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TENNIS

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FACTS ABOUT GENEVA TENNIS

Head Coach: Mandee Craft
Affiliation: NCAA Division III
Conference: Presidents' Athletic Conference
2009 Record: 9-5 (8-3 PAC)
Team GPA entering 2009 season: 3.53
Roster Size: 10



The Geneva College Women's Tennis Team has been improving steadily both on and off the court for the past nine years. The ladies qualified for the AMC Tournament in the spring of 2004, as well as the following two seasons. Entering the Presidents' Athletic Conference, they weren't sure what to expect—other than a change in weather! But the ladies have certainly shown that they can hold their own in the PAC, garnering a 8-3 record versus PAC opponents.

One of the disadvantages of transitioning into a fall season is that the ladies no longer take a spring break trip; this had been a hallmark of the team's season for three years. During these trips, the team would work alongside the NCCAA in Greenville, South Carolina, combining their tennis training with ministry opportunities such as Habitat for Humanity and inner city tennis clinics. Coach Craft will be looking for ways to develop new community service opportunities for her team, including a potential trip to the NCCAA National Tournament in the spring of 2011.

The team prides itself on its work off the court, as well. Not only does the team look for ministry opportunities such as the ones listed above, but this team has historically been outstanding academically, and entering 2009 the full-team GPA stood at 3.53.

Most importantly, though, coach Craft and the ladies on the tennis team know that the most important part of their lives is their Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Everything they do, whether on the court, in the classroom, or in service to others, is centered on the belief that they are serving God through their gifts and abilities. The team takes part in devotionals during daily practices, to help them remember Whom they are playing for, so that when they step on the court they will be a strong example to their opponents.





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HISTORY Geneva, a private four-year Christian college of the liberal arts and sciences, was founded in 1848 by the Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America in Northwood, Ohio. In 1880 we were moved to our current campus in historic Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

LOCATION Our 55-acre campus is situated in the foothills of the Allegheny Mountains, only 35 miles from downtown Pittsburgh.

ENROLLMENT Of the nearly 1,400 undergraduate students who call Geneva home, 45 percent are male, 55 percent are female, and approximately 10 percent are ethnic minorities. We come from across the country and around the world, representing 35 states and 13 nations. Geneva also enrolls 300 graduate students and 350 undergraduate degree completion students.

ACADEMIC ENVIRONMENT Since our student-to-professor ratio is 14 to 1, you're assured of one-on-one time with professors both during and outside of class.

FAITH TRADITION While our roots are Reformed, our students come from over 60 Christian denominations.

ATHLETICS Geneva's Golden Tornadoes compete in the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA Division III), the President's Athletic Conference, and the National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA). Geneva offers men's baseball and football; softball, tennis and volleyball; and men's and women's basketball, cross country, soccer, and indoor/outdoor track and field.

NON-TRADITIONAL PROGRAMS At over 11 sites, we offer an adult degree completion program that allows students to finish a degree in human resources management, organizational development, community ministry or human services in 15 months. The Center for Urban Theological Studies and the Center for Urban Biblical Ministry are inner-city programs that train urban church leaders in ministry leadership.

GRADUATE PROGRAMS Geneva's offers master's degrees in business, counseling, higher education, organizational leadership, special education and reading.

CAMPUS VISIT Be our guest for a campus visit where you can stay in a residence hall with a current student, attend classes and meet professors, and enjoy meals in our dining hall.

