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GEORGE FOX UNIVERSITY

SPORTS PRESS RELEASE: WOMEN'S TENNIS - Saturday, April 10, 2004

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4/10 - PACIFIC LUTHERAN, 7, GEORGE FOX 2: Regular Season Closes for Bruins with Loss to Lutes

NEWBERG, Ore. - If the George Fox University Bruins are going to get their record-setting 9th win in a single season, it will have to be in next week's Northwest Conference Championships, as the Bruins dropped their regular-season women's tennis finale 7-2 to the Pacific Lutheran University Lutes Saturday afternoon here at the GFU campus courts.

The Bruins' only two wins came at #1 doubles and #1 singles. In doubles, Lisa Trefts and Kristin Miller teamed up to defeat PLU's Amanda Anuraga and Bria Smith, while Trefts beat Anuraga in straight sets in singles.

PLU got doubles wins from Nicole Petrzelka and Tracy Fujitani over Stephanie Selid and Anne Robinson at #2, and Liz George and Elizabeth Galbraith over Heidi Stagge and Rebecca Kromer at #3. In singles, it was Petrzelka over Selid at #2, Katie Ogin over Miller at #3, Smith over Robinson at #4, George over Kromer at #5, and Galbraith over Stagge at #6.

George Fox is now 8-10 overall and 6-7 in the conference, tying the 2002 team which was 8-9 for the most wins in a season in the Bruins' 9-year tennis history. Pacific Lutheran enters the NWC Tournament Apr. 16-17 in Yakima, Wash., hosted by George Fox, with an 8-8 overall record and a 7-4 conference mark.

Pacific Lutheran 7, at George Fox 2 - Apr. 10, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

- #1 - Lisa Trefts (GF) d. Amanda Anuraga (PL) 6-3, 6-3
- #2 - Nicole Petrzelka (PL) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 5-7, 6-1, 6-2
- #3 - Katie Ogin (PL) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-3, 6-4
- #4 - Bria Smith (PL) d. Anne Robinson (GF) 3-6, 6-2, 6-1
- #5 - Liz George (PL) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 6-2, 6-3
- #6 - Elizabeth Galbraith (PL) d. Heidi Stagge (GF) 6-1, 6-1

Doubles

- #1 - Trefts/Miller (GF) d. Anuraga/Smith 8-2
- #2 - Petrzelka/Fujitani (PL) d. Selid/Robinson (GF) 8-4
- #3 - George/Galbraith (PL) d. Kromer/Stagge (GF) 8-6

Records: George Fox (8-10, NWC 6-7), Pacific Lutheran (8-8, NWC 7-4)

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4/9 - PUGET SOUND 6, GEORGE FOX 3: Bruins Threaten Loggers Before Falling to NWC's No. 2 Team

NEWBERG, Ore. - Throwing a scare into the Northwest Conference's No. 2 team, the George Fox University Bruins went ahead 2-1 in doubles, only to falter in singles and drop a 6-3 decision to the University of Puget Sound Loggers Friday afternoon here at the GFU campus courts.

The Bruins got the jump on the Loggers, who had beaten them 8-1 to open the season back on Feb. 13, with wins by Stephanie Selid and Anne Robinson over Molly Clevenger and Alyssa Newton at #2 doubles, and by Rebbca Kromer and Heidi Stagge over Alyssa Sidoff and Katie Russell at #3 doubles. The Loggers' Taryn Anderson and Courtney Dunham edged Lisa Trefts and Kristin Miller 9-7 at #1 doubles.

The Loggers pulled the match out by winning the singles 5-1, with wins by Anderson over Trefts at #1, Dunham over Selid at #2, Sidoff over Miller at #3, Clevenger over Robinson at #4, and Russell over Stagge at #6. The lone Bruin to win at singles was Kromer over Newton at #5.

George Fox is now 8-9 overall and 6-6 in the conference, while Puget Sound is 13-3 overall and 10-2 in the NWC.

The regular season concludes for the Bruins Saturday (Apr. 10) as they host Pacific Lutheran University in a match moved up to 2:00 p.m. from 3:30 p.m. in order to allow the Lutes to get home quicker for the Easter weekend. The Loggers have completed their schedule. Both teams will participate in the NWC Championships next Friday-Saturday, Apr. 16-17, in Yakima, Wash., with George Fox as host this year for both the men's and women's tournaments.

Puget Sound 6, at George Fox 3 - Apr. 9, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

- #1 - Taryn Anderson (PS) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-0, 6-2
- #2 - Courtney Dunham (PS) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-1, 6-2
- #3 - Alyssa Sidoff (PS) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-2, 6-0
- #4 - Molly Clevenger (PS) d. Anne Robinson (GF) 6-1, 6-2
- #5 - Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Alyssa Newton (PS) 6-1, 6-3
- #6 - Katie Russell (PS) d. Heidi Stagge (GF) d. 6-0, 6-1

Doubles

- #1 - Anderson/Dunham (PS) d. Trefts/Miller (GF) 9-7
- #2 - Robinson/Selid (GF) d. Clevenger/Newton (PS) 8-4
- #3 - Kromer/Stagge (GF) d. Sidoff/Russell 8-3

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4/3 - WHITMAN 8, GEORGE FOX 1; GEORGE FOX 5, WHITWORTH 4: Bruins Tie Record for Most Wins in a Season While Splitting Pair of NWC Matches

NEWBERG, Ore. - After dropping an 8-1 match to the Whitman College Missionaries in the morning, the George Fox University Bruins tied their record for most wins in a season with a 5-4 afternoon win over the Whitworth College Pirates in Northwest Conference women's tennis Saturday here at the GFU campus courts.

The Bruins went to 8-8 overall and 6-5 in the conference, tying the record for wins in a season with the 2002 team that was 8-9. Whitman is 8-5 overall and 6-3 in the NWC, while Whitworth is 6-6 overall and 4-5 in league play.

In the Whitman match, the only winner for George Fox was the #2 doubles team of Stephanie Selid and Anne Robinson. The Missionaries got doubles wins from Paola Vizcaino and Hannah Swee at #1, and Trish Hayward and Jessica Antilla at #3. Whitman swept the singles in six straight-set matches, with wins by Vizcaino, Swee, Carissa Klarich, Antilla, Katie Collier, and Hayward at #1-6.

In the afternoon match, the Bruins dropped the doubles 2-1 but rebounded to wins the singles 4-2. Lisa Trefts and Kristin Miller were the Bruin doubles winners at #1, while Whitworth got victories from Katie Troxell and Betsy Johnson at #2, and Mandi Hopkins and Rachael McCoola at #3.

The Bruins took the match by winning the top four singles, posted by Trefts at #1, Selid at #2, Miller at #3, and Heidi Stagge at #4. Whitworth singles winners were McCoola at #5 and Sandy Fujitani at #6.

George Fox hosts the University of Puget Sound Friday (Apr. 9) at 3:30 p.m., while Whitworth goes to Pacific University Sunday (Apr. 4) at 10:00 a.m., and Whitman next goes to Whitworth on Saturday (Apr. 10) at 12:00 noon.

Whitman 8, at George Fox 1 - Apr. 3, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

- #1 - Paola Vizcaino (W) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-1, 6-1
- #2 - Hannah Swee (W) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-2, 6-3
- #3 - Carissa Klarich (W) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-2, 6-2
- #4 - Jessica Anitlla (W) d. Heidi Stagge (GF) 6-1, 6-1
- #5 - Katie Collier (W) d. Valerie Ring (GF) 6-2, 6-4
- #6 - Trish Hayward (W) d. Anne Robinson (GF) 6-2, 6-4

Doubles

- #1 - Vizcaino/Swee (W) d. Trefts/Courtney Ngai (GF) 8-2
- #2 - Robinson/Miller (GF) d. Klarich/Laurie Chapman 9-7
- #3 - Hayward/Antilla (W) d. Miller/Stagge (GF) 8-1

at George Fox 5, Whitworth 4 - Apr. 3, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

- #1 - Lisa Trefts (GF) d. Katie Troxell (W) 6-3, 6-0

- #2 - Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Krista Shrader (W) 6-1, 7-5
- #3 - Kristin Miller (GF) d. April Brast (W) 7-5, 6-4
- #4 - Heidi Stagge (GF) d. Mandi Hopkins (W) 7-6 (7-4), 7-6 (7-5)
- #5 - Rahael McCoola (W) d. Courtney Ngai (GF) 6-2, 6-2
- #6 - Sandy Fujitani (W) d. Valerie Ring (GF) 6-2, 6-3

Doubles

- #1 - Trefts/Miller (GF) d. Brast/ Shrader (W) 8-4
- #2 - Troxell/Betsy Johnson (W) d. Robinson/Selid (GF) 8-6
- #3 - Hopkins/McCoola (W) d. Stagge/Ngai (GF) 8-4

Records - George Fox (8-8, NWC 6-5), Whitman (8-5, NWC 6-3), Whitworth (6-6, NWC 4-5)

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3/26 – SPRING BREAK CLASSIC: Bruins Go 1-2 in Final Three Matches of Tournament in South Carolina

HILTON HEAD, S.C. – After opening with a 6-3 loss to NCAA Division III power University of St. Thomas (Minn.) on Monday, the George Fox University Bruins went 1-2 over the next three days to finish with a 1-3 record in the Hilton Head Spring Break Women's Tennis Classic here Mar. 22-25.

The Bruins picked up their win on Tuesday, thrashing Huntingdon College from Alabama 9-0. On Wednesday, the Bruins dropped a 9-0 decision to a Division II team with six of its nine players from foreign countries, Lincoln Memorial University, then concluded play with an 8-1 setback to Calvin College on Thursday.

In the Huntingdon match, the Bruins got singles victories from Lisa Trefts, Stephanie Selid, Kristin Miller, Rebecca Kromer, Heidi Stagge, and Laura Rogers in #1-6, and doubles wins from Trefts and Selid at #1, Miller and Anne Robinson at #2, and Kromer and Stagge at #3. Their one win against Calvin came at #3 doubles with Kromer and Stagge again victorious.

George Fox is now 7-7 overall, just one win from tying the record for most wins in a season by the Bruins in women's tennis, set during an 8-9 campaign in 2002. Next on the schedule is a Northwest Conference doubleheader on Saturday, Apr. 3, as the Bruins host Whitman College at 9:00 a.m. and Whitworth College at 3:30 p.m.

George Fox 9, Huntingdon 0 – Mar. 23, 2004, at Hilton Head, S.C. (Spring Break Classic)

Singles

- #1 – Lisa Trefts (GF) d. April Leclerc (H) 6-1, 6-2
- #2 – Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Keri Till (H) 4-6, 7-5, 7-5
- #3 – Kristin Miller (GF) d. Merry Copeland (H) 6-2, 6-0
- #4 – Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Laurel Davis (H) 6-0, 6-1
- #5 – Heidi Stagge (GF) d. Kristen McDonald (H) 6-0-, 6-1
- #6 – Laura Rogers (GF) d. Carolyn Kinney (H) 6-1, 6-2

Doubles

- #1 – Trefts/Selid (GF) d. Leclerc/Copeland (H) 8-0
- #2 – Miller/Anne Robinson (GF) d. Till/Davis (H) 8-0
- #3 – Stagge/Kromer (GF) d. McDonald/Kinney (H) 8-1

Lincoln Memorial 9, George Fox 0 – Mar. 24, 2004, at Hilton Head, S.C. (Spring Break Classic)

Singles

- #1 – Helena Sokolova (LM) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-0, 6-0
- #2 – Liza-Mari Olivier (LM) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-0, 6-3
- #3 – Regina Sertschnigg (LM) d. Kristen Miller (GF) 6-1, 6-1
- #4 – Lisa-Marie Lewallen (LM) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 6-3, 6-4
- #5 – Erika Jonsson (LM) d. Heidi Stagge (GF) 6-0, 6-0
- #6 – Alison Carter (LM) d. Valerie Ring (GF) 6-0, 6-2

Doubles

- #1 – Livier/Sertschnigg (LM) d. Trefts/Selid (GF) 8-0
- #2 – Sokolova/Carolina Ojunian (LM) d. Miller/Anne Robinson (GF) 8-2
- #3 – Lewallen/Carter (LM) d. Stagge/Kromer (GF) 8-4

Calvin 8, George Fox 1 – Mar. 25, 2004, at Hilton Head, S.C. (Spring Break Classic)

Singles

- #1 – Amy Zeilstra (C) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-2, 6-1
- #2 – Racel Pater (C) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-1, 6-1
- #3 – Annie Huizenga (C) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-3, 6-3
- #4 – Allyson Logan (C) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 6-4, 6-3

#5 – Kari Lipinski (C) d. Heidi Stagge (GF) 6-3, 6-1

#6 – Kristina Plaisier (C) d. Laura Rogers (GF) 6-3, 6-4

Doubles

#1 – Zeilstra/Pater (C) d. Trefts/Selid (GF) 8-6

#2 – Huizenga/Logan (C) d. Miller/Anne Robinson (GF) 8-1

#3 – Stagge/Kromer (GF) d. Kim Bosscher/Lindsay Bennett (C) 8-4

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3/22 – ST. THOMAS 6, GEORGE FOX 3: Bruins Give Powerful St. Thomas Trouble Before Faltering

HILTON HEAD, S.C. – Getting their venture into the Hilton Head Spring Break Classic off to a promising start, the George Fox University Bruins gave the University of St. Thomas (Minn.) Tommies a tussle before finally falling 6-3 to one of the NCAA Division III's top women's tennis powers here Monday morning.

The Bruins took two of the three doubles matches, with Lisa Trefts and Stephanie Selid prevailing at #1 and Rebecca Kromer and Heidi Stagge winning at #3. Rachel Frank and Shari Wiebusch captured the #2 doubles for the Tommies.

St. Thomas battled back to win the match by taking five of the six singles, getting wins from Jodie Dmohoski at #1, Katie Miettunen at #2, Cortney Dirks at #4, Michelle Mills at #5, and Nickey Nichols at #6. The Bruins' lone win in singles went to Kristin Miller at #3.

George Fox is now 6-5 overall, while St. Thomas improves to 11-0.

The remainder of the Bruins' schedule for the tournament has them playing Huntingdon College of Alabama Tuesday at 8:00 a.m., Division II Lincoln Memorial University Wednesday at 1:00 p.m., and Calvin College Thursday at 3:00 p.m. (all times Eastern).

St. Thomas (Minn.) 6, George Fox 3 – Mar. 22, 2004, at Hilton Head, S.C. (Spring Break Classic)

Singles

- #1 – Jodie Dmohoski (ST) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 3-6, 6-3, (12-10)
- #2 – Katie Miettunen (ST) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-1, 6-0
- #3 – Kristin Miller (GF) d. Heather Waldschmidt (ST) 6-1, 6-2
- #4 – Cortney Dirks (ST) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 6-3, 6-4
- #5 – Michelle Mills (ST) d. Heidi Stagge (GF) 6-1, 6-2
- #6 – Nickey Nichols (ST) d. Courtney Ngai (GF) 6-2, 6-2

Doubles

- #1 – Trefts/Selid (GF) d. Dmohoski/Miettunen (ST) 8-6
- #2 – Rachel Frank/Shair Wiebusch (ST) d. Miller/Anne Robinson (GF) 8-3
- #3 – Stagge/Kromer (GF) d. Dirks/Nichols (ST) 8-2

Records: George Fox (6-5), St. Thomas (11-0)

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3/19 – WILLAMETTE 5, GEORGE FOX 4: Doubles Decisive as Bearcats Nudge Bruins

SALEM, Ore. – A 2-1 edge in doubles proved to be the deciding factor in a close Northwest Conference women's tennis match Friday afternoon here at the Salem Courthouse's indoor courts, as the Willamette University Bearcats edged the George Fox University Bruins 5-4, ending the Bruins' three-game winning streak.

Cortney Groves and Ashley Layton of Willamette teamed up to take the #1 doubles and Susan Butler and Hannah Johnson took the #2 doubles, giving the Bearcats an early lead, but the Bruins captured the #3 doubles contest behind the play of Stephanie Selid and Rebecca Kromer.

The teams then split the singles, George Fox taking the top three spots but Willamette responding with wins in the bottom three. Bruin wins were posted by Lisa Trefts at #1, Selid at #2, and Kristin Miller at #3, while the Bearcats were victorious with Johnson at #4, Melody Kerber at #5, and Alison Nunamaker at #6.

George Fox is now 6-4 overall and 5-4 in conference play, while Willamette improves to 2-6 overall and 2-5 in the NWC.

The Bruins head for South Carolina during spring break next week, playing four matches Mar. 22-25 in the Hilton Head Spring Break Classic. The schedule calls for the Bruins to play NCAA Division III top 10 power University of St. Thomas (Minn.) Monday at 11:00 a.m., Huntingdon College of Alabama Tuesday at 8:00 a.m., Division II Lincoln Memorial University Wednesday at 1:00 p.m., and Calvin College Thursday at 3:00 p.m. (all times Eastern). The Bearcats play a neutral-site match Sunday (Mar. 21) against Southern Oregon University in Boise, Idaho, match time to be announced.

At Willamette 5, George Fox 4 – Mar. 19, 2004, at Salem, Ore.

Singles

- #1 - Lisa Trefts (GF) d. Susan Butler (W) 6-3, 7-6 (7-5)
- #2 – Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Cortney Groves (W) 6-7, 6-2, 6-4
- #3 - Kristin Miller (GF) d. Ashley Layton (W) 6-2, 5-7, 6-0
- #4 – Hannah Johnson (W) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 3-6, 6-4, 6-2
- #5 – Melody Kerber (W) d. Heidi Stage (GF) 6-0, 1-6, 7-5
- #6 – Alison Nunamaker (W) d. Courtney Ngai (GF) 6-3, 6-0

Doubles

- #1 – Groves/Layton (W) d. Trefts/Ngai (GF) 8-1
- #2 – Butler/Johnson (W) d. Miller/Robinson (GF) 8-1
- #3 – Selid/Kromer (GF) d. Kerber/Nanamaker (W) 8-5

Records: George Fox (6-4, NWC 5-4), Willamette (2-6, NWC 2-5)

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3/18 – GEORGE FOX 8, PACIFIC 1: Bruins Triumphant for Third Straight Time with Rout of Boxers

FOREST GROVE, Ore. – Posting their third straight win, the George Fox University Bruins came within one win of sweeping the Pacific Boxers for the second time this season while recording an 8-1 Northwest Conference women's tennis victory Thursday afternoon here at the Pacific courts.

The Bruins opened the match, which was a late addition to both teams' schedules, by winning all three doubles contests. Kristin Miller and Anne Robinson teamed up for the win at #1, Lisa Trefts and Rebecca Kromer won at #2, and Valerie Ring and Heather Dixon, the latter appearing in her first varsity competition of the season, were victorious at #3.

George Fox cemented the win by taking five of the six singles matches, getting wins from Trefts at #1, Miller at #2, Kromer at #3, Robinson at #4, and Dixon at #5. Josie Vu captured Pacific's only win at #5.

George Fox climbed to 6-3 overall and 5-3 in the conference, while Pacific dropped to 0-11 overall and 0-9 in the league.

The Bruins return to action Friday (Mar. 19), visiting Willamette University for a 3:00 p.m. match. The Boxers are off until Saturday, Apr. 3, when they host Whitman College for a match at 2:00 p.m.

George Fox 8, at Pacific 1 – Mar. 18, 2004, at Forest Grove, Ore.

Singles

- #1 - Lisa Trefts (GF) d. Fern Koga (P) 6-1, 6-4
- #2 - Kristin Miller (GF) d. Lei Tokuda (P) 6-2, 6-1
- #3 - Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Erin Milliron (P) 6-1, 6-1
- #4 - Anne Robinson (GF) d. Raysha Sadang (P) 7-6 (7-2), 6-1
- #5 - Josie Vu (P) d. Valerie Ring (GF) 6-3, 1-6 (11-9)
- #6 - Heather Dixon (GF) d. Amanda Rhodes (P) 6-4

Doubles

- #1 - Miller/Robinson (GF) d. Koga/Tara Tanoue (P) 8-3
- #2 - Trefts/Kromer (GF) d. Milliron/Tokuda (P) 8-1
- #3 - Ring/Dixon (GF) d. Crystal Gillingham/Monica Brewer (P) 8-3

Records: George Fox (6-3, NWC 5-3), Pacific (0-11, NWC 0-9)

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3/13 – GEORGE FOX 5, ALBERTSON 4: Bruins Battle Back to Edge Albertson in Non-Conference Match

NEWBERG, Ore. – After dropping two of the three doubles matches, the George Fox University Bruins bounced back to take four of the six singles matches and pull out a 5-4 non-conference win over the Albertson College Lady Coyotes in women's tennis action Saturday here at the GFU campus courts.

Albertson took the top two doubles, Lauren Writer and Katie Webster winning at #1 and Anna Moylan and Kathy Taylor at #2. The Bruins' Courtney Ngai and Heidi Stagge, playing her first match after sitting out the first seven, captured the #3 doubles.

Playing without #1 singles player Lisa Trefts, who was attending a friend's wedding, the Bruins moved everyone up a notch and got wins from Stephanie Selid at #1, Rebecca Kromer at #3, Laura Rogers at #5, and Stagge at #6. The Coyotes' winners were Moylan and #2 and Whitney Gibbon at #4.

George Fox climbed to 5-3 with the win, while Albertson dropped to 0-4.

The Bruins return to Northwest Conference play Friday (Mar. 19), visiting Willamette University for a 3:00 p.m. match. The Lady 'Yotes play Treasure Valley Community College in an exhibition match on Sunday (Mar. 21) at 9:30 a.m. at home in Caldwell, Idaho.

At George Fox 5, Albertson 4 – Mar. 13, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

#1 – Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Lauren Writer (A) 6-4, 4-6, (11-9)

#2 – Anna Moylan (A) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-4, 6-3

#3 – Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Kathy Taylor (A) 6-3, 6-2

#4 – Whitney Gibbon (A) d. Courtney Ngai (GF) 7-5, 6-2

#5 – Laura Rogers (GF) d. Miriah Armsrong (A) 6-4, 6-2

#6 – Heidi Stagge (GF) d. Andrea Ebert (A) 6-2, 6-0

Doubles

#1 – Writer/Katie Webster (A) d. Anne Robinson/Miller (GF) 9-8 (10-8)

#2 – Moylan/Taylor (A) d. Kromer/Selid (GF) 8-6

#3 – Ngai/Stagge (GF) d. Gibbon/Armstrong (A) 8-3

Records: George Fox (5-3), Albertson (0-4)

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3/6 – LINFIELD 8, GEORGE FOX 1; GEORGE FOX 9, PACIFIC 0:

Bruins Split NWC Matches at Home with Wildcats and Boxers

NEWBERG, Ore. – Bouncing back from an 8-1 thumping by the Linfield College Wildcats in the morning, the George Fox University Bruins blanked the Pacific University Boxers 9-0 in the afternoon in Northwest Conference women's tennis Saturday here at the GFU campus courts.

In the morning match, George Fox got its only win against their Yamhill County counterparts at #3 doubles, Rebecca Kromer and Stephanie Selid teaming up for an 8-5 win over Linfield's Traci Sorenson and Kasey Stroud. The Wildcats got doubles wins from Nicole Ralston and Kasey Kuenzli at #1 and Asya Kamal and Lindsey Carlson at #2.

Singles winners for Linfield were Ralston at #1, Megan Rodgers at #2, Kuenzli at #3, Carlson at #4, Caroline Kunz at #5, and Sorenson at #5.

In the afternoon match, the Bruins posted their first sweep of the season, starting with doubles wins by Lisa Trefts and Courtney Ngai at #1, Kristin Miller and Anne Robinson at #2, and Selid and Kromer at #3. Singles winners for the Bruins were Trefts at #1, Selid at #2, Miller at #3, Kromer at #4, Laura Rogers at #5, and Valerie Ring, in her first competitive match of the season, at #6.

George Fox is now 4-3 overall and in conference play. The Bruins return to the courts Saturday (Mar. 13), hosting Albertson College at 3:30 p.m. in a non-conference contest. Pacific hosts Pacific Lutheran University Friday (Mar. 12) at 3:30 p.m., and Linfield visits Whitworth College Saturday (Mar. 13) at 1:00 p.m.

Linfield 8, at George Fox 1 – Mar. 6, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

- #1 – Nicole Ralston (L) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-3, 6-4
- #2 – Megan Rodgers (L) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-0, 7-5
- #3 – Kasey Kuenzli (L) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-3, 6-1
- #4 – Lindsey Carlson (L) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 6-0, 6-1
- #5 – Caroline Kunz (L) d. Courtney Ngai (GF) 6-0, 6-1
- #6 – Traci Sorenson (L) d. Anne Robinson (GF) 6-0, 6-0

Doubles

- #1 – Ralston/Kuenzli (L) d. Trefts/Ngai (GF) 8-1
- #2 – Asya Kamal/Carlson (L) d. Robinson/Miller (GF) 8-3
- #3 – Kromer/Selid (GF) d. Kasey Stroud/ Sorenson (L) 8-5

at George Fox 9, Pacific 0 – Mar. 6, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

- #1 – Lisa Trefts (GF) d. Erin Milliron (P) 6-0, 6-0
- #2 – Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Lei Tokuda (P) 6-4, 6-1
- #3 – Kristin Miller (GF) d. Josie Vu (P) 6-1, 6-0
- #4 – Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Fern Koga (P) 6-3, 3-0 (ret.)
- #5 – Laura Rogers (GF) d. Raysha Sadang (P) 6-2, 6-2
- #6 – Valerie Ring (GF) d. Monica Brewer (P) 7-5, 6-0

Doubles

- #1 – Trefts/Ngai (GF) d. Milliron/Tokuda (p) 8-4
- #2 – Robinson/Miller (GF) d. Amanda Rhodes/Sadang 8-0
- #3 – Kromer/Selid (GF) d. Vu/Koga (P) 8-1

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3/5 – GEORGE FOX 7, LEWIS & CLARK 2: Bruins Win 5 of 6 Singles to Complete Win over Pioneers

PORTLAND, Ore. – After taking two of the three doubles matches to get off to a good start, the George Fox University Bruins completed their 7-2 victory over the Lewis & Clark College Pioneers by winning five of the six singles Friday afternoon here at the L&C indoor courts.

Kristin Miller and Anne Robinson at #2 doubles and Rebecca Kromer and Courtney Ngai at #3 doubles gave the Bruins a boost with their 8-5 victories, while Laura Willner and Kristin Head took the #1 doubles for the Pioneers. Willner won at #1 singles for Lewis & Clark, but after that, it was all Bruins. Stephanie Selid at #2, Miller at #3, Kromer at #4, Ngai at #5, and Laura Rogers at #6 all posted wins, Kromer winning in three sets and Ngai taking a 12-10 tiebreaker after splitting sets.

George Fox improved to 3-2 overall and in the conference, while Lewis & Clark slipped to 0-5 overall and in the league.

The Bruins have a busy day Saturday (Mar. 6), hosting Linfield College at 10:00 a.m. and Pacific University at 3:00 p.m. The Pioneers host Pacific Saturday morning.

George Fox 7, at Lewis & Clark 2 – Mar. 5, 2004, at Portland, Ore.

Singles

- #1 – Laura Willmer (L&C) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-4, 6-4
- #2 – Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Kristin Head (L&C) 6-4, 6-4
- #3 – Kristin Miller (GF) d. Gianna Iuppa (L&C) 6-3, 6-2
- #4 – Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Lauren Hashimoto (L&C) 6-0, 3-6, 6-0
- #5 – Courtney Ngai (GF) d. Liz Nguyen (L&C) 5-7, 7-5, (12-10)
- #6 – Laura Rogers (GF) d. Jane Prideaux (L&C) 6-2, 6-4

Doubles

- #1 – Willner/Head (L&C) d. Trefts/Selid (GF) 9-8
- #2 – Anne Robinson/Miller (GF) d. Iuppa/Hashimoto (L&C) 8-5
- #3 – Kromer/Ngai (GF) d. Prideaux/Nguyen (L&C) 8-5

Records: George Fox (3-2, NWC 3-2), Lewis & Clark (0-5, NWC 0-5)

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2/28 – WHITMAN 8, GEORGE FOX 1: Bruins Give Missionaries a Tussle Before Falling to .500 for Season

WALLA WALLA, Wash. – Fighting a valiant match against one of the Northwest Conference's perennial women's tennis powers, the George Fox University Bruins gave the Whitman College Missionaries several tough sets before falling 8-1 Saturday afternoon here at the Whitman courts.

The Bruins won a 9-7 decision at #2 doubles with Kristin Miller and Anne Robinson securing the win over Carissa Klarich and Laurie Chapman, but the Missionaries took the #1 match behind Hannah Swee and Paola Vizcaino 8-3 over Lisa Trefts and Stephanie Selid, and the #3 set behind Marta Jankowska and Trish Hayward 8-4 over Rebecca Kromer and Courtney Ngai.

The Missionaries took all six of the singles matches in straight sets, although the Bruins battled to the final game in several of them. Whitman got wins from Vizcaino over Trefts 6-3, 6-2 at #1, Swee over Selid 6-4, 6-1 at #2, Klarich over Miller 6-3, 6-4 at #3, Jenny Schwartz over Kromer 6-4, 6-1 at #4, Jessica Antilla over Ngai 6-2, 6-1 at #5, and Chapman over Laura Rogers 6-1, 6-4 at #6.

George Fox fell to 2-2 overall and in the conference with the setback, while Whitman evened its record at 3-3 and went to 2-0 in the league.

The Bruins hit the road Friday (Mar. 5), although it is only up the road to Lewis & Clark College for a 3:00 p.m. match. The Missionaries are back in action Sunday (Feb. 29), hosting Lewis & Clark at 10:00 a.m.

At Whitman 8, George Fox 1 – Feb. 28, 2004, at Walla Walla, Wash.

Singles

- #1 – Paola Vizcaino (W) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-3, 6-2
- #2 – Hannah Swee (W) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-4, 6-1
- #3 – Carissa Klarich (W) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-3, 6-4
- #4 – Jenny Schwartz (W) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 6-4, 6-1
- #5 – Jessica Antilla (W) d. Courtney Ngai (GF) 6-2, 6-1
- #6 – Laurie Chapman (W) d. Laura Rogers (GF) 6-1, 6-4

Doubles

- #1 – Swee/Vizcaino (W) d. Trefts/Selid (GF) 8-3
- #2 – Anne Robinson/Miller (GF) d. Klarich/Chapman (W) 9-7
- #3 – Hayward/Jankowska (W) d. Kromer/Ngai (GF) 8-4

Records: George Fox (2-2, NWC 2-2), Whitman (3-3, NWC 2-0)

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2/27 – GEORGE FOX 8, WHITWORTH 1: Bruins Whip Whitworth at Whitman to Improve to 2-1

WALLA WALLA, Wash. – In a match played at the neutral site of Whitman College, the George Fox University Bruins captured an 8-1 victory over the Whitworth College Pirates in a Northwest Conference women's tennis battle here Friday afternoon.

The Bruins came out strong, winning all three doubles matches with Lisa Trefts and Stephanie Selid victorious at #1, Kristin Miller and Anne Robinson triumphant at #2, and Rebecca Kromer and Courtney Ngai pulling out a 9-7 squeaker at #3.

In singles, the Bruins won the first five matches, with Trefts at #1, Selid at #2, and Kromer at #4 winning in straight sets, and Miller at #3 and Ngai at #5 winning tiebreakers after splitting sets. Sandy Fujitani was the only Whitworth winner at #6 singles.

George Fox improved to 2-1 overall and in the conference, while Whitworth fell to 0-2 overall and 0-1 in the conference.

The Bruins take on Whitman in Walla Walla Saturday (Feb. 28) at 2:00 p.m. The Pirates play two neutral-site matches at Whitman Saturday, vs. Lewis & Clark College at 10:00 a.m. and Pacific University at 6:00 p.m.

George Fox 8, Whitworth 1 – Feb. 27, 2004, at Walla Walla, Wash.

Singles

- #1 – Lisa Trefts (GF) d. Katie Troxell (W) 6-1, 6-0
- #2 – Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Krista Sharder (W) 6-1, 6-2
- #3 – Kristin Miller (GF) d. April Brast (W) 6-3, 6-7, (10-6)
- #4 – Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Mandi Hopkins (W) 6-3, 6-1
- #5 – Courtney Ngai (GF) d. Rachael McCoola (W) 6-2, 3-6, (10-5)
- #6 – Sandy Fujitani (W) d. Laura Rogers (GF) 6-3, 6-2

Doubles

- #1 – Trefts/Selid (GF) d. Brast/Sharader (W) 8-1
- #2 – Anne Robinson/Miller (GF) d. McCoola/Troxell (W) 8-4
- #3 – Kromer/Ngai (GF) d. Hopkins/Becky Johnson (W) 9-7

Records: George Fox (2-1, NWC 2-1), Whitworth (0-2, NWC 0-1)

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2/20 – GEORGE FOX 6, LEWIS & CLARK: Bruins Even Record with Win over Pioneers in Home Opener

NEWBERG, Ore. – Battling back to win five of the six singles matches, the George Fox University Bruins won their women's tennis home opener with a 6-3 Northwest Conference victory over the Lewis & Clark College Pioneers Friday afternoon here at the GFU campus courts.

The visiting Pios took an early lead in the match by winning two of the three doubles matches. Laura Willner and Kristin Head at #1 doubles and Giana Iappa and Lauren Hashimoto at #2 doubles won for Lewis & Clark, with Kristin Miller and Courtney Ngai winning for George Fox at #3 doubles.

The Bruins bounced back with singles wins at #1 by Lisa Trefts, #2 by Stephanie Selid, #3 by Miller, #4 by Rebecca Kromer, and #6 by Laura Rogers. Lewis & Clark's lone singles victory came at #5 by Lauren Calloway.

George Fox, which lost in its season opener last Friday 8-1 at the University of Puget Sound, evened its record at 1-1. Lewis & Clark is 0-1.

The Bruins travel to eastern Washington for two conference matches next weekend, starting with Whitworth College on Friday (Feb. 27) at 11:00 a.m. The Pioneers go to Linfield College Saturday (Feb. 21) for a 10:00 a.m. match.

At George Fox 6, Lewis & Clark 3 – Feb. 20, 2004, at Newberg, Ore.

Singles

#1 – Lisa Trefts (GF) d. Laura Willner (L&C) 6-3, 6-2

#2 – Stephanie Selid (GF) d. Kristin Head (L&C) 6-1, 6-2

#3 – Kristin Miller (GF) d. Giana Iappa (L&C) 4-6, 6-2, (7-3)

#4 – Rebecca Kromer (GF) d. Lauren Hashimoto (L&C) 8-3

#5 – Lauren Calloway (L&C) d. Courtney Ngai (GF) 6-3, 6-3

#6 – Laura Rogers (GF) d. Lis Nguyen (L&C) 6-3, 7-5

Doubles

#1 – Willner/Head (L&C) d. Trefts/Selid (GF) 8-6

#2 – Iappa/Hashimoto (L&C) d. Anne Robinson/Kromer (GF) 8-6

#3 – Miller/Ngai (GF) d. Nguyen/Calloway (L&C) 8-4

Records: George Fox (1-1, NWC 1-1), Lewis & Clark (0-1, NWC 0-1)

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2/13 – PUGET SOUND 8, GEORGE FOX 1: Bruins Fall to Powerful Loggers in Women's Tennis Opener

TACOMA, Wash. – Newcomer Courtney Ngai was the only George Fox University player to get a win as the Bruins opened their 2004 women's tennis season with an 8-1 setback to one of the early Northwest Conference favorites, the University of Puget Sound Loggers, here Friday afternoon at UPS.

Ngai triumphed at #5 singles, defeating Alyssa Newton of UPS 2-6, 6-4, (10-3). The Loggers got wins from Taryn Anderson at #1, Courtney Dunham at #2, Alyssa Sidoff at #3, Melyssa Snyder at #4, and Molly Clevenger at #6. The Loggers swept the doubles to open the match, with Anderson and Dunham winning at #1, Snyder and Justine Bowen-Jones at #2, and Clevenger and Newton at #3.

It was the season opener for both teams.

The Bruins return to the courts Friday (Feb. 20), hosting Lewis & Clark College in another conference match at 3:00 p.m. The Loggers host Pacific Lutheran University Saturday (Feb.21), match time at 11:00 a.m.

At Puget Sound 8, George Fox 1 – Feb. 13, 2004, at Tacoma, Wash.

Singles

- #1 – Taryn Anderson (PS) d. Lisa Trefts (GF) 6-1, 6-2
- #2 – Courtney Dunham (PS) d. Stephanie Selid (GF) 6-2, 6-4
- #3 – Alyssa Sidoff (PS) d. Kristin Miller (GF) 6-3, 6-2
- #4 – Melyssa Snyder (PS) d. Rebecca Kromer (GF) 8-1
- #5 – Courtney Ngai (GF) d. Alyssa Newton (PS) 2-6, 6-4, (10-3)
- #6 – Molly Clevenger (PS) d. Laura Rogers (GF) 6-1, 6-1

Doubles

- #1 – Anderson/Dunham (PS) d. Trefts/Selid (GF) 8-5
- #2 – Snyder/Justine Bowen-Jones (PS) d. Anne Robinson/Kromer (GF) 8-0
- #3 – Clevenger/Newton (PS) d. Miller/Ngai (GF) 8-3

NORTHWEST CONFERENCE

SPORTS PRESS RELEASE: TENNIS – Saturday, April 13, 2004

4/17 – NWC TOURNAMENTS: Linfield Women Win 3rd Straight Title, Whitman New Men's Champ

YAKIMA, Wash. – Winning its third straight women's title, the Linfield College Wildcats overwhelmed the University of Puget Sound Loggers 8-1, while the Whitman College Missionaries emerged as the new men's champion with a 5-2 win over the Pacific Lutheran University Lutes as the Northwest Conference Tennis Championships wrapped up Saturday here at the Yakima Tennis Center.

The #1-seeded Linfield women dropped only two matches in the entire tournament and fell on Saturday only in the #1 singles, where the Loggers' Taryn Anderson defeated the Wildcats' Nicole Ralston. In other matches, the Willamette University Bearcats defeated the George Fox University Bruins 7-2 for third place, Whitman downed Pacific Lutheran 8-1 for fifth place, and the Whitworth College Pirates took the measure of the Lewis & Clark College Pioneers 6-3 for seventh place.

The men's title match featured a mild upset in the fact that Pacific Lutheran, by virtue of a head-to-head win over Whitman in the regular season, had been seeded #1 to Whitman's #2, although Whitman held a #10 West Region ranking to a #13 by PLU based primarily on overall strength of schedule. After knocking off defending champion Linfield the day before, the Missionaries were obviously on a mission in the finals. PLU took the #1 and #3 doubles matches to earn the doubles point, but Whitman bounced back to take the #2-5 singles to earn the crown.

In other men's results, Linfield blanked Puget Sound 7-0 to take third place, Whitworth downed Lewis & Clark 5-2 for fifth, and the Pacific University Boxers trimmed Willamette 5-2 for seventh.