



MEN'S GOLF WEEKLY RECAP May 3, 2010

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ALLEGHENY COLLEGE ★ DENISON UNIVERSITY ★ EARLHAM COLLEGE ★ HIRAM COLLEGE ★ KENYON COLLEGE ★ OBERLIN COLLEGE
OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY ★ WABASH COLLEGE ★ WITTENBERG UNIVERSITY ★ COLLEGE OF WOOSTER

Schedule

This Week

NCAA Championships

Recent Results

Saturday-Sunday, May 1-2

NCAC Invitational (final event)
hosted by Kenyon
at Mount Vernon Country Club

(complete results)

Saturday-Sunday, May 1-2

NCAC Invitational (Event #4)		
1. Ohio Wesleyan	303-299-312	914
2. Wittenberg	307-310-301	918
3. Allegheny	325-309-310	944
4. Wabash	326-312-328	966
5. Wooster	323-319-329	971
6. Denison	316-329-330	975
7. Kenyon	334-336-335	1005
8. Hiram	334-340-343	1017
9. Oberlin	407-387-397	1191

NCAC Golf Championship Series Team Standings (Final)

1. Wittenberg	595-600-592-918	2705
2. O. Wesleyan	608-610-608-914	2740
3. Allegheny	627-615-613-944	2799
4. Wooster	637-632-630-971	2870
5. Wabash	631-650-647-966	2894
6. Denison	682-646-645-975	2948
7. Kenyon	657-676-667-1005	3005
8. Hiram	748-761-673-1017	3199
9. Oberlin	000-000-770-1191	1961

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* NCAC website

Individual Awards

Bob Nye Award (NCAC Invitational Medalist)

Ben Smith, Wittenberg

Dick Gordin Award (Player of the Year)

Jesse Chiero, Ohio Wesleyan

Coach of the Year

Jeff Roope, Wittenberg

Notes

All nine-conference teams participated in the fourth and final event in the NCAC Championship Series at the Mount Vernon Country Club hosted by Kenyon College. Ohio Wesleyan finished the two-day tournament in first place four strokes ahead of Wittenberg. Despite taking first in the final event, the Battling Bishops did not make up enough strokes to over take the Tigers for the championship.

Despite a second-place team finish in the final event, Wittenberg wins the four-event NCAC Championship series, and the North Coast's automatic bid into the NCAA Division III Tournament. It is The Tigers' second NCAC golf title, and first since 1992.

Wittenberg sophomore **Ben Smith (North Bend, OH/Elder)** was the medalist in the final event after firing a three round total 224 and was named the Bob Nye Award winner. Ohio Wesleyan senior **Jesse Chiero (Westerville, OH/South)** was presented the Dick Gordin Award as the league's Player of the Year. Chiero won the overall, four-event individual title.

ALLEGHENY placed third in the final event as well as the overall series. The Gators finished with two golfers in the top 10 led by sophomore **Matt Donahoe (Amherst, NY/Nichols)** who took a tie for third place with a score of 226. Freshman **Patrick Fritz (Brookville, PA/Brookville)** finished in a tie for ninth place after firing a score of 236 ... **DENISON** finished the final event in sixth place and took sixth overall in the four events. Freshman **Connor Monaghan (Garden City, NY/The Peddie School)** finished in eighth place with a two-day total of 233 ... **KENYON** took seventh place in both the final event and the overall standings. Sophomore **Jack Marra (Baltimore, MD/Friends School)** was the top performer for the Lords placing in 18th place with a total of 243 ... **HIRAM** finished eighth in both the series finale and final standings. Sophomore **Bryan Todd (Green, OH/Green)** led the Terriers with a three-round total of 244 for a 19th-place finish ... **OBERLIN** only competed in two of the four events and finished ninth in both the finale and final standings. Sophomore **Andrew DeCarlo (Poland, OH/Poland Seminary)** was the top finisher for the Yeomen after firing a 291 ... **OHIO WESLEYAN** made a strong effort to take home the overall championship by taking first place in the final event but could only improve their standing by four strokes to finish in second place overall. The Battling Bishops had four of their five golfers finish in the top nine. Senior **Jesse Chiero (Westerville, OH/South)** finished second overall with a score of 225. Chiero was named the Dick Gordin Player of the Year. Senior **Tom Harman (Perrysburg, OH/Perrysburg)** and sophomore **Nate Fridley (Sidney, OH/Lehman Catholic)** finished with totals of 226 (T-3rd) and 230 (6th) respectively. Junior **Thomas Fox (Galion, OH/Galion)** finished in a tie for ninth place with a 236 ... **WABASH** made a run for fourth in the final standings after taking a fourth in the series finale but ended up finishing fifth in the series. Junior **Luke Moton (Batesville, IN/Batesville)** finished in 15th place with a 238 while senior **Sam Russell (Springfield, OH/Greenon)** fired a 239, good for 16th place ... **WITTENBERG** took home the NCAC Championship series after finishing second in the final event only four strokes off the lead. The Tigers had won the first three events and held a 39-stroke lead coming into the series finale. Wittenberg not only had the medalist in Smith but also finished with four golfers in the top 10. Sophomore **Ricky Boerner (Hilliard, Ohio/Watterson)** came in fifth with a 228 while freshman **Craig Osterbrock (Wilmington, OH/Wilmington)** finished four strokes behind in seventh place. Junior **Bleu George (Lancaster, Ohio/Fisher Catholic)** finished in a ninth place tie after firing a three-round total of 236 ... **WOOSTER** took fifth place in the series finale but finished fourth overall. Sophomore **Tim Faerber (Ann Arbor, MI/Huron)** finished in a tie for ninth place with a 236.

NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE 2010 All-NCAC Men's Golf

The following performers earned All-NCAC honors over the course of the 2009-10 North Coast Athletic Conference Golf season. The top six individual finishers (plus ties) from all four NCAC events were placed on the first team, followed by the next six players (plus ties) on the second team. Honorable mention includes players who finished 10th or better in the fourth and final event, the NCAC Invitational and did not make the First or Second team.

FIRST TEAM	School	Yr.	Overall Place	Overall Score	Hometown/High School
Jesse Chiero *#+	Ohio Wesleyan	Sr.	1	669	Westerville, OH/South
Ricky Boerner *	Wittenberg	So.	2	676	Hilliard, OH/Watterson
Craig Osterbock	Wittenberg	Fr.	3	679	Wilmington, OH/Wilmington
Ben Smith *	Wittenberg	So.	T4	696	North Bend, OH/Elder
Matt Donahoe	Allegheny	So	T4	685	Amherst, NY/Nichols
Bleu George	Wittenberg	Jr	6	692	Lancaster, OH/Fisher Catholic

Dick Gordin Award (Overall Medalist): Jesse Chiero, Ohio Wesleyan

Bob Nye Award (Fourth Event Medalist): Ben Smith, Wittenberg

Coach of the Year: Jeff Roope, Wittenberg

SECOND TEAM	School	Yr.	Overall Place	Overall Score	Hometown/High School
Mike Flickinger	Allegheny	So	7	699	Pittsburgh, PA/Upper Saint Clair
Sam Russell !	Wabash	Sr.	8	706	Springfield, OH/Greenon
Rob Hippert	Allegheny	So.	9	709	Pittsburgh, PA/Upper Saint Clair
Connor Monaghan	Denison	Fr.	10	710	Garden City, NY/The Peddie School
Nate Fridley	Ohio Wesleyan	So.	11	713	Sidney, OH/Lehman Catholic
Blake Sword	Wooster	So.	12	714	Wellington, OH/Wellington

HONORABLE MENTION	Yr.	Fourth Event Place	Fourth Event Score	Hometown/High School	
Tom Harmon @	Ohio Wesleyan	Sr.	T3	226	Perrysburg, OH/Perrysburg
Thomas Fox	Ohio Wesleyan	Jr.	T9	236	Galion, OH/Galion
Patrick Fritz	Allegheny	Fr.	T9	236	Brookville, PA/Brookville
Tim Faerber	Wooster	So.	T9	236	Ann Arbor, MI/Huron

Key: * 1st team 2009, ! 2nd team 2009 @1st team 2008; +honorable mention 2008; # 1st team 2007