



VCU

FIELD HOCKEY



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VCU RAMS (4-13, 2-4 CAA)

LLOYD, RAMS TOPPLE TIGERS 3-1 ON SENIOR DAY

Sophomore forward Nikki Lloyd recorded two goals to lead VCU to a 3-1 victory over Towson University Sunday afternoon at Cary Street Field.

After a back and forth battle to open the match, junior Emily Guerra found a way to find the back of the net and give the Rams a 1-0 advantage. Guerra, who has been on a recent tear scoring four goals in the last five contests, emerged with the ball from a cluster of players and sent a shot through the Towson defense.

Just over six minutes later, Lloyd tallied her seventh goal of the season when she fired a bullet passed a diving Tiger goalie, giving VCU a 2-0 lead.

For the remainder of the first period, the Ram defense paved the way. VCU withstood eight first-half penalty corners to hold Towson scoreless and ride a two-goal cushion into the break.

The Tigers rebounded quickly, however, trimming the deficit in half just 4:55 into the second period when Laura Schnell scored on a penalty stroke.

Twenty minutes later Towson's comeback hopes ended when Lloyd notched her second goal of the match and her eighth of the season. The sophomore forward used assists from freshmen Rebecca Sullivan and Emilie Osinga to score a penalty corner goal and give the Rams a 3-1 advantage.

Sunday's match was the final home contests for seniors Amanda Kelly, Ashley Cadwallader and Alyssa Collis who have anchored the Ram defense for the past several years. Cadwallader was a second-team all-conference selection in 2005 while Collis is currently tied for the league lead in defensive saves with four.

RAMS FACE TWO BIG TEN FOES IN MICHIGAN

In out of conference action this week the Rams played a pair of games against Big Ten opponents University of Michigan and Ohio State. VCU came up short against both, falling to Michigan 1-5 on Thursday and Ohio State 0-4 on Friday. Emily Guerra tallied the lone Ram goal, her third of the season.

2006 SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Time/Res.
8/26	at UConn [^]	L, 1-3
8/27	vs. Monmouth [^]	W, 7-3
9/1	at Yale	L, 1-3
9/3	vs. Sacred Heart	L, 3-5
9/10	RIDER	L, 0-4
9/15	at Virginia	L, 1-3
9/17	at Longwood	L, 2-3
9/22	at Richmond	L, 0-7
9/24	WILLIAM & MARY*	L, 2-4
9/29	at Delaware*	L, 2-4
10/1	JAMES MADISON*	L, 0-3
10/6	OLD DOMINION*	L, 0-10
10/8	at Drexel*	W, 4-3 (ot)
10/13	RADFORD	W, 1-0 (ot)
10/19	at Michigan	L, 1-5
10/20	vs. Ohio State	L, 0-4
10/22	TOWSON*	W, 3-1
10/27	at Northeastern*	2 p.m.
10/29	at Hofstra*	1 p.m.
11/3	CAA Tournament	TBA
11/4	CAA Tournament	TBA
11/5	CAA Tournament	TBA

All home games in CAPS

* - Denotes CAA Match

[^] - UConn Huskies Classic

All home games played at Cary St. Field

FIELD HOCKEY QUICK FACTS

School	Virginia Commonwealth University
Nickname	Rams
Enrollment	29,225
Colors	Black & Gold
President	Dr. Eugene P. Trani
Director of Athletics	Norwood Teague
Head Coach	Shelly Behrens (ODU '88)
Record at VCU	37-55 (5th year)
Overall Record	67-109 (9th year)
Assistant Coaches.....	Nate Coolidge
.....	Kelly McQuade

CAA STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CAA			OVERALL		
	W	L	PCT.	W	L	PCT.
OLD DOMINION	7	0	1.000	16	2	.889
JAMES MADISON	5	1	.833	12	6	.667
HOFSTRA	3	3	.500	12	6	.625
WILLIAM & MARY	3	3	.500	9	7	.562
NORTHEASTERN	3	3	.500	8	10	.444
DELAWARE	3	4	.429	6	10	.375
VCU	2	4	.333	4	13	.235
TOWSON	2	4	.333	9	8	.529
DREXEL	0	6	.000	6	11	.353

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2006 GAME CAPSULES

Aug. 26 at Sherman Sports Complex, Storrs, Conn.

#9 UConn 3, VCU 1

VCU	1	0	1
UConn	2	1	3

First Half: UConn-Lauren Aird (Lindsay Leck), 9:26; VCU-Nikki Lloyd (Angelina Banaag), 20:54; UConn-Lindsay Leck, 32:49.

Second Half: UConn-Danni Griep (Lindsay Leck), 41:16.

Shots on Goal: UConn 12, VCU 3. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Laura Baker 9; UConn-Andrea Mainiero 2. Penalty Corners: UConn 12, VCU 2. Attendance: 202.

Aug. 27 at Sherman Sports Complex, Storrs, Conn.

VCU 7, Monmouth 3

Monmouth	2	1	3
VCU	4	3	7

First Half: Mon.-Annie Lopresti (Maevie Hagen), 10:17; VCU-Emilie Osinga (Amanda Kelly), 15:29; VCU-Emilie Osinga (Jenna Harris, Vicky Smith), 18:08; Mon.-Annie Welsh, 25:44; VCU-Jenna Harris (Rachel Krumm), 27:16; VCU-Nikki Lloyd, 32:01. Second Half: VCU-Ashley Cadwallader, 42:37; Mon.-Aileen Bosmans (Janine Rini), 45:01; VCU-Rachel Krumm, 57:05; VCU-Ashley Cadwallader, 69:01. Shots on Goal: VCU 18, Mon. 7. Goalkeeper Saves: Mon.-Chelsea Farley 11; VCU-Laura Baker 4. Penalty Corners: VCU 12, Mon. 6.

Sept. 1 at Johnson Family Field, New Haven, Conn.

Yale 3, VCU 1

VCU	1	0	1
Yale	2	1	3

First Half: VCU-Rebecca Sullivan (Nikki Lloyd), 14:48; Yale-Katie Cantore, 18:11; Yale-Harriet Thayer, 19:56. Second Half: Yale-Cat Lindroth (Harriet Thayer), 50:38. Shots on Goal: Yale-9, VCU 8. Goalkeeper Saves: Yale-E. Friedlander 7; VCU-Laura Baker 6. Penalty Corners: VCU 6, Yale 5.

Sept. 3 at Johnson Family Field, New Haven, Conn.

Sacred Heart 5, VCU 3

VCU	3	0	3
SHU	3	2	5

First Half: VCU-Rebecca Sullivan (Emilie Osinga), 2:06; SHU-Carisa Eye (Katie Bohren), 10:17; VCU-Nikki Lloyd, 13:49; VCU-Emilie Osinga (Nikki Lloyd), 18:48; SHU-Sarah Yeaton (Leah Stoehr, Danielle Vasely), 21:21; Carisa Eye, 31:28. Second Half: SHU-Colleen Carney (Leah Stoehr), 37:04; Carisa Eye (Leah Stoehr), 42:57. Shots on Goal: SHU-12, VCU 8. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Brittany LoVullo 6, Laura Baker 1; SHU-Whitney Mills 3, Ashley Del Greco 2. Penalty Corners: SHU 6, VCU 4. Attendance: 112.

Sept. 10 at Cary Street Field, Richmond, Va.

Rider 4, VCU 0

RU	0	4	4
VCU	0	0	0

Second Half: RU-Tricia Crotty (Erin McGinnis), 40:32; RU-Meaghan Schweers, 45:53; RU-Meaghan Schweers, 46:36; RU-Tricia Crotty, 62:53. Shots on Goal: RU-14, VCU 6. Goalkeeper Saves: RU-Krysta Bearish 6; VCU-Brittany LoVullo 4, Laura Baker 4. Penalty Corners: VCU 7, RU 5. Attendance: 102.

Sept. 15 at Turf Field, Charlottesville, Va.

#10 UVA 3, VCU 1

VCU	1	0	1
UVA	0	3	3

First Half: VCU-Jenna Harris (Angelina Banaag), 22:23. Second Half: UVA-Inge Kaars Sijpesteijn (Biffy Cornelison, Abby Taylor), 40:55; UVA-Mia Link, 57:29; Traci Ragukas (Inge Kaars Sijpesteijn), 67:26. Shots on Goal: UVA-15, VCU 2. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Laura Baker 10; UVA-Amy Desjadon 1. Penalty Corners: UVA-17, VCU 0.

Sept. 17 at Athletics Complex, Farmville, Va.

Longwood 3, VCU 2

VCU	1	1	2
LU	3	0	3

First Half: LU-Kelsey Turner, 2:20; VCU-Nikki Lloyd, 3:15; LU-Cristin Newbold (Katy Lernihan), 21:52; LU-Julia Hernandez, 29:45. Second Half: VCU-Jenna Harris (Rebecca Sullivan), 43:12. Shots on Goal: VCU 12, LU 11. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Laura Baker 5, Brittany LoVullo 3 LU-Avanel Schmitz 6, Erin West 4. Penalty Corners: LU 14, VCU 9. Attendance 175.

Sept. 22 at Crenshaw Field, Richmond, Va.

VCU 0, Richmond 7

VCU	0	0	0
UR	3	4	7

First Half: UR-Heather Wrublesky (Alex Malatesta), 3:30; UR-Megan Thompson, 16:37; UR-Heather Wrublesky (Shannon Taylor), 21:48. Second Half: Megan Thompson (Shannon Taylor), 45:45; Shannon Taylor, 56:01; Shannon Taylor (Becky White), 57:59; Anne Edwards (Sydney Leone), 63:01. Shots on Goal: VCU 2, UR 18. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Laura Baker 5, Brittany LoVullo 6; UR-Becca Weaver 2. Penalty Corners: UR 7, VCU 4. Attendance 262.

Sept. 24 at Cary Street Field, Richmond, Va.

#17 William & Mary 4, VCU 2

W&M	2	2	4
VCU	0	2	2

First Half: W&M-Katie Broaddus (Laura Kastelic), 21:55; W&M-Wesley Drew (Laura Kastelic), 31:11. Second Half: VCU-Jenna Harris (Nikki Lloyd), 36:51; W&M-Maggie Long (Laura Kastelic), 48:41; VCU-Jenna Harris (Nikki Lloyd), 56:57; W&M-Lauren Giles (Becky Van Zee), 65:46. Shots on Goal: W&M 10, VCU 7. Goalkeeper Saves: W&M-Gwen Hunter 5; VCU-Brittany LoVullo 6. Penalty Corners: W&M 12, VCU 4. Attendance 156.

Sept. 29 at Rullo Stadium, Newark, Del.

Delaware 4, VCU 2

VCU	1	1	4
UD	2	2	4

First Half: VCU-Rebecca Sullivan (Ashley Cadwallader), 12:58; UD-Molly Burke (Kaili Kao, Katie Evans), 18:00; UD-Casey Howard (Molly Burke, Katie Evans), 22:15. Second Half: UD-Katie Evans, 47:20; UD-Emily Osinga (Vicky Smith), 52:00; UD-Molly Burke, 62:18. Shots on Goal: UD 13, VCU 3. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Laura Baker 9; UD-Nikki Rhoades 2. Penalty Corners: UD 8, VCU 2. Attendance 250.

2006 GAME CAPSULES CONT.

Oct. 1 at Cary Street Field, Richmond, Va.

#17 James Madison 3, VCU 0

JMU	1	2	3
VCU	0	0	0

First Half: JMU-Melissa Walls (Penalty Stroke), 3:59. Second Half: JMU-Ashley Walls (Melissa Stefaniak, Maureen Klingler), 40:40; Meghan Bain (Melissa Stefaniak), 46:48.

Shots on Goal: JMU 7, VCU 1. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Brittany LoVullo 3; JMU-Kelsey Cutchins 1. Penalty Corners: JMU 8, VCU 4. Attendance 67.

Oct. 6 at Cary Street Field, Richmond, Va.

#3 Old Dominion 10, VCU 0

ODU	5	5	10
VCU	0	0	0

First Half: ODU-Nicolien van Nispen (Dana Sensenig)-Penalty Corner, 3:31; ODU-Dana Sensenig (Nicolien van Nispen)-Penalty Corner, 9:21; ODU-Darcy Pinchbeck (Dana Sensenig), 15:18; ODU-Dana Sensenig, 21:28; ODU-Darcy Pinchbeck (Denise Admiraal), 22:44. Second Half: ODU-Hanna Warren (Jo Ann van Aswegen), 46:03; ODU-Hanna Warren, 48:34; ODU-Darcy Pinchbeck (Denise Admiraal), 49:05; ODU-Denise Admiraal (Dana Sensenig), 53:56; Kathleen Shea, 66:04. Shots on Goal: ODU 22, VCU 1. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Brittany LoVullo 12; ODU-Kelly Driscoll 1. Penalty Corners: ODU 7, VCU 1. Attendance 42.

Oct. 8 at Buckley Field, Philadelphia, Pa.

VCU 4, Drexel 3 (OT)

VCU	1	2	1	4
Drexel	2	1	0	3

First Half: DU:Karie Walton (Casey Mouser, Cassandra Prentiss), 10:43; DU-Catherine Chiara, 13:31; VCU-Nikki Lloyd, 17:32. Second Half: VCU-Emily Guerra (Rebecca Sullivan), 37:09; VCU-Nikki Lloyd (Penalty Stroke), 54:35; DU:Amanda Kicera (Emily Horvat), 57:39. Shots on Goal: DU 18, VCU 7. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Brittany LoVullo 15; DU-Colleen McAndrew 3. Penalty Corners: DU 16, VCU 9. Attendance 112.

Oct. 13 at Cary Street Field, Richmond, Va.

VCU 1, Radford 0 (OT)

Radford	0	0	0	0
VCU	0	0	0	1

Overtime: VCU-Emily Guerra (Ashley Cadwallader), 71:07. Shots on Goal: Rad. 4, VCU 4. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Brittany LoVullo 4; Rad. Megan Stucke 3. Penalty Corners: Rad. 6, VCU 2. Attendance 112.

Oct. 19 at Ocker Field, Ann Arbor, Mich.

UM 5, VCU 1

VCU	1	0	1
UM	3	2	5

First Half: VCU-Emily Guerra (Nikki Lloyd), 3:50; UM-Kara Lentz (Jillianne Whitfield, Mary Fox), 6:55; UM-Kristen Tiner (Jillianne Whitfield, Mary Fox), 29:24; Mary Fox (Paige Laytos), 32:22. Second Half: UM-Kara Lentz, 42:27; Ashley Lennington (Mary Fox), 59:09. Shots on Goal: UM 15, VCU 7. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Brittany LoVullo 9; UM-Beth Riley 6. Penalty Corners: UM 18, VCU 3. Attendance 209.

Oct. 20 at Ocker Field, Ann Arbor, Mich.

OSU 4, VCU 0

VCU	0	0	0
OSU	2	2	4

First Half: OSU-Linda Haussener (Saskia Mueller), 6:34; OSU Saskia Mueller (Curlyne Wynn, Yesenia Luces), 34:36. Second Half: OSU-Curlyne Wynn, 37:37; OSU-Emily Mikac, 52:36. Shots on Goal: OSU 10, VCU 1. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Laura Baker 6; OSU-Lindsay Quintiliani. Penalty Corners: OSU 17, VCU 1. Attendance 107.

Oct. 22 at Cary Street Field, Richmond, Va.

VCU 3, Towson 1

TU	0	1	1
VCU	2	1	3

First Half: VCU-Emily Guerra, 14:02; VCU-Nikki Lloyd, 20:02. Second Half: TU-Angie Brewer, 39:55; VCU-Nikki Lloyd, 59:27. Shots on Goal: VCU 7, TU 5. Goalkeeper Saves: VCU-Brittany LoVullo 4, Christina Armer 4. Penalty Corners: TU 12, VCU 5. Attendance 102.