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GILLIS PROVIDES ALL BC OFFENSE IN 2-2 TIE VS. COLGATE Northeastern and Wisconsin set to face-off in Southern California

Though not an earth-shaking result, BC's 2-2 tie vs. Colgate Sunday was marked by one exceptional performance.

Nancy Gillis, a transplant from the BC field hockey team, netted the first two goals of her collegiate ice hockey career, providing all the offense the Eagles would need to secure the tie at home. With just one assist to her credit through 11 games this season, Gillis would not have been considered an offensive threat. With two goals Sunday, she is now tied for third among BC's goal-scorers. Gillis was not without help, however. Lisa Davis turned aside 22 of 24 shots, including three in OT, in recording the first tie of her junior season.

UNH got on the board first at No. 3 Dartmouth Saturday with a goal from top scorer Stephanie Jones, only to see the early lead whittled away by the potent Big Green offense. Dartmouth finished with a 4-1 triumph.

At Minnesota State, the Providence College Friars lobbed shot after shot against their hosts, only to suffer back-to-back 2-1 losses. The first was especially discouraging, considering the Friars boasted a 54-16 shot advantage when MSU's Melanie Salatino scored 4:33 into overtime. MSU goaltender Laura Brennan enjoyed an incredible collegiate debut, racking up 53 saves, including 22 in the first period alone. Veteran Shari Vogt had a similar showing in the rematch, stopping 42 of 43 PC shots. It was deja vu for the Friars, who were once again beaten 2-1 on the 16th and final shot by their opponent. This time, the winner came with just 21 seconds left in regulation.

Non-league action reaches its crescendo this coming weekend. The most intriguing matches on the agenda will be for Northeastern against fifth-ranked Wisconsin. The two teams will face-off for two games in Long Beach, California, just a few miles away from NU goaltender Chanda Gunn's hometown. Three other Huskies also hail from California. Adding to the drama will be the fact that Gunn started her career as a Wisconsin Badger before transferring to Northeastern. After this weekend, only a handful of games remain on the nonconference schedule as all six teams shift into high gear for the stretch run of the league schedule.

RECENT RESULTS

Saturday, January 3

at Minnesota State 2, Providence 1 (OT) at Dartmouth 4, New Hampshire 1

Sunday, January 4

at Boston College 2, Colgate 2 (OT) at Minnesota State 2, Providence 1

UPCOMING GAMES

Friday, January 9

Minnesota State at Connecticut (7pm)

Boston College at Quinnipiac (7pm)

Saturday, January 10

New Hampshire at Niagara (2pm)
Providence at Mercyhurst (2pm)
Minnesota State at Connecticut (3pm)
Boston College at Quinnipiac (5pm)
Northeastern vs. Wisconsin (5pm)
(at Long Beach, CA)

Sunday, January 11

New Hampshire at Mercyhurst (2pm)
Providence at Niagara (2pm)
Northeastern vs. Wisconsin (5pm)
(at Long Beach, CA)

* Hockey East game All times Eastern



<u>Team</u> Maine	<u>GP</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>Pts</u> 9	<u>Overall</u> 7-7-3	HE Offense	HE Defense
New Hampshire	4	3	0	1	7	7-7-2	3.50 GPG	1.25 GAPG
Connecticut	4	2	1	1	5	6-7-3	2.25 GPG	1.50 GAPG
Northeastern	6	1	3	2	4	7-5-4	1.67 GPG	2.17 GAPG
Providence	3	1	1	1	3	4-7-2	1.67 GPG	1.67 GAPG
Boston College	5	0	5	0	0	3-8-1	0.80 GPG	3.40 GAPG



TPS HOCKEY PLAYER OF THE WEEK

NANCY GILLIS – Boston College Sophomore Forward; Needham, MA

The first-year skater potted both Boston College goals, the first two of her collegiate career, in a 2-2 tie vs. Colgate.

LEADING SCORERS (Hockey East games)

	Player, School	CI	GP	G	Α	Pts
1.	Cyndy Kenyon, NU	So	6	3	4	7
2.	Karen Droog, Maine	Sr	6	1	5	6
3.	Carolyn Gordon, UNH	Sr	4	4	1	5
	Theresa Ella, NU *	So	6	0	5	5
5.	Rush Zimmerman, PC	Jr	3	3	1	4
	Megan Mcleod, UConn	Jr	4	3	1	4
	Stephanie Jones, UNH	Jr	4	2	2	4
	Kristen Thomas, UNH *	Sr	4	0	4	4
	Sonya Corriveau, Maine	Fr	6	4	0	4
	Meagan Aarts, Maine	Sr	6	2	2	4

^{*} defenseman

LEADING SCORERS (All games)

	Player, School	CI	GP	G	Α	Pts
1.	Cyndy Kenyon, NU	So	16	7	9	16
2.	Stephanie Jones, UNH	Jr	16	8	7	15
3.	Carolyn Gordon, UNH	Sr	16	7	7	14
4.	Kelli Halcisak, PC *	Sr	13	7	6	13
	Meagan Aarts, Maine	Sr	17	5	8	13
6.	Kristen Thomas, UNH *	Sr	15	1	11	12
	Karen Droog, Maine	Sr	17	5	7	12
8.	Rush Zimmerman, PC	Jr	13	6	5	11
	Nicole Hekle, UNH	Fr	16	6	5	11
	Marie Desrosiers, NU	Fr	16	5	6	11
	* defenseman					

TEAM NOTES

Boston College: BC's record is 3-0-1 when Kristin Blundo contributes to BC's scoring cause ... Over the past six games, BC's penalty killing unit is 22-of-25 ... Lisa Davis stopped 22 of 24 shots faced in a 2-2 tie vs. Colgate.

University of Connecticut: After winning four of its last five games before the holiday break, UConn went into community service mode, raising money for the Wheeler Clinic. UConn's efforts benefitted several children, each of whom received a Christmas stocking that included candy, a hat and a pair of gloves.

University of New Hampshire: Four of UNH's last five games have been against a team ranked third or better in the national polls (Harvard twice, Dartmouth twice) ... UNH is 7-0-0 when scoring three or more goals and 0-7-2 when held to fewer than three goals ... UNH concludes its non-conference schedule this weekend with road games at Niagara and Mercyhurst. The 'Cats have a 9-3-0 record all-time vs. Niagara, 4-0-0 vs. Mercyhurst.

Providence College: Senior Darlene Stephenson recorded her 99th career point Saturday at Minnesota State, scoring PC's only goal in a 2-1 OT loss. She was assisted by fellow senior Kelli Halcisak, who earned a point in her seventh consecutive game ... The two losses against Minnesota State evened the all-time series at 2-2.

ITECH Three Star Leaders:

<u>Name</u>	<u>CI</u>	<u>Pos</u>	<u>Schoo</u> l
Sonia Corriveau	Fr	F	Maine
Sarah Courtney	So	F	BC
Karen Droog	Sr	F	Maine
Chanda Gunn	Sr	G	NU
Carolyn Gordon	Sr	F	UNH
Lara Smart	Sr	G	Maine



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LEADING GOALTENDERS (Hockey East games)

Player, School	CI	GP	Min	W	L	Т	SP	GAA
 Kaitlyn Shain, CT 	So	2	124	1	0	1	.985	0.48
2. Melissa Bourdon, UNH	Fr	2	120	2	0	0	.958	1.00
Chanda Gunn, NU	Sr	3	189	0	1	2	.959	1.27
Lara Smart, Maine	Sr	6	364	4	1	1	.942	1.48
5. Jana Bugden, PC	So	2	123	0	1	1	.882	1.95

LEADING GOALTENDERS (All games)

Player, School	CI	GP	Min	W	L	Т	SP	GAA
1. Chanda Gunn, NU	Sr	9	558	2	3	4	.949	1.40
Kaitlyn Shain, CT	So	10	573	5	3	1	.943	1.67
3. Melissa Bourdon, UNH	Fr	8	476	4	4	0	.923	1.89
4. Katy Augustyn, NU	So	7	421	5	2	0	.930	1.99
5. Jana Bugden, PC	So	11	660	3	6	2	.899	2.27



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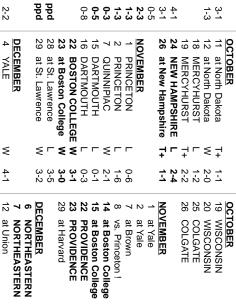
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