



HOLY CROSS WOMEN'S HOCKEY

Holy Cross Crusaders (8-5-2) vs. Saint Anselm (11-1-1)

Jan. 13, 2018 • 2:05 p.m. • Worcester, Mass.

GAMEDAY QUICK FACTS

Saturday, Jan. 13:

VIDEO: <http://bit.ly/VideoSAs>

LIVE STATS: <http://bit.ly/LiveStatsSA>

All-time vs Saint Anselm: 10-23-4

CRUSADERS CONTINUE JANUARY HOME STAND AGAINST SAINT ANSELM

• The Holy Cross women's hockey team will face the Saint Anselm Hawks, Saturday, Jan. 13 at 2:05 p.m. at the Hart Center Rink.

HOLY CROSS HEADLINES

- The Crusaders are 8-5-2 on the season after sweeping Post University in two home games, 11-1 and 8-1, on Jan. 5 and 6.
- Eleven different Crusaders scored through two games.
- Emily Lissner recorded her first career hat trick in the second game against Post.
- Kara Violette notched five points in the first game against Post with one goal and four assists. Violette leads the team in points (5-16-21).
- Julie Matthias also had five points against the Eagles with two goals and three assists.
- Lissner and Matthias are tied for first on the team with seven goals.
- Victoria Young had four assists against the Eagles and was +9 on the weekend. Young received the NEWHA Defensive Player of the Week award.
- Katie MacCuaig had one goal and two assists through two games, which earned her the NEWHA Rookie of the Week award.
- The Crusaders have posted an 85.7% success rate on the penalty kill (36-42), which ranks second in the NEWHA.

2017-2018 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME / SCORE
SEPTEMBER		
Sept. 24	LAURENTIAN (EXH)	W 7-0
Sept. 30	NEPEAN(EXH)	W 5-2
OCTOBER		
Oct. 6	RIT...	T 2-2 (OT)
Oct. 7	RIT...	L 3-2
Oct. 13	at Dartmouth	L 3-2 (OT)
Oct. 14	at New Hampshire	L 9-1
Oct. 18	CHINESE NATIONAL TEAM	L 3-1
Oct. 20	at Franklin Pierce	W, 3-1
Oct. 25	FRANKLIN PIERCE	W, 6-1
NOVEMBER		
Nov. 3	at St. Michael's	W, 9-0
Nov. 4	at St. Michael's	W, 9-1
Nov. 11	SACRED HEART	W, 2-1
Nov. 12	SACRED HEART	L, 2-1
Nov. 17	at Harvard	L, 8-3
Nov. 18	HARVARD	W, 2-0
Nov. 24	at Dartmouth	L, 4-3
DECEMBER		
Dec. 8	at Saint Anselm	T, 0-0
JANUARY		
Jan. 5	POST	W, 11-1
Jan. 6	POST	W, 8-1
Jan. 13	SAINT ANSELM	2:05 p.m.
Jan. 19	SAINT MICHAEL'S	2:05 p.m.
Jan. 20	SAINT MICHAEL'S	2:05 p.m.
Jan. 26	at Sacred Heart	7:30 p.m.
Jan. 27	at Sacred Heart	4:00 p.m.
FEBRUARY		
Feb. 2	at Post	8:45 p.m.
Feb. 3	at Post	12:45 p.m.
Feb. 9	FRANKLIN PIERCE	7:05 p.m.
Feb. 10	at Franklin Pierce	4:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	SAINT ANSELM	7:05 p.m.
Feb. 17	at Saint Anselm	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 23	Open Tournament Semifinals	
Feb. 24	Open Tournament Championship	

Home games, listed in **BOLD CAPS**

INSIDE THE NUMBERS

- Julie Matthias and Emily Lissner lead the Crusaders in goals with seven each through 14 games.
- Kara Violette leads the team in points (5-16-21).
- Violette also leads the NEWHA in career points with 114 and is third overall for point scoring this season.
- Julia Pelletier has played in seven games, leading the Crusaders to a 4-1-2 mark. Pelletier holds a .919 save percentage and a 1.81 goals against average.
- The Crusaders are ranked second in the NEWHA with 62 goals.
- Holy Cross has a conversion rate of 25% on the powerplay, which ranks second in the NEWHA.

CRUSADERS IN GOAL

- Julia Pelletier notched 21 saves against the Hawks and recorded her second shutout of the season.
- Pelletier is ranked second in the NEWHA with a .919 save percentage and third with a 1.81 goals against average.
- Tessie Salatas has recorded six career shutouts, which ranks second in the league. Salatas also posted a shutout against Harvard on Nov. 18.

BLEED VIOLETTE

- Kara Violette leads the team in points (5-16-21), which ranks third overall in the NEWHA.
- Violette is second in the NEWHA in career points with 107.
- The senior forward is ranked second in assists with 16.

VIOLETTE-MATTHIAS-REILLY

- Since Nov. 17, the Violette, Matthias and Reilly line has scored or assisted on 17 of 27 goals.
- Five out of the last six goals scored by Matthias have been assisted by Violette.

RECAPPING POST

- The Crusaders defeated the Eagles, 11-1 and 8-1 on Jan. 5 and 6.
- Eleven different Crusaders scored through the two games.
- Lissner notched her first career hat trick and had four points on the weekend.
- Victoria Young led the defense with four assists and went +9 through two games.
- The Crusaders had 76 shots in the first game against the Eagles.
- Holy Cross went 1-3 and 2-4 on the power play.

SCOUTING SAINT ANSELM

- The Hawks stand at 12-1-1 on the season.
- Kaley Campbell leads the team in goals and points (9-10-19).
- Saint Anselm averages 3.79 goals and 0.71 goals against per game.
- The Hawks hold a 29.2% conversion rate on the power play.
- On the penalty kill, Post has recorded a 93.8% success rate.
- At home, Saint Anselm is 4-1-1, and on the road, the Hawks are 8-0-0.
- The Hawks will come to the Hart Center for their fourth game in five days.
- On Tuesday, Jan. 9, the Hawks defeated Connecticut College, 1-0. The Hawks also beat Manhattanville, 4-2, Wednesday, Jan. 10.

LAST TIME AGAINST THE HAWKS

- Holy Cross played Saint Anselm Dec. 8 and tied, 0-0.
- Julia Pelletier had 21 saves.
- Holy Cross had 21 shots in the tie.
- Both teams went 0-4 on the power play.

PREPARATION FOR HOCKEY EAST

- To start the 2017-2018 season, Holy Cross played two home games against the RIT Tigers, coming away with a tie Oct. 6 (2-2, OT) and a loss Oct. 7 (3-2).
- Katie MacCuaig scored her first career goal against the Tigers in the tie.
- The Crusaders then traveled to Hanover, N.H. on Oct. 13 to play an exhibition game against the Dartmouth Big Green. Holy Cross lost in their second overtime game of the season, 3-2.
- Danielle Doherty and Reilly each netted one goal against the Big Green.
- Holy Cross played the University of New Hampshire Oct. 14 and lost 9-1.

DIVISION I PLAY THROUGH NOVEMBER

- On Nov. 17, Holy Cross and Harvard met in Cambridge for the first game of a home-and-home series. The Crimson took the first game, 8-3.
- Julia Pelletier recorded a career-high 49 saves against Harvard in the loss.
- On Nov. 18, Holy Cross hosted Harvard and shutout the Crimson, 2-0, for their first Division I victory in program history.
- Tessie Salatas recorded 32 saves in the win against Harvard and recorded her sixth career shutout.
- "In my long career of coaching hockey, this is one of the biggest wins for me and this program," said head coach Peter Van Buskirk on the win against Harvard.
- The Crusaders went back to Hanover, N.H. for their final Division I game this season against Dartmouth.
- Holy Cross lost, 4-3, as Julie Matthias scored two goals for her second multi-goal game this season. Violette assisted on both goals.

NEW ADDITIONS TO THE CRUSADER STAFF

- The team welcomes new associate head coach Katie Lachapelle. She came to Holy Cross after nine seasons working as an assistant coach at Boston University from 2008-2017.
- Michaela Tosone also joins the staff as the new director of operations. Tosone graduated from UMass Amherst where she was a member of the women's hockey team.

TALE OF THE TAPE

HOLY CROSS

4.13
2.27
36.0
2.9
25%
85.7%

Goals Per Game
Goals Allowed Per Game
Shots Per Game
Penalties Per Game
Power Play
Penalty Kill

SAINT ANSELM

3.79
0.71
36.9
4.7
29.2%
93.8%

2017-18 WOMEN'S ICE HOCKEY RESULTS

The Automated ScoreBook Holy Cross Game Results (as of Jan 12, 2018) All games

Date	Opponent		Score	Shots	Overall	Conf	Time	Att.	Goalie of record
Oct 06	RIT	Tot	2-2	28/26	0-0-1	0-0-0	2:00	312	Julia Pelletier
Oct 07	RIT	L	2-3	29/31	0-1-1	0-0-0	1:48	239	Tessie Salatas
Oct 14	at New Hampshire	L	1-9	22/37	0-2-1	0-0-0	2:04	217	Tessie Salatas
Oct 20	at Franklin Pierce	W	3-1	32/15	1-2-1	0-0-0	1:51	208	Julia Pelletier
Oct 25	FRANKLIN PIERCE	W	6-1	37/14	2-2-1	0-0-0	2:05	104	Julia Pelletier
11/03/17	at Saint Michael's	W	9-0	64/5	3-2-1	0-0-0		100	Julia Pelletier
11/04/17	at Saint Michael's	W	9-1	50/11	4-2-1	0-0-0	1:40	115	Tessie Salatas
* Nov 11	SACRED HEART	W	2-1	30/22	5-2-1	1-0-0	1:45	112	Julia Pelletier
Nov 18	HARVARD	W	2-0	19/32	6-2-1	1-0-0	2:05	123	Tessie Salatas
Nov 24	at Dartmouth	L	3-4	23/29	6-3-1	1-0-0	1:59	613	Tessie Salatas
12/08/17	at Saint Anselm	Tot	0-0	21/21	6-3-2	1-0-0	2:01	326	Julia Pelletier
Jan 05	POSTWH	W	11-1	76/12	7-3-2	1-0-0	2:05	89	Marcia LaPlante
Jan 06	POSTWH	W	8-1	68/7	8-3-2	1-0-0	1:55	45	Tessie Salatas
Nov 12	SACRED HEART	L	1-2	28/24	8-4-2	1-0-0	1:45	67	Tessie Salatas
Nov 17	at Harvard	L	3-8	13/57	8-5-2	1-0-0	2:12	427	Julia Pelletier

Team Record	W-L-T	Attendance	Dates	Total	Avg.
Overall:	8-5-2	Total:	15	3097	206
Conference:	1-0-0	Home:	8	1091	136
Home:	5-2-1	Away:	7	2006	287
Away:	3-3-1	Neutral:	0	0	0
Neutral:	0-0-0				
Overtime:	0-0-2				

2017-18 WOMEN'S ICE HOCKEY STATISTICS

The Automated ScoreBook Holy Cross Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 12, 2018) All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
Oct 06	RIT	Tot 2-2	312
Oct 07	RIT	L 2-3	239
Oct 14	at New Hampshire	L 1-9	217
Oct 20	at Franklin Pierce	w 3-1	208
Oct 25	FRANKLIN PIERCE	w 6-1	104
11/03/17	at Saint Michael's	w 9-0	100
11/04/17	at Saint Michael's	w 9-1	115
* Nov 11	SACRED HEART	w 2-1	112
Nov 18	HARVARD	w 2-0	123
Nov 24	at Dartmouth	L 3-4	613
12/08/17	at Saint Anselm	Tot 0-0	326
Jan 05	POSTWH	w 11-1	89
Jan 06	POSTWH	w 8-1	45
Nov 12	SACRED HEART	L 1-2	67
Nov 17	at Harvard	L 3-8	427

TEAM STATISTICS	HCW	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	62-540	34-343
Shot pct.	.115	.099
Goals/Game	4.1	2.3
Shots/Game	36.0	22.9
POWER PLAYS		
Goals-Power Plays	13-46	6-39
Conversion Percent	.283	.154
Shot Attempts	76	57
Shot Percent	.171	.105
GOAL BREAKDOWN		
Power Play	13	6
Short-handed	1	0
Empty net	0	0
Penalty	0	0
Unassisted	4	4
Overtime	0	0
Shootout	0	0
Delayed Penalty	0	0
PENALTIES		
Number	44	50
Minutes	91	111
Penalties/Game	2.9	3.3
Pen minutes/Game	6.1	7.4
SHOOTOUTS (Made-Att)	0-0	0-0

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	8-5-2	5-2-1	3-3-1	0-0-0
CONFERENCE	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	7-5-2	4-2-1	3-3-1	0-0-0

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	pen-min	pp	sh
16	Kara Violette	15	5	17	22	30	.167	5-10	2	0
24	Maeve Reilly	14	5	11	16	29	.172	0-0	2	0
21	Julie Matthias	15	7	7	14	41	.171	3-6	2	0
3	Emily Lissner	15	7	5	12	41	.171	2-4	1	0
23	Antonia Matzka	15	3	9	12	42	.071	0-0	1	0
19	Sam Girard	13	4	7	11	53	.075	3-9	0	1
12	Danielle Doherty	14	5	5	10	39	.128	0-0	2	0
9	Tori Messina	13	3	6	9	44	.068	6-12	1	0
20	Victoria Young	15	3	6	9	24	.125	7-14	2	0
6	Katie MacCuaig	15	6	2	8	55	.109	1-2	0	0
10	Amanda Kewer	15	3	4	7	27	.111	3-6	0	0
27	Grace Peluso	14	3	3	6	23	.130	1-2	0	0
5	Hannah Gillis	14	0	6	6	12	.000	2-4	0	0
11	Kelsey Goostrey	15	4	1	5	23	.174	2-4	0	0
14	Allison Attea	12	2	3	5	18	.111	3-6	0	0
26	Maggie Hallisey	15	1	2	3	5	.200	0-0	0	0
25	Mackenzie Griffith	9	1	1	2	9	.111	0-0	0	0
8	Maeve Christ	5	0	2	2	3	.000	0-0	0	0
28	Sierra Hannough	11	0	2	2	4	.000	0-0	0	0
22	Sarah Stevens	2	0	2	2	1	.000	0-0	0	0
4	Jackie Gellner	13	0	1	1	17	.000	5-10	0	0
TM	TEAM	4	0	0	0	0	.000	1-2	0	0
Total		15	62	102	164	540	.115	44-91	13	1
Opponents		15	34	49	83	343	.099	50-111	6	0

#	Goalie	gp	min	ga	qaavg	saves	save%	w-l-t
34	Marcia LaPlante	1	60:00	1	1.00	11	.917	1-0-0
30	Alex Barnes	3	40:00	1	1.50	6	.857	0-0-0
1	Julia Pelletier	7	429:05	13	1.82	147	.919	4-1-2
35	Tessie Salatas	7	378:54	19	3.01	145	.884	3-4-0
TM	EMPTY NET	4	1:11	0	-	0	.000	0-0-0
Total		15	909:10	34	2.24	309	.901	8-5-2
Opponents		15	909:10	62	4.09	478	.885	5-8-2

Attendance Summary	HCW	Opponent
Total	1091	2006
Dates/Avg Per Date	8/136	7/287
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Holy Cross	21	22	19	62
Opponents	9	11	14	34

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Holy Cross	97	98	114	309
Opponents	177	147	148	478

2017-18 WOMEN'S ICE HOCKEY ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Hometown / Last Team (League)
1	Julia Pelletier	G	5-7	Fr.	Pelham, N.H. (Worcester Academy)
2	Charlotte Abrecht	D	5-7	So.	Weston, Mass. (Noble and Greenough)
3	Emily Lissner	F	5-2	Sr.	Woburn, Mass. (Woburn Memorial)
4	Jackie Gellner	D	5-4	Jr.	Glen Dale, W.Va. (John Marshall High School)
5	Hannah Gillis	D	5-4	So.	Northborough, Mass. (St. Mark's)
6	Katie MacCuaig	F	5-6	Fr.	Massena, N.Y. (Massena Central)
8	Maeve Christ	D	5-7	So.	East Amherst, N.Y. (Mount St. Mary)
9	Tori Messina	D	5-8	Jr.	Hingham, Mass. (Hingham)
10	Amanda Kewer	F	5-6	Jr.	Oakdale, Conn. (Pomfret School)
11	Kelsey Goostrey	F	5-3	Sr.	Jackson, Mich. (Napoleon)
12	Danielle Doherty	F	5-7	Jr.	Wakefield, Mass. (Brooks School)
14	Allison Attea	D	5-7	Fr.	Buffalo, N.Y. (Nichols School)
16	Kara Violette	F	5-4	Sr.	Greene, Maine (St. Mark's (Mass.))
17	Lauren Abbenante	F	5-7	Sr.	Cranston, R.I. (Worcester Academy)
19	Sam Girard	F	5-9	Jr.	Dedham, Mass. (Dedham)
20	Victoria Young	D	5-9	So.	Hanson, Mass. (Tabor Academy)
21	Julie Matthias	F	5-5	Jr.	Thornton, Colo. (Monarch High School)
22	Sarah Stevens	F	5-7	So.	Avon, Conn. (Loomis Chaffee)
23	Antonia Matzka	D	5-8	Fr.	Moedling, Austria (Berkshire School)
24	Maeve Reilly	F	5-7	Jr.	Ridgefield, Conn. (Immaculate High School)
25	Mackenzie Griffith	F	5-4	Fr.	West Hartford, Conn. (Westminster)
26	Maggie Hallisey	F	5-7	So.	Wethersfield, Conn. (East Catholic)
27	Grace Peluso	F	5-8	Fr.	Edina, Minn. (Benilde St. Margarets)
28	Sierra Hannough	F	5-7	Sr.	Hudson, Quebec (Taft School)
30	Alex Barnes	G	5-6	Jr.	North Yarmouth, Maine (North Yarmouth Academy)
34	Marcia LaPlante	G	5-3	So.	Waasis, New Brunswick (St. Mark's)
35	Tessie Salatas	G	5-10	Sr.	Laval, Quebec (Kent)

Head Coach: Peter Van Buskirk (18th Season / New Hampshire, 1965)

Associate Head Coach: Katie Lachapelle (First Season / Providence, 1999)

Assistant Coach: Maddy Norton (Second Season / Union, 2014)

Director of Operations: Michaela Tosone (First Season / UMass Amherst, 2017)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Julia Pelletier	Pell-UH-tee-AIR
Charlotte Abrecht	UH-Breck
Kaite MacCuaig	MUH-quaig
Maeve Christ	KRIST
Kelsey Goostrey	GOOS-tree
Danielle Doherty	DOE-er-TY
Allison Attea	Uh-TAY-tah
Kara Violette	VI-oh-LET
Lauren Abbenante	Ab-uh-nant-EH
Sam Girard	JA-rard
Julie Matthias	MA-thigh-US
Antonia Matzka	Mah-zka
Maggie Hallisey	Hall-AH-see
Sierra Hannough	HAN-oh
Tessie Salatas	SAL-uh-TUS