

## SOFTBALL Weekly Release #7 - May 4, 2009

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Recent Results

**Monday, April 27**  
**Bates 7** at Southern Me. 6  
 Trinity 1 at Wesleyan 4  
**Bates 9** at Southern Me. 2

**Tuesday, April 28**  
**Tufts 3** at Brandeis 0  
 Wesleyan 1 at Coast Guard 9 6 inn  
 Trinity 2 at E. Conn. St. 5  
 Tufts 1 at Brandeis 2  
 Trinity 0 at E. Conn. St. 1

**Wednesday, April 29**  
 Bates 5 at Husson 9  
**Bates 8** at Husson 4

**Friday, May 1**  
**2009 NESCAC SOFTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP at Tufts**  
 W2 Williams 3 at E1 Tufts 9  
 E2 Bates 4 vs. W1 Wesleyan 12 5 inn

**Saturday, May 2**  
**St. Joseph's (ME) 8** at Colby 0 5 inn  
 St. Joseph's (ME) 0 at Colby 4

**2009 NESCAC SOFTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP at Tufts**  
 E2 Bates 6 vs. W2 Williams 14 6 inn  
 W1 Wesleyan 1 at E1 Tufts 6  
 W2 Williams 6 vs. W1 Wesleyan 7

**Sunday, May 3**  
**2009 NESCAC SOFTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP at Tufts**  
 W1 Wesleyan 2 at E1 Tufts 8

### Upcoming Games

**Thursday, May 7**  
**2009 NCAA SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT**  
**New England Regional at Endicott**  
 Husson vs. Tufts 10:00 am  
 Emerson vs. Endicott 12:00  
 Bridgewater St. vs. Coast Guard 2:00  
 Springfield vs. Rhode Island Col. 4:00

**Friday, May 8**  
**2009 NCAA SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT**  
**New England Regional at Endicott**  
 Day begins at 10:00 am

**Saturday, May 9**  
**2009 NCAA SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT**  
**New England Regional at Endicott**  
 Day begins at 10:00 am

**Sunday, May 10**  
**2009 NCAA SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT**  
**New England Regional at Endicott**  
 Day begins at 12:00

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### 2009 Standings

EAST		W			L			T			W%			RF			RA		
1	Tufts	12	0	0	1.000	102	22	38	1	0	.974	299	81						
2	Bates	6	6	0	.500	53	72	12	16	0	.429	129	193						
3	Trinity	5	7	0	.417	67	69	14	17	0	.452	145	135						
4	Bowdoin	4	8	0	.333	33	58	22	16	1	.577	180	131						
5	Colby	3	9	0	.250	42	76	18	11	0	.621	141	99						

  

WEST		W			L			T			W%			RF			RA		
1	Wesleyan	9	3	0	.750	71	50	17	20	0	.459	165	202						
2	Williams	8	4	0	.667	90	48	16	17	0	.485	185	169						
3	Amherst	7	5	0	.583	66	46	19	8	0	.704	171	100						
4	Middlebury	5	7	0	.417	45	76	17	15	0	.531	126	149						
5	Hamilton	1	11	0	.083	24	76	5	27	0	.156	91	215						

### Softball Player of the Week

#### Laura Chapman, Tufts

(Senior, OF - Seattle, Wash.)  
 Chapman batted .700 (7-for-10) with an on-base percentage of .750 in helping the Jumbos record three victories and win the 2009 NESCAC Softball Championship over the weekend. She also had two walks and was 3-for-4 in stolen base attempts. In a 4-1 week overall for Tufts, Chapman averaged .500 (8-for-16) and was 5-for-6 in stolen bases.

### Softball Pitcher of the Week

#### Izzie Santone, Tufts

(Sophomore, P - Madison, Conn.)  
 In three appearances last week, Santone did not allow an earned run, including 10 innings during the 2009 NESCAC Softball Championship. Over 16 IP, Santone allowed 14 hits and two walks while holding opponents to a .233 average. She helped the Jumbos win their sixth conference title with a victory in game four over Wesleyan and a save in Sunday's championship game.

**Notes:** Tufts University claimed the **2009 NESCAC Softball Championship** over the weekend, going 3-0 against the field to earn its third consecutive league title and sixth overall. The Jumbos outscored their opponents by a 23-6 margin over the three games. Tufts started off the tournament on Friday afternoon with a 9-3 victory against the only other team to win the NESCAC championship, Williams, as the Jumbos got 10 hits and six runs out of the top four spots in the batting order. In the second game, Wesleyan recovered from an early three-run deficit to Bates by scoring three in the second, three in the third, and six in the bottom of the fifth en route to a 12-4 win. First year 2B Sam Epstein (Hewlett, N.Y.) went 3-for-3 with five RBI in the Cardinals' victory. During game three on Saturday, Williams battled back from a four-run hole against Bates to win 14-6 in six innings. Tufts continued to roll in game four, posting a 6-1 win against Wesleyan, and the Cardinals survived a late surge from the Ephs in game five to win 7-6. Sunday's game was a rematch of last year's championship, however Wesleyan could not force a game seven as Tufts clinched the championship with an 8-2 win...With Sunday's win in the NESCAC Softball Championship, Tufts will participate in the **2009 NCAA Softball Tournament** at Endicott College in Beverly, Mass. this weekend. The Jumbos will face Husson in the first game for both teams on Thursday. The winner of this weekend's regional will advance to the championship May 15-19 at Montclair St. in Montclair, N.J...**Bates** senior IF/DP Stacia Saniuk (Sharon, Mass.) averaged .737 (14-for-19) at the plate during a 3-3 week for the Bobcats, hitting six doubles, walking three times, scoring four runs and driving in eight others. Saniuk finished the season with career-highs in batting average (.436) and on-base percentage (.532). She completes her career as the owner of seven program records: hits (127), home runs (20), doubles (26), extra-base hits (48), total bases (219), runs batted in (88) and walks (40)...**Trinity** sophomore pitcher Kristen Anderson (West Haven, Conn.) suffered the hard-luck loss in the Bantams' 1-0 setback to Eastern Conn. St. last week. In 6.0 IP, Anderson allowed seven hits and two walks. Sophomore 2B Katherine Stoltenberg (Montgomery, N.J.) batted .500 (5-for-10) during an 0-3 week for the Bantams, committing no errors at second base on 12 chances...**Wesleyan** junior Meaghan Dendy (Swansea, Mass.) broke her own program record for wins in a season with 12, surpassing the mark of 11 she had in 2008, with two victories during the NESCAC Softball Championship. She improved her career wins total to 30, also a program record. Sophomore Talia Bernstein (Miami, Fla.) recorded a .692 batting average (9-for-13) during the NESCAC Softball Championship while scoring five runs and driving in four. Bernstein set a program record for hits in a season with 55 and is the first Wesleyan sophomore to surpass 100 hits for her career (106). Rookie Sam Epstein (Hewlett, N.Y.) batted .545 with nine RBI over the four tournament outings...**Williams** senior pitcher Morgan Simpson came away with the win during a 14-6 victory against Bates in game three of the NESCAC Softball Championship, tossing three innings of relief and allowing one run on four hits and one walk while striking out two. Senior Joey Lye batted .545 for the week with a .620 on-base percentage. Lye set multiple all-time program records for batting average, hits, runs, stolen bases and total bases while also acquiring the single-season records for batting average and stolen bases during the 2009 campaign.

**2009 NESCAC SOFTBALL STATISTICS**  
Through games of May 3, 2009 (All games)

TEAM BATTING	G	Avg	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	SB-ATT
Tufts	39	.376	1127	299	424	70	9	25	109	82	91-104
Williams	33	.329	941	185	310	47	6	15	52	139	48-62
Amherst	27	.323	768	171	248	51	6	9	71	95	6-11
Wesleyan	37	.311	975	165	303	43	3	12	83	109	8-10
Colby	29	.302	762	141	230	40	0	9	77	75	29-33
Bowdoin	39	.300	1050	180	315	50	10	10	93	127	67-79
Bates	28	.294	717	130	211	35	7	6	67	78	29-33
Trinity	31	.289	896	145	259	46	4	14	75	134	28-32
Middlebury	32	.283	865	127	245	34	7	5	59	129	33-37
Hamilton	32	.234	788	91	184	29	3	7	52	162	49-55

TEAM PITCHING	G	ERA	W	L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tufts	39	1.64	38	1	4	248.0	217	81	58	80	130
Bowdoin	39	2.14	22	16	6	261.2	229	131	80	113	164
Colby	29	2.42	18	11	2	188.0	208	99	65	44	130
Amherst	27	2.94	19	8	0	174.0	182	100	73	37	117
Trinity	31	3.43	14	17	1	212.0	239	135	104	88	72
Middlebury	32	3.86	17	15	0	205.0	268	149	113	62	158
Williams	33	4.09	16	17	3	205.1	253	169	120	89	121
Wesleyan	37	4.32	17	20	1	236.1	330	202	146	85	149
Hamilton	32	5.07	5	27	0	200.0	336	215	145	70	100
Bates	28	5.91	12	16	1	171.2	275	194	145	78	59

TEAM FIELDING	G	PO	A	E	Pct	DP	PB	SB-ATT
Tufts	39	744	364	32	.972	25	8	14-19
Colby	29	564	237	46	.946	3	6	20-27
Trinity	31	636	346	58	.944	12	12	27-39
Amherst	27	522	231	45	.944	4	2	15-21
Bates	28	515	248	47	.942	10	14	50-57
Wesleyan	37	709	325	65	.941	4	7	60-71
Middlebury	32	615	236	56	.938	6	11	38-41
Bowdoin	39	785	297	80	.931	6	11	35-43
Williams	33	616	259	74	.922	7	8	48-54
Hamilton	32	600	265	85	.911	5	3	27-43

INDIVIDUAL BATTING	Min 2.0 AB/Team game	G	Avg	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB
Joey Lye WIL	33	.563	112	43	63	13	5	1	1	1	13
Maya Ripecky TUF	39	.500	122	42	61	33	14	3	3	3	9
Talia Bernstein WES	37	.482	114	26	55	28	6	0	0	3	11
Carly Dudzik AMH	27	.457	94	31	43	22	7	1	1	1	10
Stacia Saniuk BAT	28	.436	78	9	34	22	8	1	3	3	16
Morgan Simpson WIL	33	.425	106	27	45	30	9	2	4	4	10
Laura Chapman TUF	37	.408	103	31	42	8	4	1	0	16	16
Shavonne Lord BOW	34	.406	101	25	41	15	8	3	0	19	19
Jacqueline Tyler AMH	27	.398	103	25	41	19	3	2	1	4	4
Megan Margel MID	32	.398	98	11	39	15	6	0	0	8	8

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING	Min 1.0 IP/Team game	App	ERA	W-L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Izzie Santone TUF	22	1.18	17-1	3	113.0	99	25	19	27	44	44
Lauren Gelmetti TUF	20	1.33	17-0	1	100.0	73	23	19	34	68	68
Alex Chang-Graham AMH	23	1.85	15-2	0	121.1	109	49	32	12	81	81
Julia Jacobs BOW	20	2.17	7-8	2	93.2	78	42	29	35	52	52
Brittany Tasi COL	15	2.24	7-3	0	68.2	79	32	22	13	33	33
Randi Arseneault COL	11	2.41	4-2	2	40.2	42	21	14	11	34	34
Karen Reni BOW	16	2.47	5-5	1	79.1	80	51	28	25	45	45
Alyssa Crowell COL	16	2.58	7-6	0	78.2	87	46	29	20	63	63
Mary Beth Daub WIL	23	2.70	7-7	3	96.0	100	65	37	45	65	65
Kristen Anderson TRI	13	2.96	1-5	0	56.2	64	31	24	17	16	16

HITS	
Joey Lye WIL	63
Maya Ripecky TUF	61
Talia Bernstein WES	55
Meaghan Dendy WES	46
2 tied with 45 hit(s)	

RUNS SCORED	
Joey Lye WIL	43
Maya Ripecky TUF	42
Danielle Lopez TUF	36
Samantha Kuhles TUF	34
3 tied with 31 run(s) scored	

RUNS BATTED IN	
Danielle Lopez TUF	39
Lena Cantone TUF	36
Maya Ripecky TUF	33
Christy Tinker TUF	32
2 tied with 30 RBI(s)	

DOUBLES	
Alyssa Lepore COL	15
Maya Ripecky TUF	14
Alison Coleman BOW	11
Lena Cantone TUF	11
Danielle Lopez TUF	11

TRIPLES	
Maya Ripecky TUF	3
Kelly McManus BAT	3
Shavonne Lord BOW	3
Karen Ullmann BAT	3
5 tied with 2 triple(s)	

HOME RUNS	
Ariana Mullin TRI	6
L. Copeland-Halperin WIL	5
Cara Hovhanessian TUF	5
Nicole Nordella TRI	5
Clare Ronan BOW	5

TOTAL BASES	
Maya Ripecky TUF	90
Joey Lye WIL	73
Talia Bernstein WES	70
Morgan Simpson WIL	70
Danielle Lopez TUF	70

STOLEN BASES	SB
Laura Chapman TUF	25-28
Joey Lye WIL	22-29
Samantha Kuhles TUF	17-18
Leslie Crawford MID	16-17
2 tied with 15 stolen base(s)	

STRIKEOUTS	IP	SO
Meaghan Dendy WES	134.0	102
Megan Coughlin HAM	135.0	83
Geena Constantin MID	76.1	82
Alex Chang-Graham AMH	121.1	81
Lauren Gelmetti TUF	100.0	68

**Abbreviation Code**

Amherst	AMH	Middlebury	MID
Bates	BAT	Trinity	TRI
Bowdoin	BOW	Tufts	TUF
Colby	COL	Wesleyan	WES
Hamilton	HAM	Williams	WIL