SUNY Cortland Women's Ice Hockey

vs. Wesleyan University (CT); Sunday, December 7, 2003
Alumni Ice Arena; Cortland, N.Y.

FINAL SCORE: Wesleyan 4, Cortland 1

CORTLAND, N.Y. -- Freshman Jaime Wendel (Cambridge, MA/Cambridge Rindge and Latin) scored a pair of goals, including the game winner, to lead the Wesleyan women's ice hockey team to a 4-1 win over Cortland Sunday afternoon at Alumni Arena in a non-conference game. The Cardinals improved to 3-4 on the season, while the Red Dragons fell to 2-8-1 overall.

Cortland opened the scoring just 1:36 into the game. Sophomore Dani Blanchard (Clarksville/Troy-Albany Ice Cats) netted her team-high seventh goal of the season when she knocked a rebound past Wesleyan senior goaltender Liz Courtney (Belmont, MA/Pomfret (CT) School). Sophomores Kate Ciraulo (Troy/Troy-Albany Ice Cats) and Caitlin Fusco (Rochester/Rochester Edge) each assisted on the score.

The Red Dragons held the lead until 3:55 of the second period when Wendel scored her first of the game, knocking a rebound past Cortland senior goalie Rachel Hutchinson (Canton/Potsdam Silver Blades) to tie the score at 1-1. Senior Andrea Snow (Amherst, NH/Souhegan H.S.) and junior Frances Jacobus-Parker (Ithaca/Concord (MA) Academy) picked up the assists. Wendel then gave Wesleyan the lead with a shot from the low slot off a pass from junior Anna Siliciano (Ithaca/Ithaca H.S.) at 11:35 of the second. Snow converted on the power play at 16:11 to make it a 3-1 game at the end of two periods.

Freshman Danielle Bugge (West Windsor, NJ/West Windsor-Plainboro H.S.) finished the scoring with a short-handed effort at 3:17 of the third period. Siliciano collected her third assist of the game on the goal.

Courtney made 25 saves for the Cardinals, while Hutchinson, playing in the final home game of her career, stopped 29 shots for the Red Dragons.

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

Scoring Summary (Goals-Assists):
Wesleyan: Jaime Wendel 2-0, Andrea Snow 1-1, Danielle Bugge 1-0, Anna Siliciano 0-3, Meghan Frederico 0-1, Frances Jacobus-Parker 0-1
Cortland: Dani Blanchard 1-0, Kate Ciraulo 0-1, Caitlin Fusco 0-1

Saves: Liz Courtney (Wesleyan) 25 saves (1 GA in 60:00); Rachel Hutchinson (Cortland) 29 saves (4 GA in 60:00)
Shots on Goal: Wesleyan 33 (7-11-15), Cortland 26 (13-8-8)
Penalties: Cortland 7-14:00, Wesleyan 7-14:00
Power Play: Wesleyan 1-6, Cortland 0-6
Records after game: Cortland (Red Dragons) 2-8-1; Wesleyan (Cardinals) 3-4

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