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Maine Women's Basketball Coaches Association

Weekly Report #8 – January 19, 2009

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Player of the Week: Val Beckwith, Bates College (Senior – Woburn, MA)

Beckwith had an outstanding week leading her team to three NESCAC wins over Colby, Williams and Middlebury. The senior shot 22-43 from the floor (52%) and averaged 21 points, 5.3 rebounds and 4.7 assists in the three wins. Beckwith had 21 points, 2 assists, 2 blocks, 3 steals and the game winning shot as time expired to beat Colby. She followed that up with a 26 point, 9 rebound, and 7 assist effort in a win against Middlebury and then had 16 points, 6 rebounds, and 5 assists in a resounding win over Williams.

Honor Roll: Caitlyn Laflin, UMF Erica Davis, UMPI Carrie Bunnell, UNE

Co-Rookies of the Week: Bree Hanscom, Husson University (Fr. – Mattawamkeag ME)
Rachel Mack, Colby College (Fr. – Augusta, ME)

Hanscom averaged 15 points and 6 rebounds in two conference wins for Husson. She netted a career-high 19 points in Husson's 94-62 win over Thomas and backed that up with a 12-point effort in a win at Maine Maritime. Mack had a very good week in the three games the Mules played. Mack averaged 14.3 points and 6.7 rebounds in the three games including a career-high 24 points against Bowdoin. She had 10 points and 10 rebounds against Bates and shot 61% from the field in the three games.

Honor Roll: Annie Burns, Bates Emily Moore, UMPI Ashley Geel, St. Joe's

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News, Notes and Milestones:

- ~ Caitlyn Laflin (UMF) averaged 25.5 points and 11.5 rebounds in two NAC wins this week.
- ~ UMPI forward, Erica Davis, had two double-doubles this week averaging 20.5 points, 11 rebounds, and 6 steals.
- ~ Carrie Bunnell (UNE) had a career high 25 points in a win over Curry this week. For the week she averaged 22 points, 5.5 rebounds, and shot 63.6% from the floor in the two road wins.
- ~ Bates freshman point guard, Annie Burns, averaged 6.7 assists in three games this week.
- ~ Ashley Geel (St. Joe's) had her first career double-double scoring 12 points and grabbing 12 rebounds against Mt. Ida.
- ~ UMPI, Bates, UMF, Husson, UNE, and UMFK are all still undefeated in conference play.

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