

Weather forces postponement of first four games of AU softball team's spring trip

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ALFRED, NY The first four games of the Alfred University softball team's spring trip in Florida have been postponed due to poor weather which delayed the team's departure from New York. Poor weather in Western New York kept the team from leaving for Florida Saturday. The team instead flew to Florida Sunday for its weeklong stay in Fort Myers, FL, where the Saxons had been scheduled to play 12 games. Two games Sunday, against Wooster and Albion, and two more Monday, against Curry and Pine Manor, were postponed due to Alfred's late arrival. AU head coach Gino Olivieri said the team could make up one or more of the games during the week. The team has a scheduled day off today and will play a pair of games Wednesday, March 12, at 9 a.m. against Wilmington and 1 p.m. against New Jersey City. Alfred will play a pair of games Thursday, at 5 p.m. against Albion and 7 p.m. against Missouri Baptists; two on Friday, at 9 a.m. against Drew and 1 p.m. against Eastern Nazarene; and will wrap up the trip with two games on Saturday, at 9 a.m. against Bowdoin and 11 a.m. against Illinois College. Alfred will have 10 days off after returning from Florida before traveling to Pitt-Bradford for a 3 p.m. doubleheader on March 25.