

Katahira Leads Daytona State College to victory at Jacksonville University Golf Classic and wins Individual title by setting tournament record

Jacksonville, FL (February 23, 2010) Led by the performance of freshman, Mitsuki Katahira (Tokyo, Japan), the Daytona State Women's Golf Team won the Jacksonville University Golf Classic by 14 strokes and set a tournament scoring record in the process. After carding 73 in the opening round, Katahira shot a 1-under 71 to win the individual title by 2 strokes. This is the 4th team title for the Lady Falcons this year. Daytona State (596 +20) finished 14 strokes better than 2nd place Stetson University (610 +34) and 29 strokes better than 3rd place University of Cincinnati (625 +49). Samford University (631 +55) and Florida Gulf Coast University (635 +59) rounded out the top 5 in the 11 team field.

First round leader Amy West (Valrico, FL) finished 3rd with scores of 69-78. West set a tournament record in the 1st round with her 3-under par 69. Other finishers for Daytona State include Jennifer Gartin (Port St. Lucie, FL) who finished in 6th place with scores of 76-76, Ericka Schneider (Bradenton, FL) who finished tied for 12th with scores of 80-76, Ashley Mooney (Port St. Lucie, FL) who finished tied for 16th with scores of 83-75 and Cassie Cleary (Punta Gorda, FL) who finished tied for 40th with scores of 85-82.

The Lady Falcons will be back in action at the Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational hosted by Rollins College March 8th and 9th at Alaqua Country Club in Lake Mary, FL.

