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CLEVELAND, Ohio (EMUEagles.com) – The Eastern Michigan University women's tennis team was selected to finish second in the Mid-American Conference this season as the league office announced the 2014 MAC Women's Tennis Preseason Coaches' Poll Wednesday, Jan. 22.

The Miami RedHawks were picked to capture both the MAC regular season title and the MAC Tournament championship, receiving 68 votes. Last season, Miami won its fifth consecutive MAC regular season title and the program's third overall MAC Tournament title as the No. 1 seeded RedHawks defeated No. 2 seed Bowling Green, 4-3.

The Eagles return sophomore Klara Supejova (Prague, Czech Republic-Sportovni Gymnazium Klandno) who was named the MAC Player of the Year, as well as Freshman of the Year. The Eagles received 54 votes, while Western Michigan was close behind with 50. Ball State was selected fourth (44 votes), while Akron and Bowling Green tied for fifth with 51 votes each. Buffalo came in at seventh (34), Toledo in eighth (19) and Northern Illinois (9) rounded out the field.

The MAC Women's Tennis Tournament is slated for April 25-27 in Oxford, Ohio on the campus of Miami University.

2014 MAC Women’s Tennis Preseason Poll Voting
1. Miami (68)
2. Eastern Michigan (54)
3. Western Michigan (50)
4. Ball State (44)
t5. Akron (41)
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7. Buffalo (34)
8. Toledo (19)
9. Northern Illinois (9)

(total points based on 9 for a first place vote; 8 for second place, etc.)

First place votes: Miami (5); Eastern Michigan (2); Buffalo (1).
Tournament winner votes: Miami (3).