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## Natalie Mlynkova Named Hockey East Player of the Month

*Welcke Tabbed as Top Rookie, Murphy Best D, Philips Is Honored Goaltender*



### Hockey East Player of the Month

#### Natalie Mlynkova - Vermont

Junior; Zlin, Czechia

In the month of November, Natalie Mlynková took over the Catamounts lead in scoring with seven goals and seven assists for 14 points in seven games. Her 2.00 points per game was best among all players in Hockey EAst while her 14 points was tied for fourth nationally. She registered her first career hat trick in a win at Maine on November 4. With her offensive surge this month she is now tied for second in Hockey East in scoring with 25 points.

Nov.	Opponent	Result	G-A-P
4	at Maine	W, 6-1	3-0-3
5	at Maine	W, 7-2	1-0-1
11	BOSTON UNIV.	W, 2-1	2-0-2
12	BOSTON UNIV.	L, 3-4 (OT)	0-3-3
17	at Merrimack	W, 5-1	0-1-1
18	at Merrimack	W, 3-0	0-1-1
29	DARTMOUTH	W, 4-1	1-2-3
<b>Totals</b>		<b>6-1-0</b>	<b>7-7-14</b>

**Runner-up:** Alina Mueller, Northeastern



### Pro Ambitions

#### Rookie of the Month

#### Lilli Welcke - Maine

Forward; Heidelberg, Germany

Lilli Welcke led all Hockey East rookies with six points in November, including and NCAA-best five assists among first-year players. She recorded two multi-point outings and won 55.1% of her faceoffs taken. She fired 21 shots on net in eight games, good for 10th nationally.

Nov.	Opponent	Result	G-A-P
4	VERMONT	L, 1-6	0-0-0
5	VERMONT	L, 2-7	0-0-0
11	HOLY CROSS	W, 4-0	0-2-2
12	HOLY CROSS	W, 4-1	0-2-2
18	at Providence	L, 0-3	0-0-0
19	at Providence	L, 1-5	1-0-1
25	at Clarkson	L, 1-8	0-0-0
26	at Clarkson	W, 5-4 (OT)	0-1-1
<b>Totals</b>		<b>3-5-0</b>	<b>1-5-6</b>

**Runner-up:** Reichen Kirchmair, Providence



### Army ROTC

#### Defender of the Month

#### Ellice Murphy - Vermont

Graduate; Roseau, Minn.

Ellice Murphy was tops among all league blue-liners with seven points, which tied for second in the NCAA in November. Her plus-eight rating was also third among all defenders in the nation. She recorded two multi-point outings, one game-winning goal, and one power-play strike.

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<b>Totals</b>		<b>6-1-0</b>	<b>3-4-7</b>

**Runner-up:** Maude Poulin-Labelle, Northeastern



### Stop It Goaltending

#### Goaltender of the Month

#### Gwyneth Philips - Northeastern

Senior; Athens, Ohio

Gwyneth Philips posted an 8-1-0 record for Northeastern during November, her eight wins led all goaltenders nationally. Philips posted three shutouts during November. She currently owns a 0.90 GAA and .956 save percentage which leads all Hockey East goalies and ranks second and third nationally, respectively.

Nov.	Opponent	Result	Min	Svs	GA
4	at New Hampshire	W, 5-0	60:00	11	0
5	NEW HAMPSHIRE	W, 8-2	60:00	28	2
11	BOSTON COLLEGE	W, 4-0	59:54	15	0
12	at Boston College	W, 2-0	59:44	21	0
15	at Providence	L, 0-2	55:40	10	2
18	HOLY CROSS	W, 2-1	60:00	23	1
19	at Holy Cross	W, 5-2	60:00	19	2
25	vs. Princeton	W, 4-1	60:00	26	1
26	vs. Cornell	W, 5-1	60:00	24	1
<b>Totals</b>		<b>8-1-0</b>	<b>535:08</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>1.01 GAA, .952 SV%</b>					

**Runner-up:** Sandra Abstreiter, Providence

