

WOMEN'S WEEKEND PREVIEW

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WEEKEND PREVIEW #3

NO. 6 BOSTON COLLEGE AND UNH OPEN LEAGUE SCHEDULE WITH TWO-GAME SET \sim UVM heads to No. 7 UND; UConn entertains No. 5 UMD; PC hosts No. 9 Mercyhurst \sim

No. 6 Boston College vs. New Hampshire - Two-Game Series (Fri. at UNH, Sat. at BC)

- UNH has a 44-5-4 all-time record, including 2-0-1 BC season series win in 2010-2011. The Wildcats have a 5-3-2 edge in the last 10 meetings. The home team has not been victorious each of the past six games; UNH is 2-0-1 at Conte Forum and BC is 3-0-0 at the Whitt during that span.
- Wildcats' junior forward Kristine Horn (Utica, Mich.) enters the weekend with a four-game goal-scoring streak, while sophomore forward Nicole Gifford (Peterborough, Ont.) carries a four-game assist streak into the BC series.
- Alex Carpenter (Reading, Mass.) ranks fourth among Division I rookies averaging 1.50 points per game so far this season.

Union (Fri.), Quinnipiac (Sat.) at No. 8 Northeastern (at Matthews Arena)

- Florence Schelling's (Oberengstringen, Switzerland) ranks fourth in the nation in both GAA (1.00) and save percentage (.957).
- Northeastern is 3-0 all-time against Union, and has outscored the Dutchwomen over those games, 13-3. The Huskies are 8-5-2 in the program's history against Quinnipiac. NU went 10-3-3 last year in non-league play.

No. 5 Minnesota-Duluth at Connecticut -Two-Game Series (Fri., Sat. at Freitas Ice Forum)

- UConn will play their next four games at Freitas Ice Forum and host Maine in league play next weekend.
- Alexandra Garcia (Pointe-Claire, Que.) and Nicole Paniccia (Oakville, Ont.) each have started two games in net for the Huskies so far this season. Paniccia has the better statistics to date with a 2.02 GAA and .920 save%.

Bemidji State at Maine -Two-Game Series (Fri., Sat. at Alfond Arena)

- Freshman forward Jennifer More (Deloraine, Man.) leads all league rookies with five points in four games this season for the Black Bears.
 - Maine ranks fourth in the nation in scoring offense with 5.75 goals per contest.
 - The Black Bears are one of three teams in the country to start the season with a 4-0-0 record.

No. 9 Mercyhurst at Providence College -Two-Game Series (Sat., Sun at Schneider Arena)

- Corinne Buie (Edina, Minn.) notched two points (1g,1a) and a game-high five shots on goal in the 3-3 tie with St. Lawrence on Sunday.
- Genevieve Lacasse's 98 saves (Scarborough, Ont.) are most of any Hockey East goalie. Her .942 save percentage is the second best in the conference.
 - The Friars were 10-4-0 last season in non-conference games.

Vermont at No. 7 North Dakota - Two-Game Series (Sat., Sun. at Ralph Engelstad Arena)

- The Catamounts have allowed only one goal in the opening period this year in three contests.
- 13 of 18 skaters that have appeared in games this year for UVM, have already scored at least one point.

Union at No. 4 Boston University (Sat. at Walter Brown Arena)

- Senior forward Jenn Wakefield (Pickering, Ont.) leads the league with nine points (5g,4a) in four games this season. She needs only four goals to reach the 100th of her career.
 - The Terriers penalty kill ranks second in the nation at 96.2% (25 of 26).

RECENT RESULTS Friday, October 7

at Northeastern 5, Syracuse 2 at No. 4 Boston University 3, Niagara 1 at New Hampshire 3, Colgate 0 Maine 4 at No. 9 Quinnipiac 3 Rensselaer 2 at Vermont 2 OT

Saturday, October 8

at No. 4 Boston University 5, Niagara 2 at Northeastern 5, Colgate 0 Maine 5 at No. 9 Quinnipiac 4 OT Rensselaer 4 at Vermont 0 at No. 7 UMD 7, No. 5 Boston College 2 Syracuse 2 at New Hampshire 1 at St. Lawrence 4, Connecticut 1 at Clarkson 3, Providence 0

Sunday, October 9

No. 5 Boston College 3 at No. 7 UMD 2 Connecticut 3 at Clarkson 3 OT Providence 3 at St. Lawrence 3 OT

UPCOMING GAMES Friday, October 14

Union at No. 8 Northeastern (3pm)
No. 6 Boston College at New Hampshire * (7pm)
No. 5 Minnesota-Duluth at Connecticut (7pm)
Bemidji State at Maine (7pm)

Saturday, October 15

No. 9 Mercyhurst at Providence (1pm)
New Hampshire at No. 6 Boston College * (2pm)
Quinnipiac at No. 8 Northeastern (2pm)
Vermont at No. 7 North Dakota (3pm)
Union at No. 4 Boston University (4pm)
No. 5 Minnesota-Duluth at Connecticut (4pm)
Bemidii State at Maine (5pm)

Sunday, October 16

No. 9 Mercyhurst at Providence (1pm) Vermont at No. 7 North Dakota (3pm)

All game times are EST

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<u>Rk.</u>	Team	GP	W	L		<u>Pts</u>	Overall	Conf. Off.	Conf. Def.
1.	Boston College	0	0	0	0	0	1-1-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	Boston Universit	ty 0	0	0	0	0	3-1-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	Connecticut	0	0	0	0	0	0-2-2	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	Maine	0	0	0	0	0	4-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	New Hampshire	0	0	0	0	0	3-1-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	Northeastern	0	0	0	0	0	2-0-0	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	Providence	0	0	0	0	0	0-2-2	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	Vermont	0	0	0	0	0	0-1-2	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)