SUNY Cortland Field Hockey

SUNY Cortland vs. University of Rochester
Wednesday, September 7, 2005; SUNY Cortland Stadium Complex; Cortland, N.Y.

FINAL SCORE: Cortland 1, Rochester 0

CORTLAND, N.Y. – Junior forward Kelli Johnson (Elma/Iroquois Central) scored 3:26 into the game as Cortland defeated Rochester, 1-0, in a non-league matchup. The Red Dragons improve to 3-0 with the victory, while the Yellowjackets even their record at 1-1.

Cortland dominated much of the contest, outshooting Rochester, 34-2, and taking 17 penalty corners to two for the guests. However, Rochester stayed in the game with its defense, especially the play of sophomore goalie Rachel Cahan (Evanston, IL/North Shore Country). Cahan made 18 saves, many from point-blank range, to keep the game close. She turned away nine shots in each half. Rochester also recorded three defensive saves – two by junior Heidi Davies (New Canaan, CT) and one by sophomore Alicia Citro (Acton, MA/Acton-Boxborough).

Cortland got on the board when senior Becky Osier (Morrisville/Morrisville-Eaton) gained control of the ball in the circle and sent a short pass in traffic to Johnson, who knocked in a shot from about five yards away for her third goal of the season.

Rochester only took one shot in the second half, but almost tied the game on it. The Yellowjackets earned a penalty corner with just under six minutes remaining and worked the ball to junior Celinda Fletcher (Pittsford/Pittsford Mendon). Her shot from the right side trickled toward the goal line near the left post, but a diving defensive save by junior Sarah Child (Cooperstown) poked the ball away at the last second.

Cortland senior goaltender Jessica Anderson (East Islip) recorded the shutout despite not making any saves. The Red Dragons will host Houghton College on Friday at 4:30 p.m.

Scoring Summary (Goals-Assists):

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