



2015 Penn State Men's Tennis



Friday Match
No. 22 Penn State Nittany Lions (3-2)
vs.
No. 1 USC (6-0)
Friday, February 13, 2015 - 4:30 p.m.
Midtown Athletic Club, Chicago, Ill.



Saturday Match
No. 22 Penn State Nittany Lions
vs.
No. 8 Ohio State/No. 9 Texas
Saturday, February 14, 2015 - 4:30 p.m.
Midtown Athletic Club, Chicago, Ill.



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2015 Penn State Schedule

JANUARY (2-0)			
Fri.	23	at #19 Kentucky	W, 4-3
Sat.	24	vs. #20 USF	W, 4-1
FEBRUARY (1-2)			
Sun.	1	Penn	L, 5-2
Sun.	1	Temple	W, 7-0
Sun.	8	at #37 Virginia Tech	L, 4-1
Fri.	13	vs. #1 USC	4:30 p.m.
Sat.	14	vs. #8 OSU/#9 Texas	4:30 p.m.
Sat.	21	at #63 Cornell	12 p.m.
Sun.	22	James Madison	3 p.m.
Fri.	27	#8 Ohio State*	3 p.m.
Sat.	28	#57 Princeton	12 p.m.
MARCH			
Fri.	6	at #59 VCU	3 p.m.
Fri.-Sun.	13-15	at USF Tournament**	TBA
Fri.	20	at #60 Michigan State*	4 p.m.
Sun.	22	#47 Michigan*	12 p.m.
Sun.	22	Wagner	6 p.m.
Fri.	27	at #5 Illinois*	3 p.m.
Sun.	29	at #26 Northwestern*	12 p.m.
APRIL			
Fri.	3	Wisconsin*	4 p.m.
Sun.	5	#33 Minnesota*	12 p.m.
Sun.	5	NJIT	6 p.m.
Fri.	10	#51 Purdue*	12 p.m.
Sun.	12	#49 Indiana*	12 p.m.
Sun.	12	Monmouth	6 p.m.
Fri.	17	at Nebraska*	4 p.m.
Sun.	19	at Iowa*	12 p.m.
Th.-Sun.	23-26	Big Ten Tournament***	TBA

** Tampa, Fla.
*** Champaign, Ill.
All Times Eastern * * indicates Big Ten match Home Match

Home Match

Match Notes

Nittany Lions Meets No. 1 USC at ITA National Indoors: The No. 22 Penn State men's tennis team takes on No. 1 USC on Friday at 4:30 p.m. in their first round match at the ITA Men's Team Indoor National Championships this weekend. USC is the defending NCAA Champion and has won four of the last five national titles. The tournament is hosted by the University of Illinois at the Midtown Athletic Club in Chicago, Ill. The Nittany Lions are one of the final 16 teams in the tournament after qualifying during ITA Kickoff Weekend with wins over No. 19 Kentucky and No. 20 South Florida.

Next Up: The Nittany Lions will take on either No. 8 Ohio State(9-1) or No. 9 Texas(7-0) in Saturday's match, which will also begin at 4:30 p.m.

Last Weekend: The Nittany Lions dropped a 4-1 result at No. 37 Virginia Tech. Penn State won the doubles points with victories by Aws Laaribi and Leonard Stakhovsky at No. 2 and Michael Reilly and Roman Trkulja at No. 3. However, the Hokies won singles matches at the No. 1,3,4 and 6 spots.

Penn State Remains in ITA Poll: Despite their loss to Penn on Feb. 1, the blue and white remained in the Top 25 in the ITA Poll, released on Feb. 3, dropping to No. 22. Penn State has been ranked in the ITA Top 25 for four straight polls this spring and 11 straight polls, dating back to the 2014 season.

Scouting the Trojans: USC's wins include No. 17 Florida, No. 7 Georgia, No. 73 UL Lafayette and No. 57 Santa Clara. Four USC players are ranked in the Top 50 of the ITA Singles Poll, including senior Yannick Hanfmann, ranked 7th. Hanfmann and senior Roberto Quiroz are ranked 1st in the ITA Doubles Poll.

2014-15 Quick Facts

Team Information	2013-14 Record: 22-6
Head Coach: Jeff Zinn(Cincinnati, '84)	2014 Big Ten Record: 8-3 (3rd)
Penn State Record: 44-39 (Fourth Season)	Big Ten Tournament: Quarterfinals
Career Record: 275-196 (18 seasons)	Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/2
Asst. Coach: Paul Tobin (Maryland, '86)	Starters Returning/Lost: 7/2
Home Court: Sarni Tennis Center(1,000)	NCAA Appearances: 6(1997, 1998, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2014)

Live Stats/video: <http://www.itatennis.com/Events/ITANationalChampionships/DIMen-TeamIndoors.htm>

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ITA National Rankings

As of February 3, 2015

1. USC[^]
2. Oklahoma[^]
3. Virginia[^]
4. Georgia[^]
5. **Illinois**^{*,^}
6. Duke[^]
7. North Carolina[^]
8. **Ohio State**^{*,^}
9. Texas[^]
10. UCLA[^]
10. Baylor[^]
12. Texas A&M
13. California[^]
14. Florida
15. Columbia[^]
16. Notre Dame
17. TCU[^]
18. Wake Forest
19. Ole Miss[^]
20. Tennessee
21. Memphis
22. **Penn State**[^]
23. Vanderbilt
23. South Carolina
25. **South Florida**
26. **Northwestern**^{*}
27. **Kentucky**
28. Mississippi State
29. N.C. State
30. Harvard
31. Oklahoma State
32. Florida State
33. **Minnesota**^{*}
34. Clemson
35. San Diego
36. Texas Tech
37. **Virginia Tech**
38. Auburn
39. Stanford
40. Tulsa

Bold indicates PSU opponent
 * indicates conference opponent
 ^ ITA National Indoors Participant

2015 Penn State Nittany Lions Roster

<i>Name</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Hometown</i>	<i>High School/Last College</i>
Matt Barry	Jr.	Lido Beach, N.Y.	Long Beach
Marc Collado Castells	So.	Barcelona, Spain	Pare Manyanet
Nika Dolidze	So.	Tbilisi, Georgia	Schiller International School Barcelona
Alex Fennell	So.	Bala Cynwyd, Pa.	Lower Merion
Tomas Hanzlik	Sr.	Prague, Czech Republic	Ceskokipska Grammar
David Kohan	Jr.	Sydney, Australia	Cranbrook
Aws Laaribi	So.	Rye, N.Y.	Wake Forest
Christian Lutschauig	So.	Richboro, Pa.	LaSalle College Prep
Michael Reilly	Sr.	Raleigh, N.C.	UNC Wilmington
Leonard Stakhovsky	Jr.	Kiev, Ukraine	Oklahoma
Roman Trkulja	Jr.	Toronto, Canada	Canada National Tennis Center

Head Coach: Jeff Zinn (Fourth season at PSU)

Assistant Coach: Paul Tobin (Second season at PSU)

Graduate Assistant: Russell Bader (First Season at PSU)

2015 USC Trojans Roster

<i>Name</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Hometown</i>	<i>High School/Last College</i>
Rob Bellamy	So.	Pacific Palisades, Calif.	Laurel Springs
Nick Crystal	So.	Waccabuc, N.Y.	Laurel Springs
Max de Vroome	Jr.	Vught, Netherlands	Maurick College
Connor Farren	So.	Foster City, Calif.	K-12 Online HS
Thibault Forget	Fr.	Rennes, France	CNED
Yannick Hanfmann	Sr.	Karlsruhe, Germany	Otto-Hahn Gymnasium
Henry Ji	Fr.	Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.	Torrey Pines
Erik Johnson	Sr.	San Jose, Calif.	Laurel Springs
David Laser	Fr.	Glencoe, Ill.	New Trier
Roberto Quiroz	Sr.	Guayaquil, Ecuador	Colegio Pert
Tanner Smith	Fr.	Long Beach, Calif.	Servite
Jonny Wang	Sr.	San Marino, Calif.	San Marino

Head Coach: Peter Smith

Associate Head Coach: Krzysztof Kwinta

New ITA Match Format

The Intercollegiate Tennis Association introduced a new match format for the 2015 season

- No ad scoring in singles or doubles
- No warm-up with opponents before singles or doubles
- Three doubles matches, each match one set to 6, with a tiebreaker at 6-6.
- Six singles matches, each match two out of three sets to 6, tiebreaker at 6-6.
- First team to 4 points wins the team match, match completed in 7-point format if agreed upon by coaches.

SPRING RESULTS

	Doubles			Singles					
	#1	#2	#3	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
Barry	1-1	2-0	1-0	-	1-0	2-0	1-0	-	-
Collado Castells	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	1-0
Dolidze	-	1-0	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	0-1
Fennell	1-1	2-0	1-0	1-0	1-3	-	-	-	-
Hanzlik	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	1-1
Kohan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Laaribi	-	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	1-0	1-1	-
Lutschaunig	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reilly	0-2	-	2-0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stakhovksy	0-2	1-0	-	1-3	-	-	-	-	-
Trkulja	-	0-1	1-1	-	-	1-0	1-2	-	-

Penn State's Record Is...

1-1	..... at home
1-1	..... on the road
1-1	..... at neutral sites
2-1	..... when winning doubles point
1-1	..... when opponent wins doubles point
1-0	..... when winning No. 1 Doubles
2-2	..... when winning No. 2 Doubles
2-2	..... when winning No. 3 Doubles
2-0	..... when winning No. 1 Singles
1-1	..... when winning No. 2 Singles
3-1	..... when winning No. 3 Singles
3-0	..... when winning No. 4 Singles
2-0	..... when winning No. 5 Singles
2-0	..... when winning No. 6 Singles
2-1	..... against ranked opponents
1-1	..... against unranked opponents
3-2	..... during their last ten matches

BIG TEN STANDINGS

Team	B1G Record	Pct.	Overall Record	Pct.
#33 Minnesota	1-0	1.000	7-1	.875
#5 Illinois	1-0	1.000	6-1	.857
#8 Ohio State	0-0	.000	8-1	.889
#49 Indiana	0-0	.000	6-1	.857
Iowa	0-0	.000	4-1	.800
#60 Michigan State	0-0	.000	6-3	.667
#22 Penn State	0-0	.000	3-2	.600
#26 Northwestern	0-0	.000	4-4	.500
Nebraska	0-0	.000	2-2	.500
#47 Michigan	0-0	.000	1-3	.250
#51 Purdue	0-1	.000	2-4	.400
Wisconsin	0-1	.000	1-4	.200

Times Clinching The Match

Matt Barry	..... 1
Tomas Hanzlik	..... 1
Roman Trkulja	..... 1

Times Clinching The Doubles Point

Dolidze/Lutschaunig	..... 1
Laaribi/Lutschaunig	..... 1
Laaribi/Stakhovsky	..... 1



Nittany Lions In the Rankings

	Team	Singles	Doubles
1/6	26	NR	Dolidze/Hanzlik, 59
1/20	26	N/A	N/A
1/28	16	N/A	N/A
2/3	22	N/A	N/A
2/10	N/A	Stakhovsky, 81	N/A

2015 Dual Match Results

#26 Penn State 4, #19 Kentucky 3

Doubles:

1. Lai/Pennington(UK) def. Reilly/Stakhovsky(PSU), 6-2.
2. Bushamuka/Lopez(UK) def. Laaribi/Trkulja(PSU), 6-2.
3. Barry/Fennell(PSU) def. Ellefsen/Yates(UK), 6-1.

Order of Finish: 1,3,2

Singles:

1. #92 Beck Pennington(UK) def. Leo Stakhovsky(PSU), 6-3, 6-3.
2. Jerry Lopez(UK) def. Alex Fennell(PSU), 6-4, 6-2.
3. Roman Trkulja(PSU) def. William Bushamuka(UK), 6-4, 4-6, 6-1.
4. Matt Barry(PSU) def. Kevin Lai(UK), 6-4, 6-4.
5. Aws Laaribi(PSU) def. Trey Yates(UK), 7-5, 2-6, 7-6(1).
6. Tomas Hanzlik(PSU) def. Jake Stefanik(UK), 3-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Order of Finish: 1,2,4,3,5,6

#26 Penn State 4, #20 USF 1

Doubles:

1. Reilly/Stakhovsky(PSU) vs. #6 Cid/Gozun(USF), 6-5, unfinished.
2. Barry/Fennell(PSU) def. Gonzalez-Muniz/Kalyuzhnyy(USF), 6-3.
3. Laaribi/Lutschaunig(PSU) def. #44 Prammig/Roberts(USF), 6-4.

Order of Finish: 2,3

Singles:

1. Leo Stakhovsky(PSU) def. #19 Roberto Cid(USF), 5-7, 6-3, 6-3.
2. Ignacio Gonzalez-Muniz(USF) def. Alex Fennell(PSU), 6-2, 7-5.
3. Matt Barry(PSU) def. Oliver Prammig(USF), 5-7, 6-4, 6-2.
4. Aws Laaribi(PSU) def. Sasha Gozun(USF), 6-4, 6-4.
5. Tomas Hanzlik(PSU) vs. Vadym Kalyuzhnyy(USF), 6-3, 1-0, unfinished.
6. Nika Dolidze(PSU) vs. Justin Roberts(USF), 6-1, 2-1, unfinished.

Order of Finish: 2,4,1,3

Penn 5, #16 Penn State 2

Doubles:

1. Court/Podesta(Penn) def. Reilly/Stakhovsky(PSU), 7-5.
2. Barry/Fennell(PSU) def. Kaplan/Sharp(Penn), 6-1.
3. De Alwis/Nardella(Penn) def. Laaribi/Trkulja(PSU), 6-2.

Order of Finish: 2,3,1

Singles:

1. Nicolas Podesta(Penn) def. Leo Stakhovsky(PSU), 6-2, 1-6, 6-4
2. Alex Fennell(PSU) def. Vim De Alwis(Penn), 6-3, 6-3.
3. Matt Barry(PSU) def. Jeremy Court(Penn), 7-6(6), 6-2.
4. Matt Nardella(Penn) def. Roman Trkulja(PSU), 6-4, 6-4.
5. Josh Pompan(Penn) def. Aws Laaribi(PSU), 2-6, 7-5, 4-0, retired(Inj).
6. Blaine Willenborg(Penn) def. Tomas Hanzlik(PSU), 7-5, 3-6, (10-5)

Order of Finish: 4,2,3,1,5,6

#16 Penn State 7, Temple 0

Doubles:

1. Barry/Fennell(PSU) def. Belkssir/Paulus(TU), 6-4.
2. Dolidze/Lutschaunig(PSU) def. Glessing/Naran(TU), 6-1.
3. Collado Castells/Reilly(PSU) def. Canete/Cargill(TU), 6-2.

Order of Finish: 3,2,1

Singles:

1. Alex Fennell(PSU) def. Santiago Canete(TU), 6-4, 6-2.
2. Matt Barry(PSU) def. Nicolas Paulus(TU), 6-2, 6-0.
3. Nika Dolidze(PSU) def. Filip Stipic(TU), 6-0, 6-3.
4. Roman Trkulja(PSU) def. Hicham Belkssir(TU), 6-2, 6-4.
5. Tomas Hanzlik(PSU) def. Vineet Naran(TU), 6-3, 6-0.
6. Marc Collado Castells(PSU) def. Ondre Cargill(TU), 6-1, 6-0.

Order of Finish: 2,1,4,3,6,5

#37 Virginia Tech 4, #22 Penn State 1

Doubles:

1. Bjerrehus/Contini(VT) def. Barry/Fennell(PSU), 6-2.
2. Laaribi/Stakhovsky(PSU) def. Corbett/Monteiro(VT), 7-6(5).
3. Reilly/Trkulja(PSU) def. Koontz/Nicoud(VT), 7-5.

Order of Finish: 1,3,2

Singles:

1. #35 Amerigo Contini(VT) def. Leonard Stakhovsky(PSU), 6-3, 7-5.
2. #61 Andreas Bjerrehus(VT) def. Alex Fennell(PSU), 6-2, 6-2.
3. Matt Barry(PSU) vs. Joao Monteiro(VT), 3-6, 5-5, unfinished.
4. Hunter Koontz(VT) def. Roman Trkulja(PSU), 6-2, 6-2.
5. Aws Laaribi(PSU) vs. Edoardo Tessaro(VT), 2-6, 7-6, unfinished.
6. #94 Florian Nicoud(VT) def. Nika Dolidze(PSU), 6-2, 6-4.

Order of Finish: 4,2,6,1