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WEEKEND PREVIEW #16

SKATING STRIDES TO RAISE BREAST CANCER AWARENESS ON CAMPUSES THIS WEEKEND ~ NU and PC square off at Bog Ice Arena Sunday; UConn travels to Maine for series ~

No. 7 Boston College at Providence (Fri. at Schneider Arena)

- The two teams meet for the first time this season, the Friars won the season series last year, 2-0-1.
- Kelli Stack, who has 38 points (23g,15a) is the top goals scorer in Hockey East and nationally is ranked second in goals per game (1.10) and ninth in points per game (1.81).

Connecticut at Maine - Two-Game (Fri., Sat. at Alford Arena)

- The Huskies won the first meeting of the season series on Nov. 6 (3-1) at Freitas Ice Forum.
- Alexandra Garcia earned her second WHEA weekly award of the season on Monday, as she was tabbed Defensive Player of the Week. She led the Huskies to back-to-back shutouts against Vermont, posting 35 saves on Friday and 21 on Saturday, notching her fourth shutout of the year and the 10th of her career.

No. 3 Boston University at Vermont (Sat. at Gutterson Fieldhouse)

- The teams tied the first two meetings of the season series back on Nov. 12 (1-1) and 13 (2-2) at Walter Brown Arena.
- Head coach Brian Durocher, the only head coach in program history and the women's ice hockey team are one victory away from 100. BU is 99-68-32 all-time.

New Hampshire at No. 9 Northeastern (Sat. at Matthews Arena)

- UNH has a 76-30-8 lifetime record against Northeastern, but the Huskies prevailed 4-0 (Dec. 1) and 4-2 (Jan. 9) at the Whittemore Center earlier this season. The Wildcats had carried a 27-game unbeaten streak (26-0-1) vs. NU into that December matchup.
- Senior Julia Marty will skate in her 100th career game Saturday, becoming the fifth Husky to have played in over 100 career contests. Marty, who transferred to Northeastern after spending her freshman year with New Hampshire, will play in her 68th game with the Huskies.

Providence vs. No. 9 Northeastern (Sun. at the Bog Ice Arena, Kingston, Mass.)

- The two team split the previous two meetings in the season series this year with Northeastern coming out victorious in the last meeting on Nov. 21 by a 5-1 score at Matthews Arena.
- The Huskies have allowed a league-low 10 goals in the first period this season and Providence ranks second with only 11 goals in the opening period.

Hockey East Notes

- This season marks the fifth season of Hockey East Skating Strides program. Over the first four years, Hockey East has raised \$114,000 in the fight against breast cancer. All proceeds from the eight games women's games and the 10 men's games in the next two weekends will be donated to the Friends of Mel Foundation and dispersed to local breast cancer charities around New England.

2010-2011 WHEA STANDINGS

| Rk. | Team | GP | W | L | T | Pts | Overall | Conf. Off. | Conf. Def. |
|-----|-------------------|----|---|---|---|-----|---------|------------|------------|
| 1. | Boston University | 12 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 19 | 18-2-3 | 3.17 (38) | 1.58 (19) |
| 2. | Boston College | 12 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 18 | 14-4-4 | 3.00 (36) | 1.42 (17) |
| 3. | Connecticut | 11 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 13 | 10-13-1 | 1.36 (15) | 1.64 (18) |
| | Northeastern | 12 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 13 | 13-6-4 | 2.17 (26) | 1.92 (23) |
| | Providence | 12 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 13 | 15-8-1 | 2.50 (30) | 2.17 (26) |
| 6. | Maine | 12 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 8 | 9-11-4 | 1.92 (23) | 2.75 (33) |
| 7. | New Hampshire | 12 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 6 | 10-12-0 | 1.25 (15) | 2.58 (31) |
| | Vermont | 13 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 4-12-9 | 1.08 (14) | 2.31 (30) |

RECENT RESULTS

Friday, January 14

No. 9 Providence 2 at New Hampshire 0 *
 at Connecticut 2, Vermont 0 *

Saturday, January 15

New Hampshire 2 at No. 9 Providence 1 *
 at No. 10 Northeastern 3, Maine 2 *
 No. 3 Boston U. 4 at No. 6 Boston College 0 *
 at Connecticut 1, Vermont 0 *

Sunday, January 16

at No. 3 Boston U. 5, Maine 2 *
 No. 6 BC 4 at No. 10 Northeastern 1 *

Tuesday, January 18

Dartmouth 5 at Vermont 1
 New Hampshire at Quinnipiac (PPD, 2/8)

UPCOMING GAMES

Friday, January 21

No. 7 Boston College at Providence * (7pm, SS)
 Connecticut at Maine * (5pm)

Saturday, January 22

Connecticut at Maine * (12pm, SS)
 No. 3 Boston U. at Vermont * (2pm, SS)
 UNH at No. 9 Northeastern * (2pm, SS)

Sunday, January 23

Providence vs. No. 9 Northeastern *
 (4pm, at the Bog, Kingston, Mass.)

All game times are EST

* denotes league games

(SS) denotes Skating Strides Game

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2010-11 WHEA SEASON SUPERLATIVES

SHUTOUTS

| Date | Goalie | Team | Opp. | Svs | Result |
|-------|--------------------|-------|-------------------|-----|---------|
| 9/24 | Brittany Ott | Maine | vs. Sacred Heart | 19 | W, 7-0 |
| 9/25 | Currier/Smith | Maine | vs. Sacred Heart | 12 | W, 11-0 |
| 10/8 | Molly Schaus | BC | at Colgate | 29 | W, 4-0 |
| 10/10 | Genevieve Lacasse | PC | vs. Clarkson | 35 | W, 5-0 |
| 10/15 | Molly Schaus | BC | at Vermont | 22 | W, 3-0 |
| 10/23 | Genevieve Lacasse | PC | vs. Princeton | 35 | W, 4-0 |
| 10/29 | Lindsey Minton | UNH | vs. Niagara | 25 | W, 1-0 |
| 10/30 | Lindsey Minton | UNH | vs. Niagara | 24 | W, 2-0 |
| 10/31 | Molly Schaus | BC | vs. UConn | 23 | W, 3-0 |
| 11/6 | Lindsey Minton | UNH | vs. Vermont | 21 | W, 2-0 |
| 11/6 | Florence Schelling | NU | vs. Yale | 34 | W, 4-0 |
| 11/11 | Florence Schelling | NU | at Maine | 19 | T, 0-0 |
| 11/11 | Brittany Ott | Maine | vs. Northeastern | 36 | T, 0-0 |
| 11/13 | Alexandra Garcia | UConn | at UNH | 32 | W, 1-0 |
| 11/20 | Alexandra Garcia | UConn | at Vermont | 27 | W, 2-0 |
| 11/21 | Kerrin Sperry | BU | at Boston College | 22 | W, 1-0 |
| 11/27 | Nicole Paniccia | UConn | vs. Sacred Heart | 21 | W, 11-0 |
| 12/1 | Florence Schelling | NU | at UNH | 22 | W, 4-0 |
| 12/4 | Kerrin Sperry | BU | at UConn | 12 | W, 4-0 |
| 12/7 | Kerrin Sperry | BU | vs. Northeastern | 23 | W, 3-0 |
| 12/8 | Nicole Paniccia | UConn | at Union | 18 | W, 1-0 |
| 12/11 | Lindsey Minton | UNH | vs. Dartmouth | 28 | W, 1-0 |
| 1/14 | Genevieve Lacasse | PC | at UNH | 31 | W, 2-0 |
| 1/14 | Alexandra Garcia | UConn | vs. Vermont | 35 | W, 2-0 |
| 1/15 | Alexandra Garcia | UConn | vs. Vermont | 21 | W, 1-0 |
| 1/15 | Kerrin Sperry | BU | at BC | 22 | W, 4-0 |

40+ SAVES

| Date | Goalie | Team | Opp. | Svs | Result |
|-------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|-----|--------|
| 10/9 | Brittany Ott | Maine | vs. Mercyhurst | 69 | L, 2-5 |
| 10/9 | Genevieve Lacasse | PC | vs. St. Lawrence | 40 | W, 6-1 |
| 10/9 | Kelci Lanthier | UVM | at Rensselaer | 40 | T, 1-1 |
| 10/10 | Brittany Ott | Maine | vs. Mercyhurst | 45 | L, 1-6 |
| 10/23 | Alexandra Garcia | PC | at Minnesota-Duluth | 41 | L, 0-8 |
| 10/29 | Genevieve Lacasse | PC | vs. Boston U. | 40 | T, 2-2 |
| 11/6 | Genevieve Lacasse | PC | at Boston U. | 41 | L, 1-4 |
| 11/21 | Genevieve Lacasse | PC | at Northeastern | 40 | W, 5-1 |
| 11/27 | Roxanne Douville | UVM | at Clarkson | 42 | T, 1-1 |

INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

| | | |
|-----------------|----|---|
| Goals: | 4 | Marie-Philip Poulin, BU (10/15 vs. Wayne State) |
| Points: | 5 | Katie MacSorley, NU (11/21 vs. PC; 3g,2a) Jocelyn Slattery, UConn (11/27 vs. Sacred Heart; 5a) |
| Assists: | 5 | Jocelyn Slattery, UConn (11/27 vs. Sacred Heart) |
| Point Streak: | 11 | Jenn Wakefield, BU (10/2 to 11/26; 11g,10a) |
| In League Play: | 4 | Holly Lorms, BU (11/6 to 11/13; 3g,1a) |
| Saves: | 69 | Brittany Ott, Maine (10/9 vs. Mercyhurst) |

TEAM HIGHS

| | | |
|-------------------|----|---|
| Goals: | 11 | Maine (9/25 vs. Sacred Heart) UConn (11/27 vs. Sacred Heart) |
| In league play: | 6 | Boston College (11/20 at Boston University) |
| Shots on Goal: | 59 | Maine (9/25 vs. Sacred Heart) |
| Consecutive Wins: | 10 | Boston University (11/21/10 to present) |
| In league play: | 6 | Boston University (11/21/10 to present) |
| Unbeaten Streak: | 11 | Boston University (10/3 to 11/13; 8-0-3) |
| In league play: | 7 | Boston College (10/15 to 11/20; 5-0-2) |

LEAGUE SCORING RACE (CONFERENCE GAMES ONLY)

| Rk. | Player, Team | Pts. |
|-----|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. | Kelli Stack, BC | 21 pts. (14g,7a) |
| 2. | Jenn Wakefield, BU | 17 pts. (10g,7a) |
| 3. | Mary Restuccia, BC | 15 pts. (3g,12a) |
| 4. | Marie-Philip Poulin, BU | 13 pts. (6g,7a) |
| 5. | Jillian Kirchner, BU Corinne Buie, PC | 11 pts. (4g,7a) 11 pts. (4g,7a) |

LEAGUE SAVE% LEADERS (CONFERENCE GAMES ONLY)

| Rk. | Player, Team | Save% |
|-----|-------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Kerrin Sperry, BU | .951 |
| 2. | Alexandra Garcia, UConn | .948 |
| 3. | Molly Schaus, BC | .944 |
| 4. | Genevieve Lacasse, PC | .937 |
| 5. | Florence Schelling, NU | .931 |

HAT TRICKS

| Date | Player | Team | Opponent | Result |
|-------|-------------------------|-------|------------------|---------|
| 10/1 | Jean O'Neill | PC | at Robert Morris | L, 4-5 |
| 10/9 | Kate Bacon | PC | vs. St. Lawrence | W, 6-1 |
| 10/9 | Kelli Stack | BC | at Syracuse | W, 5-2 |
| 10/15 | Marie-Philip Poulin (4) | BU | vs. Wayne State | W, 7-2 |
| 11/20 | Kelli Stack | BC | at Boston U. | W, 6-3 |
| 11/21 | Katie MacSorley | NU | vs. Providence | W, 5-1 |
| 11/27 | Taylor Gross | UConn | vs. Sacred Heart | W, 11-0 |
| 12/5 | Kelli Stack | BC | vs. Harvard | W, 6-2 |

OVERTIME GOALS

| Date | Player | Team | Opponent | Result |
|-------|-------------------|------|-------------|--------|
| 10/2 | Brittany Esposito | NU | at Union | W, 3-2 |
| 10/16 | Alyse Ruff | PC | at Colgate | W, 2-1 |
| 10/29 | Courtney Birchard | UNH | vs. Niagara | W, 1-0 |
| 12/4 | Erin Wente | UVM | vs. Maine | W, 4-3 |

THE LAST TIME

A player had four goals:

Marie-Philip Poulin, BU, 10/15 vs. Wayne State

A rookie had a hat trick:

Taylor Gross, UConn (11/27 vs. Sacred Heart)
In league play: Katie MacSorley, NU (11/21 vs. Providence)

A defenseman had a hat trick:

Julia Marty, NU, 11/9/08 vs. Maine

A goaltender recorded 50 saves:

Brittany Ott, Maine (10/9 vs. Mercyhurst)
In league play: Florence Schelling, NU, 2/6/09 at Providence (53)

A team won five games in a row:

Boston University, 10 games, 11/21/10 to present
In league play: UConn, 1/8/10 to 2/6/10, 9 games

A team won 10 games in a row:

Boston University, 10 games, 11/21/10 to present
In league play: Boston University, 6 games (11/21/10 to present)

A team was unbeaten in 10 straight games:

Boston University, 10 games, 11/21/10 to present; 10-0-0
Boston College, 10 games, 10/8/10 to 11/12/10; 7-0-3
In league play: UNH 19 games (18-0-1), 1/20/09 to 11/29/09

A team recorded 50 shots-on-goal:

Boston University, 10/23/10 vs. Clarkson (51)
In league play: Providence, 2/6/09 vs. Northeastern (56)

* - defenseman ! - rookie * neutral site game

THE ROAD TO 100 CAREER POINTS IN 2010-11

| Player | Points |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Jillian Kirchner, BU | 94 |
| Alyse Ruff, PC | 87 |
| Danielle Ward, Maine | 87 |
| Kristi Kehoe, NU | 82 |
| Jennifer Chaisson, UConn | 78 |
| Courtney Birchard, UNH | 76 |
| Jenelle Kohanchuk, BU | 75 |
| Jennie Gallo, Maine | 72 |
| Mary Restuccia, BC | 72 |
| Lauren Cherevyk, BU | 70 |