



MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S GOLF 2010-11 STATISTICS



2010-11 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

DATE	TOURNAMENT	FINISH/TEAMS	SCORE/LOCATION	MSU TOP FINISHER
Sept. 12-14	Duramed Cougar Classic	20/21	(315-306-309=930, +68)	Batson/Thornton - T77 (+17)
Sept. 26-28	UNCG Starmount Fall Classic	7/15	(316-298=614, +38)	Thornton - T10 (+3)
Oct. 11-13	Prices Give Em Five Invitational	T3/14	(297+ 291+295=883, +19)	Thornton/Gallagher - T11 (+3)
Oct. 25-26	Memphis Women's Invitational	4/18	(307+316=623, +55)	Thornton - 2(+5)
Nov. 5-7	Pac 10/SEC Challenge	20/21	(319+306+316=941, +89)	Thornton - T58(+16)
Feb. 27-Mar. 1	Sir Pizza Cards Challenge	12/14	(318+310+308=937, +72)	Thornton - T12(+10)
Mar. 11-13	LSU Golf Classic	20/21	(316+326+321=963, +99)	Roos - T22(+10)
Mar. 21-22	John Kirk/Panther Int.	7/15	(305+307+305=917, +36)	Gallagher - 5(+3)
Apr. 1-3	Rebel Intercollegiate	11/18	(314+303+206=923, +59)	Thornton - T12(+7)
Apr. 15-17	SEC Championship	12/12	(315+324+316=955, +91)	Thornton - T46(+19)

2010-11 OVERALL STATISTICS

	TOURN.	RNDS	STROKES	AVG. 18	AVG. 54	BEST 18	BEST 54	TOP 10	TOP 20	BEST FINISH
Mallory Batson	10	28	2,181	77.89	234.13	70	220	-	5	T15
Perry Katherine Furr	4	10	812	81.20	240.00	75	-	-	-	T57
Mary Langdon Gallagher	10	28	2,246	80.21	241.13	70	219	1	2	4
Esther Huffman	9	25	1,984	79.36	238.00	73	224	-	-	T37
Maria Roos	7	21	1,670	79.52	238.57	75	226	-	-	T22
Erica Thornton	10	28	2,133	76.18	229.38	69	219	1	6	2

TEAM	10	28	11,026	77.55	232.78	69	219	2	13	2
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*Team Average Per Round=310.21

*Team Average Per Tournament=931.13

2010-11 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

DURAMED COUGAR CLASSIC

T77	M. Batson	80-75-78=233
T77	E. Thornton	77-76-78=233
T88	E. Huffman	80-77-78=235
T99	M.L. Gallagher	83-85-73=241
T104	M. Roos	78-78-88=244

UNCG STARMOUNT FALL CLASSIC

T11	E. Thornton	74-75=149
T20	M. Batson	77-75=152
T41	M.L. Gallagher	84-73=157
T41	E. Huffman	81-76=157
T57	P.K. Furr	84-75=159

PRICE'S GIVE 'EM FIVE INVITATIONAL

T11.	E. Thornton	75+75+69=219
T11.	M.L. Gallagher	72+73+74=219
T15.	M. Batson	75+70+75=220
T35.	M. Roos	75+75+77=227
T40.	E. Huffman	73+78+73=229

MEMPHIS WOMEN'S INVITATIONAL

2.	E. Thornton	71+76=147
T19.	M. Batson	74+82=156
T32.	M.L. Gallagher	80+80=160
T37.	E. Huffman	82+79=161
T75.	P.K. Furr	92+81=173

PAC 10/SEC CHALLENGE

T58.	E. Thornton	75+75+79=229
T77.	M. Batson	83+73+77=233
T85.	E. Huffman	80+74+81=235
T104.	M. Roos	81+84+84=249
T108.	M.L. Gallagher	85+88+79=252

SIR PIZZA CARDS CHALLENGE

T12.	E. Thornton	78+76+72=226
T19.	M. Batson	77+75+76=228
T60.	M. Roos	84+80+80=244
T62.	P.K. Furr	79+86+80=245
T65.	M.L. Gallagher	85+79+82=246

LSU TIGER GOLF CLASSIC

T22.	M. Roos	78+75+73=226
T78.	E. Thornton	78+81+82=241
T96.	E. Huffman	80+87+81=248
T96.	M. Batson	80+83+85=248
107.	M.L. Gallagher	92+87+87=266

JOHN KIRK/PANTHER INTERCOLLEGIATE

5.	M.L. GALLAGHER	70+75+74=219, +3
T32.	ERIKA THORNTON	75+78+78=231, +15
T32.	MALLORY BATSON	81+77+73=231, +15
T55.	MARIA ROOS	82+77+81=241, +25
T55.	ESTHER HUFFMAN	79+82+80=241, +25

REBEL INTERCOLLEGIATE

T12.	E. THORNTON	77+70+76=223, +7
T42.	M. BATSON	80+75+76=231, +15
T57.	E. HUFFMAN	79+77+78=234, +18
T64.	P.K. FURR	78+81+76=235, +19
T84.	M.L. GALLAGHER	81+81+82=244, +28

SEC CHAMPIONSHIP

T46.	E. Thornton	71+82+82=235, +19
T52.	M. Roos	83+79+77=239, +23
56.	M. L. Gallagher	79+85+77=242, +26
57.	E. Huffman	82+83+79=244, +28
58.	M. Batson	85+80+84=249, +33



MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S GOLF

LADY BULLDOG LEADERBOARD

<u>TOURNAMENTS PLAYED</u>		<u>FINISHED TOP 10</u>		<u>FINISHED TOP 20</u>		<u>FINISHED TOP 50</u>		<u>MSU TOP FINISHER</u>	
MALLORY BATSON	10	ERIKA THORNTON	2, 2ND	Erika Thornton	5	Erika Thornton	6	Erika Thornton	8
M.L. GALLAGHER	10	M.L. Gallagher	1, 5th	Mallory Batson	4	Mallory Batson	5	M.L. Gallagher	2
ERIKA THORNTON	10			M.L. Gallagher	2	M.L. Gallagher	4	Mallory Batson	2
ESTHER HUFFMAN	9					Esther Huffman	3	Maria Roos	1
MARIA ROOS	7					Maria Roos	2		
P.K. FURR	4								

INDIVIDUAL ROUND AVERAGES

	<u>ROUND 1</u>	<u>ROUND 2</u>	<u>ROUND 3</u>	<u>OVERALL</u>
Mallory Batson	10 - 792 (79.20)	10 - 765 (76.50)	8 - 624 (78.00)	28 - 2,181 (77.89)
Perry Katherine Furr	4 - 333 (83.25)	4 - 317 (79.25)	2 - 156 (78.00)	10 - 806 (80.60)
Mary Langdon Gallagher	10 - 811 (81.10)	10 - 806 (80.60)	8 - 628 (78.50)	28 - 2,246 (80.21)
Esther Huffman	9 - 716 (79.56)	9 - 713 (79.22)	7 - 550 (78.57)	25 - 1,979 (79.16)
Maria Roos	7 - 562 (80.29)	7 - 548 (78.29)	7 - 560 (80.00)	21 - 1,431 (79.50)
Erika Thornton	10 - 751 (75.10)	10 - 766 (76.60)	8 - 616 (77.00)	28 - 2,133 (77.18)

* **BOLD** indicates team leader

2010 FALL STATISTICS

	<u>TOURN.</u>	<u>RNDS</u>	<u>STROKES</u>	<u>AVG. 18</u>	<u>AVG. 54</u>	<u>BEST 18</u>	<u>BEST 54</u>	<u>TOP 10</u>	<u>TOP 20</u>	<u>BEST FINISH</u>
Mallory Batson	5	13	984	75.69	228.67	70	220	-	4	T15
Perry Katherine Furr	2	4	332	80.50	-	75	-	-	-	T57
Mary Langdon Gallagher	5	13	1,029	79.15	237.33	72	219	-	1	T11
Esther Huffman	5	13	1,017	78.28	233.00	73	224	-	-	T37
Maria Roos	3	9	720	80.00	240.00	75	227	-	-	T35
Erika Thornton	5	13	977	75.15	227.00	69	219	1	4	2
TEAM	5	13	5,059	76.75	229.50	69	219	1	9	2

*Team Average Per Round=307.00

*Team Average Per Tournament=918.00

2011 SPRING STATISTICS

	<u>TOURN.</u>	<u>RNDS</u>	<u>STROKES</u>	<u>AVG. 18</u>	<u>AVG. 54</u>	<u>BEST 18</u>	<u>BEST 54</u>	<u>TOP 10</u>	<u>TOP 20</u>	<u>BEST FINISH</u>
Mallory Batson	5	15	1,187	79.13	237.40	73	228	-	1	T19
Perry Katherine Furr	2	6	480	80.00	240.00	76	235	-	-	T62
Mary Langdon Gallagher	5	15	1,217	81.13	243.40	70	219	1	1	5
Esther Huffman	4	12	967	80.58	241.75	77	234	-	-	T55
Maria Roos	4	12	950	79.17	237.50	73	226	-	-	T22
Erika Thornton	5	15	1,156	77.07	231.20	70	223	1	2	T12
TEAM	5	15	5,957	78.25	234.75	70	219	2	4	5

*Team Average Per Round=313.00

*Team Average Per Tournament=939.00



MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S GOLF

TOURNAMENT RECAPS

DURAMED COUGAR CLASSIC

Sept. 12-14

Charleston, S.C.

Yeamans Hall Club (Par 72)



Mississippi State's women's golf team fired a second-round score of 62 on Monday to remain 19th overall at the Duramed Cougar Classic in Charleston, S.C. Seniors Erika Thornton and Mallory Batson and freshman Esther Huffman all improved their scores from the first round. Batson fired a 3-over-par 75, which was five strokes better than her score yesterday, while Thornton shot a 76, a one-stroke improvement. Huffman bettered her opening-round score by three strokes, firing a 77. Sophomore Maria Roos kept her pace from yesterday, knocking a 78 for. Freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher rounded out the Lady Dawgs' contingent with an 85. Overall, the Lady Bulldogs bettered their opening-round score by nine strokes to land just outside of the top 10 for the round. MSU tees off the final round at 7:30 a.m. CT Tuesday.

MSU FINISH: 20 OF 21 (315-306-309=930, +68)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T77	M. Batson	80-75-78=233
T77	E. Thornton	77-76-78=233
T88	E. Huffman	80-77-78=235
T99	M.L. Gallagher	83-85-73=241
T104	M. Roos	78-78-88=244

UNCG STARMOUNT FALL CLASSIC

Sept. 26-28

Greensboro, N.C.

Starmount Forest Golf Course (Par 71)



Freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher led the surging Mississippi State women's golf team in the final round of the UNCG Starmount Fall Classic in Greensboro, N.C., on Tuesday, firing a 1-over-par 73 to lead the Lady Bulldogs to a 7th-place finish, five spots better than where the team entered play at on Tuesday. The 298 stroke total posted by the lady linksters in the final round was the best score for a round since the Canes and Cardinal Classic in 2008, and the 7th-place finish is the best place for MSU since the Johnnie Imes Invitational also in 2008. Finishing just behind Gallagher on the day was senior Erika Thornton at 149, just one stroke away from a Top 10 finish. Fellow senior Mallory Batson also garnered a Top 20 finish with a two-day total of 152. With a 4-over-par 76 in the final round, freshman Esther Huffman managed to tie with Gallagher for 41st in the tournament field. Junior Perry Katherine Furr finished just behind Huffman and Gallagher at 159. First-year coach Ginger Brown-Lemm was excited with the strides the Lady Bulldogs made in the final round. "It was a great day for Mississippi State women's golf," she said. "We were very determined on the course today. To have to drop a 76 in a round is a huge move in the right direction. We cannot wait to get back on the course for our next tournament." Mississippi State's women's golf team returns to action on Mon, Oct. 11 at the Prices Give 'Em Five Invitational in Las Cruces, N.M.

MSU FINISH: 7 OF 15

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T11	E. Thornton	74-75=149
T20	M. Batson	77-75=152
T41	M.L. Gallagher	84-73=157
T41	E. Huffman	81-76=157
T57	P.K. Furr	84-75=159

PRICES GIVE 'EM FIVE INVITATIONAL

Oct. 11-13

Las Cruces, N.M.

NMSU Golf Course (Par 72)



Mississippi State's women's golf team climbed the team standings once again, firing a final-round 295 to finish tied for third place at the Price's Give 'Em Five Invitational in Las Cruces, N.M. Head coach Ginger Brown-Lemm's squad shot an 883 for the tournament, the second-lowest 54-hole score in program history behind the 1999 squad's 864 in the Lady Seminole Invitational. Wednesday's stellar third round came a day after MSU fired a school fourth-best 291 in Tuesday's second round. In addition to the great team scoring, the Lady Bulldogs also managed stellar individual finishes. Senior Erika Thornton led the way on Wednesday as she shot a career-low 69 on the par-72 course to finish tied with teammate Mary Langdon Gallagher for 11th (219). Gallagher carded a 74 on Wednesday en route to posting the best showing of her young career. Senior Mallory Batson finished one stroke behind Thornton and Gallagher with a 220 (+4) tally that tied her for 15th place. Sophomore Maria Roos shot a final-round 77 (T35th place), and freshman Esther Huffman carded a 229 to finish in 40th place. Thornton is excited with the way the Lady Bulldogs are playing and the potential ahead of the team. "We are very pleased with today's round and outcome," she said. "We are very excited about the future and look forward to a great tournament in Memphis." The lady linksters return to action on Mon, Oct. 25, at the Memphis Women's Invitational at the Ridgeway Country Club in Germantown, Tenn.

MSU FINISH: T3 OF 14 (297+ 291+295=883, +19)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T11.	E. Thornton	75+75+69=219, +3
T11.	M.L. Gallagher	72+73+74=219, +3
T15.	M. Batson	75+70+75=220, +4
T35.	M. Roos	75+75+77=227, +11
T40.	E. Huffman	73+78+73=229, +13

MEMPHIS WOMEN'S INVITATIONAL

Oct. 25-26

Germantown, Tenn.

Ridgeway Country Club (Par 71)



Due to weather, the final round of the Memphis Women's Invitational at Ridgeway Country Club in Germantown, Tenn., was cancelled. Prior to the third and final round being cancelled on Tuesday morning, round two from Monday was completed. MSU finished the tournament in fourth place with a score of 623, just eight strokes out of first and two strokes out of a tie for second. Senior Erika Thornton was tied for first as round-two concluded on Tuesday morning but lost on the second hole of a sudden death playoff. Her second-place finish is the best of her career and best finish by a Lady Bulldog since Suzanne Stanley won the John Kirk/Lady Panther Intercollegiate in 2008. Without a chance to play on Tuesday, the other Lady Bulldogs concluded the tournament with their 36-hole scores. Mallory Batson (156, +5) tied for 19th while freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher (160, +18) tied for 32nd and Esther Huffman (161, +19) tied for 37th. Junior Perry Katherine Furr posted a 173 for the tournament to tie for 75th. MSU sophomore Maria Roos also competed in the tournament as an individual, tying for 48th with a 164. The team was happy to finish in the Top 5 of the field but realize there is still work to be done to be an elite team in the nation. "Overall, we didn't play as well as we wanted to," Thornton said. "We will work hard in the weeks ahead so we can be a strong competitor in our last tournament this fall." The MSU women return to action and close out their fall schedule on Nov. 5 at the PAC 10/SEC Challenge in Stanford, Calif.

MSU FINISH: 4 OF 18 (307+316=623, +55)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T1.	E. Thornton	(71+76=147, +5)
T19.	M. Batson	(74+82=156, +14)
T32.	M.L. Gallagher	(80+80=160, +18)
T37.	E. Huffman	(82+79=161, +19)
T75.	P.K. Furr	(92+81=173, +31)



MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S GOLF

TOURNAMENT RECAPS

PAC 10/SEC CHALLENGE

Nov. 5-7
Stanford, Calif.
Stanford Golf Course (Par 71)



Mississippi State's women's golf team endured a two-hour rain delay on Sunday to fire a 316 in the final round of the Pac-10/SEC Challenge at the Stanford Golf Course in Stanford, Calif. Head coach Ginger Brown-Lemm's carded a 941 in the final tournament of the fall season. Mallory Batson again led MSU, shooting a 77 in the final round. Freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher knocked nine strokes off of Saturday's second-round total to finish Sunday's rain-soaked action with a 79. Erika Thornton matched Gallagher on Sunday to finish as the top Lady Bulldog with a 229. Freshman Esther Huffman and sophomore Maria Roos shot an 81 and 84, respectively, for the final round. Brown-Lemm was thankful for the opportunity to play in the inaugural Pac-10/SEC Challenge, and she hopes her team can grow from the experience. "What a great experience," Brown-Lemm said. "It was an honor to participate as an SEC school. We played with the number one team in the country, LSU, yesterday. We were able to expose some of our younger players to a seasoned team. We played very well in round two and again today. It was a grind with the rain and an eight-hour round, but it was incredible to play Stanford's course and visit their \$10 million practice facility." MSU opens the spring slate with a trip to Kiawah Island, S.C., to participate in the Kiawah Island Women's Intercollegiate Feb. 20-22.

MSU FINISH: 20 OF 21 (319+306+316=941, +89)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T58	ERIKA THORNTON	75+75+79=229, +16
T77	MALLORY BATSON	83+73+77=233, +20
T85	ESTHER HUFFMAN	80+74+81=235, +22
T104	MARIA ROOS	81+84+84=249, +36
T108	MARY LANGDON GALLAGHER	85+88+79=252, +39

SIR PIZZA CARDS CHALLENGE

Feb. 20-22
Weston, Fla.
Weston Hills Country Club (Par 72)



The final round of the Sir Pizza Cards Challenge concluded on Tuesday afternoon at the Weston Hills Golf Course in Weston, Fla., with the Mississippi State women's golf team firing a team-best round for the tournament 308. The Lady Bulldogs carded a 936 for tournament landing the team just nine strokes out of a top-10 finish. For the third day in a row, MSU's pair of seniors led the way. Erika Thornton fired a 72 on the day, her best round of the tournament and finished tied for twelfth overall. Fellow senior Mallory Batson finished with a 76 in the final round. She, too, managed a top-20 finished and is anxious to keep improving. "Overall, I am pleased with how I played this weekend," she said. "This is our first tournament of the spring so it was a great feeling to come out with a solid, consistent performance. I will keep improving and carry this momentum into our next tournament." A pair of 80's were carded by sophomore Maria Roos and junior Perry Katherine Furr. Roos finishes the tournament with a total 244 strokes while Furr followed her with a 245. Freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher notched an 82 in the final round and finished just one stroke behind Furr with a 246. Coach Ginger Brown-Lemm knows the lady linksters underperformed this in the tournament but knows her team's play will improve. "We certainly showed the rust that builds up in the off season," she said. "The double and triple bogeys killed us in tournament. We cannot compete in the SEC with the numbers we posted. It also hurt having our number three golfer, Esther Huffman, out with injury. Our seniors played very well, and I'm proud of their dedication in the offseason, which showed with their performances. We need our underclassmen to step up." Mississippi State will return to action on Friday, March 11, in the LSU Golf Classic at the LSU Golf Course in Baton Rouge, La.

MSU FINISH: 12 OF 14 (318+310+308=936, +72)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T 12	Erika Thornton	78+76+72=226, +10
T 19	Mallory Batson	77+75+76=228, +12
T 60	Maria Roos	84+80+80=244, +28
T 62	Perry Katherine Furr	79+86+80=245, +29
T 65	Mary Langdon Gallagher	85+79+82=246, +30

LSU TIGER GOLF CLASSIC

March 11-13
Baton Rouge, La.
University Club (Par 72)



Sophomore Maria Roos led the Mississippi State women's golf team in the final of the LSU Golf Classic at the University Club in Baton Rouge, La., on Sunday, firing a 1-over par 73 to lead the Lady Bulldogs to a 20th place finish in the toughest field the Lady Bulldogs have faced this season. The 321 stroke total posted by the lady linksters in the final round was the team's second-best round of the tournament. The team fired a 963 on the weekend. Finishing just behind Roos in the tournament was senior Erika Thornton at 241 strokes. Fellow senior Mallory Batson and freshman Esther Huffman tied for third on the team with 248 tournament-clips. Freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher finished off the Lady Bulldogs tournament total by carding a 266. Mississippi State's women's golf team returns to action on Mon, Mon. 21 at the John Kirk/Panther Intercollegiate at Eagles Landing Country Club in Stockbridge, Ga.

MSU FINISH: 20 OF 21 (316+326+321=963, +99)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T22	Maria Roos	78+75+73=226, +10
T78	Erika Thornton	78+81+82=241, +25
T96	Mallory Batson	80+83+85=248, +19
T96	Esther Huffman	80+87+81=248, +32
107	M.L. Gallagher	92+87+87=266, +50

JOHN KIRK/PANTHER INTERCOLLEGIATE

March 21-22
Stockbridge, Ga.
Eagles Landing Country Club (Par 72)



Freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher fired a 2-over-par 74 in the third round of the John Kirk/Panther Intercollegiate at the Eagles Landing Country Club in Stockbridge, Ga., on Tuesday to finish in fifth place, the best finish of her young career. For the two-day event, Gallagher tied her career-low 54-hole score of 219. "It was great to be able to put three solid rounds together this week," she said. "It helps build my confidence going into the last two tournaments of my freshman year." Gallagher's 219 is 25 strokes below her average 54-hole score. She also set a new personal career-low round with a 70 during the first round on Monday. Mississippi State women's golf team carded a 917 clip for the two-day, 54-hole event. The lady linksters managed a seventh-place finish, only nine strokes from medalling in the tournament. The Lady Bulldogs' score is the second-best tournament they has played this season and is 13.8 strokes below their tournament average score. Seniors Erika Thornton and Mallory Batson finished behind Gallagher in the field notching 231 cards. Batson owned the Lady Bulldogs best third-round score (73). Sophomore Maria Roos and freshman Esther Huffman both knocked 241 strokes to finish in a tie for 55th. "While I am pleased with our continued improvement, we are nowhere near where we should be as a team," MSU Coach Ginger Brown-Lemm said. "That being said, it takes time and lots of work. We are all willing to do what it takes to get there. With our new practice facility, we should be able to see a dramatic improvement in the near future." Notre Dame finished first at 888, while Mitsuki Katahira of Daytona State College won the event with a 210. Katahira fired a tournament record by firing a 66 on Tuesday. The Lady Bulldogs return to action on April 1 at the Rebel Intercollegiate in Oxford, Miss.

MSU FINISH: 7 OF 15 (305+307+305=917, +36)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

5.	Mary Langdon Gallagher	70+75+74=219, +3
T32.	Erika Thornton	75+78+78=231, +15
T32.	Mallory Batson	81+77+73=231, +15
T55.	Maria Roos	82+77+81=241, +25
T55.	Esther Huffman	79+82+80=241, +25



MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S GOLF

TOURNAMENT RECAPS

REBEL INTERCOLLEGIATE

April 1-3
Oxford, Miss.



Ole Miss Golf Course (Par 72)

OXFORD, Miss. – Play concluded at the Ole Miss Golf Course with the Mississippi State women's golf team falling just one stroke short of a top-10 finish at the Rebel Intercollegiate. With a 306 clip during the final round on Sunday, the Lady Bulldogs managed to climb one spot in the field to finish the tournament in 11th place. MSU posted a 923-team score, the best tournament score an MSU team has ever fired at the Ole Miss Golf Course. It is also the third-best score the Lady Bulldogs have turned in this season. For the thirteenth time in seventeen tournaments, senior Erika Thornton finished atop the M-State leaderboard. With eight birdies on the weekend, Thornton managed a 7-over par 223 to finish tied for 12th in the field. It is her team-high fifth top-25 performance of the season. Fellow senior Mallory Batson stole the show in the first round on Friday with a hole-in-one on the par-3, 138 yard 12th hole. She posted a 76 card on Sunday to finish with a 15-over par 231. Freshman Esther Huffman posted a multiple birdies and an eagle during the weekend finishing just behind Batson with a 234. Junior Perry Katherine Furr finished her first 54-hole tournament of the year totaling four birdies during the final round. During the event she bettered her scoring average by 4.1 strokes. Mary Langdon Gallagher completed her final regular season tournament of her freshman campaign. With her ninth tournament appearance of the season, she carded a pair of 81's and an 82 to wrap up MSU's tournament. The Tennessee Lady Volunteer's used its 279 tournament-record, second-round score to win the event. The team's 54-hole score of 863 is also a tournament record. Lady Volunteer Nathalie Mansson propelled the Lady Vols with her second-round, 18-hole tournament record score of 67. She won the tournament on the third playoff hole with a 3-under par 213. The Maroon and White return to action at the SEC Championships on April 15.

MSU FINISH: 11 OF 18 (314+303+306=923, +59)

MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T12.	E. THORNTON	77+70+76=223, +7
T42.	M. BATSON	80+75+76=231, +15
T57.	E. HUFFMAN	79+77+78=234, +18
T64.	P.K. FURR	78+81+76=235, +19
T84.	M.L. GALLAGHER	81+81+82=244, +28

SEC CHAMPIONSHIPS

April 15-17
Auburn, Ala.
University Club (Par 72)



Mississippi State's women's golf squad fired a 316 in the final round of the SEC Championship Sunday to finish 12th in the tournament held at the University Club in Auburn. The Lady Bulldogs finished the three-day event with a 955-team score. "Obviously I'm disappointed with our performance," MSU coach Ginger Brown-Lemm said. "It was not indicative of the progress we made this year. Nine of the twelve teams participating were in the Top 25. That requires a certain experience level that we do not have yet. Our two seniors didn't have a strong event, but they led our team with their work ethic, motivation and desire to perform better. This has proved to be the beginning of our ascent into a competitive program in the best conference in America. Senior Erika Thornton once again led the Lady Bulldogs with a 235 performance. It is the 18th tournament in which she has led MSU. She finishes her career with the eighth-most career rounds played (104) and eighth-lowest scoring average (76.93). Her 76.18 stroke average for the season is also 12th-lowest all time. Sophomore Maria Roos notched a 5-over-par 77 to total 239. Freshman Mary Langdon Gallagher and Esther Huffman turned in a 242 and 244, respectively, in their first SEC Tournament, while Mallory Batson card a 249 in her final appearance. Batson finishes her career with the 10th-most rounds played (99). The Auburn Tigers earned SEC Tournament champion honors with an 864, while Alabama garnered runner-up honors. Erika Popson of Tennessee led every round of the three-day event en route to individual championship laurels with a 6-under-par 210. The Lady Bulldogs complete to 2010-2011 season with four top-10 finishes and 12 top-25 individual finishes. The team posted eight new records in the MSU record book and 12 new individual records.

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MSU INDIVIDUALS:

T46.	Erika Thornton	71+82+82=235, +19
T52.	Maria Roos	83+79+77=239, +23
56.	Mary Langdon Gallagher	79+85+77=242, +26
57.	Esther Huffman	82+83+79=244, +28
58.	Mallory Batson	85+80+84=249, +33