



MEN'S TENNIS

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Men's Tennis Scorches Texas-Tyler, 6-1

Flames sweep doubles, take five of six in singles to snap three-match skid on Monday.

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Tyler, Texas- The UIC men's tennis team swept three close doubles matches to grab an early lead that they never relinquished to secure a 6-1 road victory over the University of Texas at Tyler on Monday.

The win helped the Flames (6-6) evened their overall record while snapping a three-match losing skid.

UIC snared the doubles point with three two-point wins. The Flames took the first two by identical 8-6 scores while clinching the third 9-7.

[Ivan Kovalev](#) won his third match in a row with a 6-4, 6-2 win at No. 1 singles over Adam Stone.

[Karol Zarucki](#) won a solid 7-6(8), 6-1 contest over Patrick Painter, while newcomer [Enrico Kasjan](#) posted a strong two-set win over Joseph Vann, 6-3, 6-0.

The Flames also won the close matches, as [Eric Fey](#) took a 6-2, 4-6, 6-2 back-and-forth thriller over Jordan Repsher at No. 4 singles, while [Sean Kreymborg](#) won a 4-6, 7-5, 10-7 comeback marathon match over Kevin Cook.

UIC continues its spring trip this Wednesday against SMU in Dallas, Texas.

UIC 6, Texas-Tyler 1 SINGLES

1. [Ivan Kovalev](#) (UIC) def. Adam Stone (UTT) 6-4, 6-2
2. [Karol Zarucki](#) (UIC) def. Patrick Painter (UTT) 7-6(8), 6-1

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Senior Karol Zarucki won singles and doubles matches amidst a balanced UIC attack on Monday.