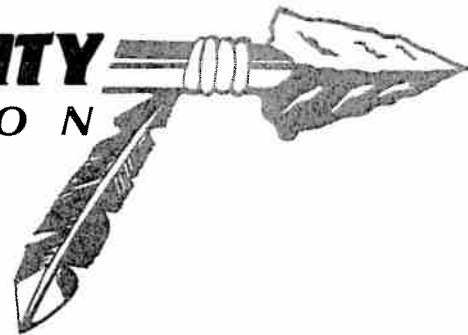




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FLORIDA STATE WOMEN'S TENNIS
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HOUSTON, TX-- The 25th ranked Florida State women's tennis team won its fourth consecutive match with a 7-2 win over 46th ranked Rice in Houston, TX on Monday. The Seminoles increase to 8-6 overall.

FSU took an early lead in singles, winning four of the matches. Audra Brannon beat Paula Myslivecek 6-4, 6-2 at number one. Lori Sowell eased past Antonette Veloso 6-0, 6-1 and Elke Juul defeated Abby Daniels 6-3, 6-2. Jen Hyde earned FSU's fourth singles point with a 6-4, 6-2 victory over Jessica Gagnon at five, 6-4, 6-2.

The Seminoles swept the doubles matches as Brannon and Juul knocked off Myslivecek and Daniels 7-5, 6-3. Hyde and Sowell had a hard fought battle at number two before overcoming Veloso and Jacki Brown 6-7, 7-6, 6-3. Ashley Delaney and Laura Randmaa also needed three sets to beat Gagnon and Olga Limon 7-5, 4-6, 6-4.

Florida State continues its Texas road trip tomorrow with a match against Houston.

FLORIDA STATE 7, RICE 2
Houston, TX

Singles:

1. Audra Brannon (FSU) d. Paula Myslivecek (Rice), 6-4, 6-2
2. Lori Sowell (FSU) d. Antonette Veloso (Rice), 6-0, 6-1
3. Jacki Brown (Rice) d. Laura Randmaa (FSU), 6-4, 7-6
4. Elke Juul (FSU) d. Abby Daniels (Rice), 6-3, 6-2
5. Jen Hyde (FSU) d. Jessica Gagnon (Rice), 6-4, 6-2
6. Rice point by forfeit

Doubles:

1. Brannon/Juul (FSU) d. Myslivecek/Daniels (Rice), 7-5, 6-3
2. Hyde/Sowell (FSU) d. Veloso/Brown (Rice), 6-7, 7-6, 6-3
3. Delaney/Randmaa (FSU) d. Gagnon/Olga Limon (Rice), 7-5, 4-6, 6-4

FLORIDA STATE WOMEN'S GOLF

The Florida State women's golf team finished fourth at the LSU-Fairwood Invitational. The Seminoles shot a three day total 934, 22 strokes behind the top finisher, Texas Tech. Texas was second with a 913 while South Florida was third with a 924.

Three FSU players finished in the top 25 led by Mabel Pascual Del Pobil who tied for third with a 224. Maria Castellucci was one stroke back with a 225 to finish fifth. Tiffany Faucette came in 23rd after firing a 77 on the third day to total 236 over three rounds. Kate Burton tied for 62nd in the tournament.

Nicole Cooper of Texas took home the individual crown with a three day total 220.