

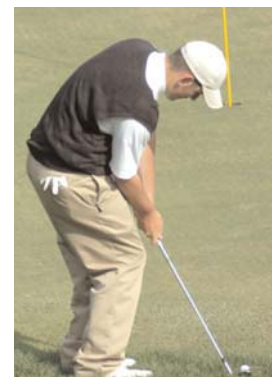
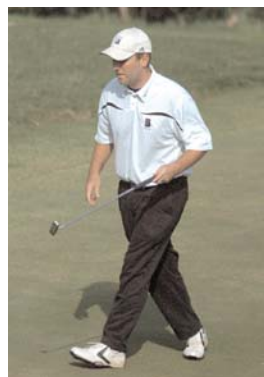


# GOLF



## Program Highlights

- \* The Royals have won four championships in its previous affiliation with the Middle Atlantic States Collegiate Athletic Corporation, more commonly known as the Middle Atlantic Conference
- \* Current head coach **Ed Karpovich** is the only player in University of Scranton history to win two Middle Atlantic Conference individual championships when he captured medalist honors in 1974 and 1976; **Will Carey III** and **J.T. Yarem** are the Royals' other conference champions, having won the 1988 and 2005 titles, respectively.
- \* Karpovich, Carey, **Dr. Andrew Panko**, who finished runner-up at the 1970 MAC championships and third in 1969, and **Len Coleman**, who had two top-five MAC championship finishes, are members of the University's prestigious Wall of Fame
- \* The Royals practice and play their home matches at the Glenmaura National Golf Club, the site of the 2000 NCAA Division I East Regional. Glenmaura National, a challenging par-71, 6,602-yard layout, also serves as host of a collegiate invitational in April, which features some of the top Division III golfers in the nation.
- \* Tryouts take place in both the fall and spring semesters; the team also competed in a number of invitationals during the fall semester in order to prepare for the spring season.
- \* The Royals will not have a conference affiliation in the sport of men's golf for the 2009 season



## Team Accomplishments

**Middle Atlantic Conf. Championships (4)**  
1973, 1975, 1976, 1988

**Top-5 at Middle Atlantic/Freedom Conference Championships (15)**  
1969 (2nd), 1970 (2nd), 1971 (5th), 1973 (1st), 1974 (3rd), 1975 (1st), 1976 (1st), 1984 (2nd), 1985 (2nd), 1986 (2nd), 1997 (4th), 1998 (5th), 1999 (3rd), 2005 (2nd, tie), 2006 (3rd), 2007 (2nd)

## Individual Accomplishments

**Top-20 at Middle Atlantic/\*Freedom Conference Championships**

1969 Andy Panko (3rd)  
1970 Andy Panko (2nd)  
1972 Len Coleman (3rd)  
1973 Len Coleman (5th)  
1974 Ed Karpovich (1st)  
1975 Ed Reybitz (t-2nd)  
Ed Karpovich (6th)  
Carl Thorsen (t-10th)  
1976 Ed Karpovich (1st)  
1984 Dennis Rakaustas (t-4th)  
1985 Will Carey (2nd)  
1986 Sandy LaFoca (t-3rd)  
Will Carey (7th)  
1987 Mike Chomicz (t-5th)  
1988 Will Carey (1st)  
Tom Guzek (t-10th)  
1994 Bruce DeSarro (2nd)  
1995 Frank Brozetti (t-16th)  
Doug Nardella (t-20th)  
1996 Keith Hesslin (t-6th)  
1997 Greg Maurer (t-13th)  
Kevin Mullen (t-15th)  
1998 Jim Ferguson (8th)  
1999 Jim Ferguson (t-11th)  
Kevin Mullen (t-13th)  
Kevin Mullen (t-11th)  
2001 Bob Stott (t-8th)  
2002 Lee Alvarez (17th)  
2003 J.T. Yarem (16th)  
2005 \*J.T. Yarem (1st)  
\*Brian Fries (9th)  
2006 \*Jeff Slivinski (t-3rd)  
\*Tom Noonan (6th)  
2007 \*Jeff Slivinski (2nd)  
\*Antero Cortez (6th)

\*Top 10 Finishes at Freedom Conference Championships

## NCAA Finishes (Individual)

Year	Name	Place
1974	Len Coleman	131st (tie)
	Ed Karpovich	150th (tie)
	Scott Wallis	150th (tie)
	Vince Matics	164th (tie)
	Ted Wolff	177th
1976	Ed Karpovich	42nd (tie)
1986	Will Carey III	44th
1987	Will Carey III	19th (tie)
	Mike Chomicz	100th (tie)



## Head Coach Ed Karpovich

Ed Karpovich will begin his 27th season as head coach of The University of

Scranton golf program during the upcoming 2009 season.

In 1999 he was instrumental in starting the Glenmaura National Collegiate Invitational, along with former King's College head coach Tom Davis, which is an annual event that attracts some of the top Division III golfers in the nation. Glenmaura serves as the Royals' home course.

During his tenure the Royals have carded an overall record of 211-100-2 in dual-match competition. He also led Scranton to a Middle Atlantic Conference team championship in 1988. That team, which featured all-American and MAC individual champion **Will Carey III**, set an all-time school record with a 24-0 regular season mark. Eighteen of his players have earned all-Middle Atlantic Conference honors, while two--**Carey** and **Mike Chomicz**--have competed in the NCAA Division III championships.

Karpovich is a 1976 graduate of the University and a member of its prestigious Wall of Fame. As a player, he led the Royals to three MAC team titles (1973, 1975, 1976), while capturing MAC individual championships in 1974 and 1976. He also competed in the 1974 and 1976 NCAA championships, finishing tied for 150th in 1974 and tied for 42nd in 1976. He currently serves as treasurer of Lackawanna County.

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