SUNY Cortland Women's Soccer
SUNY Plattsburgh vs. SUNY Cortland
Saturday, September 28, 2002; Holloway Field; Cortland, N.Y.

FINAL SCORE: Cortland 1, Plattsburgh 0

CORTLAND, N.Y. – Cortland sophomore Angela Bruno (Syracuse/West Genesee) scored in the game’s first minute, and the Red Dragons made the score stand as they held off visiting Plattsburgh for a 1-0 win Saturday afternoon at Holloway Field. With the victory, Cortland improves to 4-3 overall and 3-0 in the SUNYAC, while Plattsburgh drops to 7-2 and 2-2.

The game’s lone goal came just 49 seconds into the contest. Cortland junior Jodie Gabel (Glen Rock, NJ) crossed the ball from the left side into the box, where it deflected off a Plattsburgh defender right to Bruno, who one-timed the ball into the goal.

The remainder of the game was an evenly-matched contest with scoring opportunities coming at a premium. Cortland senior Mandy DaRin (Liverpool) had two good chances to give the Red Dragons an insurance goal in the second half, but her 10-yard shot from the right side bounced off the outside of the right post in the 48th minute and her bid from eight yards out was stopped by Cardinal senior goalkeeper Corie Gaidusek (Scotia) in the 72nd minute.

Plattsburgh pressed for the equalizer late in the game and nearly tied the score with 20 seconds remaining. Junior defender Jacki Todd (Penfield) ran onto a loose ball in the box but had her shot stuffed by Cortland senior goalie Ali Gray (Commack), who scrambled off her line to make the play 10 yards from the goal.

Gaidusek finished the game with eight saves, while Gray made five stops to register the shutout. The Red Dragons outshot the Cardinals 15-14 and held a 5-3 edge in corner kicks.

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Scoring Summary (Goals-Assists):
Plattsburgh: none
Cortland: Angela Bruno 1-0, Jodie Gabel 0-1

Halftime: Cortland 1, Plattsburgh 0
Shots: Cortland 15, Plattsburgh 14
Corner Kicks: Cortland 5, Plattsburgh 3
Saves: Corie Gaidusek (Plattsburgh) 8 (1 GA in 90:00) ; Ali Gray (Cortland) 5 (0 GA in 90:00)
Record after game: Cortland (Red Dragons) 4-3, 3-0 SUNYAC; Plattsburgh (Cardinals) 7-2, 2-2 SUNYAC