

MEN'S WEEKLY RELEASE

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WEEKLY RELEASE #1

MERRIMACK COLLEGE EARNS ROAD WIN AT NO. 5 UNION TO OPEN SEASON ~ Maine edged by Quinnipiac at home: League teams go 5-1-1 in exhibition play ~



ATHLETIC REPUBLIC PLAYER OF THE WEEK

#23 JOSH MYERS, MERRIMACK (Sophomore Forward; Colorado Springs, Col.)

Myers notched his first career two-goal game, tallying the game-winner in a 4-1 victory at No. 5 Union College on Saturday night in Schenectady, N.Y. He finished the game with five shots on goal and a +2 plus/minus rating.





PRO AMBITIONS ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

#11 STEVEN SWAVELY, MAINE (Freshman Forward; Reading, Pa.)

Swavely scored a goal just 3:41 into his first collegiate game on his only shot to give Maine an early 1-0 lead against Quinnipiac on Saturday night at Alfond Arena.





HOCKEY EAST DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

#30 SAM MAROTTA, MERRIMACK (Junior Goaltender; Bridgewater, Mass.)

Marotta stopped 33 shots (.971 save%) in his second career start, leading Merrimack to a 4-1 win at No. 5 Union College.



HOCKEY EAST TEAM OF THE WEEK

MERRIMACK COLLEGE WARRIORS

The Warriors downed No. 5 ranked Union College by a 4-1 score on Saturday night at Messa Rink in their season opener. Merrimack scored three goals in the final period and went a perfect 5-for-5 on the penalty kill. It marked the Warriors first victory over a Top-5

team on the road since 2003.

RECENT RESULTS Saturday, October 6

Merrimack 4 at No. 5 Union 1
Quinnipiac 2 at Maine 1
at No. 7 UMass-Lowell 5, Toronto 2 (Exh, 4pm)
at No. 1 Boston College 6, New Brunswick 0 (Exh)
at New Hampshire 5, St. Francis Xavier 2 (Exh)
at Vermont 7, Concordia 1 (Exh)

Sunday, October 7

at No. 13 Boston University 5, Toronto 0 (Exh) New Brunswick 2 at Maine 2 (OT) (Exh) St. Francis Xavier 4 at Northeastern 3 (Exh)

<u>UPCOMING GAMES</u> Wednesday, October 10

Merrimack at Northeastern *

Friday, October 12

Vermont at UMass-Lowell *
Connecticut at Massachusetts (CBS3)
St. Cloud State at New Hampshire (7:30, WBIN-TV)
Sacred Heart at Providence
Ice Breaker Tournament
(at the Sprint Center, Kansas City, Mo.)
Maine vs. Notre Dame (NBCSN)

Saturday, October 13

Providence at Boston University *
Boston College at Northeastern *
St. Cloud State at New Hampshire
Ice Breaker Tournament
(at the Sprint Center, Kansas City, Mo.)
Maine vs. Army/Nebraska-Omaha (4:30/7:30)

ALL TIMES EST, 7PM, unless noted
* denotes conference game

2012-2013 HEA STANDINGS

Rk. Team	GP	W	L	Т	Pts	Overall	Conf. Off.	Conf. Def.
 Boston College 	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
Boston University	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
Maine	0	0	0	0	0	0-1-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
Massachusetts	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
UMass-Lowell	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
Merrimack	0	0	0	0	0	1-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
New Hampshire	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
Northeastern	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
Providence	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
Vermont	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)

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