

WOMEN'S Director of Public Relations **TEYY WEEKEND** PREVIEW

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WEEKEND PREVIEW #6

NORTHEASTERN HEADS TO VERMONT FOR A TWO-GAME MATCH UP ~PC hosts BU. travels to UConn: UNH entertains UConn and Maine~

WAKEFIELD, Mass. - Six WHEA games are on tap for the Halloween weekend, as Vermont hosts Northeastern for a two-game set beginning on Friday night at Gutterson Fieldhouse, while No. 10 ranked Boston University plays at Providence. No. 4 UNH will host Connecticut on Friday and Maine on Sunday at the Whittemore Center. Providence College will travel to Storrs for a Sunday afternoon game at UConn.

The Catamounts are coming off a weekend split with Princeton, while the Huskies swept Bemidji State in a pair of one-goal games last weekend. NU and UVM have met 18 times in the all-time series, with NU holding a 13-3-2 all-time mark. Northeastern took two of three from Vermont last season, including a 4-3 victory on Feb. 15 that clinched a spot in the Hockey East playoffs for the Huskies.

UNH's Kelly Paton (Woodstock, Ont.) and Micaela Long (South Boston, Mass.) are tied for the overall league lead in scoring with 12 points apiece. UNH is 63-0-9 in home league regular-season games since the inception of Hockey East in 2003. The Wildcats won the first meeting with UConn this year by a score of 3-1 on October 3 in Durham. UConn defeated Brown and Union by a combined score of 12-2 last weekend.

The Terriers own a 2-2-0 record in their first four WHEA openers since joining the league in 2005-06. The Friars already have two wins in league play after a series with Maine back on Oct. 2 and 3. Sophomore forward Ashley Cottrell (Sterling Heights, Mich.) leads the PC roster in scoring with seven points (5g,2a).

UNH has a 30-1-3 lifetime record, including 3-0-0 last season, vs. the Black Bears. The Wildcats have won in the last 25 meetings (22-0-3). Maine is led statistically by Jenna Ouellette (Winnipeg, Man.), she has notched 11 points this season and needs only seven points to match her total of 18 from the 2008-09 season.

The UConn Huskies and PC Friars will meet for the first time this season. The Friars owned a 3-1-0 record vs. UConn last season, which included a 3-0 PC win in the WHEA quarterfinal playoffs at Schneider Arena on Feb. 28 in their last meeting.

Boston College is the lone WHEA team idle on the weekend, they return to action for a rare Monday night game vs. Boston University at Walter Brown Arena on Nov. 2.

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<u>Rk</u> .	Team	GP	W	L	T	SOW	Pts	Overall	Conf. Off.	<u>Conf. Def.</u>
1.	Northeastern	2	1	0	1	1	4	5-1-1	2.00 (4)	1.50 (3)
	Providence	2	2	0	0	0	4	3-3-2	3.00 (6)	0.50 (1)
3.	New Hampshire	1	1	0	0	0	2	5-1-2	3.00 (3)	1.00 (1)
	Boston College	2	0	1	1	1	2	1-2-4	1.50 (3)	2.00 (4)
5.	Connecticut	2	0	1	1	0	1	4-3-1	1.00 (2)	2.00 (4)
	Maine	3	0	2	1	0	1	2-6-1	0.67 (2)	2.33 (7)
7.	Boston University	/ 0	0	0	0	0	0	2-1-4	0.00 (0)	0.00 (0)
	, Vermont	0	0	0	0	0	0	4-2-0	0.00 (O)	0.00 (0)

Conference games tied after 65 minutes advance to a three-player shootout with the winning team receiving an extra point in the standings (denoted in the SOW column).

RECENT RESULTS

Friday, October 23 at Northeastern 2, Bemidji State 1 Connecticut 8 at Brown 1 at Vermont 4, Princeton 3 Robert Morris 3 at Maine 1 Yale 2 at Providence 2 OT No. 9 Boston U. 2 at No. 7 St. Lawrence 2 OT at No. 4 Clarkson 6, No. 3 New Hampshire 2

Saturday, October 24

at Northeastern 3. Bemidii State 2 at Connecticut 4. Union 1 No. 3 New Hampshire 3 at No. 7 St. Lawrence 3 OT Robert Morris 1 at Maine 0 OT Princeton 7 at Vermont 2 at No. 4 Clarkson 7, No. 9 Boston U. 2

Sunday, October 25 Brown 5 at Providence 1 (Mayor's Cup)

UPCOMING GAMES Friday, October 30 Northeastern at Vermont * (7pm)

Saturday, October 31 Northeastern at Vermont * (4pm) No. 10 Boston U. at Providence * (2pm) Connecticut at No. 4 New Hampshire * (5pm)

Sunday, November 1 Maine at No. 4 New Hampshire * (3pm) Providence at Connecticut * (4pm)

> All game times are EST * denotes league games

WHEA ALL-STARS vs. U.S. National Team Sunday, November 22, 2009 (1pm)



at UNH's Whittemore Center (Durham, N.H.) Tickets are onsale now (\$9 adults, \$5 Student) To purchase tickets visit www.ticketmaster.com or call 1-800-745-3000

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