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SUNY Cortland Softball

SUNY Cortland vs. SUNY Oswego (Doubleheader)
Friday, April 9, 2004; Dragon Field; Cortland, N.Y.

GAME 1: Cortland 9, Oswego 2
GAME 2: Cortland 11, Oswego 1 (5 inn.)

CORTLAND, N.Y. – Cortland scored eight runs in the bottom of the sixth inning, including a grand slam by senior Lara Stone (Windsor), to erase a 2-1 deficit and the Red Dragons defeated Oswego, 9-2, in the opening game of a SUNYAC doubleheader. Ranked ninth nationally in Division III, Cortland (19-3, 8-0 SUNYAC) completed the sweep with an 11-1 win in the nightcap that was called after five innings due to the eight-run rule.

Sophomore Stephanie Adamshick (Milton/Marlboro) improved her record to 11-0 in the opener, allowing just two hits and two unearned runs in seven innings. She struck out 10 and walked three and has not allowed an earned run over the past 35 innings.

Junior Erin Bock (East Hampton) was 3-for-4 with two doubles and sophomore Jen Rockwell (Scotia) drove in two runs for the Red Dragons. Willow Eyres singled in two runs for Oswego (3-15, 0-6) to give the Lakers their short-lived lead. Junior Heather McBride (Mechanicville) allowed only one run and four hits over the first five innings before being tagged for eight runs on six hits in the sixth.

Cortland took a 1-0 lead in the bottom of the fifth inning in the first game. Sophomore Nicole Fredericks (West Babylon) led off with a single down the left field line and moved to second on an infield single by sophomore Kaylin VanDusen (Schuyler/West Canada Valley). One out later, junior Kim Huson (Binghamton/Johnson City) walked to load the bases and Rockwell drew a walk to force in the run. McBride struck out the next two batters to escape further damage.

McBride and freshman Carolyn Agle (Eden) drew walks off Adamshick to lead off the sixth. Adamshick struck out the next two batters and appeared to get out of the jam when Constanza hit a grounder to short, but Colombo couldn't maintain possession of the ball as she tried to touch second base and everyone was safe. Eyres followed with a two-run single to short right, with Agle just beating the throw home for the go-ahead run.

Colombo singled to start Cortland's rally in the sixth and Bock doubled off the fence in left center to put runners on second and third. Fredericks reached on a fielder's choice grounder to short, with no advancement by the runners, to load the bases. Senior Jill Seymour (Conklin/Susquehanna Valley) tied the game with an RBI single down the third base line and Huson walked to force in the go-ahead run. Rockwell then singled to left to plate a run and Stone cleared the bases with a line drive that cleared the wall in left. Cortland added an unearned run to complete the inning.

In the second game, senior Pip Colombo (Williamsville/Williamsville North) hit a two-run homer and freshman Ang D'Amboise (Ballston Lake/Shenendehowa) allowed two hits over five innings for the victory. D'Amboise struck out three and walked one.

Cortland scored once in the first on a Stone RBI double and had seven runners cross the plate in the top of the second. Huson drew a bases-loaded walk and Stone singled in two runs two batters later. Colombo then doubled in two runs and junior Keri Banta (Washingtonville) followed with an RBI single. Fredericks added an RBI single to finish the rally. Colombo hit her two-run homer in the third and freshman Dominique Talbot (Rockville Centre/Southside) doubled in a run in the fourth. Colombo finished 2-for-3 with four RBI, Stone was 2-for-2 with three RBI and Frederics and Talbot were each 2-for-3 with an RBI.

Sophomore Missy Constanza (Hannibal) hit a solo homer in the second for Oswego and Eyres reached base twice on a single and walk.

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Oswego: Heather McBride (L, 1-6) and Missy Constanza
Cortland: Stephanie Adamshick (W, 11-0) and Jill Seymour, Keri Banta (7)

HR - Lara Stone (C) (grand slam)
2B - Erin Bock (C) 2

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Cortland: Ang D'Amboise (W, 3-2) and Keri Banta, Blythe Beecher (5) (Red Dragons: 19-3, 8-0 SUNYAC)
Oswego: Carolyn Agle (L, 1-3), Heather McBride (3) and Missy Constanza (Lakers: 3-15, 0-6 SUNYAC)

HR - Pip Colombo (C), Missy Constanza (OS)
2B - Lara Stone (C), Pip Colombo (C), Dominique Talbot (C)