# **IOWA HAWKEYES**

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## MEN'S TENNIS WEEKLY RELEASE

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## 2017 SCHEDULE/RESULTS (11-9)

Jan. 21	Western Michigan	W, 5-2
	Creighton	W, 7-0
Jan. 28	at Texas Tech	W, 4-3
Jan. 29	vs. No. 20 Mississippi State	L, 1-4
Feb. 3	Omaha	W, 6-1
	Drake	L, 3-4
Feb. 5	Dartmouth	W, 4-3
Feb. 11	at Oregon	L, 2-5
Feb. 19	at Denver	W, 5-2
March 3	Utah	W, 4-3
	Southern Illinois	W, 4-3
March 5	Wisconsin	L, 2-5
March 10	at Nebraska	W, 5-2
March 16	vs. Harvard	W, 4-2
March 17	vs. No. 25 Oregon	L, 0-4
March 18	at San Diego	L, 3-4
March 26	at Minnesota	L, 2-5
March 31	DePaul	W, 7-0
	No. 3 Ohio State	L, 0-7
April 2	Penn State	L, 3-4
April 8	at No. 27 Illinois	Noon
April 9	at No. 21 Northwestern	Noon
April 14	at Purdue	6 p.m.
April 16	at Indiana	Noon
April 16	at Butler	6 p.m.
April 21	No. 19 Michigan	6 p.m.
April 23	Michigan State	Noon
	North Dakota	5 p.m.
April 27	at Big Ten Tournament	TBD

#### 2017 Roster & Results (Singles/Doubles)

Kareem Allaf, RS-Fr	10-7/5-8
Robin Haden, Sr	5-14/12-5
Nils Hallestrand, Sr	1-1/2-0
Jake Jacoby, Jr	12-5/10-5
Jason Kerst, Fr	2-2/1-1
Jonas Larsen, So	13-6/5-8
Tony Leto, So	0-1/0-1
Josh Silverstein, Jr	8-10/11-7
Lefteris Theodorou, Jr	8-9/10-6

## THIS WEEK:

- The University of Iowa men's tennis team travels across the boarder this weekend to take on No. 27 Illinois and No. 21 Northwestern.
- The Hawkeyes will match up first against the Fighting Illini at Noon (CT).
- On Sunday, Iowa faces the Wildcats at Noon (CT).

## HAWKEYES TO WATCH

- Redshirt freshman Kareem Allaf is 12-5 this season.
- He saw action in the top spot against Ohio States, top-ranked Mikeal Torpegaard.
- Allaf has two wins playing at No. 1.
- Sophomore Jonas Larsen is 13-6 on the season. He has seen action at two, three, four, and five.
- Junior Jake Jacoby has picked up 12 wins this season.
- He is four wins away from taking the 15th spot on lowa's all-time career win list.

#### **SCOUTING ILLINOIS**

- The Illini have three wins over nationally ranked teams.
- Two of their nationally ranked wins come over Big Ten opponents: then-No. 16 Northwestern and then-No. 30 Wisconsin.
- Illinois has two athletes ranked in the top 30: No. 6 Aleks Vukic and No. 29
   Aron Hiltzik.
- The Illini hold a 5-2 record this season on their home court.

## **SCOUTING NORTHWESTERN**

- Northwestern has two nationally ranked singles athletes: No. 43 Strong Kirchheimer and No. 50 Konrad Zieba.
- Northwestern has won 14-of-16 matches against lowa, dating back to 2003.
- The Wildcats also have two nationally ranked doubles teams: No. 42 Sam Shropshire / Konrad Zieba and No. 44 Strong Kirchheimer / Dominik Stary.
- Sunday's match will have live scoring.

# LAST TIME OUT

lowa split its matches on March 31 against DePaul and No. 2 Ohio State inside the Hawkeye Tennis and Recreation Complex. lowa began the day with a 7-0 win over the Blue Demons before falling to the nationally-ranked Buckeyes by the same score in the nightcap.

On Sunday April 2, the Hawkeyes were edged, 4-3, by Penn State (11-7, 2-1), outside at the Hawkeye Tennis and Recreation Complex.

#### **FOLLOW THE HAWKEYES**

Fans can follow the Hawkeyes all season long and receive live match updates on Facebook (facebook.com/lowaMensTennis) or on Twitter (@lowaMensTennis). Fans can also get a behind the scene look on Instagram (iowamenstennis).

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