

Dominican Golf Team Having a Fun Season

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Even though the Dominican golf team only consists of eight players, they make up for their lack of numbers with talented athletes who bring fun personalities to the course. Leading the way for the Knights are regular varsity players Peter Linn, Max Apostolos, Sam Bazan, Victor Miller and Teddy Balistreri. Also competing for Dominican are Tommy Popalisky, Anthony Pollman, and the lone female of the group, Ashley Stern. Because Dominican does not have a girls golf team (whose season is in the fall), Ashley plays with the boys and holds her own on the greens. "I'm glad just to be playing golf and it's really fun to beat the guys," said Stern.

One of the up and coming Dominican golfers is Sam Bazan, who through hours of practice during the off-season, has developed into one of Dominican's top golfers. "Going to the golf dome in the winter time has really helped my swing develop," said Bazan. He recently shot a 50 during a conference meet at Brown Deer, one of Dominican's three "home courses".

When the team is not competing in meets, they practice at Drezka Park, Lincoln Park, or the Brown Deer golf course. Most enjoy playing at Brown Deer the best because it is an actual PGA field. In recent meets, Dominican has finished tenth, seventh, and sixth. With more practice and a group of young core players, the Knights look to continue to improve and eventually compete for tournament championships in the years to come.