

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

## CORTLAND 2006 v TUFTS 2008

19-1 • NCAA Quarterfinals

GAA: .59      GpG: 3.55      MoV: 2.96

The 2006 Red Dragons opened the season with a shutout, and after three more wins, started a 14-game streak to close out the regular season. They had 11 clean sheets in that run, posting an aggregate score of 54-3. With an 18-0 record and two wins over NCAA-bound teams, Cortland was the top seed in the tournament. They posted a 4-2 win over Rowan in the second round before being upset by Ursinus at home in a 1-2 double overtime loss. Kelli Johnson and Christine McCabe earned All-American honors.

19-2 • NCAA Runners-Up

GAA: .98      GpG: 3.82      MoV: 2.84

The 2008 Jumbos opened with a 21-2 aggregate score in their first three games, setting the stage for the rest of the season. Behind All-Americans Margi Scholtes, Tamara Brown, and Amanda Roberts, the Jumbos cruised through the regular season, finishing 14-0, culminating with a 4-3 win over Bowdoin on the road, giving Tufts the NESCAC regular season title. A win over Colby was followed by an overtime win over Trinity—the second OT win over the Bantams that season—and moved Tufts into the final against Bowdoin. The Jumbos fell in the final, their first loss of the season, but still earned the #4 seed in NAAs. A pair of wins at home sent Tufts to the semifinals, where they defeated #1 Messiah 5-2 to advance to the final. There, they lost in double overtime to Bowdoin in the rubber match of the season.

