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NESN To Air 17 Hockey East Contests In 2015-16 14 ASN Produced Games Will Air on NESN This Season

WAKEFIELD, Mass. - Hockey East and the New England Sports Network (NESN) today announced that NESN will air 17 Hockey East contests in 2015-16, continuing a relationship that began in 1984 when both the league and network were founded. The slate of games is comprised of nine conference matchups, the Women's Hockey East championship game and four men's playoff tilts, including the semifinals and championship game from TD Garden. The NESN schedule begins this Friday (Oct. 23) when Notre Dame hosts No. 5 Minnesota Duluth at 6 p.m. on NESNplus. A full schedule can be found below.

"NESN and Hockey East share a history and a tradition of excellence that goes back to the founding of each organization more than 30 years ago," said Hockey East Commissioner **Joe Bertagna**. "We are thrilled to be able to extend this relationship."

"We have a commitment to grow hockey and serve fans in New England with a wide range of coverage," said **Joseph Maar**, NESN's Vice President of Programming and Production, Executive Producer. "We are excited to partner with Hockey East to provide viewers some of the best that the college game has to offer."

NESN will bring an exciting lineup of college hockey to New England, featuring each of the 12 Hockey East men's programs at least once this season. Included in the 2015-16 lineup is a rematch of the 2015 NCAA Frozen Four final game between No. 8 Boston University and No. 3 Providence (Nov. 13), the Battle of Comm. Ave between No. 4 Boston College and No. 8 Boston University (Jan. 15), and the Women's Hockey East Championship (March 6), hosted at Merrimack College's Lawler Rink.

A complete guide of NESN and NESNplus channel listings can be found at nesn.com/nesn-channel-listings/.

2015-16 Hockey East on NESN Schedule

Date	Game	Time (ET)	Channel
Fri., Oct. 23	No. 5 Minnesota Duluth at Notre Dame	6 p.m.	NESNplus
Fri., Nov. 6	No. T19 Minnesota at Notre Dame	7:30 p.m.	NESN
Thu., Nov. 12	Northeastern at Notre Dame	7:30 p.m.	NESNplus
Fri., Nov. 13	No. 8 Boston University at No. 3 Providence	6 p.m.	NESN
Sun., Nov. 15	No. 7 UMass Lowell at Maine	5 p.m.	NESN
Fri., Nov. 20	No. 11 Michigan at No. 8 Boston University	6 p.m.	NESN
Sun., Dec. 6	UConn at No. 7 UMass Lowell	1 p.m.	NESN
Fri., Jan. 15	No. 7 Boston University at No. 4 Boston College	6 p.m.	NESNplus
Fri., Jan. 22	Vermont at UConn	8:30 p.m.	NESN
Fri., Feb. 12	Northeastern at Massachusetts	8:30 p.m.	NESN
Fri., Feb. 19	No. 8 Boston University at New Hampshire	8:30 p.m.	NESN
Fri., Feb. 26	Vermont at No. T19 Merrimack	8:30 p.m.	NESNplus
Sun., March 6	Women's Hockey East Championship	5 p.m. (Tape Delay)	NESN
Fri., March 11	Men's Hockey East Playoff Game	TBD	NESN
Fri., March 18	Hockey East Semifinal #1	5 p.m.	NESN
Fri., March 18	Hockey East Semifinal #2	8 p.m.	NESN
Sat., March 19	Hockey East Championship	7 p.m.	NESN

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