



MEN'S WEEKEND PREVIEW

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MAINE TRAVELS TO ND FOR TWO; UVM VISITS UNH - BC, BU, NU Host Friday Night Tilts; UML Faces UMass -

Upcoming Games

Merrimack at #2 Boston College – Friday at Conte Forum

- Since becoming linemates in early December, BC's Johnny Gaudreau (Carneys Point, N.J.), Bill Arnold (Needham, Mass.) and Kevin Hayes (Dorchester, Mass.) have combined to produce 29 goals during the Eagles' current 12-0-1 unbeaten streak, while BC has held opponents to just 23 combined goals during that stretch.

- Merrimack has lost their last two meetings against Boston College, with their last win coming on Feb. 15, 2013, when Connor Toomey (BillERICA, Mass.) scored with 31 seconds left in overtime to lift MC to a 2-1 win.

Massachusetts at #11 Northeastern – Friday at Matthews Arena

- NU redshirt junior goalie Clay Witt currently leads Division I in save percentage, with a mark of .945. His 1.94 GAA is also good for seventh nationally, and he is tied for second with four shutouts.

#7 UMass Lowell at Boston University – Friday at Agganis Arena

- BU sophomore goalie Matt O'Connor (Toronto, Ont.) has made at least 30 saves in ten of his 16 starts this season, and he is averaging 34.97 saves per 60 minutes.

Vermont at New Hampshire – Two-Game Series (Fri., Sat. at Whittemore Center)

- UVM junior defenseman Michael Paliotta (Westport, Conn.) has 16 assists in 25 games this season, after entering the year with 15 assists in 65 career games.

- The Wildcats went 2-0-1 against Vermont last season, with Kevin Goumas (Long Beach, N.Y.) recording five assists in three games against the Catamounts.

Maine at Notre Dame – Two-Game Series (Fri., Sat. at Compton Family Ice Arena)

- Maine goalie Martin Ouellette (St.-Hippolyte, Que.) is the only netminder in Hockey East to have played at least 90% of his team's minutes so far this season. He has played 1355:07 out of a possible 1458:27, earning 92.9% of playing time in goal.

- The Irish have gone 12-4-1 in 17 home games so far this season, outscoring opponents 67-34 at Compton Family Ice Arena.

#7 UMass Lowell at Massachusetts – Saturday at Mullins Center

- UML has scored 39 goals in 13 Hockey East games this season, and those goals have come from 20 different skaters. Joseph Pendenza (Wilmington, Mass.) leads the River Hawks with six goals in league play in 2013-14.

- UMass junior goalie Steve Mastalerz (North Andover, Mass.) has started 15 consecutive games for the Minutemen heading into this weekend.

RECENT RESULTS

Friday, January 31

#2 Boston College 2 at #7 Providence 0*
 Merrimack 2 at #8 UMass Lowell 4*
 Boston University 3 at Massachusetts 3 (OT)*
 #14 Notre Dame 2 at New Hampshire 4*

Saturday, February 1

#14 Notre Dame 2 at New Hampshire 5*
 #8 UMass Lowell 4 at Merrimack 0*

Monday, February 3

#11 Northeastern 6 vs Harvard 0^
 #2 Boston College 3 vs Boston University 1^

UPCOMING GAMES

Friday, February 7

Merrimack at #2 Boston College*
 Massachusetts at #11 Northeastern*
 #7 UMass Lowell at Boston University* (7:30pm)
 Vermont at New Hampshire*
 (7:30pm; TV-WBIN, FCS)
 Maine at Notre Dame* (7:35pm; TV-NBCSN)

Saturday, February 8

#7 UMass Lowell at Massachusetts*
 (6:00pm; TV-NESN)
 Vermont at New Hampshire*
 Maine at Notre Dame (8:05pm; TV-NBCSN)

Monday, February 10

Harvard vs Boston University^ (4:30pm)
 #11 Northeastern vs. #2 Boston College^
 (7:30pm; TV-NESN)

All game times are EST and
 are 7pm start times unless noted.

* Denotes league games

^ 62nd Annual Beanpot, TD Garden

2013-2014 HOCKEY EAST STANDINGS

Rk.	Team	GP	W	L	T	Pts	Overall	Conf. Off.	Conf. Def.
1.	Boston College	14	12	1	1	24	20-4-3	3.83 (54)	2.06 (29)
2.	UMass Lowell	13	8	4	1	17	18-7-2	2.97 (39)	2.13 (28)
	Northeastern	14	8	5	1	17	16-8-3	2.55 (36)	2.05 (29)
4.	New Hampshire	14	8	6	0	16	16-13-1	3.34 (47)	2.42 (34)
5.	Providence	14	7	6	1	15	15-7-5	2.48 (35)	2.55 (36)
6.	Maine	12	6	4	2	14	12-9-3	3.21 (39)	2.14 (26)
7.	Vermont	12	5	7	0	10	13-9-3	2.08 (25)	2.42 (29)
8.	Notre Dame	13	4	8	1	9	15-11-1	2.14 (28)	2.52 (33)
	Massachusetts	14	3	8	3	9	7-16-4	1.82 (26)	2.95 (42)
10.	Boston University	13	3	8	2	8	8-15-3	2.20 (29)	3.80 (50)
11.	Merrimack	13	2	9	2	6	7-15-3	1.37 (18)	3.04 (40)



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2013-14 HOCKEY EAST SEASON SUPERLATIVES

SHUTOUTS

Date	Goalie	Team	Opponent	Svs	Result
10/11	Steven Summerhays	ND	vs. Western Mich.	22	W, 4-0
10/12	Steven Summerhays	ND	at Western Mich.	22	W, 3-0
10/12	Jon Gillies	PC	vs. Minnesota St.	38	W, 3-0
11/8	Jon Gillies	PC	at Merrimack	23	W, 1-0
11/8	Martin Ouellette	ME	vs. Vermont	23	W, 2-0
11/9	C. DeSmith/J. Regan	UNH	at Massachusetts	23	W, 9-0
11/10	B. Billett/B. Barone	BC	vs. Army	30	W, 11-0
11/14	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	at Penn State	37	W, 4-0
11/15	Martin Ouellette	ME	vs. Boston Univ.	34	W, 7-0
11/15	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at Northeastern	22	W, 3-0
11/15	Steven Summerhays	ND	vs. Merrimack	31	W, 4-0
11/16	Jon Gillies	PC	at Vermont	23	W, 3-0
11/22	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	vs. Notre Dame	40	W, 1-0
11/23	Clay Witt	NU	vs. Merrimack	38	W, 2-0
11/24	Mike Santaguida	UVM	vs. Massachusetts	39	W, 2-0
11/30	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at Colorado Coll.	32	W, 3-0
12/14	Steve Mastalerz	UMA	at Colgate	25	W, 2-0
12/17	Clay Witt	NU	at Vermont	44	W, 3-0
12/27	Brian Billett	BC	vs. Bowling Green	27	W, 5-0
12/28	Martin Ouellette	ME	vs. Princeton	33	W, 4-0
1/11	Rasmus Tirronen	MC	at Clarkson	34	W, 4-0
1/11	Steven Summerhays	ND	vs. Ala.-Huntsville	13	W, 5-0
1/24	Clay Witt	NU	at Notre Dame	30	W, 4-0
1/25	Steven Summerhays	ND	vs. Northeastern	36	W, 3-0
1/31	Thatcher Demko	BC	at Providence	30	W, 2-0
2/1	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	at Merrimack	33	W, 4-0
2/3	Clay Witt	NU	vs. Harvard	27	W, 6-0

40+ SAVES

Date	Goalie	Team	Opponent	Svs	Result
10/19	Matt O'Connor	BU	vs. Wisconsin	40	W, 7-3
10/25	Matt O'Connor	BU	at Michigan	42	L, 1-2
11/22	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	vs. Notre Dame	40	W, 1-0
11/23	Matt O'Connor	BU	vs. North Dakota	55	T, 3-3
11/27	Jon Gillies	PC	at Quinnipiac	45	T, 3-3
12/6	Clay Witt	NU	vs. Providence	52	T, 3-3
12/17	Clay Witt	NU	at Vermont	44	W, 3-0
1/11	Clay Witt	NU	vs. UMass Lowell	47	W, 4-1
1/17	Clay Witt	NU	vs. Vermont	46	W, 3-2
1/31	Matt O'Connor	BU	at Massachusetts	46	T, 3-3

INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Goals:	3	Kevin Hayes, BC vs. Maine (1/18)
		Five others have recorded three goals
Assists:	5	Johnny Gaudreau, BC vs. Maine (1/18)
Points:	5	Kevin Hayes, BC vs. Maine (1/18)
		Johnny Gaudreau, BC vs. Maine (1/18)
		Devin Shore, ME vs. American International (12/13)
Point Streak:	22	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (11/1 to present; 21-24-45)
In league play:	14	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (11/1 to present; 13-14-27)
Saves:	55	Matt O'Connor, BU vs. North Dakota (11/23)

TEAM HIGHS

Goals:	11	Boston College vs. Army (11/10)
In league play:	9	New Hampshire at Massachusetts (11/9)
Shots on Goal:	61	Vermont vs. Canisius (12/29)
Consecutive Wins:	6	Boston College (2x: 1/17 to present, 12/6 to 1/10)
		UMass Lowell (11/12 to 12/3)
		New Hampshire (11/8 to 11/22)
In league play:	8	Boston College (12/6 to present)
Unbeaten Streak:	13	Boston College (12/6 to present; 12-0-1)
In league play:	8	Boston College (12/6 to present; 8-0-0)
		Northeastern (11/22 to 1/24; 7-0-1)

MILESTONE WATCH

Boston College junior forward Johnny Gaudreau (Carneys Point, N.J.) is two points shy of 150 for his career.

UMass senior forward Conor Sheary (Melrose, Mass.) is three points shy of 100 for his career. Senior forward Michael Pereira (West Haven, Conn.) is one assist shy of 50 for his career.

UMass Lowell senior forward Joseph Pendenza (Wilmington, Mass.) is three goals shy of 50 for his career.

Merrimack senior forward Mike Collins (Boston, Mass.) is one goal shy of 50 for his career.

Notre Dame senior forward T.J. Tynan (Orland Park, Ill.) is two assists shy of 100 for his career.

Vermont senior forward Chris McCarthy (Collegeville, Pa.) is one point shy of 100 for his career.

HAT TRICKS

Date	Player	Team	Opponent	Result
10/11	Kevin Roy	NU	vs. Ala.-Huntsville	W, 9-1
11/9	Grayson Downing	UNH	at Massachusetts	W, 9-0
12/28	Destry Straight	BC	vs. Penn State	W, 8-2
1/4	Matt Willows	UNH	vs. Neb.-Omaha	W, 5-2
1/10	Bryan Rust	ND	vs. Ala.-Huntsville	W, 7-1
1/18	Kevin Hayes	BC	vs. Maine	W, 7-2

OVERTIME GOALS

Date	Player	Team	Opponent	Score
10/25	Niko Rufo	PC	vs. Miami (Ohio)	W, 3-2
10/25	Connor Leen	ME	vs. Massachusetts	W, 3-2
11/2	Derek Arnold	UML	at New Hampshire	W, 3-2
11/2	Adam Gilmour	BC	at Northeastern	W, 4-3
11/22	Matt Willows	UNH	at Providence	W, 3-2
1/7	Braden Pimm	NU	at Providence	W, 2-1

THE LAST TIME

A player had four goals:
Cody Ferriero, NU (12/28/12 at Harvard)

A rookie had a hat trick:
Kevin Roy, NU, 2/4/13 vs. Boston University (Beanpot)
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:
Clay Witt, NU, 12/6/13 vs. Providence (52 saves)

A team won 10 games in a row:
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, 12/6/13 to present (13 games; 12-0-1)
In league play: Boston College, 1/27/12 to 10/13/12 (15 games; 15-0-0)

A team recorded 50 shots-on-goal:
Massachusetts vs. American International, 1/14/14 (59 shots)
In league play: Providence vs. Northeastern, 12/6/13 (53 shots)

ACTIVE OVERALL POINT LEADERS

Rk.	Player	GP	PPG	G	A	P
1.	T.J. Tynan, ND (Sr., F)	151	0.99	52	98	150
2.	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (Jr., F)	106	1.40	66	82	148
3.	Kevin Goumas, UNH (Sr., F)	135	0.96	37	92	129
	Bill Arnold, BC (Sr., F)	146	0.88	52	77	129
5.	Kevin Hayes, BC (Sr., F)	129	0.88	37	76	113
6.	Mike Collins, MC (Sr., F)	130	0.86	49	63	112
7.	Joseph Pendenza, UML (Sr., F)	138	0.73	47	54	101
8.	Michael Pereira, UMA (Sr., F)	128	0.78	51	49	100
9.	Chris McCarthy, UVM (Sr., F)	137	0.72	41	58	99
10.	Conor Sheary, UMA (Sr., F)	131	0.74	34	63	97

ACTIVE LEAGUE POINT LEADERS

Rk.	Player	GP	PPG	G	A	P
1.	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (Jr., F)	68	1.25	37	48	85
2.	Bill Arnold, BC (Sr., F)	95	0.87	40	43	83
3.	Kevin Goumas, UNH (Sr., F)	91	0.86	20	58	78
4.	Mike Collins, MC (Sr., F)	87	0.85	30	44	74
5.	Joseph Pendenza, UML (Sr., F)	92	0.78	32	40	72
6.	Michael Pereira, UMA (Sr., F)	91	0.78	38	33	71
7.	Conor Sheary, UMA (Sr., F)	93	0.76	24	46	70
8.	Kevin Hayes, BC (Sr., F)	80	0.85	22	46	68
	Chris McCarthy, UVM (Sr., F)	96	0.71	30	38	68
10.	Derek Arnold, UML (Sr., F)	94	0.64	30	30	60

*Stats updated as of Thursday, February 6

