# **TCNJ MEN'S SENIOR DAY 2008!**

TCNJ's athletic department would like to recognize its seniors and congratulate them on their outstanding careers. Over their time with the Lions, these outstanding student-athletes have distinquished themselves both in the court and in the classroom. Over the past four years, this outstanding group of student-athletes have helped the Lions garner numerous honors and have combined to produce a 40-13 record in dual meet competition, while this season also racking up a No.20 national ranking with three victories over Top 15 ranked teams.

# **Andrew Cossaboom**

A two-year letterwinner with the Lions, Andrew Cossaboom has contributed to the success of the team with his support and play. A year ago, he went 12-4 in singles play and added an 8-3 record in dual competition. In doubles play, he combined with several Lions to post a 4-2 record as well. On his Lion career, he has a combined record of 16-7 in limited action. A transfer to TCNJ, Andrew is a former NJCAA College Player of the Year in 2005 and is majoring in physical education at TCNJ.

At Cumberland Regional High School, he earned All-South Jersey Honors in three sports each of his four years after excelling in men's tennis, cross country and indoor track.



#### **Eric Ferriere**

#### **Tri-Captain**

As a Lion newcomer in 2004-2005, Eric Ferriere worked hard throughout the fall and winter and was able to break into the starting lineup during the spring portion of the season. He finished the year with an impressive 15-4 record at fourth singles and went 11-4 in doubles play at the

third spot. He went 12-3 in dual singles action on the year and returned ready to make a move up in the singles ladder after a strong start to his career.



Ferriere's sophomore season was spectacular. He amassed an 11-1 dual match record and a 16-5 overall singles mark to improve his career singles won-loss total to 31-9. For his outstanding play, Ferriere was named the team's Most Improved Player for the 2005-2006 season. He played anywhere from third-sixth singles in the spring of 2005, losing only his final match of the year. He teamed with several partners to earn a 10-2 dual match record in doubles.

He had another strong season as a junior where he added a 19-4 record in singles play. Ferriere went 12-2 at third singles over the course of the year, while adding a 7-2 mark in tournament competition. He teamed at No. 2 doubles with Corey Ball to produce a 15-5 record together and overall went 16-5 in doubles play with a 6-1 record in tournament play.

Elected a team captain for his senior year, he has continued to lead the Lions this spring. Ferriere stands at 12-8 overall in singles play this spring and is currently ranked 19th regionally in the latest ITA poll. Playing at second doubles, he has a record of 11-4 as well this spring including a 1-2 record in dual action.

Overall on his Lion career, he has a combined record of 114-38, with a 62-21 mark in singles play and a 52-18 effort in doubles competition.

A three-sport star at Kittatinny High School, Ferriere excelled in soccer, basketball and tennis and earned team MVP honors while serving as a captain. A National Honor Society student, he is majoring in biology at TCNJ.

### Mike Klimchak

# Tri-Captain

As a rookie, Mike Klimchak went 22-3 at third singles for the Lions. He went 9-1 in tournament play and 13-2 in dual action to earn the Coaches' Award for the 2004-2005 season. He also added a 17-7 doubles record to his resume after playing at second doubles.

Klimchak continued to improve during his sophomore season, and quickly jumped up the regional rankings, receiving a No. 2 seed at the 2005 ITA Northeast Regional Tournament. He earned the No. 2 singles spot for coach Dicheck and responded with key wins over regional opponents NYU, Trinity and Bates. In doubles play, he teamed with newcomer Roger Mosteller in the spring season to go undefeated in doubles at 9-0. He also won three matches with freshman Will Daly to remain unbeaten on the dual-match season.

As a junior, Klimchak set the bar high for himself and his teammates and it paid off for the Lions. Playing at No. 1 singles, Klimchak enjoyed his most successful season as he went 16-4 with a 10-3 record in dual play. By



year's end, he earned a No. 37 national singles ranking with a No. 10 Northeast Regional singles ranking. His success on the court was not limited to singles only as he and Mosteller added to their resume as well. The tandem extended their dual meet with streak to 20-0 before falling in doubles play to a No. 1 pair from Johns Hopkins University.

By season's end, Klimchak and Mosteller would gain a spot in the 2007 NCAA Division III Doubles Championship before dropping from the draw in the first round to the No. 2 seeded pair. Overall, the duo would produce an 18-5 record together with a 12-2 dual meet record.

A 2007 ESPN The Magazine All-District Second Team honoree, Klimchak is a four-time TCNJ Scholar-Athlete and is majoring in elementary education and math at TCNJ.

He joined the 100 win club as a junior and capped his career earning ITA National All-America honors in singles play after finishing in seventh place at the 2007 ITA National Small College Championships. The 2007 ITA Northeast Singles Champion,

Klimchak is currently ranked sixth in the latest ITA Northeast Regional Singles Polll. On the 2007-2008 season, he is 15-8 in singles play and has produced a 13-5 record in doubles play. He has a combined singles and doubles record of 137-40 with a 71-20 record in singles and a 66-20 mark in doubles.

During his career at Arthur L. Johnson High School, Klimchak went 88-6 and broke the school record for most career win that had stood since 1978. An All-State performer in tennis, he was also named to the National Honor Society as well as the Spanish Honor Society during his high school career.

# **Roger Mosteller**

#### **Tri-Captain**

Since graduating high school, Roger Mosteller spent four years as a member of the U.S. Marine Corp, where he received the rank of Sergeant after only three years of service. He participated in a peacekeeping operation in Kosovo during 9/11 and received the Kosovo Campaign Medal.

As a newcomer to TCNJ in 2005-2006, the big-hitting Mosteller played a No. 3 singles for the spring season and amassed an 8-2 dual match record and a 9-5 record overall in singles play. At doubles, Mosteller teamed with Mike Klimchak to garner a 15-3 doubles record and go undefeated at No. 2 doubles in dual match play at 9-0.

As a junior with the Lions, Mosteller continued his hard hitting style of play and helped the Lions attain an NCAA bid as a team and in doubles as well. The pair of Mosteller and Klimchak extended their dual meet with streak to 20-0 before falling in doubles play to a No. 1 pair from Johns Hopkins University in late April of 2007. In May, Mosteller and Klimchak earned a bid to the 2007 NCAA Division III Doubles Championship before dropping from the draw in the first round to the No. 2 seeded pair. Overall, the duo would produce an 18-5 record together with a 12-2 dual meet record.



Playing at No. 2 singles in 2006-2007, Mosteller went 16-3 with an 11-1 dual meet record.

After being away from the courts in the fall, Mosteller returned this spring and has brought the team an added zest in the lineup. Playing at fourth and fifth singles, Mosteller is a combined 11-1 with a perfect 6-0 effort at fourth singles. Just last week he had the winning match to help TCNJ knock off nationally-ranked Mary Washington.

He has teamed at first doubles with his longtime partner, Klimchak to add a 10-3 record this spring helping the pair produce a 43-11 record with one another since joining one another on the courts. The Lion duo is ranked third regionally in the latest national poll.

Overall on his career, Mosteller stands at 31-7 in singles play and 43-11 in doubles competition for a combined 74-18 record as a Lion.