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**SPORTS NEWS**

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**MARYLOU VOSBURGH NAMED WOMEN'S LACROSSE HEAD COACH  
AT THE UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- Marylou Vosburgh has been selected as head women's lacrosse coach at the University at Albany as Director of Athletics Dr. Milton E. Richards announced today.

Vosburgh recently served as head lacrosse coach at Averill Park (N.Y.) High School, and has been the Capital Region Lacrosse Club's women's lacrosse coordinator and director of programs since 1989. She started the lacrosse program at Averill Park seven years ago, and guided her 1994 squad to a Section II tournament appearance.

In 1985, Vosburgh was the youngest collegiate field hockey mentor in the nation, when she became the head coach at Siena College at age 22. She coached at the Division III program for four years, and would later coach for two seasons at Bethlehem Central High School.

A native of Latham, N.Y., Vosburgh was a four-year starter in both lacrosse and field hockey at Castleton State College in Vermont. She was chosen to the NAIA District V all-area team in 1984, when her field hockey squad was ranked No. 1 in New England. Vosburgh, who attended Shaker High School, participated in eight Empire State Games as both an attack and midfielder in both the open and scholastic field hockey divisions. She coached the Adirondack Region's scholastic field hockey team in 1987.

Vosburgh, 33, received her bachelor's degree in physical education and health from Castleton State, and went on to earn a M.S. in special education from the College of St. Rose in 1995. She presently works in Bethlehem Central High School's special education department, but has also been a physical education instructor at Averill Park High School.

Vosburgh, who also served two years on the Capital District Women's Lacrosse League's executive committee, takes over the Albany head coaching duties from Gail Cummings-Danson. Danson, who had a 17-8 record in two seasons at the helm, serves the University as associate athletics director and chair of the physical education program.



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Comments: COLLEGE COLUMN

(Track & Field)

The men's and women's 4x400-meter relay teams provisionally qualified for the NCAA Division II championships with their performances at Boston University's Terrier Classic on Jan. 27-28.

Sophomore Dana Hoffman (Niskayuna H.S.), Xiomara Diaz, Kimberly Toone and Denise Dickerson established a school record with a time of 3:58.76 to finish in fourth place.

The men's squad (Halim Wise, Corey Hudson, Jason Gurwitz, Courtney Currie) placed second in 3:20.63. In addition, Wise set a school record in the 200-meter dash, when he finished second in 22.27.

Senior Dennis King (Notre Dame Bishop Gibbons H.S.) was fifth in the one-mile run (4:19.5) and also a member of the 5th-place 4x800-meter relay team (7:51.2).

Five-time NCAA Division III national champion Geoffrey York (Troy H.S.), now an assistant coach at Albany, placed second in the 55-meter hurdles with a time of 7.25 seconds.

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### (Women's Basketball)

Head coach Mari Warner celebrated her 37th birthday (Jan. 24) with a 90-80 victory at LeMoyne ... the decision extended Albany's winning streak to five straight (longest since January 1994) ...

Samantha Ginsberg (31) and Michele Davis (27) each posted career-highs in that contest ... the duo formed the best single-game scoring combination in school history ... Ginsberg was named to this week's ECAC Division II Honor Roll, after averaging 25.0 points and 6.5 assists in two victories ...

### (Men's Basketball)

In an alumni game at Albany on Sat., Jan. 27, Garry Murray (Mount Pleasant H.S. -- now Schenectady High) led all scorers with 27 points to lead the Purple to a 109-104 victory over the White ... Murray and Jason Graber (Schalmont H.S.), who added 12 points for the Purple, were members of the 1993-94 team which reached the NCAA Division III's Elite Eight and posted a school-record 25-3 mark... Also playing in the contest with Albany Athletic Hall of Famers Byron Miller (Gloversville) and Adam Ursprung (Catskill) ...

Darrin Jahnel (Schalmont) has 47 three-point field goals, the second-highest seasonal total in school annals ... Dennis Walker holds the single-season standard with 54 in 1989-90 ...



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### Comments:

**MEN'S BASKETBALL**  
**LeMoyne 70, Albany 64**

SYRACUSE, N.Y. -- Seniors Dan Drews and Adam Stockwell each scored 18 points, and LeMoyne remained undefeated on its home floor this season with a 70-64 victory over Albany on Wednesday evening in a New England Collegiate Conference game.

Drews sank a three-pointer and John Tomsich scored on a putback for a 63-59 LeMoyne advantage with 4:40 remaining in the contest. Albany responded with five straight points, including four by Andre Duncan, and took a 64-63 lead on Ryan Brenner's free throw at the 3:01 mark.

Rob Atene, who scored 16 points, then drilled a three-point shot from the right wing to put the Dolphins ahead for good, 66-64, with 2:40 to play. UA's Tom McGoldrick missed two free throws on Albany's next possession, and Drews sealed the outcome with a layup and two free throws in the final 1:51.

The game featured eight lead changes in the last eight minutes.

Duncan led Albany (9-8, NECC 6-7) with 22 points, the fourth time this season he has topped the 20-point mark, while McGoldrick chipped in 11 points and a team-high four assists.

LeMoyne, 9-0 at the Henninger Athletic Center in 1995-96, improves to 13-3 overall and 10-2 in the NECC.



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### Comments:

#### **WOMEN'S BASKETBALL**

**Albany 90, LeMoyne 80**

SYRACUSE, N.Y. -- Samantha Ginsberg poured in 31 points and Michele Davis scored 27, both career-highs, as Albany defeated LeMoyne, 90-80, for its fifth straight win in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Wednesday evening.

Ginsberg, who handed out a career-best 10 assists, broke an 18-18 tie with a three-point basket to spark an 11-0 run. The junior guard capped the spurt with a baseline jump-shot which put UA ahead, 29-18, at 11:15. Albany shot 66.7 percent (20-30) in the first half and led, 44-34, at the intermission.

Ginsberg's scoring output marks the third-highest single-game total in school history. Senior guard Margaret Feerick totaled 12 assists without a turnover and Erica Witham (Guilderland H.S.) added 12 points.

LeMoyne closed to within 52-50 on Megan Ryan's baseline basket with 4:31 gone in the second period. But the Great Danes scored 11 of the next 13 points, five by Davis and four by Ginsberg, to take a 65-52 lead with 12:30 to play.

Albany, which improves to 8-9 and 7-6 in the conference, moves into fifth place in the league with the victory. UA's five-game winning streak is its longest since January of 1994.

Randi Desiderio topped the Dolphins (8-8, NECC 6-6) with 24 points while Emily Anspach (Saratoga H.S.) had 18.



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### Comments:

#### **ALBANY'S SAMANTHA GINSBERG NAMED NECC PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

New Haven, Conn. -- University at Albany's Samantha Ginsberg has selected as the New England Collegiate Conference Player of the Week in women's basketball for the week ending, Sunday, January 21.

Ginsberg, a 5'8" junior guard, averaged 20.0 points and 4.0 assists in three victories for the Great Danes, and canned 7-of-13 three-point field goal attempts.

Ginsberg, who has an eight-game double-figure scoring streak, netted 19 points in Sunday's 92-73 upset of the NECC's top team Massachusetts-Lowell. She also scored 22 points and had five assists in the previous day's 81-66 decision over New Hampshire College.

She leads the team in scoring at 14.6 points per game, and averages 4.3 assists, 3.0 rebounds and 1.9 steals.

Albany (7-9, NECC 6-6) is riding a four-game win streak; the longest since January 1994.

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Tom McGoldrick was selected to the NECC's weekly honor roll in men's basketball, after he averaged 14.7 points and 6.3 rebounds in a 2-1 week for the Great Danes. McGoldrick had 22 points, and the go-ahead basket with 43 seconds left in Sunday's 68-66 victory over Massachusetts-Lowell.

Albany is 9-7 overall and 6-6 in the conference.



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Comments: COLLEGE COLUMN

(Men's Basketball)

Albany (9-7, NECC 6-6) has won three of its last four starts, and is in sixth place in the conference standings ... just the top six teams play in the NECC's post-season tournament (begins on Feb. 27) ..

Darrin Jahnel (Schalmont H.S.) had a career-high 10 assists at Stony Brook on Jan. 17 ... its was the highest assist total by an Albany player since Stephen Mulderry had 10 against Union on Jan. 16, 1990 ...

The Great Danes saw their streak of 107 straight games with at least one 3-point field goal come to an end vs. New Hampshire College with an 0-for-13 effort ... Albany was last held without a 3-pointer on January 15, 1992 against Alfred at University Gym ...

(Women's Basketball)

Albany (7-9, NECC 6-6) has a four-game winning streak (longest since January 1994) following Sunday's 92-73 upset of the NECC's top team Massachusetts- Lowell ...

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Kelly Paolino (Schalmont H.S.) had a hand in the upset with 10 points and four rebounds off the bench ... Paolino, who scored a career-high 12 on Saturday vs. New Hampshire College, is one the top free throw shooters in the NECC at 78.1 percent, and averages 7.3 points ...

Michele Davis set a single-season record for 3-point field goals made, and has connected on 41-of-107 attempts through 16 games ... Sue Stempsey held the previous mark with 37 "triples" in 1989-90 ...

### (Track & Field)

At Greater Boston Track Club Invitational on Sunday, Jan. 21 (@ Harvard) ...

Samantha Cohen set a school record in winning the 3,000-meter racewalk in 14:56.30 ... the women's one-mile relay was second, and set another school standard with a time of 4:01.41 ... the relay includes sophomore Dana Hoffman (Niskayuna H.S.) ...

Kimberly Toone, who is also a member of the one-mile relay, was second in the long jump (18'7") and third in the 55m hurdles (8.58 seconds) ...

In the men's competition, freshman Halim Wise won the 400-meter dash in 49.80 ... senior Dennis King (Notre Dame Bishop Gibbons H.S.) was second in the 800-meter run (1:56.60) ... Michael Malling, who has already qualified for NCAA's, was third in the 35-pound weight throw (47' 4.25") ...





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**ALBANY HOSTS NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE AND MASSACHUSETTS-LOWELL  
Basketball Teams meet NECC Opponents at RACC this Weekend**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- The University at Albany men's and women's basketball teams will entertain both New Hampshire College and Massachusetts-Lowell at the Recreation & Convocation Center this weekend. The Great Danes face New Hampshire College on Saturday, and Massachusetts-Lowell on Sunday. Both New England Collegiate Conference doubleheaders begin at 2:00 p.m.

New Hampshire College (10-2, NECC 6-0) is ranked 18th nationally in the latest NCAA Division II men's poll. The Penmen feature a balanced attack led by freshman guard **Orlando Ranson**, who has a 17.4 scoring average. **Scott Smith** (15.7 ppg), **Shawon Moncrief** (14.9 ppg) and **Matt Ripaldi** (14.8) also score in double figures for the Northeast Region's third-ranked team. NHC defeated Albany, 87-66, in this year's first meeting on Dec. 10 in Manchester.

Following Wednesday's 76-67 victory at Stony Brook, Albany won back-to-back on the road for the first time this season to improve to 8-6 overall and 5-5 in conference play. **Andre Duncan**, who had 16 points and 10 rebounds in his last start, leads the Danes in scoring at 14.4 per game. Sophomore guard **Darrin Jahnel** (Schalmont H.S.), who posted a career-high 10 assists vs. Stony Brook, is averaging 13.9 points, and shooting 43 percent from three-point range.

Massachusetts-Lowell (2-9, NECC 2-4) plays at LeMoyne on Saturday. **Mark Davis**, a 6-foot-4, 241-pound center, leads the River Hawks in both scoring (17.1 ppg) and rebounding (9.1 pg).

The Albany women (5-9, NECC 4-6) have also won their last two games on the road. Junior guard **Samantha Ginsberg** (13.7 ppg) and forward **Michele Davis** (13.5 ppg) lead the Great Danes in scoring, while senior center **Erica Witham** (Guilderland H.S.) averages 12.9 points, 6.9 rebounds and 1.8 blocks.

New Hampshire College (4-8, NECC 3-3) is led by guard **Jen Ryan**, who averages 21.1 points and 5.6 assists. NHC's roster features two local high school standouts in **Chris Padula** (Shenendehowa H.S.) and **Stacy Stackrow** (Averill Park H.S.). Massachusetts-Lowell is the NECC's top team at 6-0 (8-3 overall). **Diane DiRoma** leads her club with an 18.0 scoring average.

**RADIO NOTES:** NewsRadio 590 WROW will broadcast both games with New Hampshire College on Saturday, and Sunday's men's game with Massachusetts-Lowell. The women's pre-game show begins at 1:45 p.m., while the pre-game for Sunday's men's contest starts at 3:45 p.m. **Rodger Wyland** and **Marc Kestecher** will provide the play-by-play coverage.



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#### NewsRadio 590 WROW Broadcast Schedule

WROW has announced the three University at Albany women's basketball games that the station will broadcast live.

Sat., Jan. 20	vs. New Hampshire College	1:45 p.m. (2:00 tip)
Sat., Feb. 3	vs. Keene State	1:45 p.m.
Sun., Feb. 18	vs. Stony Brook	1:45 p.m.

WROW has also added a men's basketball game on Wednesday, February 7 vs. LeMoyne (7:30 start) ... Rodger Wyland will do Big Board Sportstalk from Albany's Recreation & Convocation Center that evening prior to the contest ...

the LeMoyne game was added when WROW could not broadcast the Sun., Jan. 14 game at Keene State (Marc Kestecher, who was to do play-by-play that afternoon, had a sudden death in the family) ...



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### Comments:

#### **MEN'S BASKETBALL**

**Albany 76, Stony Brook 67**

Stony Brook, N.Y. -- Sophomore center Charles Paul totaled 18 points, eight rebounds, and five blocked shots in just 24 minutes, as Albany downed Stony Brook, 76-67, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Wednesday evening.

With the game tied at 24-24, Albany outscored Stony Brook, 17-3, over the next six minutes. Tom McGoldrick, who scored five of his 13 points in the run, dunked off a fast-break feed by Rich Dormer for a 41-27 Albany advantage. UA shot 51.4 percent (19-of-37) in the opening stanza, and led 41-29 at the half.

The Great Danes, who limited USB to 37.5 percent shooting (27-of-72), led by as many as 18 points on two occasions in the second half. Dormer, who added 11 points, scored on a tip-in to put his team ahead 67-49 with 6:49 remaining. The Seawolves got no closer than nine points down the stretch.

Andre Duncan registered his third career double-double with 16 points and a career-high tying 10 boards, while Darrin Jahnel (Schalmont H.S.) handed out a personal-best 10 assists to go with 12 points.

Albany, which won back-to-back road games for the first time this season, improves to 8-6 overall and 5-5 in the NECC. Stony Brook (4-8, NECC 2-6) has lost four straight despite 20 points from Ron Duckett

UA hosts New Hampshire College, ranked 18th in NCAA Division II, this Saturday at 4:00 p.m.



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### Comments:

#### **WOMEN'S BASKETBALL**

Albany 59, Stony Brook 46

STONY BROOK, N.Y. -- Samantha Ginsberg netted 19 points as Albany won its second straight game, a 59-46 triumph over Stony Brook, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Wednesday evening.

Albany led by as much as ten in the second period before the Seawolves closed within 44-42 on two free throws by Lauren Ruane, who had a team-high 10 points. The Great Danes put the game away over the next four minutes with a 13-4 run. Ginsberg, who tallied four points in the run, scored to give her team a 57-46 advantage with 3:10 remaining.

The Great Danes (5-9, NECC 4-6) held their opponent under 50 points for the second straight game. Michele Davis made four three-point baskets in the second half en route to 12 points, while Katie Zeglis topped Albany with 11 rebounds to go with nine points.

Stony Brook, which has lost its last four games, managed only four points in the final 10:39, and did not score in the last 5:21. The Seawolves fall to 3-10 overall and 1-7 in the conference.

**MEN'S REPORT TO FOLLOW AT APPROXIMATELY 9:15.**



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**Track & Field:** Freshman Janna Johnston (Shenendehowa H.S.), who earlier this season set the a school-record in the high jump, qualified for the NCAA Division II championships in the long jump with a leap of 18'7" last Saturday in a triangular with Williams and St. Rose. However, Johnston finished second in the event to teammate Kimberly Toone, who set a school record at 19' 2".

Local winners on Saturday were Mary Ingram (Albany H.S.), 500 meters; Dennis King (Notre Dame Bishop Gibbons H.S.), 1,500 meters; Jayson Vasquez (Amsterdam H.S.), 55m hurdles; and Tim McMurray (Glens Falls H.S.), triple jump.

**Men's Basketball:** Sophomore guard Darrin Jahnel has scored in double figures in seven of his last eight starts. During that stretch, Jahnel is averaging 15.5 points and has canned 28-of-56 three-point field goals.

Albany ended a three-game losing streak (longest since February 1993) in Sunday's 95-78 victory at Keene State. Jahnel scored 16 of his 19 points in the first half, when he connected on 5-of-6 three-point tries.



The Keene State victory represented Albany's first road win in the New England Collegiate Conference, and the 680th overall for head coach Richard "Doc" Sauers.

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**Women's Basketball:** The Great Danes halted a four-game losing streak (longest since the 1989-90 season) in Sunday's 62-48 win at Keene State. Erica Witham (Guilderland H.S.), who earlier in the week scored a career-high 21 at Southern Connecticut State, netted a team-high 20 points for the Great Danes.

Witham has reached double digits in four of her last five games, and is averaging 14.6 points in that span.

Kelly Paolino (Schalmont H.S.) is averaging 7.0 points off the bench, and is among the NECC leaders in free throw percentage at .755 (40 of 53).



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#### **MEN'S BASKETBALL**

Albany 95, Keene State 78

KEENE, N.H. -- Sophomore guard Darrin Jahnel (Schalmont H.S.) tallied 16 of his team-high 19 points in the first half to lead Albany to just its second road win of the season, a 95-78 triumph over Keene State, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Sunday afternoon.

The Great Danes, who never trailed, led 15-11 when they began a 16-5 spurt which was capped by Jamodi Robinson's three-pointer for a 31-16 advantage at 10:05. Brad Dixon scored four of his career-best 10 points in the stretch. Albany used a 12-0 run to take a 49-21 lead on Jahnel's four-point play with 3:53 left in the half. Jahnel, who canned five three-point shots in the opening period, was fouled by Scott Kornfield while making a three-pointer from the left wing, and converted the free throw.

Albany (7-6, NECC 4-5) held a 57-32 lead at halftime, after shooting 65 percent (22-34) from the field and 9-of-13 from three-point range. Ryan Brenner netted 10 of his 12 points in the half, as UA broke a three-game losing streak, its longest since February 1993.

Keene State, which trailed by as much as 75-45, lost its fifth straight game in falling to 2-10 and 0-8 in the conference. Owl guard Matt Stone topped all scorers with 22 points, 18 coming after halftime, and dished a game-high six assists.

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## WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Albany 62, Keene State 48

KEENE, N.H. -- Senior center Erica Witham (Guilderland H.S.) scored 20 points, and Albany used a second-half rally to defeat Keene State, 62-48, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Sunday afternoon.

The Great Danes used a 12-0 run, holding KSC scoreless for six minutes, to turn a 44-39 deficit into a 51-44 lead at the 5:20 mark of regulation. Witham scored the last six points in the decisive burst for Albany, which took its first lead at 45-44 when Katie Zeglis hit a fast-break layup off Samantha Ginsberg's pass. UA limited the Owls to 25 percent shooting after halftime.

Zeglis collected 12 points and a career-high 17 rebounds, while Ginsberg had nine of her 11 points in the second stanza to go with eight assists. Albany (4-9, NECC 3-6) broke a four-game losing streak, and captured its first-ever road win in conference play. The Owls (2-10, NECC 1-7) have lost eight straight.

Keene State shot 58 percent (14-of-24) in the first half, and led at the break, 34-29, behind Amy Smith, who scored all 13 of her points and nailed three, three-pointers in the period. The Owls took a 39-31 lead on a free-throw by Kerri Martin (12 points) with 16:40 remaining, before Albany ran off 20 of the next 25 points.



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#### TRACK & FIELD

MEN -- Williams 127, Albany 119, St. Rose 50

WOMEN -- Williams 118, Albany 115, St. Rose 44

ALBANY, N.Y. -- Albany freshman Janna Johnston (Shenendehowa H.S.) <sup>long</sup> 18'7" qualified for the NCAA Division II Championships with a high jump of 1.52 meters in a triple-meet with Williams and St. Rose on Saturday afternoon at the RACC.

Williams' men and women each placed first. The men captured 127 points to Albany's 119 and 50 by St. Rose, while the Williams women totaled 118 points to out-pace Albany with 115 and St. Rose's 44.

Albany senior Kimberly Toone broke a long jump school record she established earlier this season when she leaped 19 feet, two inches in winning the event. She bettered her previous standard by five and one half inches. Freshman Mary Ingram (Albany H.S.) was the winner in the 500 meter run with a time of 1:20.12, nearly three seconds better than Williams' Courtney O'Conner.

UA senior Dennis King (Bishop Gibbons H.S.) took first place in the 1,500 meter run, defeating Williams' Marzuki Stevens, who won the 3,000 meter event, by .11 hundredths of a second. Tim McMurray, a freshman from Glens Falls H.S., finished first in the triple jump with an effort of 42' 8.5".

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**MEN**

**Williams 127, Albany 119, St. Rose 50**

**4x200m Relay** -- 1. Albany 1:35.26; **1500m** -- 1. Dennis King (Albany), 4:07.55; **55m Hurdles** -- 1. Jayson Vasquez (Albany), 7.81; **500m** -- 1. Jason Gurwitz (Albany), 1:09.91; **55m Dash** -- 1. Wade Stuart (Williams), 6:81; **1000m** -- 1. Creghan Trainor (Williams), 2:37.70; **300m** -- 1. Tim Allsop (Williams), 36.70; **3000m** -- 1. Marzuki Stevens (Williams), 8:55.8; **1600m Relay** -- 1. Williams, 3:30.94; **3200m relay** -- 1. Albany, 8:21.5; **35 lb. Weight Throw** -- 1. Ethan Brooks (Williams), 15' 45"; **Pole Vault** -- 1. Derek Sasaki-Scanlon (Williams), 14'0"; **High Jump** -- 1. Ben Goodwin (St. Rose), 1.87m; **Shot Put** -- 1. Ethan Brooks (Williams), 13' 91"; **Long Jump** -- 1. Richard O'Riley (Albany), 21' 7.5"; **Triple Jump** -- 1. Timothy McMurray (Albany), 42' 8.5".

**WOMEN**

**Williams 118, Albany 115, St. Rose 44**

**4x200m Relay** -- 1. Albany, 1:52.55; **1500m** -- 1. Nora O'Heaney (St. Rose), 5:01.24; **55m Hurdles** -- 1. Kimberly Toone (Albany), 8.24; **500m** -- 1. Mary Ingram (Albany), 1:20.12; **55m Dash** -- 1. Xiomara Dias (Albany), 7.38; **1000m** -- 1. Nora O'Hoaney (St. Rose), 3:08.50; **300m** -- 1. Denise Dickerson (Albany), 43.86; **3000m** -- 1. Edie DiNiro (Williams), 11:07.94; **1600m Relay** -- 1. Albany, 4:04.45; **3200m Relay** -- 1. Albany, 10:18.10; **Long Jump** -- 1. Kimberly Toone (Albany), 19' 2"; **20-lb. Weight Throw** -- 1. Brenda Start (Williams), 13' 88"; **High Jump** -- 1. Janna Johnston (Albany), 1.52m; **Shot Put** -- 1. Brenda Start (Williams), 10.99m; **Triple Jump** -- 1. Carolina Williams (St. Rose), 34' 5.5".



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#### **MEN'S BASKETBALL**

**Franklin Pierce 76, Albany 54**

RINGDE, N.H. -- Sophomore forward Ben Mitchell scored a game-high 20 points and led a decisive second-half surge, as Franklin Pierce remained undefeated in New England Collegiate Conference play with a 76-54 victory over Albany on Saturday afternoon.

Franklin Pierce, which has won 10 straight, opened up a 46-24 advantage with five minutes gone in the second half behind the play of Mitchell, who had 18 of his 20 points after the intermission. Albany guard Darrin Jahnel (Schalmont H.S.) brought his team within 48-41 with a layup in transition at the 10:26 mark. Ken Irvin responded with a three-point basket, and the Ravens led by double digits the remainder of the game.

Jahnel led the Great Danes (6-6, NECC 3-5) with 15 points, while Andre Duncan chipped in with 10 points and four rebounds. Franklin Pierce, which shot 60 percent from the floor in the second half, improves to 11-2 overall and 7-0 in the conference.

Garnett Petteway canned a three-pointer and Kian Edwards made a driving layup in a 7-0 burst which put the Ravens ahead to stay, 17-10, with 6:59 to play in the opening stanza.

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**WOMEN'S BASKETBALL**  
**Franklin Pierce 64, Albany 59**

RINDGE, N.H. -- Desiree Hutchins scored 21 points and Juanita Brown tallied 11 of her 20 in the second half to lead Franklin Pierce past Albany, 64-59, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Saturday afternoon.

The Ravens used a 10-2 run to erase an early 13-6 Albany advantage. FPC took the lead for good, at 16-15, on a Hutchins jump shot with 8:41 left in the first half. Franklin Pierce held leads of 29-19 and 38-28 before Albany rallied to within 45-44 on Kelly Paolino's (Schalmont H.S.) basket at 9:59 of the second period. But Beckwith sank back-to-back jumpers in a 6-0 spurt that sealed the win for the Ravens (9-4, NECC 4-3).

Samantha Ginsberg totaled 12 of her 18 points in the second half for Albany, which falls to 3-9 overall and 2-6 in NECC play. Michele Davis collected 12 points and five steals, while Katie Zeglis recorded 10 points and a game-high 15 rebounds for her fifth double-double of the season.



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#### COLLEGE COLUMN

##### (MEN)

Albany won its fourth consecutive overtime decision with a 78-73 (2OT) victory over Bridgeport on Saturday...the Great Danes are 5-1 over the last decade in games decided by multiple overtimes...

Albany's Recreation & Convocation Center hosted three coaches over the weekend who have combined for more than 1,540 career victories and nearly 90 seasons at the collegiate level...

Richard Sauers (Albany), 679-309 record, 40th season

Bridgeport's Bruce Webster, 535-325, 31st season

Sacred Heart's Dave Bike, 329-193, 18th season

Darrin Jahnel (Schalmont H.S.) has scored in double figures in five straight games, and is averaging 14.2 points on the season...

##### (WOMEN)

Erica Witham (Guilderland H.S.), who is already Albany's career blocked shot leader with 121, moved to seventh in rebounds (424)...

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## **WEEKLY NOTES 2-2-2**

**Michele Davis was named to this week's ECAC Division II honor roll, as she averaged 14.8 points, 6.3 rebounds, 3.3 assists, 3.3 steals and 2.3 blocks in four games...**

### **(TRACK & FIELD)**

**At Seton Hall on Saturday, freshman Janna Johnston (Shenendehowa H.S.) set the school's indoor high jump record at 5'2", while Kimberly Toone won the long jump with a school-record 18' 8.50" leap...**

**Toone and Xiomara Dias (7.21 seconds, 55-meter dash) each qualified provisionally for the NCAA Division II championships at the RCA Dome in Indianapolis, Ind. on March 8-9...**

**Mary Ingram (Albany H.S.) was third in the 500-meter dash and a member of the third-place 4x400 relay team...**

**At Rutgers on Saturday, Shawn McGrath (Shenendehowa H.S.) placed second in the pentathlon (55HH, LJ, SP, HJ, 1000m) at the USATF-New Jersey Open Championship. McGrath scored 3,182 points to finish behind Richard Alexander (Shore Athletic Club), who had 3,232.**





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**ALBANY RETURNS TO NEW ENGLAND COLLEGIATE CONFERENCE PLAY  
Basketball Teams Host Bridgeport and Sacred Heart This Weekend**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- A trio of college head coaches, who have combined for 1,540 career victories and nearly 90 seasons, will take the floor this weekend at the Recreation & Convocation Center, when the University at Albany hosts a pair of New England Collegiate Conference games against Bridgeport (Saturday, 4:00 p.m.) and Sacred Heart (Sunday, 4:00 p.m.).

In addition to Albany's **Richard Sauers**, who is in his 40th season with a 678-308 career record, Bridgeport's **Bruce Webster** and Sacred Heart's **Dave Bike** also boast impressive numbers. Webster has a 534-323 record in 31 seasons, while Bike is 328-192 overall in his 18th year.

Albany (5-3, NECC 2-2) is led by sophomores **Andre Duncan** and **Darrin Jahnel**, who are averaging 14.2 and 14.0 points, respectively. Jahnel, from Schalmont High, is scoring at an 18.0 clip over his last three starts, and has canned 14 of 21 three-point field goals in that span.

**Rich Dormer**, a 6'4" junior, and 6-foot-9 center **Charles Paul**, were both named to last week's Great Dane/Ramada Inn Classic all-tournament team. Dormer recorded season-highs in points (17) and rebounds (11) in the championship vs. Stonehill, while Paul averaged 14.5 points and 6.5 rebounds off the bench.

Bridgeport (4-5, NECC 2-2) is playing a non-conference game at Teikyo Post in Waterbury, Connecticut this evening. **Ivoree Stanley**, a 6'5" freshman, averages 16.4 points and 8.2 rebounds, while **Herdol Christie**, a second team pre-season all-NECC selection, is one of three other players scoring in double figures at 15.4 per game.

Sacred Heart (5-5, NECC 3-1) rides a four-game win streak into Saturday's conference game at LeMoyne. Senior center **Kevin Vulin** (6'9") leads his team in scoring (18.7 ppg) and rebounding (10.9 pg).

The Albany women (3-5, NECC 2-2) also play Bridgeport and Sacred Heart. The Great Danes snapped a three-game losing streak with a 55-48 decision at Columbia Union on New Year's Day. Junior forward **Michele Davis** is the team's top scorer at 14.6 points per game. Senior center **Erica Witham**, from Guilderland High, averages 12.7 points, 7.4 rebounds and 1.9 blocks.

**RADIO NOTES:** NewsRadio 590 WROW will broadcast both men's basketball games this weekend. The pre-game show begins on Saturday and Sunday at 3:45 p.m. each day. Head coach **Richard "Doc" Sauers** will be featured each Thursday on Big Board Sportstalk with **Rodger Wyland**. Sauers will appear in the 7:30 p.m. segment every Thursday, beginning this evening, through the remainder of the season.