



OLD DOMINION

2007 WOMEN'S SOCCER GAME NOTES

(5-2-1, 1-1-0)

COLONIAL ROAD TRIP

ODU heads back on the road again, as eight of the teams first 12 games come away from home turf. This weekend ODU will face two CAA opponents after opening up 1-1 in Colonial play last weekend. The Lady Monarchs will face the Huskies of Northeastern and the Pride of Hofstra.

ODU has limited experience against Northeastern, but notched two wins in the all-time series last season. Old Dominion leads the series 2-1. Hofstra has gotten the better of ODU in the past, as ODU is just 1-4 against the Pride.

IN THE POLLS

The team has been in the SOCCER BUZZ Magazine Mid-Atlantic Region Top 15 all season and are currently ranked 12th. Hofstra is ranked 4th in the Northeast Region.

NATIONALLY RANKED

Janna Pearson ranks 14th in the nation in assists per game at 0.71. Lizzy Brewster, who has scored in each of the Lady Monarchs last five games, and Shavon Knight are both listed among the nation's top 100 scorers. Knight ranks 59th while Brewster is 98th in points per game. They are tied for 62nd in goals per game.



ODU AT NORTHEASTERN

DATE: OCTOBER 5, 2007
TIME: 6:00 PM
PLACE: BOSTON, MASS.



SCOUTING REPORT:

NORTHEASTERN IS STRUGGLING AT THE OUTSET OF THE 07 SEASON. THEY ARE JUST 2-6-1 WITH AN 0-2 MARK IN THE CAA. THE HUSKIES HAVE JUST THREE GOALS ON 90 SHOTS THIS SEASON AND HAVE BEEN SHUTOUT IN FOUR STRAIGHT. JUNIORS BRENNA MATTHEWS AND KELSEY O'ROURKE EACH HAVE ONE GOAL AS DOES SOPHOMORE SOFIA PALMQUIST.

THE COACHES

NORTHEASTERN: Ed Matz is in his 8th year as the head coach for the Huskies. At the helm of both the men's and women's program he has compiled a career 191-169-35 record. He is assisted by Kelly Desmond & Kristin Slater.

HOFSTRA: Simon Riddiough is the head coach of the Pride for his second year, but has been involved with Hofstra's soccer program for the last 11 years. A defensive-minded coach, he coached the 2006 CAA Defender of the Year in Sue Weber and again is fielding a defensive club this season as Hofstra are allowing under a goal per match. He is assisted by Lindsay Vanderspiegel, Gary Book & Edwin Schieferstein.

OLD DOMINION: Head Coach Joe Pereira, two-time CAA Coach of the Year, leads the Lady Monarchs for his 13th season. His 257 career victories currently ranks him 25th on the NCAA All-Time wins list with 130 of them coming at Old Dominion. He coached the Lady Monarchs to the programs first ever NCAA Tournament last season in the finest season of ODU Women's Soccer history. He is assisted by Kim Francis & Stephanie Miller.

ODU AT HOFSTRA

DATE: OCTOBER 7, 2007
TIME: 1:00 PM
PLACE: HEMPSTEAD, N.Y.



SCOUTING REPORT:

HOFSTRA IS OFF TO A HISTORICAL START FOR THE PROGRAM, WINNING EIGHT OF THEIR FIRST NINE GAMES, INCLUDING TWO CAA GAMES LAST WEEKEND. THE PRIDE BOAST A PAIR OF SENIORS, CAA DEFENDER OF THE YEAR SUE WEBER & FORWARD BROOKE DEROSA THAT ARE HAVING SENSATIONAL SEASONS. DEROSA HAS 6 GOALS AND 5 ASSISTS SO FAR.

LAST TIME OUT

ODU opened the 2007 Colonial Athletic Association season with two games at home last weekend. The Lady Monarchs hosted Delaware and fell 1-3 before dropping Drexel 1-0 on Sunday. Lizzy Brewster scored both goals for ODU on the weekend, and has scored in five straight contests for the Lady Monarchs. Kirstin Walker notched her first assist on the season in Sunday's game and Shavon Knight grabbed her second, for her team-leading 12th point on Friday. Old Dominion improved to 5-2-1 with the weekend split and are 1-1 in the conference.

NEXT ON THE SCHEDULE:

OCTOBER 12, 2007:
OLD DOMINION AT VCU
KICK-OFF: 7:00 PM

OCTOBER 14, 2007
OLD DOMINION AT JAMES MADISON
KICK-OFF: 1:00 PM

2007 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

| DATE | OPPONENT | GAME TIME/RESULT |
|-------|----------------------------|------------------|
| 9/2 | LOYOLA COLLEGE(Md) | W 2-1 |
| 9/7 | AT EAST CAROLINA | L 0-1 (OT) |
| 9/9 | RADFORD UNIVERSITY | W 5-1 |
| 9/13 | AT N.C. STATE | T 1-1 (2OT) |
| 9/15 | AT LIBERTY UNIVERSITY | W 5-0 |
| 9/21 | AT FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON | W 2-1 |
| 9/28 | DELAWARE* | L 1-3 |
| 9/30 | DREXEL* | W 1-0 |
| 10/5 | AT NORTHEASTERN* | 6:00 PM |
| 10/7 | AT HOFSTRA* | 12:00 PM |
| 10/12 | AT VA. COMMONWEALTH* | 7:00 PM |
| 10/14 | AT JAMES MADISON* | 1:00 PM |
| 10/19 | GEORGE MASON* | 7:00 PM |
| 10/21 | TOWSON* | 1:00 PM |
| 10/26 | UNC WILMINGTON* | 7:00 PM |
| 10/28 | AT GEORGIA STATE* | 1:00 PM |
| 11/1 | WILLIAM & MARY* | 7:00 PM |

*CAA GAMES

COLONIAL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION STANDINGS

| TEAM | CAA | | OVERALL | |
|------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| | W-L | PCT | W-L | PCT |
| 1. JAMES MADISON | 2-0-0 | 1.000 | 9-1-0 | .900 |
| 2. HOFSTRA | 2-0-0 | 1.000 | 8-1-0 | .889 |
| 3. WILLIAM & MARY | 2-0-0 | 1.000 | 7-3-0 | .700 |
| 4. VA. COMMONWEALTH | 2-0-0 | 1.000 | 5-4-1 | .550 |
| 5. TOWSON | 1-1-0 | .500 | 7-2-0 | .778 |
| 6. OLD DOMINION | 1-1-0 | .500 | 5-2-1 | .688 |
| 7. DELAWARE | 1-1-0 | .500 | 5-4-0 | .556 |
| 8. GEORGE MASON | 1-1-0 | .500 | 5-4-0 | .556 |
| 9. GEORGIA STATE | 0-2-0 | .000 | 5-4-0 | .556 |
| 10. DREXEL | 0-2-0 | .000 | 4-4-1 | .500 |
| 11. UNC WILMINGTON | 0-2-0 | .000 | 4-4-1 | .500 |
| 12. NORTHEASTERN | 0-2-0 | .000 | 2-6-1 | .278 |

POTENT ATTACK

Last season, the Lady Monarchs were extremely difficult to shutout. In 23 games, ODU was held empty just once, a new record for the program. It wasn't until the final game of the season when the Lady Monarchs faced the tenth seeded Wake Forest team on the road that they suffered their only shutout of the season.

The loss ended Old Dominion's 22 match streak of games with at least one goal scored. The Lady Monarchs continue to be an extremely potent offense and have scored at least one goal in all but two of the last 31 games. They are currently averaging 2.04 goals per contest, giving ODU the 52nd best scoring offense in the nation.

CLIMBIN' THE CHARTS

Junior Shavon Knight is already among the programs historically best scorers and continues to climb. With her five goals already this season, she is now in the top five all-time with 23.

Her 54 career points has trampoline her into sole possession of fifth all-time behind Jen Henley (109), Beeman (86), Melanie McGovern (74) and Jennifer Gillespie (63). She is also tied for 9th all-time in assists with nine.

Fellow junior Janna Pearson also is among the top ten in points (36), goals (12) and assists (12). Also among the leaders is senior Lisa McKenzie with 39 points, 14 goals, and 11 assists.

PASSIN' PEARSON

Junior forward Janna Pearson has been stellar passing the ball early this season as she has a league-high 5 assists in seven games, two fewer than the other leaders. She ranks 14th in the nation in assists per game (0.71) while leading the Colonial in that category. She has nine points already, just four off her career high.

DOMINANT DEFENSE

The Monarchs have only allowed more than one goal in a game once this season. This obviously can be attributed to stellar goalkeeping (Lauren Tupman and Colby Owen have combined for a 0.96 GAA) but more importantly, the back four for the Monarchs have been near impregnable.

Dani Hammer, Saratu Dodo, Marilee Mastaler, Lizzy Brewster and ODU's first off the bench Brittney Kortz have been as solid as it comes. Omitting an NC State game where ODU was testing a new shape, the defense has given up just 72 shots on the season. The defense in the second half has been even more impressive, allowing just 21 shots and two goals in the second frame in those seven games.

Last season, ODU broke a team record with a goals against average of 1.06. The Lady Monarchs back line is working to ensure they best that mark again in 2007.



OFFENSE A BREWIN'

Lizzy Brewster has come on VERY strong since being moved to the front line earlier this year. Brewster was an anchor on the defensive line until being moved up front during the NC State game. She has scored five goals, one each in the last five games and she's already eclipsed her two-year total for points in her career in just five games.

AROUND THE CAA

Oct. 5

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Towson at Georgia State | 4 pm |
| Old Dominion at Northeastern | 6 pm |
| VCU at Delaware | 7 pm |
| James Madison at Drexel | 7 pm |
| George Mason at UNC Wilmington | 7 pm |
| William & Mary at Hofstra | 7 pm |

Oct. 7

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|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Old Dominion at Hofstra | Noon |
| VCU at Drexel | 1 pm |
| James Madison at Delaware | 1 pm |
| William & Mary at Northeastern | 1 pm |
| George Mason at Georgia State | 1 pm |
| Towson at UNC Wilmington | 2 pm |

MATCHUPS AGAINST NORTHEASTERN & HOFSTRA

Northeastern (2-1-0)

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| 2006 | W | CAA Tourn. | 2-1 |
| 2006 | W | | 2-1 |
| 2005 | L | @ NU | 0-1 |

Hofstra (1-4-0)

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| 2006 | W | | 1-0 |
| 2005 | L | @ HOF | 0-1 |
| 2004 | L | | 0-1 (OT) |
| 2003 | L | | 0-1 |
| 2002 | L | | 0-2 |

TEAM LEADERS

GOALS:

| | |
|----------------|---|
| SHAVON KNIGHT | 5 |
| LIZZY BREWSTER | 5 |
| LISA MCKENZIE | 3 |
| JANNA PEARSON | 2 |

ASSISTS:

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| JANNA PEARSON | 5 |
| ASHLEY KUKURA | 2 |
| SHAVON KNIGHT | 2 |

POINTS:

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|----------------|----|
| SHAVON KNIGHT | 12 |
| LIZZY BREWSTER | 11 |
| JANNA PEARSON | 9 |
| LISA MCKENZIE | 7 |

GAME-WINNERS:

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|----------------|---|
| JANNA PEARSON | 2 |
| LIZZY BREWSTER | 2 |
| SHAVON KNIGHT | 1 |

SAVES:

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| LAUREN TUPMAN | 26 |
| COLBY OWEN | 6 |

GOALS AGAINST AVERAGE:

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| COLBY OWEN | 0.63 |
| LAUREN TUPMAN | 1.04 |

SHUTOUTS:

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| LAUREN TUPMAN | 1 |
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SOCCER BUZZ RANKINGS

MID-ATLANTIC REGION

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| 1 | VIRGINIA | 7-1-2 |
| 2 | PENN STATE | 6-2-1 |
| 3 | WEST VIRGINIA | 6-3-1 |
| 4 | VILLANOVA | 7-0-4 |
| 5 | JAMES MADISON | 9-1-0 |
| 6 | RUTGERS | 6-3-1 |
| 7 | WILLIAM & MARY | 7-3-0 |
| 8 | MARYLAND | 5-2-2 |
| 9 | VIRGINIA TECH | 4-4-1 |
| 10 | GEORGETOWN | 8-3-0 |
| 11 | PENN | 7-2-1 |
| 12 | OLD DOMINION | 5-2-1 |
| 13 | TOWSON | 7-2-0 |
| 14 | SETON HALL | 5-3-2 |
| 15 | GEORGE MASON | 5-4-0 |

RECEIVING VOTES: DELAWARE (5-4), NAVY (6-3-1) AND VCU (6-4-1)

GAME BOX SCORES

Game 1

Loyola College 1, Old Dominion 2
September 2, 2007
Norfolk, VA

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|----------------|-------|
| Loyola College | 1-0=1 |
| Old Dominion | 1-1=2 |

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| 13:40 ODU | Knight, Shavon (1) |
| Assist: | Kukura, Ashley |
| 20:31 LOY | Ferraina, Theresa (1) |
| 70:03 ODU | Knight, Shavon (2) |
| Assist: | Pearson, Janna |
| | Dodo, Saratu |

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| Shots: | LOY (12), ODU (12) |
| Corners: | LOY (3), ODU (2) |
| Fouls: | LOY (6), ODU (11) |
| Saves: | LOY: Henderson (4) |
| | ODU: Tupman (4) |

Game 2

Old Dominion 0, East Carolina 1 (OT)
September 7, 2007
Greenville, NC

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| Old Dominion | 0-0-0=0 |
| East Carolina | 0-0-1=1 |

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| 98:34 ECU | Szilard, Amy (1) |
| Assist: | Moore, Nicole |

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| Shots: | ODU (13), ECU (7) |
| Corners: | ODU (2), ECU (2) |
| Fouls: | ODU (7), ECU (11) |
| Saves: | ODU: Tupman (4) |
| | ECU: Campbell (5) |

Game 3

Radford University 1, Old Dominion 5
September 9, 2007
Norfolk, VA

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| Radford University | 1-0=1 |
| Old Dominion | 1-4=5 |

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| 13:13 RAD | Cozza, Jackie (1) |
| Assist: | Kipper, Brianna |
| 37:30 ODU | McKenzie, Lisa (1) |
| Assist: | Williams, Kelsey |
| | Brewster, Elizabeth |

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| 47:16 ODU | Pearson, Janna (1) |
| 65:34 ODU | McKenzie, Lisa (2) |
| 72:53 ODU | Knight, Shavon (3) |
| Assist: | Kukura, Ashley |
| | Umejei, Chika |
| 79:52 ODU | Kukura, Ashley (1) |
| Assist: | Pearson, Janna |

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|----------|------------------------|
| Shots: | RAD (4), ODU (20) |
| Corners: | RAD (2), ODU (3) |
| Fouls: | RAD (6), ODU (7) |
| Saves: | RAD: Heath (9), TM (1) |
| | ODU: Tupman (2) |

Game 4

Old Dominion 1, NC State 1 (2OT)
September 13, 2007
Cary, NC

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| Old Dominion | 1-0-0-0=1 |
| East Carolina | 1-0-0-0=1 |

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| 21:03 ODU | Brewster, Elizabeth (1) |
| 22:18 NCSU | Aboulhosn, Nadia |

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| Shots: | ODU (15), NCSU (19) |
| Corners: | ODU (3), NCSU (4) |
| Fouls: | ODU (21), NCSU (15) |
| Saves: | ODU: Tupman (13)* |
| | NCSU: Little (6) |

*New Career High

CAA PRE-SEASON POLL:

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| 1. William & Mary (10) | 120 |
| 2. James Madison (1) | 100 |
| 3. Old Dominion (1) | 96 |
| 4. UNC Wilmington | 90 |
| 5. Hofstra | 84 |
| 6. Va. Commonwealth | 77 |
| 7. Northeastern | 62 |
| T8. Delaware | 49 |
| George Mason | 49 |
| 10. Towson | 29 |
| 11. Georgia State | 24 |
| 12. Drexel | 12 |

Teams received 11 votes for a first place vote, 10 for a second, etc. Coaches were not allowed to vote for their own team.

2006 CAA FINAL STANDINGS

| Team | CAA Record |
|-------------------|------------|
| 1. William & Mary | 10-0-1 |
| 2. UNC Wilmington | 8-3-1 |
| 3. VCU | 7-3-1 |
| 4. Old Dominion | 7-4-0 |
| 5. Northeastern | 5-3-3 |
| 6. James Madison | 5-4-2 |
| 7. Hofstra | 5-5-1 |
| 8. George Mason | 5-5-1 |
| 9. Delaware | 3-7-1 |
| 10. Georgia State | 2-8-1 |
| 11. Drexel | 2-9-0 |
| 12. Towson | 1-9-1 |

GAME BOX SCORES**Game 5**

Old Dominion 5, Liberty 0
September 15, 2007
Lynchburg, VA

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| Old Dominion | 2-3=5 |
| Liberty | 0-0=0 |

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| 10:15 ODU | Brewster, Elizabeth (2) |
| Assist: | Pearson, Janna |
| 44:29 ODU | Brown, Caroline (1) |
| Assist: | Pearson, Janna |
| 47:48 ODU | Knight, Shavon (4) |
| 61:37 ODU | Knight, Shavon (5) |
| 81:23 ODU | McKenzie, Lisa (3) |
| Assist: | Knight, Shavon |

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| Shots: | ODU (20), LIB (10) |
| Corners: | ODU (5), LIB (4) |
| Fouls: | ODU (8), LIB (12) |
| Saves: | ODU: Tupman (0), Owen (5) LIB: Nyholt (7), Kamphuis (1) |

Game 6

Old Dominion 2, Fairleigh Dickinson 1
September 21, 2007
Teaneck, N.J.

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| Old Dominion | 1-1=2 |
| Fairleigh Dickinson | 1-0=0 |

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| 2:50 ODU | Brewster, Elizabeth (3) |
| Assist: | Pearson, Janna |
| 19:40 FDU | Hipsman, Tonya (1) |
| 74:25 ODU | Pearson, Janna (2) |
| Assist: | McKenzie, Lisa Brown, Caroline |

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| Shots: | ODU (12), FDU (5) |
| Corners: | ODU (3), FDU (1) |
| Fouls: | ODU (18), FDU (14) |
| Saves: | ODU: Owen (1) FDU: MacKellar (6) |

Game 7

Delaware 3, Old Dominion 1
September 28, 2007
Norfolk, VA

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| Delaware | 1-2=3 |
| Old Dominion | 1-0=1 |

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| 6:47 ODU | Brewster, Elizabeth (4) |
| Assist: | Knight, Shavon |
| 34:12 DEL | Germain, Caitlyn (3) |
| | Penalty Kick |
| 65:51 DEL | Pickard, Amy (5) |
| 73:28 DEL | Kilker, Melissa (2) |
| Assist: | Pickard, Amy |

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| Shots: | DEL (7), ODU (20) |
| Corners: | DEL (3), ODU (3) |
| Fouls: | DEL (9), ODU (8) |
| Saves: | DEL: Bevan (6) ODU: Tupman (1) |

Game 8

Drexel 0, Old Dominion 1
September 30, 2007
Norfolk, VA

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| Drexel | 0-0=0 |
| Old Dominion | 0-1=2 |

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| 61:43 ODU | Brewster, Elizabeth (5) |
| Assist: | Walker, Kirstin |

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| Shots: | DREX (8), ODU (15) |
| Corners: | DREX (4), ODU (4) |
| Fouls: | DREX (7), ODU (7) |
| Saves: | DREX: Bond (2), TEAM (1) ODU: Tupman (2) |