

1976 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Omaha Westside 38, Millard 32, Creighton Prep 26, Lincoln Southeast 26, Omaha Burke 20, Fremont 8, Grand Island 6, Bellevue 4, Omaha Central 4, Lincoln High 4, Lincoln Northeast 4, Lincoln East 4, Omaha South 2, Omaha Northwest 2, Omaha Benson 0, Omaha North 0.

Class A Medal Winners

No. 1 Singles

First Round - Tom Rives, Millard, def. Bret Iba, Lincoln Northeast, 6-1, 6-0. Brian Edwards, Grand Island, def. Rick Luginbill, Lincoln High, 6-1, 6-0. Dan Godman, Omaha Westside, def. Tim Trusler, Omaha North, 6-2, 6-0. Wade Callahan, Fremont, def. Randy Johnson, Omaha Benson, 6-0, 6-0. Hal Koch, Omaha Central, def. Chris Thomas, Omaha Northwest, 6-0, 6-2. Rick Lange, Lincoln Southeast, def. Gun Sideriz, Bellevue, 6-1, 6-1. Pete Conant, Omaha Burke, def. Bob Mulvaney, Lincoln East, 6-2, 6-2. Bob Green, Creighton Prep, def. Steve Waszek, Omaha South, 6-1, 6-0.

Quarterfinals - Tom Rives, Millard, def. Brian Edwards, Grand Island, 6-1, 6-3. Dan Godman, Omaha Westside, def. Wade Callahan, Fremont, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3. Rick Lange, Lincoln Southeast, def. Hal Koch, Omaha Central, 7-5, 7-5. Bob Green, Creighton Prep, def. Pete Conant, Omaha Burke, 6-0, 6-2.

Semifinals - Tom Rives, Millard, def. Dan Godman, Omaha Westside, 6-1, 6-1. Bob Green, Creighton Prep, def. Rick Lange, Lincoln Southeast, 7-5, 6-1.

Finals - Bob Green, Creighton Prep, def. Tom Rives, Millard, 7-6 (5-3), 6-3.

No. 2 Singles

First Round - Mark Neumeister, Lincoln Southeast, def. Jeff Heintzleman, Bellevue, 6-1, 6-0. Jim Woodley, Grand Island, def. Steve Beatty, Omaha Benson, 6-1, 6-0. Peter Storch, Millard, def. Clark Middleston, Omaha Burke, 6-1, 6-4. Larry Meyer, Fremont, def. Trevor Lavy, Lincoln Northeast, 6-1, 6-2. Tom Brown, Omaha Northwest, def. Mark Chitwood, Lincoln East, 7-6, 6-4. Matt McLeay, Creighton Prep, def. Way Huey, Omaha Central, 6-0, 6-1. Rick Harms, Lincoln High, def. John Grathe, Omaha South, 6-2, 6-1. Steve Davis, Omaha Westside, def. John Kilpatrick, Omaha North, 6-1, 6-0.

Quarterfinals - Mark Neumeister, Lincoln Southeast, def. Jim Woodley, Grand Island, 6-3, 6-3. Peter Storch, Millard, def. Larry Meyer, Fremont, 6-3, 7-6. Matt McLeay, Creighton Prep, def.

Tom Brown, Omaha Northwest, 6-1, 6-0. Steve Davis, Omaha Westside, def. Rick Harms, Lincoln High, 6-2, 6-1.

Semifinals - Peter Storch, Millard, def. Mark Neumeister, Lincoln Southeast, 4-6, 6-4, 7-6. Steve Davis, Omaha Westside, def. Matt McLeay, Creighton Prep, 7-5, 6-1.

Finals - Peter Storch, Millard, def. Steve Davis, Omaha Westside, 6-4, 6-3.

No. 1 Doubles

First Round - Chuck Leichner/Steve Albin, Millard, def. W Wood/P Birge, Omaha North, 6-1, 6-1. Brent Seeman/Ruston Seeman, Lincoln East, def. K Mithcell/J Kirby, Omaha Northwest, 6-4, 6-7, 6-2. Jim Conant/Larry Phillips, Omaha Burke, def. S Meyer/J Fredrick, Grand Island, 6-1, 7-5. Matt Murray/Mike Lanning, Creighton Prep, def. D Glenn/D Rafsety, Fremont, 6-2, 6-0. Russ Hoover/Steve Smith, Lincoln Northeast, def. K Jimmerson/T Barrio, Omaha South, 6-2, 6-2. Randy Dawson/Doug Henkle, Lincoln Southeast, def. D Scott/C Porter, Lincoln High, 6-2, 6-2. Dave King/Tracy Johnson, Bellevue, def. T Miller/B Thompson, Omaha Benson, 6-0, 6-0. Tom Rice/John Steenburg, Omaha Westside, def. L Bates/B Canady, Omaha Central, 6-2 6-3.

Quarterfinals - Chuck Leichner/Steve Albin, Millard, def. Brent Seeman/Ruston Seeman, Lincoln East, 6-7, 6-4, 6-4. Jim Conant/Larry Phillips, Omaha Burke, def. Matt Murray/Mike Lanning, Creighton Prep, 6-0, 6-2. Randy Dawson/Doug Henkle, Lincoln Southeast, def. Russ Hoover/Steve Smith, Lincoln Northeast, def. 6-2, 6-2. Tom Rice/John Steenburg, Omaha Westside, def. Dave King/Tracy Johnson, Bellevue, 6-3, 6-2.

Semifinals - Jim Conant/Larry Phillips, Omaha Burke, def. Chuck Leichner/Steve Albin, Millard, 5-7, 6-3. 7-6 (5-4). Tom Rice/John Steenburg, Omaha Westside, def. Randy Dawson/Doug Henkle, Lincoln Southeast, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Finals - Tom Rice/John Steenburg, Omaha Westside, def. Jim Conant/Larry Phillips, Omaha Burke, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.

No. 2 Doubles

First Round - Mel Strottman/Bill Harley, Omaha Burke, def. J Heese/M Laikam, Lincoln East, 6-2, 3-6, 7-6. Joel Anderson/Rick Langemier, Fremont, def. D Peck/J Watson, Bellevue, 6-1, 6-3. Jim Dawson/Jim Allen, Lincoln Southeast, def. C Baucke/T Frolle, Omaha North, 6-1, 7-6. Rick Webb/Stuart Schaefer, Lincoln High, def. J Beebe/D Claussen, 6-2, 6-3. Pat Brock/Mike Root, Creighton Prep, def. P Pisasle/S Druvel, Omaha Northwest, 6-4, 6-2. Ray Oshima/Randy Dinkley, Millard, def. B Swanson/F Bartenbach, Grand Island, 6-2, 6-2. Dale Greewald/Mark Reagan, Omaha South, def. M Miller/G Ceceva, Lincoln Northeast, 6-3, 6-2. Scott Perry/Steve Albert, Omaha Westside, def. B Jackson/L Wilburn, Omaha Central, 7-5, 6-1.

Quarterfinals - Mel Strottman/Bill Harley, Omaha Burke, def. Joel Anderson/Rick Langemier, Fremont, 6-4, 5-7, 6-2. Jim Dawson/Jim Allen, Lincoln Southeast, def. Rick Webb/Stuart Schaefer, Lincoln High, 6-2, 6-0. Ray Oshima/Randy Dinkley, Millard, def. Pat Brock/Mike Root,

Creighton Prep, 6-4, 6-3. Scott Perry/Steve Albert, Omaha Westside, def. Dale Greewald/Mark Reagan, Omaha South, 6-0, 6-4.

Semifinals - Jim Dawson/Jim Allen, Lincoln Southeast, def. Mel Strottman/Bill Harley, Omaha Burke, 6-3, 7-5. Scott Perry/Steve Albert, Omaha Westside, def. Ray Oshima/Randy Dinkley, Millard, 6-3, 6-2.

Finals - Scott Perry/Steve Albert, Omaha Westside, def. Jim Dawson/Jim Allen, Lincoln Southeast, 6-3, 6-2.

Class B Team Results

Kearney 40, Norfolk 34, North Platte 28, Ralston 28, Papillion 26, Hastings 24, Omaha Roncalli 24, Columbus 18, Omaha Ryan 16, Scottsbluff 16, Kearney Catholic 12, Lincoln Pius X 12, McCook 12, Beatrice 10, Omaha Brownell-Talbot 8, Omaha Bryan 6, Nebraska City 4, Omaha Gross 4, York 2.

Class B Medal Winners

No. 1 Singles

First Round - Ron Smith, Papillion, def. Todd Lebsack, McCook, 6-0, 6-0. Greg Baltzell, Kearney, def. Iskander, Daeodsjah, York, 6-2, 5-7, 6-1. Mark Forster, Norfolk, def. Larry Martinez, Omaha Brownell-Talbot, 7-6, 7-5. Ron Messbarger, Kearney Catholic, def. Brian Peters, Beatrice, 7-5, 6-4. Pat Kuhse, Omaha Ryan, def. Herb Wolz, Omaha Bryan, 6-0, 6-0. Steve Marvel, Hastings, def. Jim Reinhardt, Scottsbluff, 3-6, 6-2, 7-6. Dan Berlin, Columbus, def. Tom Driscoll, Elkhorn MM, 6-2, 6-4. Tracey Rickett, North Platte, def. John Schneider, Nebraska City, 6-3, 7-5.

Quarterfinals - Ron Smith, Papillion, def. Greg Baltzell, Kearney, 6-2, 6-0. Mark Forster, Norfolk, def. Ron Messbarger, Kearney Catholic, 6-2, 7-5. Pat Kuhse, Omaha Ryan, def. Steve Marvel, Hastings, 5-7, 6-3, 6-1. Tracey Rickett, North Platte, def. Dan Berlin, Columbus, 6-4, 6-3.

Semifinals - Ron Smith, Papillion, def. Mark Forster, Norfolk, 6-4, 6-0. Tracey Rickett, North Platte, def. Pat Kuhse, Omaha Ryan, 6-1, 6-2.

Final - Tracey Rickett, North Platte, def. Ron Smith, Papillion, 7-5, 7-6.

No. 2 Singles

First Round - Thane Plambeck, Kearney, def. Neil Sullivan, Lincoln Pius X, 7-6, 6-1. Mark Johnson, Scottsbluff, def. Casey Eichler, Elkhorn MM, 6-1, 6-2. Bob McFerren, Hastings, def. Tim Sahler, Norfolk, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5. Dave Snide, Papillion, def. Doug Lakin, Omaha Gross, 6-0,

6-0. Rich Pruch, Omaha Ryan, def. Bob Nossman, York, 6-3, 6-3. Matt Elmburg, Beatrice, def. Bill Ward, Ralston, 6-1, 6-2. Dave Peebler, Omaha Brownell-Talbot, def. Vince Cizar, McCook, 6-1, 6-3. Tim Putnam, Omaha Roncalli, def. Dave Scholte, Kearney Catholic, 6-0, 6-2.

Quarterfinals - Thane Plambeck, Kearney, def. Mark Johnson, Scottsbluff, 6-2, 6-1. Bob McFerren, Hastings, def. Dave Snide, Papillion, 6-0, 6-1. Matt Elmburg, Beatrice, def. Rich Pruch, Omaha Ryan, 6-0, 6-3. Tim Putnam, Omaha Roncalli, def. Dave Peebler, Omaha Brownell-Talbot, 6-1, 6-0.

Semifinals - Bob McFerren, Hastings, def. Thane Plambeck, Kearney, 7-5, 6-4. Tim Putnam, Omaha Roncalli, def. Matt Elmburg, Beatrice, 6-2, 6-1.

Final - Tim Putnam, Omaha Roncalli, def. Bob McFerren, Hastings, 6-2, 6-1.

No. 1 Doubles

First Round - Gary Luedders/Russ Robins, Ralston, def. Dan Loeffelholz/Dan Sall, Elkhorn MM, 6-1, 6-1. Doug Schwartz/Paul Rathkamp, Columbus, def. Bryan Miller/Brad Hulse, York, 6-3, 6-3. Doug Pachunka/Bill LaValley, Omaha Roncalli, def. Lonnie Ostransky/Randy Kennell, Nebraska City, 6-3, 6-2. Mark Sunderman/Rodger Leland, Norfolk, def. Bob Pannier/John Erickson, Papillion, 6-2, 6-3. Fred Backer/Lance Potthoff, McCook, def. Steve Bailey/Brent Robinson, Hastings, 6-1, 6-1. Dave Duden/Kerry Drause, Lincoln Pius X, def. Mike Downey/Dan Schmitz, Scottsbluff, 6-0, 6-1. Rob Boon/Doug Lehl, North Platte, def. Ron Graves/Scott Schwisow, Beatrice, 6-2, 2-6. 6-3. Tom Salestrom/Jeff Luke, Kearney, def. Bruce Graves/Whitney Loucks, Omaha Brownell-Talbot, 6-0, 6-0.

Quarterfinals - Gary Luedders/Russ Robins, Ralston, def. Doug Schwartz/Paul Rathkamp, Columbus, 6-0, 6-2. Mark Sunderman/Rodger Leland, Norfolk, def. Doug Pachunka/Bill LaValley, Omaha Roncalli, 6-2, 6-3. Fred Backer/Lance Potthoff, McCook, def. Dave Duden/Kerry Drause, Lincoln Pius X, 7-5, 6-3. Tom Salestrom/Jeff Luke, Kearney, def. Rob Boon/Doug Lehl, North Platte, 7-5, 6-2.

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Final - Tom Salestrom/Jeff Luke, Kearney, def. Gary Luedders/Russ Robins, Ralston, 7-6, 6-4.

No. 2 Doubles

First Round - Ed Krieger/Steve Sunde, Ralston, def. Don Miller/Dave Lowe, North Platte, 6-3, 6-1. Tim Donlan/Scott Hain, Lincoln Pius X, def. Devon Snyder/Todd Flaska, McCook, 6-0, 6-2. Bob Kirby/Jon Wright, Kearney, def. Mike Fraka/Bob Shively, Columbus, 6-4, 6-2. Shawn Reidy/Ari Sosa, Kearney Catholic, def. Craig Fulkerson/Doug Schuring, Papillion, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4.

Steve Tegler/Floyd Allen, Hastings, def. Mike Bednarz/Tom Sandoz, Omaha Gross, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2. Joe Camenzind/John Krager, Omaha Roncalli, def. Jeff Lien/Chuck Kempnich, Omaha Bryan, 6-2, 6-1. Scott Behm/Don Hickox, Scottsbluff, def. Todd Sheldon/Keith Sheldon, York, 6-4, 6-2. Mike Mefford/Pat Ferguson, Norfolk, def. Steve Adair/David Channel, Omaha Technical, 6-1, 6-0.

Quarterfinals - Ed Krieger/Steve Sunde, Ralston, def. Tim Donlan/Scott Hain, Lincoln Pius X, 6-3, 6-1. Bob Kirby/Jon Wright, Kearney, def. Shawn Reidy/Ari Sosa, Kearney Catholic, 6-2, 7-5. Joe Camenzind/John Krager, Omaha Roncalli, def. Steve Tegler/Floyd Allen, Hastings, 6-1, 7-5. Mike Mefford/Pat Ferguson, Norfolk, def. Scott Behm/Don Hickox, Scottsbluff, 6-0, 6-3.

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