



MEN'S WEEKEND PREVIEW

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FIVE HOCKEY EAST SCHOOLS IN TOURNAMENT ACTION - BC and UML Head to Worcester; PC and UVM Visit Bridgeport -



(1) Boston College vs. (4) Denver

Sat. March 29, 4pm at DCU Center (TV-ESPNU)

All-Time Series: DU leads, 14-11-0

Last Meeting: Oct. 14, 2011 – DU 4 at BC 2

Boston College Record: 27-6-4 (16-2-2 Hockey East)

Denver Record: 20-15-6 (10-11-3 NCHC)

- Boston College's national title runs in 2001, 2008, 2010, and 2012 all started with the Eagles playing the regional round in Worcester. This season, the Eagles missed out on the Hockey East Semifinals for the first time since 2004, a year in which they went on to reach the Frozen Four.



(2) UMass Lowell vs. (3) Minnesota State

Sat. March 29, 7:30pm at DCU Center (TV-ESPNU)

All-Time Series: UML leads, 4-3-0

Last Meeting: Oct. 15, 2011 – UML 4 at MSU 1

UMass Lowell Record: 25-10-4 (11-6-3 Hockey East)

Minnesota State Record: 26-13-1 (20-7-1 WCHA)

- UMass Lowell is making their third-straight NCAA Tournament appearance under third-year Head Coach Norm Bazin. In their previous 27 Division I seasons prior to Bazin's arrival, the River Hawks made three total NCAA appearances (1988, 1994, 1996).



(2) Notre Dame vs. (3) St. Cloud State

Sat. March 29, 9pm at Xcel Energy Center (TV-ESPNU)

All-Time Series: SCSU leads, 6-5-0

Last Meeting: March 30, 2013 – SCSU 5 vs. ND 1

Notre Dame Record: 23-14-2 (9-9-2 Hockey East)

St. Cloud State Record: 21-10-5 (15-6-3 NCHC)

- The Irish have now made the NCAA Tournament for the sixth time in the past eight seasons, and they are trying to make it to the Frozen Four for the third time (2008, 2011). ND will be looking to avenge their 5-1 loss to St. Cloud State in last season's NCAA Regionals in Toledo, Ohio.



(2) Quinnipiac vs. (3) Providence

Fri. March 28, 2pm at Webster Bank Arena (TV-ESPNU)

All-Time Series: PC leads, 3-2-1

Last Meeting: Nov. 27, 2013 – PC 3 at QU 3

Quinnipiac Record: 24-9-6 (12-6-4 ECAC)

Providence Record: 21-10-6 (11-7-2 Hockey East)

- The Friars return to the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 2001, looking to advance to the Frozen Four for the first time since 1985. PC and QU skated to a 3-3 tie on Nov. 27, when Providence sophomore goaltender Jon Gillies (South Portland, Maine) turned aside 45 Bobcat shots.



(1) Union vs. (4) Vermont

Fri. March 28, 5:30pm at Webster Bank Arena (TV-ESPNU)

All-Time Series: UVM leads, 18-10-2

Last Meeting: Dec. 29, 2012 – Union 1 at UVM 2

Union Record: 28-6-4 (18-3-1 ECAC)

Vermont Record: 20-14-3 (10-10-0 Hockey East)

- The V-Cats are making their third NCAA Tournament appearance under Head Coach Kevin Sneddon, and first since 2010. Sneddon coached at Union from 1998 to 2003, when he came to Vermont.



NCAA EAST REGIONAL
 Webster Bank Arena, Bridgeport, Conn.
Friday, March 28
 (1) Union vs. (4) Vermont (2:00pm; TV-ESPNU)
 (2) Quinnipiac vs. (3) Providence (5:30pm; TV-ESPNU)
Saturday, March 29
 East Regional Final (3:00pm; TV-ESPNU)

NCAA NORTHEAST REGIONAL
 DCU Center, Worcester, Mass.
Saturday, March 29
 (1) Boston College vs. (4) Denver (4:00pm; TV-ESPNU)
 (2) UMass Lowell vs. (3) Minnesota State (7:30pm; TV-ESPNU)
Sunday, March 30
 Northeast Regional Final (5:00pm; TV-ESPNU)

NCAA WEST REGIONAL
 Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.
Saturday, March 29
 (1) Minnesota vs. (4) Robert Morris (5:30pm; TV-ESPNU)
 (2) Notre Dame vs. (3) St. Cloud State (9:00pm; TV-ESPNU)
Sunday, March 30
 West Regional Final (7:30pm; TV-ESPNU)

All game times are EST.

FINAL 2013-2014 HOCKEY EAST STANDINGS

Rk.	Team	GP	W	L	T	Pts	Overall	Conf. Off.	Conf. Def.
1.	Boston College	20	16	2	2	34	26-7-4	3.71 (75)	1.98 (40)
2.	UMass Lowell	20	11	6	3	25	25-10-4	2.65 (54)	2.11 (43)
3.	Providence	20	11	7	2	24	21-10-6	2.48 (50)	2.43 (49)
4.	New Hampshire	20	11	9	0	22	22-18-1	3.19 (64)	2.54 (51)
	Northeastern	20	10	8	2	22	19-14-4	2.57 (52)	2.53 (51)
6.	Maine	20	9	8	3	21	16-15-4	2.91 (59)	2.37 (48)
7.	Vermont	20	10	10	0	20	20-14-3	2.44 (49)	2.39 (48)
	Notre Dame	20	9	9	2	20	23-13-2	2.13 (43)	1.98 (40)
9.	Boston University	20	5	12	3	13	10-21-4	2.12 (43)	3.26 (66)
10.	Massachusetts	20	4	13	3	11	8-22-4	2.07 (42)	3.01 (61)
11.	Merrimack	20	3	15	2	8	8-22-3	1.59 (32)	3.27 (66)

UNH wins tiebreaker over NU (head-to-head); UVM wins tiebreaker over ND (number of conference wins)



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2013-14 HOCKEY EAST SEASON SUPERLATIVES

*Stats updated as of Thursday, March 27

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
2/7	Steve Mastalerz	UMA	at Northeastern	27	W, 3-0
2/15	Steven Summerhays	ND	at Providence	36	W, 3-0
2/21	Thatcher Demko	BC	vs. UMass Lowell	33	W, 3-0
2/21	Steven Summerhays	ND	vs. Boston Univ.	19	W, 2-0
2/22	S. Summerhays/J. Rogers	ND	vs. Boston Univ.	22	W, 2-0
2/28	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	at Vermont	25	W, 1-0
3/8	Martin Ouellette	ME	vs. Merrimack	29	W, 2-0
3/14	Casey DeSmith	UNH	vs. Northeastern	27	W, 1-0
3/21	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	vs. Notre Dame	35	W, 4-0
3/22	Connor Hellebuyck	UML	vs. New Hampshire	30	W, 4-0

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
2/7	Clay Witt	NU	vs. Massachusetts	45	L, 0-3
2/14	Steven Summerhays	ND	at Providence	47	T, 2-2
2/22	Doug Carr	UML	vs. Boston College	41	T, 2-2
3/1	Casey DeSmith	UNH	at Merrimack	49	W, 5-2

INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Goals:	3	Kevin Goumas, UNH vs. Northeastern (3/16)
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 Int'l (12/13)
Point Streak:	31	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (11/1 to 3/15; 29-32-61)
In league play:	20	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (11/1 to 3/1; 18-18-36)
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:	11	Boston College (1/17 to 2/21)
In league play:	12	Boston College (12/6 to 2/21)
Unbeaten Streak:	19	Boston College (12/6 to 2/22; 17-0-2)
In league play:	13	Boston College (12/6 to 2/22; 12-0-1)

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
2/7	Bill Arnold	BC	vs. Merrimack	W, 6-1
2/17	Matt Willows	UNH	at Boston Univ.	W, 3-1
2/21	Mario Puskarich	UVM	at Merrimack	W, 4-1
3/16	Kevin Goumas	UNH	vs. Northeastern	W, 5-4

OVERTIME GOALS

Date	Player	Team	Opponent	Result
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
2/28	Joe Houk	UML	at Vermont	W, 1-0
3/1	Vince Hinostrroza	ND	at Boston College	W, 2-1
3/15	Mike Szmatala	NU	at New Hampshire	W, 5-4
3/15	Mario Puskarich	UVM	at UMass Lowell	W, 3-2

THE LAST TIME

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

A rookie had a hat trick:
Mario Puskarich, UVM, 2/21/14 at Merrimack

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, 1/17/14 to 2/21/14 (11 games)
In league play: Boston College, 12/6/13 to 2/21/14 (12 games)

A team was unbeaten in 10 straight games:
Boston College, 12/6/13 to 2/22/14 (19 games; 17-0-2)
In league play: Boston College, 12/6/13 to 2/22/14 (13 games; 12-0-1)

A team recorded 50 shots-on-goal:
Providence vs. Connecticut, 2/11/14 (60 shots)
In league play: Providence vs. Northeastern, 12/6/13 (55 shots)

ACTIVE OVERALL POINT LEADERS

Rk.	Player	GP	PPG	G	A	P
1.	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (Jr., F)	116	1.41	74	90	164
2.	T.J. Tynan, ND (Sr., F)	163	0.98	54	106	160
3.	Kevin Goumas, UNH (Sr., F)	146	1.00	44	102	146
4.	Bill Arnold, BC (Sr., F)	156	0.89	56	83	139
5.	Kevin Hayes, BC (Sr., F)	139	0.88	41	82	123
	Mike Collins, MC (Sr., F)	138	0.86	53	65	118
7.	Chris McCarthy, UVM (Sr., F)	149	0.75	44	68	112
8.	Joseph Pendenza, UML (Sr., F)	150	0.73	48	61	109
9.	Michael Pereira, UMA (Sr., F)	135	0.79	53	54	107
10.	Conor Sheary, UMA (Sr., F)	138	0.75	38	66	104

ACTIVE LEAGUE POINT LEADERS

Rk.	Player	GP	PPG	G	A	P
1.	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (Jr., F)	74	1.27	42	52	94
2.	Kevin Goumas, UNH (Sr., F)	97	0.91	22	66	88
	Bill Arnold, BC (Sr., F)	101	0.87	44	44	88
4.	Chris McCarthy, UVM (Sr., F)	104	0.78	33	48	81
5.	Mike Collins, MC (Sr., F)	94	0.85	34	46	80
6.	Michael Pereira, UMA (Sr., F)	97	0.80	40	38	78
7.	Conor Sheary, UMA (Sr., F)	98	0.78	28	48	76
8.	Joseph Pendenza, UML (Sr., F)	99	0.76	32	43	75
9.	Kevin Hayes, BC (Sr., F)	85	0.85	23	49	72
10.	Derek Arnold, UML (Sr., F)	101	0.62	32	31	63

2013-14 POINT-PER-GAME LEADERS (OVERALL)

Rk.	Player	GP	PPG	G	A	P
1.	Johnny Gaudreau, BC (Jr., F)	37	1.86	32	37	69
2.	Kevin Hayes, BC (Sr., F)	37	1.51	24	32	56
3.	Kevin Goumas, UNH (Sr., F)	40	1.30	19	33	52
4.	Bill Arnold, BC (Sr., F)	37	1.30	12	36	48
5.	Kevin Roy, NU (So., F)	37	1.24	19	27	46
6.	Devin Shore, ME (So., F)	35	1.23	14	29	43
7.	Chris McCarthy, UVM (Sr., F)	37	1.08	16	24	40
8.	Mike Szmatala, NU (Fr., F)	37	1.05	15	24	39
9.	Braden Pimm, NU (Sr., F)	37	1.00	20	17	37
10.	Nick Sorkin, UNH (Sr., F)	41	1.00	20	21	41

