



IOWA HAWKEYES WOMEN'S TENNIS

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Date	Opponent	Time/Result
1/12	vs. Florida Atlantic	Noon / Cancelled
1/13	at Florida Gulf Coast	9 a.m. / W, 5-2
1/20	at Notre Dame	10 a.m. / L, 6-1
1/27	vs. Clemson	3 p.m. / L, 4-3
1/28	vs. Alabama	11 a.m. / L, 4-2
2/2	vs. Kansas State	11 a.m. / L, 1-4
2/4	at Denver	11 a.m. / L, 1-4
2/9	Memphis	10 a.m. / W, 4-0
2/9	Northern Illinois	6 p.m. / W, 5-2
2/16	at Iowa State	5 p.m. / W, 5-2
2/18	Drake	Noon / W, 6-1
2/23	Oregon	5 p.m. / L, 3-4
3/2	at Indiana	10 a.m.
3/10	at Nebraska	11 a.m.
3/22	Illinois	5 p.m.
3/24	Northwestern	Noon
2/29	at Wisconsin	4 p.m.
2/31	at Minnesota	Noon
4/7	Rutgers	Noon
4/12	Ohio State	5 p.m.
4/14	Penn State	Noon
4/20	at Michigan	11 a.m.
4/21	at Michigan State	10 a.m.
4/24-28	at Big Ten Tournament (Ann Arbor, Mich.)	TBA

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2024 ROSTER

Name	Yr.	Hometown
Chelsea Bluestein	Fr.	Naples, Fla.
Daianne Hayashida	So.	Lima, Peru
Pia Kranholdt	So.	Hilders, Germany
Jessica Matthews	Fr.	Hertforshire, England
Vipasha Mehra	Sr.	Calgary, Canada
Barbora Pokorna	Jr.	Ostrava, Czech Republic
Marisa Schmidt	Jr.	Karlsruhe, Germany
Nikita Vishwase	So.	Phoenix, Ariz.

Head Coach: Sasha Schmid (8th season)
Assistant Coach: Elise van Heuvelen Treadwell (2nd season)

THIS WEEK

The 66th-ranked University of Iowa women's tennis team heads to Bloomington, Indiana, to face Indiana in its Big Ten opener on Saturday at 10 a.m. (CT) at the IU Tennis Center.

FOLLOW LIVE

Fans can follow the matches live via StatBroadcast on hawkeyesports.com. A livestream will be available via Playsight and fans can also follow the action live via the Iowa women's X account (@iowa_tennis).

LAST MATCH

The Hawkeyes hosted No. 52 Oregon on Feb. 23, dropping a 4-3 decision to snap the team's four-match winning streak. The Ducks captured the doubles point and the six singles matches went back and forth. Senior Vipasha Mehra won a tiebreaker to even the dual at three, but junior Pia Kranholdt dropped a heartbreaker to give Oregon the team win.

IN THE RANKINGS

The Hawkeyes sit at No. 66 in the latest ITA team rankings. Iowa has a 5-6 team record this spring, which includes a 3-1 record at the HTRC.

- In singles, sophomore Daianne Hayashida is ranked 110th nationally. She was ranked No. 85 in the first spring rankings.

STRINGING Ws

Since moving back to the No. 2 singles position, junior Marisa Schmidt has won four consecutive singles matches that have been played to their completion. She has won two matches in straight sets and two in a third set tiebreaker.

- Schmidt, Daianne Hayashida and Barbora Pokorna are tied for the team lead with six singles wins this season.

BIG OPENER

Saturday's dual will serve as Iowa's Big Ten Conference opener. The Hawkeyes went 7-4 in league play a season ago with six ranked wins. The team closed regular season play with a 4-1 win over No. 31 Illinois.

FRESHMAN FEVER

Freshman Chelsea Bluestein flourished in her HTRC debut, winning all three of her matches. She went undefeated in singles, picking up two straight-set singles victories, and partnered with Vipasha Mehra to win one doubles match.

ALL DAI

- Sophomore Daianne Hayashida has been Iowa's No. 1 singles player throughout the spring, posting a 6-4 singles record.
- During the fall, Hayashida advanced to the quarterfinals of the ITA Midwest Regionals and she competed in the main draw of the ITA Women's All-American Championships in September. She was the first Hawkeye to advance to the regional quarterfinals since Elise van Heuvelen in 2019.

SCOUTING INDIANA

- Indiana brings a two-match winning streak into Saturday's dual and the Hoosiers are currently 6-7 overall.
- The Hoosiers are 6-3 at home this season.
- Freshman Elisabeth Dunac leads the team in singles with a 9-1 record.
- Indiana holds a 37-15 advantage in the all-time series against Iowa. The Hawkeyes won the most recent meeting, downing the Hoosiers, 4-1, at the Big Ten Championships.

UP NEXT

Iowa will continue on the road next week, traveling to Lincoln to face Nebraska on March 10 at noon (CT).

