

FSU spikers win tournament

JACKSONVILLE — Florida State's women's volleyball team swept to the title Saturday of the Jacksonville University Tournament of Champions. It marked the third time FSU has won this tourney.

FSU, which entered the event as the top-seeded team, won all but one match in pool play and entered the semi-finals with the best record of teams in the tourney.

Tied by Miami on Friday in pool play, FSU defeated the Lady Hurricanes, 17-15, 10-15 and 15-7 in the finals Saturday. Prior to that, the Lady Seminoles beat South Carolina's Winthrop College (16-14 and 15-2) and Central Florida (15-0 and 15-5) to gain the finals.

Freshman Rhonda Petty was FSU's top scorer, but she was ably assisted by Marie Sanders whose 46 assists was an FSU season-high.

FSU's season match record is now 31-9-1. The Lady Seminoles next participate in the Miami Invitational this weekend.