



# KANSAS

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MATCH 09/10 | MATCH NOTES | ILLINOIS & NORTHWESTERN

JAYHAWKS

**4-4**

OVERALL

**50**

ITA RANK

**Todd Chapman**  
HEAD COACH

**0-0**

BIG 12

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BIG 12 RANK

**90-62**  
RECORD AT KU



-VS-



**Evan Clark**  
HEAD COACH

**4-7**

OVERALL/CONF.

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ITA RANK

**Claire Pollard**  
HEAD COACH

**4-4**

OVERALL/CONF.

**41**

ITA RANK

## KANSAS SCHEDULE

### JANUARY

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TOURNEY	TIME (CT)
10-12	-	-	Orlando Invitational	All Day
18	Sat.	DRAKE	-	W, 7-0
19	Sun.	WICHITA STATE	-	W, 6-1
24	Fri.	TENNESSEE	ITA Kickoff	L, 4-2
25	Sat.	Cal	ITA Kickoff	L, 4-3
31	Fri.	at #19 Wake Forest	-	L, 7-0

### FEBRUARY

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TOURNEY	TIME (CT)
2	Sun.	at NC State	-	L, 6-1
6-10	-	-	ITA Ntl's Indoors	All Day
16	Sun.	WASHINGTON	-	W, 5-2
25	Tues.	TULSA	-	4 PM
28	Fri.	at Illinois	-	3 PM

### MARCH

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TOURNEY	TIME (CT)
1	Sun.	at Northwestern	-	12 PM
7	Sat.	at Rice	-	12 PM
13	Fri.	OKLAHOMA*	-	5 PM
15	Sun.	OKLAHOMA STATE*	-	12 PM
20	Fri.	TEXAS*	-	5 PM
22	Sun.	BAYLOR*	-	12 PM
27	Fri.	at TCU*	-	12 PM
29	Sun.	at Texas Tech*	-	12 PM

### APRIL

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TOURNEY	TIME (CT)
3	Fri.	at West Virginia*	-	5 PM
5	Sun.	at Iowa State*	-	12 PM
11	Fri.	at Kansas State*	-	1:30 PM
16-19	-	-	Big 12 Tennis Championship	-

\* Big 12 Conference match

**MATCH**  
**KU**  
**9/10**

**KANSAS AT ILLINOIS**  
URBANA, ILL. • Atkins Tennis Center  
Friday, Feb. 28, 2020 • 3:00 P.M. CT

**KANSAS AT NORTHWESTERN**  
EVANSTON, ILL. • Combe Tennis Center  
Sunday, March 1, 2020 • NOON

## MATCH NOTES

### THE BASELINE

Kansas (4-4) goes on the road for a pair matches this weekend against Illinois and Northwestern.

Early in the week, Kansas secured a 6-1 win in a top-50 clash with the 33rd-ranked Tulsa at the Jayhawk Tennis Center in Lawrence. Before the battle, Tulsa had jumped the national polls from No. 36 to No. 33; while the Jayhawks, previously No. 42, dropped to No. 50.

### THE SERIES: KANSAS VS. ILLINOIS

Kansas leads the all-time series, 6-2, with its last meeting on January 25. The Jayhawks, ranked No. 16 at the time, defeated the Illini, 4-1.

### THE SERIES: KANSAS VS. NORTHWESTERN

The all-time series record between the Jayhawks and Wildcats is evened out, 2-2, with KU winning the last meeting on Jan 20, 2019, 4-1.

### SCOUTING THE FIGHTING ILLINI

Illinois enters the weekend with a 4-7 ledger after taking on Oregon and then ranked No. 20 Washington this past weekend. The Illini downed the Ducks, 4-2, before dropping match, 4-1, to the Huskies. Illinois has a 3-1 record when playing at home.

### SCOUTING THE WILDCATS

Northwestern enters the weekend with a 4-4 record and 1-3 home mark. The Wildcats have won three of the last four of their matches. On Feb 23, the Wildcats upset the 18th-ranked Baylor Bears, 4-3, on the road.

### IN THE RANKINGS

SINGLES  
 #58 Julie Byrne (Northwestern)  
 #74 Sonia Smagina (Kansas)  
 #121 Asuka Kawai (Illinois)

DOUBLES  
 #32 Sonia Smagina / Carmen Roxana Manu (Kansas)  
 #46 Malkia Ngounoue / Luniuska Delgado (Kansas)  
 #48 Julie Byrne / Christina Hand (Northwestern)

TEAM  
 #41 Northwestern  
 #50 Kansas

## QUICK FACTS

### General Information

Location . . . . . Lawrence, Kan.  
 School Founded . . . . . 1866  
 Enrollment . . . . . 28,447  
 Nickname . . . . . Jayhawks  
 Conference . . . . . Big 12  
 Colors . . . . . Crimson (Pantone 186) and Blue (Pantone 293)  
 Chancellor . . . . . Douglas A. Girod (UC Davis, 1981)  
 Director of Athletics . . . . . Jeff Long (Miami, 1982)

### Coaching Staff

Head Coach . . . . . Todd Chapman (Cameron University, 1998)  
 Assistant Coach . . . . . Megan Falcon (Louisiana State University, 2009)

### Team Info/History

Home Courts . . . . . Jayhawk Tennis Center  
 Big 12 Championship . . . . . 2019  
 Last NCAA Appearance . . . . . 2019  
 NCAA Appearances . . . . . 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016,  
 . . . . . 1999, 1998, 1997, 1996, 1994, 1993, 1992

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## 2020 JAYHAWKS



Luniuska Delgado



Julia Deming



Vasiliki Karvouni



Malkia Ngounoue



Carmen Roxana Manu



Sonia Smagina



Maria Toran Ribes



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## ITA TEAM RANKINGS (AS OF FEB. 25, 2020)

RANK	SCHOOL	RANK	SCHOOL
1	North Carolina	26	Arizona State
2	Florida State	27	Texas A&M
3	NC State	28	Washington
4	Texas	29	Old Dominion
5	Ohio State	30	South Carolina
6	Stanford	31	USC
7	Duke	32	University of San Diego
8	UCLA	33	Tulsa
9	Georgia	34	Denver
10	Georgia Tech	35	Yale
11	Princeton	36	LSU
12	Wake Forest	37	Furman
13	Virginia	38	Kansas State
14	Oklahoma State	39	Kentucky
15	Notre Dame	40	Virginia Tech
16	Michigan	41	Northwestern
17	Pepperdine	42	CLEMSON
18	Miami	43	Washington State
19	Baylor	44	SYRACUSE
20	Vanderbilt	45	Utah
21	Columbia	46	Purdue
22	Wisconsin	47	Alabama
23	Tennessee	48	Auburn
24	Mississippi	49	Appalachian State
25	Central Florida	50	<b>KANSAS</b>

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS

**RANK** **ITA NATIONAL SINGLES** (Feb. 18, 2020) (Previous Rank)

74	Sonia Smagina
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**RANK** **ITA NATIONAL DOUBLES** (Feb. 18, 2020) (Previous Rank)

32	Sonia Smagina/Carmen Roxana Manu
46	Malkia Ngounoue / Luniuska Delgado

## BIG 12 CONFERENCE STANDINGS (AS OF FEB. 18, 2020)

RANK	SCHOOL	CONFERENCE	PCT.	OVERALL	PCT.
1	West Virginia	0-0	0.000	7-0	1.000
2	Oklahoma State	0-0	0.000	9-1	0.900
3	Baylor	0-0	0.000	7-1	0.875
4	Texas	0-0	0.000	8-2	0.800
5	Iowa State	0-0	0.000	7-3	0.700
6	Kansas State	0-0	0.000	6-4	0.600
7	<b>Kansas</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0.000</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>0.500</b>
8	Oklahoma	0-0	0.000	3-3	0.500
9	Texas Tech	0-0	0.000	4-5	0.444
10	TCU	0-0	0.000	2-5	0.286



## KANSAS ROSTER

NAME	CL.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
Luniuska Delgado	Fr.	Puerto Ordaz, Venezuela
Julia Deming	So.	Fallbrook, Calif. (Oasis)
Vasiliki Karvouni	Fr.	Athens, Greece
Malkia Ngounoue	So.	Washington, D.C. (Abeka Academy)
Carmen Roxana Manu	Fr.	Constanta, Romania
Sonia Smagina	So.	Penza, Russia (School of Olympic Reserve)
Maria Toran Ribes	Sr.	Algemesi, Spain (IES Jose Maria Parra)

Head Coach: Todd Chapman  
Associate Head Coach: Megan Falcon

## ILLINOIS ROSTER

NAME	CL.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
Sasha Belaya	Jr.	Melbourne, Fla. / Viera High School
Emily Casati	Fr.	Deerfield, Ill. / Deerfield High School
Emilee Duong	Jr.	Placentia, Calif. / Valencia High School
Josie Frazier	Fr.	Scottsdale, Ariz. / Desert Mountain High School
Madeleine Gandawidjaja	Sr.	San Marino, Calif. / San Marino High School
Shivani Ingle	So.	Pune, India / St. Anne's High School
Asuka Kawai	Jr.	Palatine, Ill. / Palatine High School
Mia Rabinowitz	Jr.	Tenafly, N.J. / Laurel Springs School
Ashley Yeah	Fr.	Los Gatos, Calif. / Los Gatos High School

Head Coach: Evan Clark  
Associate Head Coach: German Dalmagro

## NORTHWESTERN ROSTER

NAME	CL.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
Julie Byrne	Sr.	Dublin, Ireland / Muckross Park College
Briana Crowley	Fy.	Battle Ground, Ind. / IMG Academy
Christina Hand	Fy.	Moorestown, N.J. / Laurel Springs
Clarissa Hand	So.	Moorestown, N.J. / Laurel Springs School
Hannah McColgan	So.	Stockport, Great Britain / Cheadle Hulme School
Inci Ogut	Jr.	Istanbul, Turkey / TED Istanbul
Caroline Pozo	Jr.	St. Louis, Mo. / Lafayette
Vanessa Streng	So.	Duluth, Ga. / Northview
Alana Smith	So.	Fort Washington, Md. (Abeka Academy)

Head Coach: Claire Pollard  
Assistant Coach: Julian Tejada