

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: DECEMBER 27, 2018**Merrimack at #7 Princeton**

- Merrimack rolls out of the holiday break with a two-game road set at #7 Princeton to cap the 2018 calendar year.
- The Warriors are 2-3-0 in their last five, but entered the semester break with their first-ever victory over #9 Boston College. Goaltender **Sam Ridgewell** (Outlook, Sask.) kicked out a career-high 51 saves in a 1-0 blanking of the Eagles on Dec. 8.
- Merrimack currently sits in fourth place in the Army ROTC Hockey East Standings with a 7-6-1 mark in league play and 11-6-2 overall. They have the fourth-best team offense (2.86) and team defense (2.07) at the halfway mark of the year.
- On December 20, three skaters on the 2018-19 Warriors roster were selected in the 2018 National Women's Hockey League (NWHL) entry draft, the first three Merrimack players to be so honored to continue their professional career. The MC selections included **Dominique Kremer** (West Fargo, N.D./Connecticut Whale), **Katelyn Rae** (Courtice, Ont./Connecticut Whale), and **Paige Voight** (St. Michael, Minn./Metropolitan Riveters).
- Merrimack's 4-0-1 record in out-of-conference play is on the line in its final two non-league games of the 2018-19 season. The Warriors are currently 2-0-1 in such games on the road.

Boston University vs. Penn State

- The Boston University Terriers own a five-game winning streak as they welcome the Penn State Nittany Lions to Walter Brown Arena to close out the 2018 calendar year.
- In the Terriers' most recent win, **Jesse Compher** (Northbrook, Ill.) pushed her personal point streak to 13 games (10g, 19a) with her eighth multi-point effort in her last nine outings. She also owns a 13-game assist streak, the longest such run in the country.
- In an 8-0 win over RIT on December 8, eight different Terriers found the back of the net. Boston University's offensive outburst included the Terriers' going six for nine in power play opportunities, tying the NCAA record for most power-play goals in a game. The Terriers were the first team to score six times on the power play in a single game since Dartmouth did so on January 30, 2009.
- Boston University stands at 5-4-4 in Hockey East play, good for fifth in the Army ROTC Hockey East Standings, and 8-4-4 overall. The Terriers' two outings against Penn State are the final non-conference games, save for the annual Beanpot games, in the 2018-19 season. Boston University is currently 3-0-0 in non-league tilts.

UConn vs. Dartmouth

- UConn caps its 2018 year with a one-game home stand against Dartmouth. The Huskies return to action for the first time since December 1, when they knocked off then-#8 Providence, 2-1, on the road. It was the first time in 2018-19 that a road team won at Providence, while also snapping a nine-game win streak for the Friars.
- In the victory, head coach **Chris MacKenzie** recorded his 100th career win behind the UConn bench.
- UConn is currently tied for sixth in the Army ROTC Hockey East Standings alongside Maine and New Hampshire. With its 4-7-1 mark in league play, and 8-9-1 record overall, the Huskies have three games in hand on the top three teams in the conference.
- The one-game stint against Dartmouth will be UConn's seventh and final non-conference game of the year. The Huskies are currently 4-2-0 outside of Hockey East, including a 2-0-0 mark at home in those contests.

UPCOMING GAMES**Sunday 12/30**

Dartmouth at UConn - 2pm
Penn State at BU - 2:30pm ^
MC at #7 Princeton - 3pm

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Monday 12/31

Penn State at BU - 1pm
MC at #7 Princeton - 3pm



**USA Today/USA Hockey Magazine
Women's College Hockey Poll - 12/11**

Rk.	School, Pts. (FPV)	Record	LW
1.	Wisconsin, 190 (19)	19-1-0	1
2.	Minnesota, 171	17-2-1	2
3.	Northeastern, 147	13-2-2	3
4.	Cornell, 128	8-1-4	4
5.	Clarkson, 118	14-4-0	5
6.	Princeton, 94	9-2-3	7
7.	Providence, 79	15-3-0	8
8.	Ohio State, 59	12-6-0	6
9.	Colgate, 35	11-5-2	10
10.	Boston College, 22	13-7-0	9

Others receiving votes: **Boston University 2.**

**USCHO.com
Women's College Hockey Poll - 12/10**

Rk.	School, Pts. (FPV)	Record	LW
1.	Wisconsin, 148 (13)	19-1-0	1
2.	Minnesota, 137 (2)	17-2-1	2
3.	Northeastern, 117	13-2-2	3
4.	Cornell, 99	8-1-4	4
5.	Clarkson, 91	14-4-0	5
6.	Princeton, 74	9-2-3	6
7.	Providence, 58	15-3-0	8
8.	Ohio State, 41	12-6-0	7
9.	Colgate, 33	11-5-2	10
10.	Boston College, 11	13-7-0	9

Others receiving votes: **Boston University 6.**

WOMEN'S HOCKEY EAST WEEKLY AWARDS

WOMEN'S HOCKEY EAST

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week	Player
Oct. 1	Mikyla Grant-Mentis, MC
Oct. 8	Tereza Vanisova, Maine
Oct. 15	Vendula Pribylova, Maine
Oct. 22	Veronika Pettey, NU
Oct. 29	Megan Keller, BC
Nov. 5	Christina Putigna, PC
Nov. 12	Chloe Aurard, NU
Nov. 19	Maureen Murphy, PC
Nov. 26	Hayley Lunny, PC
Dec. 3	Sammy Davis, BU Julie Matthias, HC
Dec. 10	Jesse Compher, BU

PRO AMBITIONS

ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

Week	Player
Oct. 1	Camryn Wong, UConn
Oct. 8	Gillian Foote, NU
Oct. 15	Sara Hjalmarsson, PC
Oct. 22	Maddy McArthur, BC
Oct. 29	Cayla Barnes, BC
Nov. 5	Alina Mueller, NU
Nov. 12	Alina Mueller, NU
Nov. 19	Maddy McArthur, BC
Nov. 26	Celine Tedenby, Maine
Dec. 3	Kate Stuart, BU
Dec. 10	Siri Karjalainen, UVM

WOMEN'S HOCKEY EAST

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week	Player
Oct. 1	Sam Ridgewell, MC
Oct. 8	Aerin Frankel, NU
Oct. 15	Brittany Bugalski, NU
Oct. 22	Sam Ridgewell, MC
Oct. 29	Aerin Frankel, NU
Nov. 5	Blanka Skodova, UVM
Nov. 12	Madison Myers, PC
Nov. 19	Corinne Schroeder, BU
Nov. 26	Samantha Carpentier-Yelle, UConn
Dec. 3	Aerin Frankel, NU
Dec. 10	Sam Ridgewell, MC

WOMEN'S HOCKEY EAST MONTHLY AWARDS

WOMEN'S HOCKEY EAST

PLAYER OF THE MONTH

Month	Player
Sept./Oct.	Aerin Frankel, NU
Nov.	Maureen Murphy, PC

PRO AMBITIONS

ROOKIE OF THE MONTH

Month	Player
Sept./Oct.	Alina Mueller, NU
Nov.	Chloe Aurard, NU

WOMEN'S HOCKEY EAST

GOALTENDER OF THE MONTH

Month	Player
Sept./Oct.	Sam Ridgewell, MC
Nov.	Madison Myers, PC

2018-19 ARMY ROTC HOCKEY EAST STANDINGS

Rk.	Team	GP	W	L	T	Pts	Overall	Conf. Off.	Conf. Def.
1.	Northeastern	15	12	1	2	26	13-2-2	3.53 (1)	1.53 (2)
2.	Boston College	15	10	5	0	20	13-7-0	3.20 (2)	1.73 (3)
3.	Providence	11	9	2	0	18	15-3-0	3.00 (3)	1.18 (1)
4.	Merrimack	14	7	6	1	15	11-6-2	2.86 (4)	2.07 (4)
5.	Boston University	13	5	4	4	14	8-4-4	2.38 (5)	2.23 (5)
6.	UConn	12	4	7	1	9	8-9-1	2.00 (8)	2.75 (T8)
	Maine	12	4	7	1	9	11-7-1	2.25 (6)	2.75 (T8)
	New Hampshire	14	4	8	1	9	6-9-4	2.15 (7)	2.62 (7)
9.	Vermont	12	3	7	2	8	5-10-4	1.33 (9)	2.33 (6)
10.	Holy Cross	13	1	12	0	2	1-16-2	1.00 (10)	5.00 (10)



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