

Women's Tennis

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The NCSSM 1993-1994 women's tennis team is doing fairly well in their season. With only one week of play remaining, they hold a 6 win, 7 loss record. Dual team and individual regionals will come up next, at the end of October. Tracy Moldin, captain of this year's tennis team, says, "This tennis team is bonded with a lot of spirit and a good attitude. Even after losses, we know we've done our best. They keep us working hard, but we don't let them get us down."

"The team is fairly young, with only 3 returning seniors," says coach Warren Basket. "Everyone has a different level of performance, but we're adjusting well to each others' strengths and weaknesses."

Manager Pete Lee says, "The team has a lot of good players and potential, and we should be winning a lot more matches; they've all been really close."



One problem has been the players' attendance at practices and matches, but they are trying to work through this. "I don't usually get my homework started until 9:00 or 9:30 on game days," says Meredith Small, a junior on the team. "I think it's really going to catch up with me sooner or later!"

Yet, despite the losses, the wins have been sweet. "It feels good to beat a team 9-0 and finish them off by 6:00. It feels real good!" says Moldin.

"I think the most important thing is that everybody gets along really well. It helps to keep the team spirit up," says Megan Stanley, another junior on the team.

"I feel really good about our performance so far this year," says Mary Williams. "The NCSSM tennis team is actually really cool."

Women's Tennis Team

Charlene Ahn
Vickie Bryant
Wendy Jones
Emily Lai
Sheryl Mebane
Tracy Moldin
Janette Park
Meredith Small
Megan Stanley
Kavita Trivedi
Mary Williams

Women's Volleyball Team

Julia Barrett
Janet Cummings
Elizabeth Detrie
Raysun Goergen
Suzanne Harris
Nancy Helms
Teresa Killian
Lisa McCool
Sharice Rice
Katie Roscoe
Christina Woods

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Wins over teams such as previously mentioned Louisburg could accomplish this objective for the 1993 season, and of course, would offer the opportunity for continued success as the title "State Champs" ring in the ears of the teammates.

When asked about the Conference Tournament that takes place over Fall Break (October 11 & 13), team captain Nancy Helms replied, "We have a good chance of winning it all, if we can keep our serves in and be able to run our plays correctly." She believes their biggest competitors at the tournament to be Louisburg and Franklinton.

The accomplishment competing in the state tournament, let alone the winning of it would not only make these ladies proud and respected, but would also enable the realization surrounding our school to be enacted as this would be yet another example of the proper chemistry brewing at NCSSM of academics in cooperation with athletics. So show your support to these athletes with your attendance at as many games as possible empowering them to attain continued success in the future. Go Uni's!



Junior Katie Roscoe preparing to return the ball to the other team in a game earlier this season.