SUNY Cortland Men’s Soccer

SUNY Cortland vs. Ithaca College
Wednesday, Sept. 1, 2004; Ithaca, N.Y.

FINAL SCORE: Ithaca 1, Cortland 0 (2 OT)

ITHACA, N.Y. – Ithaca’s Andy Smith scored 3:17 into the second 10-minute sudden-victory overtime period to give the host Bombers a 1-0 victory over Cortland in the men’s soccer season opener for both teams.

John DeCarlo assisted on the game-winning goal, which came on Ithaca’s fourth shot of the second overtime. Ithaca has won its season opener nine times in the last 11 years. Cortland suffered its first season-opening loss since the 2000 season.

Junior Ross Morelli (Rochester/Hilton) started in goal and was credited with 13 saves in 84:44 of playing time. Junior Sean Trask (Alplaus/Niskayuna) played 18:33 in goal, stopping three shots and allowing the winning goal. Ithaca goalie Ted Meyer made 15 saves.

Cortland, the three-time defending SUNYAC champion, will host nationally 12th-ranked Stevens Tech (N.J.) on Friday at 7 p.m.

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Scoring Summary (Goals-Assists):
Cortland: no scoring
Ithaca: Andy Smith 1-0, John DeCarlo 0-1

Halftime: Cortland 0, Ithaca 0
End of Regulation: Cortland 0, Ithaca 0
Shots: Ithaca 25, Cortland 15
Corner Kicks: Ithaca 3, Cortland 3
Saves: Ross Morelli (Cortland) 13 (0 GA in 84:44), Sean Trask (Cortland) 3 (1 GA in 18:33); Ted Meyer (Ithaca) 15 (0 GA in 103:17)
Records after game: Cortland (Red Dragons) 0-1, Ithaca (Bombers) 1-0

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