

1940 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

Prelims - Harold Gilpin, York, def. Vince Cutshall, Jackson, 4-6, 6-2, 6-1.

First Round - Ben Miller, Omaha Technical, def. Ned Nutzman, Nehawka, 6-1, 6-2. Keith Jones, Hastings, def. Warren Ludl, Wahoo, 6-0, 6-0. Dick Ellsworth, Sidney, def. Jerry Whelan, Hastings St. Cecilia, 6-4, 6-1. Wallace McDonald, Omaha Benson, def. Bob Baumann, West Point, 6-2, 6-1. Pete Durland, Norfolk, def. Fred Schneider, Fremont, 6-4, 6-2. Lars Larson, Plattsmouth, def. Roy Vance, Lincoln, 6-3, 6-4. Bobby Fromkin, Omaha Central, def. Harold Gilpin, York, 5-7, 7-5, 6-4. , Frank Ragan, Creighton Prep, def. Lowell Powell, Sprague-Martell, 6-1, 6-0.

Second Round - Ben Miller, Omaha Technical, def. Keith Jones, Hastings, 6-3, 6-1. Wallace McDonald, Omaha Benson, def. Dick Ellsworth, Sidney, 6-0, 6-0. Lars Larson, Plattsmouth, def. Pete Durland, Norfolk, 6-3, 6-4. Frank Ragan, Creighton Prep, def. Bobby Fromkin, Omaha Central, 6-0, 6-0.

Semifinals - Ben Miller, Omaha Technical, def. Wallace McDonald, Omaha Benson, . Frank Ragan, Creighton Prep, def. Larson, Plattsmouth, 6-0, 6-0.

Final - Frank Ragan, Creighton Prep, def. Ben Miller, Omaha Technical, 6-3, 6-8, 6-3.

Doubles

First Round - Jim Reedy/John O'Hearn, Creighton Prep, def. Harry Moolick/James Nevitt, Beatrice, 6-0, 6-0. Bob Hulbert/Jack Ranz, Havelock, def. Jack Sexton/Paul Beckenhauer, West Point, 6-1, 6-2. Dick Dubuque/Carlyle Hummell, Lincoln, def. R Ross/J Moorefield, Nehawka, 6-1, 6-1. Dennis Kurovsky/Lloyd Milek, Omaha Technical, def. Bill Rasmussen/Hubert Winter, Jackson, 6-1, 6-1. George Petrow/Burnell Webman, Fremont, def. Bill Scribner/Allan Granfield, Omaha Central, 7-5, 4-6, 6-4. Jim McTwigan/Junior Baumann, Norfolk, def. Don Martin/Stephen Devoe, Plattsmouth, 12-10, 4-6, 6-2. Luther Zieslang/Neal Fofemeister, Seward Concordia, def. Bud Feemster/John Williams, York 6-4, 6-2. Bob Havens/John Peters, Omaha Benson, BYE.

Second Round - Jim Reedy/John O'Hearn, Creighton Prep, def. Bob Hulbert/Jack Ranz, Havelock, 7-5, 6-2. Dennis Kurovsky/Lloyd Milek, Omaha Technical, def. Dick Dubuque/Carlyle Hummell, Lincoln, 7-5, 6-0. George Petrow/Burnell Webman, Fremont, def. Jim McTwigan/Junior Baumann, Norfolk, 6-1, 6-2. Luther Zieslang/Neal Fofemeister, Seward Concordia, def. Bob Havens/John Peters, Omaha Benson, 6-3, 7-5.

Semifinals - Jim Reedy/John O'Hearn, Creighton Prep, def, Dennis Kurovsky/Lloyd Milek, Omaha Technical, 7-5, 6-0. George Petrow/Burnell Webman, Fremont, def. Luther Zieslang/Neal Fofemeister, Seward Concordia, .

Final - Jim Reedy/John O'Hearn, Creighton Prep, def, George Petrow/Burnell Webman, Fremont, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

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Class A Team Results

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

First Round - Bob Buxton, Lincoln, def. Rodney Reams, Stratton, 6-2, 6-3. Tom Arkwright, Creighton Prep, def. Bill Ross, Nehawka, 6-2, 6-2. Bill Scribner, Omaha Central, def. Hamilton Manzel, Fremont, 6-1, 6-4. Lar Larson, Plattsmouth, def. Allen Bigsby, Aurora, 6-1, 8-6. Dennis Kurovsky, Omaha Technical, def. Charles Mastin, Seward, 6-1, 6-2.

Second Round - Bob Buxton, Lincoln, def. Dale Nevitt, Beatrice, DEF. Calvin Olson, Omaha Benson, def. Tom Arkwright, Creighton Prep, 6-1, 6-1. H Jacobson, Lexington, def. Junior Baumann, Norfolk, DEF. Dennis Kurovsky, Omaha Technical, def. Bob Gillespie, Omaha North, 6-0, 6-2. Bill Scribner, Omaha Central, def. Warren Ludl, Wahoo, 6-1, 6-2. John Williams, York, def. Jerry Whalen, Hastings, 6-2, 6-3. Lowell Powell, Sprague-Martell, def. Richard Copeland, Omaha South, 6-0, 9-7. Lar Larson, Plattsmouth, def. Robert Hafemeiester, Seward Concordia, 6-1, 8-6.

Quarterfinals - Bob Buxton, Lincoln, def. Calvin Olson, Omaha Benson, 6-3, 6-2. Dennis Kurovsky, Omaha Technical, def. H Jacobson, Lexington, 6-3, 6-3. Bill Scribner, Omaha Central, def. John Williams, York, 6-1, 6-1. Lars Larson, Plattsmouth, def. Lowell Powell, Sprague-Martell, 6-0, 6-1.

Semifinals - Dennis Kurvosky, Omaha Technical, def. Bob Buxton, Lincoln High, 6-1, 6-2. Lars Larson, Plattsmouth, def. Bill Scribner, Omaha Central, 6-3, 6-2.

Final - Dennis Kurovsky, Omaha Technical, def. Lars Larson, Plattsmouth, 4-6, 6-1, 6-1.

Doubles

First Round - Bob Fromkin/Allan Granfield, Omaha Central, def. Jack Kennedy/Wayne McKinney, Kearney, 6-2, 6-1. Kenneth Jenson/Bud Johnson, Fremont, def. Eugene Jindra/Jack Mitchell, Omaha Benson, 4-6, 6-3, 8-6. David Hanighan/Robert Young, Creighton Prep, def. James Nevitt/Charles Zimmerman, Beatrice, DEF. Bob Partridge/Rex Jones, Alliance, def. Roy Bloom/Bob Cain, Omaha North, 9-7, 2-6, 6-4. Don Martin/Corbin Davis, Plattsmouth, def. Richard King/Charles Laugner, Seward, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2. Morris Coff/Don McArthur, Lincoln, def.

Dick Brown/Jack Brown, Stratton, DEF. Duane Lage/Harry Marsh, Omaha Technical, def. Verner Lundberg/Jim Sturm, Nehawka, 6-0, 6-0.

Second Round - Bob Fromkin/Allan Granfield, Omaha Central, def. Kenneth Jenson/Bud Johnson, Fremont, 6-2, 31-11. David Hanighan/Robert Young, Creighton Prep, def. Bob Partridge/Rex Jones, Alliance, 4-6, 6-2, 7-5. Don Martin/Corbin Davis, Plattsmouth, def. Bud Feemster/Leonard Wright, York, 6-2, 5-7, 6-2. Morris Coff/Don McArthur, Lincoln, def. Duane Lage/Harry Marsh, Omaha Technical, 2-6, 6-2, 6-1.

Semifinals - Bob Fromkin/Allan Granfield, Omaha Central, def. David Hanighan/Robert Young, Creighton Prep, 8-6, 6-4. Morris Coff/Don McArthur, Lincoln, def. Don Martin/Corbin Davis, Plattsmouth, 6-2, 6-4.

Final - Bob Fromkin/Allan Granfield, Omaha Central, def. Morris Coff/Don McArthur, Lincoln High, 6-3, 6-3.

1942 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Omaha Central , Lincoln Central , Creighton Prep , Omaha Technical , Omaha Benson , Alliance .

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

First Round - Dave Hanighen, Creighton Prep, def. Ed Liggett, Utica, 6-0, 6-2. Don McArthur, Lincoln, def. Dale Armer, Omaha Technical, 6-1, 6-4. Jim Harris, Omaha Central, def. Kenneth Jensen, Fremont, 6-0, 6-3. Carl Olson, Omaha Benson, def. Dick Ward, Lincoln Northeast, DEF.

Second Round - Dave Hanighen, Creighton Prep, def. Rex Jones, Alliance, 6-0, 6-2. Don McArthur, Lincoln, def. Jake Jacobson, Lexington, 6-4, 6-4. Jim Harris, Omaha Central, def. Dale Ones, Hastings, 6-1, 6-4. Carl Olson, Omaha Benson, def. Lars Larson, Plattsmouth, 8-10, 6-3, 6-1.

Semifinals - Dave Hanighen, Creighton Prep, def. Don MacArthur, Lincoln High, 6-0, 7-5. Carroll Olson, Omaha Benson, def. Jim Harris, Omaha Central, 6-2, 1-6, 6-2.

Final - Dave Hanighen, Creighton Prep, def. Carroll Olson, Omaha Benson, 6-2, 3-6, 6-0.

Doubles

First Round - Allan Granfield,/Jack Busch, Omaha Central, def. Bill Jenkins/Jack Hill, Lincoln Northeast, 6-0, 6-2. Bob Kleinert/Bill Flick, Lincoln, def. Bob Murray/Bud Johnson, Fremont, 6-1, 6-2. Bob Partridge/Dick Walker, Alliance, def. Dick Lorene/Jim Vernon, Creighton Prep, 6-1, 7-5. Duane Lage/Harry Marsh, Omaha Technical, def. Dick Livingston/Ralph Hill, Plattsmouth, DEF.

Semifinals - Allan Granfield,/Jack Busch, Omaha Central, def. Bob Kleinert/Bill Flick, Lincoln, 7-5, 7-5. Duane Lage/Harry Marsh, Omaha Technical, def. Bob Partridge/Dick Walker, Alliance, 6-4, 7-5.

Final - Allan Granfield/Jack Busch, Omaha Central, def. Duane Lage/Harry Marsh, Omaha Technical, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5.

1943 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Lincoln High 5, Fremont 2, Omaha Benson 1, Omaha Central 0, Creighton Prep 0.

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

Semifinals

Doug Peter, Omaha Benson, def. Ray Johnson, Fremont, 6-2, 6-1. Don McArthur, Lincoln High, def. Frank Krajicek, Creighton Prep, 6-2, 6-2.

Final

Don McArthur, Lincoln High, def Douglas Peters, Omaha Benson, 6-2, 6-4.

Doubles

First Round

Bob Kleinert/Phil Oxley, Lincoln High, def. Ward Zimmerman/Norman Young, Omaha Benson, 6-4, 6-1. Bob Hahn/Duane Kruse, Fremont, def. Dave Davis/Jim Harris, Omaha Central, 6-4, 7-5.

Semifinals

Bob Kleinert/Phil Oxley, Lincoln High, def. Dick Lorenz/Bill Yarietz, Creighton Prep, 6-1, 6-0. Bob Hahn/Duane Kruse, Fremont, def. Dave Davis/Jim Harris, Omaha Central, 6-4, 7-5.

Final

Bob Kleinert/Phil Oxley, Lincoln High, def. Bob Hahn/Wayne Kruse, Fremont 6-0, 6-4.

1944 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Omaha Central

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

Semifinals

Jim Harris, Omaha Central, def. Phil Oxley, Lincoln High, 6-8, 6-4, 6-3.

Bob Niver, Omaha Technical, def. Roy Johnson, Fremont, 6-3, 6-1.

Final

Jim Harris, Omaha Central, def. Bob Niver, Omaha Technical, 6-0, 6-3.

Doubles

Semifinals

Dave Davis/Jim Lyle, Omaha Central, def. Bob Hahn/Duane Kruse, Fremont, 8-10, 6-4, 6-2.

Jerry Meyers/Don Stanton, Omaha Technical, def. Bob Kleinert/Bob McGehee, Lincoln High, 6-3, 6-1.

Final

Dave Davis/Jim Lyle, Omaha Central, def. Jerry Meyers/Don Stanton, Omaha Technical, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1

1945 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Omaha Central 5, Lincoln 3, Omaha Benson 2, Omaha Technical 2.

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

First Round

Don Niederleucke, Omaha Benson, def. Dick Dutcher, Hebron, 6-2, 6-2.

Bob Winquest, Omaha Technical, def. Dick Horstman, Fremont, 6-0, 6-0.

Semifinals

David Davis, Omaha Central, def. Don Niederleucke, Omaha Benson, 6-2, 6-1.

Bob Winquest, Omaha Tehcnical, def. Willie Polite, Lincoln High, 6-0, 6-0.

Final

David Davis, Omaha Central, def. Bob Winquest, Omaha Technical, 6-4, 6-4.

Doubles

First Round

Vaughn Johnson/Dick Lesh, Omaha Benson, def. Wallace Gayton/Dale Larson, Fremont, 6-4, 6-3.

Semifinals

Fred Pisale/Peter Randell, Omaha Central, def. Paul McKenzie/Jerry Young, Hebron, 6-0, 6-0.

Bob McGhee/Bill Barrett, Lincoln High, def. Vaughn Johnson/Dick Lesh, Omaha Benson, 6-1, 6-2.

Final

Bob McGhee/Bill Barrett, Lincoln High, def. Fred Pisale/Peter Randell, Omaha Central, 6-1, 6-2.

1946 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

First Round - Bill Berg, Creighton Prep, def. Wills O'Brien, Omaha North 6-0. Kenneth Paulsen, Omaha Technical, def. William Walters, Boys Town, 6-2, 6-4. Dick Means, Lincoln High, def. Pete Randall, Omaha Central, 6-1, 6-1. Peter Peters, Omaha Benson, BYE.

Semifinals - Dick Means, Lincoln High, def. Pete Peters, Omaha Benson, 6-2, 6-0. Bill Berg, Creighton Prep, def. Kenneth Paulsen, Omaha Technical, 6-1, 6-2.

Final - Bill Berg, Creighton Prep, def. Dick Means, Lincoln High,

Doubles

First Round - John Fitzgerald/John Vernon, Creighton Prep, def. Jack Buckley/John Fargher, Omaha Technical, 6-1, 6-1. Willie Polite/Carl Fahrenbach, Lincoln High, def. Arthur Liebert/Frank Redman, Boys Town, 6-4, 6-4.

Semifinals - Willie Polite/Carl Fahrenbach, Lincoln High, def. John Fitzgerald/John Vernon, Creighton Prep, 10-8, 4-6, 6-4. Jerry Magaee/Irving Veitzer, Omaha Central, def. Charley Geisler/Mark Gautier, Omaha North, 6-0, 6-2.

Final - Willie Polite/Carl Fahrenbach, Lincoln High, def. Jerry Magaee/Irving Veitzer, Omaha Central,

1947 Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Hastings 9, Lincoln High 6, Omaha North 6, Omaha Benson 5, Creighton Prep 4, Fairbury 3, Beatrice 2.

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

First Round

Dick Means, Lincoln High, def. Krell, Omaha Cathedral, DEF
Wilson, Beatrice, def. Wright, Omaha North, 4-6, 6-3, 9-7
Peters, Omaha, Omaha Benson, def. Smith, Hastings, 4-6, 6-0, 6-1
Berg, Creighton Prep, had a Bye

Semifinals

Dick Means, Lincoln High, def. Wilson, Beatrice, 6-2, 6-2
Berg, Creighton Prep, def. Peters, Omaha, Omaha Benson, 6-2, 6-2

Final

Dick Means, Lincoln High, def. Berg, Creighton Prep, 7-5, 6-3

Doubles

Preliminary Round

Zerbe/Blocher, Omaha Central, def. Misko/Andrew, Lincoln High, 10-6, 2-6, 6-1

First Round

Don McCall/Bill Becker, Hastings, def. Zerbe/Blocher, Omaha Central, 6-2, 6-0
Jones/Lea, Fairburg, def. Connor/Bourke, Creighton Prep, 6-4, 8-6
Gautier/Geisler, Omaha North, def. Leibert/Redman, Boys Town, 6-1, 6-0.
Mader/Russman, Omaha Benson, def. Webb/Birmingham, Beatrice, 6-2,
6-4.

Semifinals

Don McCall/Bill Becker, Hastings, def. Jones/Lea, Fairburg, 6-3, 6-3
Gautier/Geisler, Omaha North, def. Mader/Russman, Omaha Benson, 8-6,
6-0

Final

Don McCall/Bill Becker, Hastings, def. Gautier/Geisler, Omaha North, 6-2, 6-1

1948 Spring Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Creighton Prep 12, Omaha Central 9, Fairbury 4,

Class A Medal Winners

Singles:

Preliminary Round - Bob Rump, Fremont, def. Dick Wintermute, Hastings, 6-2, 6-2

First Round - Bill Lea, Fairbury, def. John Halpine, Omaha Central, 10-8, 6-2. Duane Post, Omaha North, def. Dick Hurlburt, Norfolk, 6-3, 6-3. Peter Peters, Omaha Benson, def. Bob Catterson, Lincoln High, 6-0, 6-0. Thomas Burke, Creighton Prep, def. Bob Rump, Fremont, 6-0, 6-1.

Semifinals - Bill Lea, Fairbury, def. Duane Post, Omaha North, 6-0, 6-2. Thomas Burke, Creighton Prep, def. Peter Peters, Omaha Benson, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Final- Thomas Burke, Creighton Prep, def. Bill Lea, Fairbury,

Doubles

Preliminary - Kay Jones/Willard Price, Fairbury, def. Jack Huddleston/Bill McNeely, Norfolk, 6-0, 6-0.

First Round - Eugene Potach/Bob Yager, Omaha South, def. Kay Jones/Willard Price, Fairbury, 1-6, 13-11, 7-5. Thomas McAndrews/John Tatom, Creighton Prep, def. Theodore Kolderie/Douglas Rogers, Omaha Benson, 6-1, 6-2. Bill Misko/Reg Andrews, Lincoln High, def. Don McLane/Tom Gibson, Hastings, 6-0, 6-0. John Schroeder/Mason Zerbe, Omaha Central, def. Bob Baas/Sealock, Omaha North, 6-1, 6-0.

Semifinals - Thomas McAndrews/John Tatom, Creighton Prep, def. Eugene Potach/Bob Yager, Omaha South, 6-3, 6-1. John Schroeder/Mason Zerbe, Omaha Central, def. Bill Misko/Reg Andrews, Lincoln High, 6-1, 9-7.

Final - John Schroeder/Mason Zerbe, Omaha Central, def. Thomas McAndrews/John Tatom, Creighton Prep, 3-6, 7-5, 12-10.

1949 Spring Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Creighton Prep 18, Omaha Central 10, Omaha North 8, Lincoln High 5.

Class A Medal Winners

No. 1 Singles:

First Round - Walt Weaver, Lincoln High, def. Charles Kress, Scottsbluff 6-4, 6-1 Don Blocker, Omaha Central, def. Frank Quintero, Boys Town, 6-3, 6-2 Richard Halpine, Creighton Prep, def. Willard Price, Fairbury, 6-2, 6-1 Ron Bass, Omaha North, def. Bill Geisler, Kearney, 7-5, 6-1

Semifinals - Don Blocker, Omaha Central, def. Walt Weaver, Lincoln High, 6-8, 7-5, 6-2 Richard Halpine, Creighton Prep, def. Ron Bass, Omaha North, 6-2, 6-1

Final- Don Blocker, Omaha Central, def. Richard Halpine, Creighton Prep, 6-2, 6-2

No. 1 Doubles:

First Round - Don Sealock/Duane Post, Omaha North, def. Rod Farmer/Phillip Wheeler, Fremont, 6-0, 6-2. Wohlfarth/Wells, Lincoln High, def. Robert Curtis/Stam Hinrichsen, Boys Town, 6-2, 6-2. Adams/Hill, Omaha Central, def. Allyn Olson/Rollie Wilcs, Scottsbluff, 6-2, 6-2. John Tatom/Tom McAndrews, Creighton Prep, def. Lonni Weidenhaft/Dick McKenzie, Fairbury, 6-2, 6-0.

Semifinals - Don Sealock/Duane Post, Omaha North, def. Wohlfarth/Wells, Lincoln High, 6-4, 7-5. John Tatom/Tom McAndrews, Creighton Prep, def. Adams/Hill, Omaha Central, 6-0, 6-0.

Final - John Tatom/Tom McAndrews, Creighton Prep, def. Don Sealock/Duane Post, Omaha North, 6-1, 6-1.