

## MIKE BROWN, CLASS OF 2002



One of the few tennis players at Portage Central to play #1 singles all four years. Not only talented, but with a great work ethic, Mike earned all-state honors all four years, with being state runner-up two years in a row. Coupled with other great players and Hall of Fame coach Pete Militzer, Mike was part of the 2001 state championship team. During the 2001 season, Mike was the #1 ranked HS player in Michigan. After graduating high school, Mike took his tennis talents to Michigan State, and played for the Spartans all four years.

**Biggest thrill in athletics:** *“winning Portage Central’s first state championship in tennis and receiving an athletic scholarship to play tennis at Michigan State.”*

### Portage Central High School & College Accomplishments

#### Tennis

- All-State – 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002
- All-Conference – 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002
- Played #1 singles all four years with a record of 90-17
- Placed second in the state in 2001 and 2002
- Helped lead PC to the State Championship in 2001
- Team MVP – 1999 and 2002
- Team Captain – 2002

#### College Achievements:

Received an athletic scholarship to play tennis at Michigan State University which he did for four years

