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SEASON IN REVIEW

ST. CLOUD STATE (9-22-4, 7-18-3 WCHA)

Season concluded finishing in 6th place in the WCHA - This marks the third season in a row that the Huskies have finished in 6th place in the WCHA.



2004-2005

St. Cloud State Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Oct. 8-9	at Ohio State*	W 2-1/L 3-1
Oct. 15-16	at #1 Minnesota*	L 7-0/L 7-1
Oct. 22-23	North Dakota*	L 5-3/W 1-0
Oct. 29-30	at #5 Wisconsin*	L 7-0/L 7-1
Nov. 5-6	MSU, Mankato*	L 2-0/T 1-1
Nov. 12-13	Wayne St. (Mich)	W 7-2/L 3-2
Nov. 26-27	at Bemidji State*	W 3-2/W 3-2
Dec. 3-4	#6 St. Lawrence	W 2-0/L 3-0
Dec. 11-12	at #3 MN-Duluth*	L 3-0/L 4-0
Jan. 7-8	at MSU, Mank.*	L 4-2/L 6-3
Jan. 14-15	Bemidji State*	T 4-4/L 2-0
Jan. 22-23	at Niagara Univ.	L 5-1/T 3-3 OT
Jan. 28-29	#10 Ohio State*	W 4-2/T 2-2 OT
Feb. 4-5	#1 Minnesota*	L 4-1/L 5-1
Feb. 11-12	#2 MN-Duluth*	L 4-0/W 4-3
Feb. 19-20	at North Dakota*	L 5-1/W 4-2
Feb. 25-26	Wisconsin*	L 5-2/L 6-3
Mar. 3-6	Wisconsin!	L 3-1
WCHA 1st Round @ Minnesota		

*WCHA games
!WCHA Playoff 1st Round

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2004-05 SCSU WOMEN'S HOCKEY TEAM NEWS

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SEASON WRAP-UP: The St. Cloud State University women's hockey team (9-22-4, 7-18-3 WCHA) finished their playoff season against #4 Wisconsin Badgers (28-9-1, 20-7-1 WCHA) on March 4, 2005. The WCHA Playoff Championships were held at Ridder Arena in Minneapolis, Minn., as Minnesota took home the Championship. Of note, this was the first year that all eight WCHA teams participated in the WCHA Playoff Championships.

HUSKIES LOSE HEARTBREAKER IN WCHA PLAYOFFS: Playing in their third WCHA Playoff Tournament in school history, the St. Cloud State University women's hockey team fell short to the #4 Wisconsin Badgers 3-1 at Ridder Arena in Minneapolis on March 4. SCSU's first year forward Laura Fast put the first point on the board for the Huskies at 13:56 in the first period. Fast was re-entering the game from serving her penalty minutes and intercepted the puck at center ice to go on a break-away in the Wisconsin zone and deke the goaltender, Christine Dufour, for her sixth goal of the season. The remainder of the period stayed even keel for the most part, with UW out-shooting the Huskies 9-6. SCSU hung on to the 1-0 lead throughout the second period. Wisconsin stayed on the offensive attack as they outshot the Huskies 14-3. As the intensity grew, Lauri St. Jacques continued to be a stone wall for the Huskies in goal. The third period proved to be UW's period as they went on to score three unanswered goals and outshoot the Huskies 14-5. The Badger's first year forward Jinelle Zaugg tied the game at 1-1 at 2:14 in the third period. This goal changed the momentum as UW went on to score two more goals. Lindsay Macy from UW got a great pass from Sara Bauer to connect on the lone power play goal of the game at 14:23 to seemingly take all the air out of the Huskies. Wisconsin put the dagger in the heart as they got a good block on the penalty kill from Carla MacLeod, resulting in an empty netter goal at 19:29.

Although Wisconsin would go on to get the 3-1 victory, the Huskies did not hang their heads. "We, as an entire SCSU coaching staff, are very proud of our girls," said Lesteberg. "We played in-your-face hockey tonight, and did a great job." Lesteberg commented on the team's feelings after being up 1-0 going into the third period. "We needed to be more productive with the puck. Unfortunately we were unable to execute in the scoring department," added Lesteberg. The Wisconsin loss marked the end of a career for four seniors: Tina Ciraulo, Carrie Holldorf, Melanie Pudsey, and Kari Turkowski. In the game, the Huskies were outshot 37-14. SCSU goaltender, Lauri St. Jacques, finished the game with 34 saves, compared to UW's goaltender, Dufour, who only had 13 saves.



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SCSU COACH JASON LESTEBERG: Jason Lesteberg, A 1996 graduate of Gustavus Adolphus College, completed his third season with the Huskies as he joined the St. Cloud State University women's hockey program as its head coach in July, 2002. He is the second coach in the history of the program. In his first season at SCSU, the Huskies posted an 11-23-0, 5-19-0 WCHA record under Lesteberg's leadership. Last season the Huskies finished 7-24-1, 4-19-1 WCHA, which was good for a 6th place finish in the conference. In 2004-05, Lesteberg posted yet another 6th place finish in the WCHA with a 9-22-4 record. His overall career record stands at 52-93-14 in collegiate coaching.

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ASSISTANT COACHING STAFF: Joining Lesteberg on the bench this season was David Prokop, who will leave the women's hockey staff after seven seasons with the Huskies. Prokop was one of team's top recruiters. Jeff Giesen finished his second season as an assistant coach. His primary duties are to work with the Huskies' defensive players and recruiting.

TEAM-LEADING SCORERS IN 2004-05: The Huskies were led all season in scoring by junior forwards, Ashley Stewart (Toronto, Ont.) and Kristy Ooninx (Moose Jaw, Sask.). A. Stewart, in all 35 games played, finished the season with 10 goals and 13 assists. She took a team-leading 110 shots on goal and had one game-winning goal against Ohio State Univ. on Oct. 8, 2004. Ooninx, in just 33 games played, led the team in goals with 14 and tallied 9 assists on the season. She was the team-leader in shot percentage with a .136 average, in power play goals with 5, and in game-winning goals with two. Her 14 goals this season moves her into 5th place on the SCSU Top Single-Season Marks of goals scored in a season.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK HONORS: First-year forward, Laura Fast (Calgary, Alberta) made a strong impression in her first year in the WCHA. She ranked 11th overall in freshmen scoring with 15 first-season points (6g, 9a). She was named the WCHA Rookie Player of the Week on Jan. 24. Sophomore goaltender, Lauri St. Jacques was named the WCHA Defensive Player of the Week twice during the season. Her honors came on Dec. 6, when she helped SCSU beat #6 St. Lawrence, and on Jan. 31, when she contributed to the Huskies taking three of four points on the weekend tilt with Ohio State University. St. Jacques was also honored nationally when she was named the USCHO/ITECH Defensive Player of the Week on Feb. 13. She earned this honor as she helped defeat #2 Minnesota Duluth in a 4-3 barn-burner in the National Hockey Center on Feb. 12.

SENIORS TAKE FINAL BOW: Four seniors completed their careers for the Huskies this year. Team captain *Tina Ciraulo*, team assistant captain *Carrie Holldorf*, *Melanie Pudsey*, and *Kari Turkowski* each will leave their mark in the history of women's hockey at SCSU. Ciraulo, after playing 133 career games, moves into 4th place on the all-time career games played list. Pudsey also finds herself marked on the same list at 5th place with 129 career games played. Holldorf, after playing 101 career games, currently ranks 5th in the all-time career scoring list at SCSU with 72 points (26g, 46a). Ciraulo also ranks on the all-time career scoring list at 9th place with 53 total points (19g, 34a). After joining the team in December of 2003, Turkowski played in 27 games and scored her first career goal against Minnesota State on Jan. 7. She followed up that goal with her first career assist against Bemidji State University on Jan. 14 in the National Hockey Center.



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TEAM CAPTAINS: Senior Tina Ciraulo was the captain of the team for the second year in a row in 2004-05. Senior forward Carrie Holldorf and junior defender Randie Jelinski served as the team's assistant captains this season.

2004-05 SCSU Women's Hockey Roster

No.	Name	Pos	L/R	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown
2	Jenny Gensch	D	R	5-8	FY	Apple Valley, MN
3	Tricia Fast	F	L	5-5	SO	Calgary, Alberta
4	Emily Meronyk	D	L	5-5	FY	Keonora, Ontario
5	Hilary Spires	D	R	5-7	FY	Delta, BC
6	Denelle Maguet	F	L	5-7	SO	Ste. Rose, Manit.
7	Tina Ciraulo-C	D	R	5-2	SR	Fraser, Michigan
9	Brittni Kuyper	D	R	5-7	FY	Eden Prairie, MN
10	Ashley Stewart	F	R	5-9	JR	Toronto, Ontario
11	Carrie Holldorf-A	F	R	5-7	SR	Glenwood City, Wis.
12	Randie Jelinski-A	D	L	5-5	JR	Regina, Sask.
14	Laura Fast	F	L	5-6	FY	Calgary, Alberta
15	Stacy Dey	D	R	5-7	FY	Maplewood, MN
16	Melanie Pudsey	F	L	5-8	SR	Erin, Ontario
17	Marie-Michel Lemieux	F	L	5-10	FY	Boisbrand, Quebec
18	Bobbie Anderson	F	R	5-9	SO	Whitecourt, Alberta
19	Kelly Stewart	D	L	5-9	JR	Toronto, Ontario
20	Carmen Lizee	G	L	5-7	SO	High Prairie, Alberta
22	Jackie Jensen	F	R	5-8	SO	Madison, Wis.
24	Hailey Clarkson	F	R	5-5	SO	Winnipegosis, Man.
26	Kari Turkowski	F	L	5-8	SR	Cold Spring, MN
27	Rachel Solgon	F	R	5-6	JR	Tucson, Ariz.
29	Kristy Ooninx	F	R	5-7	JR	Moose Jaw, Sask.
31	Kendall Newell	G	L	5-7	FY	Phoenix, Ariz.
33	Lauri St. Jacques	G	L	5-5	SO	Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

Huskies Record Book

Individual Season Records:

Most Goals: 26 by Roxy Stang and Ricki-Lee Doyle (2000-01)

Most Assists: 37 by Ricki-Lee Doyle (2000-01)

Most Points: 63 by Ricki-Lee Doyle (2000-01)

Most Hat Tricks: 3 by Roxy Stang (2000-01)

Most Game-Tying Goals: 5 by Kobi Kawamoto and R.L. Doyle (2000-01)

Most Game-Winning Goals: 5 by Ricki-Lee Doyle and Roxy Stang (2000-01)

Most Shots on Goal: 166 by R.L. Doyle (2000-01)

Best Plus-Minus Ratio: +24 by Ricki-Lee Doyle (2000-01)

Team Game Records:

Most Goals Scored: 9 (11/15/98 vs. St. Thomas; 2/20/99 at St. Catherine's; 1/13/01 vs. Wisconsin; 1/24/01 vs. Wisconsin)

Most Goals Scored, two-game series: 15 (vs. MSU-Mankato, Oct. 19-20, 2001)

Most Goals Allowed: 15 (11/6/99 vs. Minnesota-Duluth)

Most Goals-- Both Teams: 15 (11/6/99 vs. Minnesota-Duluth)

Most Shots on Goal: 57 (11/16/99 vs. St. Benedict's)

Fewest Shots on Goal: 2 (3/7/99 at Minnesota)

Most Shots on Goal, Both Teams: 90 (2/7/01 at Minnesota-Duluth)

Fewest Shots on Goal, Both Teams: 31 (1/9/99 at Minnesota)

Most Power Play Goals Scored: 4 (2/27/00 at Findlay); 4 (10/19/01 at MSU-Mankato)

Most Consecutive Goals: 9 (11/15/98 vs. St. Thomas)

SCSU Yearly Records:

1998-1999-- 8-12-2 overall

1999-2000-- 13-19-3 overall, 6-15-3 WCHA (4th)

2000-2001-- 17-16-2 overall, 12-10-3 WCHA (4th)

2001-2002-- 7-26-1 overall, 6-17-1 WCHA (6th)

2002-2003-- 11-23-0 overall, 5-19-0 WCHA (6th)

2003-2004-- 7-24-1 overall, 4-19-1 WCHA (6th)

2004-2005-- 9-22-4 overall, 7-18-3 WCHA (6th)



Husky Team Awards Announced

The St. Cloud State women's hockey team announced their postseason team awards at their team banquet on April 10, 2005.

Most Valuable Player

Lauri St. Jacques, So., G Sturgeon Falls, Ontario

Most Dedicated Player

Rachel Solgon, Jr., F Tucson, Arizona

Rookie of the Year

Laura Fast, Fr., F Calgary, Alberta

Team Academic Achievement Award

Randie Jelinski - A, Jr., D Regina, Sask.
Kari Turkowski, Sr., F Cold Spring, Minn.

Most Improved Player

Stacy Dey, Fr., D Maplewood, Minn.

St. Cloud Times' Star of the Season

Kristy Oonincx, Jr., F Moose Jaw, Sask.

Five Huskies Earn WCHA All-Academic Honors

The St. Cloud State women's hockey team had five members of its team named to the All-WCHA Academic team. Those players include: Bobbie Anderson, Tricia Fast, Randie Jelinski, Lauri St. Jacques and Kari Turkowski.

To earn a position on the WCHA All-Academic Team, each player must meet the following criteria: 1) Must have completed at least one year of eligibility at present institution, prior to current academic year; 2) have a grade-point average of at least 3.0 for the two previous semesters or three quarters; 3) Have competed in at least one-half of her institution's varsity intercollegiate ice hockey games during the current season (goal-tenders must have played in 33 percent of all games).

SCSU's Bobbie Anderson is a sophomore forward from Whitecourt, Alberta. Tricia Fast is a sophomore defender from Calgary, Alberta. Junior assistant captain and defender, Randie Jelinski, is from Regina, Saskatchewan. This marks the second year in a row that Jelinski has been awarded this honor. Sophomore goaltender, Lauri St. Jacques, is from Sturgeon Falls, Ontario, and senior forward Kari Turkowski is from near-by Cold Spring, Minn.

2004-05 WCHA Standings (3/30/05)

Team	Pts	WCHA					Overall						
		GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA
1 Minnesota	52	28	25	1	2	129	26	40	36	2	2	197	54
2 MN-Duluth	46	28	22	4	2	110	41	34	26	6	2	131	54
3 Wisconsin	41	28	20	7	1	119	44	38	28	9	1	170	59
4 Ohio State	25	28	12	15	1	73	97	37	17	17	3	99	124
5 MN State	19	28	8	17	3	47	85	35	9	20	6	54	101
5 St. Cloud State	17	28	7	18	3	47	105	35	9	22	4	63	124
7 North Dakota	13	28	6	21	1	52	125	35	9	23	3	74	143
8 Bemidji State	11	28	5	22	1	48	102	35	9	24	2	69	121

WCHA Playoff Results

Thursday, March 3:

*North Dakota 2 vs Minnesota-Duluth 3, OT
#Bemidji State 3 at Minnesota 6

* - WCHA Quarterfinal at Minnesota

- WCHA Quarterfinal

Friday, March 4:

*St. Cloud State 1 vs Wisconsin 3

*Minnesota State 1 vs Ohio State 4

* - WCHA Quarterfinal at Minnesota

Saturday, March 5:

*Wisconsin 3 vs Minnesota-Duluth 2, OT

#Ohio State 1 at Minnesota 7

* - WCHA Semifinal at Minnesota

- WCHA Semifinal

Sunday, March 6:

*Ohio State 0 vs Minnesota-Duluth 5

#Wisconsin 2 at Minnesota 3, OT

* - WCHA Third Place at Minnesota

- WCHA Championship

Frozen Four Championship Results

Friday, March 18:

* St. Lawrence 3 at Minnesota-Duluth 2 OT

Providence 1 at Minnesota 6

* - NCAA Quarterfinal (Superior, WI)

- NCAA Quarterfinal

Saturday, March 19:

* Wisconsin 3 at Dartmouth 4

* - NCAA Quarterfinal

Friday, March 25:

* St. Lawrence 1 vs Harvard 4

* Dartmouth 2 vs Minnesota 4

* - NCAA Frozen Four Semifinal (Durham, NH)

Sunday, March 27:

* St. Lawrence 5 vs Dartmouth 1

Harvard 3 vs Minnesota 4

* - NCAA Frozen Four Third Place (Durham, NH)

- NCAA Frozen Four Championship (Durham, NH)

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