SUNY Cortland Softball

Doubleheader vs. SUNY Oneonta
Friday, April 28, 2006; Red Dragon Field; Oneonta, N.Y.

GAME 1: Cortland 12, Oneonta 2 (5 inn.)
GAME 2: Cortland 8, Oneonta 0 (5 inn.)

SUNY Cortland completed its SUNYAC regular-season schedule with 12-2 and 8-0 victories at Oneonta. Both games were called after five innings due to the eight-run rule. Winners of 12 straight games, the Red Dragons improved to 28-8 overall and 18-2 in the league. After losing its first two SUNYAC contests, Cortland won 18 consecutive league games and is guaranteed at least the second seed in next week's six-team conference post-season tournament.

In the opener, senior Jen Rockwell (Scotia) went 3-for-4 with two doubles and five RBI to lead Cortland. Junior Blythe Beecher (Corning/Corning East) was 2-for-3 with a double and two RBI and junior Megan Dore (Staatsburg/F.D. Roosevelt) and junior Jamie Neuner (Brewster) were each 2-for-3. Senior Stephanie Adamshick (Milton/Marlboro) allowed four hits and two runs over four innings for the victory. She is 13-3 on the season.

Rockwell doubled in two runs in the first, hit an RBI double in the second and added a two-run single in the third. Beecher had an RBI double in the second and a run-scoring single in the fifth. Beecher had an RBI double in the second and a run-scoring single in the fifth.

Oneonta committed seven errors, causing seven of Cortland’s 12 runs to be unearned. Meghan Martin drove in the hosts’ two runs with a two-run triple in the fourth. Martin tried to score on a fly ball by the next batter, but was thrown out at home by Rockwell.

Junior Ang D’Amboise (Ballston Lake/Shenendehowa) won the nightcap, giving up only three hits and one walk and striking out eight in five innings. She increased her record to 12-4 with the victory. Junior Stefanie Cola (Binghamton/Chenango Valley) was 2-for-2 with a double and an RBI and sophomore Amanda Barnett (Syracuse/Jameville-DeWitt) finished 2-for-2.

Junior Dominique Talbot’s (Rockville Centre/Southside) RBI single in the second gave Cortland a 1-0 lead. The Red Dragons added four runs in the third on a Neuner RBI triple, a Tina Milani (Hopewell Junction/John Jay East Fishkill) RBI groundout, Cola’s RBI double and an error after a Barnett single.

The Red Dragons ended the game with three runs in the bottom of the fifth. With the bases loaded, Dore singled to drive in a run, junior Kate Yaun (Liberty) was hit by a pitch to force in a run and Neuner drew a walk to bring home the final tally.

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Cortland | 2 4 4 | 0 2 | 12 13 0 |
Oneonta  | 0 0 0 | 0 2 | 2 4 7 |

Cortland: Stephanie Adamshick (W, 13-3), Erin Brain (5) and Blythe Beecher
Oneonta: Kathleen Wood (L, 8-8) and Michelle Norwich

3B – Meghan Martin (ON)
2B – Jen Rockwell 2 (C), Blythe Beecher (C), Allison Bandos (ON)

GAME 2: Cortland 8, Oneonta 0 (5 inn.)

123 45  |  R  |  H  |  E  |
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Oneonta  | 0 0 0 | 0 3 | 5  |
Cortland | 0 1 4 | 0 3 | 8 8 0 |

Oneonta: Kim Prior (L, 4-4) and Michelle Norwich (Red Dragons: 17-17, 8-10 SUNYAC)
Cortland: Ang D’Amboise (W, 12-4) and Amanda Barnett (Red Dragons: 28-8, 18-2 SUNYAC)

3B – Jamie Neuner (C)
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