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Clemson Defeats Florida State in Women's Tennis

CLEMSON, SC-Clemson defeated Florida State 6-3 in an intercollegiate women's tennis match at Clemson, SC Friday afternoon.

Clemson improves its record to 5-3 on the year, while Florida State falls to 4-5. The Lady Tigers are ranked 15th according to the latest Intercollegiate Tennis Association (ITA) rankings.

The Lady Tigers' Boba Tzvetkova, ranked tied for 68th nationally, now leads the team in singles play by winning her 16th match of the season as she defeated Florida State's Lori Sowell 6-1, 6-1.

Florida State dominated play in doubles action winning two of the three matches. Clemson's Janice Durden and Melissa Odom were defeated by the Lady Seminoles' Audra Brannon and Elke Juul at number one doubles 6-2, 3-6, 7-5.

Clemson will play host to Maryland Saturday afternoon, March 12, in the Lady Tigers' next match. The contest will start at 1:00 pm at the Hoke Sloan Tennis Center on the Clemson campus.

Clemson 6, Florida State 3 Singles

- 1. Janice Durden (C) d. Audra Brannon (FS) 6-2, 7-5
- 2. Boba Tzvetkova (C) d. Lori Sowell (FS) 6-1, 6-1
- 3. Emma Peetz (C) d. Elke Juul (FS) 6-2, 6-4
- 4. Laura Randmaa (FS) d. Jan Barrett (C) 6-2, 6-1
- 5. Karolina Jutkiewicz (C) d. Jen Hyde (FS) 6-3, 6-3
- 6. Melissa Odom (C) wins by default

Doubles

- 1. Brannon-Juul (FS) d. Durden-Odom (C) 6-2, 3-6, 7-5
- 2. Hyde-Sowell (FS) d. Tzvetkova-Barrett (C) 6-2, 6-4
- 3. Peetz-Jutkiewicz (C) wins by default

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