

The Coach's Corner (Feb. 6, 2007)

ANNCR: This is "The Coach's Corner" with RIT Tigers hockey coach Wayne Wilson. Here's WYSL 1040's J.C. DeLass.

DELAASS: Six games left now, and the regular-season title is within reach. Coach, is that a topic in the locker room?

WILSON: It is and it may be a little bit too much of a topic, where we're looking down the road a little bit too much. We really want to try and keep our focus on the two games at hand and, in particular, the Friday night game. And I think if we can take care of business—and there's a lot of clichés, obviously—but take care of business and take it one game at a time, everything will fall into place. But if you're trying to figure out wins and losses of your opponents, there's just too many things that can happen along the way. So we just got to worry about ourselves. And we're in great shape and we just got to finish it off.

DELAASS: This is a big weekend, too—home against Air Force for two games, and I know you're looking for a rockin' crowd at the Ritter Arena.

WILSON: Yeah, we certainly are. They've been great all year long, very supportive. And it's a team we've had our struggles against over the last four, five games, so it's something that we've got to, you know, be prepared for. And they're fighting to—actually they're fighting for a league championship themselves. They're not that far behind that, if they can make up ground this weekend against us, they're back in the hunt. So we've got to be ready for them and ready to go.

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