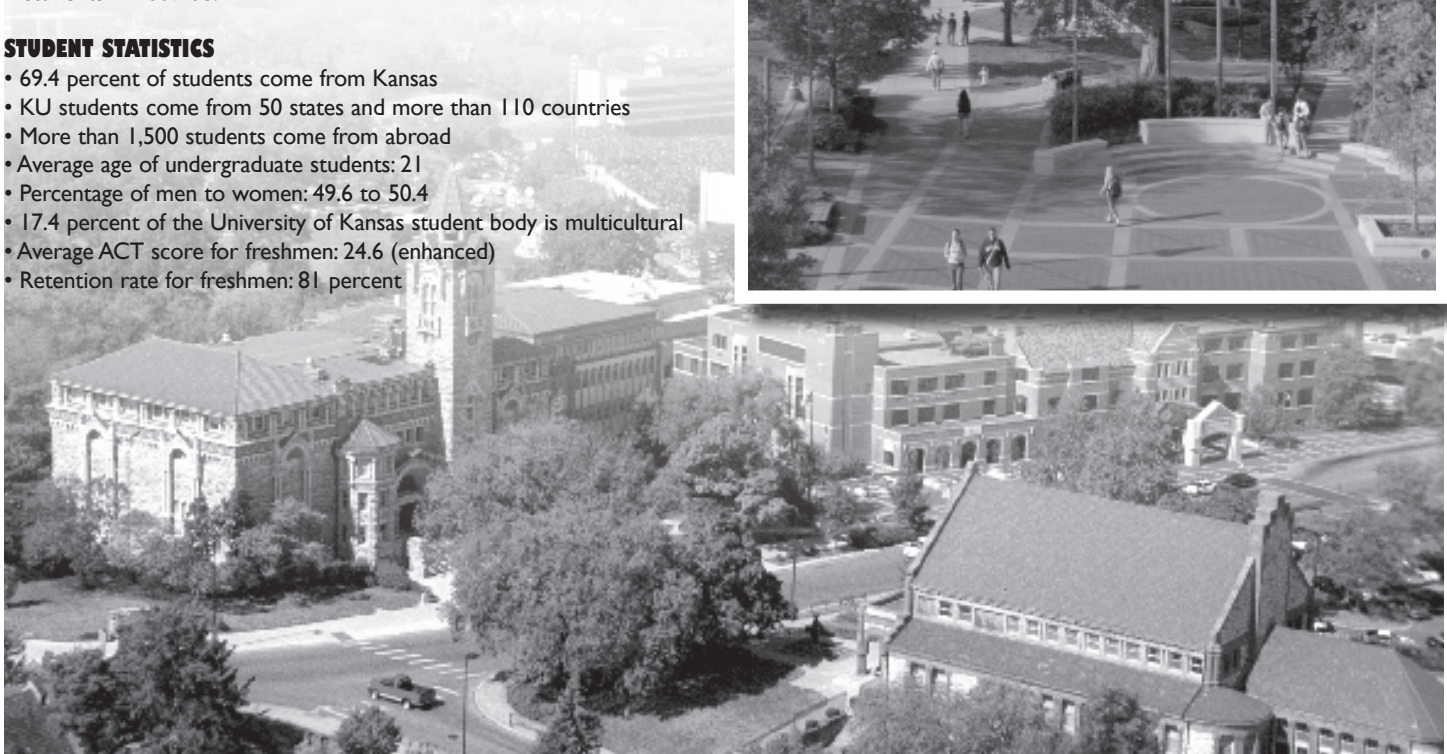
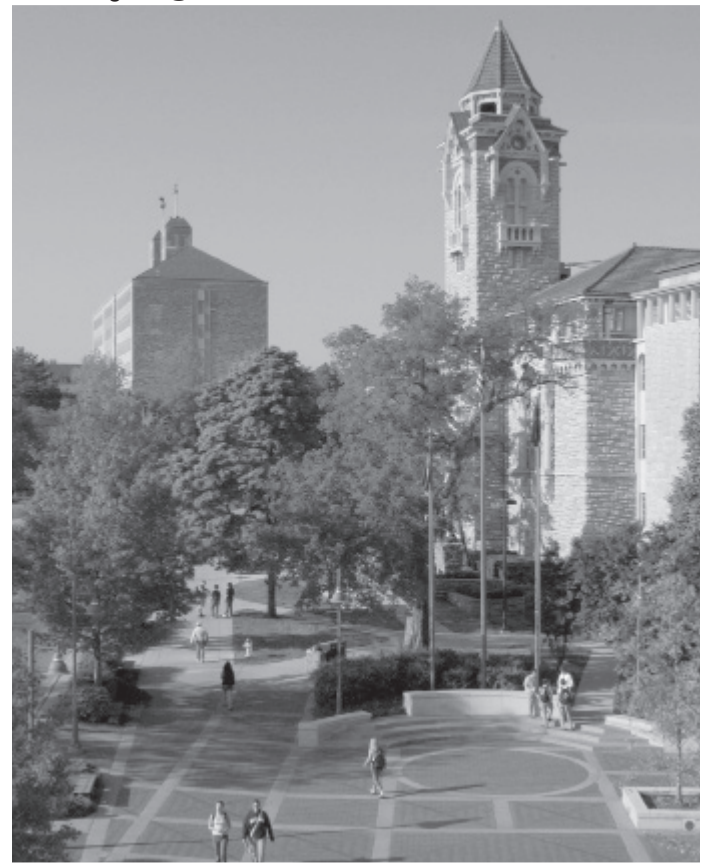
- 69.4 percent of students come from Kansas
- KU students come from 50 states and more than 110 countries
- More than 1,500 students come from abroad
- Average age of undergraduate students: 21
- Percentage of men to women: 49.6 to 50.4
- 17.4 percent of the University of Kansas student body is multicultural
- Average ACT score for freshmen: 24.6 (enhanced)
- Retention rate for freshmen: 81 percent

## KU TUITION & FEES

In fall 2007, KU initiated its groundbreaking Four-Year Tuition Compact for incoming freshmen. Under the compact, incoming freshmen will have no tuition increases for four years, the time it takes to complete most bachelor's degree programs. For more information, visit [www.tuition.ku.edu](http://www.tuition.ku.edu).

## VISIT KU

The KU Visitor Center at 15th and Iowa streets is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and on select weekends. Check out the many visit options available by logging on to [www.admissions.ku.edu](http://www.admissions.ku.edu), calling (785) 864-3911 or e-mailing [visit@ku.edu](mailto:visit@ku.edu).







# ATHLETIC SUCCESS



**KATIE MARTINCICH**  
2007 Big 12 Female Athlete of the Year

**AQIB TALIB**  
First Round Draft Pick by Tampa Bay  
Consensus All-American  
2008 FedEx Orange Bowl MVP

**ERIK MORRISON**  
Drafted by the Texas Rangers  
Two-Time All-Big 12 Honorable Mention

**DANIELLE MCCRAY**  
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention

**MEN'S BASKETBALL**  
2008 National Champions  
Big 12 Champions Three-Straight Years



# ATHLETIC SUCCESS

**EMILY POWERS**  
U.S. Women's Open Qualifier  
All-Big 12 Selection

**CRYSTAL MANNING**  
NCAA Outdoor All-American  
Big 12 Indoor Long Jump & Triple Jump  
Champion

**MAGDALENA TOKARCZYK**  
All-Big 12 First Team Singles

**COLBY WISSEL**  
Two-Time All-American  
Three-Time All-Big 12 Selection

**FOOTBALL**  
2008 FedEx Orange Bowl Champs  
School record 12 wins in 2008

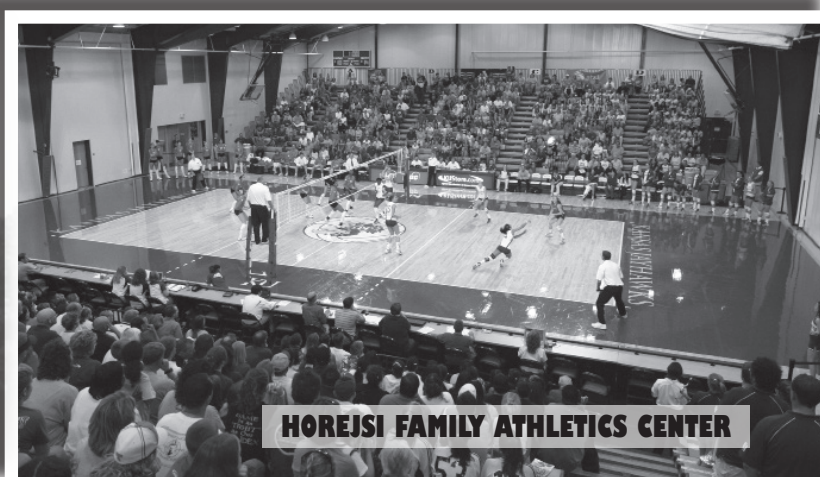




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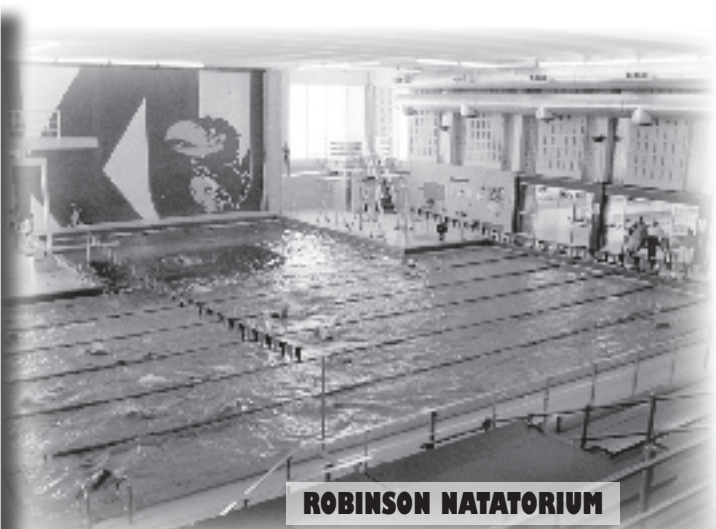
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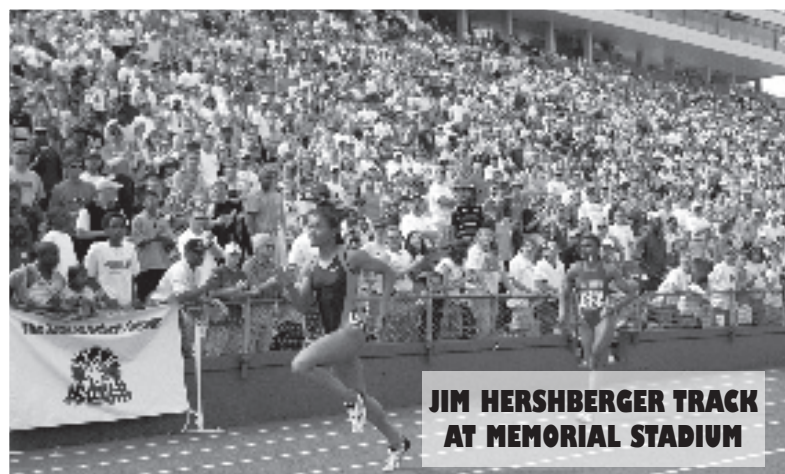
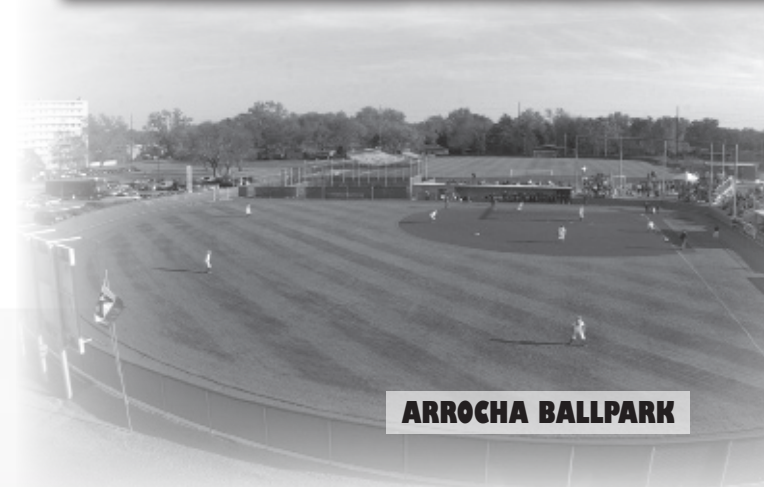
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# ATHLETIC FACILITIES







# ATHLETIC DIRECTOR LEW PERKINS



Lew Perkins has served as Director of Athletics at the University of Kansas since June 2003. He arrived at KU after achieving nationally recognized success as athletics director at the University of Connecticut. Kansas Athletics has experienced tremendous growth and success during Perkins' short tenure.

- In the spring of 2008, the student-athletes in KU's 18-sport program achieved unprecedented success in the classroom. Eleven KU teams posted 3.0 grade-point averages or better and 282 student-athletes on active rosters (58 percent) posted a 3.0 GPA or higher, including 58 with perfect 4.0 GPA's. Kansas student-athletes

earned a combined 3.03 grade-point average during the 2008 spring semester, setting an Athletics Department-record for a spring semester.

- The football team won the 2008 Orange Bowl, capping a school-record 12-win season, and the team has been bowl-eligible in four of the last five years;
- The men's basketball team won the 2008 NCAA Men's Basketball Championship, reached the Elite Eight of the 2004 and 2007 NCAA Championships and has won the last three Big 12 Conference regular-season championships, as well as the last two Big 12 tournament titles;
- The women's volleyball team has appeared in three NCAA tournaments, reaching the second round in 2003 and 2004;
- The women's soccer team has appeared in two NCAA tournaments, reaching the Sweet 16 in 2003;
- The softball team won the Big 12 Championship in 2006 and reached the NCAA tournament for the second straight season;
- The baseball team won the Big 12 Championship in 2006 and reached the NCAA tournament for the first time since 1994;
- The women's basketball team reached the 2008 and 2006 Women's National Invitation Tournament;
- Several track-and-field student-athletes have won NCAA titles, and many have received All-America and All-Big 12 honors.

Kansas Athletics fundraising has reached unprecedented levels. Under Perkins, KU's \$27-million athletics budget has grown to more than \$55 million. That fundraising, including landmark apparel and corporate-partner contracts, has resulted in greater services for KU coaches and student-athletes, and numerous upgrades in KU's athletics facilities:

- The Booth Family Hall of Athletics, which opened in January 2006 in Allen Fieldhouse, celebrates the tradition and history of Kansas Athletics; a beautiful Kansas Athletics Hall of Fame exhibit was unveiled in the Hall of Athletics in February 2008.
- The spirit and aura of Allen Fieldhouse has been enhanced by renovations that were completed prior to the 2005-06 season and include freshly painted bleachers, new windows, new lighting and sound systems, and a new center-hung scoreboard, which includes a large, state-of-the-art video board;
- The baseball complex now includes an indoor hitting facility and a new scoreboard, complete with a large, state-of-the-art video board;
- The Anderson Family Football Complex and two new practice fields - adjacent to Kivisto Field at Memorial Stadium - have recently been completed;
- A new Aquatic Rehabilitation Center houses three Hydroworx pools that enhance rehabilitation efforts under the guidance and supervision of the University of Kansas Sports Medicine Staff.

Perkins has served on many NCAA, Big 12 Conference and other prestigious committees, including the Basketball Issues Committee. At the conference level,

Perkins has served as Chair of the Big 12 Board of Athletics Directors and as a member of the Big 12 Television Committee. In spring 2005 he was named to the Board of Directors of the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame. Additionally, he is a member of the Gatorade Board of Directors.

At Connecticut (1990-2003), Perkins was instrumental in guiding UConn athletics to impressive growth - athletically, academically and financially. His leadership influenced six NCAA Division I National Championships.

He was rewarded in 2000 as the inaugural winner of the National Athletic Director of the Year Award as selected by Street & Smith's Sports Business Journal, in conjunction with the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA).

A native of Chelsea, Mass., Perkins was inducted into his high school Hall of Fame in 1989. A highly recruited basketball player, he played at the University of Iowa (1965-67) for Hall of Fame coach and KU graduate Ralph Miller. Perkins earned his undergraduate degree there in 1967.

Perkins served as Director of Athletics (1969-80) and head basketball coach (1969-79) at the University of South Carolina Aiken as that institution grew from a junior college to a four-year institution. He received his master's degree in education (1975) from the University of South Carolina. Perkins delivered the commencement address and received an honorary Doctor of Education degree at USC Aiken in May 2005. Perkins also has served as athletics director at the University of Maryland and Wichita State University, and associate director of athletics at the University of Pennsylvania.

Perkins is married to the former Gwen Flaum. Like Lew, Gwen earned an undergraduate degree from Iowa and a master's degree in education from the University of South Carolina. They have two daughters - Amy (husband Brandon Macneill) and Holly - and two granddaughters (Caroline and Alexandra Macneill).



*Athletic Director Lew Perkins with wife, Gwen, and dog, Benson.*

# CHANCELLOR DR. ROBERT HEMENWAY



Robert Hemenway's life has been marked by accomplishment as an administrator, teacher and scholar.

As the 16th chancellor of the University of Kansas, he is the chief executive of the university, which includes the main campus in Lawrence, the KU Medical Center in Kansas City, Kansas, the Edwards Campus in Overland Park and the School of Medicine-Wichita, along with facilities in Garden City, Hays, Parsons, Pittsburg, Topeka and Yoder.

Under Hemenway's leadership, a growing number of KU academic programs have received national recognition, and the achievements of faculty and students have cemented KU's position as an international research university. U.S. News & World Report ranks 12 KU graduate programs in the top 10 nationwide and 26 in the top 25. KU's graduate programs in city management and urban policy and special education are ranked first in the nation.

KU enrolls more Kansans than any other university, with 70 percent of its more than 29,000 students coming from the Sunflower State. The diverse student body is highly talented, with an average ACT score well above the national average. KU students regularly win the nation's most prestigious awards, including Rhodes, Goldwater, Marshall, Fulbright, National Science Foundation and Udall scholarships. In intercollegiate competitions, KU students excel — the men's basketball team was the 2008 NCAA Champions, the debate team ranked first in the nation for the 2007-08 season, the journalism program was first in the Hearst writing competition and the football team was the victor in the 2008 Orange Bowl.

Research at KU, a major source of Kansas economic growth, has climbed steadily, reaching \$289 million in fiscal year 2007. The university's No. 1 research priority is to achieve National Cancer Institute designation for the KU Cancer Center at the KU Medical Center in Kansas City. This designation will lead to superior cancer research and care for citizens throughout the state and region.

As a public institution, KU remains focused on working for the people of Kansas. KU doctors treat patients throughout the state, during medical outreach trips and via telemedicine. KU researchers measure groundwater levels in western Kansas, while law enforcement officers trained by KU's Kansas Law Enforcement Training Center protect Kansans in every county.

Leaders of other universities recognize Hemenway's administrative talents. In November 2007, he was elected to the 11-member executive committee for the Association of American Universities, an organization representing the nation's most prestigious research universities. He has also served on the board of directors for the American Council on Education, the National Association of State and Land Grant Colleges and the NCAA Division I Board

of Directors, which he chaired from 2002 to 2005.

Hemenway remains a committed scholar and teacher. He is known for his biography of African-American novelist Zora Neale Hurston, a "Best Books" pick by the New York Times in 1978 and a Quality Paperback Book Club selection in 1991. Hemenway also stays connected to the classroom, most recently teaching an honors seminar on global poverty.

Hemenway grew up in Hastings, Nebraska. Before becoming chancellor of KU, he served as chancellor of the University of Kentucky. Hemenway and his wife, Leah, live in the Outlook, the KU chancellor's official residence. Four of the chancellor's eight children are KU graduates. The Hemenways have seven grandchildren.

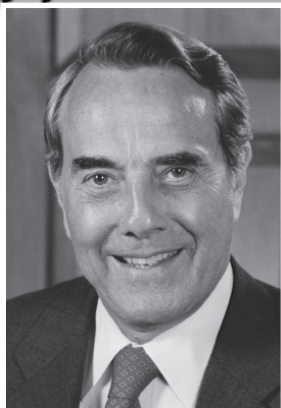


*Chancellor Hemenway with KU Athletic Director Lew Perkins visiting the Booth Family Hall of Athletics.*





# FAMOUS ALUMNI



**Bob Dole**

**Harold Arlin**

First play-by-play man for an MLB game on radio

**K.S. "Bud" Adams**

Owner, Tennessee Titans

**Stuart Bailey**

Producer of "The Daily Show"

**Nancy Kassebaum Baker**

U.S. Senator

**Scott Bakula**

Actor, (TV's "Quantum Leap," "Star Trek: Enterprise")

**Kay Waldo Barnes**

First female mayor of Kansas City, Mo.

**Etta Moten Barnett**

Actress and singer - First African-American woman to entertain at the White House

**Linda Zarda Cook**

Executive Director of Shell Gas & Power and former CEO of Shell Canada. Named one of the most successful businesswomen in Europe.

**Wilt Chamberlain**

Basketball Hall of Famer

**Bob Dole**

Former U.S. Senator and presidential candidate

**Bob Eaton**

Chair of Chrysler Corp.

**Paul Ehrlich**

Environmental scientist, population expert and author ("The Population Bomb"). Also a MacArthur Fellow recipient.

**Joe Engle**

NASA astronaut on first shuttle flight

**Ron Evans**

NASA astronaut on Apollo 17

**Alex Graves**

Executive producer, ("West Wing")



**Kathleen Sebelius**

**Moses Gunn**

Actor ("Heartbreak Ridge" and "Roots")

**Ann Hamilton**

Sculptor, MacArthur "Genius" Fellow recipient

**Steve Hawley**

NASA astronaut

**Kevin Helliker**

Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist

**David Hillis**

Evolutionary biologist and MacArthur "Genius" Fellow

**William Inge**

Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright ("The Dark at the Top of the Stairs," "Come Back, Little Sheba," "Picnic," "Splendor in the Grass")

**Clarence Kelly**

Former head of FBI

**Rebecca Kolls**

Gardening expert (HGTV's "Rebecca's Garden," ABC's "Good Morning America")

**Bill Kurtis**

Journalist and producer (A&E's "Investigative Reports," "American Justice")

**Delano Lewis**

Former National Public Radio CEO and Ambassador to South Africa

**Elmer V. McCollum**

Scientist, discovered vitamins A, B and D

**Billy Mills**

Olympic gold medalist in track (only American to win the 10,000-meters medal)

**Lou Montulli**

Co-founder of Netscape

**Alan Mulally**

President and CEO of Ford Motor Company

**Al Oerter**

Four-time Olympic Gold Medalist



**Gale Sayers**

**Sara Paretsky**

Best-selling mystery writer (V.I. Warshawski series)

**Mandy Patinkin**

Actor ("Yentl," "The Princess Bride"; TV's "Chicago Hope" and "Criminal Minds")

**Paul Rudd**

Actor ("Anchorman", "The 40 Year-Old Virgin", "Role Models")

**Jim Ryun**

Three-time U.S. track Olympian and world-record miler, U.S. House of Representatives

**Gale Sayers**

Chicago Bears football star

**Kathleen Sebelius**

Governor of Kansas

**Gerald Seib**

Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist

**Douglas Shane**

Director of Flight Operations for SpaceShipOne, first private manned space program

**Dean Smith**

College basketball's second winningest coach

**Vernon Smith**

Nobel Prize laureate in economics

**Deanell Reece Tacha**

Chief judge of the U. S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit

**Clyde Tombaugh**

Scientist, discovered the dwarfed planet Pluto

**Kent Whealy**

Founder of the Seed Savers Exchange, MacArthur Fellow

**William Allen White**

Journalist, Pulitzer Prize winner

**Lynette Woodard**

First female Harlem Globetrotter. All-time leading scorer in college women's basketball history.



**Steve Hawley**



# KANSAS CITY



Kansas City knows how to entertain visitors. After all, from its beginnings this city has a rich history of delighting travelers with flashy amusement parks and innovative shopping areas. Whether you are visiting the home of Hallmark Cards or watching a “hog” being assembled at the Harley-Davidson Final Assembly Plant, today’s traveler will find a multitude of diverse and fun attractions.

Thrill-seekers of all ages love the side-by-side theme parks, Worlds of Fun and Oceans of Fun. Modeled after the tale, “Around the World in Eighty Days,” Worlds of Fun features more than 50 rides, shows and attractions. Catch more than 60-acres of surf, sand and fun at Oceans of Fun, the Midwest’s largest tropically-themed water park. For a wild time, head to the Kansas City Zoo where hundreds of exotic animals reside in their natural habitats.

Lawrence is located roughly 35 minutes west of downtown K.C.



The Truman Sports Complex is home to major league sports action for the Kansas City Chiefs, Royals and Wizards at the side-by-side Arrowhead and Kauffman stadiums.

In Kansas City, Kan., just off I-70 sits the Kansas Speedway which hosts NASCAR’s premier series, the NEXTEL Cup Series. It also brings the superstars of the Indy Racing League’s IndyCar Series, the NASCAR Busch and Craftsman Truck Series and ARCA’s RE/MAX Series to Kansas City, Kan., for an exciting season of heart-pounding motorsports action.



## Country Club Plaza

No trip to Kansas City is complete without a visit to the Plaza.

This 14-square-block outdoor shopping and entertainment district boasts romantic Spanish architecture, European art and dazzling fountains. Designed in 1922, the Plaza features boutiques and fashionable national stores as well as distinctive restaurants, outdoor cafés and nightlife hotspots.





# LAWRENCE, KAN.



## LAWRENCE QUICK FACTS

- Lawrence Population: 81,816
- Annual Average High Temperature: 67
- Annual Average Low Temperature: 45
- Annual Average Precipitation: 37"



## ABOUT LAWRENCE

- Lawrence is conveniently located on Interstate 70 between Kansas City and Topeka (state capital). Kansas Highway 10 connects Lawrence to the south Kansas City metroplex. Highway 59 serves as the city's north and south access, and Highway 40 runs parallel to Interstate 70 east and west.
- Lawrence was founded in 1854 by the New England Emigrant Aid Society in an effort to keep the territory free from slavery. It is said that it is one of the few cities in the United States founded strictly for political reasons.
- Lawrence boasts the most vibrant downtown shopping district in Kansas. Many have called Massachusetts Street one of the most beautiful main streets in America.
- Lawrence is ranked No. 8 in The 100 Best Small Arts Towns in America by John Villani.
- Both the Oregon and Sante Fe Trails run through parts of Lawrence and Douglas County.
- Lawrence streets are named after the states in the order they came into the Union, beginning with Delaware.
- Massachusetts was designated the "Main" street because Lawrence's founders were from Massachusetts.
- Lawrence is a city literally bustling with activity. You'll find a wide array of exciting cultural, educational and entertainment opportunities everywhere you look.
- Downtown Lawrence radiates with a cool mix of shopping, nightlife and history.
- Lawrence festivals provide a wealth of musical offerings. Music is a staple in the Lawrence community. The sounds of local talent can be heard echoing through the city's streets both day and night.





# LAWRENCE, KAN.



## THE SPORTING NEWS SELECTED LAWRENCE AS ONE OF THE 50-BEST SPORTS TOWNS IN NORTH AMERICA IN A RECENT REPORT.

Lawrence is not just another college community. It presents the easy-going feeling of a smaller town combined with big city cultural opportunities. A population of 81,816 that comes from widely diverse backgrounds makes Lawrence an outstanding place to live and raise a family.

*Psychology Today* calls Lawrence one of the 25 least-stressful cities in which to live. A community that supports the University of Kansas with its heart and soul, Lawrence envelopes the students so they too think of Lawrence as their own hometown.

Lawrence is well known for the arts, alternative music and downtown shops, galleries and restaurants.



## DISTANCE CHART (FROM LAWRENCE TO...)

Topeka, Kan.....	27 miles
Kansas City.....	35 miles
Manhattan, Kan.....	91 miles
Wichita, Kan.....	161 miles
Omaha, Neb.....	187 miles
Oklahoma City, Okla.....	298 miles
St. Louis, Mo.....	301 miles
Dallas, Texas.....	444 miles
Little Rock, Ark.....	466 miles
Denver, Colo. ....	542 miles
Chicago, Ill.....	578 miles
Houston, Texas.....	744 miles
San Antonio, Texas.....	780 miles
Cleveland, Ohio .....	867 miles
New York, N.Y. ....	1,240 miles
Orlando, Fla.....	1,286 miles
San Diego, Calif. ....	1,735 miles

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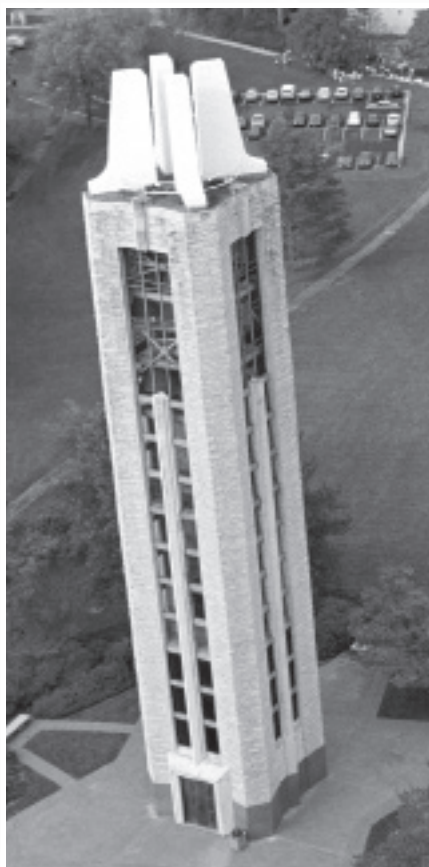


# JAYHAWK TRADITIONS

## THE ROCK CHALK CHANT

The Rock Chalk Chant has been the battle cry of KU fans for more than 80 years. This strange, traditional chant, which is among the most famous of all college cheers, was started by E.H.S. Bailey, a professor of chemistry. Bailey wanted a cheer for his Science Club. Returning from a convention in Wichita, Bailey and some associates patterned a yell after the rhythmic cadence of their train rolling along the tracks. On May 21, 1886, Bailey submitted the cheer to his club. Even though there was no football team at KU until 1890, the Rock Chalk Chant tradition steadily grew.

Before the University adopted the cheer in 1897, it consisted of "Rah, Rah, Jayhawk, KU" being repeated three times. An English professor soon suggested that "Rock Chalk" be substituted for "Rah, Rah" because it rhymed with Jayhawk. "Rock Chalk" was also symbolic of the chalky limestone formations found on Mount Oread. Professor Bailey would be amazed to hear 50,000 Jayhawk football fans shouting the cheer he gave his Science Club in 1886; a cheer that Teddy Roosevelt said was the best he had ever heard.



## CAMPANILE HILL

Campanile Hill forms the picturesque backdrop for Memorial Stadium. On a sunny fall Saturday, the "Hill" is transformed into a congregating place for watching Jayhawk football, sunning and barbecuing. Potter Lake, just to the southeast of Memorial Stadium and at the bottom of Campanile Hill, adds to the beauty of the Kansas campus.

## WAVING THE WHEAT

Since the early days of KU football, it has been a ritual of Jayhawk fans to "wave the wheat" following every Kansas scoring drive. The ritual consists of fans waving their arms in the air, an activity which, when done by a large Memorial Stadium crowd, resembles a breezy Kansas wheat field.

## THE NICKNAME

During the Civil War a regiment raised by Kansas Governor Charles Robinson called itself the "Independent Mounted Jayhawks" (later officially the First Kansas Calvary and then the Seventh Kansas Regiment). By the end of the Civil War the word Jayhawk was associated with the spirit of camaraderie and the courageous fighting qualities that characterized efforts to keep Kansas a free state.

By 1886, the University of Kansas had adopted the mythical bird as part of the KU yell. When the university's football team first took the field in 1890, it seemed only natural that they should be called Jayhawkers. Few colleges and universities have such a meaningful symbol, one so deeply associated with the struggles of the people who founded them.

## THE FIGHT SONG

George "Dumpy" Bowles, a student with the class of 1912, longed to make a great contribution to KU spirit, but wasn't athletic enough to do historic deeds on the athletic field. He turned to music and produced some outstanding student musical shows.

A song in one of these shows was "I'm a Jayhawk." Written in 1912, it was dormant until 1920 when a growth in school spirit brought out "I'm a Jayhawk" once more. The song contributed to the raising of funds to build both the stadium and union as World War I memorials. The 1926 glee club made it known nationally.