SUNY Cortland Women's Ice Hockey
vs. Buffalo St.; Saturday, February 19, 2005
Alumni Ice Arena; Cortland, N.Y.

FINAL SCORE: Cortland 5, Buffalo St. 1

CORTLAND, N.Y. -- Five different players scored goals to lead the Cortland women’s ice hockey team to a 5-1 win over Buffalo St. Saturday afternoon in women’s ECAC West action at Alumni Arena. With the win, the Red Dragons improved to 8-11 overall and 3-8 in the conference and set a school record for wins since the program re-started in 2000-01. The Bengals fell to 3-12-1 and 0-9.

Senior Brooke Bazinet (Clayton/Potsdam Silver Blades) and junior Kate Ciraulo (Troy/Troy-Albany Ice Cats) each had a goal and an assist for Cortland. Sophomore Judy Ellis (Saratoga Springs/Troy-Albany Ice Cats) and freshmen Janie Byrd (Auburn/Ithaca Shooting Stars) and Kelly Crumb (Pittsford/Rochester Edge) added a goal apiece. Senior goalie Kelly Fillmore (Columbia Heights, MN/Bethel College) stopped 16 shots to run her record to 6-4 on the season.

Sophomore Jamie Overbeck (Tonawanda/Buffalo Bisons) scored Buffalo St.’s goal with junior Amanda Uschold (Rochester/Rochester Edge) and freshman Jessica Thieme (Roselle, IL/Chicago Mission) picking up assists. Freshman goalie Shannon Anesetti (Canonsburg, PA/Erie Lady Lions) registered 32 saves.

Cortland opened up the scoring with a short-handed goal by Ellis at 9:03 of the first period. Bazinet knocked the puck to junior Dani Blanchard (Clarksville/Troy-Albany Ice Cats), who sent a pass to Ellis on the left wing. Ellis moved in on Anesetti and beat her to the far post with a backhand shot. Byrd made it a 2-0 game at 11:09 of the first when her slap shot from the right point deflected off a Bengals’ defenseman’s stick and past Anesetti.

Cortland added a pair of goals late in the second period for a 4-0 lead. Bazinet hit the upper right corner from the high slot with a slap shot at 16:31, and Crumb netted a short-handed goal at 18:54 after senior Melissa Manning (Syracuse/Syracuse Stars) dug the puck out of the corner and fed a pass in front.

The Bengals finally solved Fillmore early in the third period on the power play. After an initial save by Fillmore, Overbeck knocked in a loose puck after a scramble in front of the goal at 2:22. Ciraulo finished the scoring at 14:05 with a low shot from just outside of the crease.

Cortland’s eight seniors -- Bazinet, Fillmore, Manning, Abby Brener, Tara Caley, Lindsay Davies, MaryAnn Knott and Heather Nelson -- were honored prior to the game.

The teams meet again at 2 p.m. on Sunday at Alumni Arena.

(Summary and goal-by-goal scoring on next page)
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Score by periods:
Buffalo St.  0-0-1   1
Cortland    2-2-1   5

Scoring Summary (Goals-Assists):
Buffalo St.: Jamie Overbeck 1-0, Amanda Uschold 0-1, Jessica Thieme 0-1
Cortland: Brooke Bazinet 1-1, Kate Ciraulo 1-1, Janie Byrd 1-0, Kelly Crumb 1-0, Judy Ellis 1-0, Amanda McCann 0-1, Erin Fleury 0-1, Lindsay Weinstein 0-1, Melissa Manning 0-1, Dani Blanchard 0-1, Heather Nelson 0-1

Saves: Shannon Anesetti (Buffalo St.) 32 saves (5 GA in 60:00); Kelly Fillmore (Cortland) 16 saves (1 GA in 60:00)

Shots on Goal: Buffalo St. 17 (5-4-8), Cortland 37 (12-13-12)

Penalties: Buffalo St. 6-12:00, Cortland 10-20:00

Power Play: Buffalo St. 1-10, Cortland 0-6

Records after game: Cortland (Red Dragons) 8-11, 3-8 ECAC West; Buffalo St. (Bengals) 3-12-1, 0-9 ECAC West

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