

BLOOMSBURG

STATE COLLEGE

TENNIS

1973



L to R: Kneeling, Tom Sweitzer, Drew Hostetter
Standing, Dick Grace, Bill Hoefel

INFORMATION

On The

“Huskies”

OUTLOOK

The loss of the number two, three, and four single players from last year's team, which compiled a 3-0 fall record and a 6-2 spring record, would normally indicate a slide backward. However, this should not be the case due to a fine group of freshmen.

In the fall matches this year, the Huskies defeated Susquehanna and Kutztown while losing to Lehigh and always-tough Bucknell. The team has Tom Sweitzer, 9-2 at the number one position; Dick Grace, 11-0 at the number five position; and Tom Leedom, 10-1 at the number six position returning for the '73 season. Sweitzer, a former ranked Middle States junior, will probably play number two this year behind freshman Drew Hostetter, a number four ranked Middle States junior and semi-finalist in the state high school tournament, at the number one position. Freshman Bill Hoefel, also a ranked junior, will play number three, at which, if he plays up to his potential, will be unbeatable at that position.

Sophomore Dick Grace, who tallied an 11-0 record in the spring and fall prior to performing on the basketball court, will probably play number four. Filling out the final two positions will be sophomore Dennis Hartzell at number five and either freshman Jim Overbaugh or junior Tom Leedom playing number six; the latter only lost one match at this position last year. Sophomore Richard Hillegas will be available for doubles competition.

This will be the first spring that the team will be playing on the new 18 grasstex courts, nine of which are lighted for evening play. In the event of rain, the matches can be completed on the two indoor, permanent Tartan courts which the team uses for winter play.

New additions to the spring schedule, Gettysburg, West Chester, and Lycoming, will provide stiff competition for the young Huskies. The Pennsylvania Conference tournament will be hosted by Bloomsburg for the first time.

ROSTER

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CLASS</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>HIGH SCHOOL</u>
Richard Grace	So.	Montrose	Montrose
Dennis Hartzell	So.	Espy	Central Columbia
Richard Hillegas	So.	Quakertown	Quakertown
William Hoefel	Fr.	Manheim	Manheim Central
Drew Hostetter	Fr.	Mount Joy	Donegal
Thomas Leedom	Jr.	Lansdowne	Lansdowne-Aldan
Jim Overbaugh	Fr.	Hanover	Delone Catholic
Tom Sweitzer	So.	Manheim	Manheim Central

COACH BURT REESE

BURTON REESE joined the Physical Education staff of Bloomsburg State College in January, 1969, and since that time has served as head tennis coach and assistant basketball coach.

A native of Taylor, Pennsylvania, he earned both his Bachelor of Science and Master of Education degrees at East Stroudsburg State College. He played varsity tennis and varsity basketball and co-captained both teams in his senior year. While working on his master's degree, he coached basketball and tennis as a graduate assistant. He then joined the faculty of Old Forge High School, Pennsylvania, where he was assistant basketball and football coach. He served as athletic director at Abington Heights where he coached tennis, with a 45-6 record, and junior high basketball. Reese was ranked 10th in Men's Singles in the Middle States tennis area and plays sanctioned tournaments throughout the summer.

Coach Reese states, "This year's team, although very young, has a great deal of experience in tournament play and should be competitive in all of its matches."



SCHEDULE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>TIME</u>
3/31	Kutztown	Away	2:00
4/3	Scranton	Away	2:00
4/4	Lock Haven	Home	2:00
4/7	West Chester	Away	2:00
4/10	Mansfield	Away	2:00
4/12	Millersville	Away	2:00
4/28	E. Stroudsburg	Home	2:00
4/30	Susquehanna	Home	2:00
5/1	Lycoming	Away	2:00
5/2	Kutztown	Home	2:00
5/4 & 5	Conference Tournament	Home	
5/9	Shippensburg	Away	2:00
5/10	Gettysburg	Away	2:00

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location:

Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania

Acting President:

Dr. Charles H. Carlson

Chairman of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Athletics:

Dr. Conrad A. Bautz

Associate Vice President for Development & External Relations:

Boyd F. Buckingham

Sports Information Director:

Bruce C. Dietterick

Member:

NCAA, NAIA, PC, ECAC

Nickname:

Huskies

Colors:

Maroon and Gold

Home Courts:

Campus Courts
Eighteen (9 Lighted)

Enrollment:

4250

Year founded:

1839

Conducted by:

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

