Senior Tom Miller, who played second singles a season ago, will serve as one of the Colonels’ tri-captains this season. The team will look to continue their success this spring.

The Colonels will rely heavily on an influx of freshman in their starting lineup as they look to improve upon last season’s 8-6 record.

Freshmen Wes McCollum will be the team’s ace this spring after playing each match in the fall at first singles. On top of his 7-2 singles record, he also garnered a 6-1 doubles record with fellow freshman Jon Rohrbach, with their only defeat coming against Bloomsburg. According to coach Leicht, McCollum is a very solid all-around player, who is extremely fast, consistent, and tough to beat.

Junior Kyle Ungvarskey, who posted a 10-4 record last season and is a two-time first team All-Freedom Conference performer, will look to continue his successful career as the Colonels’ second singles player. “Kyle and Wes are both capable of being successful first singles players. They are very competitive, and bring out the best in each other,” stated Leicht. Another freshman, Chris Cozzillo, will come in and play in the team’s third singles position after posting a 6-1 record in the fall. Fourth singles will be occupied by Rohrbach, who posted a 5-2 singles record to go along with the 6-1 doubles record he had with McCollum in the fall.

The 3500 square foot fitness center located in the Marts Center contains 16 cardiovascular pieces, including stairmasters, treadmills, bikes and ellipticals. The fitness center also offers an extensive line of free weights and machines from Hammer Strength.
Chris Conte, Freshman
Peckville, PA / Valley View H.S.
Major Business
Was an All-Region selection on the tennis court at Valley View High School. Finished third at the P.I.A.A. District II Doubles Championships. Lists basketball as his favorite sport other than tennis.

Greg Cooke, Sophomore
Milford, PA / Delaware Valley H.S.
Major Accounting
Had a 2-3 singles record and 2-4 doubles mark during his freshman season with the Colonels. Earned three varsity letters on the tennis court at Delaware Valley. Was named the team’s Most Valuable Player as a senior.

Adam Coombs, Freshman
Blue Bell, PA / LaSalle H.S.
Major Business
Won four varsity letters as a member of the tennis team at LaSalle. Helped LaSalle claim the Philadelphia Catholic League championship. Was a three-time All-Catholic League selection. Lists Roger Federer as the sports star he admires the most.

Chris Cozzillio, Freshman
Harrisburg, PA / Trinity H.S.
Major English
Enjoyed an outstanding four seasons on the court at Trinity. Was a PIAA Class AA state finalist in doubles in 2006, after winning the District 3 championship. Also helped Trinity claim the 2006 District 3 Class AA team championship.

Brian Fanelli, Freshman
Madison, CT / Daniel Hand H.S.
Major Business
Earned seven varsity letters, four in tennis, two in indoor track, and one in soccer, during his high school days at Daniel Hand. Earned a berth in the Connecticut State Tournament in 2006, where he dropped a threet set decision to the number-one seed.

Josh Gardner, Senior
Hughsville, PA / Hughesville H.S.
Major Environmental Engineering
Is back for his third season with the Colonels and will serve as one of the team’s captains this spring. Has a 28-10 singles record and 28-7 doubles mark during his career. Helped Wilkes to an overall record of 31-9 and back-to-back playoff berths in 2005 and 2006.

Wea McCollum, Freshman
Harrisburg, PA / Central Dauphin H.S.
Major Pharmacy
Earned three varsity letters in tennis during his career at Central Dauphin. Will compete for the number-one singles position in the Colonels tennis team. Lists football as his favorite sport other than tennis. Names Maria Sharapova as the sports star he admires most.

Tom Miller, Senior
Tamaqua, PA / Tamaqua H.S.
Major Psychology
Returns for his third season as a member of the Colonels tennis team. Will serve as a tri-captain this year. Has a 19-19 career record in singles, and a 10-17 career record in doubles. Helped Wilkes earn playoff berths in both 2006 and 2007.

Anthony Mirabile, Freshman
Blue Bell, PA / LaSalle H.S.
Major: Electrical Engineering
Earned three varsity letters in tennis at LaSalle, where he was a high school teammate of fellow Wilkes freshman Adam Coombs. Was a two-time All-Catholic League selection in doubles and helped LaSalle win the 2007 Philadelphia Catholic League title.

Brandon Pauling, Freshman
Hughsville, PA / Hughesville H.S.
Major Accounting
Gained four varsity letters in tennis and two in basketball during his high school career at Hughesville. Earned the Most Dedicated Award in tennis and the Most Improved award in basketball. Names James Blake as the sports star that he admires the most.

Jon Reibrich, Freshman
Muncy, PA / Muncy H.S.
Major Undecided
Was a three-year standout at Muncy. Earned four letters in tennis and also gained four letters as a member of the school’s soccer team. Lists a soccer trip to Germany as his biggest sports thrill to date. Says that golf is his favorite sport other than tennis.

Kyle Ungursky, Junior
Honesdale, NY / Honesdale H.S.
Major Biochemistry
Is a two-time All Freedom Conference first team selection. Has played first singles and first doubles during his initial two years at Wilkes and has compiled a 24-14 singles record and a 29-10 doubles mark. Is a two-time ITA Scholar-Athlete Award winner.