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Women's Hockey East Composite Schedule Released League Welcomes Merrimack as Ninth Member in 2015-16

WAKEFIELD, Mass. - The Hockey East Association unveiled the 2015-16 women's composite schedule today at the league's annual media day at TD Garden. Each of the nine member institutions will play 24 league contests as well as several featured non-conference tilts and tournaments. A full schedule can be found on the following pages.

Hockey East teams begin play Friday (Sept. 25) when Boston College and newcomer Merrimack College skate in the first exhibition contests of the year. The Warriors host the Whitby Wolves at 7 p.m. while the Eagles welcome Guelph to Conte Forum. The Northeastern Huskies skate in the first regular-season game of 2015-16 the following day (Sept. 26) as they travel to St. Lawrence for a two-game series.

League play opens October 2 with a pair of league contests between UConn and Boston University and Maine and New Hampshire. Merrimack plays its first regular-season home game as a member of Hockey East that night as Erin Hamlen's team faces off against St. Cloud State at Lawler Rink. The Warriors first conference tilt comes October 17 when they host New Hampshire on home ice to officially begin their quest for the Bertagna Trophy.

The Hockey East season will culminate at with the 14th annual Women's Hockey East Tournament March 5-6. The semifinals and championship game will be hosted by Merrimack after their inaugural season. Tickets for the conference championship will go on sale in December.

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2015-16 WOMEN'S COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

*League game

Fri., September 25

Whitby Wolves at Merrimack (ex) - 7pm Guelph at Boston College (ex) - 7pm

Sat., September 26

Northeastern at SLU – 2pm Guelph at Boston Univ. (ex) – 3pm Whitby Wolves at UConn (ex) – 2pm Oakville at New Hampshire (ex) – 1pm

Sun., September 27

Northeastern at SLU – 12pm Whitby Wolves at Providence – 1pm McGill at Vermont (ex) – 2pm

Fri., October 2

UMD at Boston College – 7pm UConn at Boston Univ.* – 7pm Maine at New Hampshire* – 7pm SCSU at Merrimack – 6pm Bemidji State at Vermont – 4:30pm Providence v. Wisconsin in San Jose – 10pm

Sat., October 3

UMD at Boston College – 3pm Union at UConn – 7pm SCSU at Merrimack – 2pm Bemidji State at Vermont – 4pm Providence v. WI in San Jose – 6pm Toronto Leaside at Northeastern (ex) – 2pm

Sun., October 4

Boston Univ. at Maine* – 1pm

Fri., October 9

PSU at Boston Univ. – 7pm Quinnipiac at Maine – 7pm Clarkson at Vermont – 7pm Merrimack at RMU – 7:05pm Lindenwood at New Hampshire – 5pm Syracuse at Northeastern – 2pm

Sat., October 10

PSU at Boston Univ. – 3pm Quinnipiac at Maine – 2pm Vermont at Clarkson – 3pm Merrimack at RMU – 3:05pm Syracuse at New Hampshire – 2pm Lindenwood at Northeastern – 2pm

Sun., October 11

SLU at Boston College – 1pm

Mon., October 12

SLU at Boston College - 1pm

Thu., October 15

SLU at Vermont - 7pm

Fri., October 16

Clarkson at Boston Univ. – 7pm Vermont at SLU – 7pm Mercyhurst at Northeastern – 2pm

Sat., October 17

New Hampshire at Merrimack* – 3pm Maine at Boston College* – 2pm Clarkson at Boston Univ. – 3pm Mercyhurst at Northeastern – 1pm Syracuse at UConn – 2pm Colgate at Providence – 2pm

Sun., October 18

Maine at Merrimack* – 2pm New Hampshire at Boston College* – 2pm Syracuse at Providence – 2pm Colgate at UConn – 2pm

Fri., October 23

Boston College at Cornell – 3pm Brown at Maine in Auburn, ME – 7pm Colgate at Merrimack – 2pm New Hampshire at Clarkson – 3pm

Sat., October 24

Boston College at Cornell – 3pm Vermont at Providence* – 1pm Boston Univ. at Northeastern* – 2pm UConn at PSU – 7pm Brown at Maine – 7pm Colgate at Merrimack – 2pm New Hampshire at Clarkson – 3pm

Sun., October 25

Vermont at Boston Univ.* – 3pm Providence at Northeastern* – 2pm UConn at Penn State – 2pm

Fri., October 30

Northeastern at Merrimack* – 2:00pm New Hampshire at Vermont* – 7pm Providence at Maine* - 7pm UConn at Boston College* – 2pm

Sat., October 31

Boston College at UConn – 2pm

Sun., November 1

Maine at Vermont* – 2pm Boston Univ. at New Hampshire* – 2pm

Tue., November 3

Yale at Boston Univ. - 7pm

Fri., November 6

Northeastern at Maine* – 7pm

Sat., November 7

New Hampshire at Providence* – 1pm Merrimack at UConn* - 2pm Boston College at Boston Univ.* - 3pm

Sun., November 8

New Hampshire at UConn* – 2pm

Tue., November 10

Boston Univ. at Boston College* – 7pm Maine at Dartmouth – 7pm

Fri., November 13

Northeastern at Merrimack* – 7pm New Hampshire at Boston College* – 2pm UConn at Clarkson – 7pm Providence at Vermont* – 2pm Sat., November 14

Maine at Boston Univ.* – 3pm
Providence at Vermont* – 4pm
Merrimack at Northeastern* – 2pm
UConn at Clarkson – 3pm
Boston College at New Hampshire* – 3pm

Sun., November 15

Maine at Boston Univ.* - 3pm

Wed., November 18

Maine at Dartmouth – 7pm New Hampshire at Harvard – 7pm

Fri., November 20

Northeastern at Boston College* – 7pm Boston Univ. at Merrimack* – 7pm Vermont at UConn* – 7pm

Sat., November 21

Providence at New Hampshire* – 2pm Merrimack at Boston Univ.* - 3pm Vermont at Northeastern* – 2:30pm

Sun., November 22

Providence at New Hampshire* – 2pm UConn at Maine* – 2pm

Tue., November 24

Northeastern at Harvard – 7pm

Wed., November 25

Providence at Boston College* - 4pm

Fri., November 27

Maine at RMU – 7:05pm New Hampshire at RPI – 7pm Quinnipiac vs UConn - Nutmeg at Yale Merrimack vs. Yale – Nutmeg Classic – 7pm

Sat., November 28

Boston College at Northeastern* – 2pm OSU at Vermont (Windjammer Classic) – 4pm Cornell vs. Boston Univ. (Windjammer Classic) – 1pm New Hampshire at RPI – 4pm Brown at Providence – 1pm Maine at RMU – 3pm Merrimack vs. UConn/Quinnipiac (Nutmeg Classic) UConn vs. Merrimack/Yale (Nutmeg Classic)

Sun., November 29

Cornell at Vermont (Windjammer Classic) – 4pm OSU vs Boston Univ. (Windjammer Classic) – 1pm

Tue., December 1

Union at Providence - 7pm

Fri., December 4

Merrimack at New Hampshire* – 7pm Northeastern at Vermont* – 7pm

Sat., December 5

Boston College at Maine* – 2pm Northeastern at Vermont* - 4pm Boston Univ. at UConn* – 3pm New Hampshire at Merrimack* – 4pm



















2015-16 WOMEN'S COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

*League game

Sun., December 6

Boston College at Maine* – 2pm UConn at Boston Univ.* – 3pm

Tue., December 8

Dartmouth at New Hampshire - 7pm

Thu., December 10

Boston College at Syracuse – 4pm

Fri., December 11

Merrimack at Providence* – 7pm Union at Maine – 7pm New Hampshire at Quinnipiac – 7pm

Sat., December 12

Union at Maine – 2pm Vermont at Dartmouth – 4pm

Sun., December 13

Yale at New Hampshire – 2pm

Sat., January 2

Providence at RMU – 7:05pm Vermont at Union – 4pm Dartmouth at Northeastern – 2pm

Sun., January 3

Providence at RMU - 2:05pm

Mon., January 4

Merrimack at Vermont* - 7pm

Tue., January 5

UConn at Northeastern* - 7pm

Wed., January 6

Merrimack at SLU - 11am

Fri., January 8

RIT at Providence - 2pm

Sat., January 9

Vermont at Maine* – 2pm Boston College at Boston Univ.* – 3pm UConn at Merrimack* – 2pm New Hampshire at Northeastern* – 2pm RIT at Providence – 1pm

Sun., January 10

Vermont at Maine* – 2pm Merrimack at UConn* – 2pm Northeastern at New Hampshire* – 2pm

Wed., January 13

Northeastern at Providence* - 7pm

Fri., January 15

Boston College at Merrimack* – 7pm

Sat., January 16

Boston Univ. at Vermont* – 2pm Maine at Northeastern* – 2pm Merrimack at Boston College* – 3pm UConn at Providence* – 2pm Sun., January 17

Boston Univ. at Vermont* – 2pm Maine at Northeastern* – 2pm Providence at UConn* – 2pm

Tue., January 19

Brown at Merrimack – 6pm Boston College at Harvard – 7pm

Wed., January 20

Boston Univ. at Quinnipiac - 11am

Fri., January 22

UConn at Northeastern* - 7pm Vermont at Boston College* - 7pm

Sat., January 23

Vermont at Boston College* – 2pm New Hampshire at Maine* – 2pm Northeastern at UConn* – 3pm Providence at Boston Univ.* – 3pm (at Agganis Arena)

Sun., January 24

New Hampshire at Maine – 2pm Boston Univ. at Providence – 2pm

Mon., January 25

Princeton at UConn – 7pm

Tue., January 26

Boston College at Merrimack* – 7pm

Fri., January 29

UConn at Vermont* – 7pm New Hampshire at Northeastern* – 7pm

Sat., January 30

UConn at Vermont* – 4pm Maine at Providence* – 1pm Merrimack at Boston Univ.* – 3pm

Sun., January 31

Maine at Providence* – 2pm

Tue., February 2

Beanpot at Boston Univ. Boston College vs. Harvard – 4:30pm Boston Univ. vs. Northeastern – 8pm

Fri., February 5

Vermont at New Hampshire* - 7pm

Sat., February 6

Merrimack at Maine – 2pm Vermont at New Hampshire* – 4pm Northeastern at Providence* – 2pm Boston College at UConn* – 3pm

Sun., February 7

Providence at UConn* – 3pm Merrimack at Maine* – 2pm

Tue., February 9

Beanpot Games

Fri., February 12

Northeastern at Boston College* – 2pm Maine at UConn* – 7pm

Sat., February 13

Maine at UConn* – 2pm New Hampshire at Boston Univ.* – 3pm Providence at Merrimack* – 2pm

Sun., February 14

Boston Univ. at New Hampshire* – 2pm Merrimack at Providence* – 2pm Boston College at Vermont* – 2pm

Fri., February 19

Vermont at Merrimack* – 7pm Northeastern at Boston Univ.* - 7pm Providence at Boston College* – 4 pm

Sat., February 20

Vermont at Merrimack* – 4pm Boston Univ. at Northeastern* – 2pm Boston College at Providence* – 1pm UConn at New Hampshire* – 2pm

Sun., February 21

UConn at New Hampshire* - 2pm

February 26-29

WHEA Quarters

Sat., March 5 WHEA Semifinals

Sun., March 6

WHEA Final

Sat., March 12 NCAA Quarterfinals

Fri., March 18

NCAA Frozen Four

Sun., March 20

NCAA Championship

















