

## Alfred University men's tennis team wins pair of weekend matches

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ERIE, PA - The Alfred University men's tennis team won a pair of matches over the weekend in Erie, PA. On Friday, the Saxons edged host Penn State-Behrend, 4-3, before knocking off Frostburg (MD) State, 6-1, on Saturday. In the match against Behrend, AU (3-0, 1-0 Empire 8) got singles wins from senior Randy Vecchione (Seaford, NY/Seaford), 7-5, 6-1 in second singles; freshman Haki Nkrumah (Jamaica, NY/Thomas Edison), 6-0, 6-1 in third singles; junior Andrew Lee (Scarsdale, NY/Trinity Pawling), 6-0, 6-0 in fourth singles; and junior Steve Ventura (Hilton, NY/Hilton), 3-6, 6-1, 6-1 in sixth singles. Vecchione and Dillon teamed for AU's lone doubles victory, 8-3 in second doubles. Winning singles matches for AU against Frostburg were Vecchione, 2-6, 6-2, 6-3 in first singles; Lee, 6-4, 7-5 in third singles; Nkrumah, 6-0, 6-2 in fourth singles; Dillon, 6-1, 6-0 in fifth singles; and Ventura, 6-2, 6-1 in sixth singles. Nkrumah and Lee won their second doubles match, 8-6, while senior Tim Inthirakoth (West Henrietta, NY/Bishop Kearney) and Ventura claimed their third doubles match, 8-2. Alfred plays next on Monday, April 4, at 3 p.m. at home against St. John Fisher.