



WOMEN'S TENNIS

Women's Tennis Contact -- Rob McColaugh

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2019 Schedule/Results (0-0, 0-0)

1/18vs. Xavier
 1/20vs. North Texas
 1/26 vs. Brown
 1/26 vs. Georgia State
 1/27 at Dartmouth
2/8vs. Iowa State
2/10vs. Depaul
 2/17 at Marquette
 2/22 at Northwestern
2/24vs. Penn State.....
 3/2 at Kansas State.....
3/9vs. Furman.....
 3/10 at Florida Gulf Coast
3/12vs. Notre Dame.....
 3/16 at Michigan State.....
 3/17 at Michigan.....
 3/24 at Ohio State.....
3/31vs. Indiana
4/5vs. Rutgers
4/7vs. Maryland.....
4/13vs. Nebraska.....
 4/20 at Wisconsin.....
 4/21 at Minnesota.....

Home contests in **BOLD**

Spring Records (Singles/Doubles)

Michelle Bacalla
 Danielle Bauers.....
 Danielle Burich
 Sophie Clark.....
 Adorabol Huckleby
 Ashleigh Jacobs
 Samantha Mannix.....
 Cloe Ruette
 Elise van Heuvelen Treadwell

THIS WEEK FOR THE HAWKEYES

The University of Iowa women's tennis team opens the 2019 season hosting Xavier on Friday and North Texas on Sunday at the Hawkeye Tennis and Recreation Complex. The Hawkeyes host Xavier, Friday, at 5 p.m. (CT) and North Texas, Sunday, at 10 a.m. (CT). Admission is free.

@SASHASCHMID On Season Opener

"There is no substitution for us going through match play, and as a team we are really hungry and excited to do that. I think there is going to be a bit of a learning curve with close to half the team making their collegiate debut this season, but the team has gotten a lot out of the first semester and few weeks we've been back from winter break. They've competed well all year, are hungry, play well together, and give each other confidence. Like any team there will be lots of growth throughout the season but as a team we are ready to get started."

Taking on the Musketeers

Friday's match will be the first meeting all-time between Iowa and Xavier. The Musketeers return sophomore Ahmeir Kyle, who picked up All-Big East honors last season. Xavier finished with an overall record of 13-11 last season.

Taking on the Eagles

Sunday's match is the second meeting all-time between Iowa and North Texas. The Eagles lead the all-time series, 1-0. The previous and only match between the two teams was in 2018, where the Hawkeyes were defeated (4-3).

Hawkeye Newcomers

The Hawkeyes welcome four freshman and one sophomore transfer to the roster this year. They include Samantha Mannix, a five-star recruit from Elkhorn, Nebraska; Michelle Bacalla from Niles, Illinois, a fellow five star recruit; Sophie Clark from Swindon England, who placed Top 16 in the singles main draw at the ITA Central Regional Championship this fall; and Cloe Ruette from Lanaken, Belgium, who missed most of the fall season due to injury. Ashleigh Jacobs of Alberta, Canada, is a sophomore transfer from Gonzaga University.

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