

**For Immediate Release**

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## **Warriors travel east to play Augsburg, Yale and Princeton**

### **This Week's Opponents -**

The Warriors will take its second east coast trip of the season to compete at Augsburg (Friday, January 26 at 3 p.m.), at Yale (Saturday, January 27 at 1 p.m.) and at Princeton (Sunday, January 28 at 1 p.m.).

### **Game Information -**

Wayne State enters the week with a 4-14 overall record. Augsburg brings a 5-8-0 overall and a 5-6-0 MIAC record; Yale is currently 2-16-1 overall and 1-14-1 in the ECAC and Princeton is 8-8-2 overall and 4-8-2 in the ECAC.

### **Series Record -**

This is the first meeting between Wayne State and all of this week's opponents.

### **Last Week -**

The Warriors had a successful weekend as they defeated the University of Connecticut, 9-0, and Michigan State, 10-0.

On Friday, Wayne State defeated UCONN to improve its record to 4-14. With the win, it breaks WSU's eight game losing streak which dated back to November 11, 2000. Scoring goals in order of the 9-0 win were freshman Kim Spaulding (Farmington Hills, MI); sophomore Serena Hillman (Delta, British Columbia); freshman Kelly Meech (Coquitlam, British Columbia); sophomore Jamie Herod (Fraser, MI); sophomore Amy Peters (Grosse Pointe, MI) with two goals; senior Janet Stephens (Lennon, MI), and freshman Maria Sawchuck (Whitelake, MI) with two goals. Adding assists that night were Hillman with two; freshman Melissa Wenzel (Canton, MI); sophomore Kelly Pike (Ottawa, Ontario) with three; freshman Brooke Needer (Rouleau, Saskatchewan); Spaulding; freshman Annie Devaney (Detroit, MI) with two; freshman April Barbour (Southgate, MI); freshman Laurie Petchar (Saline, MI); sophomore Kristina Sanfilippo (Trenton, MI) with two and freshman Katie Jones (Burnaby, British Columbia). In this game, the Warriors recorded a WSU record 64 shots and held its opponent to three shots (also a WSU record).

On Saturday, the Warriors were equally impressive as they defeated Michigan State 10-0 in an exhibition game. Wayne State scored four goals in the first, two in the second and four in the third as it shutout the Spartans. Scoring goals in order were junior Dawn Quinn (Essex, Ontario); Needer with two; Peters; Herod; Sawchuck with two; freshman Joanie Denby (Sterling Heights, MI), and Barbour. Scoring assists were Petchar with three; Sanfilippo; Pike with two; Jones; Devaney; Meech; Hillman with two; Herold; Stephens with two; Akers with two and Quinn.

### **Team Leaders -**

Freshman Kim Spaulding (Farmington Hills, MI/Harrison) remains in first place in total points for

the Warriors with nine. On the season, Spaulding has four goals and five assists. In second place is Katie Jones (Burnaby, British Columbia) with eight (three goals, five assists). Both Spaulding and Jones are tied for first on the team in assists with five.

Sophomore Amy Peters (Grosse Pointe, MI/University Liggett) leads the team in goals scored with five.

### **WSU Names Captain and Alternate -**

Sophomore Kelly Pike has been named this year's team captain. Sophomores Serena Hillman and Amy Peters have been named alternate captains. This is the second year Peters has been named alternate.

### **Head Coach Tom O'Malley -**

Head Coach Tom O'Malley begins his second year with the Warriors. Last season, he lead WSU in its inaugural season to a 0-21 record. Wayne State owns the prestige as being the only NCAA Division I women's hockey program in the state of Michigan.

O'Malley now posts a 141-212-28 record in 16 years of coaching (15 at Boston College, 1 at WSU).

O'Malley is assisted by Alain Frankiewicz.

### **Next Up for the Warriors -**

The Warriors will remain on the road after this week's trip to the East as it plays at Providence on February 2 and 3.

Wayne State will return home on February 9 and 10 to host Bemidji State at 2 p.m. on both dates.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Time/ Results</b>	<b>Breaking it Down - The Warriors this Season</b>
			At Home 2-7-0
			On the Road 2-7-0
			Game One of Series 2-6-0
			Game Two of Series 1-7-0
			When Leading After 1st Period 4-1-0
			When Trailing After 1st Period 0-6-0
			When Tied After 1st Period 0-7-0
			When Leading After 2nd Period 4-0-0
			When Trailing After 2nd Period 0-9-0
			When Tied After 2nd Period 0-4-0
			When Scoring First 4-6-0
			When Opponent Scores First 0-9-0
			When Outshooting Opponent 3-4-0
			When Outshot by Opponent 2-12-0
			In Overtime 1-0-0
			One Game Meeting 1-1-0
10/13	@MSU-Mankato	W, 1-0 ot	
10/14	@MSU-Mankato	L, 2-3	
10/20	@Bemidji State	L, 3-5	
10/21	@Bemidji State	W, 2-0	
10/27	NIAGARA	L, 0-3	
10/28	NIAGARA	L, 0-4	
11/3	ST. CLOUD	L, 1-3	
11/4	ST. CLOUD	L, 1-6	
11/11	COLGATE	W, 3-1	
11/12	COLGATE	L, 1-3	
11/18	@Mercyhurst	L, 2-5	
11/19	@Mercyhurst	L, 0-6	
12/2	FINDLAY	L, 2-3	
12/3	@Findlay	L, 0-6	
12/7	@Maine	L, 1-4	
12/9	@Maine	L, 0-4	
1/15	FINDLAY	L, 3-5	
1/20	UCONN	W, 9-0	
1/21	MICHIGAN STATE	W, 10-0	
1/25	@Augsburg	3 p.m.	
1/27	@Yale	1:30 pm	
1/28	@Princeton	1:30 pm	
2/2	@Providence	7 pm	
2/3	@Providence	3 pm	
2/9	BEMIDJI STATE	3 PM	
2/10	BEMIDJI STATE	3 PM	
2/14	@Findlay	7 pm	
2/16	MERCYHURST	7 PM	
2/17	MERCYHURST	1 PM	
2/24	@Findlay Tournament	TBA	
2/25	@Findlay Tournament	TBA	
3/2	@Ohio State	7 pm	
3/3	@Ohio State	7 pm	

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