



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

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FSU MEN'S TENNIS COMPLETES DAY ONE OF TOURNAMENT PLAY AT THE ROLEX ITA REGIONALS

CHAPEL HILL, N.C.-- The Florida State men's tennis team traveled to North Carolina Wednesday to compete in the Rolex Regional, being held on the campus of the University of North Carolina. Wednesday tournament play consisted of the qualifying rounds for singles and doubles play.

Seminole Joe Bassett was the first up for the Noles. Bassett was defeated by WFU's Andrew Simpson in the round of 64. Following with a win stepped in senior Chad Mooney who defeated Ryan Heinberg of Duke, 6-2, 6-7, 6-4, advancing him to the round of 32 where he will face Amine Elouazzani of HU Thursday at 8 a.m. Also advancing to the round of 32 will be Seminole sophomore Noah Schnell, after defeating Liberty's Bruno Coelho 7-6, 2-6, 6-4. Schnell will face Brett Mauro of WFU Thursday at 9:00 a.m. Romain Jurd fell in tournament play to UNC's Thomas Oggesen 6-7, 2-6. Following the loss came a win by sophomore Jeff Scarella. Scarella advances to the round of 32 after defeating HU's Shaun Crichlow in straight sets, 7-6, 6-3. Scarella will play again Thursday at 10:00 a.m. where he will face Erik Petterson of HP. The final match of the day in singles competition for the Seminoles ended with a loss by sophomore Rodrigo Laub. Laub fell to Greg Archer of UNC 1-6, 6-7.

In doubles play the Seminole tandem of Bassett and Jurd advanced to the round of 16 after the team of Marcos Pavlovich and Juan Yannuzzi of ETSU suffered an injury and withdrew from the match. Laub and teammate Owen faced Simon Dawson and Jonathan McGovern of UNCC, and the Seminole team of Schnell and Scarella faced Auburns Tushar Garc and Andreas Kulscar. Results were not available for these final matches.

Upcoming matches to be played consist of Seminole and No. 4 seed in singles play, Xavier Luscan. Luscan will face an unknown Friday at 9:00 a.m. Owen will face Marko Gojanovic of Clemson Friday at 8:00 a.m., freshman Alex Herrera will face CSU's Thomas Miho Friday at 12:30. In an upcoming doubles match the tandem of Herrera and Luscan will face UNC's Nicholas Monroe and Marcio Patrone Thursday evening at 5:00.

Tournament competition will resume Thursday morning, and will conclude the evening of Monday November 6th.

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NOVEMBER 2, 2000

FSU MEN'S TENNIS COMPLETES DAY 2 OF ITA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Scarella and Mooney both advanced to the singles round of 16 competition.

CHAPEL HILL, N.C.,-- The Florida State men's tennis team came out strong Thursday in the second day of tournament play at the ITA Regional Tournament.

Thursday morning in singles competition, Seminole senior Chad Mooney went up against UNC's Amine Elouazzani in the round of 32. Mooney defeated Elouazzani in straight sets, 6-2, 7-5. Mooney advanced to the round of 16 where he faced and fell to Trent Brendon of WFU. Sophomore Noah Schnell also competed in the singles round of 32 Thursday morning where he faced and fell to WFU's Brett Mauro, but not without a fight. Schnell lost to Mauro 6-7, 6-7. Jeff Scarella faced and defeated Erik Petterson of HU in the singles round of 32 in straight sets, 6-4, 6-0. Scarella advanced to the round of 16 where he fell to WFU's David Loewenthal.

In doubles play the Seminole tandem of sophomore Xavier Luscan and freshman Jerrod Owen faced UNC's Nicholas Monroe and Marcio Petrone in the round of 32, results for this match were not available. Romain Jurd and Joe Bassett teamed together in the round of 16 play where they fell to WFU's Brendon and Simpson.

Upcoming matches for the Noles will include Owen who will play in the singles round of 64 Friday at 8:00 a.m. No. 4 seed Luscan, who will face Clemson's Marko Gojanovic Friday morning. Mooney will play Florian Marquardt of VCU Friday afternoon for a chance to advance to the singles round of 32. Freshman Alex Herrera will see tournament play Friday afternoon where he faces Thomas Miho of CSU.

Tournament play at the ITA Regional will continue through to Sunday Nov. 5th.

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
NOVEMBER 3, 2000**

FLORIDA STATE MEN'S TENNIS FINISHES FIRST DAY OF SINGLES MAIN DRAW COMPETITION

CHAPEL HILL, N.C.,-- The Florida State men's tennis team has finished competition in the qualifying rounds of the ITA Rolex regional, and began competition in the main draws of both singles and doubles events Friday.

In singles competition Seminole and No. 4 seed of the tournament Xavier Luscan went up against WFU's Trent Brendon. Luscan defeated Brendon in straight sets 6-4, 6-3. Saturday morning Luscan will face Roger Anderson of Georgia Tech in the round of 32. Freshman Jerrod Owen faced Clemson's Marko Gojanovic Friday morning. Owen fell to Gojanovic 1-6, 4-6. Chad Mooney fell Friday in tournament play to VCU's Florian Marquardt. Seminole sophomore Jeff Scarella fell in competition to Tommy Croker of UVA, but not without putting up a fight. Scarella lost 3-6, 6-2, 3-6. Following these two losses came freshman Alex Herrera with a win. Herrera defeated Thomas Miho of CSU 6-3, 4-6, 6-4. Herrera will face No. 3 seed Josh Goffi of Clemson Saturday morning in action in the round of 32.

FSU did not see any doubles action Friday.

Tournament play will continue Saturday morning and will conclude Sunday Nov. 5th in the evening.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
NOVEMBER 4, 2000

FSU MEN'S TENNIS FINISHED TOURNAMENT PLAY IN CHAPEL HILL, N.C.

CHAPEL HILL, N.C.—The Florida State men's tennis team finished tournament play Saturday at the ITA Regional Tournament.

In singles competition No. 4 seed and Seminole Xavier Luscan fell to Roger Anderson of Georgia Tech in the round of 32 (no score was provided). Alex Herrera faced No. 3 seed Josh Goffi of Clemson in the main draw singles Saturday morning in the round of 32. Herrera fell to Goffi 4-6, 1-6.

The Seminoles will return home to prepare for winter action beginning in January.

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