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MEN'S HOCKEY WEEKEND **PREVIEW**

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WEEKEND PREVIEW #12

NO. 9 BU, NO. 4 UNH ENTERTAIN RENSSELAER; UVM HOSTS MERRIMACK ON CBSSN \sim Maine skates with Mercyhurst for pair; PC travels to No. 14 MSU for series \sim

Yale at No. 3 Boston College (Fri. at Conte Forum)

- The Eagles power play is second in the nation at 26.5%, converting 18 of 68 chances with a man advantage.
- Senior Parker Milner (Pittsburgh, Pa.) has started all 16 games for BC this season, posting a 12-3-1 record and he has allowed two goals or fewer in eight starts. He has also amassed 25+ saves 12 times this season.

Rensselaer at No. 9 Boston University (Fri. at Agganis Arena)

• The Terriers and Engineers head into Friday's contest having played each other 65 times since first meeting on March 14, 1953, in the consolation game of the NCAA tournament, and BU holds a 33-29-3 (.531) advantage, although the Engineers have gone 3-1-1 in the last five meetings.

Mercyhurst at Maine - Two-Game Series (Fri. at CCCC, Sat. at Alfond Arena)

• Maine's penalty killing has been a strength as of late. Maine has killed off 20 of 21 opponent power plays. In the last five games, the lone power play goal that the Black Bears have allowed was on Dec. 8 against Boston University.

UMass-Lowell at Clarkson - Two-Game Series (Fri., Sat. at Cheel Arena)

 Clarkson leads the all-time series against UMass Lowell, 11-8-0, but UMass Lowell has won the last four meetings, dating back to 2001.

Providence at No. 14 Minnesota State - Two-Game Series (Fri., Sat. at the Verizon Wireless Center)

- The Friars carry a 4-0-0 all-time record versus Minnesota State into the weekend series, they meet for the first time since Since Oct. 17-18, 2003. PC is 2-2-1 in non-conference play so far this season.
- Senior Tim Schaller (Merrimack, N.H.) carries a four-game point scoring streak (2-4-6) into the Minnesota State

Merrimack at Vermont (Sat. at Gutterson Fieldhouse on CBSSN)

- The Warriors took three points in the two-game series between the two teams in late October by scores of 6-3 and 2-2 at Lawler Arena.
- · Vermont's top line of Kyle Reynolds, Jacob Fallon, and Chris McCarthy collected seven points during the Catamount Cup victories last weekend. The trio leads the team in scoring with a total of 36 points this season (13 G, 23 A). Reynolds and McCarthy are each riding four-game point streaks, while Fallon has five points in that span.

Rensselaer at No. 4 New Hampshire (Sat. at the Whittemore Center)

 Junior forward Kevin Goumas (Long Beach, N.Y.) ranks fourth in the nation with 1.47 points per game for the Wildcats. His 25 points leads all league players in overall point scoring. He has at least one point in 14 of 17 games this year.

Bentley at Northeastern (Sat. at Matthews Arena)

- Chris Rawlings ranks third all-time in career saves and needs just 31 more stops to eclipse Brad Thiessen's mark of 3,166 to move into second place. Bruce Racine (1984-88) is the school's leader with 3,557.
 - Northeastern owns a perfect 6-0-0 record when leading after two periods of play.

RECENT RESULTS Fridav. December 28

(Florida College Classic, Estero, Fla.) Maine 1 vs. Minnesota-Duluth 0

Saturday, December 29

Saturday, December 29
Northeastern 5 at Harvard 1
at No. 15 Denver 6, No. 6 Boston University 0
(Mariucci Classic, Minneapolis, Minn.)
No. 1 Boston College 5 vs. Alabama-Huntsville 2
(Florida College Classic, Estero, Fla.)
Maine 6 vs. No. 11 Cornell 4
(Catamount Cup, Burlington, Vt.)
Merrimack 2 vs. Princeton 2 (OT)
Vermont 2 vs. No. 12 Union 1

Sunday, December 30

at UMass-Lowell 3, Bentley 2 (Dartmouth Tournament, Hanover, N.H.) Massachusetts 4 vs. Bemidji State 3 at No. 10 Dartmouth 4, New Hampshire 1 (Catamount Cup, Burlington, Vt.) Union 4 vs. Merrimack 1 Vermont 6 vs. Princeton 3 (Mariucci Classic, Minneapolis, Minn.) at No. 4 Minnesota 8, No. 1 Boston College 1

Monday, December 31

(Dartmouth Tournament, Hanover, N.H.) New Hampshire 3 vs. Bemidji State 2 (OT) Massachusetts 3 vs. No. 10 Dartmouth 2

UPCOMING GAMES

Friday, January 4
Yale at No. 3 Boston College
Rensselaer at No. 9 Boston University (7:30pm) Mercyhurst at Maine (at Cumberland County Civic Center, Portland, Maine) UMass-Lowell at Clarkson Providence at No. 14 Minnesota State (8:30pm)

Saturday, January 5 Merrimack at Vermont * (7:30pm, CBSSN) Mercyhurst at Maine Rensselaer at No. 4 New Hampshire (WBIN-TV) Bentley at Northeastern UMass-Lowell at Clarkson Providence at No. 14 Minnesota State (8pm)

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

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Rk. Te	am	GP	W	L	Τ	Pts	Overall	Conf. Off.	Conf. Def.
1. Bo	ston College	12	9	2	1	19	12-3-1	3.42 (41)	2.33 (28)
2. Ne	w Hampshire	11	8	2	1	17	12-3-2	3.18 (35)	1.27 (14)
3. Во	ston University	12	8	4	0	16	10-6-0	2.92 (35)	2.42 (29)
4. Pro	ovidence	11	5	4	2	12	7-6-3	2.55 (28)	2.45 (27)
5. Vei	rmont	12	3	5	4	10	6-8-4	2.00 (24)	2.83 (34)
6. Me	rrimack	9	4	4	1	9	6-8-4	3.00 (27)	2.67 (24)
Ма	ssachusetts	11	4	6	1	9	7-9-2	2.64 (29)	2.91 (32)
8. UN	lass-Lowell	10	3	6	1	7	7-7-1	2.30 (23)	2.80 (28)
No	rtheastern	12	3	8	1	7	6-9-1	1.83 (22)	3.00 (36)
10. Ma	ine	10	1	7	2	4	4-11-2	1.40 (14)	2.60 (26)



HOCKEY 2012-13 HOCKEY EAST SEASON SUPERLATIVES

SHUTOUTS

Date	Goalie	Team	Opponent	Svs	Result
10/20	Parker Milner	BC	vs. NU	26	3-0
10/26	Parker Milner	BC	at UML	26	1-0
10/27	Jon Gillies	PC	vs. Maine	26	3-0
10/27	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at NU	34	0-0
10/27	Bryan Mountain	NU	vs. UNH	44	0-0
11/3	Brody Hoffman	UVM	vs. Providence	24	2-0
11/4	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at Maine	42	4-0
11/9	Kevin Boyle	UMass	vs. Providence	14	4-0
11/10	Casey DeSmith	UNH	vs. Vermont	15	4-0
11/10	Chris Rawlings	NU	vs. UAH	19	3-0
11/16	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at UML	25	3-0
11/24	Jon Gillies	PC	at Brown	35	7-0
11/24	Sean Maguire	BU	vs. St. Lawrence	21	4-0
11/30	Chris Rawlings	NU	at UMass	31	1-0
12/8	Sean Maguire	BU	vs. Maine	28	1-0
12/10	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	at Harvard	30	5-0
12/28	Martin Ouellette	Maine	vs. Minne-Duluth	31	1-0

40+ SAVES

Date	Goalie	Team	Opponent	Svs	Result
10/27	Bryan Mountain	NU	vs. UNH	44	T, (0-0)
11/4	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at Maine	42	W, (4-0)
11/18	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at Boston U.	45	W, (3-1)
12/1	Chris Rawlings	NU	vs. UMass	40	L, (6-3)

INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Goals:	4 Ca	ody Ferriero, NU at Harvard (12/29)
Assists:	4 Ke	evin Roy, NU at Harvard (12/29)
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Johnny Gaudreau, BC vs. Darmouth (11/4) Points:

Kevin Roy, NU at Harvard (12/29)

Johnny Gaudreau, BC (10/13 to 11/30; 10-11-21) Point Streak: 12 Johnny Gaudreau, BC (10/13 to Present; 6-8-14) In League Play: 10

Wade Megan, BU (10/20 to 10/27) Goal Streak: Austin Block, UNH (11/4 to 11/16) Adam Phillips, UMASS (12/1 to 12/8) John Henrion, UNH (10/13 to 10/26)

Ross Mauerman, PC (10/12 to 10/19)

Saves: Casey DeSmith (11/18)

TEAM HIGHS

Rk. Player

Goals:	8	PC vs Sacred Heart (10/12/12)
In league play:	8	UML at UMass (11/18/12)
Shots on Goal:	59	Providence vs Sacred Heart (10/12/12)
Consecutive Wins:	10	Boston College (10/19 to 11/30)
In league play:	8	Boston College (10/19 to 11/30)
Unbeaten Streak:	10	Boston College (10/19 to 11/30; 10-0-0)

ACTIVE OVERALL POINT LEADERS

2. Steven Whitney, BC (Sr., F)

Joey Diamond, Maine (Sr., F)

Riley Wetmore, UML (Sr., F)

Vinny Saponari, NU (Sr., F)

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1. Pat Mullane, BC (Sr., F)	141	0.82	34	82	116			
2. Steven Whitney, BC (Sr., F)	138	0.73	38	63	101			
3. Riley Wetmore, UML (Sr., F)	126	0.72	39	52	91			
4. Joey Diamond, Maine (Sr., F)	116	0.74	48	38	86			
5. Vinny Saponari, NU (Sr., F)	132	0.62	30	52	82			
ACTIVE LEAGUE POINT LEADERS								
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Rk. Player	GP	PPG	G	Α	P			
1. Pat Mullane, BC (Sr., F)	93	0.75	18	52	70			

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Date	Player	Team	Opponent	Result
11/16	Derek Army	PC	vs. Northeastern	W, 6-2
11/18	Riley Wetmore	UML	at UMass	W, 8-2
11/24	Kevin Goumas	UNH	at Denver	W, 6-4
11/24	Grayson Downing	UNH	at Denver	W, 6-4
12/28	Cody Ferriero	NU	at Harvard	W, 5-1

OVERTIME GOALS

Date	Player	Team	Opponent	Score
10/19	Johnny Gaudreau	BC	at UMass	5-4 (OT)
11/2	Darren Rowe	UMASS	vs. UNH	2-1 (OT)
11/30	Tim Schaller	PC	at MC	3-2 (OT)
12/31	Trevor van Reimsdyk	UNH	vs. Bemidji State	3-2 (OT)

THE LAST TIME

A player had four goals:

Cody Ferriero, Northeastern (12/28/12 at Harvard)

A rookie had a hat trick:

Stephane Da Costa, Merrimack (10/17/09 vs. Army; 5 goals) In league play: Mike Collins, MC, 1/29/11 vs. Vermont

A defenseman had a hat trick:

Conor Allen, UMass (11/11/11 vs Holy Cross)

A goaltender recorded 50 saves:

Andrew Brathwaite, Merrimack, 2/2/08 vs. Providence (50 saves) In league play: Kieran Millan, Boston U., 3/11/12 vs. UNH (68 saves)

A team won 10 games in a row:

Boston College, 1/27/12 to 10/13/12 (17 games) Boston College, 10/19/12 to 11/30/12 (10 games)

In league play: Boston College, 1/27/12 to 10/13/12 (15 games)

A team was unbeaten in 10 straight games:

Boston College, 1/27/12 to 10/13/12 (19 games; 19-0-0) Boston College, 10/19/12 to 11/30/12 (10 games)

In league play: Boston College, 1/27/12 to 10/13/12 (15 games; 15-0-0)

A team recorded 50 shots-on-goal:

Providence, 10/12/12 vs Sacred Heart (59 shots) Northeastern, 11/10/12 vs Alab-Huntsille (54)

In league play: New Hampshire, 3/11/12 at BU (72 shots)

LEAGUE LEADERS SPONSORED BY



2012-13 LEAGUE SCORING RACE (CONFERENCE GAMES ONLY)

Rk	. Player	GP	PPG	G	Α	P
1.	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (So., F)	12	1.33	7	9	16
2.	Kevin Goumas, UNH (Jr., F)	11	1.36	5	10	15
3.	Mike Collins, MC (Jr., F)	9	1.56	4	10	14
	Pat Mullane, BC (Sr., F)	12	1.17	4	10	14
	Cason Hohmann, BÚ (So., F)	12	1.17	4	10	14

2012-13 LEAGUE SAVE PERCENTAGE LEADERS

Rk	. Player	W-L-T	Saves	GA	Save%
1.	Casey DeSmith, UNH (So., G)	8-2-1	327	14	.959
2.	Rasmus Tirronen, MC (So., G)	4-4-1	119	8	.937
3.	Kevin Boyle, UMass (So., G)	4-6-1	201	14	.935
4.	Matt O'Connor, BU (Fr., G)	8-4-0	286	21	.932
5.	Parker Milner, BC (Sr., G)	9-2-1	325	27	.923

2012-13 LEAGUE GAA LEADERS

Rk	. Player	W-L-T	Minutes	GA	GAA
1.	Casey DeSmith, UNH (So., G)	8-2-1	665:34	14	1.26
2.	Kevin Boyle, UMass (So., G)	4-6-1	485:32	14	1.73
3.	Rasmus Tirronen, MC (So., G)	4-4-1	243:59	8	1.97
4.	Jon Gillies, PC (Fr., G)	5-4-1	605:41	22	2.18
5.	Martin Quellette, Maine (Jr., G)	1-7-2	484:34	18	2.23