

LRU Women's Golf Ninth At Dana Rader Intercollegiate

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The Lenoir-Rhyne University Women's Golf Team shot a 674 (+98) to finish in a ninth-place tie the Dana Rader Intercollegiate, which concluded Tuesday at the Ballantyne Resort. A total of 15 schools competed in the tournament. Lander won the

event after shooting a 615 (+39) on the par-72, 5,845-yard course while Armstrong Atlantic State's Kelly Pearce was the top individual as she won in a playoff over Mount Olive's Emelie Andersson and Pfeiffer's Chelsea Demers. A three players shot a 149 (+5).

Lenoir-Rhyne was led by senior Katie Thackerson (Earl, N.C.), who moved up six spots after the first round to finish in an 11th-place tie. Thackerson carded a 154 (+10) for the tournament. Sophomore Grace Brahler (Lawrence, Kan.) tied for 37th with a 168 (+24) while junior Megan Katsch (Wilmington, N.C.) finished with a 173 (+29) to tie for 56th overall.

The Lenoir-Rhyne Women's Golf Team next competes in the J. Ralph Hargett Memorial Intercollegiate on March 26 and 27 in Mint Hill, N.C. Wingate will serve as the host institution.

Dana Rader Intercollegiate March 12-13, 2012 - Final Results Charlotte, N.C. Ballantyne Resort

1. Lander 615 (+39)
2. Midwestern State 618 (+42)
3. Pfeiffer 632 (+56)
4. Wingate 634 (+58)
5. Mount Olive 637 (+61)
6. Anderson 656 (+80)
7. Queens 659 (+83)
8. Erskine 668 (+92)
- 9t. Lenoir-Rhyne 674 (+98)**

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9t. Kutztown 674 (+98)

- 11. Milligan 682 (+106)
- 12. West Chester 686 (+110)
- 13. Concord 698 (+122)
- 14. Belmont Abbey 710 (+134)
- 15. Barton 801 (+225)

Lenoir-Rhyne's Individuals

- 11t. Katie Thackerson 154 (+10)
- 37t. Grace Brahler 168 (+24)
- 56t. Megan Katsch 173 (+29)
- 69. Ashley Shealy 179 (+35)

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