SUNY Cortland Women's Ice Hockey

vs. Buffalo State; Friday, October 31, 2003
Alumni Ice Arena; Cortland, N.Y.

FINAL SCORE: Cortland 4, Buffalo State 3 (OT)

CORTLAND, N.Y. -- Freshman Lindsay Weinstein (Rochester/Rochester Edge) scored off an assist from sophomore Caitlin Fusco (Rochester/Rochester Edge) 2 minutes, 27 seconds into overtime to lead the Cortland women's ice hockey team to a 4-3 win over Buffalo State Friday night in a non-conference opener for both teams. The two teams are scheduled to meet again Saturday at 2 p.m.

Senior Janelle Schmitt (Arlington, WA/Northwest Admirals) gave the Bengals a 1-0 lead at 4:09 of the first period when she forced a turnover in Cortland's zone and scored an unassisted goal. The Red Dragons tied the game up 11 and a half minutes later when sophomore Bethany Tombolillo (Ogdensburg/Ogdensburg Silver Leaves) pounced on a rebound and flipped a shot past Buffalo State senior goalie Mary Keddie (Williamsville/Buffalo Bisons) for her first career goal. Sophomore Kate Ciraulo (Troy/Troy-Albany Ice Cats) and Weinstein assisted on the score.

The Red Dragons scored the only goal of the second period to take a 2-1 lead. Junior Melissa Manning (Syracuse/Syracuse Stars) converted on a breakaway just eight seconds into the period for Cortland. Buffalo State tied the game 2-2 at 5:15 of the third period when senior Emma Wadsworth (Arlington, VA/Reston Raiders) deflected Schmitt's shot from the left point past Cortland junior goaltender Kelly Fillmore (Columbia Heights, MN/Bethel College) on the power play. The Bengals retook the lead on sophomore Amanda Uschold's (Rochester/Rochester Edge) rebound goal at 11:19. Schmitt registered her second assist of the game on the score.

Cortland wasted little time in evening the game. One minute, 1 second later, sophomore Dani Blanchard (Clarksville/Troy-Albany Ice Cats) converted freshman Judy Ellis's (Saratoga Springs/Troy-Albany Ice Cats) perfect feed on a two-on-one break to tie the game at 3-3, setting the stage for Weinstein's game winner.

Fillmore made 24 saves in her first game as a Red Dragon, while Keddie, the 2002-03 ECAC West Player of the Year, stopped 32 shots for the Bengals.

(Summary and goal-by-goal scoring on next page)
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Score by periods:
Buffalo State  1-0-2-0  3
Cortland  1-1-1-1  4

Scoring Summary (Goals-Assists):
Buffalo State: Janelle Schmitt 1-2, Amanda Uschold 1-0, Emma Wadsworth 1-0, Nicole Jewell 0-1
Cortland: Lindsay Weinstein 1-1, Dani Blanchard 1-0, Melissa Manning 1-0, Bethany Tombolillo 1-0, Kate Ciraulo 0-1, Judy Ellis 0-1, Caitlin Fusco 0-1

Saves: Mary Keddie (Buffalo State) 32 saves (4 GA in 62:27); Kelly Fillmore (Cortland) 24 saves (3 GA in 62:27)
Shots on Goal: Cortland 36 (11-14-10-1), Buffalo State 27 (8-9-9-1)
Penalties: Buffalo State 4-8:00, Cortland 3-6:00
Power Play: Cortland 0-4, Buffalo State 1-3
Records after game: Cortland (Red Dragons) 1-0; Buffalo State (Bengals) 0-1

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