

Falcons Sweep Bobcats, 9-0

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The Pfeiffer University women's tennis team swept singles and doubles play on Friday afternoon en route to a 9-0 victory in Conference Carolinas play. Pfeiffer's (9-11, 5-6 CC) duo of Alena Krutkina and Taylor Lindsay kicked off the afternoon with an 8-3 win against Lees-McRae's (1-12, 1-9 CC) tandem of Lyndsay Peagram

(Greensboro, N.C.) and Samantha Wohlers (Windsor, Ontario, Canada), as Chelsi Haeferle and Briana Oliver defeated Kelsey Hiatt (Mt. Airy, N.C.) and Raven Harris (St. Pauls, N.C.), 8-4. The Falcons were awarded the third doubles flight by default.

Krutkina opened singles play with a 6-0, 6-0 win against Peagram, as Lindsay defeated Wohlers, 6-2, 6-4 in the second flight. Oliver posted a 6-1, 6-1 victory over Hiatt at No. 3 singles, as Haeferle defeated Harris in the fourth flight. Pfeiffer was awarded the fifth and sixth flights by default. Lees-McRae returns to the courts on Saturday when the Bobcats host Belmont Abbey College in conference play. The Bobcats will honor their senior class prior to the start of the match at 12 p.m.

Bobcats Ground Falcons, 7-2

The Lees-McRae College men's tennis team swept doubles play, and won the first two singles flights en route to a 7-2 victory in Conference Carolinas action on Friday afternoon. Lees-McRae's (3-11, 3-6 CC) tandem of Alexander Hayes (Mexico City, Mexico) and Skylar Warren (Asheville, N.C.) opened the day with an 8-2 win over Pfeiffer's (5-14, 2-7 CC) duo of Sebastian Wernecke and Orlando Castillo, as Pedro De Sousa Nunes (Florianopolis, Santa Catarina, Brazil) and Marcelo Tatai (Sao Paulo, Brazil) defeated Ben Hunter and Luis Villalta, 8-3. Graham Battle (Boone, N.C.) and Hang Lak Choi (Newton, N.C.) posted an 8-5 victory against Ethon Lyon and Diego Oliveira to give the Bobcats a 3-0 advantage after doubles play. Nunes pushed the margin to 4-0 with a 6-4, 6-4 win over Wernecke in the first singles flight, while Hayes swept Hunter, 6-0, 6-0 at No. 2 to clinch the victory for the Bobcats. Villalta got the Falcons on the board with a 6-3, 6-3 win against Warren, before Battle defeated Oliveira, 6-3,

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