

UM women's ice hockey team lands player

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BDN STAFF

Brittany Colton, the top-scoring defenseman at Lawrence Academy in Groton, Massachusetts, will be playing for the University of Maine in the fall.

COLLEGE REPORT

She will be a scholarship player, has already been accepted into the school and will begin taking summer classes at UMaine with the rest of the freshman class on Tuesday, July 5.

Colton had seven goals and 12 assists for 19 points in 28 games. She had six goals and 16 assists in 51 games during her first two seasons at Lawrence Academy. She is a two-time all-league player and was a captain.

She also has played for the prestigious Massachusetts-based East Coast Wizards club program, which was founded by two-time United States Olympian and Harvard University Hobey Baker Award winner Scott Fusco in 2005.

Colton and the Wizards' U-19 team played in the national club championship this season, according to UMaine head coach Richard Reichenbach.

"She is someone who can step right into the lineup and be among the top four. She can play in all situations," said Reichenbach. "She's solid, she's strong, and we really like the way she moves the puck. She plays with her head up."

"And she has a great slap shot," he added.

Colton also is a right-hand shot on a team comprised primarily of left-shot defensemen.

She is one of three incoming freshman defensemen along with Swedish Under-18 team captain Ebba Strandberg and Canadian Brittany Kucera.

And Reichenbach said defenseman Kristin Gilmour, who was a medical redshirt a year ago after playing in 26 games as a sophomore, will be back.

The defense corps will definitely be youthful as Alyson

Matteau, the team's third-leading scorer and top-scoring defenseman with six goals and six assists last season, and Cassidy Herman (3 & 3) were both freshmen and McKayla Rogers (0 & 9) was a sophomore.

"We're excited about our defense corps," said Reichenbach, who noted that Matteau and Herman also possess hard slap shots.

SMCC names new baseball coach

John Flanders has been

named the new head baseball coach at Southern Maine Community College in South Portland.

Flanders was the head baseball coach and equipment manager for five seasons at Dean College in Franklin, Massachusetts, where his teams compiled an 86-82-2 record.

Flanders also has served as the pitching coach and recruiting coordinator at Curry College, Stonehill College and Salem State University.

Rays defeat Red Sox to end 11-game skid

THE SPORTS XCHANGE

ST. PETERSBURG, Florida — The Tampa Bay Rays ended their 11-game losing streak Monday night, tagging Red Sox starter Eduardo Rodriguez for nine runs in the first three innings and cruising to a 13-7 win at Tropicana Field.

The Rays (32-43) hadn't scored more than six runs during the losing streak, but found their bats, with six hits in the first eight batters and a 9-0 lead after three. Boston (41-35) has dropped six of its last seven, giving up at least six runs in six straight as well. The 13 Rays runs match their most and the most allowed by Boston this season, and the 18 hits is their season high and the most allowed by Red Sox pitching.

The Rays got a career-high five RBIs from designated hitter Nick Franklin, who got his first three hits of the season after being recalled Tuesday. Logan Forsythe went 3-for-5 with three RBIs, two on a home run that chased Rodriguez (1-3) from the game before he could finish the third inning.

Rays rookie Blake Snell



Boston Red Sox first baseman Hanley Ramirez slides home Monday night as he and designated hitter David Ortiz score runs during the fourth inning against the Tampa Bay Rays at Tropicana Field in St. Petersburg, Florida.

(1-2) earned his first major league win in his fourth career start, though the Rays bullpen continues to have issues — reliever Danny Farquhar, promoted before the game, gave up a two-run home run to Sandy Leon in the eighth inning, and Xavier Cedeno gave up another run in the ninth.

Forsythe and Evan Longoria started the first inning with singles and scored on a two-run single by Logan Morrison. Morrison scored on rookie Taylor Motter's RBI double, and Ryan Franklin drove in two more with a double for the sixth hit of the inning and a 5-0 lead.

That provided a considerable cushion for Snell, who was making his fourth career start and seeking his first career win. He had a 2.40 ERA but no wins in his first three starts. Since 2000, only three other American League pitchers had an ERA under 3.00 without a win after three starts.

Hermon All-Stars open tourney with win

LINCOLN — Brayden Moses hit a three-run homer, two doubles and drove in six runs, while also striking out six of the seven batters he faced on the mound to lead Hermon to a tournament-opening victory, 19-4 over Lincoln in District 3 Little League All-Star baseball action Monday.

SUMMER BASEBALL

Wyatt Hogan also hit a three-run homer for Hermon and also singled twice and drove in four runs, while Alex Taylor singled three times and drove in two runs, Chris Gage singled twice and drove in a run and Logan Scripture singled three times.

Jackson Sutherland hit a two-run inside the park homer and singled to lead the Lincoln offense, while Matt Noyes smacked a two-run triple and Isaac Hainer tripled.

Hermon (1-0) 113 536 — 19 16 0
Lincoln (0-1) 002 020 — 4 4 10

Moses, Taylor (3), Scripture (6) and Gage; Sutherland, Justyn Colorado (5), Jordyn Colorado (6) and Hainer

D3 Baseball, 11-12
Brewer-Orrington 2, Bangor East 1

At Taylor Field in Bangor, Brewer-Orrington pitchers Gavin Carr and Jacob McKenney combined to pitch a one-hitter to de-

feat Bangor East 2-1.

It was the first game of district play for both teams. Brewer-Orrington scored its two runs in the first inning — one on a fielder's choice play and the other on a home run from Logan Levensalor.

Bangor East scored its lone run in the fifth inning. Pitcher Keegan Cyr allowed three hits and struck out six in the tough-luck loss.

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Cyr, McKenney (5) and Levensalor; Cyr and Brook, Khoury (3)

Bronco 12, Holbrook 6
At Holbrook, Kaden Beloff hit a home run to help Bronco Little League of Hampden earn the win in a District 3 All-Star game.

Kameron Hale and Max Polo each chipped in with a double and single and Libby Hughes added two singles. Jordan Kimball and Jon Pangburn each singled for Holbrook.

How to report all-star games to the BDN

All-star youth baseball and softball games can be reported to the BDN via email to: bdnsports@bangordailynews.com.

Coaches are required to list information for both teams, with first and last names of players. Info should include key highlights and stats for leading

hitters and pitchers.

Linescores may also be included.

The game result should be emailed as soon as possible on the day it is played.

The host team is responsible for reporting games.

American Legion Hampden 12, Penquis 1

At Bordick Field in Hampden, Emery Dinsmore held the Rowell's Garage Navigators to five hits while striking out eight to lead R.H. Foster to victory.

Branden Smith sparked R.H. Foster with three hits while Casey Sudbeck chipped in with a three-run triple. Nick Guerrette, Tyler Beaton and Troy Reynolds each added two hits.

Nate Church hit a solo homer for the Navigators of Penquis.

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R.H. Foster 301 501 20x — 12 16 0

Skowhegan 8, Motor City 5

At Skowhegan, Dustin Crawford scattered eight hits and a walk while striking out four in six innings to help Post 16 of Skowhegan beat Motor City of the Orno-Old Town area.

Brendan Curran had two hits for Skowhegan while Nate Ames, William Stinson, Chase Malloy and Devon Watt each chipped in with RBI singles. Stinson also had a sacrifice fly. Dennis Farnham smacked

an RBI double for Motor City while Monteith and Ethan Stoddard each added run-producing singles.

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Post 16 010 132 10x — 8 13 1
WP: Crawford; LP: Monteith

Bangor 20, Brewer 0

At Mansfield Stadium in Bangor, Nick Cowperthwaite pitched a complete-game shutout and Coffee News unleashed a 23-hit attack in the victory over the Brewer Falcons.

Cowperthwaite threw 90 pitches over the nine innings, giving up four hits while striking out five and walking none.

Andrew Hillier led Coffee News at the plate with four hits and three RBIs. Peter Kemble added three hits and two RBIs while Kyle Stevenson added three hits and an RBI. Tyler Parke had two hits, one a triple, and four RBIs while Jesse Colford had a double, single and two RBIs. Ben Crichton and Matt Smith added two hits and an RBI. Derek Fournier finished the night with three RBIs.

For Brewer, Kobe Rogerson had two singles while Chase Carmichael and Alex Flagg each added a single.

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Coffee News 630 150 320 — 20 23 0

Brooks, Moore (3), Dyer (6) and Maxsimic; Cowperthwaite and Fournier

Muirfield seeks another vote on female members

FROM WIRE REPORTS

Muirfield Golf Club is seeking to hold a second vote on allowing women members

just six weeks after the membership rejected the proposal, triggering the organizers of the R&A to pull the Scotland course from the British Open rotation.

In May, the proposal received 64 percent approval, but was short of the two-thirds majority required to change the policy. The Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers (HCEG), which owns and runs the Muirfield club, wants to hold another vote by the end of the year and has called for a special general meeting to seek approval for it.

"A substantial majority of our members voted for change and many have voiced their disappointment with the ballot result and with subsequent events," HCEG captain Henry Fairweather said Monday. "The club committee believes that a clear and decisive vote in favor of admitting women as members is required to enable us to begin the task of restoring the reputation of the club that has been damaged by the earlier ballot outcome."

Supermarket chain Safeway takes over as sponsor of the season-opening Safeway Open from Oct. 13-16 at Silverado Resort and Spa in Napa, California, while luxury car brand Genesis backs the long established event at iconic Riviera Country Club.

The newly named Genesis Open will be played at Riviera in Los Angeles from Feb. 16-19.

The elite World Golf Championship (WGC) events, one rung down from the four majors, will open with the HSBC Champions in Shanghai, China in October followed by the newly named Mexico Championship in Mexico City from March 2-5.

Next up is the Dell Match Play from May 22-26 before the WGC series concludes with the Bridgestone Invitational in Akron, Ohio from Aug. 3-6.

The U.S. Open will be held at Erin Hills in Hartford, Wisconsin for the first time, from June 15-18, while the British Open will return to Royal Birkdale in Lancashire, England from July 20-23.

The season's final major, the PGA Championship, will be staged at Quail Hollow in Charlotte, North Carolina from Aug. 10-13, after being brought forward to July this year due to the men's competition at the Rio Games being played from Aug. 11-14.

Durant

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right downstairs," Anthony told ESPN. "We've been together. We've been talking. I do consider myself part of the Knicks so that meeting has already taken place."

Durant has been in New York in advance of Monday's official unveiling of the 12-man squad that will represent USA Basketball at the Summer Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Durant and Anthony are the only players with Olympic experience on the team after a number of stars, including LeBron James, de-

cidated skip the Rio Olympics.

Durant, who has spent his entire nine-year career with the Thunder organization, is the most coveted player available this offseason.

The 6-foot-9, 240-pound Durant, a seven-time All Star, has averaged 27.4 points per game over his NBA career, and was named the league's MVP following the 2013-14 season. He averaged 28.2 points per game last season and led the Thunder to within one victory of the NBA Finals.

Durant can be offered a four-year deal or choose to take the higher-risk route with a potential monster reward next summer by opting for a one-year deal with a player option.

Golf

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had happened and was eventually told he was disqualified.

"I wasn't thinking straight on Saturday," he said. "I was just thinking about what I could do to hold together a good round."

"To his credit, he brought it to the committee's attention on his own. He accepted the conclusion with grace

and without question," Barnard said in an email.

Kannegieser, who will attend Williams College in Williamstown, Massachusetts, in the fall where he will play golf and ski, took it in stride and said he now knows the exact wording of the rule.

"That's the way it is. I'm just glad it didn't happen in the Maine Amateur or Maine Open," said Kannegieser, who is a two-time Maine Junior Amateur champion.

Maine swimmers don't advance at Olympic Trials

BY ROBBY MACDONALD
SPECIAL TO THE BDN

Three Maine swimmers came up short Monday night in their efforts to advance at the United States Olympic Swimming Trials at the CenturyLink Center in Omaha, Nebraska.

James Wells, a former four-year Maine high school state champion for Morse High of Bath, raced to a time of 55.8 seconds in the 100-meter backstroke prelims. Wells' time missed by four-tenths of a second for the time that advanced a swimmer to the semifinals.

Wells, who trained as an

age-group swimmer for the Long Reach Swim Club of Bath, turned at the 50-meter mark in 27.07 and finished tied for 27th in the field of 185 racers. The Indiana University graduate swims for the Badger Swim Club of New York.

The fastest performer in the prelims was 30-year-old David Plummer at 53.2. The finals in the 100-meter backstroke will be Tuesday.

Emma Waddell of Bangor and Bath's Caitlin Tycz, competed in the prelims of the 100-meter butterfly. Tycz, a senior at Morse High who trains at LRSC, recorded a 1:01.7 in the prelims

while Waddell, a junior at William College, finished in 1:02.4.

A time of 59.8 earned a lane in the semifinals.

University of Louisville's Kelsi Worrell won the finals of the 100 butterfly (56.8). In 2012, at the Olympic Trials, Worrell finished in 1:00.7 and did not advance beyond the prelims.

The fastest time in the prelims came from Worrell at 56.9 with American record holder Dana Vollmer touching in 57.4. Vollmer also will represent America in the 100-meter butterfly following her second-place finish in the finals.

In the semifinals, Vollmer clocked a 56.9 and Worrell a 57.1.

Meanwhile, Brooke Zeiger, daughter of former University of Maine swimmer and Bucksport native Whitney Leeman Zeiger, narrowly missed the finals in the 400-meter individual medley finishing in 4:42.4, fractions behind 4:42.0, the final qualifying time for the championship field.

Maya Dirado won the event at 4:33.7 and will be the top competitor for America at the Olympics in August. Zeiger swims for the University of Minnesota.

The Olympic Trials continue through Sunday.