

AU men's lacrosse team wins home opener

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ALFRED The Alfred University men's lacrosse team defeated Oneonta State 10-9, on Saturday afternoon at Merrill Field. Alfred (2-1, 0-0 Empire 8) got off to a slow start only scoring one goal in the first quarter and ending up down by two goals at the half. After intermission, AU started to control the field, netting a total of six goals, with senior attack David Vail (Mt. Lakes, NJ/Mt. Lakes) netting the game winner with 7:24 to go in the fourth. Vail led AU with three goals and four assists. Freshman midfielder Andy German (Wayne, PA/Radnor) also was strong offensively notching two goals and three assists. Senior midfielder Anthony Fiorelli (Endicott/Union Endicott) added two goals while seniors Dylan Marco (Camillus/West Genesee) and Trevor Archer (Penn Yan/Penn Yan) and sophomore Adam Griffin (New Hartford/New Hartford) each had one goal and Archer had one assists. Freshman Chris Wszalek (West Seneca/West Seneca) played all 60 minutes in goal for AU and collected 12 saves. Oneonta (1-1, 0-0 SUNYAC) was led by Keith Adler, James Battaglia, and Chad Wagoner who each had 2 goals. Goaltender Mike Louer played 60 minutes in goal for Oneonta and collected 12 saves. The Saxons are in action next when they host SUNY Brockport on Saturday, March 20 at 1 p.m. at Merrill Field.