

Vanderbilt Men's Tennis



2002 SCHEDULE

(10-13, 1-10 SEC, No. 43 ITA)

Jan. 17-20	SEC Indoors	All Day
Jan. 26	UT-MARTIN	W, 5-0
Jan. 26	MEMPHIS (74)	W, 5-2
Feb. 8	at Ohio State (24)	L 2-5
Feb. 10	at Indiana (55)	W, 4-3
Feb. 16	FLORIDA STATE (37)	W, 4-3
Feb. 17	NC STATE	W, 7-0
Feb. 23	GEORGIA TECH (23)	W, 5-2
March 1	at Georgia* (2)	L, 3-4
March 3	at Tennessee* (12)	L, 2-5
March 10	MISSISSIPPI* (11)	L, 2-5
March 15	SOUTH CAROLINA* (24)	L, 2-4
March 17	FLORIDA* (14)	L, 3-4
March 20	MISSISSIPPI STATE* (42)	L, 3-4
March 23	at Furman	L, 3-4
March 24	at UAB (46)	W, 6-1
March 29	LOUISIANA STATE* (42)	W, 4-3
March 31	ARKANSAS* (25)	L, 1-4
April 5	at Auburn* (17)	L, 2-4
April 7	at Alabama* (21)	L, 3-4
April 10	MIDDLE TENNESSEE (42)	W, 4-2
April 12	at Kentucky* (16)	L, 1-6
April 13	at Louisville	W, 5-2

April 18-21 SEC Championships
 April 18 vs. Florida (8) L, 0-4

May 11-12 NCAA Regional - Lexington, Ky.
 May 11 vs. Ohio State (20) 9:00 am
 May 12 vs. Kentucky/Murray St 2:00 pm

*SEC matches

Times subject to change

(ITA Ranking) - Current for future opponents

This Week's Matches:

May 11-12
 NCAA Regional



Preview: The Commodores travel to Lexington for the NCAA Regional. The Commodores open play with a first round match against 20th ranked Ohio State. The Commodores fell to the Buckeyes 5-2 in a regular season meeting between the schools on February 8 in Columbus. Against the other schools in the regional, the Commodores fell 6-1 to Kentucky in their regular season match on April 12 in Lexington, and the Commodores have not played Murray State since 1998, when they downed the Racers 6-1 in Nashville.

NCAA History: This year marks the third NCAA Tournament berth in the history of Commodore men's tennis. Last year, Vanderbilt travel to College Station, Texas where they defeated Arizona State in the first round, before falling to the host Aggies of Texas A&M in the second round. The Commodores' first NCAA appearance was in 1999, when they visited Champaign, Ill. for an NCAA regional. That year, Vanderbilt won a first round match over Michigan before losing to Illinois in the second round.

Other NCAA Action: In addition to the Commodores qualifying for the 2002 NCAA Team Championships, sophomore Bobby Reynolds also qualified for the 2002 National Singles Tournament. In addition, the doubles team of Reynolds and Lewis Smith are second alternate for the National Doubles Tournament.

Home Away From Home: This weekend the Commodores are making their third trip of 2002 to Lexington, Ky. Vanderbilt traveled to the UK campus in January for the SEC Indoor Championships and again last month for a dual match against the Wildcats.

Last Action: The Commodores competed at the SEC Championships as the No. 12 seed and were downed in the first round 4-0 by fifth-seeded Florida.

2002 COMMODORES

Name	Class	Hometown	Worth Noting
Scott Brown	Fr.	St. Louis, Mo.	Earned first national singles ranking in December at No. 104
Zach Dailey	So.	Memphis, Tenn.	Won the ITA Summer Collegiate Tournament last July
Jens Frederiksen	So.	Copenhagen, Denmark	Posted a career-high 16 singles wins
Chad Harris	So.	Aurora, Colo.	Ranked as High as No. 81 in singles this season
Bobby Reynolds	So.	Acworth, Ga.	Ranked No. 16 in singles, his highest career ranking
Lewis Smith	So.	Memphis, Tenn.	Doubled his career win total in the fall with a 8-3 season
Josh Tarkoff	Jr.	Miami, Fla.	Went 10-5 in the fall and reached the final at the Louisville Invite.

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COMMODORES IN THE RANKINGS

TEAM

Jan 8 -	No. 30
Jan 30 -	No. 32
Feb. 13 -	No. 32
Feb. 20 -	No. 33
Feb. 27 -	No. 27
Mar. 6 -	No. 28
Mar. 13 -	No. 30
Mar. 20 -	No. 37
Mar. 27 -	No. 41
Apr. 3 -	No. 45
Apr. 10 -	No. 54
Apr. 17 -	No. 47
Apr. 24 -	No. 47
May 1 -	No. 43

SINGLES

Dec. 11 -	Bobby Reynolds (63)	Scott Brown (104)
Feb. 22 -	Bobby Reynolds (35)	
Mar. 6 -	Bobby Reynolds (28)	
Mar. 20 -	Bobby Reynolds (30)	Chad Harris (135)
Apr. 3 -	Bobby Reynolds (26)	Chad Harris (81)
Apr. 17 -	Bobby Reynolds (17)	Chad Harris (91)
Apr. 24 -	Bobby Reynolds (19)	Chad Harris (105)
May 1 -	Bobby Reynolds (16)	Chad Harris (99)

DOUBLES

Apr. 3 -	Smith/Reynolds (48)
Apr. 17 -	Smith/Reynolds (29)
Apr. 24 -	Smith/Reynolds (33)
May 1 -	Smith/Reynolds (26)

National Rankings: Vanderbilt enters today's match ranked No. 43 by the ITA in the current rankings. Commodore sophomore Bobby Reynolds is No. 16 this week in the national singles rankings, his highest career ranking and the highest ranking for any Commodore during the Ken Flach era. Chad Harris is ranked at No. 99 this week, while the team of Lewis Smith and Bobby Reynolds earned their highest career ranking at No. 26 this week..

All-SEC Honors: Bobby Reynolds earned first team All-SEC honors in singles after a 5-5 season at No. 1 singles. He becomes the first Commodore to earn first team All-SEC honors since Andrew Nisker in 2000. Lewis Smith paired with Reynolds earned second-team All-SEC honors in doubles.

New Season Highs: Five Commodores set or tied a personal season-high in singles wins: Bobby Reynolds (27 wins), Zach Dailey (13), Jens Frederiksen (16), Lewis Smith (12), Josh Tarkoff (13)

Strong Conference Mark: Chad Harris went 6-5 in SEC matches for the Commodores at No. 2 singles this season. He is the first Commodore to have a winning record in the conference since Andrew Nisker went 8-2 at No. 3 singles in 1999.

Top of the Lineup Leading the Charge: Vanderbilt's No. 1 and No. 2 singles player, Bobby Reynolds and Chad Harris have accounted for 48 singles wins this season, almost half of the Commodores' team total of 103 wins.

Close Calls: The Commodores have suffered many close losses this season, as five of their defeats have come by 4-3 scores. Those 4-3 losses include matches at current No. 1 Georgia and against Top 20 foes Florida and Alabama.

Fall Recap: The Commodores competed in six tournaments during the fall and several players had a strong start of the year. Bobby Reynolds advanced to the semifinals of the Southern Intercollegiate and the qualifying round of the All-American Championships before winning the Ole Miss Fall Classic. Chad Harris also advanced to qualifying of the All-American Championships. Reynolds, Harris, and Brown all advanced to the third round of the Region III Championships. Overall, the Commodores went 49-26 in singles play and 14-8 in doubles play.

Strong Fall for Smith and Tarkoff: Sophomore Lewis Smith and junior Josh Tarkoff each had impressive fall seasons for the Commodores. Smith went 8-3 in the fall and matched the number of wins he had during his entire freshman year. Tarkoff had 10 wins in the fall, more than three times his total last year and only three wins shy of setting a new career high for wins in an entire season.

Commodores Open Season at SEC Indoors: Vanderbilt opened the 2002 spring season in January at the SEC Indoor Championships at Kentucky. Bobby Reynolds advanced to the round of 16 and Lewis Smith advanced to the round of 32. In doubles, Reynolds and Chad Harris advanced to the round of 16.

2001-2002 STATISTICS

Singles	No.1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	Fall	Dual	SEC	Last 10	Streak	Overall	Career
B. Reynolds (16)	12-8						13-3	12-8	5-5	6-4	W1	27-12	53-27
C. Harris (99)		14-7					6-4	14-7	6-5	7-3	W1	21-13	45-26
S. Brown			4-6	4-4	0-1		6-5	8-11	2-6	3-7	L2	14-18	14-18
Z. Dailey			5-8	5-2	0-1		3-3	10-11	5-6	6-4	L1	13-16	26-36
J. Frederiksen				4-3	7-6	2-0	3-3	13-9	3-7	3-7	L3	16-14	27-30
L. Smith					0-6	3-4	8-3	3-10	0-6	3-7	W1	12-14	20-23
J. Tarkoff					1-1	2-8	10-5	3-9	1-5	2-8	L4	13-16	30-41
Totals	12-8	14-7	9-14	13-9	8-15	7-12	54-33	58-58	22-40			103-87	

Doubles	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Fall	Dual	SEC	Last 10	Streak	Overall	Career
Brown/Reynolds	6-3			0-1	6-3	0-2	6-4	L2	6-4	6-4
Reynolds/Smith (26)	7-5				7-5	4-4	7-3	W3	7-5	7-5
Harris/Smith		4-3			4-3	0-2	4-3	L3	4-3	4-4
Harris/Frederiksen		3-2			3-2	2-2	3-2	W1	3-2	3-2
Harris/Brown		2-5			2-5	0-3	2-5	L5	2-5	2-5
Tarkoff/Frederiksen			4-3		4-3		4-3	L1	4-3	4-3
Dailey/Tarkoff			5-7	3-2	5-7	4-3	4-6	L4	8-10	8-10
Reynolds/Harris				3-3			4-4	L1	4-4	4-4
Brown/Lewis				8-1			8-2	L1	8-2	8-2
Brown/Frederiksen				0-1			0-1	L1	0-1	0-1
Totals	13-8	9-10	9-10	14-8	31-28	10-16			46-38	