

1978 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Papillion 42, Grand Island 36, Lincoln Southeast 28, Omaha Westside 28, Omaha Burke 26, Millard 24, Lincoln East 22, Omaha Central 20, Creighton Prep 16, Lincoln High 12, Fremont 12, Lincoln Northeast 12, Omaha Northwest 8, Omaha Bryan 6, Omaha Benson 4, Bellevue West 4, Bellevue East 0, Omaha South 0, Omaha North 0, Omaha Technical 0.

Class A Medal Winners

No. 1 Singles:

Quarterfinals - Brian Edwards, Grand Island, def. Dave Decoster, Lincoln Northeast, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2. Craig Johnson, Lincoln Southeast, def. Pete Storch, Millard, 6-4, 6-3. Peter Conant, Omaha Burke, def. Steve Hagan, Omaha Westside, 7-6, 6-3. Bob Pannier, Papillion, def. Hal Koch, Omaha Central, 6-3, 6-4.

Semifinals - Craig Johnson, Lincoln Southeast, def. Brian Edwards, Grand Island, 6-4, 7-5. Bob Pannier, Papillion, def. Peter Conant, Omaha Burke, 7-6, 6-2.

Final - Bob Pannier, Papillion, def. Craig Johnson, Lincoln Southeast, 7-5, 5-7, 6-2

No. 2 Singles:

Quarterfinals - Roy Oshima, Millard, def. Paul Rindone, Omaha Northwest, 6-1, 6-1. Scott Veitzer, Omaha Burke, def. Steve Koza, Lincoln High, 6-1, 7-5. Charles Capek, Lincoln Southeast, def. Rich Shaw, Grand Island, 6-3, 6-2. Matt Tondl, Omaha Westside, def. Bob Budde, Lincoln East, 6-3, 6-1.

Semifinals -

Roy Oshima, Millard, def. Scott Veitzer, Omaha Burke, 6-2, 6-4. Matt Tondl, Omaha Westside, def. Charles Capek, Lincoln Southeast, 6-4, 6-0.

Final - Matt Tondl, Omaha Westside, def. Roy Oshima, Millard, 6-3, 6-1.

No. 1 Doubles:

Quarterfinals - Backer/Foster, Omaha Central, def. Seidel/Storch, Omaha Westside,

Erickson/Pannier, Papillion, def. Root/Hunter, Creighton Prep, 6-4, 6-0. Rick Langemeier/Peter Hunt, Fremont, def. Steve Hotovy/Kevin Cottier, Lincoln Northeast, 6-2, 6-3. Stan Meyer/Jeff Fredrick, Grand Island, def. Snell/Frohman, North Platte 6-3, 6-1.

Semifinals - Erickson/Pannier, Papillion, def. Backer/Foster, Omaha Central, 7-6, 2-6, 7-5. Stan Meyer/Jeff Fredrick, Grand Island, def. Rick Langemeier/Peter Hunt, Fremont, 6-4, 6-1.

Final - Stan Meyer/Jeff Fredrick, Grand Island, def. Erickson/Pannier, Papillion, 6-4, 6-1

No. 2 Doubles:

Quarterfinals -

Brian Chitwood/Brad Brungard, Lincoln East, def. Ahstrand/Cecava, Lincoln Northeast, 6-2, 6-4.

Yager/Schultz, Creighton Prep, def. Shane/Burcher, Papillion, 6-4, 6-1.

Ted Rozman/John Schuele, Millard, def. Rath/Gordman, Omaha Burke, 6-0, 6-3.

Morgan Tyner/Chris Thompson, Lincoln Southeast, def. Reinwald, Fen, Lincoln High, 6-3, 6-4.

Semifinals - Brian Chitwood/Brad Brungard, Lincoln East, def. Yager/Schultz, Creighton Prep, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3. Ted Rozman/John Schuele, Millard, def. Morgan Tyner/Chris Thompson, Lincoln Southeast, 6-7, 6-3, 6-3.

Final - Brian Chitwood/Brad Brungard, Lincoln East, def. Ted Rozman/John Schuele, Millard, 6-1, 4-6, 7-5

Class B Team Results

Lincoln Pius X 48, Kearney 44, Kearney Catholic 30, Columbus 24, Ralston 20, Omaha Ryan 20, Elkhorn MM 20, Norfolk 18, Omaha Brownell-Talbot 16, Hastings 16, Beatrice 14, Omaha Gross 6, Omaha Roncalli 6, Scottsbluff 6, Boys Town 2, Nebraska City 2, Crete 0, Gresham 0, McCook 0, Sandy Creek 0, York 0.

Class Medal Winners

No. 1 Singles:

Quarterfinals - Jim Carson, Lincoln Pius X, def. Roland Auspurger, Columbus, 6-2, 6-1.

Grant Ringler, Norfolk, def. Ron Messberger, Kearney Catholic, 6-3, 6-3.

Larry Martinez, Omaha Brownell-Talbot, def. Thane Plambeck, Kearney, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2.

Pat Gorup, Omaha Ryan, def. Kevin Kennedy, Elkhorn MM, 6-2, 6-2.

Semifinals - Jim Carson, Lincoln Pius X, def. Grant Ringler, Norfolk, 6-4, 7-5. Larry Martinez, Omaha Brownell-Talbot, def. Pat Gorup, Omaha Ryan, 6-4, 6-0.

Final - Jim Carson, Lincoln Pius X, def. Larry Martinez, Omaha Brownell-Talbot, 7-5, 6-2.

No. 2 Singles:

Quarterfinals - Dave Duden, Lincoln Pius X, def. Pete Wolters, Elkhorn MM, 6-0, 6-0.
Jerry Clemens, Scottsbluff, def. Todd Robinson, Columbus, 7-5, 7-5.
Mike Ames, Norfolk, def. Grant Haddix, Ralston, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2.
Bob Kirby, Kearney, def. Scott Wilson, Omaha Ryan, 7-5, 6-3.

Semifinals - Dave Duden, Lincoln Pius X, def. Jerry Clemens, Scottsbluff, 6-1, 6-2. Bob Kirby, Kearney, def. Mike Ames, Norfolk, 7-5, 6-3.

Final - Dave Duden, Lincoln Pius X, def. Bob Kirby, Kearney, 7-5, 1-6, 7-6 (5-1).

No. 1 Doubles:

Quarterfinals - Jeff Luke/Jon Wright, Kearney, def. J Murray/J Noltmeier, Elkhorn MM, 6-3, 6-2. P. Rathkamp/M Scheidegger, Columbus, def. K Krause/T Heidrick, Lincoln Pius X, 3-6, 6-4. Dave Schulte/Shawn Reidy, Kearney Catholic, def. S Higgins/R Graves, Beatrice, 2-6, 6-2, 6-3. B Ward/B Krohn, Ralston, def. B Boden/L Hoffman, Hastings, 6-2, 6-3.

Semifinals - Jeff Luke/Jon Wright, Kearney, def. Rathkamp/Scheidegger, Columbus, 6-1, 5-7, 7-5. Dave Schulte/Shawn Reidy, Kearney Catholic, def. B Ward/B Krohn, Ralston, 6-4, 6-3.

Finals - Jeff Luke/Jon Wright, Kearney, def. Dave Schulte/Shawn Reidy, Kearney Catholic, 6-3, 6-1.

No. 2 Doubles:

Quarterfinals - Jim Swanson/Steve Rademacher, Kearney, def. P Menke/E Kazmarek, Omaha Roncalli, 6-2, 6-2. R Messbarger/R Williams, Kearney Catholic, def. J Cramer/R Lloyd, Hastings, 6-1, 6-3. J Doering/P Cook, Beatrice, def. T Van Haute/ T Sandoz, Omaha Gross, 6-1, 7-6. Scott Hain/Al Strasburg, Lincoln Pius X, def. J Sacco/P Kostrunek, Omaha Ryan, 6-1, 6-2.

Semifinals - Jim Swanson/Steve Rademacher, Kearney, def. R Messbarger/R Williams, Kearney Catholic, 6-4, 6-1. Scott Hain/Al Strasburg, Lincoln Pius X, def. J Doering/P Cook, Beatrice, 6-1, 6-1.

Finals - Scott Hain/Al Strasburg, Lincoln Pius X, def. Jim Swanson/Steve Rademacher, Kearney, 7-6 (5-4), 6-3.