

# 2009 PAC Men's Tennis Release

## Week 2 - March 16



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### 2009 PAC STANDINGS (through March 15)

School	PAC Contests			All Contests		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Washington & Jefferson	1	0	1.00	1	0	1.00
Grove City	0	0	.000	3	0	1.00
Westminster	0	0	.000	1	3	.250
Thomas More	0	0	.000	0	0	.000
Waynesburg	0	0	.000	0	2	.000
Bethany	0	1	.000	0	2	.000
Saint Vincent*				3	4	.429

\* - NCAA Division III provisional member - not eligible for 2008 PAC championship or player of the week honors

#### LAST WEEK

Monday, March 9, 2009

WASH. & JEFF. 8, Bethany 1\*

Wednesday, March 11, 2009

Grove City 9, SAINT VINCENT 0\*  
 NOTRE DAME (OH) 9, Bethany 0

Friday, March 13, 2009

SAINT VINCENT 5, Notre Dame (OH) 4

Saturday, March 14, 2009

Grove City 7, OBERLIN 2

Sunday, March 15, 2009

Concordia (WI) 9, Westminster 0!

! - at Hilton Head Island, S.C.

#### THIS WEEK

Tuesday, March 17, 2009

Westminster vs. St. Norbert! - noon

Wednesday, March 18, 2009

Waynesburg at Marietta - 3 p.m.

Thursday, March 19, 2009

Westminster vs. Nazareth! - 11:30 a.m.  
 Mount Union at Grove City - 3 p.m.  
 Thomas More at Mount St. Joseph - 4 p.m.

Saturday, March 21, 2009

Grove City at Malone - 1 p.m.

! - at Hilton Head Island, S.C.

### PAC Player of the Week

#### CHRISTOPHER FAULK

Wash. & Jeff.

#1 singles/#1 doubles

Junior

Washington, Pa.

Washington H.S.



Faulk led W&J to a season-opening 8-1 PAC victory over

visiting Bethany by recording a pair of wins at #1 singles (6-1, 6-0) and #1 doubles (8-3) with teammate **Pat Kennedy**.

Also nominated was sophomore **Cory Winters** of Bethany, junior **Peter Davis** of Grove City, and junior **Fred Romeo** of Westminster.

### PAC MEN'S TENNIS 2009 - Week 2 Conference Notes

**WHO'S HOT:** Defending conference champion Grove City improved to a perfect 3-0 on the season with victories over PAC foe Saint Vincent (9-0) and NAIA member Notre Dame (Ohio) (7-2) ... Saint Vincent also recorded a victory over Notre Dame, as the Bearcats edged the visitors 5-4 with **Steven Filipiak** and **Daniel Chirdon** each posting a pair of wins ... W&J opened play in 2009 with an 8-1 PAC victory over Bethany.

**AROUND THE LEAGUE:** Westminster opened its Spring Break trip to Hilton Head Island, S.C., on Sunday with a 9-0 non-conference loss to Concordia (Wisc.) ... The Titans conclude the trip with matches against Saint Norbert and Nazareth later this week ... Thomas More opens the 2009 season at local rival Mount St. Joseph on Thursday ... Bethany opened with losses to W&J (1-8) and Notre Dame (0-9).

**Bethany  
Bison  
(0-2, 0-1 PAC)**



Bethany dropped their first two matches of the season last week, falling to W&J 8-1 and Notre Dame (Ohio) 9-0 ... The only victory for BC against W&J came at #6 singles, where sophomore **Cory Winters** won 7-6, 7-6 ... The Bison are off for spring break and will return to the courts March 24 with their first home match against Saint Vincent.

**Grove City  
Wolverines  
(3-0, 0-0 PAC)**



Grove City improved to 3-0 by earning two road wins last week ... Wednesday, GCC earned a 9-0 win at Saint Vincent ... **Peter Davis, Ricky Garrett, Kyle Johnson** and **John Moyer** all earned two victories each ... The Wolverines extended their overall win streak to six Saturday by downing host Oberlin 7-2 ... Garrett moved to first singles and earned a 6-0, 6-2 win ... Davis, Garrett and Johnson all secured two wins at Oberlin ... **Bill DeRocha** joined Johnson for a shutout win at No. 2 doubles while freshman **Scott Yanak** won 6-0, 6-0 at sixth singles ... Grove City is 3-0 for the first time since 2004.

**Saint Vincent  
Bearcats  
(3-4)**



After opening the week with a 9-0 loss to Grove City on Wednesday, the Bearcats snapped their four-match losing streak with a 5-4 home win over NAIA foe Notre Dame College (OH) on Friday. **Daniel Chirdon** picked up the straight-set win in singles play, while **Steven Filipiak** and **Tyler Camaione** both won in three sets. SVC also won two of three doubles matches, with the teams of Filipiak/**Zac Parkhill** and Chirdon/**Troy Smith** picking up wins ... Saint Vincent is now off until March 24.

**Thomas More  
Saints  
(0-0, 0-0 PAC)**



Thomas More opens the 2009 tennis season on March 19, when the Saints travel to face local rival Mount St. Joseph in Cincinnati at 4 p.m.

**Washington & Jefferson  
Presidents  
(1-0, 1-0 PAC)**



The W&J men's tennis team opened its 2009 season with an 8-1 PAC victory over Bethany College on Monday afternoon at the Janet L. Swanson Tennis Courts ... The Presidents won 5-of-6 singles matches and swept the three doubles contests by a combined score of 25-10 ... Junior **Christopher Faulk** began the season with victories at No. 1 singles (6-1, 6-0) and No. 1 doubles (8-3) ... He teamed with sophomore **Pat Kennedy** to claim the doubles match ... W&J will wait two weeks before returning to action on March 27th when hosting Westminster at 3:30 pm.

**Waynesburg  
Yellow Jackets  
(0-2, 0-0 PAC)**



The Waynesburg University men's tennis team enjoyed a spring break free of competition this past week after playing two matches in February ... The Jackets return to action on Wednesday, March 18, when they travel to Ohio to take on Marietta ... The last time Waynesburg faced off with Marietta was in 2007 ... The Yellow Jackets won that match 5-4.

**2009 PAC MEN'S TENNIS PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

March 9: **Ricky Garrett**, #2 singles/#2 doubles, So., Grove City  
March 16: **Christopher Faulk**, #1 singles/#1 doubles, Jr., Wash. & Jeff.  
March 23:  
March 30:  
April 6:  
April 13:

**Westminster  
Titans  
(1-3, 0-0 PAC)**



The Westminster men's tennis team lost the first of three matches held in Hilton Head Island, S.C., on Sunday, losing 9-0 to Concordia (Wisc.) ... The closest matches came at No. 2 doubles and singles where junior **Fred Romeo** and **Scott Lawrence** lost 9-8 and 7-2 in a tiebreaker in the doubles match and Romeo lost 6-1, 6-2 in the singles match ... The Titans play Saint Norbert on Tuesday and Nazareth on Thursday.

## Bethany Bison 0-2, 0-1 PAC

Mar. 9	at Wash. & Jeff.	L 1-8
Mar. 11	at Notre Dame (Ohio)	L 0-9
Mar. 24	SAINT VINCENT*	4 p.m.
Mar. 28	at Thomas More*	1:30 p.m.
Mar. 30	MARIETTA	3 p.m.
Mar. 31	at Waynesburg*	3 p.m.
April 5	WESTMINSTER*	1 p.m.
April 6	at Grove City*	3 p.m.
April 8	NOTRE DAME (OH)	4 p.m.
April 14	WASH. & JEFF.	3:30 p.m.
Apr. 17-18	PAC Championships	8:30 a.m.

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## Grove City Wolverines 3-0, 0-0 PAC

Mar. 6	at Penn State-Behrend	W 9-0
Mar. 11	at Saint Vincent*	W 9-0
Mar. 14	at Oberlin	W 7-2
Mar. 19	MOUNT UNION	3 p.m.
Mar. 21	at Malone	1 p.m.
Mar. 24	at Waynesburg*	3 p.m.
Mar. 26	CARNEGIE MELLON	4 p.m.
Mar. 28	WASH. & JEFF.*	11 a.m.
Mar. 31	ALLEGHENY	3:30 p.m.
April 3	at Westminster*	4 p.m.
April 4	vs. Thomas More (at WES)	noon
April 6	BETHANY*	3 p.m.
Apr. 17-18	PAC Championships	8:30 a.m.

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April 25 WALSH noon

## Saint Vincent Bearcats 3-4

Feb. 17	WAYNESBURG*	W 5-4
Feb. 23	WESTMINSTER*	W 7-2
Feb. 28	at Northwood (FL)	L 0-9
Mar. 4	at St. Thomas (FL)	L 0-9
Mar. 5	at Palm Beach Atlantic	L 0-9
Mar. 11	GROVE CITY*	L 0-9
Mar. 13	NOTRE DAME (OH)	W 5-4
Mar. 24	at Bethany*	4 p.m.
Mar. 31	at Penn State-Altoona	3 p.m.
April 2	THOMAS MORE*	9 p.m.
April 6	at Wash. & Jeff.*	3:30 p.m.

## Thomas More Saints 0-0, 0-0 PAC

Mar. 19	at Mount St. Joseph	4 p.m.
Mar. 24	at Wilmington	4 p.m.
Mar. 25	at Transylvania	4 p.m.
Mar. 28	BETHANY*	1:30 p.m.
Mar. 30	MIAMI-HAMILTON	4 p.m.
April 2	at Saint Vincent*	9 p.m.
April 3	at Waynesburg*	
April 4	at Westminster*	10 a.m.
April 7	at Mount St. Joseph	4 p.m.
April 10	WASH. & JEFF.*	3:30 p.m.
April 11	at Asbury	10 a.m.
April 11	at Centre	2 p.m.
April 14	WILMINGTON	3 p.m.
Apr. 17-18	PAC Championships	8:30 a.m.

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## Wash. & Jeff. Presidents 1-0, 1-0 PAC

Mar. 9	BETHANY	W 8-1
Mar. 27	WESTMINSTER*	3:30 p.m.
Mar. 28	at Grove City*	3:30 p.m.
Mar. 30	at Pitt-Greensburg	12:30 p.m.
April 2	at Waynesburg*	3 p.m.
April 6	SAINT VINCENT*	3:30 p.m.
April 10	at Thomas More*	3:30 p.m.
April 14	at Bethany	3:30 p.m.
April 15	PITT-GREENSBURG	3:30 p.m.
Apr. 17-18	PAC Championships	8:30 a.m.

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## Waynesburg Yellow Jackets 0-2, 0-0 PAC

Feb. 17	at Saint Vincent*	L 4-5
Feb. 21	at Penn State-Behrend	L 0-9
Mar. 18	at Marietta	3 p.m.
Mar. 24	GROVE CITY*	3 p.m.
Mar. 26	at Fairmont State	TBA
Mar. 28	WESTMINSTER*	11 a.m.
Mar. 31	BETHANY*	3 p.m.
April 2	WASH. & JEFF.*	3 p.m.
April 3	THOMAS MORE*	TBA
April 8	at Penn State-Altoona	3 p.m.
April 14	at Frostburg State	3 p.m.
Apr. 17-18	PAC Championships	8:30 a.m.

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April 25 at Lancaster Bible 2 p.m.

## Westminster Titans 1-3, 0-0 PAC

Feb. 23	at Saint Vincent*	L 2-7
Feb. 27	at Penn State-Behrend	L 1-8
Mar. 5	at Pitt-Greensburg	W 9-0
Mar. 15	vs. Concordia (WI)!	L 0-9
Mar. 17	vs. Saint Norbert!	noon
Mar. 19	vs. Nazareth!	11:30 a.m.
Mar. 27	at Wash. & Jeff.*	3:30 p.m.
Mar. 28	at Waynesburg*	11 a.m.
Mar. 29	FROSTBURG STATE	1 p.m.
April 3	GROVE CITY*	4 p.m.
April 4	THOMAS MORE*	11 a.m.
April 5	at Bethany*	1 p.m.
April 8	PITT-GREENSBURG	4 p.m.
April 14	at Allegheny	4 p.m.
Apr. 17-18	PAC Championships	8:30 a.m.

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