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Sirois leads Old Town Softball to win over Orono

By Marc
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Haley Sirois pitched a one hitter with 12 strikeouts to lead Old Town softball to an 8-0 win over Orono on Tuesday afternoon. Sirois didn't issue a walk, she threw 94 pitches (67 strikes). Natalie Fournier, Lindsay Mockler, and Molly Albert powered the Coyote offense with two hits each. Fournier had a triple and scored three runs from the leadoff spot. Albert had two hits and two RBI. Mockler had two hits, one run scored, and one RBI. Severance struck out 12 in a complete game effort for the Red Riots. She also had the only hit for Orono.

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Verrill and Waning lead Hermon softball to win over MDI

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Mikelle Verrill fired a two hitter and Addy Waning hit a homer to lead Hermon softball to a 10-0 win over MDI on Tuesday afternoon. Verrill had two hits and three RBI, including a two run single to get the scoring started in the first inning, she also had a double. The Hawks added four runs in the third inning, Waning hit her two run homer in the fourth inning. Hermon ended the game with two runs in the bottom of the fifth inning. Waning had two hits, Molly Simcox had two hits and two runs scored. Verrill didn't issue a walk and struck out five in her complete game effort. Post game picture from Hermon's 10-0 win over MDI this afternoon. Pictured are Addy Waning (2-3 with a single and two run home run), Mikelle Verrill (CG shutout, 5 K's), and Molly Simcox (2-4, 2 runs scored).

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Tatum undergoes surgery for torn achilles; could miss entire 2025-26 season

By Chris Lessner
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Boston Celtics star power forward Jayson Tatum underwent surgery on Tuesday for a ruptured right achilles tendon suffered in a Game 4 second round loss in New York against the Knicks on Monday night. Tatum will have a full recovery, and while no timetable is set for his return he will miss the rest of the playoffs and is in danger of also missing the entire 2025-26 season. Boston is trailing NY 3-1 in the best of seven series, and will try to stave off elimination on Wednesday night at TD Garden. More on the story here- <https://www.cbssports.com/nba/news/jayson-tatum-suffers-torn-achilles-injury-could-force-celtics-star-to-miss-all-of-next-season-in-brutal-blow/>

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Kody Kimball leads Dexter/PCHS baseball to win over Central

By Marc
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Kody Kimball reached base three times, including two hits and three runs scored, plus pitched a complete game two hitter to lead Dexter/PCHS baseball to an 11-1 win at Central on Monday. Chase Farnsworth also reached base three times, including two hits, one RBI, and one run scored. Brady Gaw had two hits, two run scored, and one RBI, Ethan Doherty had two RBI, while Tyler Gould scored two runs for the Tigers. Bryce Cadieux reached base twice for the Red Devils.

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Eng and Barnes lead Thornton softball to win over Westbrook

By Marc
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Theresa Eng reached base four times with two doubles, one homer, one walk, four RBI, and two runs scored to lead Thornton softball to a 15-10 win over Westbrook on Monday. Emma Barnes smacked a grand slam, and also had five RBI, and scored three runs for the Trojans.

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Mattanawcook baseball stays undefeated with extra inning win at Foxcroft

By Marc
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In a battle of the top two teams in the current MPA Class C North baseball standings, Mattanawcook won a thrilling 4-2 battle with Foxcroft in 10 innings. Each team scored one run in the first inning. The Ponies took the lead on a Josh Knapp sacrifice fly in the bottom of the fifth inning. The Lynx responded quickly when Tyler Mahaney ripped a double to score a run. Lucas Sands for Foxcroft and Isaac Ritchie for Mattanawcook got the game to extra innings. Sands struck out 11 in 4.2 innings for the Ponies. Ritchie pitched four shutout innings for the Lynx to earn the win. Hayden Strout had a double and triple for the Ponies. Thomas Day and Knapp also had two hits each. Calvin Landry reached base three times. Landry started on the mound, allowing two runs (one earned) on nine hits, while striking out four in 5.1 innings. Sands allowed two runs. Foxcroft (5-2) will be at Dexter on Wednesday in a game that can be seen live on Eastern

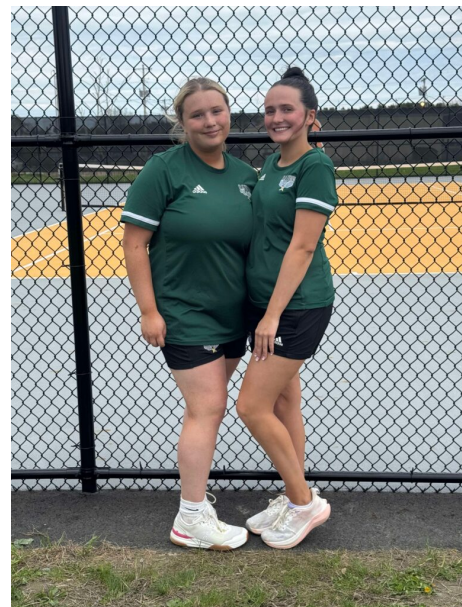
Maine Sports. Ritchie reached base four times, including two hits for the Lynx. Avery Jordan and Mahaney also had two hits. James Trott started on the mound, allowing two runs on three hits and five walks, while striking out five. Jordan earned the save, pitching a scoreless 10th inning working around two base runners and striking out the side. Mattanawcook moves to 7-0.

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Baileigh Bagley goes 3-4 with two homers and four RBI to lead Searsport softball to 14-10 win over Lee Academy

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Old Town girls tennis remains undefeated

By Marc

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Old town girls tennis remains undefeated with a win in a match at Orono on Monday. And this doubles team of Lily Mickel and Madison Davis (both seniors) went 3-0 at PVC's held at Brewer to qualify for states on Thursday in Auburn.

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Baileigh Bagley has huge game in Searsport win over Lee

By Marc



Small College World Series- SMCC softball wins opener, nine-run inning sinks CMCC baseball

By **Chris Lessner**
May 12, 2025

The Southern Maine Community College softball team and Central Maine Community College baseball both opened up play in the double elimination USCAA Small College World Series in Dubois, Pennsylvania on Monday. In the softball game- Ariana Cross (John Bapst) drove in the winning run, and Sarah Wilkins was very strong in the circle as #4 seeded SMCC downed #5 Penn State Mont Alto 5-1. Cross had two hits and two RBI. Wilkins (13-4) pitched a complete game four hitter in the circle allowing just one run walking two and striking out 11. Cross had two hits and two RBI, while Wilkins also helped out with her bat with three hits and a run driven in. The Seawolves (29-6) play #1 seed Salem University (25-27) in a winners bracket game on Tuesday at 4 p.m. In the baseball game- CMCC scored five runs in the top of the first inning, but a nine-run fifth frame sent Central Penn to a 12-6 victory in the 8 vs 9

matchup. Zach Gorman had two RBI for CM, while Logan Carpenter (Lawrence) had three hits and Garren Post (Westbrook) had two. Kyle Delano (Oak Hill) suffered the pitching loss to fall to 7-4 on the season allowing eight runs (seven earned) on eight hits with two walks and two strikeouts in 4.0+ innings. The #8 seeded Mustangs (26-14) will face #6 Florida National (20-19) in an elimination game at 1 p.m. on Tuesday. Photos in this story are courtesy of SMCC and CMCC Athletics

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Husson baseball and softball both heading out on the road for the NCAA Tournament this week

By **Chris Lessner**
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The NCAA announced their regional fields on Monday for the NCAA Division III Baseball and Softball Tournament. Both Husson clubs will be out on the road, fresh off their North Atlantic Conference Championship wins on Sunday. The regionals are all double elimination, with the winners all advancing to the super regionals next week. The Eagles baseball team (24-14), after beating Thomas 17-7 in the NAC Championship for their sixth straight league title, is headed to New Jersey for the regional hosted by Kean University. Husson will square off with the Cougars (35-8) on Friday at 11 a.m. SUNY Cortland (29-11) and Middlebury (27-11) are the other two competitors in the field and will also meet on Friday. Husson is 4-8 in the NCAA Tournament since 2021, and won two games last season to reach the regional final in Willamantic, Connecticut before falling to Endicott College 4-3. Husson softball (27-10) will carry a nine game win streak into the NCAA Tournament, after defeating host SUNY Cobleskill 8-0 to claim their seventh straight league championship over the weekend. The Eagles are headed to Minnesota in the regional at Saint Mary's of Minnesota, and will take on the host Cardinal (39-3) at 12 p.m. Eastern Time on Thursday. Saint Mary's is on a 29-game win streak and hosting for a first time in program history. Simpson University (31-7) and DePauw University (24-13) are the other two schools in the field and will also square off on Thursday. Husson is 5-12 in the NCAA Tournament since 2018, falling in a regional final in both 2021 and 2024 that they hosted in Bangor.

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Bowdoin men's lacrosse cruises past Amherst to move into the national quarterfinals

By Chris Lessner
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The #8 Bowdoin men's lacrosse team got four goals each from Jason Lach and Patrick Fitzgerald along with seven assists by Casey Ryan in rolling past Amherst College 16-5 in the third round of the NCAA Tournament in Brunswick on Sunday afternoon. The Polar Bears (15-3) advance to the national quarterfinals for the third time in four years and will play Christopher Newport on Saturday, May 17th in a game that will be played at Tufts University. Full story here courtesy of Bowdoin College Athletics - <https://athletics.bowdoin.edu/news/2025/5/11/mens-lacrosse-dominates-amherst-in-ncaa-third-round-win.aspx>

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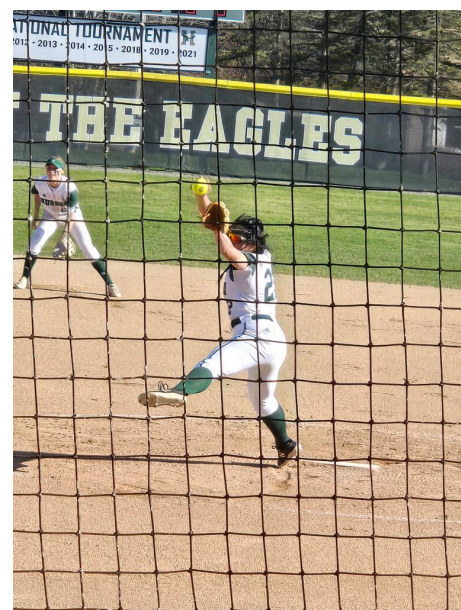
Maine baseball drops final regular season conference game to Binghamton

By Chris Lessner
May 11, 2025

The Maine baseball team dropped their final conference game of the regular season on Sunday afternoon at Mahaney Diamond in Orono 6-2 to Binghamton. Brody Rasmussen coming off a four RBI performance in a Black Bears win on Saturday night, had both runs driven in on Sunday with the second one tying it up 2-2 on sacrifice fly in the fifth inning. The Bearcats took over from that point, jumping on top for good in the seventh on an RBI triple by Zach Rogacki. The visitors added three in the top of the ninth on a two-run error and a single for an RBI by Evin Sullivan to end the scoring. Binghamton won the season series over Maine 4-2. Evan Menzel and Dean O'Neill both had two hits in the loss for Maine. Gianni Gambardella (5-4) suffered the defeat on the mound allowing three runs on seven hits with four walks and six strikeouts in 7.0 innings. Rogacki had three hits for Binghamton, while Devan Bade had two. Conner Griffin (2-1) picked up the win in relief on the mound

allowing one hit and no runs in 1.2 innings. The Bearcats are now 23-22 and 11-10 in America East. The Black Bears drop to 20-27 and 13-11 in conference play, losing back to back league series to Bryant and now Binghamton after winning five three game sets in a row. Maine wraps up the regular season next Thursday-Saturday with a road trip to take on the University of Connecticut out of the Big East in non-conference action.

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Husson softball rolls to seventh straight NAC Title

By Chris Lessner
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Julia Gregiore (Massabesic) had a game winning RBI hit in the first inning, and Ana Lang (Searsport) was dominant in the circle on Sunday

afternoon as the top seeded Husson softball team captured their seventh straight North Atlantic Conference Championship with an 8-0 win over host SUNY Cobleskill in six innings in a game played at SUNY Oneonta. The Eagles (27-10) with two outs in the bottom of the first inning and nobody on base got the only run that was needed. Bulla McCabe reached on an error by the centerfielder and advanced to third. Gregiore followed with an RBI single to right. Husson extended their advantage in the third on a McCabe RBI single, and Kiara McLeod smacked a two-run homerun in the fifth to make it 4-0. They would end it in the sixth by mercy rule by tagging on four more, highlighted by an RBI single from Lyndsee Reed (Hermon) and a two-run double to center by Camryn King (Nokomis). Lang got the win going 6.0 innings in the circle and improving to 8-4 on the season. Gregiore and King had two hits a piece in the victory, while McLeod and King drove in two runs each. Lang gave up four hits while walking three and striking out 13, as her team will carry a nine game win streak into the NCAA Tournament with the selection show coming up on Monday. Madelynn Orosz (10-4) took the pitching loss for #2 SUNY Cobleskill allowing six runs on eight hits in 5.0 innings. The Fighting Tigers end their season with a record of 22-12-1.

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Husson explodes for 17 runs to win their sixth straight NAC baseball title

By **Chris Lessner**
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BANGOR- Hunter Curtis (Ellsworth) had six RBI including a grand slam, Cam Rendell drove in four runs, and Ryne Rametta added three RBI on Sunday as Husson won their sixth straight North Atlantic Conference Baseball Championship with a 17-7 victory over Thomas College at the Winkin Complex. In a scoreless game in the bottom of the third inning, the Eagles struck first. Rendell worked a leadoff walk, and with one out Matt Holmes (Bangor) looped one down the leftfield line that dropped in for a double. Hunter Curtis followed with a single to left center for a two-run single, and with two outs Rametta doubled to right center to make it 3-0. The Terriers struck back with two outs in the fourth, as Cam Haynes walked and DJ Cagnina (Marshwood) doubled to deep center to score Haynes. Sam Keblinsky (MDI) then slapped a single up the middle to score Cagnina to slice the deficit to 3-2. Husson extended it out to a 7-2 advantage in the bottom of the frame. Keegan Cyr (Bangor) and

Akira Warren (Hall-Dale) both led off with singles, and Rendell laid down a sacrifice bunt to move the runners into scoring position. Jackson Curtis was then intentionally walked to load the bases, and Thomas brought in Brody Walsh (Mt. Blue) to pitch. Hunter Curtis greeted Walsh with a long fly ball to leftfield that with the wind blowing out that way just snuck over the fence for a grand slam. The Eagles really blew it open with five more runs in the sixth inning on a Rametta RBI double, a two-run double by Colin Marshall, and a two-run single by Jackson Curtis to make it 13-2 as they cruised the rest of the way. Hunter Curtis ended up with three hits and his six RBI while also scoring four runs. Rendell had two hits and four RBI, while Rametta contributed four hits and three RBI. Marshall and Jackson Curtis also drove in two runs a piece. Alex Smith (4-2) went 6.0 innings on the mound to pick up the victory allowing three runs on five hits with two walks. Keblinsky led Thomas College in the loss with four hits and two RBI. Hayden Dippner (Mt. Blue), Tony Meza, and Cagnina also added two hits a piece. Justin Conn (2-3) suffered the defeat on the hill giving up three runs on five hits with one walk and four strikeouts in 3.0 innings. The #3 seed Terriers end their season with a record of 20-22. The Eagles are 24-14 and will await their location, gametime, and opponent for the NCAA Division III Tournament during the selection show on Monday. Husson appeared in the regional final last season before falling to Endicott College. At the end of the NAC Tournament on Sunday, the league announced their All-Tournament Team. Husson pitcher Connor Abood took home the MVP. The full list is below. HUSSON UNIVERSITY- Connor Abood (MVP of the Tournament) Jackson Curtis Hunter Curtis Cam Rendell THOMAS COLLEGE- Cam Haynes Andrew Pruell (Medomak) Sam Keblinsky LESLEY UNIVERSITY- Colin McCarthy Raymond Morales SUNY COBLESKILL- Logan Firmet Zach Ducorsky

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