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Men's Tennis Release

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2009 SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Time/Result
3/6	Newman @	W, 8-1
3/6	Southeastern Oklahoma State @	W, 6-3
3/11	vs. Missouri Valley ^	W, 9-0
3/13	vs. #12 Cameron #	L, 3-6
3/14	#22 NORTHWEST BAPTIST *	W, 6-3
3/19	#29 Midwestern State \$	W, 6-3
3/20	at #8 Drury	L, 2-7
3/22	#33 East Central %	L, 3-6
3/24	at Nebraska-Kearney	W, 9-0
3/25	NEBRASKA-OMAHA *	W, 9-0
3/26	at Missouri-St. Louis	W, 6-3
4/1	ROCKHURST	W, 8-1
4/3	EMPORIA STATE *	W, 8-1
4/4	#34 WASHBURN *	L, 2-7
4/7	WILLIAM JEWELL	W, 9-0
4/10	at Truman *	W, 9-0
4/15	at Missouri-Kansas City	L, 3-4
4/17	#23 St. Edward's @	L, 3-6
4/22	GRACELAND	W, 6-3
A/25	vs. #21 Southwest Baptist †	L, 1-5
5/7	vs. #23 St. Edward's +	10 a.m.

All times listed are CST and subject to change
+ = NCAA Regional (Lawton, Okla.)

† = MIAA Championships (Kansas City, Mo.)

@ = Topeka, Kan.

^ = St. Joseph, Mo.

= Bolivar, Mo.

\$ = Kansas City, Mo. (Rockhurst)

% = Tulsa, Okla.

* = MIAA match

Service Aces...

- ▶ Northwest is making its fourth straight NCAA tournament appearance and 21st overall. The Bearcats have made 12 appearances in the last 15 years.
- ▶ Northwest has won its regional and advanced to nationals three times since 2003
- ▶ Northwest is ranked #6 in the six-team regional. Northeastern is ranked #3.
- ▶ St. Edward's beat Northwest 6-3 less than three weeks ago in Topeka, Kan.

2009 NCAA TOURNAMENT

South Central Region #2

Schedule:

May 7: #6 NW (14-6) vs. #3 St. Edward's (13-11)

May 8: #2 Cameron (20-9) vs. May 7 winner

Location: Lawton, Okla. (Cameron Univ.)

Polls: Cameron is ranked #11 in the latest ITA National Rankings; St. Edward's is #23; Northwest is #25

Series History: St. Edward's leads the all-time series 3-0 including a 6-3 win back on April 17. The Hilltoppers also won 7-2 last season and 6-0 in 2005

Earlier Meeting: St. Edward's won all three doubles matches en route to its 6-3 win. The Bearcats scored wins at No. 1, No. 3 and No. 4 singles. St. Edward's won three-set matches at No. 5 and No. 6 singles. The closest doubles match score was 8-5 at No. 2.



Northwest takes on St. Edward's in a first-round NCAA tournament match Thursday at 10 a.m. in Lawton, Okla.

2009 LINEUP

SINGLES		Record	NCAA Tourn.	Year	Hometown (Previous School)
1	Daniel Usieto	17-7	3-4	Sr.	Barcelona, Spain (LaSalle Reus HS)
2	Felipe Gennari	17-6	2-1	Jr.	Sao Paulo, Brazil (Wichita Heights HS)
3	Vijit Sehgal	14-10	0-2	So.	Faridabad, India (Dehli-St. Columbia's)
4	Ryan Westerhof	13-6	--	Fr.	Benoni, South Africa (St. Dunstan's)
5	Giovanni Auricchio	12-10	--	So.	Sao Paulo, Brazil
6	Calvin Patterson	14-5	--	Fr.	Edmonton, Alberta (St. Joseph's HS)

DOUBLES		Record
1	Usieto/Sehgal	16-9
2	Westerhof/Gennari	10-7
3	Adeyemi/Patterson	7-6

	MIAA			Overall		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
WU (33)	5	0	1.00	12	5	.706
NWMSU (25)	4	1	.800	14	7	.667
SBU (21)	3	2	.600	12	7	.632
TSU	2	3	.400	8	6	.571
ESU	1	4	.200	7	8	.467
UNO	0	5	.000	7	10	.412

(#) - Campbell's ITA Division II Top 40 rankings

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Northwest Missouri State University Athletic Media Relations will provide pre-match notes, cumulative statistics, media guides and game programs prior to each Bearcat home match. Complete match statistics will be available approximately 10 minutes after the conclusion of each game.

Questions regarding the press access or requests for credentials should be made through the Northwest Athletic Media Relations Office, located directly behind the Bearcat Arena press box.

Office Northwest Web Site

NORTHWESTBEARCATS.com (contains game notes, statistics, rosters, schedules, photos and news about the Bearcats).

Credentials

Requests for press, broadcast and photo credentials and seating space for all Northwest home tennis matches should be made in advanced by contacting the Northwest Athletic Media Relations Office.

Photographers must remain within NCAA-designated photo areas.

The Northwest Athletic Media Relations staff has the discretion to refuse credentials or revoke credentials at any time.

Interviews

Head Coach Mark Rosewell will conduct post-match interviews approximately five minutes after the conclusion of all Northwest home matches after he has had an opportunity to address the team.

All other requests for player or coach interviews must be made through the Northwest Athletic Media Relations Office. Coach Rosewell and selected players will be available at Northwest's weekly media luncheon, held Tuesdays at noon. Contact the Northwest Athletic Media Relations Office with other questions or requests in regards to interviews.

QUICK FACTS

City / Zip Maryville, Mo. 64468
Founded / Enrollment 1905 / 6,900
Nickname Bearcats
School Colors Forest Green (PANTONE 3435) and White
Facility Frank Grube Courts (4) / High Rise Courts (6)
Affiliation NCAA Division II
Conference Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association
President Dr. Dean L. Hubbard
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2008 Team Information

2008 Record 16-7
MIAA Record / Finish 3-1 / T-3rd

Coaching Staff

Head Coach Mark Rosewell
Alma Mater Central Missouri ('77)
Combined Career Record / Years 811-383 / 27th season
Men's Career Record / Years 374-215 / 27th season
Combined School Record / Years 789-356 / 25th season
Men's School Record / Years 368-196 / 25th season
Office Phone (660) 562-1312
Graduate Assistant Jake Saulsbury
Alma Mater Northwest Missouri State ('08)
Head Athletic Trainer Kelly Quinlin

History

First year of men's tennis 1953
All-Time Record 652-313-2 (.675)
MIAA Championships 14
Number of years in NCAA Tournament/last 21 / 2009
Last Result Lost, 5-2 to Washburn in Regional Semifinal

THE LAST TIME NORTHWEST

Lost at home 5-2 vs. No. 27 Washburn (5/9/08)
Lost on the road 3-4 at UMKC (4/15/09)
Lost to a ranked opponent 1-5 vs. #21 SBU (4/25/09)
Lost to a ranked opponent at home 5-2 vs. No. 27 Washburn (5/9/08)
Beat a ranked opponent 6-3 vs. No. 29 Midwestern State (3/19/09)
Swept doubles at Truman (4/14/09)
Swept singles at Truman (4/14/09)

Head Coach Mark Rosewell



Head coach Mark Rosewell begins his 25th season as head men's and women's tennis coach at Northwest Missouri State University. The 2009 season will mark his 28th as a collegiate head coach as he was the general at the University of Central Missouri prior to Northwest.

Rosewell has built Northwest into one of the strongest programs in the MIAA and the nation. He is the winningest coach in Northwest history in any sport, with 914 career coaching victories

For the sixth straight season, Rosewell led one of his teams to the NCAA Division II Round of 16, sending the women's squad to Houston, Texas. Both men's and women's teams hosted one of two North Central Regional Tournament pods May 9 and 10.

This season, Rosewell's women's team went through MIAA play undefeated at 7-0 and finished second at the MIAA Postseason Tournament. His men's squad reached as high as 26th in the ITA rankings. Rosewell also coached Kristina Vucenov to a ITA North Central singles title and a fifth-place finish in the ITA National Small College Championships.

In 2007, Rosewell guided the men's team to a No. 32 national ranking, their highest since 2004. His men's squad advanced to their third straight MIAA Championship appearance, finishing runner-up to Washburn. He also coached a men's doubles team to the ITA Small College Championships in October 2006, after hosting the ITA North Central Regional.

The 2006 women rattled off 15 straight wins to start the year and were ranked 35th in the final ITA poll. For the second consecutive season, Gena Lindsay earned MIAA Player of the Year honors and the MIAA Sportsmanship of the Year Award.

In 2003, Rosewell led a Northwest team to the NCAA Division II Quarterfinals for the second time in his tenure. The Bearcat women were 24-10 overall and reached the round of eight in the NCAA Division II Championships.

Rosewell's 2003 Bearcat women also won their third consecutive MIAA Championship.

In 2002, Rosewell led the Bearcats to both the men's and women's MIAA Championships. It was the fifth time in his career. Rosewell is the only coach in the MIAA to have pulled off the MIAA men's and women's sweep this many times.

Rosewell has guided the Bearcat men's and women's programs to 16 MIAA titles and 21 appearances in the NCAA Regionals. His 16 MIAA Championships are easily the most of any coach in Bearcat history.

His 1997 women's team won a school-record 28 matches and advanced to the NCAA Division II Quarterfinals. The women also put together a school-record 24-match winning streak that season.

Since the Lexington, Mo., native took over the Bearcat tennis teams in 1985, he has guided the men's team to a 338-182 record. Rosewell's men have garnered six MIAA Championships, three regional championships and 61 MIAA singles or doubles titles.

Over that same amount of time, the Bearcat women have put together a record of 382-150. They have won 10 MIAA titles, made two trips to the NCAA Quarterfinals and have won 76 MIAA singles or doubles championships.

YEAR-BY-YEAR MARK

Central Missouri (1983-84)

	Men	Women
1983.....	4-7	7-5
1984.....	2-12	9-3
	6-19	16-8

Northwest Missouri State (1985-present)

	Men	Women
1985.....	15-7	8-6
1986.....	15-5	12-7
1987.....	16-4*	15-2*
1988.....	15-5	13-6
1989.....	17-5	12-8
1990.....	18-3	12-5
1991.....	13-8	14-6
1992.....	14-6	22-5*
1993.....	12-9	17-4*
1994.....	13-10	18-5*
1995.....	21-3*	16-5
1996.....	21-9*	20-5*
1997.....	18-8*	28-2*
1998.....	5-12	20-5
1999.....	4-14	14-4
2000.....	13-11	12-12
2001.....	11-13*	17-11*
2002.....	16-5*	15-8*
2003.....	21-9	24-10*
2004.....	20-6	20-11
2005.....	12-13	18-11
2006.....	13-10	20-4*
2007.....	15-7	15-8
2008.....	16-7	23-5
2009.....	14-7	16-5*
	368-196	421-160

Career Totals: 811-383 (.679)

* = MIAA Championship

Rosewell has been named MIAA Men's or Women's Coach of the Year 18 times after earning the nod twice in 2006.

Due to Rosewell's efforts, Northwest has hosted 17 regional ITA fall tournaments. In Rosewell's tenure, Northwest has hosted seven NCAA Division II regional tournaments after the men and women hosted the latest tournament in 2008.

Rosewell came to Northwest from the University of Central Missouri, where he served as head men's and women's tennis coach in 1983 and 1984. He guided the UCM women to a 9-3 record, finishing third in the MIAA in 1984.

As a player at Central Missouri from 1974-77, Rosewell compiled the team's best career winning percentage in the 1970s.

After earning his bachelor's degree in physical education, Rosewell remained with the UCM program for two more years, completing work on his master's degree in industrial safety engineering. During that time, he served as the Mules' and Jennies' head coach.

Northwest Missouri State Tennis
 NW Missouri State Season Statistics (Through matches of Mar 12, 2009)

Overall: 14-7 MIAA: 4-1 Region: 6-5 Home: 6-0 Away: 4-2 Neutral: 4-5

SINGLES

Player	MP	Overall	Dual	MIAA	1	2	3	4	5	6	vs Ranked		Streak	Last10	Career
											Nat'l	Reg'l			
Adeyemi, Tony.....	7	5-2	5-0	2-0	---	---	---	---	1-0	4-0	0-0	0-0	W 5	3-0	5-3
Auricchio, Giovanni..	23	12-10	12-8	4-1	---	---	---	9-7	3-1	---	0-0	0-1	W 1	6-3	28-15
Gennari, Felipe.....	24	17-6	16-4	4-1	---	16-4	---	---	---	---	1-1	3-2	W 1	6-3	43-21
Parnell, Devon.....	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	---	---	---	---	---	---	0-0	0-0	L 1	0-1	0-1
Patterson, Calvin....	21	14-5	14-5	3-2	---	---	---	---	8-2	6-3	0-0	0-0	W 1	7-2	14-5
Sehgal, Vijit.....	24	14-10	13-8	3-2	---	---	13-8	---	---	---	0-1	0-1	L 1	7-3	29-21
Usieto, Daniel.....	24	17-7	14-7	3-2	14-7	---	---	---	---	---	1-3	3-3	L 2	7-3	52-37
Westerhof, Ryan.....	20	13-6	11-4	2-1	---	---	---	3-2	2-2	6-0	0-1	0-0	L 1	5-3	13-6
Totals.....		93-48	86-37	21-9	14-7	16-4	13-8	12-9	14-6	17-3	2-6	6-7			

DOUBLES

Players	MP	Overall	Dual	MIAA	1	2	3	vs Ranked		Streak	Last10
								Nat'l	Reg'l		
Adeyemi, Tony/Westerhof, Ryan.....	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	---	---	---	0-0	0-0	L 1	0-1
Auricchio, Giovanni/Usieto, Daniel.....	2	1-1	0-0	0-0	---	---	---	0-0	0-0	L 1	1-1
Gennari, Felipe/Sehgal, Vijit.....	1	1-0	0-0	0-0	---	---	---	0-0	0-0	W 1	1-0
Adeyemi, Tony/Auricchio, Giovanni.....	4	2-2	1-1	1-0	---	---	1-1	0-0	0-0	W 1	2-2
Sehgal, Vijit/Usieto, Daniel.....	25	16-9	13-8	4-1	13-8	---	---	1-1	1-3	L 1	6-4
Gennari, Felipe/Westerhof, Ryan.....	17	10-7	10-6	4-0	---	10-6	---	0-0	0-1	L 3	6-4
Auricchio, Giovanni/Patterson, Calvin...	5	4-1	4-1	1-0	---	---	4-1	0-0	0-0	W 3	4-1
Adeyemi, Tony/Patterson, Calvin.....	13	7-6	7-6	2-1	---	1-0	6-6	0-0	0-0	W 1	4-6
Adeyemi, Tony/Gennari, Felipe.....	4	3-1	3-1	1-0	---	3-1	---	0-0	0-0	W 1	3-1
Auricchio, Giovanni/Gennari, Felipe.....	1	1-0	1-0	0-0	---	---	1-0	0-0	0-0	W 1	1-0
Totals.....		46-28	40-23	13-2	13-8	14-7	13-8	1-1	1-4		

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	MIAA	Nation	Region
Mar 06, 2009	vs Newman.....	W 8-1	1- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	#26	#5
%Mar 06, 2009	vs Southeastern Oklahoma State...	W 6-3	2- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	#26	#5
Mar 11, 2009	vs Missouri Valley.....	W 9-0	3- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	#28	#5
%Mar 13, 2009	vs #1 Cameron.....	L 3-6	3- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	#28	#5
Mar 14, 2009	#3 SOUTHWEST BAPTIST.....	W 6-3	4- 1- 0	1- 0- 0	#28	#5
%Mar 19, 2009	vs #6 Midwestern State.....	W 6-3	5- 1- 0	1- 0- 0	#28	#5
%Mar 20, 2009	at #8 Drury.....	L 2-7	5- 2- 0	1- 0- 0	#28	
%Mar 22, 2009	vs #7 East Central.....	L 3-6	5- 3- 0	1- 0- 0	#28	#5
Mar 24, 2009	at Nebraska-Kearney.....	W 9-0	6- 3- 0	1- 0- 0	#28	
Mar 25, 2009	NEBRASKA-OMAHA.....	W 9-0	7- 3- 0	2- 0- 0	#28	#5
%Mar 26, 2009	at Missouri-St. Louis.....	W 6-3	8- 3- 0	2- 0- 0	#28	
Apr 01, 2009	ROCKHURST.....	W 8-1	9- 3- 0	2- 0- 0	#28	
%Apr 03, 2009	EMPORIA STATE.....	W 8-1	10- 3- 0	3- 0- 0	#28	#5
%Apr 04, 2009	vs #8 Washburn.....	L 2-7	10- 4- 0	3- 1- 0	#28	#5
Apr 07, 2009	WILLIAM JEWELL.....	W 9-0	11- 4- 0	3- 1- 0	#25	#5
Apr 08, 2009	at Baker.....	W 9-0	12- 4- 0	3- 1- 0	#25	#5
%Apr 14, 2009	at Truman.....	W 9-0	13- 4- 0	4- 1- 0	#25	#5
Apr 15, 2009	at Missouri-Kansas City.....	L 3-4	13- 5- 0	4- 1- 0	#25	#5
%Apr 17, 2009	vs #4 St. Edwards.....	L 3-6	13- 6- 0	4- 1- 0	#25	#5
Apr 22, 2009	GRACELAND.....	W 6-3	14- 6- 0	4- 1- 0		
Apr 26, 2009	vs #21 Southwest Baptist.....	L 1-5	14- 7- 0	4- 1- 0	#25	#5