

**East Lake Cup Women – Match Play**  
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**COACH DEREK RADLEY**  
**Oregon**



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**Q. What impressed you most about the way your players managed the intensity of this tournament?**

**COACH DEREK RADLEY:** Yeah, boy, there were some tough conditions. I think we talked about it's the same for both teams that are playing against each other, for them to just try and stay as mentally tough as possible.

Yeah, so Northwestern's obviously a fantastic team. We lost to them last year in the final four and they obviously went on to win the whole thing. To especially get another opportunity against them today, I'm really proud that we came out on top.

**Q. What do you think made the biggest difference for Oregon today?**

**COACH DEREK RADLEY:** You know, to be honest, I think with how wet it got out there, it played long. So we have a really good ball-striking team and I think for the -- for us to try to just stick to our game plan and trust that we can hit the shots. I saw a lot of really good shots out there even in tough conditions I think was a big reason why we came out on top today.

**Q. How does a win like this set the tone heading into --**

**COACH DEREK RADLEY:** Yeah, it's huge. This is our third time being here, right, and I said hopefully third time's a charm. So for us to win is really, really special. So we'll certainly lean on this as we go hopefully to the National Championship and see what we can do in the spring.

