

Meade Slonaker
2015-2020

Meade Slonaker ended his Varsity Golf career in the most unexpected way, with the cancellation of the 2020 Spring season due to the Covid-19 Pandemic. In his only match of the 2020 season, he shot the lowest match of his career, as well as a school record, shooting a 31 against North Cross. Amidst a number of disappointments, including not being able to have a season playing alongside his brother Ryan, Meade was unable to defend his VISAA D3 Individual State Championship.

2019 was a banner year for Slonaker. For the entire season he averaged a 37.3 for 9-holes and was the low scorer in all of his matches. He finished first in the VIC Championships and shot a 73 to win the 18-hole individual VISAA D3 Championship. With this win he became the first golfer in EMS history to win a state title. In addition to winning the state championship, he was named the VISAA D3 Golfer of the Year. Locally, he was named the Daily News Record Golfer of the Year.

Meade was no stranger to success over his years at EMS. He was named first team VIC his 8th grade-Junior years. His Freshman and Sophomore years he was the 2nd place finisher in the VISAA State match and earned 1st Team All VISAA Honors his Freshman, Sophomore and Junior years. Not only was Slonaker successful as an individual, he was part of a successful team. The team finished 3rd in the VISAA his Freshman year, 2nd his Sophomore year and 3rd his Junior year.

Outside of EMS, Meade has been one of the top ranked golfers in Virginia. He has been ranked as high as 13th in Virginia in the class of 2020 by the Junior Golf Scoreboard with a handicap of +1.3. He was the Champion of the College Prep Tour Trevor Times Memorial Tournament at Kingsmill, a Medalist of the AJGA Qualifier at Ford's Colony, a VSGA Junior Match Play qualifier 3 times and VSGA Junior Stroke Play qualifier 3 times.

Meade will continue his golf career at Hampden-Sydney College.