

SJU TENNIS COMPLEX

In time for the start of the 2009-10 season, Saint Joseph's tennis programs have moved to the SJU Tennis Complex at the Maguire Campus. The newly-added Tennis Complex adds six new courts as well as new offices and locker rooms for both the men's and women's tennis teams.

The long-time home of the Episcopal Academy, the 38-acre James J. Maguire Campus adds 52 classrooms, eight full laboratories, 113 offices, and 14.5 acres of sports fields to Saint Joseph's University's previous 65-acre footprint. Under head coach lan Crookenden, Saint Joseph's has mapped out a plan to extend the program's reach on campus, regionally, and nationally, starting with the Hawks' new home.

Prior to moving across campus to the SJU Tennis Complex, the Hawks played their home

matches on Finnesey Courts. Adjacent to Finnesey Field, the Finnesey Courts had been home to the Hawk women's and men's tennis teams since the late 1940s.

After briefly disappearing in the late 1990s due to Mandeville Hall's construction, the Finnesey Courts were refurbished in the summer of 2000 to provide a better playing facility for the athletes.

Saint Joseph's began competition playing its home matches at the nearby Narberth courts. When courts were first built on campus, they were located where Bellarmine Hall now stands. Due to Bellarmine's construction in the summer of 1960, however, the Finnesey Courts were torn up and rebuilt in their current location.

With the addition of the SJU Tennis Complex, the Hawks now offer at least 10 courts and year-round state-of-the-art training facilities for student-athletes.



2009-10 ROSTER

	Name	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	Hometown	High School/Last College
*	Kevin Aquino	So.	5-10	170	8/14/90	Tamiment, Pa.	East Stroudsburg Area
	Delfin Bernal	Fr.	5-10	135	9/6/91	Guaynabo, Puerto Rico	Academia del Perpetuo Socorro
	Kristian Broaddus	Fr.	5-11	135	11/27/90	Round Rock, Texas	Stony Point
*	Peter Cognetti	So.	6-2	182	2/14/90	Waverly, Pa.	Scranton Prep
	Tommy Gates	Fr.	6-1	170	9/10/91	Ellicott City, Md.	Mount St. Joseph
*	Jeff Kessler	So.	6-2	145	7/2/90	Brooklyn, N.Y.	Xaverian
***	Lucho Perez-Abreu	ı Sr.	5-8	154	10/19/88	San Juan, Puerto Rico	Colegio San Ignacio de Loyola
***	Matt Prusack	Sr.	6-1	150	1/9/87	Zionsville, Pa.	Emmaus
***	Michael Stauble	Sr.	6-0	165	5/2/88	Toronto, Ontario	I.E. Weldon Secondary School
***	Nick Tuxen	Sr.	5-11	140	9/15/87	Melbourne, Australia	Scotch College
	Alex Veronis	Fr.	6-2	150	5/19/90	Lancaster, Pa.	Lancaster Catholic

^{*} indicates varsity letters earned prior to 2009-10

Head Coach: Ian Crookenden (UCLA '67) – Second season **Head Coach Emeritus:** Al Laveson (Temple '53) – 46th season

Graduate Assistant Coach: Phil Bayliss (Saint Joseph's '09) – First season

Graduate Assistant Coach: Georgy Chukhleb (St. Petersburg State University (Russia) '06 - First season

Captain: Nick Tuxen