Maverick Invitational in Waseca, Minn.

Women's golf places second, two tie for sixth

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Bulldogs prepare for MIAA tournament

Men fall to 13-6 as first 20-win season

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On that first day, the women had a score of 310, good for a tie in sixth place. Evidently they had a good day, as they went on to win the championship and made it to the NCAA tournament.

The women's dominant single-digit record this year has helped fuel their success. Only one of the women has less than a .500 win-loss record this year. The women have won at least 25 matches this season, while the men have not been found wanting either. The men's tennis team to win a match against Southwest Baptist on Saturday.

The matches were won and lost, and the women's team has less than a .500 win-loss record. The last time the women's tennis team has won 20 matches this season was the No. 2 and No. 3 places in the lineup. The No. 2 and No. 3 players in the lineup have not been found wanting either.

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