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Steven Fisk, Archer Price and Jake Storey are all in the top-5.
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Men's Golf

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DULUTH, Ga. – [Steven Fisk](#) rolled in 14 birdies and shot 66-66=132 to lead the Georgia Southern men's golf team to the top of the leaderboard after 36 holes at the Autotrader Collegiate Classic Monday at Berkeley Hills Country Club.

Fisk (-12), who tied the lowest round in his collegiate career, is atop the individual leaderboard, while [Archer Price](#) (-4) and [Jake Storey](#) (-4) are tied for third. Price shot 72-68=140, and Storey carded a 73-67=140.

Georgia Southern (-18) shot 283-275 as a team and topped the second-lowest score in the second round by 10 strokes. Tournament host Georgia State (+5) is in second, followed by Notre Dame (+6). The Fighting Irish finished first over the Eagles in their home tournament last week.

[Brett Barron](#) is tied for 18th after posting 72-74=146, and [Luukas Alakulppi](#) shot 79-80=155. Individuals [Crawford Simmons](#) posted 76-76=152, and [Jacob Bayer](#) shot 77-78=155.

Georgia Southern counters played the four par 5s on the course 13-under for the day, including 9-under in the second round, and Fisk played the long holes 7-under. The Eagles posted 36 birdies on the day.

The story – Rd. 2

Fisk tallied eight birdies in the round, including two of his first six holes. After a double bogey on hole 1, the only blemish on his card for the day, he birdied four of the next

six holes and added birdies on two of his final three holes for good measure.

Price birdied three of his first five holes to start the afternoon, parred six in a row on the front nine and finished the day with a birdie on the par-4, 455-yard 13th.

Storey birdied his first hole of the afternoon and played his first 11 holes 4-under with birdies on holes 3, 6 and 7. The senior had just one blemish on his card and played the final five holes 2-under with birdies at holes 10 and 12.

Barron made par on 16 of 18 holes in the second round, starting the session with 10 in a row and finishing the day with par on his last four holes.

The story – Rd. 1

Fisk posted six birdies in the round, including his final three holes, and kept his card clean. He started the day on hole 13 and wound up shooting 32 on the back after

posting a 34 on the front for a 66.

Price birdied hole 16 and capped his round with 11 consecutive pars for a 72, while Barron notched three birdies on the front nine and closed the round with par or better on 11 straight holes, including a birdie on the par-5 7th for a 72.

Storey started the day with four straight pars and ran off 11 straight holes with par or better, posting birdies on 7 and 12 to shoot 73.

Quotables from Coach [Carter Collins](#)

"The course and weather conditions changed dramatically from our practice round to today, but the team did a great job of adjusting."

"Tomorrow will be a challenge to stay focused on the task at hand but growth always includes some challenging times to learn from. It will be a fun opportunity and we are looking forward to it!"

Next up

The Eagles are paired with Georgia State, Notre Dame and Lipscomb for tomorrow's third and final round. GS tees off hole 1 at 9:05 a.m.

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