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NORTHEASTERN GETS MUCH-NEEDED WIN AT MAINE UNH's Huggon setting a lofty standard for Hockey East goaltenders

They may have surrendered 4-0 to No. 3 Minnesota, but the UNH Wildcats won their other two games via shutout, and both were league contests. With blankings at both Boston College and the University of Connecticut, UNH senior stopper Jen Huggon lifted her Hockey East record to 9-0-0, totalling seven shutouts, a .987 save percentage and a microscopic GAA of 0.22. She has four shutouts in her last five games.

Connecticut played even with visiting Maine Friday, a 2-2 tie. Jacquelyn McGuire had a goal and an assist for the Huskies. UConn was also nearly even with UNH on Sunday, as Shannon Murphy limited the Wildcats to a single goal on 27 shots. Trailing 1-0, the Huskies were forced to pull Murphy, and UNH scored twice on the empty net to yield a 3-0 win.

Northeastern checked off an important Hockey East win on Sunday, prevailing 2-0 at Maine to jump into a tie with UConn for third place in the standings. Brooke White had both goals and Chanda Gunn enjoyed a 26-save shutout.

Providence remained undefeated in league play with a convincing 7-1 win over Boston College Saturday before skating to a 1-1 tie at Yale on Sunday.

At the halfway mark of the season, Providence and UNH are just one point apart and headed for a showdown for the regular season title. They have yet to face each other this season. UConn and NU will battle Maine and BC for the other two spots in the Hockey East postseason. Each team has seven league games remaining.

HOCKEY EAST STANDINGS

Team	GP	W	L	T	Pts	Overall	HE Offense	HE Defense
New Hampshire	9	9	0	0	18	19-4-1	3.56 GPG	0.22 GAPG
Providence	7	6	0	1	13	11-5-6	4.71 GPG	1.29 GAPG
Connecticut	8	1	4	3	5	7-12-4	1.12 GPG	2.75 GAPG
Northeastern	8	2	5	1	5	6-11-2	1.50 GPG	2.28 GAPG
Maine	8	1	5	2	4	6-8-4	1.38 GPG	2.62 GAPG
Boston College	8	0	5	3	3	7-10-3	1.38 GPG	4.38 GAPG

RECENT RESULTS

Tuesday, January 14

New Hampshire 6, at Boston College 0 *

Friday, January 17

at Connecticut 2, Maine 2 (OT) *

Saturday, January 18

at Providence 7, Boston College 1 *
 Minnesota 4, at New Hampshire 0

Sunday, January 19

Northeastern 2, at Maine 0 *
 New Hampshire 3, at Connecticut 0 *
 Providence 1, at Yale 1 (OT)

UPCOMING GAMES

Tuesday, January 21

Northeastern at Boston College (7pm) *

Friday, January 24

Boston College at Quinnipiac (7pm)
 New Hampshire at Wisconsin (8pm)

Saturday, January 25

Northeastern at Providence (1pm) *
 Niagara at Maine (1pm)
 Connecticut at Dartmouth (2pm)
 New Hampshire at Wisconsin (8pm)
 Boston College at Quinnipiac (8pm)

Sunday, January 26

Providence at Northeastern (2pm) *
 Niagara at Maine (1pm)
 Connecticut at Dartmouth (2pm)

* Hockey East game
 All times Eastern



TPS LOUISVILLE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

JEN HUGGON – New Hampshire
 Senior Goaltender; Plymouth, MA

Two more shutouts (at BC and at UConn) extends her shutout streak in league play to 236:47. She made 30 saves on 34 shots against No. 3 Minnesota.

ITECH ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

JANA BUGDEN – Providence
 Freshman Goaltender; Cornerbrook, NF

Stopped 35 of 37 shots she faced on the weekend, backstopping a 7-1 league victory over Boston College as well as a 1-1 tie at Yale.

DEFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Chanda Gunn - NU (Jr. G)

Stopped all 26 shots she faced in an important 2-0 win for Northeastern at Maine.

Shannon Murphy - UConn (So. G)

Stopped 49 of 52 shots on the weekend, including 26 of 27 vs. first-place UNH.

HONOR ROLL

- **Jenn Butsch, PC** (Sr. F; Berlin, VT) – Scored three goals and added an assist in a win and a tie for Providence.
- **Vicki Davis, UNH** (Fr. F; Edmonton, AB) – Recorded three goals over two league victories against BC and UConn.
- **Lindsay Hansen, UNH** (Fr. F; Northport, NY) – Posted a career-high three points in a 6-0 win at Boston College and added another assist in a 3-0 win at UConn.
- **Randi MacMaster, UNH** (So. F; Syracuse, NY) – Scored two goals and two assists over two road wins, at BC and at UConn.
- **Jacquelyn McGuire, UConn** (So. F; Glenview, IL) – Scored one goal and added an assist, both on the power play, in the Huskies' 2-2 tie against Boston College.
- **Lara Smart, Maine** (Jr. G; Airdrie, AB) – Made 30 saves in a 2-2 Hockey East tie at Connecticut.
- **Brooke White, NU** (Sr. F; Berkeley, CA) – Scored both goals in Northeastern's 2-0 win at Maine on Sunday to move NU into a tie for third place.

TEAM NOTES

Boston College: Lindsey Bazzone was the only Eagle scorer on the week and ranks second on the team in goals with eight.

University of Connecticut: UConn's 3-0 loss to UNH Sunday was a lot closer than it seemed. UNH was only up 1-0 before converting two empty-net goals in the final 1:21 of the game ... Jacquelyn McGuire led the UConn offense with nine shots on goal on the weekend.

University of Maine: Maine had its five-game unbeaten streak snapped in Sunday's 2-0 loss to Northeastern ... Karen Droog and Raffi Wolf are tied for first on Maine's all-time scoring list with 83 points each ... Maine has been shut out six times this season, only one short of the team record of seven set in 1998-99.

University of New Hampshire: In six games this month, UNH has outscored the opposition 18-5 ... UNH's 14-game unbeaten streak at the Whittemore Center ended with Saturday's loss to Minnesota.

Northeastern University: Since returning from the U.S. National team camp in Lake Placid, senior Brooke White has scored four goals. Prior to attending the camp, she had just one goal on the season ... A different player has scored the game-winning goal in all six of Northeastern's victories.

Providence College: For the third time in four games, the Friars played to a tie ... The Friars tied their season high for goals scored in a game when they defeated BC, 7-1, on Saturday. Providence was a perfect 3-for-3 on the power play in the game.

ITECH Three Star Leaders:

Name	Cl	Pos	School
Alaina Clark	Jr	F	BC
Danielle Culin	Sr	F	PC
Allison Edgar	Jr	D	UNH
Chanda Gunn	Jr	G	NU
Jen Huggon	Sr	G	UNH
Stephanie Jones	So	F	UNH
Randi MacMaster	So	F	UNH
Shannon Murphy	So	G	UConn
Rush Zimmerman	So	F	PC



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LEADING GOALTENDERS (Hockey East games)

	Player, School	Cl	GP	Min	W	L	T	SP	GAA
1	Jen Huggon, UNH	Sr	9	539	9	0	0	.987	0.22
2	Jana Budgen, PC	Fr	6	348	6	0	0	.928	1.20
3	Chanda Gunn, NU	Jr	8	488	2	5	1	.924	2.34
4	Shannon Murphy, CT	So	8	492	1	4	3	.912	2.44
	Lara Smart, ME	Jr	6	369	0	4	2	.910	2.44

LEADING GOALTENDERS (All games)

	Player, School	Cl	GP	Min	W	L	T	SP	GAA
1	Jen Huggon, UNH	Sr	24	1448	19	4	1	.925	1.62
2	Jana Budgen, PC	Fr	19	1081	9	4	5	.920	1.83
3	Chanda Gunn, NU	Jr	17	1028	5	10	2	.929	2.22
4	Lara Smart, ME	Jr	12	733	2	7	3	.923	2.29
5	Alison Quandt, BC	Fr	12	574	5	2	2	.904	2.50

LEADING SCORERS (Hockey East games)

	Player, School	Cl	GP	G	A	Pts
1	Rush Zimmerman, PC	So	7	8	3	11
2	Jenn Butsch, PC	Sr	7	4	6	10
	Ashley Payton, PC	So	7	3	7	10
	Kelli Halcisak, PC *	Jr	7	2	8	10
	Allison Edgar, UNH *	Jr	9	2	8	10
6	Darlene Stephenson, PC	Jr	6	7	2	9
	Stephanie Jones, UNH	So	9	4	5	9
	Randi MacMaster, UNH	So	9	4	5	9
	Chandy Kaip, UNH	Sr	9	3	6	9
10	Carolyn Gordon, UNH	Jr	9	5	3	8
11	Danielle Culgin, PC	Sr	7	2	5	7
	Meredith Roth, PC *	Jr	7	1	6	7
	Kristen Thomas, UNH *	Jr	9	1	6	7
14	Kristine Butt, UNH	Sr	6	2	4	6
	Alaina Clark, BC	Jr	8	4	2	6
	Meagan Aarts, Maine	Jr	8	2	4	6
	Annie Fahlenbock, UNH	Sr	9	2	4	6

* defenseman

LEADING SCORERS (All games)

	Player, School	Cl	GP	G	A	Pts
1	Rush Zimmerman, PC	So	22	16	10	26
2	Chandy Kaip, UNH	Sr	24	8	17	25
3	Jenn Butsch, PC	Sr	22	11	13	24
4	Carolyn Gordon, UNH	Jr	24	14	9	23
5	Kristen Thomas, UNH *	Jr	21	3	19	22
6	Kelli Halcisak, PC *	Jr	22	6	15	21
	Ashley Payton, PC	So	22	6	15	21
	Randi MacMaster, UNH	So	23	8	13	21
	Stephanie Jones, UNH	So	24	11	10	21
10	Allison Edgar, UNH *	Jr	24	6	14	20
11	Brooke White, NU	Sr	17	5	12	17
12	Alaina Clark, BC	Jr	19	9	7	16
13	Meagan Aarts, Maine	Jr	18	7	8	15
	Darlene Stephenson, PC	Jr	19	11	4	15
	Kristine Butt, UNH	Sr	20	9	6	15
	Debbie Bernhard, UNH	Jr	24	9	6	15

* defenseman

TEAM STATISTICS (Hockey East games)

TEAM OFFENSE

Team	GP	G	GPG
1.Providence.....	7	33	4.71
2.New Hampshire.....	9	32	3.56
3.Northeastern.....	8	12	1.50
4.Boston College.....	8	11	1.38
Maine.....	8	11	1.38
6.Connecticut.....	8	9	1.12

TEAM DEFENSE

Team	GP	GA	GAPG
1.New Hampshire.....	9	2	0.22
2.Providence.....	7	9	1.29
3.Northeastern.....	8	19	2.38
4.Maine.....	8	21	2.62
5.Connecticut.....	8	22	2.75
6.Boston College.....	8	35	4.38

POWER PLAY

Team	GP	PPG	Att	SHGA	Pct
1.Providence.....	7	15	42	0	.357
2.Connecticut.....	8	5	23	0	.217
3.New Hampshire.....	9	6	30	0	.200
4.Boston College.....	8	2	31	0	.065
5.Northeastern.....	8	1	18	0	.056
6.Maine.....	8	2	37	0	.054

PENALTY KILL

Team	GP	OPPG	Att	SHG	Pct
1.New Hampshire.....	9	1	25	0	.960
2.Connecticut.....	8	3	28	0	.893
3.Providence.....	7	4	35	0	.886
4.Maine.....	8	7	37	0	.811
5.Northeastern.....	8	8	32	0	.750
6.Boston College.....	8	8	24	0	.667

TEAM STATISTICS (All games)

TEAM OFFENSE

Team	GP	G	GPG
1.New Hampshire.....	24	87	3.62
2.Providence.....	22	76	3.45
3.Boston College.....	20	51	2.55
4.Northeastern.....	19	39	2.05
5.Maine.....	18	36	2.00
6.Connecticut.....	23	39	1.70

TEAM DEFENSE

Team	GP	GA	GAPG
1.New Hampshire.....	24	39	1.62
2.Providence.....	22	41	1.86
3.Maine.....	18	39	2.17
4.Northeastern.....	19	45	2.37
5.Connecticut.....	23	69	3.00
6.Boston College.....	20	67	3.35

POWER PLAY

Team	GP	PPG	Att	SHGA	Pct
1.New Hampshire.....	24	15	89	0	.169
2.Providence.....	22	25	150	3	.167
3.Boston College.....	20	10	73	2	.137
4.Connecticut.....	23	12	91	1	.132
5.Northeastern.....	19	8	65	0	.123
6.Maine.....	18	5	66	0	.076

PENALTY KILL

Team	GP	OPPG	Att	SHG	Pct
1.New Hampshire.....	24	11	81	1	.864
2.Providence.....	22	16	112	3	.857
3.Maine.....	18	15	82	1	.817
4.Connecticut.....	23	18	98	0	.816
5.Northeastern.....	19	15	81	0	.815
6.Boston College.....	20	14	66	0	.788



Boston College
7-10-3 (0-5-3 HE)

OCTOBER

18	VERMONT	L+	2-3
26	at North Dakota	W	5-2
27	at North Dakota	L	3-5

NOVEMBER

1	PROVIDENCE	L	1-4
3	NORTHEASTERN	T+	3-3
10	at Niagara	L	0-6
12	QUINNIPIAC	W	5-1
17	RENSSELAER	W	6-0
24	at Yale	W	3-1
29	UNION	W	6-1

DECEMBER

1	CORNELL	W	5-1
7	at Providence	L	2-6
30	CONNECTICUT	T+	1-1

JANUARY

2	YALE	W+	3-2
4	PRINCETON	L	1-4
7	BROWN	L	2-6
11	at Maine	T+	3-3
12	at Maine	L	0-5
14	NEW HAMPSHIRE	L	0-6
18	at Providence	L	1-7
21	NORTHEASTERN	7 pm	
24	at Quinnipiac	7 pm	
25	at Quinnipiac	8 pm	
29	HARVARD	7 pm	

FEBRUARY

4	vs. Northeastern (B)	5 pm	
9	NIAGARA	2 pm	
11	vs. BU / Harvard (B)	5/8 pm	
14	at Connecticut	7 pm	
16	CONNECTICUT	7 pm	
22	MAINE	2 pm	
25	CHINA (exhibition)	7 pm	
28	at New Hampshire	7 pm	

MARCH

2	at New Hampshire	2 pm	
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(B) – Beanpot at Harvard



Connecticut
7-12-4 (1-4-3 HE)

OCTOBER

12	at Mercyhurst	L	0-2
13	at Mercyhurst	L	2-4
19	WISCONSIN	L	0-6
20	WISCONSIN	L	2-4

NOVEMBER

1	at Quinnipiac	W	4-0
2	QUINNIPIAC	W	2-0
9	at Northeastern	W+	2-1
10	NORTHEASTERN	L	1-3
16	at Findlay	W	2-0
17	at Ohio State	L	2-6
22	NIAGARA	W	3-2
26	at Harvard	L	1-5
30	CORNELL	W	2-1

DECEMBER

1	PROVIDENCE	T+	2-2
7	at New Hampshire	L	0-8
8	NEW HAMPSHIRE	L	1-2
30	at Boston College	T+	1-1

JANUARY

4	at Niagara	W	6-2
5	at Niagara	T+	3-3
10	ST. LAWRENCE	L	1-5
11	ST. LAWRENCE	L	0-7
17	MAINE	T+	2-2
19	NEW HAMPSHIRE	L	0-3
25	at Dartmouth	2 pm	
26	at Dartmouth	2 pm	
30	QUINNIPIAC	7 pm	

FEBRUARY

1	BROWN	2 pm	
7	at Providence	7 pm	
8	PROVIDENCE	7 pm	
14	BOSTON COLLEGE	7 pm	
16	at Boston College	7 pm	
21	at Northeastern	7 pm	

MARCH

1	at Maine	1 pm	
2	at Maine	1 pm	



Maine
6-8-4 (1-5-2 HE)

OCTOBER

25	at Vermont	W	4-1
26	at Vermont	W	4-0

NOVEMBER

2	at New Hampshire	L	1-5
3	at New Hampshire	L	0-1
9	PROVIDENCE	L	0-3
10	PROVIDENCE	L	0-5
15	at Quinnipiac	W	2-0
16	at Quinnipiac	L	0-2
30	at Princeton	T+	2-2

DECEMBER

1	at Yale	T+	3-3
7	at Niagara	L	2-3
14	at Harvard	L	0-6

JANUARY

6	COLGATE	W	5-0
7	COLGATE	W	3-1
11	BOSTON COLLEGE	T+	3-3
12	BOSTON COLLEGE	W	5-0
17	at Connecticut	T+	2-2
19	NORTHEASTERN	L	0-2
25	NIAGARA	1 pm	
26	NIAGARA	1 pm	
31	CORNELL	7 pm	

FEBRUARY

1	CORNELL	7 pm	
8	QUINNIPIAC	1 pm	
11	NEW HAMPSHIRE	7 pm	
15	at Northeastern	2 pm	
16	at Northeastern	2 pm	
22	at Boston College	2 pm	
23	at Providence	2 pm	

MARCH

1	CONNECTICUT	1 pm	
2	CONNECTICUT	1 pm	



New Hampshire
19-4-1 (9-0-0 HE)

OCTOBER

11	VERMONT	W	4-0
18	at Ohio State	W	1-0
19	at Ohio State	W+	5-4
25	at Quinnipiac	W	5-3
26	at Quinnipiac	W	10-0

NOVEMBER

2	MAINE	W	5-1
3	MAINE	W	1-0
8	at St. Lawrence	L	3-4
9	at St. Lawrence	T+	1-1
16	PRINCETON	W	2-1
17	PRINCETON	W	7-3
21	at Northeastern	W	1-0
30	NIAGARA	W	7-4

DECEMBER

1	NIAGARA	W	6-2
7	CONNECTICUT	W	8-0
8	at Connecticut	W	2-1
13	at Harvard	L	1-7
15	at Dartmouth	L	0-3

JANUARY

4	BROWN	W	3-1
10	NORTHEASTERN	W	3-0
11	NORTHEASTERN	W	3-0
14	at Boston College	W	6-0
18	MINNESOTA	L	0-4
19	at Connecticut	W	3-0
24	at Wisconsin	8 pm	
25	at Wisconsin	8 pm	

FEBRUARY

1	at Providence	2 pm	
2	PROVIDENCE	2 pm	
7	QUINNIPIAC	7 pm	
11	at Maine	7 pm	
14	at Niagara	7 pm	
21	CHINA (exhibition)	7 pm	
22	at Providence	2 pm	
28	BOSTON COLLEGE	7 pm	

MARCH

2	BOSTON COLLEGE	2 pm	
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Northeastern
6-11-2 (2-5-1 HE)

OCTOBER

12	vs. Wisconsin *	L	2-4
13	at Wisconsin	L	1-2
20	VERMONT	W	3-0
27	ST. LAWRENCE	L	1-2

NOVEMBER

3	at Boston College	T+	3-3
9	CONNECTICUT	L+	1-2
10	at Connecticut	W	3-1
15	at Niagara	L	2-3
16	at Niagara	W	4-1
21	NEW HAMPSHIRE	L	0-1
23	QUINNIPIAC	W	6-1
30	at Yale	W	4-1

DECEMBER

1	at Princeton	L	2-6
6	at Brown	T+	2-2
7	at Harvard	L	0-4

JANUARY

3	PROVIDENCE	L	3-6
10	at New Hampshire	L	0-3
11	at New Hampshire	L	0-3
19	at Maine	W	2-0
21	at Boston College	7 pm	
25	at Providence	1 pm	
26	PROVIDENCE	2 pm	
31	WAYNE STATE	7 pm	

FEBRUARY

1	WAYNE STATE	3 pm	
4	vs. Boston College (B)	5 pm	
8	NIAGARA	2 pm	
11	vs. BU/Harvard (B)	5/8 pm	
15	MAINE	2 pm	
16	MAINE	2 pm	
21	CONNECTICUT	7 pm	
22	CHINA	12 noon	
28	at Quinnipiac	7 pm	

MARCH

1	QUINNIPIAC	3 pm	
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* – at Verona, WI
(B) – Beanpot at Harvard



Providence
11-5-6 (6-0-1 HE)

OCTOBER

12	MINN.-DULUTH	L	4-6
13	MINN.-DULUTH	L	1-3
19	VERMONT	W	6-0
26	ST. LAWRENCE	T+	2-2

NOVEMBER

1	at Boston College	W	4-1
3	DARTMOUTH	L	2-3
9	at Maine	W	3-0
10	at Maine	W	5-0
16	at Ohio State	W	4-2
17	at Findlay	W	1-0
23	at Dartmouth	W	5-2
26	at Brown *	T+	4-4
30	QUINNIPIAC	W	7-1

DECEMBER

1	at Connecticut	T+	2-2
7	BOSTON COLLEGE	W	6-2
8	HARVARD	L+	1-2

JANUARY

3	at Northeastern	W	6-3
5	PRINCETON	L	3-4
10	NIAGARA	T+	0-0
11	NIAGARA	T+	2-2
18	BOSTON COLLEGE	W	7-1
19	at Yale	T+	1-1
25	NORTHEASTERN	1 pm	
26	at Northeastern	2 pm	

FEBRUARY

1	NEW HAMPSHIRE	2 pm	
2	at New Hampshire	2 pm	
7	CONNECTICUT	7 pm	
8	at Connecticut	7 pm	
12	BROWN	7 pm	
14	at Quinnipiac	7 pm	
16	QUINNIPIAC	2 pm	
22	NEW HAMPSHIRE	2 pm	
23	MAINE	2 pm	
28	at Niagara	7 pm	

* – Mayor's Cup

+ – indicates overtime
Home games in CAPS
Hockey East games in bold