



# Big 12 Men's and Women's Tennis Championships

April 23-26, 2009 | Headington Family Tennis Center | Norman, Okla.

## THURSDAY MATCH RESULTS

### Thursday, April 23, 2009 | Women's First Round | No. 8 Missouri vs. No. 9 Kansas

No. 8 Missouri (9-11, 4-7) 4

No. 9 Kansas (10-13, 4-7) 1

#### Singles

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| 1. Edina Horvath, Kansas (3-15) def. Jessica Giuggioli, Missouri (3-12) | 7-5, 6-2      |
| 2. Jamie Mera, Missouri (3-2) vs. Katerina Morozova, Kansas (9-8)       | 6-3, 4-6, DNF |
| 3. Mallory Weber, Missouri (1-2) vs. Yuliana Svistun, Kansas (7-5)      | 7-6, 6-4      |
| 4. Kaitlyn Ritchie, Missouri (6-4) def. Kuni Dorn, Kansas (3-10)        | 6-4, 6-4      |
| 5. Danielle Day, Missouri (5-3) def. Maria Martinez, Kansas (10-10)     | 6-2, 6-1      |
| 6. Sofia Ayala, Missouri (9-5) vs. Erin Wilbert, Kansas (13-8)          | 1-6, 6-4, DNF |

#### Doubles

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| 1. Horvath/Morozova, Kansas (11-4) def. Mera/Weber, Missouri (7-11)      | 8-2 |
| 2. Giuggiolo/Ritchie, Missouri (8-9) def. Martinez/Wilbert, Kansas (1-7) | 8-6 |
| 3. Day/Ayala, Missouri (10-6) def. Svistun/Dorn, Kansas (4-4)            | 8-2 |

#### Order of Finish

Singles - 5, 1, 4, 3

Doubles - 3, 1, 2

### Quotes

#### Missouri head coach Blake Starkey

*On the match:*

"I thought both teams battled really hard. You always get that with Missouri and Kansas, so they really brought it after us hard. We were very fortunate to get the doubles point and then, going into singles, I thought our team really stepped up. We've had a couple tough losses lately, so this is a great way to start. Tomorrow, we've got Baylor and that's going to be a challenge for us. But, today, we're very happy with what everyone just did."

*On Oklahoma's facilities:*

"The Big 12 Conference office in Dallas always puts on a great tournament. This improvement that Oklahoma has is off the charts. It's an amazing facility. The indoor facility added on with the outdoor really makes a big, big difference. This is probably one of my favorite facilities in the Big 12, next to ours, of course."

#### Missouri sophomore Mallory Weber

*On the match:*

"We were really pumped to get out here and play our biggest rival in Kansas. For us to go out there and win 4-1 was a big accomplishment and we're really happy that happened."

#### Kansas head coach Amy Hall-Holt

*On the match:*

"Missouri's a good team and they won it out. We put it out there and it was a hard-fought match, but Missouri pulled it out at the end."

*On the environment and Oklahoma's facilities:*

"Definitely, it's a great environment. The facilities are probably top in the Big 12. It's great to be here."