



STANFORD CARDINAL

2007-08 Men's Golf



NCAA Champs: '38, '39, '41, '42, '46, '53, '94, '07

DATE EVENT RESULT

SEPTEMBER.....

4-6 Topy Cup, Tanapura, Japan
3rd, 282-276-289-847

30- Oct. 1 Fighting Illini Invite, Chicago, Ill.
5th, 293-286-297-876

OCTOBER.....

15-16 The Prestige, La Quinta, Calif.
2nd, 285-293-284-862

21-23 Isleworth-UCF Invite, Windermere, Fla.
9th, 291-291-297-879

NOVEMBER.....

5-7 CordeValle Collegiate, San Martin, Calif.
2nd, 363-362-354-1079

DECEMBER.....

JANUARY.....

FEBRUARY.....

6-8 Taylor Made UH-Hilo Invite, Kona, Hawaii
1st, 275-263-275-813

MARCH.....

3-4 Ashworth Collegiate Invite, Westlake Village, Calif.
3rd, 305-297-288-890
24-26 U.S. Collegiate Champ., Alpharetta, Ga.
11th, 310-301-286-897

APRIL.....

19-20 U.S. Intercollegiate Champ., Stanford, Calif.
2nd, 279-293-269-841
28-30 Pac-10 Championships, San Rafael, Calif.
5th, 350-357-380-357-1444

MAY.....

15-17 NCAA West Regionals, Bremerton, Wash.
6th, 296-297-285-878
28-31 NCAA Championships, West Lafayette, Ind.
SU begins at 1:17 p.m. Wednesday

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2008 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

No. 6 Stanford Cardinal

West Lafayette, Ind.

Wednesday, May 28- Saturday, May 31

1:17 p.m. ET

Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex-The Kampen Course
Par-72 / 7,431 yards

Up Next

The No. 6 Stanford men's golf team will begin play at the four-day, 72-hole 2008 NCAA Division I Championships Wednesday, May 28 at the Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex in West Lafayette, Ind. The Cardinal will be looking to repeat as national champions and win their ninth title overall.

For the team title, five golfers from each team will play each day, with the top-four scores counting toward the team total for the round. All 30 teams will compete in the first three rounds, but only the top 15 teams will play in the fourth and final round. The six individual golfers will play in all four rounds. The first round of action begins with tee times (determined by seeding) starting at 7 a.m. ET on Wednesday, May 28. Thursday's tee times will also be determined by seeding, while Friday's tee times will be based on the 36-hole score for each team.

The Field

30 teams and six individuals will be competing for a chance to be called an NCAA Champion. Stanford received the No. 10 seed in the tournament. Also qualifying for the championships (in order by seed) is No. 3 USC, No. 1 Georgia, No. 17 Wake Forest, No. 5 Oklahoma State, No. 14 Clemson, No. 7 Florida, No. 4 UCLA, No. 27 UAB, No. 2 Alabama, No. 6 Stanford, No. 16 Auburn, No. 8 Charlotte, No. 18 Texas A&M, No. 10 East Tennessee State, No. 24 Indiana, No. 44 Oregon, No. 43 Augusta State, No. 42 UC Irvine, No. 47 Illinois, No. 23 Louisville, No. 38 Mississippi State, Washington, No. 50 St. Mary's (Calif.), No. 19 Arizona State, No. 33 Kent State, No. 40 Penn State, 36 San Diego State, No. 31 Texas, No. 49 Middle Tennessee State and Virginia. The individuals in the field are James Sackey of TCU, Eric Shriver of Pepperdine, Joel Sjolholm from Georgia State, who is ranked No. 4 as an individual, Derek Tolan from Colorado, No. 45 Jurrian Van Der Vaart of Virginia Tech and Dan Woltman of Wisconsin.

Stanford So Far In 2007-08

Stanford has accumulated two top-10 and eight top-five finishes in 11 tournaments this year, winning the UH-Hilo Invitational on February 8. The Cardinal most recently finished sixth at the 2008 NCAA West Regional. The team is averaging 303.1 strokes per round, and has shot a low round of 263 and a tournament-low of 813.

Stanford In The NCAA Tournament

This is the fourth trip to the NCAA Championships in the last 10 seasons for the Cardinal. Last year, Stanford won its eighth team title. Two Cardinal golfers have won individual championships: Sandy Tatum in 1942 and Tiger Woods in 1996.

Name	Rank	Yr.	Hometown	Last School
Joseph Bramlett	127	So.	Saratoga, Calif.	St. Francis HS
Graham Brockington	559	Fr.	Laguna Niguel, Calif.	Dana Hills HS
Jordan Cox	171	So.	Redwood Shores, Calif.	Junipero Serra
Rob Grube	22	Sr.	Hinsdale, Ill.	Stevenson School (CA)
Dodge Kemmer	301	Jr.	Wichita, Kan.	The Independent School
Matt Kennerknecht	-	Fr.	Vienna, Va.	Flint Hill School
Sihwan Kim	10	Fr.	Buena Park, Calif.	Sunny Hills HS
Daniel Lim	564	Jr.	Cupertino, Calif.	Bellarmino College Prep
Steve Ziegler	124	Fr.	Broomfield, Colo.	Legacy HS
Head Coach:	Conrad Ray (Stanford '97) - 4th season			
Assistant Coaches:	Matt Tight (Pepperdine) - 1st season			

*** as of May 19, 2008

GOLF WEEK TEAM RANKINGS

Rank	Team
1.	Georgia
2.	Alabama
3.	Southern California
4.	UCLA
5.	Oklahoma State
6.	Stanford
7.	Florida
8.	Charlotte
9.	Georgia Tech
10.	Tennessee
11.	Florida State
12.	Chattanooga
13.	South Carolina
14.	Clemson
14.	Duke
16.	Auburn
17.	Wake Forest
18.	Texas A&M
19.	Arizona State
20.	East Tennessee State
21.	Michigan State
22.	UNLV
23.	Louisville
24.	Indiana
25.	Texas Tech
26.	Wichita State
27.	UAB
28.	Lamar
29.	North Carolina
30.	UCF

GOLF WEEK INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS

Rank	Team	School
1.	Rickie Fowler	Oklahoma State
2.	Michael Thompson	Alabama
3.	Kevin Chappell	UCLA
4.	Joel Sjöholm	Georgia State
5.	Jamie Lovemark	Southern Calif.
6.	Rory Hie	Southern Calif.
7.	Jonas Blixt	Florida State
8.	Webb Simpson	Wake Forest
9.	Chesson Hadley	Georgia Tech
10.	SiHwan Kim	Stanford
11.	Adam Mitchell	Georgia
12.	Gareth Shaw	E. Tenn. State
13.	Russell Henley	Georgia
14.	Jorge Campillo	Indiana
15.	Troy Merritt	Boise State
16.	Zack Sucher	UAB
17.	Billy Horschel	Florida
18.	Harris English	Georgia
19.	Ryan Spears	Wichita State
20.	Charlie Holland	Texas
21.	Jonas Enanderhedin	Charlotte
22.	Rob Grube	Stanford
23.	Tyler Brown	Florida
23.	Hudson Swafford	Georgia
24.	Jhared Hack	UCF
25.	Erik Flores	UCLA
26.	Matthew Swan	Alabama
27.	Jay Moseley	Auburn
28.	Derek Fathauer	Louisville
29.	Jonathan Hodge	Chattanooga
30.	Andrew Putnam	Pepperdine

STANFORD CARDINAL QUINTET 2008 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

Freshmen Steve Ziegler will hit the first drive for the Cardinal from the Hole No. 1 tee at 1:17 pm on Wednesday. Following him ten minutes later will be sophomore Jordan Cox. Junior Dodge Kemmer will begin at 1:36 p.m., senior Rob Grube at 1:46 p.m., and freshman SiHwan Kim at 1:55 p.m. Thursday's tee-off order will remain the same, but the Cardinal will start from Hole No. 10 at 8:07 a.m.

SIHWAN KIM

2008 Pac-10 Freshman of the Year and first-team All-Pac-10 honoree Kim is the highest ranked Cardinal golfer, checking in at No. 10. He has taken to the fairways in every tournament Stanford has played thus far and holds the lowest stroke average of the team (71.4). He has amassed one even-par and 16 under-par rounds in 34 outings and has finished in the top-10 six times and the top-25 four times. His best finish came at the CordeValle Collegiate in November when he tied for individual crown with two other golfers. He also holds the team's best low-round with 63 strokes, and is tied with teammate Grube for a tournament-low 199.

ROB GRUBE

No. 22 Grube was awarded his fourth consecutive first-team All-Pac-10 award at the Pac-10 Championships, and was most recently named the Pac-10 Men's Golf Scholar Athlete of the Year. In 11 tournaments this season, he has five top-10 and four top-25 finishes. His two best places came at the Pac-10 Championships (T3) and also at the UH-Hilo Invitational, where he tied for second with teammate Kim and shot his round and tournament lows of 65 and 199. He is currently averaging 71.9 strokes per round, and has notched three even-par and 12 under-par rounds.

STEVE ZIEGLER

Ziegler has had a sensational rookie campaign. The All-Pac-10 honorable mention golfer improved immensely over the spring, showing he can golf with the best. His best finish was a tie for seventh at the U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational. He is averaging 73.6 strokes per round and has shot two even-par rounds and six under-par rounds, including two consecutive under-par rounds at the 2008 Pac-10 Championships, where he aced the 11th hole in the second round. He has a low-round best of 65 and a tournament-low of 211.

JORDAN COX

Cox has shot 28 rounds in nine events for the Cardinal, and is currently shooting 73.5 strokes per round. He has shot even-par nine times, and under-par on four occasions. He has two top-10 and two top-25 performances. His round and tournament lows are 68 and 210, respectively.

DODGE KEMMER

Kemmer has played in all but one event this year for Stanford, and is averaging 74.6 strokes per round. He has recorded one even-par round, and five under-par rounds. He boasts two top-10 and two top-25 finishes, while stroking a low round of 66 and tournament-low 214.

THE KNOWLES FAMILY DIRECTOR OF MEN'S GOLF, HEAD COACH CONRAD RAY

Last season, Ray helmed one of the most successful Stanford teams in history, guiding the Cardinal to its first national title since 1994. Ray, a member of that 1994 squad, is one of the elite few NCAA head coaches to have won an NCAA title as both an athlete and coach. Under Ray's guidance, the Cardinal led wire-to-wire at the 2007 NCAA Championships in Williamsburg, Va. and claimed an eighth national title for the program. The 12-stroke victory capped an impressive season, during which the squad won seven tournaments and earned a No. 1 national ranking. All five Stanford golfers were named All-Americans at the conclusion of the season, the most to earn the honor in a single-season in program history. Additionally, the squad produced an Academic All-American, three Pac-10 All-Academic honorees, five All-Conference selections, five All-Region selections and a GCAA All-Freshman selection. Ray was named the 2007 Pac-10 Coach of the Year, the Pacific Regional Coach of the Year and the Dave Williams/Eaton Golfpride National Coach of the Year following the 2007 campaign.

In 2005-06, Ray's second year at the helm of the program, the Cardinal posted ten top-10 finishes and advanced to the NCAA West Regional in Tucson, Ariz. Sophomore Rob Grube was tabbed Pac-10 Co-Player of the Year and was honored as an All-American for the second time in his career.

In his first season on the Farm, Ray led his squad its first NCAA Championship appearance since 2001. Under Ray's leadership, Stanford tied for 18th overall while freshman Rob Grube tied for fifth individually, becoming the first Stanford golfer to record a top-five finish since 1998.

Ray is a 1997 graduate of Stanford University where he earned a Bachelor's Degree in Public Policy. A three-year letterwinner for the Cardinal golf team, Ray was a member of the 1994 NCAA Championship squad and a teammate of Tiger Woods, Casey Martin and Notah Begay. He captained the team in 1997 and was an All-Pac-10 and Pac-10 All-Academic selection that season as well. As a senior, he posted six top-10 finishes and nine under-par rounds. Ray's 73.95 stroke average was second-best on the squad.

Ray was tapped to play in the U.S. Open at Pinehurst in June 2005. He has played on the Nationwide Tour and other world tours since 1998 and achieved 12 top-10 finishes in that span. He has worked extensively with numerous golf instructors throughout the country and has organized and administered various pro-am and fund-raising golf tournaments, including the Karl Potach Memorial Tournament for children's cancer research and the Bart McCormick Classic. Ray has been a member of the Golf Coaches Association National Advisory Board since July 2006.

Ray is married to the former Jennifer Woods and has a one-year-old daughter, Ella Katherine Ray.

2007-2008 Stanford Men's Golf Statistics

	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Par/Under Rnds	Top 10/25	Low Rnd/Trn
Joseph Bramlett	5	15	1097	73.1	2/3	0/3	68/216
Graham Brockington	3	9	738	82	0/0	0/0	77/237
Jordan Cox	9	28	2057	73.5	9/4	2/2	68/210
Rob Grube	11	34	2445	71.9	3/12	5/4	65/199
Dodge Kemmer	10	31	2314	74.6	1/5	2/2	66/214
Matt Kennerknecht	0	0	0	00.0	0/0	0/0	--/---
Sihwan Kim	11	34	2426	71.4	1/16	6/4	63/199
Daniel Lim	8	25	1881	75.2	3/2	0/2	68/211
Steve Ziegler	8	24	1767	73.6	2/6	2/1	65/211
	Events	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Tourney Wins	Top 5/10	Low Rnd/Trn
STANFORD	11	34	10306	303.1	1	8/2	263/813

Team Results

Fall Results

Date	Tournament (Par)	Place	Results
Sept. 4-6	Topy Cup (72)	3rd	282-276-289--847
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Fighting Illini Invitational (70)	5th	293-286-297--876
Oct. 15-16	The Prestige (72)	2nd	285-293-284--862
Oct. 21-23	Isleworth-UCF Invitational (72)	9th	291-291-297--879
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate (72)	2nd	363-362-354--1079

Spring Results

Date	Tournament	Place	Results
Feb. 6-8	UH-Hilo Invitational (70)	1st	275-263-275--813
March 3-4	USC/Ashworth Collegiate Invitational (71)	3rd	305-297-288--890
March 24-26	U.S. Collegiate Championship (72)	11th	310-301-286--897
April 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Championship (70)	2nd	279 - 293- 269--841
April 28-30	Pac-10 Championships (71)	5th	350-357-380-357-1444
May 15-17	NCAA West Regional (72)	6th	296 - 297 - 285 - 878

Individual Tournament-by-Tournament Results

Joseph Bramlett • SO • Saratoga, Calif.

Sept. 4-6	Topy Cup	T21	73- 68 -78--219
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Fighting Illini Invitational	35	74-73-76--223
Oct. 15-16	The Prestige	T11	72-70-74--216
Oct. 21-23	Isleworth-UCF Invitational	T33	73-73-75--221
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	T20	72-77-69--218

Graham Brockington • FR • Laguna Niguel, Calif.

Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	70	90- 77 -81--248
Mar. 3-4	USC/Ashworth Collegiate Invitational	78	86-85-82--253
Apr. 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational	T81	77 -79-81-237

Jordan Cox • SO • Redwood Shores, Calif.

Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Fighting Illini Invitational	T50	77-73-79--229
Oct. 15-16	The Prestige	T8	71-73-70--214
Oct. 21-23	Isleworth-UCF Invitational	T40	73-72-77--222
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	T4	72-72- 68 --212
Feb. 6-8	UH-Hilo Invitational	T26	70-70-70--210
Mar. 3-4	USC/Ashworth Collegiate Invitational	T64	78-80-89--237
Apr. 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational	T20	70-76-70-216
Apr. 28-30	Pac-10 Championships	T21	69-72-78-71-290
May 15-17	NCAA West Regional	T63	76-76-75-227

Rob Grube • SR • Hinsdale, Ill.

Sept. 4-6	Topy Cup	T9	67-72-72--211
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Fighting Illini Invitational	T7	71-73-73--217
Oct. 15-16	The Prestige	T11	70-74-72--216
Oct. 21-23	Isleworth-UCF Invitational	T48	74-75-74--223
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	T20	70-75-73--218
Feb. 6-8	Uh-Hilo Invitational	T2	65 -67-67--199
Mar. 3-4	USC/Ashworth Invitational	T20	77-76-73--226
Mar. 24-26	U.S. Collegiate Championship	T33	76-76-71-223
Apr. 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational	T20	77-73-66-216
Apr. 28-30	Pac-10 Championships	T3	70-68-72-73-283
May 15-17	NCAA West Regional	T6	71-73-69-213

Dodge Kemmer • JR • Wichita, Kans.

Sept. 4-6	Topy Cup	T44	77-77-75--229
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Fighting Illini Invitational	T7	75- 69 -73--217
Oct. 15-16	The Prestige	T23	72-78- 69 --219
Oct. 21-23	Isleworth-UCF Invitational	T71	79-75-75--229
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	T38	75-73-75--223
March 3-4	USC/Ashworth Collegiate Invitational	T3	72-78-70--220
March 24-26	U.S. Collegiate Championship	T75	80-81-80-241
Apr. 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational	16	69-74-71-214
Apr. 28-30	Pac-10 Championships	T38	70-73-80-73-296
May 15-17	NCAA West Regional	T57	76-77-73-226

Sihwan Kim • FR • Buena Park, Calif.

Sept. 4-6	Topy Cup	T3	70-67-70--207
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Fighting Illini Invitational	T15	73-71-75--219
Oct. 15-16	The Prestige	T32	73-76-73--222
Oct. 21-23	Isleworth-UCF Invitational	T13	71-71-73--215
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	T1	74-68-69--211
Feb. 6-8	UH-Hilo Invitational	T2	69- 63 -67--199
March 3-4	USC/Ashworth Collegiate Invitational	T3	78-69-73--220
March 24-26	U.S. Collegiate Championship	T25	78-70-73-221
Apr. 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational	T2	70-72-66-208
Apr. 28-30	Pac-10 Championships	T24	75-74-75-68-292
May 15-17	NCAA West Regional	5	73-71-68-212

Daniel Lim • JR • Cupertino, Calif.

Sept. 4-6	Topy Cup	T13	72-69-72--213
Oct. 15-16	The Prestige	T54	75-75-75--225
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	63	79-76-79--234
Feb. 6-8	UH-Hilo Invitational	T34	71- 68 -72--211
March 3-4	USC/Ashworth Collegiate Invitational	T25	81-74-72--227
March 24-26	U.S. Collegiate Championship	T75	84-83-74-241
Apr. 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational	T62	78-72-79-229
Apr. 28-30	Pac-10 Championships	51	71-76-82-72-301

Steve Ziegler • FR • Broomfield, Colo.

Oct. 15-16	The Prestige	T32	77-72-73--222
Nov. 5-7	CordeValle Collegiate	--	D-74-80--D
Feb. 6-8	UH-Hilo Invitational	T34	75- 65 -71--211
March 3-4	USC/Ashworth Collegiate Invitational	T25	82-77-68-227
March 24-26	U.S. Collegiate Championship	T10	76-74-68-218
Apr. 19-20	U.S. Intercollegiate Invitational	T7	70-74-67-211
Apr. 28-30	Pac-10 Championships	T27	70-70-75-78-293
May 15-17	NCAA West Regional	T97	78-78-75-231

Note: Individual low rounds in bold.