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CORTLAND INFORMATION

Founded: 1868

Enrollment: 6,080

Colors: Red and White

Nickname: Red Dragons

President: James M. Clark

Men's Athletic Director:

Vince Gonino (607/753-4963)

Women's Athletic Director:

Carole Mushier (607/753-4953)

Men's Hockey Coach:

Forbes Keith (607/753-4961)

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CORTLAND STATE MEN'S HOCKEY SCHEDULE 1980-81

Nov.			
15	Oswego	A	7:30
16	Upsala	H	2:00
21-22	Oswego Classic	A	
25	Potsdam	H	7:30
Dec.			
3	Brockport	H	7:30
6	Norwich	H	7:30
12	Elmira	A	7:30
Jan.			
21	Buffalo	A	7:30
23	Army	A	
24	Army	A	
27	Hobart	H	7:30
30	Plattsburgh	H	7:30
31	Geneseo	H	7:30
Feb.			
3	Elmira	H	7:30
4	Oswego	H	7:30
6	Geneseo	A	7:30
7	Brockport	A	7:30
11	Buffalo	H	7:30
20	Potsdam	A	7:30
21	Plattsburgh	A	7:30

PER CENTER ICE ARENA

Cortland State home games are played in the College Ice Arena, part of Cortland's Physical Education-Recreation Center which was completed in 1973. The facility seats 2,400 on folding bleachers for hockey, and has a skating surface of 85 by 185 feet.

The arena is iced from October through March and is not only used by men's and women's varsity hockey teams, but by youth hockey and figure skating groups, intramural programs, hockey and skating classes, and recreational skating. In the off-season, the arena is used for special events by campus and community organizations.

G. FORBES KEITH

HEAD COACH

The 1980-81 season is the fifth for Forbes Keith as head coach of men's hockey at Cortland. He teaches in the Department of Men's Physical Education and also serves as director of the College's Ice Arena in the Park Center for Physical Education and Recreation. Before coming to Cortland, he was head coach at Elmira College.

In addition to being head varsity hockey coach at Elmira, Keith was an assistant professor of physical education, manager of the ice arena, and head coach of varsity soccer. While at Elmira, his hockey teams posted two-year totals of 30-12-12. The 1974-75 team was ranked 10th in Division II and received a bid to the NAIA tournament.

Keith was head coach of hockey and soccer and was a member of the physical education faculty from 1969 to 1973 at Ithaca College. He had winning hockey teams all four seasons while at IC.

A native of Needham, Mass., he received B.S. and M.Ed. degrees from Boston University. Keith played hockey and baseball as an undergraduate there. He continued playing hockey as a semi-pro in the New England Hockey League for 10 years while he taught and coached at secondary schools in Maine and Massachusetts.

During the summer of 1977, Keith was among a group of leading physical education teachers and coaches in the United States and Canada who were selected to visit the Soviet Union for an intensified workshop at the world famous Soviet Federal Institute of Sport and Physical Education.

MEN'S HOCKEY OUTLOOK 1980-81

Maturity should come in a hurry for a young Cortland State hockey team which faces a 21-game schedule in 1980-81. "We have to take it one period at a time, one game at a time. We have to keep our defensive mistakes down to a minimum, and we have to hustle," is Coach Forbes Keith's rallying cry.

Cortland last season won three of its first four games, then began watching the injuries mount along with the losses. The defense was hardest hit and the Dragons wound up yielding 132 goals. They scored 61.

The Dragons are not rich in depth. "But we've got a lot of guys pulling together. We need everyone contributing. That's very, very important," Keith said. "I see the scoring evenly distributed." Five seniors, four juniors, six sophomores and 10 freshmen make up this winter's roster.

Rigorous preseason conditioning has the Dragons in the best shape of any of Keith's teams here. "And I think that'll make a difference when we play back-to-back games," the coach said. On six occasions Cortland will play twice within 48 hours.

Canadian Dave McDougall appeared in nine games a year ago as a freshman goalie and was locked in a pre-season tussle with another Canadian, frosh Doug Reeves, for the No. 1 job. Suffern 200-pound frosh George Nevole is another candidate. "I wouldn't hesitate to play all three. They're all good goalies," said Keith.

Paired as defensemen in Keith's rebuilding scheme are former Toronto schoolboy Greg Gallaway opposite Philadelphia's Rich Dickson, and Massachusetts' Wade Ashton with Cazenovia's Tom Cooney, a senior while the others are freshmen. Three other defensemen are soph Mark Farmer from Saranac Lake, frosh Scott Sayles from Syracuse, and junior Jim Cranmer, a transfer from Nassau CC who was out of school last season.

Keith has mixed veterans with newcomers on his forward lines, hoping the experience will stabilize and lend leadership to the units. The coach looks to run three lines regularly. Cortland's green line will include wings Mike Diot and frosh Steve Engle, and center Micky Locke. The junior Diot appeared in every game last season and his 13 points (3-10) are the most among returnees. Locke, a senior from Brasher Falls, was injured a good part of 1979-80 and finished with two goals and six assists in nine games.

Left-wing Bucky Dame, a senior from Virginia, joins Massena junior Jim Kelley and Eggersville frosh David Haynes on the white line. Kelley is also one of the Dragons' top penalty killers along with Stanford, Conn.'s, Diot.

Brian Sheehy centers the red line and the senior from Pittsburgh who had four goals and four assists last year is flanked by junior vet Kevin Hoarty and Poughkeepsie frosh Jim Bierman.

Sophomores Jim Nealon from Skaneateles and Tim Jantzi from Getzville are wings on an orange line centered by Utica freshman Mark Giruzzi. The maroon line has soph Dan Gorman, Illinois senior Tom Hull who didn't make last season's squad, and soph Jim Case.

CORTLAND STATE MEN'S HOCKEY

1980-81 VARSITY ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
1	Dave McDougall	LG	So	5-6	135	Mississauga, Ont.
2	Jim Cranmer	D	Jr	6-0	190	Hicksville, NY
2	Scott Sayles	D	Fr	5-8	140	Syracuse, NY
3	Mickey Locke	F	Sr	5-11	180	Brasher Falls, NY
4	Jim Bierman	F	Fr	5-11	190	Poughkeepsie, NY
5	Tom Hull	F	Sr	5-10	170	Lombard, IL
5	Mark Giruzzi	F	Fr	5-10	175	Utica, NY
6	Greg Gallaway	D	Fr	5-7	165	Pittsburgh, PA
7	Kevin Hoarty	F	Jr	5-8	160	Atlantic Beach, NY
8	Brian Sheehey	F	Sr	6-2	185	Pittsburgh, PA
9	Jim Nealon	F	So	5-10	154	Skaneateles, NY
10	Tom Cooney	D	Sr	5-9	165	Cazenovia, NY
11	Jim Kelley	F	Jr	5-8	165	Massena, NY
12	Wade Ashton	D	Fr	6-1	175	Hamilton, NY
12	Mark Farmer	D	So	5-11	190	Saranac Lake, NY
14	David Haynes	F	Fr	5-8	172	Eggersville, NY
16	Dan Gorman	F	So	5-9	165	E. Haven, CT
17	Mike Diot	F	Jr	5-9	170	Stanford, CT

18	Jim Case	F	So	5-11	170	Matawan, NJ
18	Bucky Dame	F	Sr	5-11	170	Salem, VA
19	Steven Engle	F	Fr	5-10	169	Langhorn, PA
19	Tim Jantzi	F	So	6-0	175	Getzville, NY
20	Rich Dickson	D	Fr	6-1	175	Philadelphia, PA
30	Doug Reeves	G	Fr	5-6	140	Burgess, Ont.
30	George Nevole	G	Fr	6-0	200	Suffern, NY

Head Coach: Forbes Keith Asst. Coaches: Martin McNally, Kevin Phillipps
 Managers: Jerry Grable, Sergio Mercado Trainers: Doug Keskula, Doug Snow

MEN'S HOCKEY - 1979-80 RESULTS

4 Wins, 15 Losses, 1 Tie

<u>Cort.</u>		<u>Opp.</u>
2	Seneca(Toronto)	6-
4	Seneca(Toronto)	4
3	Union	2
4	Brockport	3
2	Army	8-
0	Army	7-
3	Potsdam	4-
5	Elmira	8-
2	Oswego	4-
4	Buffalo	8-
0	Elmira	8-
6	Oswego	12-
6	Brockport	5
4	SUNY Buffalo	7-
1	Geneseo	8-
6	Plattsburgh	8-
5	Potsdam	4
0	Plattsburgh	11-
2	Geneseo	9-
2	Union	6-

FINAL 1979-80 SUNYAC ICE HOCKEY STANDINGS

<u>School</u>	<u>W-L</u>	<u>GF-GA</u>	<u>Margin</u>	<u>Overall+</u>
*Oswego	12-0	85-39	+46	24-8-0
Plattsburgh	10-2	85-82	+33	20-5-1
Geneseo	8-4	65-51	+14	16-11-1
U Buffalo	4-8	55-58	- 3	9-15-0
Brockport	3-9	44-64	-20	9-13-0
Cortland	3-9	44-84	-40	4-15-1
Potsdam	2-10	45-75	-30	6-18-0

*1979-80 Champion +Regular Season

CORTLAND SERIES RECORD WITH ALL OPPONENTS

(1st Varsity Season was 1974-75. Cortland Wins are Listed First.)

Army	0 - 4
Brockport	6 - 3 - 1
Buffalo	0 - 8
Elmira	0 - 10
Geneseo	8 - 5
Hamilton	0 - 2
Ithaca	0 - 4
Lehigh	4 - 0
Maine	0 - 3
Morrisville	2 - 0
Oswego	0 - 8
Plattsburgh	2 - 7 - 1
Potsdam	13 - 4
Queens	0 - 1
RIT	4 - 2
Royal Military	1 - 3
St. Bonaventure	1 - 0
St. John Fisher	2 - 0
St. Lawrence (Cornwall)	1 - 0
Seneca(Toronto)	0 - 1 - 1
Syracuse	4 - 0
Troy Cyclones	2 - 0
Union	1 - 4
Utica	1 - 0
Westfield	0 - 1