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# MEN'S & WOMEN'S TENNIS

## News & Notes

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### NEC Women's Tennis (October 4, 2005)

#### Prince/NEC Player of the Week

**Lauren Galatie, Sacred Heart  
Sr., Monroe, CT/Masuk**

Galatie corrals Prince/NEC Player of the Week honors for the second time this season and the sixth time over the course of her career after helping lead the Pioneers to a 7-0 dual meet win over league rival Monmouth on Wednesday. Galatie won her #1 singles match, 6-3, 6-0, and teamed with junior Pam Pillo for an 8-3 triumph at #1 doubles. She is now 3-1 in singles play this fall, and has compiled a 5-2 doubles mark along with Pillo.

#### Notes

Fairleigh Dickinson has not yet competed this fall...Long Island (1-0) opened its fall slate with a 7-0 win at St. Peter's on Friday. Junior Krystina Bachner (Penfield, NY/Webster) won her #1 singles flight match, 6-4, 6-2. The two-time second team all-NEC performer also paired with freshman Ashley Harvey (Randallstown, MD/Catonsville) for an 8-6 triumph at #1 doubles. The Blackbirds compete at the Fordham Invitational this weekend...Monmouth (2-5) fell at home to Sacred Heart, 7-0, on Wednesday, then were edged by visiting Manhattan, 4-3, on Friday. Junior Kelly Shedelbower (Mercerville, NJ/Nottingham) won a three-set thriller over the Jaspers' Men Nguyen, 2-6, 7-5, 10-4. Freshman Kaitlin Gallagher (North Haledon, NJ/Immaculate Heart Academy) leads the Hawks with a 3-4 record at #4 singles. She won her match against Manhattan's Patrice Reiley, 6-1, 6-4. Monmouth entertains Rider on Tuesday, then plays at Rhode Island on Saturday and takes on Providence (also at URI) on Sunday...Mount St. Mary's (2-3) lost at Delaware, 7-0, on Sunday. The Mountaineers welcome St. Joseph's on Tuesday and Coppin State on Saturday...Quinnipiac (0-0) was off last week. After a 13-day layoff, the Bobcats will take part in the UConn Duals this weekend...Robert Morris did not compete last week...Sacred Heart (1-0) blanked Monmouth, 7-0, on Wednesday in the team's first dual match of the season. Senior Lauren Galatie (Monroe, CT/Masuk) earned a 6-3, 6-0 victory at #1 singles and teamed with junior Pam Pillo (Shelton, CT/Notre Dame-Fairfield) for an 8-3 triumph at #1 doubles. Galatie, who was named Prince/NEC Player of the Week for the second time this fall and sixth time in her career, improved to 3-1 in singles play and 5-2 in tandem with Pillo...St. Francis (NY) (0-5) fell twice over the weekend, dropping a 7-0 home decision to Lafayette on Saturday, followed by a 7-0 defeat at Rider the following afternoon...St. Francis (PA) (0-6) suffered a pair of 7-0 losses to Buffalo and Niagara over the weekend. The Red Flash close out their fall slate with matches at Lafayette on Saturday and Niagara on Sunday...Wagner (1-1) was idle last week. The Seahawks compete at Drexel on Wednesday, play host to Manhattan on Thursday and visit St. Peter's on Sunday.



### NEC Men's Tennis (October 4, 2005)

#### Prince/NEC Player of the Week

**Andrew Chan, Quinnipiac  
Jr., Great Neck, NY/Great Neck North**

Chan became the first Quinnipiac player to reach the semifinals in any flight at the annual UConn Invitational held over the weekend. Competing in the "A" flight, Chan rallied to defeat Marist's Ray Josephs, 3-6, 6-3, 10-6, in the first round, then ousted Monmouth's Vik Gupta, 6-3, 6-2, in the round of 16. In the quarterfinals, the Great Neck, NY native outlasted Lehigh's Randall Smalley, 4-6, 6-1, 10-8, before falling in the semifinals to Marist's Leo Rodriguez, 3-6, 4-6. Chan also teamed with Goldy Sherrill to advance to the second round in "A" doubles flight play.

#### Notes

Fairleigh Dickinson (0-0) was off last week. The Knights open dual match play at Wagner on Friday...Monmouth (1-1) posted a 7-0 win over Wagner on Tuesday, then took part in the UConn Invitational in weekend play. Sophomore Ben Evenden (Cresco, PA/Ridgewood (NJ)) was a 6-3, 6-3 victor at #1 singles and also picked up an 8-4 doubles win along with partner Vik Gupta (Princeton, NJ/Princeton Day) against the Seahawks. The Hawks host Fordham on Wednesday, then head to Stony Brook for dual matches against Sacred Heart (Friday), Hofstra (Saturday) and Stony Brook (Saturday). Monmouth then travels to Drexel on Monday...Mount St. Mary's (2-2) suffered a 7-0 setback at Delaware on Sunday. The Mount returns to action on Saturday, hosting Coppin State...Quinnipiac (1-0) had a strong showing at UConn Invitational over the weekend. The Bobcats compiled a 13-12 aggregate record, finishing 10-8 in singles and 3-4 in doubles. Junior Andrew Chan (Great Neck, NY/Great Neck North), the Prince/NEC Player of the Week, became the first Quinnipiac player to reach the semifinals in any flight at the annual event with "A" flight wins over Marist's Ray Josephs (3-6, 6-3, 10-6) in the first round, Monmouth's Vik Gupta (6-3, 6-2) in the round of 16 and Lehigh's Randall Smalley (4-6, 6-1, 10-8) in the quarterfinals before falling to Marist's Leo Rodriguez (3-6, 4-6) in the semis. Freshmen Thomas Curran (Fairfield, CT/Fairfield Prep) and Joseph Nuara (Little Silver, NJ/CBA) combined to pick up a pair of victories in "B" flight doubles play. Quinnipiac returns to action on Wednesday, hosting Rhode Island...Robert Morris (1-2) came up on the losing end of a 7-0 decision vs. Duquesne in Moon Township on Monday. The Colonials had picked up their first dual match win of the season over St. Francis (PA) back on September 25th with a 4-3 victory. Robert Morris closes out its fall schedule by hosting IPFW on Friday...Sacred Heart (0-0) competed at the UConn Invitational in weekend play. Junior Kevin Guidicipietro (Mountainside, NJ/Berkeley Heights Governor Livingston) won his first round match over Holy Cross' Tom Moran, 7-5, 4-6, 10-5, but fell in the second round...St. Francis (NY) (0-4) dropped three matches last week, losing to Temple (6-1) and Lafayette (6-1) at the National Tennis Center before falling at Rider (6-1). Senior Arthur Velnik (Brooklyn, NY/Leon M. Goldstein), a second team all-NEC pick a year ago, won all three of his matches in straight sets...St. Francis (PA) (0-5) came up short twice on their upstate New York road swing, falling at Buffalo (7-0) on Saturday and Niagara (5-2) on Sunday. Freshman Jeffrey SeEVERS won a marathon at #4 singles for the Red Flash against Niagara, outlasting Alex Abji, 6-7, 7-5, 10-5. St. Francis (PA) is back on the road this weekend to face Lafayette on Saturday and Cleveland State on Sunday...Wagner (1-3) fell to visiting Monmouth, 7-0, on Tuesday. In a busy week, the Seahawks compete at Drexel on Wednesday, host Fairleigh Dickinson on Friday and head to St. Peter's on Sunday and Siena on Monday.

#### Prince/NEC Women's Player of the Week

Sept. 7 Jen Iosue, Mount St. Mary's  
Sept. 13 Lauren Galatie & Pam Pillo, Sacred Heart  
Sept. 20 Laura Murillo, Sacred Heart  
Sept. 27 Gabby Pasternak, Quinnipiac  
Oct. 4 Lauren Galatie, Sacred Heart

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Quinnipiac (men)  
Quinnipiac (women)

#### Prince/NEC Men's Player of the Week

Sept. 7 Favio Osorio, Mount St. Mary's  
Sept. 13 Stefano Salvatore & Goldy Sherrill, Quinnipiac  
Sept. 20 Derek Taylor, Mount St. Mary's  
Sept. 27 Justin Seow, Fairleigh Dickinson  
Oct. 4 Andrew Chan, Quinnipiac