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**SUNYAC Outdoor Track & Field Championships to be Held This Weekend in Oneonta**  
*Cortland Men and Geneseo Women to Defend Titles*

FREDONIA, NY – The 2005 State University of New York Athletic Conference (SUNYAC) Men and Women’s Outdoor Track & Field Championships will be held this coming Friday and Saturday, April 29 and 30 at Oneonta State in Oneonta, NY.

Teams from Brockport, Buffalo State, Cortland, Fredonia, Geneseo, Oneonta, Oswego and Plattsburgh will compete in this year’s 38<sup>th</sup> annual men’s and 22<sup>nd</sup> annual women’s competitions.

Cortland men will defend their title after winning their fourth championship last year since 1997. The Red Dragons return five athletes that claimed six individual titles at the 2004 outdoor meet. Sophomore, **Nick Wetherby (Olean/Olean)** returns after winning the 100 and 200 meters last year. Also returning for Cortland is **David Neal (Port Ewen/Kingston)** in the 800 meters, **Tyler Gutierrez (Waverly/Waverly)** in the pole vault, **Dave Hock (Elma/Iroquois)** in the long jump and **Marcus Matyas (Hamburg/Hamburg)** in the discuss. Additionally Cortland won the 4x100 and 4x400 relays last year.

The Geneseo women’s team will attempt to win its third straight outdoor championship in 2005. The Knights return two athletes that claimed three individual titles at last year’s meet. Senior, **Kristina Mattice (Batavia/Batavia)** claimed the 2004 title in the long jump and triple jump. **Kim DePrez (Fairport/Fairport)** returns to defend her title in the high jump.

The two-day event begins at 2 p.m. on Friday with the men’s long jump, men’s hammer throw and women’s shot put. Friday concludes at 5:30 p.m. with the men’s 10,000 meters. Saturday, the action begins at 10:00 a.m. with the men’s javelin and concludes at 2:30 p.m. with the men’s 4x400 relay. For more information and up-to-date performance lists and full daily results, click on Outdoor Track on the SUNYAC web page at [www.sunyac.com](http://www.sunyac.com).

**2004 Final Team Standings**

**Men’s Final Results**

1. Cortland 192
2. Geneseo 129
3. Buffalo State 84
4. Plattsburgh 71
5. Brockport 47
6. Oneonta 45
7. New Paltz 22
8. Oswego 15
9. Fredonia 14

**Women’s Final Results**

1. Geneseo 141
2. Cortland 126
3. Brockport 80
4. Oswego 69
5. Oneonta 64
6. Fredonia 48
7. Plattsburgh 43
8. Buffalo State 29
9. New Paltz 20