

Official Press Release



2008 UMAC MEN'S TENNIS POST-SEASON TOURNAMENT DAY 1 RECAP

Northwestern College Holds Slim Advantage

April 25, Minneapolis, Minn. – Northwestern College completed the opening day of the 2008 Upper Midwest Athletic Conference (UMAC) men's tennis post-season tournament championship with a slim advantage over regular-season champion College of St. Scholastica. Northwestern owned two of three doubles flight champions and will look to hold off the rest of the league competitors in tomorrow's singles play. Held at the University of Minnesota *Baseline Tennis Center*, the two-day event will wrap-up on Saturday with play-in, semi-final and championship rounds of singles flights. Both individual flight champions and a team champion will be recognized.

Team Standings After Day 1

Northwestern College (NWC)	8 points
College of St. Scholastica (CSS)	7 points
Bethany Lutheran College (BLC)	3 points
University of Minnesota-Morris (UMM)	2 points
Martin Luther College (MLC)	1 point

Flight Champions

- #1 Doubles – Scott Hawley & Brendan Anderson (College of St. Scholastica)
- #2 Doubles – Noah Persson & Jeremiah Schneck (Northwestern College)
- #3 Doubles – Stephen Fread & Josh Fread (Northwestern College)

#1 Doubles Results

- Play-In Round #5 Ryan Latterman/Devan Blaine (BLC) defeated #4 Chris Droske/Jeff Lind (UMM) 8-5
- Semi-Finals #1 Scott Hawley/Brendan Anderson (CSS) defeated #5 Ryan Latterman/Devan Blaine (BLC) 8-2
- Semi-Finals #3 John Barnes/Jordan Isaacson (NWC) defeated #2 Jon Kehl/Dan Laitinen (MLC) 8-5
- Championship #1 Scott Hawley/Brendan Anderson (CSS) defeated #3 John Barnes/Jordan Isaacson (NWC) 8-5

#2 Doubles Results

- Play-In Round #4 Michael Lukasek/Paul Webber (BLC) defeated #5 Alex Vandenberg/David Zuberier (MLC) 8-6
- Semi-Finals #1 Will Ruckel/Ryan LaCoursiere (CSS) defeated #4 Michael Lukasek/Paul Webber (BLC) 8-0
- Semi-Finals #2 Noah Persson/Jeremiah Schneck (NWC) defeated #3 Tyson Matsin/Chris Haglin (UMM) 8-4
- Championship #2 Noah Persson/Jeremiah Schneck (NWC) defeated #1 Will Ruckel/Ryan LaCoursiere (CSS) 8-2

#3 Doubles Results

- Play-In Round #5 Kevin Daly/Corey Kelzenberg (UMM) defeated #4 Phil Hunter/David Wendland (MLC) 8-5
- Semi-Finals #1 Peter Sparby/Brady Vidovic (CSS) defeated #5 Kevin Daly/Corey Kelzenberg (UMM) 8-0
- Semi-Finals #2 Stephen Fread/Josh Fread (NWC) defeated #3 Trevor Londgren/Peter Londgren (BLC) 8-4
- Championship #2 Stephen Fread/Josh Fread (NWC) defeated #1 Peter Sparby/Brady Vidovic (CSS) 8-3

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