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HOBART COLLEGE

Lacrosse wins Patriot League, home opener over Holy Cross, 15-4

GENEVA, N.Y. (March 1)—The lacrosse team notched its first Patriot League win of the season with a 15-4 victory over visiting Holy Cross. The Statesmen were led by the five-point efforts of senior midfielder **KRIS SHORE** and junior attackman **DAN CESERE**.

Hobart (2-0, 1-0 PL) charged out to an 8-0 halftime lead, with Shore netting the first and last tallies of the half. He finished with two goals and three assists. The other six first half scores came off the sticks of six different Statesmen.

Senior goalie **MIKE BORSZ** breezed through the first 30 minutes, turning away all four shots he faced to earn the win. After the break, sophomore **DAN VALENTE** and first-year **MIKE DeSANTIS** made five stops each, while both allowed a pair of goals.

The Crusaders (0-2, 0-1 PL) finally broke through Hobart's stifling defense 1:49 into the third quarter when senior attackman Mark Tarnuzzer scored an extra-man goal. He led Holy Cross with two goals (both man-up) and an assist.

Hobart responded with the next three goals to take a comfortable 10-goal lead into the fourth quarter. First-year attackman **MIKE CONKLIN** recorded the first two to complete his first collegiate hat trick, while Cesere closed out the run. Cesere finished with three goals and two assists.

The Statesmen outshot Holy Cross 55-31, and held a 43-37 advantage on ground balls. Hobart converted 3-of-8 extra-man opportunities, while the Crusaders were just 2-of-10. Sophomore midfielder **BLAKE REARDON** won 7-of-9 faceoffs to lead the Statesmen to a 12-9 advantage in that category.

The Statesmen return to action on March 11, in San Antonio, where they'll tangle with Georgetown. Faceoff is scheduled for 4:30 p.m. CST (5:30 p.m. EST), at the Texas Military Institute's Fondren Stadium. The game, and all Hobart lacrosse games, will be broadcast in the Geneva area on WEOS-FM (89.7/90.3).

Holy Cross (0-2, 0-1 PL) vs. Hobart (2-0, 1-0 PL)

Date: Mar 01, 2003 Location: Geneva, N.Y.

Stadium: AstroTurf Stadium Attendance: 756

Start time: 1 p.m. End time: 3 p.m. Total time: 2:00

Score by period	1	2	3	4	Tot
Holy Cross	0	0	1	3	- 4
Hobart	6	2	3	4	- 15

Holy Cross SCORING: GOALS: Mark Tarnuzzer 2; Shaun McGowan 1; Billy Klotz 1. ASSISTS: Mike McKee 1; Mark Tarnuzzer 1.

Hobart SCORING: GOALS: Dan Cesere 3; Mike Conklin 3; Kris Shore 2; Steve Brennan 2; John Bogosian 1; Sean Kent 1; Ryan Maciaszek 1; Brian Joy 1; Tim Booth 1. ASSISTS: Kris Shore 3; Dan Cesere 2; John Bogosian 1; Mike Conklin 1; Casey Dunleavy 1; Nate Hill 1; Sean Kent 1; Ryan Maciaszek 1; Geoff Zbikowski 1.

SHOTS - Holy Cross 31; Hobart 55. PENALTIES - Holy Cross 10/9:00; Hobart 11/9:30. MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - Holy Cross 2-9; Hobart 3-8. FACEOFFS - Holy Cross 9-21; Hobart 12-21. CLEARS - Holy Cross 15-29; Hobart 15-19.

GOALIES - Holy Cross: Brian Hodgdon (60:00 minutes, 39 shots-24 saves, 15 GA); Hobart: Mike Borsz 2-0 (30:00, 4-4, 0) , Mike DeSantis (09:29, 7-5, 2) , Dan Valente (20:31, 7-5, 2).

Statesmen topple Butler, 13-3



JAMES VANRENSSELAEER

Senior Tim Booth (#3) dominated the faceoff X against Butler, winning 13-of-18 restarts. He also had a team-high seven ground balls and scored a goal in the 13-3 win. Classmate John Bogosian led the scoring parade with a career high six goals. Junior Brian Joy added three more scores, while senior Mike Borsz made 12 saves in the first 45 minutes to earn the win.

Taylor named Coach of the Year

GENEVA, N.Y. (March 7)—Hobart College Head Coach **MARK TAYLOR** was recently named the ECAC West Hockey Coach of the Year as voted by the coaches around the league. The Statesmen earned four other spots on the All-Star teams with sophomore

CRAIG LEVEY leading the way with first-team honors. Sophomore defenseman **STEPHEN MITACEK** garnered second-team accolades, while **COLBY McVEY** and **WILL BODINE** were both named to the All-Rookie Team.

In just his third season at the helm, Taylor has guided Hobart to a 14-9-2 overall record, its first winning season since 1992-93 and just one win shy of

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Mark Taylor

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tying the all time mark set by the 1978-79 team. The 2002-03 team's .600 winning percentage for the regular season is the highest ever in Hobart history, while Taylor's .440 career winning percentage (30-39-6) with the Statesmen ranks second all-time. Sporting a 4-5-1 conference record, Hobart swept the season series with Elmira College for the first time in school history, earning the Statesmen a spot in the conference tournament for the second consecutive year.

Levey leads the Statesmen offense with 18 goals and 14 assists, including six power-play goals. A three-time ECAC West Player of the Week, he sits atop the conference statistics with 11 goals in 10 league games, while his three game-winning goals this season is third in the ECAC West. He posted his second career hat trick on Nov. 8, in a win over Neumann College and scored at least one point in all but four games.

Playing in every game for Hobart, Mitacek has contributed one goal and nine assists this season. He recorded two points in a game three times this season and is fourth among Hobart's defensemen in scoring.

A three-time ECAC West Rookie of the Week, McVey is second on the team in scoring with 10 goals and 14 assists. He recorded his first collegiate goal on Nov. 16, against Neumann and notched a career-high three points on Jan. 25, in a win over Brockport. His 24 points rank him second among all rookies in the conference.

A rookie defenseman, Bodine's five goals and 11 assists leads the Hobart defense and is fifth in the ECAC West. He notched a season-high three points on Feb. 7, in Hobart's 6-5 upset of ninth-ranked Elmira College.

The fourth seed in the ECAC West Tournament, the Statesmen faced off against top-seeded RIT on March 7 at 7 p.m., at the Frank Ritter Arena. Results were not available at press time.

Rathore takes second at NISRA Individual Championships

HARTFORD, Conn. (March 2)—Sophomore TEJVIR RATHORE and first-year GAVIN JOHNSTONE-BUTCHER both won their semifinal matches in their respective brackets to advance to the final round in the Malloy Division (B Division) of the College Squash Association Individual Championships at Trinity College.

Seeded fourth in the tournament, Rathore won his three first matches to advance to the semifinal round where he defeated top-seeded Ben Bernstein of Cornell University, 3-1 (9-6, 7-9, 9-6, 9-6). Unfortunately, Rathore was unable to duplicate that performance in the championship match the following afternoon, losing to the fifth seed 3-2 (6-9, 7-9, 9-3, 9-3, 9-5) to earn second place. In 2002, Rathore garnered second place in the Malloy Division Consolation draw.

Johnstone-Butcher entered the competition as the 14th seed and dropped his first match, moving him down to the consolation draw. The Statesmen's No. 2 player bounced back, winning each of his next three contests to qualify for the finals. In the championship match, Johnstone-Butcher quickly disposed of his opponent 3-0 (9-4, 9-2, 9-1) to grab the consolation draw title.

The Statesmen finished the year at 10-7, posting their second consecutive season with a winning record. Rathore competed in the first position, compiling a 14-8 record, while Johnstone-Butcher spent much of the year at the second spot, racking up a 15-7 record in his rookie season.

Once a Champion, Always a Champion

TOM GRAVANTE '88 recently had a recurrence of the non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma initially diagnosed in the summer of 2001.



Tom Gravante '88

He is once again aggressively treating this disease. He was released from the hospital recently and his prognosis is good. (Incidentally, while Tom was in the hospital he was at his wife Nicole's side as she gave birth to their first child, a baby boy.)

While at Hobart, Tom carried himself in the true fashion of the Hobart student-athlete. His accomplishments on the lacrosse field included four Division III Championships, team captain, MVP of the 1988 Championship and being named first-team All-American. Now men's

lacrosse head coach at Mount St. Mary's, he continues to be respected and admired. Tom's ongoing battle is a true testament to the magnitude of his character.

As Tom recovers, he would enjoy hearing from friends, teammates and classmates. To get in touch with Tom, write to:

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Hobart College Department of Athletics Boswell Parking Permit Application

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Hobart College
Geneva, NY 14456**

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Membership Card			X	X	X	X
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SAA Sportsletter	X	X	X	X	X	X
SAA Receptions	6	6	4	2	2	1
*Home Tickets (\$4/ticket)	6	6	4	2	2	1
*Luggage Tag	X	X	X	X	X	X
*Tile Coaster	**	X	X	X	X	
*Golf Shirt (\$20)	**	X	X	X		
*Pleece Vest (\$25)	**	X				
Boswell Field Parking	X	X				
Block H Invitation	X	X				

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**Corbett, Herron earn UCAA honors
 Corbett a Jostens finalist again**

GENEVA, N.Y. (Feb. 28)—Seniors JOE CORBETT and DAVIDEK HERRON were recently named to the UCAA basketball first and second teams, respectively. Corbett has garnered first-team honors in each of his last three seasons, while Herron earned second-team recognition in 2001 and honorable mention in 2002.

A finalist for the Jostens Trophy, presented to the Division III Player of the Year, Corbett led the Statesmen in scoring (20.1 ppg), rebounding (14.4 rpg), and field goal percentage (.541), while breaking the Hobart career records for points, rebounds, field goals made, and field goal percentage.



Joe Corbett '03



Davidek Herron '03

Second in the nation in rebounding, the senior forward recorded 69 career double-doubles, including a string of 17 straight to finish his career. Earning UCAA Player of the Week five times this season, Corbett connected on 655-of-1,193 field goal attempts (.549) and finished with 1,701 points and 1,249 rebounds. The only Hobart player to grab 1,000 boards, he also garnered the 2001 UCAA Player of the Year and 2000 UCAA Rookie of the Year awards.

Corbett scored a career-high 34 points against Hilbert and notched 20 or more points in 13 other games. Second on the team in assists he dished out four or more helpers eight times, including a career-best matching seven against Clarkson on Jan. 18, and again on Feb. 8, against Skidmore.

A three-year starter, Herron was the second leading scorer and rebounder this year for Hobart, averaging 16.4 ppg and 8.6 rpg. Sixth on the career scoring list with 1,449 points, the senior forward averaged 16.4 ppg and 8.6 rpg. Scoring 20 or more points seven times this year, including nine double-doubles (39 double-doubles for his career), Herron recorded a season-high 28 points against Union on Jan. 25, and again on Feb. 8, in a win over Skidmore.

Corbett and Herron helped Hobart to a 53-50 record in their four seasons, making the Class of 2003 the first group of Statesmen to graduate with a winning record since 1991. In 2001, they helped Hobart tie the school record for consecutive wins, on its way to winning the UCAA Championship and earning the program's first NCAA Tournament berth.

**In memory of—
 Ralph S. Silver '33**

We regret to inform our members of the recent death of RALPH SILVER '33 of Sandusky, Ohio. Ralph was a Life Member of the SAA who, along with the late Bill Mack '44, actively assisted our coaches with their recruiting efforts in Ohio. In 1995, Ralph endowed the Michael Theodore Silver '39 Football Award in honor of his brother Ted who was a standout football player for the Statesmen. As alumni both Ted and Ralph were active volunteers for the Colleges assisting in various admissions, alumni relations, and development efforts in Ohio. Ralph is survived by his wife Eleanor Silver who resides at 5055 Providence Road #111, Sandusky, Ohio 44870.

2003 Spring Schedules

SAILING		
DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION
Mar 1-2	Georgetown Invitational	3rd of 10
8-9	St. Mary's Invitational	St. Mary's
15-16	Truxton Umsted	Navy
22-23	Aaron Szambecki Regatta	ODU
22-23	Owen Trophy	USMMA
22-23	Atlantic Coast Mono's	USMMA
29-30	Boston Dinghy Cup	Harvard
29-30	Kings Point Spring Open	USMMA
Apr 5-6	Capt. Prosser Trophy	NY Maritime
12-13	Admiral's Cup	USMMA
12-13	Moody Trophy	Rhode Island
12-13	NY Maritime Open	NY Maritime
12-13	Navy J-24 Regatta	Navy
19-20	MAISA OPEN	HWS
19-20	Thompson Trophy	USCGA
26-27	America Trophy	St. Mary's
Jun 5-7	ICSA Team Championship	Crescent Sail YC
8-10	ICSA Dinghy Championship	Bayview YC

LACROSSE (2-0, 1-0 PL)		
DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
Feb 23	¹ vs. Butler	W, 13-3
Mar 1	*HOLY CROSS	W, 15-4
11	² vs. Georgetown	4:30 p.m.
15	*at Lafayette	1 p.m.
22	*LEHIGH	1 p.m.
25	SYRACUSE	7 p.m.
29	*at Bucknell	3:30 p.m.
Apr 2	*at Colgate	7 p.m.
5	at Penn State	2 p.m.
12	at Denver	1 p.m.
19	*ARMY	1 p.m.
26	LOYOLA	1 p.m.
	<i>Hall of Fame Weekend</i>	
May 2	at Cornell	7 p.m.
	¹ at Homewood Field, Baltimore, Md.	
	² at Texas Military Institute, San Antonio	
	*Patriot League game	

GOLF		
DATE	EVENT	TIME
Apr 10	at Susquehanna Invitational	1 p.m.
12-13	at Le Moyne Inv.	1 p.m./8 a.m.
21	at Elmira Invitational	10 a.m.

CREW		
DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
Mar 29	vs. Ithaca, UMass	Ithaca, N.Y.
30	vs. Michigan, UMass	Ithaca, N.Y.
Apr 5	San Diego Crew Classic	San Diego
12	vs. RIT	Rochester, N.Y.
19	vs. Colgate	Hamilton, N.Y.
May 3-4	NYS Champs.	Whitney Point, N.Y.
10-11	ECAC Championships	Mercer, N.J.
30-31	IRA Championships	Camden, N.J.

TENNIS		
DATE	EVENT	TIME
Mar 9	*vs. Salve Regina	4 p.m.
10	*vs. Edinboro	11 a.m.
11	*vs. Wooster	Noon
13	*vs. Green Mountain	Noon
14	*vs. Wittenberg	Noon
22	at Rochester	1 p.m.
25	RIT	4 p.m.
28	ST. LAWRENCE	4 p.m.
29	ST. JOHN FISHER	1 p.m.
Apr 2	at Nazareth	4 p.m.
5	at Skidmore	1 p.m.
6	at Trinity (Conn.)	10 a.m.
10	CLARKSON	4 p.m.
12	at Ithaca	Noon
17	HAMILTON	4 p.m.

April 26-27, UCAA Championships, at Vassar
 *played in Hilton Head, S.C.