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WOMEN'S LEAGUE

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PROVIDENCE SWEEPS IN FIRST LEAGUE ACTION
UConn keeps eight-game unbeaten streak alive with two road ties

Riding a wave of momentum, the UConn Huskies recorded back-to-back 2-2 ties at Minnesota State last weekend to run their unbeaten streak to eight straight games, by far the longest in the program's history. Less than thirty seconds away from concluding the streak Saturday afternoon, the Huskies got a goal from Tiffany Owens at the 19:35 mark of the third to tie the score for the second straight day. Shannon Murphy was once again strong between the pipes, recording 32 saves on Friday and 29 on Saturday to lift her record to 4-1-3. The senior now boasts an enviable 1.50 GAA and .925 save percentage. Murphy and the Huskies will put their run on the line with their toughest stretch of the season directly ahead, two games at Princeton followed by single games against UNH, Harvard and Brown. Northeastern also has a tough string ahead, playing WCHA powerhouses Minnesota and Wisconsin in the Harvard Shootout later this week.

Two-time defending Hockey East tournament champ Providence saw its first league action of the season and came away with back-to-back wins at Maine. A team effort from the Friars trumped a strong showing from Maine's Tristan Desmet, who potted two of Maine's four goals and set up one other in the weekend set. PC rookie Kelli Doolin set up two scores in Friday's 3-2 triumph and potted a short-hander in Saturday's rematch, a 4-2 Friar victory. Hilary Greaves had a goal in each game for Providence.

Northeastern got its first league win of the season thanks to the efforts of the line of Amy Goodney, Nikki Petrich and Crystal Rochon, which accounted for all four goals in a 4-2 win over BC on Friday. NU goaltender Marisa Hourihan made 31 saves to spoil strong outings from Eagles Kerri Sanders (2 goals) and Deborah Spillane (2 assists). Both players continued their hot streaks on Sunday, contributing three points each in a convincing 7-4 win vs. Quinnipiac. Rookie Colleen Harris had a goal and three assists in the contest.

The hottest hand of the weekend, however, belonged to UNH's Lindsay Hansen, who scored one goal and set up four others in a single game against Northeastern. The Wildcats cruised to a 7-1 win thanks to Hansen, but also received big contributions from Nicole Hekle (2 goals, 1 assist) and freshman Leah Craig (3 assists).

RECENT RESULTS

Friday, November 19
 at Northeastern 4, Boston College 2 *
 Connecticut 2, at Minnesota State 2 (OT)

Saturday, November 20
 Providence 3, at Maine 2 *
 at New Hampshire 7, Northeastern 1 *
 Connecticut 2, at Minnesota State 2 (OT)

Sunday, November 21
 Providence 4, at Maine 2 *
 at Boston College 7, Quinnipiac 4

UPCOMING GAMES

Tuesday, November 23
 Northeastern at Brown (7pm)

Friday, November 26
Harvard Shootout
 Northeastern vs. Minnesota (1pm)
 Harvard vs. Wisconsin (4pm)

Saturday, November 27
 Connecticut at Princeton (1pm)
 Maine at Colgate (1pm)
 Providence at Brown (Mayor's Cup - 7pm)
Harvard Shootout
 Northeastern vs. Wisconsin (1pm)
 Harvard vs. Minnesota (4pm)
New Hampshire Tournament
 Dartmouth vs. Mercyhurst (1pm)
 Minnesota State at New Hampshire (4pm)

Sunday, November 28
 Connecticut at Princeton (1pm)
 Maine at Colgate (1pm)
New Hampshire Tournament
 Dartmouth vs. Minnesota State (1pm)
 Mercyhurst at New Hampshire (4pm)

* Hockey East game

HOCKEY EAST STANDINGS

Team	GP	W	L	T	Pts	Overall	Offense	Defense
New Hampshire	4	4	0	0	8	8-1-1	4.50 GPG	1.40 GAPG
Providence	2	2	0	0	4	6-2-3	3.27 GPG	2.09 GAPG
Connecticut	3	2	1	0	4	5-3-3	2.82 GPG	2.55 GAPG
Boston College	6	1	4	1	3	3-8-1	2.50 GPG	3.67 GAPG
Northeastern	3	1	2	0	2	2-7-1	1.80 GPG	4.50 GAPG
Maine	4	0	3	1	1	3-4-2	2.00 GPG	2.33 GAPG

**PLAYER
 OF THE WEEK**

LINDSAY HANSEN – New Hampshire
Junior Forward; Northport, NY
 Exploded for five points on one goal and four assists to pace a 7-1 win for UNH vs. Northeastern on Saturday.

**ITECH ROOKIE
 OF THE WEEK**

NIKKI PETRICH – Northeastern
Freshman Forward; Flint, MI
 Scored two of Northeastern's four goals and added one assist in an important 4-2 league victory over Boston College on Friday.

**DEFENSIVE PLAYER
 OF THE WEEK**

SHANNON MURPHY – Connecticut
Senior Goaltender; Mapleville, RI
 Lifted UConn's unbeaten streak to eight straight games with 57 saves on 61 shots faced over two games at Minnesota State, each ending in a 2-2 deadlock.

HOCKEY EAST HONOR ROLL

- **Leah Craig, UNH** (Fr. F; Seaforth, ON) – Set up three of UNH's seven goals in a 7-1 win over Northeastern.
- **Tristan Desmet, Maine** (Sr. F; Strathmore, AB) – Scored two of Maine's four goals on the weekend and set up one other.
- **Kelli Doolin, PC** (Fr. F; Dorchester, MA) – Had a shorthanded goal and two assists in helping PC to a sweep at Maine.
- **Amy Goodney, NU** (So. F; Marquette, MI) – Scored a shorthanded goal and added two assists in a 4-2 win over BC on Friday.
- **Hilary Greaves, PC** (Sr. F; Cranston, RI) – Had one goal in each game of a sweep at Maine.
- **Colleen Harris, BC** (Fr. F; Kenmore, NY) – Scored one goal and added three assists in a 7-4 win over Quinnipiac.
- **Nicole Hekle, UNH** (So. F; Winnipeg, MB) – Scored two goals and added one assist as UNH cruised to a 7-1 win over Northeastern.
- **Marissa Hourihan, NU** (Jr. G; Hanover, MA) – Stopped 31 of 33 shots faced to record a 4-2 win over BC.
- **Crystal Rochon, NU** (So. F; St. Adolphe, MB) – Scored one goal and set up the three others in NU's 4-2 win over BC.
- **Kerri Sanders, BC** (Sr. F; Saugus, MA) – Scored both BC goals vs. NU and set up three of the Eagles' seven goals vs. Quinnipiac.
- **Deborah Spillane, BC** (Fr. F; Franklin, MA) – Set up both BC goals at Northeastern Friday. Against Quinnipiac Sunday, she scored two goals of her own and added another assist.

TEAM NOTES

Boston College: In Sunday's 7-4 win over Quinnipiac, five BC players had multiple points with the first line of Feldman, Harris and Spillane combining for nine points. The power-play unit converted five times on eight opportunities.

University of Connecticut: UConn increased its school-record unbeaten streak to eight games, which included a 1-0-3 run vs. WCHA opponents Minnesota State and North Dakota.

University of Maine: The line of Tristan Desmet, Andrea Steranko and Cheryl White has scored 10 of Maine's 18 goals this year.

University of New Hampshire: UNH has won 11 consecutive home games vs. Hockey East opponents and are 20-0-1 in home league games since the inception of Hockey East in 2002-03 ... The Wildcats have recorded more than 40 shots in half of their 10 games ... Nicole Hekle has scored five of the team's 18 power-play goals.

Northeastern University: NU is now 58-2-2 all-time vs. Boston College ... The Goodney-Petrich-Rochon line has contributed eight goals and 10 assists over the last five games ... Husky goalies lead Hockey East with an average of 35 saves per game.

Providence College: Providence is unbeaten in its last five games including a tie vs. third-ranked Harvard University.

ITECH Three Star Leaders:

Name	Cl	Pos	School
Lisa Davis	Sr	G	BC
Lindsay Hansen	Jr	F	UNH



LEADING GOALTENDERS (League games)

Player, School	Cl	GP	Min	W	L	T	SP	GAA
1 Melissa Bourdon, UNH	So	2	119	2	0	0	.960	0.50
Brittany Busa, UNH	So	2	120	2	0	0	.962	0.50
3 Shannon Murphy, CT	Sr	2	120	2	0	0	.925	1.50
4 Amy Thomas, PC	Sr	2	120	2	0	0	.913	2.00
5 Rachel Gettings, ME	So	4	244	0	3	3	.870	2.94

LEADING GOALTENDERS (All games)

Player, School	Cl	GP	Min	W	L	T	SP	GAA
1 Melissa Bourdon, UNH	So	8	467	6	1	1	.916	1.67
2 Amy Thomas, PC	Sr	11	667	6	2	3	.911	1.98
3 Shannon Murphy, CT	Sr	8	493	4	1	3	.927	2.07
4 Rachel Gettings, ME	So	8	485	3	4	1	.892	2.35
5 Alison Quandt, BC	Jr	6	357	1	5	0	.832	4.20

LEADING SCORERS (League games)

	Player, School	Cl	GP	G	A	Pts
1	Lindsay Hansen, UNH	Jr	4	3	5	8
2	Jennifer Hitchcock, UNH	Fr	4	5	2	7
	Nicole Hekle, UNH	So	4	4	3	7
4	Leah Craig, UNH	Fr	4	3	3	6
	Colleen Harris, BC	Fr	6	3	3	6
	Deborah Spillane, BC	Fr	6	2	4	6
7	Jackie Wedster, UNH	So	4	3	2	5
	Taylor Palazeti, UNH	Fr	4	2	3	5
	Lindsey Caleo, UNH	So	4	1	4	5
	Stephanie Jones, UNH	Sr	4	1	4	5
	Tristan Desmet, Maine	Sr	5	3	2	5
	Sarah Feldman, BC	Fr	6	2	3	5
13	Jaclyn Hawkins, UConn	Fr	3	3	1	4
	Leslie Hurlburt, UConn	So	3	1	3	4
	Crystal Rochon, NU	So	3	1	3	4
	Cheryl White, Maine	Jr	4	2	2	4

* defenseman

LEADING SCORERS (All games)

	Player, School	Cl	GP	G	A	Pts
1	Karen Thatcher, PC	Jr	9	11	6	17
2	Rush Zimmerman, PC	Sr	11	7	9	16
3	Nicole Hekle, UNH	So	10	6	9	15
	Jaclyn Hawkins, UConn	Fr	11	8	7	15
	Deborah Spillane, BC	Fr	12	6	9	15
6	Lindsay Hansen, UNH	Jr	10	4	10	14
7	Colleen Harris, BC	Fr	10	5	8	13
	Sarah Feldman, BC	Fr	12	7	6	13
9	Stephanie Jones, UNH	Sr	10	5	7	12
	Taylor Palazeti, UNH	Fr	10	5	7	12
11	Jennifer Hitchcock, UNH	Fr	10	6	5	11
	Tiffany Owens, UConn	Sr	11	6	5	11
	Sonny Watrous, PC	So	11	6	5	11
14	Lindsey Caleo, UNH	So	10	1	9	10

* defenseman

TEAM STATISTICS (League games)

TEAM OFFENSE

Team	GP	G	GPG
1.New Hampshire.....	4	25	6.25
2.Providence.....	2	7	3.50
3.Connecticut.....	3	7	2.33
4.Maine.....	4	8	2.00
5.Boston College.....	6	11	1.83
6.Northeastern.....	3	5	1.67

TEAM DEFENSE

Team	GP	GA	GAPG
1.New Hampshire.....	4	2	0.50
2.Providence.....	2	4	2.00
3.Connecticut.....	3	7	2.33
4.Maine.....	4	12	3.00
5.Boston College.....	6	21	3.50
6.Northeastern.....	3	17	5.67

POWER PLAY

Team	GP	PPG	Att	SHGA	Pct
1.Boston College.....	6	8	36	1	.222
2.New Hampshire.....	4	7	38	0	.184
3.Providence.....	2	2	14	0	.143
4.Maine.....	4	3	28	2	.107
5.Connecticut.....	3	1	20	0	.050
6.Northeastern.....	3	0	14	1	.000

PENALTY KILL

Team	GP	OPPG	Att	SHG	Pct
1.New Hampshire.....	4	1	31	1	.968
2.Boston College.....	6	3	38	1	.921
3.Providence.....	2	1	10	1	.900
4.Connecticut.....	3	2	16	0	.875
5.Maine.....	4	6	26	0	.769
6.Northeastern.....	3	8	29	1	.724

TEAM STATISTICS (All games)

TEAM OFFENSE

Team	GP	G	GPG
1.New Hampshire.....	10	45	4.50
2.Providence.....	11	36	3.27
3.Connecticut.....	11	31	2.82
4.Boston College.....	12	30	2.50
5.Maine.....	9	18	2.00
6.Northeastern.....	10	18	1.80

TEAM DEFENSE

Team	GP	GA	GAPG
1.New Hampshire.....	10	14	1.40
2.Providence.....	11	23	2.09
3.Maine.....	9	21	2.33
4.Connecticut.....	11	28	2.55
5.Boston College.....	12	44	3.67
6.Northeastern.....	10	45	4.50

POWER PLAY

Team	GP	PPG	Att	SHGA	Pct
1.Boston College.....	12	20	80	1	.250
2.Providence.....	11	20	93	0	.215
3.New Hampshire.....	10	18	96	0	.188
4.Connecticut.....	11	12	97	0	.124
5.Northeastern.....	10	6	66	4	.091
6.Maine.....	9	3	62	3	.048

PENALTY KILL

Team	GP	OPPG	Att	SHG	Pct
1.New Hampshire.....	10	2	81	2	.975
2.Providence.....	11	10	92	1	.891
3.Boston College.....	12	13	80	1	.837
4.Connecticut.....	11	12	73	0	.836
Maine.....	9	9	55	0	.836
6.Northeastern.....	10	14	78	1	.821



Boston College
3-8-1 (1-4-1 HE)

OCTOBER	
16 WAYNE STATE	L 3-4
17 WAYNE STATE	L 3-4
23 at Quinnipiac	L 2-3
24 NEW HAMPSHIRE	L 1-6
29 at Dartmouth	L 1-7
30 at Vermont	W 3-1

NOVEMBER	
5 CONNECTICUT	L 1-4
7 at Connecticut	L 2-3
13 at Maine	W 3-2
14 at Maine	T+ 2-2
19 at Northeastern	L 2-4
21 QUINNIPAC	W 7-4

DECEMBER	
3 PROVIDENCE	7pm
4 at Providence	7pm
7 VERMONT	7pm
12 PRINCETON	12noon

JANUARY	
1 vs. Clarkson *	4pm
2 vs. Clarkson *	6pm
8 at New Hampshire	2pm
15 NORTHEASTERN	2pm
16 at Northeastern	2pm
22 at Mercyhurst	2pm
23 at Mercyhurst	1pm

FEBRUARY	
4 at Connecticut	7pm
6 CONNECTICUT	2pm
8 vs. Boston University (B)	5pm
12 NORTHEASTERN	2pm
15 vs. NU / Harvard (B)	5/8pm
19 at Providence	2pm
20 PROVIDENCE	2pm
26 vs. Maine 1	4pm
27 MAINE	1pm

MARCH	
5 at New Hampshire	2pm
6 NEW HAMPSHIRE	2pm

* – at Lake Placid, NY
(B) – Beanpot Tournament at NU
1 – at Northeastern



Connecticut
5-3-3 (2-1-0 HE)

OCTOBER	
15 ST. LAWRENCE	L 5-6
16 ST. LAWRENCE	L 4-5
22 at New Hampshire	L 0-4
29 at Quinnipiac *	W 2-1
31 at Yale *	W 2-1

NOVEMBER	
5 at Boston College	W 4-1
7 BOSTON COLLEGE	W 3-2
12 NORTH DAKOTA	T+ 2-2
13 NORTH DAKOTA	W 5-2
19 at Minnesota State	T+ 2-2
20 at Minnesota State	T+ 2-2
27 at Princeton	1pm
28 at Princeton	1pm

DECEMBER	
4 at New Hampshire	2pm
8 HARVARD	7pm

JANUARY	
4 at Brown	7pm
8 at Niagara	2pm
9 at Mercyhurst	2pm
15 PROVIDENCE	2pm
16 at Providence	2pm
21 MAINE	7pm
22 MAINE	4pm
28 at Northeastern	7pm
29 NORTHEASTERN	7pm

FEBRUARY	
4 BOSTON COLLEGE	7pm
6 at Boston College	2pm
12 at Providence	2pm
13 PROVIDENCE	2pm
19 NEW HAMPSHIRE	2pm
20 NEW HAMPSHIRE	2pm
26 NORTHEASTERN	2pm
27 at Northeastern	2pm

MARCH	
4 at Maine	4pm
5 at Maine	12noon

* – Nutmeg Classic Tournament



Maine
3-4-2 (0-3-1 HE)

OCTOBER	
15 at Vermont	W 2-0
16 at Vermont	T+ 2-2
29 BROWN	L 0-3

NOVEMBER	
6 WAYNE STATE	W 2-1
7 WAYNE STATE	W+ 4-3
13 BOSTON COLLEGE	L 2-3
14 BOSTON COLLEGE	T+ 2-2
20 PROVIDENCE	L 2-3
21 PROVIDENCE	L 2-4
27 at Colgate	1pm
28 at Colgate	1pm

DECEMBER	
3 at Northeastern	7pm
4 at Northeastern	3pm
11 QUINNIPAC	1pm
12 QUINNIPAC	1pm

JANUARY	
1 YALE	12noon
7 SACRED HEART	4pm
8 SACRED HEART	1pm
14 at New Hampshire	7pm
15 at New Hampshire	2pm
21 at Connecticut	7pm
22 at Connecticut	4pm

FEBRUARY	
5 at Providence	2pm
6 at Providence	2pm
12 NEW HAMPSHIRE	1pm
13 NEW HAMPSHIRE	1pm
18 NORTHEASTERN	4pm
19 NORTHEASTERN	12noon
26 vs. Boston College 1	4pm
27 at Boston College	1pm

MARCH	
4 CONNECTICUT	4pm
5 CONNECTICUT	12noon
1 – at Northeastern	

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



New Hampshire
8-1-1 (4-0-0 HE)

OCTOBER	
12 at Vermont	W 5-0
15 NIAGARA	W 4-1
16 NIAGARA	W+ 4-3
22 CONNECTICUT	W 4-0
24 at Boston College	W 6-1
31 BROWN	W 2-0

NOVEMBER	
3 NORTHEASTERN	W 8-0
13 at St. Lawrence	T+ 2-2
14 at St. Lawrence	L 3-5
20 NORTHEASTERN	W 7-1
27 MINNESOTA STATE *	4pm
28 MERCYHURST *	4pm

DECEMBER	
1 at Dartmouth	7pm
4 CONNECTICUT	2pm
9 at Northeastern	7pm
11 HARVARD	5pm

JANUARY	
1 PRINCETON	2pm
2 YALE	2pm
5 DARTMOUTH	7pm
8 BOSTON COLLEGE	2pm
11 COLGATE	7pm
14 MAINE	7pm
15 MAINE	2pm
29 at Providence	2pm
30 PROVIDENCE	2pm

FEBRUARY	
4 at Northeastern	7pm
12 at Maine	1pm
13 at Maine	1pm
19 at Connecticut	2pm
20 at Connecticut	2pm
26 PROVIDENCE	2pm
27 at Providence	2pm

MARCH	
5 BOSTON COLLEGE	2pm
6 at Boston College	2pm

* – UNH Tournament



Northeastern
2-7-1 (1-2-0 HE)

OCTOBER	
22 at Niagara	L 2-7
23 at Niagara	L 0-6
26 QUINNIPAC	W 3-0

NOVEMBER	
3 at New Hampshire	L 0-8
6 ST. LAWRENCE	L 1-6
7 CLARKSON	L 1-2
13 at Ohio State	T+ 1-1
14 at Ohio State	L+ 5-6
19 BOSTON COLLEGE	W 4-2
20 at New Hampshire	L 1-7
23 at Brown	7pm
26 vs. Minnesota 1	1pm
27 vs. Wisconsin 1	1pm

DECEMBER	
3 MAINE	7pm
4 MAINE	3pm
9 NEW HAMPSHIRE	7pm
11 PRINCETON	1pm

JANUARY	
15 at Boston College	2pm
16 BOSTON COLLEGE	2pm
22 at Providence	2pm
23 PROVIDENCE	2pm
28 CONNECTICUT	7pm
29 at Connecticut	7pm

FEBRUARY	
4 NEW HAMPSHIRE	7pm
8 HARVARD (B)	8pm
12 at Boston College	2pm
15 BC / BU (B)	5/8pm
18 at Maine	4pm
19 at Maine	12noon
26 at Connecticut	2pm
27 CONNECTICUT	2pm

MARCH	
5 PROVIDENCE	2pm
6 at Providence	2pm

1 – at Harvard
(B) – Beanpot Tournament at NU



Providence
6-2-3 (2-0-0 HE)

OCTOBER	
16 at Colgate	W 6-2
17 at Colgate	L 1-2
23 VERMONT	W 2-1
24 VERMONT	W 5-0
30 PRINCETON	T+ 4-4
31 PRINCETON	L 1-4

NOVEMBER	
6 CLARKSON	T+ 3-3
7 ST. LAWRENCE	W 5-1
10 at Harvard	T+ 2-2
20 at Maine	W 3-2
21 at Maine	W 4-2
27 at Brown *	7pm
29 at Yale	7:30pm

DECEMBER	
3 at Boston College	7pm
4 BOSTON COLLEGE	7pm

JANUARY	
2 at Dartmouth	2pm
8 at Mercyhurst	2pm
9 at Niagara	1pm
15 at Connecticut	2pm
16 CONNECTICUT	2pm
22 NORTHEASTERN	2pm
23 at Northeastern	2pm
29 NEW HAMPSHIRE	2pm
30 at New Hampshire	2pm

FEBRUARY	
5 MAINE	2pm
6 MAINE	2pm
12 CONNECTICUT	2pm
13 at Connecticut	2pm
19 BOSTON COLLEGE	2pm
20 at Boston College	2pm
26 at New Hampshire	2pm
27 NEW HAMPSHIRE	2pm

MARCH	
5 at Northeastern	2pm
6 NORTHEASTERN	2pm

* – Mayor's Cup