

DIVISION III FIELD HOCKEY ALL TIME CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKET NORTH REGIONAL – FIRST ROUND

CORTLAND 1994 ^v

24-1 • NCAA Champions

GAA: .31 GpG: 2.95 MoV: 2.64

The 1994 Red Dragons opened the season with a five-game winning streak that saw them outscore their opponents 18-2. They then exploded with 33 consecutive goals over a nine-game streak of shutouts, including a 13-save performance from Amie Jones in a 1-0 win over Lock Haven. That streak of 676:18 still ranks as one of the top-five shutout streaks of all-time in Division III. Albany broke the shutout streak but the Red Dragons won 5-1 and then put together a pair of 1-0 wins, including one over Mary Washington, giving Cortland 14 shutouts in a 17-0 season. A 1-0 loss at Trenton broke the shutout and scoring streak in the final game of the regular season. In the NYSCWAA tournament, Cortland won three games by shutout to claim the title. In the NCAA tournament as the #2 seed, the Red Dragons defeated Gettysburg and St. Lawrence to advance to the semis. There Cortland needed strokes to advance to the final against Trenton State, who brought a 19-0 record into the game. The Red Dragons handed the Lions their first loss of the season, avenging their earlier loss, to win the title. Behind All-Americans Carol Merchant, Denise Taber, Dani Innerst and Tracy Riley, Cortland posted a .31 GAA that still remains in the top-ten all-time in the NCAA era.

CNU 2013

21-2 • NCAA Semifinals

GAA: .83 GpG: 3.50 MoV: 2.67

The 2013 Captains opened with a pair of wins on the road and then returned to Virginia, winning their next six games by an aggregate score of 18-2, including a pair of wins over teams headed to NCAAs. CNU kept the streak alive and won its next 10 games, including two more over NCAA-bound teams, to close the regular season at 18-0 and the top seed in the CAC tournament. A double-OT win over Wesley advanced the Captains to the final, where they fell in double overtime to Salisbury, marking the first loss of the season for CNU. As the #4 seed in the tournament, the Captains won a pair of 1-0 games to move on to the semifinals, which were just down the road in Virginia Beach. There, CNU lost to eventual champion Bowdoin in the semis. Belle Tunstall and Marlene Lichty were named All-Americans.

