

1961 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Creighton Prep 16, Lincoln Southeast 8, Omaha North 8, North Platte 6, Omaha Benson 4, Lincoln High 4, Lincoln Northeast 4, Kearney 4, Boys Town 2, Omaha Central 2, Fairbury 0, Fremont 0, Bishop Ryan 0, Hastings 0, Omaha Technical 0.

Class A Medal Winners

No. 1 Singles:

First Round - John Boyer, Omaha Benson, def. Stan Michels, Fairbury, 12-0. Kile Johnson, Lincoln Southeast, def. Jim Meyers, Bishop Ryan, 12-3. Bernard Childerston, North Platte, def. Jim Kulberg, Hastings, 12-0. Bill Ferguson, Lincoln Northeast, def. Roger Scherer, Fremont 12-7. Ted Sanko, Omaha North, def. Tom Seymour, Lincoln High, 12-5. Gaylord Gerber, Kearney, def. Gary Morey, Omaha Westside, 12-2.

Second Round- John Boyer, Omaha Benson, def. Bruce Bernstein, Omaha Technical, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1. Bernard Childerston, North Platte, def. Kile Johnson, Lincoln Southeast, 6-1, 6-0. William Brown, Creighton Prep, def. Bill Ferguson, Lincoln Northeast, 6-1, 6-0. Ted Sanko, Omaha North, def. Gaylord Gerber, Kearney, 6-1, 6-3.

Semifinals - Bernard Childerston, North Platte, def. John Boyer, Omaha Benson, 6-2, 6-1. Bill Brown, Creighton Prep, def. Ted Sanko, Omaha North, 6-0, 6-0.

Final -Bill Brown, Creighton Prep, def. Bernard Childerston, North Platte, 6-0, 6-2.

No. 1 Doubles:

First Round - Robert Lapp/Gregg Barney, Kearney, def. Rodney Reuseh/Ken Sauss, Fairbury, 6-3, 6-4. Leon Matuszewski/Richard Matuszewski, Boys Town, def. Jay Campbell/Robert Cochran, Omaha Benson, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4. Mike Barton/Roger Refshauge, Lincoln Southeast, def. Gary Kleinert/Ron Wachter, Fremont, . Marc Borchers/Don Hampton, Lincoln Northeast, def. Keith Cronn/Jim Huffman, North Platte, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2. Bruce Vosburg/Pat Hogan, Creighton Prep, def. Doug Clarke/Hal Smith, Hastings, 6-1, 6-0. Ron Grothe/Mike McColley, Omaha North, def. Wayne Moeller/Robert Weinacht, Omaha Technical, .

Second Round - Charles Dickenson/Bill Fry, Lincoln High, def. Robert Lapp/Gregg Barney, Kearney, 6-2, 7-9, 6-2. Mike Barton/Roger Refshauge, Lincoln Southeast, def. Leon Matuszewski/Richard Matuszewski, Boys Town, 6-3, 10-8. Bruce Vosburg/Pat Hogan,

Creighton Prep, def. Marc Borchers/Don Hampton, Lincoln Northeast, 6-3, 6-1. Ron Grothe/Mike McColley, Omaha North, FFT.

Semifinals- Mike Barton/Roger Refshange, Lincoln Southeast, def. Charles Dickson/Bill Fry, Lincoln High, 6-3, 3-6, 10-8. Bruce Vosburg/Pat Hogan, Creighton Prep, def. Mike McColley/Ron Grothe, Omaha North, 6-1, 6-4.

Final -Bruce Vosburg/Pat Hogan, Creighton Prep, def. Mike Barton/Roger Refshange, Lincoln Southeast, 6-3, 6-3.

Class B Team Results

York 10, Hooper 4, Grand Island CC 2, Hastings St. Cecilia 0, Valley 0.

Class B Medal Winners

Singles

First Round - Ray Palmer, Hooper, def. C Hoy, Hastings St. Cecilia, FFT.

Semifinals - Ray Palmer, Hooper, def. Jim Woodward, Valley, FFT. Bill Foster, York, def. Grant Neid, Grand Island CC, 4-6, 7-5, 6-1.

Final - Bill Foster, York, def. Ray Palmer, Hooper, 9-7, 7-5.

Doubles

Semifinals - Allen Toews/John Roehrs, York, def. Ron Bauer/Bill Lallman, Hooper, 6-3, 6-1. Jim Yilk/Jerry Pittman, Grand Island CC, def. Ed Rice/Tom Woodward, 6-1, 6-1.

Final - Allen Toews/John Roehrs, York, def. Jim Yilk/Jerry Pittman, Grand Island CC, 6-4, 9-7.