

Home: Denison-Schleswig
Coach: Aaron Ratliff

Visitor: Shenandoah
Coach: Tom French

Date: Saturday, May 15, 2010

Varsity Singles

Visitor	Home	Score
1. Jacob Heiden	1. Tim Fricke	V 2-6, 1-6
2. Nick Ingram	2. Adam Stauffer	H 6-1, 6-3
3. Ryan Petersen	3. Clayton Young	H 6-0, 6-0
4. Andrew Hrabik	4. Andrew Rolf	H 6-3, 6-1
5. Joel Aurand	5. Jacob Homes	H 6-2, 6-2
6. Philip Keairnes	6. Mitchell Steinkuehler	H 6-1, 3-6, 6-2

Score: 5-1

Season Record: 11-1

Comments: Today was the Pre-Substate dual that we qualified for last Thursday at Districts. By placing 2nd at the district tournament, we hosted the 3rd place team, Shenandoah for the right to advance to Substate. We had faced Shenandoah earlier this season. They have two very strong players in the #1 and 2 position who as a doubles team are the district champions. We were fortunate to have the depth on our team to beat them 6-3 in that earlier match-up.

Today their #2 player was recovering from an ankle injury leaving Shenandoah a little short-handed. We were able to win the necessary 5 out of 9 wins without having to play the doubles matches.

Highlights: Ryan Petersen continued his strong play in a convincing 6-1, 6-3 against a speedy opponent.

Nick Ingram had little trouble bageling his opponent 6-0, 6-0.

Andrew Hrabik was tested in his first set before settling in to his 6-3, 6-1 win.

Joel Aurand spent much of his match at the net working on his volleys during his 6-2, 6-2 win.

Philip Keairnes rolled in his first set 6-1, but got behind early in the second and couldn't recover quickly enough losing the second set 3-6. With solid groundstrokes and well constructed points, he left little doubt in the third set with a 6-2 win.

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Varsity Singles Winners: Ryan Petersen, Nick Ingram, Andrew Hrabik, Joel Aurand, Philip Keairnes

Next Match: Saturday, May 22 Substate at Norwalk 9:00 AM

Our first dual will be against Clarke, Osceola. If we win, one hour later we'll play the winner between Atlantic and the winner of the Saydel vs. Ballard Pre-Substate match. The winner of this second dual will be one of the only four teams that qualify for 1A Team State Tennis.