



IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SCHROCK, A FAMILIAR FACE, TAKES OVER GIRLS GOLF PROGRAM

Nappanee, IN - NorthWood Director of Athletics, Roman Smith, officially announced the hiring of Kirsten Schrock as the next Head Coach of the Girl's Golf program Monday evening following the School Board Meeting.

Schrock, a first-time head coach, takes over a strong program whose identity and brand is known state-wide!

Head Coach, Kirsten Schrock

Schrock had this to say: "I am excited to have been given the opportunity to lead the NorthWood High School Girls Golf Team. Adam Yoder build this program into what it is today and I am looking forward to continuing to build on the success of this program. I am so grateful for the support I have received so far and for the support I know I will continue to receive."

Director of Athletics, Roman Smith

"We are happy to welcome back Kirsten to the NorthWood family, this time in a new role" Smith said. "Kirsten has been a part of NorthWood Golf and has a great understanding of the game. Her passion for golf and teaching will help our student-athletes maximize their talents! Kirsten has an excitement about her that will permeate through her players and is a perfect fit for NorthWood. With her previous experience, I know that the future will be very bright for our Lady Panther Golfers!"

Schrock is a graduate of NorthWood High School, where she played varsity golf under former Coach Adam Yoder. During her time at NorthWood High School she was a two-time Team NLC Champion, two-time IHSAA Team Sectional Champion, two-time IHSAA Team Regional Runner-Up, and a two-time IHSAA Team State Finalist. During Schrock's senior year, she was the Individual Runner-Up in the NLC Tournament and the Individual Co-Runner up in the IHSAA Sectional Tournament with former teammate Makenna Gall.

Since then, Kirsten went on to play on the Women's Golf Team for three semesters at Taylor University. For several years, Schrock volunteered with the NorthWood Middle School Girls' Golf Team in the Spring, many of which will now be making the transition to the high school ranks.