



MEN'S TENNIS 2005

Presidents' Athletic Conference

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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through April 17, 2005)

| School | PAC Matches | | | All Matches | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|---|------|-------------|----|------|
| | W | L | Pct. | W | L | Pct. |
| Grove City College | 4 | 0 | 1.00 | 10 | 4 | .714 |
| Washington & Jefferson College | 4 | 1 | .800 | 6 | 3 | .667 |
| Waynesburg College | 3 | 1 | .750 | 8 | 7 | .533 |
| Thiel College | 1 | 3 | .250 | 4 | 6 | .400 |
| Westminster College | 1 | 4 | .200 | 5 | 10 | .333 |
| Bethany College | 0 | 4 | .000 | 3 | 5 | .375 |

RECENT RESULTS

Monday, April 11

THIEL 5, Seton Hill 4

Allegheny 7, GROVE CITY 2

Tuesday, April 12

Washington & Jefferson 6, WAYNESBURG 3*

Westminster 8, BETHANY 1*

Wednesday, April 13

WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 9, Bethany 0

GROVE CITY 8, Thiel 1

Thursday, April 14

WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 6, Thiel 3*

Waynesburg 7, PENN STATE-ALTOONA 2

Friday, April 15

GROVE CITY 7, Westminster 2

Saturday, April 16

GROVE CITY 9, Frostburg State 0

EZLIABETHTOWN 7, Waynesburg 0

Sunday, April 17

John Carroll 7, WESTMINSTER 2

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, April 18

Grove City at Waynesburg* - 3 p.m.

Tuesday, April 19

Hiram at Bethany - 4 p.m.

Waynesburg at Muskingum - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, April 20

Malone at Grove City - 3 p.m.

Thursday, April 21

Bethany at Thiel* - 3 p.m.

Friday-Saturday, April 22-23

2005 PAC Men's Tennis Championships

Pennbriar Fitness & Racquet Club - Erie, Pa.

PAC MEN'S TENNIS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

DOUG JOHNSTON

Washington & Jefferson College

Junior - #5 singles #2 doubles

Valencia, Pa./North Catholic H.S.

Johnston led W&J to three victories last week by going a perfect 3-0 at both fifth singles and second doubles with Ali Nemazee. He won all three singles matches in straight sets to run his win streak to six straight matches.

Also nominated was freshman **Chris Baker** of Grove City, senior **Nate Smucker** of Waynesburg, and junior **Ben Libert** of Westminster.

PAC MEN'S TENNIS NOTES

Bethany Bison

The Bison men continue to search for their elusive first conference victory in the **Aaron Huffman** era ... This week, the only players to score a win in their two conference losses to Westminster and Washington & Jefferson were **Pat Greene** and **Tyler Kowcheck** ... The No. 2 doubles team defeated Westminster's combo 9-7 to lead Bethany ... The Bison have one remaining chance to pull off a conference victory before heading to the PAC Championships this week as they suit up against Thiel Thursday before the weekend tournament.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

The W&J men's tennis team extended its winning streak to five matches with three victories this week ... The Presidents clinched second place in the PAC regular-season standings after posting 6-3 wins over Waynesburg and Thiel ... Junior **Doug Johnston** won all three of his singles matches during the week and also picked up three doubles wins with junior playing partner **Ali Nemazee** ... Johnston has won six straight decisions in singles play ... Junior **Gary Tan** won all three of his singles matches, including a three-set victory over defending PAC Player of the Year **Matt Otis** of Waynesburg ... Freshman **Jeff Tomaino** rolled off three wins this week in singles actions ... Tan and Tomaino have each earned five straight singles victories.

Grove City Wolverines

Grove City went 3-1 last week, including a pair of wins over PAC foes ... The first doubles combination of **Brent Moon** and **Brock Thompson** went 4-0 last week, as did the second doubles pairing of **Chris Baker** and **Phil Springirth** ... All four athletes went 3-1 in singles action ... All four matches were at the Grove City College Courts ... The Wolverines wrap up PAC regular season action Monday afternoon at Waynesburg ... The Wolverines are looking to complete their sixth straight undefeated season in conference play ... Grove City will look to secure its 15th straight PAC championship this weekend at the Pennbriar Athletic Club in Erie.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg saw its win streak snapped at six when it lost to PAC foe W&J Tuesday ... The Yellow Jackets responded with a 7-2 non-league win at Penn State-Altoona Thursday before losing 7-0 at Elizabethtown Saturday ... Against the Presidents, Waynesburg took a 2-1 lead into singles play, where W&J won five of the six matches ... Senior **Nate Smucker** posted multiple victories against W&J as he teamed with classmate **Ryan Floyd** for a 9-7 victory at No. 3 doubles before posting a straight-set victory at No. 6 singles ... Waynesburg swept all six singles match vs. Altoona ... Floyd and Smucker each earned multiple victories over the Lions, including their team-best 10th victory of the spring season when posted an 8-3 victory in No. 3 doubles.

Thiel Tomcats

Thiel finished the week 1-3 with a pair of PAC road losses ... In the 5-4 win over Seton Hill, the Tomcats picked up a pair of wins in doubles action with juniors **Brian Gowday** and **Dennis Wright** winning at first doubles while sophomores **Keith Williams** and **Geno Bianco** earned an 8-5 win at second doubles ... Williams won 6-4, 6-2 at second singles and Bianco picked up a 6-4, 6-4 win at third singles ... Gowday came from a set down to win 6-7 (4-7), 6-3, 6-1 at number one singles ... Junior **Zach Richards** earned the lone win for the Tomcats in the Grove City loss by winning 3-6, 6-3 (10-5) at number five singles ... Against W&J, the third doubles team of Richards and sophomore **Mark Coney** earned a 9-7 win.

Westminster Titans

Westminster closed its dual match schedule with a 1-2 week, posting its first PAC win at Bethany (8-1) before dropping 7-2 decisions to Grove City and John Carroll ... Four Titans were double winners against the Bison ... The senior duo of **Sam Seo** and **Dave Molitor** won at #1 and #2 singles, respectively, while teaming to capture #1 doubles ... Junior **Ben Libert** and freshman **Gene Cunningham** teamed to capture #3 doubles, while also winning #3 and #5 singles, respectively ... Singles winners included junior **Bryan Gesinski** at #4 and classmate **Ryan Mistovich** at #6 ... Posting wins at GCC were Mistovich at #6 and the #3 doubles team of Libert and Cunningham ... Molitor and Libert won at #2 and #3 singles, respectively, vs. JCU.

Past PAC Men's Tennis Players of the Week

March 6: **Matt Otis**, So., Waynesburg

March 13: **Dave Molitor**, Sr., Westminster

March 20: **Brent Moon**, Jr., Grove City

March 27: **Keith Williams**, So., Thiel

April 3: **John McLane**, So., Bethany

April 10: **Nate Smucker**, Sr., Waynesburg

April 17: **Doug Johnston**, Jr., Washington & Jefferson