

04 Greater Buckeye Conference

Tennis.....

■ **BARRON, CLARKE RUNNER-UPS:** Britta Barron and Emily Clarke finished runner-up in No. 2 doubles to lead Fremont Ross's effort at the Greater Buckeye Conference tournament.

The Little Giant duo beat top-seeded Teal Rausch and Nikki Scink of Napoleon 6-7 (7-5), 6-2, 6-3 in the semifinal before falling 6-3, 6-2 to Findlay's Allison Lause and Jacintha Ratnasamy in the final.

The tournament was suspended until Tuesday because of inclement weather. Findlay, though, had already earned enough points to capture the team title.

Barron and Clarke were named second-team all-league.

Caitlin Hamilton and Kelly Pickerel, Ross's No. 1 and 3 singles players, and the No. 1 doubles team of Devon Michaels and Ashleigh Hasselbach earned honorable-mention status.

Pickerel topped Napoleon's Sarah Yarnell 9-7 in a thrilling third-place match. Hamilton fell to Marion's Jessica Jenkins 8-0 in the third-place match.

Michaels and Hasselbach dominated their third-place match, 8-0, over Sandusky's Tessa Steinemann and Beth Ferback.

The Little Giants play host to Clyde today and travel to Sandusky for the Division I sectional tournament on Thursday.