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## **LEAGUE ANNOUNCES WOMEN'S COMPOSITE SCHEDULE FOR 2013-14 SEASON** **~ Women's Championship returns to Hyannis Youth and Community Center for third season ~**

**Wakefield, Mass.** - Hockey East announced the league's 2013-14 women's composite schedule for its 12th season of play on Tuesday.

New Hampshire is the first team to officially open the Hockey East schedule with a two-game series at St. Lawrence beginning on Friday, Sept. 27. Connecticut, under the direction of first-year head coach Chris MacKenzie, will host Union on Saturday, Sept. 28 to kickoff its season at Freitas Ice Forum.

Northeastern hosts Syracuse in its season opener on Friday, Oct. 4 at Matthews Arena, while Providence travels to Union that same night its in opener. Vermont entertains Penn State for a series in Burlington beginning on Friday at Gutterson Fieldhouse.

Maine travels to Boston College on Sunday, Oct. 6th in the opener of conference play at Conte Forum. Defending regular-season and tournament champion Boston University will be that last team to open its season, as they travel to ECAC foe Rensselaer on Friday, October 11.

All eight teams will qualify for the 2013 Women's Hockey East Tournament for the second straight season. The top four seeds will host a one-game quarterfinal playoff game the first weekend of March. The winners of the quarterfinal matchups advance and are reseeded for semifinal play.

Hockey East will host the 2014 Women's Hockey East Championship Tournament at the Hyannis Youth and Community Center (HYCC) on Saturday, March 8th and Sunday, March 9th in the Lt. Joseph P. Kennedy Jr. Memorial Skating Rink. The semifinals will be held on Saturday, March 9th with the winners of each semifinal advancing to the 12th annual Women's Hockey East Championship Game on Sunday, March 10th.

The Women's Hockey East Association is an eight-team, Division-I college hockey conference which began play in 2002-2003, with offices based in Wakefield, Mass. The league also sponsors an 11-team men's league which began play in 1984.

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## 2013-14 Hockey East Women's Composite Schedule (Updated 9/17/13)

All Times EST, \* denotes league games

### Friday, September 27

New Hampshire at St. Lawrence (7pm)  
Western Ontario at Boston U. (Exh, 7pm)

### Saturday, September 28

New Hampshire at St. Lawrence (2pm)  
Union at Connecticut (2pm)  
Boston Blades at Maine (Exh, 6pm)  
McGill at Providence (Exh, 7pm)  
Nepean at Vermont (Exh, 4pm)  
Western Ontario at Boston College (Exh, 3pm)  
(at Walter Brown Arena)

### Sunday, September 29

Boston Blades at Maine (Exh, 2pm)  
McGill at Northeastern (Exh, 2pm)

### Friday, October 4

RIT at New Hampshire (7pm)  
Syracuse at Northeastern (7pm)  
Penn State at Vermont (7pm)  
Connecticut at Minnesota-Duluth (6pm)  
Providence at Union (7pm)

### Saturday, October 5

RIT at Northeastern (3pm)  
Penn State at Vermont (2:30pm)  
Connecticut at Minnesota-Duluth (6pm)  
Syracuse at New Hampshire (2pm)  
Providence at Union (4pm)

### Sunday, October 6

Maine at Boston College \* (5pm)

### Friday, October 11

St. Lawrence at Boston College (7pm)  
Colgate at Connecticut (7pm)  
Boston University at Rensselaer (7pm)  
Northeastern at Union (3:30pm)  
Vermont at RIT (7pm)

### Saturday, October 12

St. Lawrence at Boston College (2pm)  
Colgate at Connecticut (2pm)  
Mercyhurst at Providence (2pm)  
Boston University at Union (3:30pm)  
Northeastern at Rensselaer (4pm)  
Vermont at RIT (3pm)

### Sunday, October 13

Maine at New Hampshire \* (2pm)  
Mercyhurst at Providence (1pm)

### Wednesday, October 16

New Hampshire at Boston College \* (7pm)

### Friday, October 18

Quinnipiac at Maine (7pm)  
Syracuse at Providence (7pm)  
Boston University at Robert Morris (7pm)

### Saturday, October 19

Yale at Boston College (2pm)  
Quinnipiac at Maine (2pm)  
Syracuse at Providence (3pm)  
Boston University at Robert Morris (2pm)  
Northeastern at Cornell (2pm)  
Vermont at Rensselaer (3pm)

### Sunday, October 20

Dartmouth at Boston College (2pm)  
Northeastern at Cornell (2pm)

### Friday, October 25

Providence at Northeastern \* (7pm)  
Rensselaer at Connecticut (2pm)  
Boston College at Syracuse (7pm)  
Maine at Mercyhurst (7pm)  
Vermont at Robert Morris (7pm)

### Saturday, October 26

Northeastern at Providence \* (3pm)  
Yale at Boston University (3pm)  
Rensselaer at Connecticut (2pm)  
Maine at Mercyhurst (2pm)  
New Hampshire at Penn State (7pm)  
Vermont at Robert Morris (2pm)

### Sunday, October 27

New Hampshire at Penn State (2pm)

### Tuesday, October 29

Boston University at Northeastern \* (7pm)

### Friday, November 1

Vermont at Connecticut \* (2pm)  
Northeastern at Maine \* (7pm)  
Boston University at New Hampshire \* (7pm)  
Boston College at Providence \* (7pm)

### Saturday, November 2

Vermont at Boston University \* (4pm)

### Sunday, November 3

Providence at Boston College \* (2pm)  
Connecticut at Maine \* (2pm)  
New Hampshire at Northeastern \* (2pm)

### Wednesday, November 6

Connecticut at Boston University \* (7pm)

### Thursday, November 7

Providence at New Hampshire \* (7pm)

### Friday, November 8

Boston College at Vermont \* (7pm)

### Saturday, November 9

Maine at Boston University \* (4pm)

### Sunday, November 10

Maine at Boston University \* (3pm)  
Providence at Connecticut \* (2pm)  
Boston College at Northeastern \* (7pm)  
New Hampshire at Vermont \* (2pm)

### Friday, November 15

Boston College at Quinnipiac (3pm)  
Boston U. vs. St. Cloud State (at Vail, 6pm)  
New Hampshire at Princeton (3pm)  
Northeastern vs. Wisconsin (at Vail, 9pm)  
Providence at Clarkson (3pm)

### Saturday, November 16

Vermont at Maine \* (4pm)  
Boston College at Princeton (3pm)  
Boston U. vs. Wisconsin (at Vail, 4:30pm)  
New Hampshire at Quinnipiac (2pm)  
Northeastern vs. St. Cloud State (at Vail, 7:30pm)  
Providence at Clarkson (3pm)

### Sunday, November 17

Vermont at Maine \* (2pm)

### Tuesday, November 19

Connecticut at Brown (7pm)

### Friday, November 22

Northeastern at Vermont \* (7pm)  
Boston University at Harvard (7pm)

### Saturday, November 23

Connecticut at Boston College \* (2pm)  
Maine at Providence \* (2pm)  
Northeastern at Vermont \* (4pm)

### Sunday, November 24

Boston College at Connecticut \* (2pm)  
Boston University at New Hampshire \* (2pm)  
Maine at Providence \* (2pm)

### Tuesday, November 26

Vermont at Brown (7pm)

### Friday, November 29

Boston College at Cornell (7pm)  
Maine at Robert Morris (2pm)  
Northeastern at Dartmouth (7pm)  
Nutmeg Classic  
Connecticut vs. Yale (1pm)

### Saturday, November 30

Ohio State at New Hampshire (2pm)  
Brown at Providence (4pm, Mayor's Cup)  
Boston College at Cornell (4pm)  
Maine at Penn State (2pm)  
Vermont at Colgate (7pm)  
Nutmeg Classic  
Connecticut avs. RIT/Quinnipiac (1/4pm)

### Sunday, December 1

Ohio State at New Hampshire (2pm)  
Vermont at Colgate (2pm)

### Tuesday, December 3

Boston University at Northeastern \* (7pm)

### Friday, December 6

Brown at Maine (6pm)  
Minnesota-Duluth at Boston University (5pm)  
Yale at Providence (7pm)  
New Hampshire at Harvard (7pm)

### Saturday, December 7

Minnesota-Duluth at Boston University (3pm)  
Brown at Maine (1pm)  
Boston College at Harvard (4pm)

### Sunday, December 8

Dartmouth at New Hampshire (2pm)

**Wednesday, December 11**

Vermont at Dartmouth (7pm)

**Friday, December 13**

Maine at Union (7pm)

**Saturday, December 14**

Maine at Union (2pm)

**Tuesday, December 31**

Providence at Dartmouth (2pm)

**Thursday, January 2**

Connecticut at Princeton (7pm)

Northeastern at Harvard (4pm)

**Friday, January 3**

Connecticut at Princeton (4pm)

**Saturday, January 4**

Dartmouth at Boston University (3pm)

Rensselaer at Providence (7pm)

Syracuse at Vermont (2pm)

**Sunday, January 5**

Rensselaer at Providence (4pm)

Syracuse at Vermont (2pm)

**Tuesday, January 7**

Harvard at Connecticut (7pm)

**Wednesday, January 8**

Boston College at Boston University \* (7pm)

**Friday, January 10**

Providence at New Hampshire \* (7pm)

Connecticut at Vermont \* (7pm)

**Saturday, January 11**

Northeastern at Boston College \* (2pm)

Boston University at Maine \* (3pm)

New Hampshire at Providence \* (7pm)

Connecticut at Vermont \* (4pm)

**Sunday, January 12**

Boston College at Northeastern \* (2pm)

**Wednesday, January 15**

Northeastern at Connecticut \* (7pm)

**Friday, January 17**

Vermont at Boston College \* (2pm)

Boston University at Providence \* (7pm)

**Saturday, January 18**

Vermont at Boston College \* (2pm)

New Hampshire at Connecticut \* (3pm)

**Sunday, January 19**

Northeastern at Boston University \* (3pm)

Providence at Maine \* (2pm)

Connecticut at New Hampshire \* (2pm)

**Friday, January 24**

Maine at Northeastern \* (7pm)

Boston University at Vermont \* (7pm)

**Saturday, January 25**

New Hampshire at Boston College \* (2pm)

Providence at Connecticut \* (2pm)

Maine at Northeastern \* (3pm)

Boston University at Vermont \* (4pm)

**Sunday, January 26**

Boston College at New Hampshire \* (2pm)

Connecticut at Providence \* (2pm)

**Friday, January 31**

Boston University at Connecticut \* (7pm)

**Saturday, February 1**

Providence at Boston College \* (2pm)

Connecticut at Boston University \* (3pm)

New Hampshire at Maine \* (3pm)

Vermont at Northeastern (2pm)

**Sunday, February 2**

New Hampshire at Maine \* (3pm)

Vermont at Providence \* (2pm)

**Tuesday, February 4**

Beanpot Tournament (at Boston College)

Northeastern vs. Harvard (5pm)

Boston College vs. Boston University (8pm)

**Saturday, February 8**

New Hampshire at Boston University \* (3pm)

Boston College at Connecticut \* (2pm)

Northeastern at Providence \* (2pm)

Maine at Vermont \* (4pm)

**Sunday, February 9**

Connecticut at New Hampshire (1pm)

**Tuesday, February 11**

Beanpot Tournament (at Boston College)

Consolation Game (5pm)

Championship Game (8pm)

**Saturday, February 15**

Providence at Boston University \* (3pm)

(Agganis Arena)

Connecticut at Northeastern \* (2pm)

Boston College at Maine \* (1pm)

Vermont at New Hampshire \* (2pm)

**Sunday, February 16**

Boston University at Providence \* (2pm)

Boston College at Maine \* (2pm)

Vermont at New Hampshire \* (2pm)

Connecticut at Northeastern \* (2pm)

**Friday, February 21**

Providence at Vermont \* (7pm)

Maine at Connecticut \* (2pm)

**Saturday, February 22**

Boston University at Boston College \* (2pm)

Maine at Connecticut \* (2pm)

New Hampshire at Northeastern \* (2pm)

Providence at Vermont \* (4pm)

**Sunday, February 23**

Boston College at Boston University \* (3pm)

Northeastern at New Hampshire \* (2pm)

**Friday, February 28/Saturday, March 1**

Hockey East quarterfinals (at campus sites)

**Saturday, March 8**

Hockey East Semifinals (Times TBA)

(at Hyannis Youth and Community Center)

**Sunday, March 9**

Hockey East Championship Game (TBA)

(at Hyannis Youth and Community Center)

**Saturday, March 15**

NCAA Quarterfinal Round (at campus sites)

**Friday, March 21**

NCAA Frozen Four Semifinals

(at TD Bank Sports Center, Hamden, Conn.)

**Sunday, March 23**

NCAA Championship Game

(at TD Bank Sports Center, Hamden, Conn.)