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## Rylan Wotherspoon

### Cooper High School



Cooper high school senior Rylan Wotherspoon is a former Kentucky Mr. Golf winner (the only Northern Kentucky golfer ever to win this award) and a golfing All-American.

Rylan first started playing varsity golf in the seventh grade and entering his senior season he already had been the medalist in 28 invitationals, a school record. Prior to his junior year, he won the Greater Cincinnati Junior Met by six strokes with a two-day total of 4-under 140. He was the KHSAA state runner-up last season and at the Kentucky state championships this season, he carded a five-shot over par 149 to finish tied for 3th place. This past summer, he won the KGCA All-State Championship, with rounds of 69 and 71, finishing three under par.

Rylan is a four-time conference champion and a three-time regional champion, and has been named first team all-state three times. He was the Kentucky Golf Coaches' Player of the Year and was a match play competitor at the U.S. Junior Amateur Championships.

An honor student with a 4.2 GPA, Rylan is active in community service and has committed to play golf next year at the University of Cincinnati. His favorite athlete is Conor McGregor, favorite entertainer is Sebastian Maniscalco, favorite book is Of Mice and Men, favorite movie is Us and most-like-to-meet is Tiger Woods.



**NAME:** Rylan Wotherspoon  
**GRADUATING YEAR:** 2022  
**SCHOOL:** Cooper High School  
**SPORT:** Golf  
**ACHIEVEMENT:** Kentucky Mr. Golf & making Rolex All-American team  
**HEIGHT:** 5'9"-160 lbs.  
**PARENTS:** Adam & Michelle  
**INFLUENCE:** "Mom and dad."  
**FUTURE GOAL:** Play on the PGA tour

"Rylan is the hardest worker I have ever coached. He practices every day and maintains his grades. He is a natural leader and a great teammate. He is an incredible person and athlete."

- Patrick Dragan, Varsity Golf Coach

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