

## GAME SUMMARY

DATE OF GAME: 3/24/10

SPORT: Coed Tennis

TEAM RECORD: 1-1

OPPONENT: Montgomery College Rockville

SCORE: 7-2

WIN/LOSE: CCRI Wins

LEAD STORY #1: CCRI traveled to the Knights of Montgomery College Rockville after a disappointing loss followed by a rainout to begin the 2010 season. Montgomery had an excellent team last year, but was unable to participate in the National tournament due to a technicality with regard to the filing of his players' paperwork by the athletic administration. Montgomery, with only 5 players in the squad at this early point in the season, was giving up 2 points before the match even started. The first match of the day set the tone as returning co-captain **Dan Rivard** (Scituate, RI) faced off against *Jason Pfannschmidt*, a Brian Scalabrini look-a-like, and dispatched him quickly, 6-0, 6-0. **Cooper Gillis** (Barrington, RI) followed quickly with a 6-1, 6-0 defeat of *Thomas Rigolage*. The match that secured the points for CCRI also showcased **Matt Beatrice's** (Peacedale, RI) first college tennis victory! **Timothy Steere** (Glocester, RI) defeated *Brad Taulbee* 6-2, 6-2 and **Rivard** and **Gillis** teamed up to complete the scoring for CCRI, defeating *Rigolage* and *Pfannschmidt*, 8-0 in #2 doubles.

LEAD STORY #2: The Community College of Rhode Island Knights took to the courts against the Montgomery College Rockville Knights in the second match of our 2010 campaign. **Alex Cavanagh** (Middletown, RI) faced off against *Andrew Ortiz* in first singles and succumbed 6-1, 6-3. **Timothy Steere** (Glocester, RI) defeated *Brad Taulbee* in second singles, 6-2, 6-2. **Cooper Gillis** (Barrington, RI) dispatched *Thomas Rigolage* in third singles by a score of 6-1,6-0. **Dan Rivard** (Scituate, RI) cruised to a 6-0, 6-0 fourth singles victory over *Jason Pfannschmidt*. Fifth singles featured **Matt Beatrice** (Peacedale, RI) defeating *Kamran Najibi* in fifth singles 6-2, 6-4. Sixth singles was defaulted. **Cavanagh** teamed up with **Steere** in first doubles, falling to *Ortiz* and *Taulbee*, 8-5 in the 8-game pro-set format. **Gillis** and **Rivard** teamed up in second doubles, finishing their combined dominance of the Rockville Knights with an 8-0 defeat of *Rigolage* and *Najibi*. Third doubles was also a Rockville default.

LEAD STORY #3: CCRI got on the good side of the ledger, evening the record at 1-1 with a 7-2 victory over Montgomery College Rockville. **Matt Beatrice** (Peacedale, RI) scored his first college tennis victory while at the same time securing the deciding point

for the overall match following his 6-2, 6-4 victory over *Kamran Najibi* of Montgomery Rockville. **Cooper Gillis** (Barrington, RI) and **Dan Rivard** (Scituate, RI) teamed up to thoroughly dominate their opponents, surrendering 1 lone game in their two singles matches and their doubles matches combined. **Gillis** scored a 6-1, 6-0 singles victory, **Rivard** scored a 6-0, 6-0 singles victory, and they combined for an 8-0 doubles victory.

COACHES COMMENTS: We are happy to be on the right track for the 2010 season. Leveling our record at 1-1 with the 7-2 victory over Montgomery College Rockville puts us back on track in our quest for a fifth consecutive Nationals appearance. We look forward to our next match as we travel to Bel Air to take on the Owls of Harford Community College.