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Men's Soccer

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Bearcats look to continue winning ways at UNH

Having won six out of its last seven games, the Binghamton men's soccer team (11-3-0, 3-1-0 AE) heads to New Hampshire (4-4-5, 1-1-2 AE) on Wednesday for a 7 p.m. game. It marks the start of a four-game stretch to end the regular season in which the Bearcats play three times on the road.

Scouting Binghamton

The Bearcats defeated Maine 5-0 on Saturday behind a three-goal performance by sophomore forward **Cameron Keith** (Aberdeenshire, Scotland). Binghamton scored three times in a span of 1:37 during the first half, which is the sixth-fastest three-goal spurt in NCAA Division I history. Junior midfielder **Justin Leskow** (Endwell, N.Y.) and senior back **Adam Chavez** (Endicott, N.Y.) tallied the other two goals.

Keith, who has been named the America East Player of the Week three times this season, continues to lead the conference in goals (nine), goals per game (0.90), points (19) and points per game (1.90). He has a pair of hat tricks this season as well as three multiple-goal games.

Leskow ranks second on the squad with 10 points (three goals, four assists) and senior midfielder **Matt Narode** (Glenmont, N.Y.) has three goals and a pair of assists. Sophomore **Jason Stenta** (Binghamton, N.Y.) ranks second in the America East and 13th among NCAA Division I goalkeepers with a 0.56 goals against average.

Binghamton has a RPI ranking of No. 27 among NCAA Division I schools and is receiving votes in both the *College Soccer News* Top 30 and NSCAA/adidas Top 25 Weekly Polls. The Bearcats are also ranked fourth in the NSCAA/adidas Northeast Region poll.

Scouting New Hampshire

New Hampshire has had a week off following its 1-0 double-overtime victory over Stony Brook last Wednesday. A.J. Dubois and Kyle Urso have each scored a team-best two goals. Defensively, the Wildcats rank third in the America East Conference with eight shutouts and a 0.77 goals against average.

The series against New Hampshire

Binghamton leads the all-time series 3-1-2, having won last season's meeting 1-0 on Sept. 27 at the old West Gym Field. In the last meeting in Durham, however, the Wildcats took a 1-0 decision on Oct. 15, 2005. The Bearcats are 1-1-0 all time at New Hampshire, with their lone win coming by a 2-0 score on Nov. 1, 2003

Miscellaneous notes

With his next goal, Keith will become the first Bearcat to reach double figures in scoring since Charles Darkwah netted a conference-best 12 goals in 2004 ... since the Bearcats Sports Complex opened last month, Binghamton has led the conference in home attendance with an average of 1,241 fans per game.

2007 Schedule/Results (11-3-0, 3-1-0 AE)

| Date | Opponent | Result |
|----------------|------------------------|----------|
| Sat. Sept. 1 | @ Radford + | W 1-0 |
| Sun., Sept. 2 | vs. Winthrop + | W 1-0 |
| Fri. Sept. 7 | vs. Robert Morris ^ | W 1-0 |
| Sun. Sept. 9 | @ Pittsburgh ^ | W 1-0 |
| Tues. Sept. 11 | @ Bucknell | W 1-0 |
| Fri. Sept. 14 | @ Richmond # | L 0-1 ot |
| Sat. Sept. 15 | vs. Duquesne # | L 1-3 |
| Sat. Sept. 22 | @ Hartwick | W 2-1 |
| Sat. Sept. 29 | CORNELL | W 3-0 |
| Sat. Oct. 6 | *BOSTON | W 2-1 ot |
| Wed. Oct. 10 | * UMBC | W 1-0 ot |
| Sat. Oct. 13 | *@ Hartford | L 1-2 ot |
| Tues. Oct. 16 | COLGATE | W 2-0 |
| Sat. Oct. 20 | *MAINE | W 5-0 |
| Wed. Oct. 24 | *@ New Hampshire | 7 p.m. |
| Sat. Oct. 27 | *ALBANY | 7 p.m. |
| Wed. Oct. 31 | *@ Vermont | 2 p.m. |
| Sat. Nov. 3 | * @ Stony Brook | 1 p.m. |
| Sat. Nov. 10 | America East 1st Round | TBA |
| Wed. Nov. 14 | America East Semis | TBA |
| Sat. Nov. 17 | America East Finals | TBA |

* America East Conference Game
+ @ Radford Highlander Classic
^ @ Pittsburgh Invitational Tournament
@ Richmond Nike Challenge Cup
Home games in **BOLD CAPS** and played at the Bearcats Sports Complex

2007 Leading Scorers

| Name | G | A | Pts. |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Cameron Keith | 9 | 1 | 19 |
| Justin Leskow | 3 | 4 | 10 |
| Matt Narode | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| Adam Chavez | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| Barry Neville | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Darren McAllister | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| Yusuf Yusuf | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Liam Carson | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Ryan Tomko | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Josh Sailer | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Scott Zobre | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| TOTALS | 22 | 23 | 67 |
| OPPONENTS | 8 | 10 | 26 |

2007 Goalkeeping Stats

| Name | GP | GAA | Sv. % | SO |
|------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| Jason Stenta | 14 | 0.56 | .830 | 9.0 |
| TOTALS | 14 | 0.56 | .830 | 9.0 |
| OPPONENTS | 14 | 1.53 | .732 | 1.0 |