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2006-07 WOMEN'S TENNIS

CINCINNATI VS. MIAMI (OHIO)

MATCH FACTS Date: Friday, January 26, 2007

Time: 7:00 p.m. EST

Queen City Racquet Club Site:

Cincinnati, Ohio

Records: Cincinnati: 1-0, 0-0 BIG EAST

Miami (Ohio): 1-2, 0-0 MAC

Coaches:

Kimberly Jones (San Diego St.)

At UC: 4th year, 14-47 (.230) Overall: 4th year, 14-47 (.230)

Ray Reppert (Pittsburgh '69)

at MU: 13th year, 150-128 (.540) 21st year, 260-183 (.587) Overall:

CINCINNATI AT OHIO STATE

MATCH FACTS

Date: Saturday, January 27, 2007

Time: 5:00 p.m. EST

Site: Jesse Owens West Recreation Center

Columbus, Ohio

Records: Cincinnati: 1-0, 0-0 BIG EAST

Ohio State: 0-0

Coaches:

Kimberly Jones (San Diego St.)

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Chuck Merzbacher (Minnesota '87)

at OSU: 11th year, 136-122 (.527) 18th year, 269-185 (.593) Overall:

SETTING THE SCENE: The University of Cincinnati tennis team follows up its season-opening win over Bowling Green with matches against in-state foes Miami (Ohio) and Ohio State this weekend. UC hosts the RedHawks at the Queen City Racquet Club on Friday, Jan. 26 at 7 p.m., then faces Ohio State in Columbus on Saturday, Jan. 27 at 5 p.m. The Bearcats are looking to start a season 2-0 for the first time since a 4-0 start to the 2004 season. The RedHawks are 1-2 on the season, while the Buckeyes will open their dual schedule on Saturday morning against Bowling Green.

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CINCINNATI PRORARI E STARTERS

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Singles	Overall	Dual
1. Rachel Owens, 5-9, Fr., Puyallup, Wash	9-2	1-0
2. Hannah Hinton, 5-11, Sr., Gainesville, Fla	7-3	0-0
3. Valeriya Dandik, 5-7, So., Montreal, Quebec	4-1	1-0
4. Alizee Paradis, 5-10, Jr., Quebec City, Quebec	3-5	0-1
5. Elizabeth Young, 5-7, So, Knoxville, Tenn	3-2	1-0
6. Jenny Rowen, 5-7, So., Little Rock, Ark	3-3	0-1
Doubles	Overall	Dual
1. Hannah Hinton/Rachel Owens		
2. Valeriya Dandik/Alizee Paradis	0-0	0-0
3. Jenny Rowen/Elizabeth Young		

Match 3

LAST TIME VS. MIAMI

A UC team that fielded only four players after bouts of illness and injury fell to Miami (Ohio), 6-1, on Jan. 22, 2006 at the Riverside Racquet Club. The RedHawks swept to the doubles point behind victories at first and second doubles and a default victory at third doubles. In singles action, Miami earned victories in three of the top four spots to go with default victories at fifth and sixth singles. Elizabeth Young, playing in the No. 2 spot, earned the first dual win of her career for UC.

LAST TIME VS. OHIO STATE

UC opened the 2006 spring season with a 7-0 loss to Ohio State at the Jesse Owens West Recreation Center on Jan. 21. In singles, the Buckeyes at the top four positions all posted straight-set victories, while Nos. 5 and 6 won by default. Ohio State also downed the Bearcats in all three doubles positions, with a default victory at No. 3.

NEWCOMERS LEADING THE WAY

The Bearcats have just three players who have earned more than one letter at UC and just one, senior Hannah Hinton, is in the starting lineup. UC is seeing great results from the last two recruiting classes, starting with freshman Rachel Owens and her 9-2 record. Transfers Valeriya Dandik (Missouri) and Alizee Paradis (Marshall) have claimed starting spots, along with sophomores Elizabeth Young and Jenny Rowen.

LATEST RANKINGS

FILA Collegiate Tennis Rankings January 9

Rk.	Team	Points	38	South Carolina	1847
1	Stanford (28)	2899	39	San Diego State	1822
2	Florida	2845	40	Purdue	1801
3	Southern California	2841	41	Penn	1738
4	Notre Dame	2784	42	Oregon	1642
5	Miami	2777	43	Indiana	1627
6	Baylor	2770	44	Alabama	1613
7	Georgia Tech (1)	2736	45	New Mexico	1557
8	North Carolina	2668	46	Nebraska	1554
9	Northwestern	2655	47	Arkansas	1518
10	Duke	2639	48	UNLV	1505
11	California	2634	49	SMU	1502
12	Vanderbilt	2608	50	Oklahoma State	1499
13	VCU	2550	51	Mississippi	1470
14	Pepperdine	2499	52	LSU	1460
15	UCLA	2491	53	Kansas State	1391
16	TCU	2459	54	Texas Tech	1357
17	Clemson	2416	55	UC Irvine	1342
18	Wake Forest	2371	56	Colorado	1290
19	Kentucky	2343	57	San Diego	1255
20	Texas	2325	58	Denver	1235
21	Fresno State	2320	59	Kansas	1196
22	Harvard	2314	60	Marshall	1179
23	Arizona State	2287	61	Florida State	1176
24	Georgia	2235	62	South Alabama	1144
25	Virginia	2199	63	Sacramento State	1099
26	William & Mary	2191	64	Rice	1042
27	Long Beach State	2140	65	Boise State	1032
28	Texas A&M	2132	66	Washington State	957
29	Michigan	2108	67	Virginia Tech	899
30	BYU	2022	68	Loyola Marymount	896
31	Tennessee	1987	69	Troy	777
32	North Carolina State	1973	70	Louisville	695
33	South Florida	1951	71	Furman	693
34	Arizona	1949	72	Richmond	626
35	Florida International	1917	73	UC Santa Barbara	590
36	lowa	1856	74	Southeastern Louisiana	471
37	Maryland	1850	75	Auburn	451

UC Opponents/BIG EAST schools in **bold**

TOUGH ROAD

The Bearcats' schedule this year is a challenging one. UC will host current ranked teams No. 43 Indiana and No. 70 Louisville and travel to face No. 19 Kentucky and No. 60 Marshall. If they reach the BIG EAST Tournament, the Bearcats also have the possibility of playing No. 4 Notre Dame or No. 33 USF.

FAST START

Freshman Rachel Owens, the only true freshman on the team, is off to a blazing start. She won her first six matches and is currently a team-best 9-2. She reached the flight D finals at the Hampton Roads Collegiate Invitational and won all three matches at the Miami Invitational. Owens has claimed the No. 1 spot in the lineup and won the clinching match in a tie-breaker at No. 1 singles to earn UC's season-opening win over Bowling Green.

BACK IN FORM

After winning 17 matches as a freshman, including a team-best 13 dual wins, senior Hannah Hinton has missed most of the past two seasons with injuries. She returned to the full-time line-up in the fall and went 7-3. She posted four wins at Dartmouth's Big Green Invitational to reach the A singles final, beating the No. 3 and No. 8 seeds on the way.

STRONG START TO THE SEASON

UC opened the season at the Hampton Roads Collegiate Invitational and posted a number of strong finishes. Lindsay Willeford reached the flight D singles finals, along with Rachel Owens, and teamed with Elizabeth Young to win the flight D doubles title. Alizee Paradis reached the flight C championship and Valeriya Dandik and Jennifer Keiner reached the flight A doubles final.

UP NEXT

The Bearcats host a pair of matches next weekend, playing Eastern Michigan at the Queen City Racquet Club on Friday, Feb. 2 at 7 p.m. and Rutgers at the Western Hills Racquet Club at 4 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 3.

2007 CINCINNATI TENNIS ROSTER

<u>Alphabetical</u>	Rost	<u>er</u>			
NAME	HT.	CL.	EXP.	HOMETOWN	PREVIOUS SCHOOL(S)
Valeriya Dandik	5-7	So.	TR	Montral, Quebec	Georges-Vanier HS/Missouri
Hannah Hinton	5-11	Sr.	3L	Gainesville, Fla.	Bucholz HS
Jennifer Keiner	5-4	Jr.	TR	Las Vegas, N.M.	Robertson HS/Washburn
Rachel Owens	5-9	Fr.	HS	Puyallup, Wash.	Emerald Ridge HS
Alizee Paradis	5-10	Jr.	TR	Quebec City, Quebec	Cardinal Roy HS/Marshall
Madison Reasoner	5-8	Sr.	2L	Dayton, Ohio	Oakwood HS/IUPUI
Jenny Rowen	5-7	So.	1L	Little Rock, Ark.	New Braunfels HS
Lindsay Willeford	5-5	Jr.	2L	Denison, Texas	Denison HS
Elizabeth Young	5-7	So.	1L	Knoxville, Tenn.	Knoxville Catholic HS
Coaching Sta	<u>ff</u>				
NAME	POS	ITION		YEAR	
Kimberly Jones	Head	d Coach	1	4th	
Julie Klauck	Assis	stant Co	oach	1st	
Kelly Jones	Volu	nteer <i>P</i>	\ssistan	t Coach 1st	

University Quick Facts Location Cincinnati, OH Founded 1819 Enrollment35,244 Conference BIG EAST Nickname Bearcats Colors Red and Black Home Courts Queen City Racquet Club Trabert-Talbert Tennis Center President Dr. Nancy L. Zimpher Athletics Director Mike Thomas Faculty Athletic Rep. Dr. Nancy Hamant SWA Stephanie Rousseau Website www.GoBEARCATS.com <u>By the Numbers</u> 2005-06 Record 1-16 Letterwinners Returning/Lost 5/3

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SINGLES	Overall	Dual	Tour.	Career	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Valeriya Dandik	4 -1	1 -0	3 -1	4 -1	0 -0	0 -0	1 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	
Hannah Hinton	7 -3	0 -0	7 -3	27 -31	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	
Jennifer Keiner	4 -1	0 -0	4 -1	4 -1	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	
Rachel Owens	9 -2	1 -0	8 -2	9 -2	1 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	
Alizee Paradis	3 -5	0 -1	3 -4	3 -5	0 -0	0 -1	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	
Madison Reasoner	3 -3	0 -1	3 -2	10 -42	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -1	
Jenny Rowen	3 -3	0 -1	3 -2	6 -5	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -1	0 -0	0 -0	
Lindsay Willeford	3 -0	0 -0	3 -0	12 -43	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	
Elizabeth Young	3 -2	1 -0	2 -2	9 -23	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0	1 -0	0 -0	
TOTAL	39 -20	3 -3	36 -17	84 -153	1 -0	0 -1	1 -0	0 -1	1 -0	0 -1	

DOUBLES	Overall	Dual	Tour.	Career	1	2	3
Valeriya Dandik	5 -3	1 -0	4 -3	5 -3	1 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Hannah Hinton	7 -4	1 -0	6 -4	38 -34	0 -0	1 -0	0 -0
Jennifer Keiner	4 -1	0 -0	4 -1	4 -1	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Rachel Owens	6 -4	1 -0	5 -4	6 -4	1 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Alizee Paradis	6 -4	0 -1	6 -3	6 -4	0 -0	0 -0	0 -1
Madison Reasoner	1 -2	0 -0	1 -2	5 -42	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Jenny Rowen	3 -3	0 -1	3 -2	4 -25	0 -0	0 -0	0 -1
Lindsay Willeford	3 -0	0 -0	3 -0	7 -37	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Elizabeth Young	9 -1	1 -0	8 -1	16 -24	0 -0	1 -0	0 -0

DOUBLES TEAMS	Overall	Dual	Tour.	Career	1	2	3
Dandik/Hinton	2 -2	0 -0	2 -2	2 -2	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Dandik/Keiner	2 -1	0 -0	2 -1	2 -1	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Dandik/Owens	1 -0	1 -0	0 -0	1 -0	1 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Hinton/Owens	1 -1	0 -0	1 -1	1 -1	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Hinton/Young	4 -1	1 -0	3 -1	7 -10	0 -0	1 -0	0 -0
Keiner/Young	2 -0	0 -0	2 -0	2 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Owens/Paradis	4 -3	0 -0	4 -3	4 -3	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Paradis/Rowen	2 -1	0 -1	2 -0	2 -1	0 -0	0 -0	0 -1
Reasoner/Rowen	1 -2	0 -0	1 -2	1 -2	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
Willeford/Young	3 -0	0 -0	3 -0	3 -0	0 -0	0 -0	0 -0
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