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2010-11 WCHA Men's Season-in-Review

Minnesota Duluth Reigns as 2011 National Champions as WCHA Marks Record 37th NCAA Men's Team Title Since 1951

Bulldogs Capture Program's First National Championship with Wins Over Notre Dame & Michigan April 7 & 9 at Xcel Energy Center in Saint Paul; WCHA Now Owns Record 37 NCAA Div. 1 Titles Since 1951; North Dakota Claims WCHA Regular Season Championship and MacNaughton Cup; Sioux Earn 2011 Red Baron WCHA Final Five Playoff Title, Broadmoor Trophy; North Dakota, Denver, Minnesota Duluth, Nebraska Omaha, Colorado College Earn NCAA Tournament Berths; Sioux are NCAA Midwest Regional Champs, Bulldogs Earn NCAA East Regional Crown; Seven WCHA Players Earn All-American Honors; Final 2010-11 Div. 1 Men's National Polls Have UMD No. 1, UND No. 2/3, DU No. 7, CC No. 11, UNO No. 14; WCHA Teams Go 56-27-12 (.653) in Div. 1 Non-Conference Play

SAINT PAUL, Minn. – Forward Kyle Schmidt found the perfect way to end his own personal senior season, scoring a goal at 3:22 of sudden-death overtime Saturday night, April 9, to give the University of Minnesota Duluth a 3-2 victory over Michigan before 19,222 fans at Xcel Energy Center, for the first NCAA Division I men's hockey championship in program history.

Schmidt, a senior from the Duluth suburb of Hermantown, Minn., has overcome enough and played well enough that the day before he had won the national Unsung Hero award, given each year to a good player and solid citizen but someone who is not a heavily publicized star.

Schmidt fouled that up, pretty thoroughly, by scoring his 11th goal of the season, the biggest goal of his life, and possibly the biggest goal in the 50-year history of UMD hockey. He skated in from the right to the front of the net, just as Travis Oleksuk pried the puck loose behind the net. Oleksuk fed it out front, Schmidt

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Final 2010-11 WCHA Men's Standings

	Pts	Conference Only					Overall				
		GP	Record	Win%	GF- GA	GP	Record	Win%	GF- GA		
1 North Dakota!	43	28	21- 6- 1	.768	112- 62	44	32- 9- 3	.761	178- 94		
2 Denver	37	28	17- 8- 3	.661	93- 75	42	25-12- 5	.655	136-113		
3 Nebraska-Omaha	36	28	17- 9- 2	.643	94- 69	39	21-16- 2	.564	128- 99		
4 Minnesota Duluth\$	35	28	15- 8- 5	.625	91- 73	42	26-10- 6	.690	143-108		
5 Minnesota	31	28	13-10- 5	.554	91- 78	36	16-14- 6	.528	113-102		
6 Colorado College	28	28	13-13- 2	.500	83- 84	45	23-19- 3	.544	143-131		
7 Wisconsin	27	28	12-13- 3	.482	75- 72	41	21-16- 4	.561	129- 98		
8 Alaska Anchorage	26	28	12-14- 2	.464	62- 78	37	16-18- 3	.473	89-106		
St. Cloud State	26	28	11-13- 4	.464	84- 80	38	15-18- 5	.461	112-113		
10 Bemidji State	21	28	8-15- 5	.375	62- 78	38	15-18- 5	.461	89-102		
11 Minnesota State	20	28	8-16- 4	.357	67- 90	38	14-18- 6	.447	105-116		
12 Michigan Tech	6	28	2-24- 2	.107	49-124	38	4-30- 4	.158	75-169		

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This Week in the WCHA

2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four @ Xcel Energy Center, Saint Paul, MN

Results of Thursday, April 7

Semifinal #1: Minnesota Duluth 4 vs Notre Dame 3

Semifinal #2: Michigan 2 vs North Dakota 0

Games for Saturday, April 9

National Championship Game: Minnesota Duluth 3 vs Michigan 2 (ot)

banged it past Michigan goaltender Shawn Hunwick, and then raced to the far end of Xcel Energy Center, throwing himself into a bodyslide of ecstasy as most of the sellout crowd of 19,222 cheered wildly.

"T.O. got behind the net and threw the puck out," said Schmidt. "Luckily it was a 'gimme,' because I wasn't able to bury anything else. Then I took off skating."

It was a night for unsung heroes, as UMD's high-powered first line was held off the scoresheet by Michigan's hustling and persistent Wolverines. UMD's second line picked up the load, getting goals by Oleksuk and Schmidt, plus the first goal of the season from freshman fourth-line center Max Tardy, a recent addition to the backup power-play unit. Michigan had taken a 1-0 lead on Ben Winnette's first period goal, and tied the game 2-2 on fourth-line center Jeff Rohrkemper's goal late in the second period.

"That's what often happens in a game like this," said Michigan coach Red Berenson. "The top players just about neutralize each other, and usually an unsung guy gets the big goal."

Michigan (29-11-4) was making a bid for its 10th NCAA championship and third in Berenson's 27-year coaching career. His two titles were both won by 3-2, for good measure. But the CCHA squad didn't intimidate the Bulldogs (26-10-6), who played with the confidence they have maintained while establishing a remarkable 7-2-6 record in overtime games this season.

"I'm so extremely proud of this team," said UMD coach Scott Sandelin. "Not just for the players, but for the alumni, the city. I'm just excited for these players to have this experience."

There also was some further karma going for Schmidt, who had overcome injuries that include a broken hand at midseason, and a minor injury in the playoffs that ironically allowed Tardy to move up to some power-play duty. Schmidt also was the only player to refuse to dye his hair with the rest of the team's playoff scheme to bleach themselves a ridiculous blond for the playoffs. Someone asked if he thought leaving his hair its natural color was responsible for him scoring his game-winner, and Schmidt paused and then deadpanned: "Yes."

Schmidt is getting married and his fiance didn't want him fouling up any wedding pictures by looking like a latter-day beach boy. His teammates didn't seem to mind that he didn't join in the team unity thing, and they certainly mind even less now.

The Bulldogs outshot Michigan 38-24, but never had the upper hand against the tenacious Wolverines, who are almost an annual fixture in NCAA tournament time.

"Good for Minnesota Duluth," said Berenson. "They were a better team than we thought during the season. They were kind of under the radar. I thought our penalty-killers were dialed in, and they have they have a terrific power-play – the best we've seen all year."

Berenson had last change as the higher seed of the two teams, and started his veteran defensive line, with Matt Rust centering fellow senior Ben Winnett and junior Luke Glendening. The three came into the game with a total of 17 goals, fewer than each player on UMD's top line they were trying to contain – Jack Connolly with 18 goals, Mike Connolly with 28 and Justin Fontaine with 22.

The Bulldogs had a couple of chances on the first shift of the game, then Michigan struck back. Carl Hagelin poked in a rebound from under goaltender Kenny Reiter, after he had been sitting on it for a couple of seconds, but the referees waved it off. UMD's first power-play nearly connecting, when Jack Connolly walked in from the right circle and clanked a shot off the short-side right pipe.

But at 14:42 of the opening period, the Wolverine checkers swapped roles against UMD's top line. Rust won a left-corner faceoff back to Winnett, and Winnett – who had also scored the pivotal game-winning goal against North Dakota in the 2-0 semifinal – skated to the slot, and fired a shot that glanced off defenseman Justin Faulk's skate and caught the left edge of the net for a 1-0 lead. It was Winnett's fifth goal of the season, meaning 40 percent of his season total goals have come in the two Frozen Four games.

It was up to UMD's second line to prove anyone could get a puck past Michigan goaltender Shawn Hunwick. T.J. Brown slid the puck out to the



Coach Scott Sandelin and Kyle Schmidt embrace after the Bulldogs' won the 2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four. Ryan Coleman photo.

right point, where Brady Lamb faked a shot, stepped in and did shoot, and when it was blocked, Travis Oleksuk knocked in the rebound from the right edge, tying the game 1-1 at 1:39 of the second period. The Bulldogs finally clicked on their fourth power-play to gain a 2-1 lead, but it was after the first unit had gone to the bench. Tardy, recently plugged into the lineup because of his puck-handling prowess, was in the left corner for a pass from Lamb. He stepped out and tried to pass across the goal-mouth, but Hunwick blocked the pass. The puck came right back to Tardy and he fired it into the net at 9:31 – the first collegiate goal for the rookie from Duluth East.

"I just tried to stay calm, like we were playing shinny hockey, and it worked out," said Tardy. "It's a tremendous feeling to be part of the first UMD team to bring home the championship."

A flurry of penalties had been settled up later in the second period, and just after a power-play ended, the Wolverines got the 2-2 tie. Greg Pateryn shot hard from the left point and the puck hit Jack Connolly in the ankle, dropping him to the ice. In the ensuing scramble, Rohrkemper – another fourth-line center – got the loose puck and snapped a backhander into the left edge of the net at 17:46.

Both sides had their chances in the scoreless third period, with J.T. Brown making a couple of rink-length rushes that showed he still had some energy flowing while everybody else seems to be wearing down from the high-speed pace. One of those dashes was while killing a penalty, and Michigan's Jon Merrill had to tackle Brown to prevent a shorthanded goal, earning a penalty that negated the power-play.

UMD outshot the Wolverines 9-6 in the third period, and 38-24 for the game. But this was a game that deserved to be settled in overtime, and both Hunwick and Reiter made sure it got there. Then, as Berenson mentioned, it came down to a one-shot game, and the national "Unsung Hero" made himself eminently... "Sung."

by John Gilbert, for WCHA.com



2011 Division I Men's Ice Hockey Championship

First Round

Second Round

Semifinals

Championship

All Times Eastern



Yale (27-6-1) 1

Fri. March 25 - 6:30 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

Yale 2-1 (OT)

Air Force (20-11-6)

Bridgeport, CT

Sat. March 26 - 6:30 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

Minn. Duluth 5-3

Union (NY) (26-9-4)

Fri. March 25 - 3 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

Minn. Duluth 2-0

Minn. Duluth (22-10-6)

**Xcel Energy Center
Saint Paul, MN**
Thurs. April 7 - 5 p.m.
ESPN2 HD/ESPN3.com

Minn. Duluth 4-3

Merrimack (25-9-4)

Sat. March 26 - 7:30 p.m.
ESPN Syndication HD/ESPN3.com
*ESPNU HD

Notre Dame 4-3 (OT)

Notre Dame (23-13-5)

Manchester, NH

Sun. March 27 - 8 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

Notre Dame 2-1

New Hampshire (21-10-6)

Sat. March 26 - 4 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

New Hampshire 3-1

Miami (OH) (23-9-6) 4

**Xcel Energy Center
Saint Paul, MN**
Sat. April 9 - 7 p.m.
ESPN HD/ESPN3.com

Minn. Duluth 3-2 (OT)

Boston College (30-7-1) 3

Fri. March 25 - 9 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

Colorado Col. 8-4

Colorado Col. (22-18-3)

St. Louis, MO

Sat. March 26 - 9 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

Michigan 2-1

Michigan (26-10-4)

Fri. March 25 - 5:30 p.m.
ESPN Syndication HD/ESPN3.com
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Michigan 3-2 (OT)

Neb.-Omaha (21-15-2)

**Xcel Energy Center
Saint Paul, MN**
Thurs. April 7 - 8:30 p.m.
ESPN2 HD/ESPN3.com

Michigan 2-0

Denver (24-11-5)

Sat. March 26 - 5 p.m.
ESPN Syndication HD/ESPN3.com
*ESPNU HD

Denver 3-2 (2OT)

Western Mich. (19-12-10)

Green Bay, WI

Sun. March 27 - 5:30 p.m.
ESPNU HD/ESPN3.com

North Dakota 6-1

Rensselaer (20-12-5)

Sat. March 26 - 1:30 p.m.
ESPN Syndication HD/ESPN3.com
*ESPNU HD

North Dakota 6-0

North Dakota (30-8-3) 2

Regional Sites

East: Webster Bank Arena
Bridgeport, Connecticut
March 25-26

West: Scottrade Center
St. Louis, Missouri
March 25-26

Midwest: Resch Center
Green Bay, Wisconsin
March 26-27

Northeast: Verizon Wireless Arena
Manchester, New Hampshire

East Seeds

1. Yale (1)
2. Union (NY)
3. Minn. Duluth
4. Air Force

Northeast Seeds

1. Miami (OH) (4)
2. Merrimack
3. Notre Dame
4. New Hampshire

West Seeds

1. Boston College (3)
2. Michigan
3. Neb.-Omaha
4. Colorado Col.

Midwest Seeds

1. North Dakota (2)
2. Denver
3. Western Mich.
4. Rensselaer

Overall seeds in parentheses.

NCAA Ice Hockey • Men's Div. 1 Championship Results

Year	Champion (Record)	Coach	Score	Runner-Up	Semifinalists	Site
1948	Michigan (20-2-1)	Vic Heyliger	8-4	Dartmouth	Boston College, Colorado College	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1949	Boston College (21-1)	Snooks Kelley	4-3	Dartmouth	Michigan, Colorado College	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1950	Colorado College (18-5-1)	Cheddy Thompson	13-4	Boston U.	Michigan, Boston College	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1951	Michigan (22-4-1)	Vic Heyliger	7-1	Brown	Boston U., Colorado College	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1952	Michigan (22-4)	Vic Heyliger	4-1	Colorado College	Yale, St. Lawrence	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1953	Michigan (17-7)	Vic Heyliger	7-3	Minnesota	Rensselaer, Boston U.	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1954	Rensselaer (18-5)	Ned Harkness	5-4 ot	Minnesota	Michigan, Boston College	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1955	Michigan (18-5-1)	Vic Heyliger	5-3	Colorado College	Harvard, St. Lawrence	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1956	Michigan (20-2-1)	Vic Heyliger	7-5	Michigan Tech	St. Lawrence, Boston College	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1957	Colorado College (25-5)	Tom Bedecki	13-6	Michigan	Clarkson, Harvard	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1958	Denver (24-10-2)	Murray Armstrong	6-2	North Dakota	Clarkson, Harvard	Minneapolis, Minn.
1959	North Dakota (20-10-1)	Bob May	4-3 ot	Michigan State	Boston College, St. Lawrence	Troy, N.Y.
1960	Denver (27-4-3)	Murray Armstrong	5-3	Michigan Tech	Boston U., St. Lawrence	Boston, Mass.
1961	Denver (30-1-1)	Murray Armstrong	12-2	St. Lawrence	Minnesota, Rensselaer	Denver, Colo.
1962	Michigan Tech (29-3)	John MacInnes	7-1	Clarkson	Michigan, St. Lawrence	Utica, N.Y.
1963	North Dakota (22-7-3)	Barry Thorndycraft	6-5	Denver	Clarkson, Boston College	Chestnut Hill, Mass.
1964	Michigan (24-4-1)	Al Renfrew	6-3	Denver	Rensselaer, Providence	Denver, Colo.
1965	Michigan Tech (24-5-2)	John MacInnes	8-2	Boston College	North Dakota, Brown	Providence, R.I.
1966	Michigan State (16-13)	Amo Bessone	6-1	Clarkson	Denver, Boston U.	Minneapolis, Minn.
1967	Cornell (27-1-1)	Ned Harkness	4-1	Boston U.	Michigan State, North Dakota	Syracuse, N.Y.
1968	Denver (28-5-1)	Murray Armstrong	4-0	North Dakota	Cornell, Boston College	Duluth, Minn.
1969	Denver (26-6)	Murray Armstrong	4-3	Cornell	Harvard, Michigan Tech	Colorado Springs, Colo.
1970	Cornell (29-0)	Ned Harkness	6-4	Clarkson	Wisconsin, Michigan Tech	Lake Placid, N.Y.
1971	Boston U. (28-2-1)	Jack Kelley	4-2	Minnesota	Denver, Harvard	Syracuse, N.Y.
1972	Boston U. (26-4-1)	Jack Kelley	4-0	Cornell	Wisconsin, Denver	Boston, Mass.
1973	Wisconsin (29-9-2)	Bob Johnson	4-2	#Denver	Boston College, Cornell	Boston, Mass.
1974	Minnesota (22-11-6)	Herb Brooks	4-2	Michigan Tech	Boston U., Harvard	Boston, Mass.
1975	Michigan Tech (32-10)	John MacInnes	6-1	Minnesota	Boston U., Harvard	St. Louis, Mo.
1976	Minnesota (27-13-2)	Herb Brooks	6-4	Michigan Tech	Brown, Boston U.	Denver, Colo.
1977	Wisconsin (37-7-1)	Bob Johnson	6-5 ot	Michigan	Boston U., New Hampshire	Detroit, Mich.
1978	Boston U. (30-2)	Jack Parker	5-3	Boston College	Bowling Green, Wisconsin	Providence, R.I.
1979	Minnesota (32-11-1)	Herb Brooks	4-3	North Dakota	Dartmouth, New Hampshire	Detroit, Mich.
1980	North Dakota (31-8-1)	Gino Gasparini	5-2	Northern Michigan	Dartmouth, Cornell	Providence, R.I.
1981	Wisconsin (27-14-1)	Bob Johnson	6-3	Minnesota	Michigan Tech, Northern Michigan	Duluth, Minn.
1982	North Dakota (35-12)	Gino Gasparini	5-2	Wisconsin	Northeastern, New Hampshire	Providence, R.I.
1983	Wisconsin (33-10-4)	Jeff Sauer	6-2	Harvard	Providence, Minnesota	Grand Forks, N.D.
1984	Bowling Green (34-8-2)	Jerry York	5-4 (4 ot)	Minnesota Duluth	North Dakota, Michigan State	Lake Placid, N.Y.
1985	Rensselaer (35-2-1)	Mike Addesa	2-1	Providence	Minnesota Duluth, Boston College	Detroit, Mich.
1986	Michigan State (34-9-2)	Ron Mason	6-5	Harvard	Minnesota, Denver	Providence, R.I.
1987	North Dakota (40-8)	Gino Gasparini	5-3	Michigan State	Michigan State, Harvard	Detroit, Mich.
1988	Lake Superior St. (33-7-6)	Frank Anzalone	4-3 ot	St. Lawrence	Maine, Minnesota	Lake Placid, N.Y.
1989	Harvard (31-3)	Bill Cleary	4-3 ot	Minnesota	Michigan State, Maine	St. Paul, Minn.
1990	Wisconsin (36-9-1)	Jeff Sauer	7-3	Colgate	Boston College, Boston U.	Detroit, Mich.
1991	Northern Michigan (38-5-4)	Rick Comley	8-7 (3 ot)	Boston U.	Clarkson, Maine	St. Paul, Minn.
1992	Lake Superior St. (29-9-4)	Jeff Jackson	5-3	#Wisconsin	Michigan, Michigan State	Albany, N.Y.
1993	Maine (40-1-2)	Shawn Walsh	5-4	Lake Superior St.	Boston U., Michigan	Milwaukee, Wis.
1994	Lake Superior St. (31-10-4)	Jeff Jackson	9-1	Boston U.	Harvard, Minnesota	St. Paul, Minn.
1995	Boston U. (31-6-3)	Jack Parker	6-2	Maine	Michigan, Minnesota	Providence, R.I.
1996	Michigan (32-7-2)	Red Berenson	3-2 ot	Colorado College	Boston U., Vermont	Cincinnati, Ohio
1997	North Dakota (31-10-2)	Dean Blais	6-4	Boston U.	Colorado College, Michigan	Milwaukee, Wis.
1998	Michigan (32-11-1)	Red Berenson	3-2 ot	Boston College	New Hampshire, Ohio State	Boston, Mass.
1999	Maine (31-6-4)	Shawn Walsh	3-2 ot	New Hampshire	Boston College, Michigan State	Anaheim, Calif.
2000	North Dakota (31-8-5)	Dean Blais	4-2	Boston College	Maine, St. Lawrence	Providence, R.I.
2001	Boston College (33-8-2)	Jerry York	3-2 ot	North Dakota	Michigan, Michigan State	Albany, N.Y.
2002	Minnesota (32-8-4)	Don Lucia	4-3 ot	Maine	New Hampshire, Michigan	St. Paul, Minn.
2003	Minnesota (28-8-9)	Don Lucia	5-1	New Hampshire	Cornell, Michigan	Buffalo, N.Y.
2004	Denver (27-12-5)	George Gwozdecky	1-0	Maine	Boston College, Minnesota Duluth	Boston, Mass.
2005	Denver (32-9-2)	George Gwozdecky	4-1	North Dakota	Colorado College, Minnesota	Columbus, Ohio
2006	Wisconsin (30-10-3)	Mike Eaves	2-1	Boston College	North Dakota, Maine	Milwaukee, Wis.
2007	Michigan State (26-13-3)	Rick Comley	3-1	Boston College	North Dakota, Maine	St. Louis, Mo.
2008	Boston College (25-11-8)	Jerry York	4-1	Notre Dame	Michigan, North Dakota	Denver, Colo.
2009	Boston U. (35-6-4)	Jack Parker	4-3 ot	Miami	Vermont, Bemidji State	Washington, D.C.
2010	Boston College (29-10-3)	Jerry York	5-0	Wisconsin	Miami, RIT	Detroit, Mich.
2011	Minnesota Duluth (26-10-6)	Scott Sandelin	3-2 ot	Michigan	North Dakota, Notre Dame	St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinalists from 1949-89 denote third- and fourth-place finishes, respectively; all other years both teams tied for third

Participation in tournament vacated. Records since 1992 do not include games against Canadian teams

2011 NCAA Division 1 Men's Regional Results

NCAA East Regional @ Webster Bank Arena, Bridgeport, CT
Results of Friday, March 25: (3) Minnesota Duluth 2 vs (2) Union 0; (4) Air Force 1 vs (1) Yale 2 ot. **Results of Saturday, March 26:** Championship Game – Minnesota Duluth 5 vs Yale 3.

NCAA West Regional @ Scottrade Center, St. Louis, MO
Results of Friday, March 25: (3) Nebraska-Omaha 2 vs (2) Michigan 3 ot; (4) Colorado College 8 vs (1) Boston College 4. **Results of Saturday, March 26:** Championship Game – Colorado College 1 vs Michigan 2.

NCAA Northeast Regional @ Verizon Wireless Arena, Manchester, NH
Results of Saturday, March 26: (4) New Hampshire 3 vs (1) Miami 1; (3) Notre Dame 4 vs Merrimack 3 ot. **Results of Sunday, March 27:** Championship Game – New Hampshire 1 vs Notre Dame 2.

NCAA Midwest Regional @ Resch Center, Green Bay, WI
Results of Saturday, March 26: (4) Rensselaer 0 vs (1) North Dakota 6; (3) Western Michigan 2 vs (2) Denver 3 (2 ot). **Results of Sunday, March 27:** Championship Game – Denver 1 vs North Dakota 6.

National Champions from the WCHA

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2011	Minnesota Duluth (26-10-6)	Scott Sandelin

Future NCAA Championship Sites & Dates

2012 – 65th Annual

East Regional • March 23-24
 Bridgeport, CT

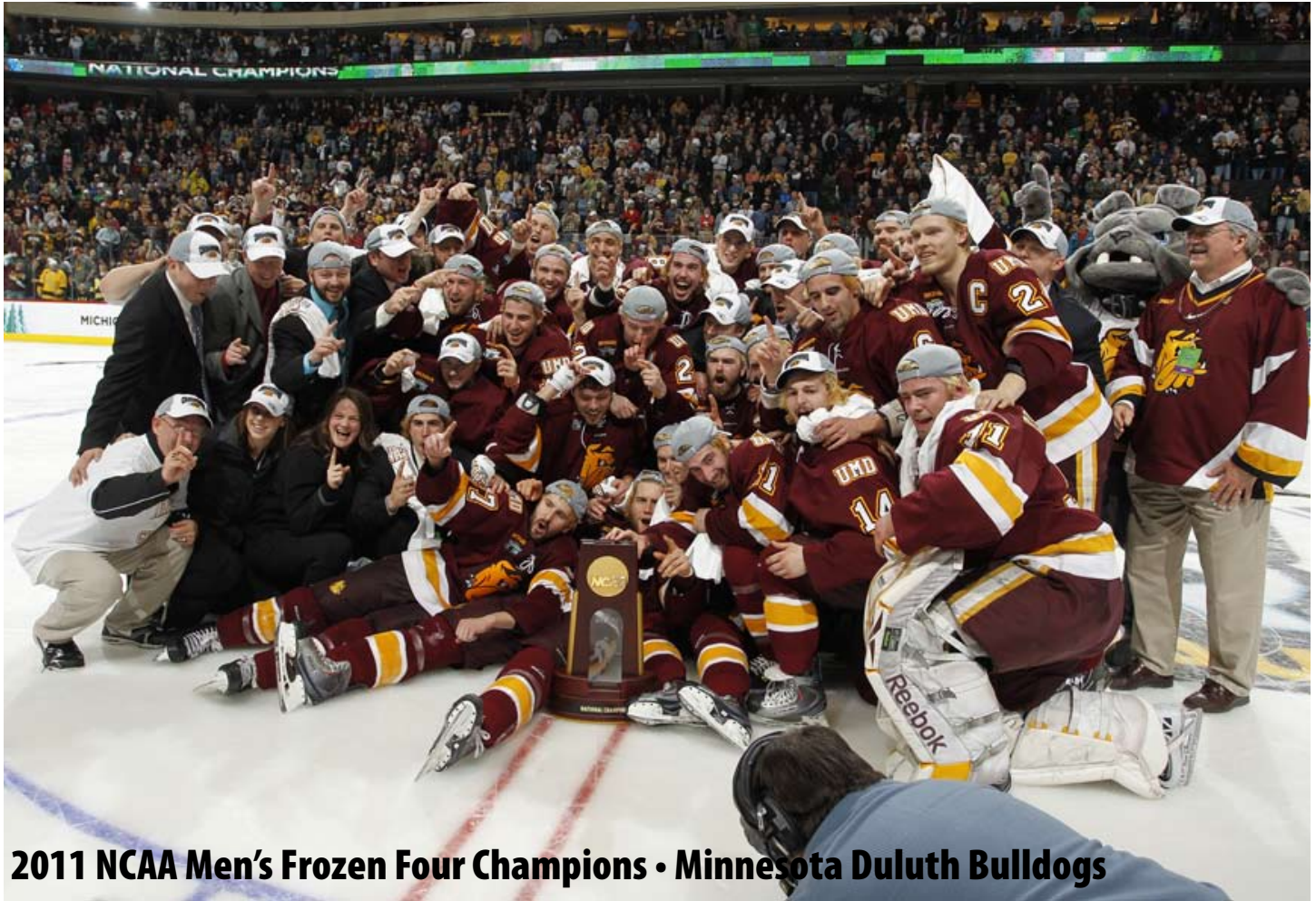
Northeast Regional • March 24-25
 DCU Center • Worcester, MA

Midwest Regional • March 23-24
 Resch Center • Green Bay, WI

West Regional • March 24-25
 Xcel Energy Center • Saint Paul, MN

Men's Frozen Four • April 5 & 7
 St. Pete Times Forum • Tampa, FL
 (University of Alabama Huntsville host)

2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four Recap



2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four Champions • Minnesota Duluth Bulldogs

Saturday, April 9, 2011

Minnesota Duluth Captures First National Title with 3-2 Overtime Win Against Michigan Senior Forward Kyle Schmidt Nets Game-Winner 3:22 into Overtime for Bulldogs

by John Gilbert, for WCHA.com

SAINT PAUL, MN – Kyle Schmidt found the perfect way to end his own personal senior season, scoring a goal at 3:22 of sudden-death overtime Saturday night to give Minnesota Duluth a 3-2 victory over Michigan before 19,222 fans at Xcel Energy Center, for the first NCAA Division I men's hockey championship in program history.

Schmidt, a senior from the Duluth suburb of Hermantown, has overcome enough and played well enough that the day before he had won the national Unsung Hero award, given each year to a good player and solid citizen but someone who is not a heavily publicized star.

Schmidt fouled that up, pretty thoroughly, by scoring his 11th goal of the season, the biggest goal of his life, and possibly the biggest goal in the 50-year history of UMD hockey. He skated in from the right to the front of the net, just as Travis Oleksuk pried the puck loose behind the net. Oleksuk fed it out front, Schmidt banged it past Michigan goaltender Shawn Hunwick, and then raced to the far end of Xcel Energy Center, throwing himself into a bodyslide of ecstasy as most of the sellout crowd of 19,222 cheered wildly.

"T.O. got behind the net and threw the puck out," said Schmidt. "Luckily it was a 'gimme,' because I wasn't able to bury anything else. Then I took

off skating."

It was a night for unsung heroes, as UMD's high-powered first line was held off the scoresheet by Michigan's hustling and persistent Wolverines. UMD's second line picked up the load, getting goals by Oleksuk and Schmidt, plus the first goal of the season from freshman fourth-line center Max Tardy, a recent addition to the backup power-play unit. Michigan had taken a 1-0 lead on Ben Winnette's first period goal, and tied the game 2-2 on fourth-line center Jeff Rohrkemper's goal late in the second period.

"That's what often happens in a game like this," said Michigan coach Red Berenson. "The top players just about neutralize each other, and usually an unsung guy gets the big goal."



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Michigan (29-11-4) was making a bid for its 10th NCAA championship and third in Berenson's 27-year coaching career. His two titles were both won by 3-2, for good measure. But the CCHA squad didn't intimidate the Bulldogs (26-10-6), who played with the confidence they have maintained while establishing a remarkable 7-2-6 record in overtime games this season.

"I'm so extremely proud of this team," said UMD coach Scott Sandelin. "Not just for the players, but for the alumni, the city. I'm just excited for these players to have this experience."

There also was some further karma going for Schmidt, who had overcome injuries that include a broken hand at midseason, and a minor injury in the playoffs that ironically allowed Tardy to move up to some power-play duty. Schmidt also was the only player to refuse to dye his hair with the rest of the team's playoff scheme to bleach themselves a ridiculous blond for the playoffs. Someone asked if he thought leaving his hair its natural color was responsible for him scoring his game-winner, and Schmidt paused and then deadpanned: "Yes."

Schmidt is getting married and his fiance didn't want him fouling up any wedding pictures by looking like a latter-day beach boy. His teammates didn't seem to mind that he didn't join in the team unity thing, and they certainly mind even less now.

The Bulldogs outshot Michigan 38-24, but never had the upper hand against the tenacious Wolverines, who are almost an annual fixture in NCAA tournament time. "Good for Minnesota Duluth," said Berenson. "They were a better team than we thought during the season. They were kind of under the radar. I thought our penalty-killers were dialed in, and they have they have a terrific power play – the best we've seen all year."

Berenson had last change as the higher seed of the two teams, and started his veteran defensive line, with Matt Rust centering fellow senior Ben Winnett and junior Luke Glendening. The three came into the game with a total of 17 goals, fewer than each player on UMD's top line they were trying to contain – Jack Connolly with 18 goals, Mike Connolly with 28 and Justin Fontaine with 22.

The Bulldogs had a couple of chances on the first shift of the game, then Michigan struck back. Carl Hagelin poked in a rebound from under goaltender Kenny Reiter, after he had been sitting on it for a couple of seconds, but the referees waved it off. UMD's first power-play nearly connecting, when Jack Connolly walked in from the right circle and clanked a shot off the short-side right pipe.

But at 14:42 of the opening period, the Wolverine checkers swapped roles against UMD's top line. Rust won a left-corner faceoff back to Winnett, and Winnett – who had also scored the pivotal game-winning goal against North Dakota in the 2-0 semifinal – skated to the slot, and fired a shot that glanced off defenseman Justin Faulk's skate and caught the left edge of the net for a 1-0 lead. It was Winnett's fifth goal of the season, meaning 40 percent of his season total goals have come in the two Frozen Four games.

It was up to UMD's second line to prove anyone could get a puck past Michigan goaltender Shawn Hunwick. T.J. Brown slid the puck out to the right point, where Brady Lamb faked a shot, stepped in and did shoot, and when it was blocked, Travis Oleksuk knocked in the rebound from the right edge, tying the game 1-1 at 1:39 of the second period. The Bulldogs finally clicked on their fourth power-play to gain a 2-1 lead, but it was after the first unit had gone to the bench. Tardy, recently plugged into the lineup because of his puck-handling prowess, was in the left corner for a pass from Lamb. He stepped out and tried to pass across the goal-mouth, but Hunwick blocked the pass. The puck came right back to Tardy and he fired it into the net at 9:31 – the first collegiate goal for the rookie from Duluth East.

"I just tried to stay calm, like we were playing shinny hockey, and it worked out," said Tardy. "It's a tremendous feeling to be part of the first UMD team to bring home the championship."

A flurry of penalties had been settled up later in the second period, and just after a power play ended, the Wolverines got the 2-2 tie. Greg Pateryn

shot hard from the left point and the puck hit Jack Connolly in the ankle, dropping him to the ice. In the ensuing scramble, Rohrkemper – another fourth-line center – got the loose puck and snapped a backhander into the left edge of the net at 17:46.

Both sides had their chances in the scoreless third period, with J.T. Brown making a couple of rink-length rushes that showed he still had some energy flowing while everybody else seems to be wearing down from the high-speed pace. One of those dashes was while killing a penalty, and Michigan's Jon Merrill had to tackle Brown to prevent a shorthanded goal, earning a penalty that negated the power-play.

UMD outshot the Wolverines 9-6 in the third period, and 38-24 for the game. But this was a game that deserved to be settled in overtime, and both Hunwick and Reiter made sure it got there. Then, as Berenson mentioned, it came down to a one-shot game, and the national "Unsung Hero" made himself eminently... "Sung."

Brown, Schmidt, Faulk Pace 2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four All-Tournament Team

Freshman forward J.T. Brown was named the most outstanding player of the Frozen Four after his speedy contributions helped Minnesota Duluth win its first NCAA championship with a 3-2 overtime victory over Michigan. Kyle Schmidt, a UMD senior who scored the overtime game-winner, joined Brown and Michigan's Ben Winnett as the three forwards, while UMD's Justin Faulk and Michigan's Jon Merrill, both freshmen, were named defensemen and Michigan's Shawn Hunwick was the goaltender on the all-Frozen Four team.

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Bulldogs Use their Own 'AHL' as Springboard

by John Gilbert, for WCHA.com

SAINT PAUL, MN – Most college hockey players who leave early to sign professional contracts don't go directly to the NHL, and leave frustrated coaches behind while serving minor league apprenticeships at some minor league outpost in a league such as the American Hockey League (AHL). At Minnesota Duluth, where the Bulldogs will try for their first-ever NCAA championship Saturday night, the AHL is greatly responsible for the team's success – but it's a different AHL.

"It's the Afternoon Hockey League," said Bulldog coach Scott Sandelin, whose team takes on Michigan at 6:00 pm Saturday in the Frozen Four final at Saint Paul's Xcel Energy Center.

UMD (25-10-6) is in its fourth NCAA Frozen Four, and has only reached the championship game one other time, in 1984, where the Bulldogs suffered an excruciating 5-4 loss in four overtimes to Bowling Green. Michigan (29-10-4) is chasing its 10th NCAA crown. But the last Wolverine titles came in 1998, and 1996, so none of the current Wolverines has any memory of them. But this group is working on its own platform.

Michigan won the CCHA season title by a point on the final day of the season, then was upset 5-2 by Western Michigan in the CCHA playoffs. Since the NCAA started, the Wolverines have embarked on what looks like a mission to knock off all the WCHA teams it can find in NCAA tournament play. The Wolverines beat Nebraska-Omaha 3-2 in overtime and Colorado College 2-1 to win the West Regional, then stunned North Dakota 2-0 with an empty-net clincher in Thursday's Frozen Four semifinals. UMD, which beat Notre Dame 4-3 in the first semifinal, is the fourth straight WCHA team to try to prevent the Wolverines from raising their record supply of NCAA trophies.

To win its first NCAA title, UMD will have to rely on its "Gold" line, the unit with Jack Connolly centering Mike Connolly and Justin Fontaine. It is that unit that supplies the weaponry for UMD's slick power-play, which has carried the Bulldogs to an NCAA tournament run that shows East Regional victories of 2-0 over Union and 5-3 over Yale, before squeaking past Notre Dame 4-3. The Bulldog power-play got both goals against Union, three of the five against Yale, and three of the four against Notre Dame. That means 8 of the 11 goals UMD has scored in the NCAA tournament

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so far have come with the man-advantage, and their 8-of-23 efficiency is 34.8 percent since the NCAA's began.

The outburst also has boosted the "Gold" linemates closer to the top of WCHA all-game scoring. North Dakota's Matt Frattin leads with 36-24=60, but he was shut out against Michigan. Jack Connolly, who got a goal against Notre Dame, is now 18-41=59, Fontaine, who had 3 assists against the Irish, is 22-36=58, and Mike Connolly, who had a goal against the Irish, is 28-26=54.

"One thing we didn't plan on against North Dakota was to take so many penalties, against that power-play," said Michigan coach Red Berenson. "And now we play Duluth, which has an even better power-play."

There are several reasons for the line's great success. One is that they are familiar with each other and seem to think on the same wave-length, and all three are quick to share the puck as much as shoot it. The fact that they seem smoother and quicker than ever since the tournament started has nothing to do with extra practice, Sandelin said. But it might have a lot to do with UMD's own version of the AHL.

"Nothing much that they do can surprise me now, because I've seen them so much," said Sandelin. "I worry that when you see them every day, you might not appreciate them as much, but our power-play is effective because we have different options, and the players we have on the power-play like to create from within the group.

When it was suggested that the way they interact is less by design than it is improvisation, much like pond-hockey, or just being rink-rats, Sandelin quickly agreed.

"That's basically what it is – rink-rat hockey, and the AHL. After practice every day, we have the AHL. We get our assistant coaches out there to play against our top players. Derek Plante, Brett Larson and Bill Watson are just like kids, just like the players. I used to go out there with them, and with , too. When we first added Derek, Billy's first line was 'Good, now our AHL team will have someone else who can get me the puck.'"

Watson was a Hobey Baker Memorial Award winner as a star winger on the UMD league championship teams of 1984 and '85. Plante played later, and was a stickhandling and puck-moving wizard at center who went on to play in the NHL. Larson was a smart, quick defenseman, as was Sandelin. So when they go out as a penalty-killing unit, with Larson and Sandelin on defense, and Plante and Watson up front, it is formidable opposition. The free-spirited rink-rat game has carried over to the Frozen Four, and followed the team's final practice of the season Friday at Xcel Center.

"Today we had Watson, Larson and Plante against the Gold line," said Sandelin. "The Gold line won. They had lost to them the last time, so they owed them one."

Another key to their success is that they're in UMD's own AHL, instead of possibly the American Hockey League. Because the unrelated Connollys are both 5-foot-8 juniors, and Fontaine a 5-foot-10 senior, none of the three has been pursued by the pros, the way they might be if they were less skilled but 6-foot-2. In fact, all three remain undrafted, and will be free to pursue free-agent deals with any NHL team.

"It's true," said Sandelin. "If Mike Connolly, or Jack Connolly, were 6-feet, they wouldn't be juniors at UMD."

Their presence is required for such a strong power play, but it also requires two more ingredients for the five-man unit. One of the others is freshman defenseman Justin Faulk, who has been brilliant as a puck-mover or shooter from center-point on the blue line. In recent weeks, Sandelin moved freshman winger J.T. Brown onto that power-play unit, shifting Fontaine back to play the other point. Fontaine, who is called "Fonzie" throughout the team, moves up to the left circle while Faulk mans center-point, and as the Connollys maneuver around, either cycling the puck to each other in the right corner to get free in the right circle, or one of them moving to the slot, Brown works the end boards and is dangerous passing or shooting for back-door plays.

Against Notre Dame, Brown scored from the left circle after a pass in by Faulk for the first UMD goal, and when it was 2-2, Faulk fed in from center point to Fontaine at the left circle, and he quickly relayed one of his

trademark Fonzie passes, which is precisely placed in shooting position – this time to Mike Connolly in the slot for a goal. In the second period, the unit passed with dizzying precision until Fontaine circled out near the blue line, then passed deep on the left to Brown, who passed quickly through a defenseman's legs and past goaltender Mike Johnson to the right circle, where Jack Connolly one-timed his shot so quickly that the ESPN cameras couldn't catch him. The puck was in the net before Jack came into focus.

As for the match up with Michigan's big, aggressive and creative team, it is comparatively unique. In all the years of having Division 1 hockey, UMD has played the Wolverines only one time. That was in 2001, at the Maverick Stampede.

"I remember it," said Sandelin, who was in his novice coaching time back then. "We went down to Omaha for the Stampede and beat Nebraska-Omaha the first night, then we beat Michigan 3-2. When I called home, my wife was more excited than I was. 'You beat MICHIGAN?' she said."

After upsetting North Dakota, Berenson stressed that North Dakota was the best team.

"No way we match up," he said. "But the best team doesn't always win."

Friday, Sandelin smiled and said, "Red's been around a long time. He knows what to say. They did what they had to do to win against North Dakota. And so did we against Notre Dame. I think they can play better, and hopefully, we can too. It should be a great game."

Thursday, April 7, 2011

North Dakota Topped by Michigan in Frozen Four Semifinals, 2-0

Sophomore Netminder Aaron Dell Turns Aside 18 Shots for Fighting Sioux

By John Gilbert, for WCHA.com

SAINT PAUL, MN – Michigan short-circuited the high-voltage offense of North Dakota's top-rated Fighting Sioux Thursday night, as goaltender Shawn Hunwick recorded a startling 2-0 shutout victory in the second semifinal of the NCAA tournament's Frozen Four.

It was a hollow ending for North Dakota, which finished 32-9-3, while Michigan, having prevented an all-WCHA final game, takes its 29-10-4 record to Saturday's 6:00 pm final to play Minnesota Duluth, a 4-3 winner over Notre Dame in the first semifinal. The two games drew a standing room crowd of 19,139 to Xcel Energy Center in Saint Paul, and while Michigan had a strong crowd of gold-clad fans, most of the crowd was in North Dakota green and was shocked to see the Fighting Sioux's 15-game unbeaten streak end in scoreless frustration.

"I didn't think it was going to end," said North Dakota coach Dave Hakstol. "I don't think anybody in our locker room considered the chance we'd lose. I'm proud of the standards our leaders set – it was not an option in any one person's mind that we'd lose. There was no frustration in our game. We laid it on the line till the end of the game."

The Sioux gave up a first period goal to Ben Winnett, who had scored only three goals all season. Then the Sioux increased the intensity of their attack through the second and third periods, outshooting Michigan 40-19, but they couldn't dent that 1-0 deficit. With :36 seconds remaining, Michigan's Scooter Vaughan hit an empty net to make the final score 2-0.

"The empty-net goal with :36 seconds left left us in a pretty big hole, but we never quit," said Hakstol. "We came in with our own expectations, but we knew there were four real good teams in this tournament."

Michigan coach Red Berenson, completing his 27th year at the helm, didn't try to suggest his team had outplayed North Dakota. "They're a better team," said Berenson. "No way we can match up. They are as good as it gets. But the best team doesn't always win. In one game, anything can happen."

Every coach finds it easier to motivate his players if they are perceived as the underdog in a big game. Michigan coach Red Berenson and his

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players found it easy to adopt that role when they came through an upset-filled West Regional, where top-ranked Boston College was upset by Colorado College, and Michigan had to beat Nebraska-Omaha with an overtime good-luck bounce that was overturned to become the winning goal, then also beat Colorado College in a 2-1 title game. That brought the Wolverines to the Frozen Four knowing they were facing No. 1 rated North Dakota. He smiled when asked if he had a plan for trying to make his team the underdog against UMD, in what will be an intriguing match up of underdogs.

Michigan won the CCHA title on the final day of the season, but has portrayed the underdogs well up to and including against the Fighting Sioux. But Berenson had his Wolverines ready to play his favored up-tempo, quick attacking game.

The Wolverines had to kill two early penalties, then forced the action for the rest of the first period, using their size and their quickness to counter North Dakota's best thrusts.

Michigan gained what looked like a tenuous 1-0 lead when Ben Winnett converted the rebound of a Jon Merrill shot off the right post, at 13:26 of the opening period. Merrill shot from the left point. The puck hit the post and rebounded to Winnett at the right of the goal. He quickly put it into the net before goaltender Aaron Dell could recover.

"Who'd have thought that the first goal would be decisive?" said Berenson. "They had won their regional by outscoring two teams 12-1."

A 1-0 deficit means little against a team that can score in bunches, the way the Sioux had in beating RPI 6-0 and Denver 6-1 to win the Midwest Regional. A Sioux comeback seemed a certainty in the second period, as the Fighting Sioux outshot Michigan 11-3 and dominated play. But goaltender Hunwick and the quick Wolverine defense kept the Sioux off the scoreboard, and kept their prime scoring chances to a minimum.

"They play a strong forechecking game," Berenson said. "We didn't want to play in our zone as much as we did. But they had us on our heels, and our goaltender had to make the saves. We played in our zone more tonight than we have all year."

So the 1-0 lead remained, and in the third period, as the minutes ticked away, the lead grew in prominence, by the shift. North Dakota prides itself on staying poised and cool, but Michigan was defending with increasing confidence against the gathering desperation of the Fighting Sioux.

Matt Frattin, North Dakota's Hobey Baker finalist and the WCHA scoring champion, walked in for a backhand try that led to a mad scramble at the crease midway through the third period. But the puck wouldn't go in for the Sioux.

Shift after shift, the WCHA regular season and playoff champion Sioux turned up the pressure, but not only did the Wolverines turn them back, they got some good counter-attacks. With four minutes remaining, Luke Moffatt broke free up the left side and zoomed in alone, only to be stopped by Dell.

The Sioux came on again, after Dell went to the bench for a sixth attacker, but the Wolverines stood fast. In the closing seconds, Carl Hagelin blocked a point shot with his foot, and fed to center ice, where Louie Caporusso moved the puck to his right to Vaughan, for the shot into the open net at 19:24.

"I'm usually pretty bad at open net shots," said Hagelin. "Besides, my foot hurt."

The Sioux tried one final time, and it was cruel irony that a hard shot by Frattin from the right side went wide left, circled the boards, and slid all the way out of the offensive zone, never to return. The Fighting Sioux had outshot the Wolverines 15-6 in the third period, 26-9 for the combined second and third periods, and 40-19 for the game. But Michigan won the game, and marches into the championship game.

Thursday, April 7, 2011

Minnesota Duluth Advances to Frozen Four Title Game with 4-3 Win Over Notre Dame Senior Forward Justin Fontaine and Freshman Defenseman Justin Faulk Each Post Three Assists for Bulldogs

By John Gilbert, for WCHA.com

SAINT PAUL, MN – Minnesota Duluth scored three power-play goals Thursday afternoon, and goaltender Kenny Reiter regained his touch in the third period to guide the Bulldogs to a 4-3 victory over Notre Dame and a berth in Saturday night's NCAA championship game.

The semifinal victory puts the Bulldogs (25-10-6) into their second NCAA title game. Their first was in 1984 at Lake Placid where they lost in triple overtime to Bowling Green.

"It's great to be in position to play for the championship – something that's never been done in our program," said Jack Connolly, whose second-period goal stood up as the game-winner. "Our power-play has huge for us all year, and fortunately we were able to come through on it tonight."

Notre Dame (25-14-5) gave UMD all it could handle, grabbing early leads of 1-0 and 2-1, then rallying from a 4-2 deficit by outshooting the Bulldogs 15-2 in a pressure-filled third period.

Freshman J.T. Brown, and juniors Mike Connolly and Jack Connolly scored power-play goals for UMD, and Kyle Schmidt got the lone equal-strength tally.

"Our power play has been great all year," said Fontaine, who had two assists in the opening period. Freshman defenseman Justin Faulk had three assists in the opening period, but Fontaine had to wait until the second period for his third.

UMD's penalty-killers held Notre Dame scoreless on five power-plays, limiting the Irish to only two shots on those five opportunities. But they did sting UMD's power-play for Calle Ridderwall's shorthanded goal early in the third period to close the gap to 4-3 and leave 18 dramatic minutes before the Bulldogs could claim the victory.

"Obviously, it was a game dictated by one thing – special teams," said Notre Dame coach Jeff Jackson. "They have an exceptional power-play, and we couldn't generate any offense on our power-play."

But the Fighting Irish generated plenty of offense at the outset, although at a point in the tournament where great goaltending usually makes the difference, this one started off as a nightmare for both Reiter and Notre Dame's Mike Johnson. UMD coach Scott Sandelin attributed it to nerves.

"If you don't have nerves in a game like this, you're not human," said Sandelin.

Notre Dame struck first, when Jack Costello gathered up the puck and rushed up the right side, blowing a shot from the top of the right circle past Reiter on the first shot of the game at 0:49. UMD countered promptly enough, as soon as it went on the power-play. Justin Fontaine kept the puck in at the left boards and fed Justin Faulk at center point. Faulk sent a neat pass to Brown in the left circle, and Brown either misfired on his shot or tried to pass to a teammate crossing in front of the goal. In any case, the off-speed shot went through Johnson's legs at 3:04 – on UMD's first shot of the game.

"It was a crazy start," said Jackson.

But it wasn't long before a few shots did hit the goaltenders, and then it was Notre Dame again, at 9:46, taking the lead when T.J. Tynan was wide to the right of the UMD goal and the rebound from Nick Larson's long shot came right to him. Despite almost no angle, Tynan shot and got the puck past Reiter for a 2-1 lead. But barely a minute later, the Bulldogs again countered.

Kyle Schmidt caught a hard, diagonal pass and rushed up the left side, veering toward the net and lifting his shot in, short side, at 10:52 for the 2-2 tie. At that point, neither goaltender could find any alibis for the game's four goals.

UMD got another power-play later in the first period and took its first

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lead at 13:31 when Faulk passed in from center point to Fontaine in the left circle. Fontaine immediately passed to the slot and Mike Connolly shot quickly inside the left post for the 3-2 lead, despite being outshot 15-11 by the Irish.

"It was amazing be able to play here, in front of my friends and family," said Faulk, who is from South St. Paul, Minn., and now has eight goals and 25 assists as the triggerman on the power-play.

"Our special teams had been one of our staples, but it's been disappointing this season," said Jackson. "We don't have a quarterback on the point like Faulk is."

The Bulldogs seemed to take command with a dominant second period, and their power play worked its magic again. This time Fontaine circled out to the top of the slot and passed in deep on the left side of the net to Brown, who quickly relayed a pass across the goal-mouth to where Jack Connolly one-timed a shot into the net before Johnson could cover. That goal came at 5:51, and the 4-2 margin grew in significance as the minutes passed.

When UMD got another power-play early in the third, it was a chance to put the game away. Instead, it was the Irish – skating six freshman forwards and three more on defense – who took advantage. Ridderwall broke up the right side on what looked innocent enough, but he cut toward the slot and fired a 40-foot missile that sailed past Reuter and cut the lead to 4-3.

The Irish, responding to coach Jackson's strong words in the second intermission, dominated the third period, and UMD had trouble getting out of its end, and seemed to be committing the ultimate no-no of trying to sit on a one-goal lead.

"They outshot us and outhustled us in the third period,:" said Faulk. "But we got the puck out of our end when we needed to."

At the end, Jackson pulled Johnson for six attackers, but Reiter had found his rhythm and stopped everything, while his scrambling defense held on to the final buzzer.

"We weathered the storm at the end," said Sandelin. "When our backs are to the wall, we battle back. Sometimes I think we're better when our backs are to the wall."

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Genoway, Frattin Lead Fighting Sioux "Magnificent Seven"

By John Gilbert, for WCHA.com

SAINT PAUL, MN – The "Magnificent Seven," they call North Dakota's seven splendid seniors, but it hasn't been all easy going for them to lead the Fighting Sioux to the WCHA title, the WCHA playoff title, and the Midwest Regional NCAA title, to reach their climactic spot in the NCAA Frozen Four at Xcel Energy Center in Saint Paul.

North Dakota faces traditional power Michigan in Thursday's 7:30 pm second semifinal, after Minnesota Duluth takes on Notre Dame at 4 pm.

Those seven North Dakota seniors include the "Pony Express" first line of Evan Trupp, Brad Malone and Matt Frattin, plus forwards Jake Marto and Brent Davidson, and defensemen Chay Genoway and Derrick LaPoint. Such catchy nicknames will help the Fighting Sioux remember their special season. The first line's nickname was a natural, because Malone came in with the nickname of Pony, and when the top line took off with such great success, sports information director Jayson Hajdu took immediate action.

The seven seniors have provided great leadership, adopting coach Dave Hakstol's always-calm demeanor without emotional peaks or valleys, and the trickle-down effect has unified the whole team. But it couldn't have all happened without a couple of quite remarkable comebacks, by Genoway and Frattin over the last two years. Both are standouts, and their return to full potential has been enough to send the entire team's

inspiration level to overload.

Genoway, 5-foot-9 speedster from Morden, Manitoba, was projected to be the WCHA's best player last season, and he was, until he suffered an early-season concussion. Fans, and the Fighting Sioux, eagerly awaited his return, but after-effects of the concussion lingered. The headaches wouldn't go away. His life changed, and he missed the entire rest of his senior season. He was granted a medical redshirt season with the opportunity to come back and use a fifth year as a repeat senior.

"When I got hit, I never lost consciousness," said Genoway. "But the headaches wouldn't go away. I couldn't do anything. I couldn't go to class. I couldn't take my fall quarter exams. Luckily, my professors let me take my fall quarter exams in the spring, when I felt slightly better."

"For seven months, I did nothing. The biggest thing for me was that whenever I had any injury, I always worked harder and harder to get better. With this, I couldn't work at all. To recover from the concussion problem, the less I did, the better I was. It stressed me out. I couldn't work out until May, and I didn't skate until last July."

Technically, the Sioux would have had six seniors this season, but Genoway's return not only made for a better nickname, his presence obviously made the team better. Although it took a while.

"When I came back last fall to start playing, I was pretty rusty," Genoway said. "The game was pretty quick for me."

Superior players, such as Genoway, anticipate game action so swiftly that they find the game seems to unfold slowly for them, which makes it easier to play well. But in the fall, Genoway instead found himself trying to get up to game speed. He improved steadily, though, and by midseason was nearing full tempo. A couple of other injuries along the way slowed him only slightly, and the way he played down the stretch, and through the league and NCAA playoffs, it is obvious he is now as dominant as ever.

"At the start of the season, I had to try to find my rhythm, and things were happening pretty quickly out there," Genoway said. "No question, as the season has gone along, the game started to slow down for me," Genoway said.

"I obviously have no regrets coming back for my senior year. It was a tough year for me last year, and the chance to come back and do it over again was pretty special," Genoway said. "And for the six seniors to take me in as part of their class has been a pretty cool thing. They are a group of six guys that are pretty tight-knit."

Hakstol said that his team's success starts "with great people in the locker room, with an understanding of where we want to get to, and a firm grasp of the steps you have to take to get to that goal. That's where everything starts with Chay. We have a very strong character senior class, and it trickles on down through our whole team. Chay's play speaks for itself. It's just great to have good people that you have the opportunity to come to work with every day."

Frattin's circumstances with the Sioux were entirely different. The Sioux players might be the closest thing to a family imaginable, but last season Frattin was dismissed from the team after a couple of off-ice incidents. Because he already was in a probationary situation, he was dismissed from the team and his scholarship pulled. Frattin went home to Edmonton, and thought a lot about his circumstances. His teammates suspected he might sign with Toronto, which had drafted him, and that might have been the easy way out.

But Frattin already found that Grand Forks was his second home, and he worked hard to get into top condition, and returned to school to try to straighten out his record. Hakstol allowed him to rejoin the team for the second semester last season. He has been more than a straight influence on his teammates, his individual play has been spectacular. On a good team with great balance, Frattin rose to the top in scoring, and won the WCHA scoring title.

Frattin was among the Top 10 Hobey Baker Memorial Award finalists, and on Wednesday he was named one of the final three candidates for the award, which will be presented Friday. Some suggested that his previous problems might preclude him from the award, which calls for outstanding character as well as performance, but others point to the

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uniqueness of being down and apparently out, then lifting himself back up personally and into the team's good graces, and then to the pinnacle of college hockey. His teammates are quick to sing his praises.

"I don't know if I'd thought Matt Frattin would have 36 goals," said Genoway, when asked about the turnabout. "But we knew what he was capable of as a freshman. When he had his back against the wall, and what he went through as a guy, he really elevated his game from there. It's a pretty neat story. It's not really a surprise that he's come back, but just to see how much he's elevated his game since he came back last Christmas."

After running the Sioux through practice at Xcel Center Wednesday afternoon, someone at a press conference asked Hakstol if Frattin has required any special attention or guidance this season. "Matt Frattin has handled everything extremely well himself," said Hakstol. "He is one of the most honest people I know. He's very comfortable with where he's at, and it helps that he's got 26 great teammates."

There's that family thing again. To a man, the seven seniors all say they are approaching the Michigan game as they would any other, fully respectful of the Wolverines, but also determined to play their game. So focused on their objective are the Sioux, it is doubtful that any of the Magnificent Seven have paused to realize that by Sunday, they will have played their final game for North Dakota. It will be challenging, but it would surprise no one if they reach that point by hoisting the NCAA national championship trophy.

University of North Dakota Fighting Sioux



WCHA Regular Season, WCHA Playoff, NCAA Midwest Regional Champions

Front Row (left to right): Aaron Dell, Brett Hextall, Evan Trupp, Brad Malone, Derrick LaPoint, Chay Genoway, Jake Marto, Brent Davidson, Matt Frattin, Jason Gregoire, Brad Eidsness. Middle Row (left to right): Derek Forbort, Ben Blood, Team Physician Dr. Greg Greek, Media Relations Director Jayson Hajdu, Athletic Trainer/Strength Coach Mark Poolman, Assistant Video Coordinator Pierre-Paul Lamoureux, Assistant Coach Dane Jackson, Head Coach Dave Hakstol, Associate Head Coach Cary Eades, Volunteer Coach Karl Goehring, Director of Hockey Operations Pat Swanson, Equipment Manager Andy Rannells, Statistics Coordinator Scott Koberinski, Brock Nelson, Ryan Hill. Back Row (left to right): Mario Lamoureux, Danny Kristo, Corban Knight, Carter Rowney, Andrew MacWilliam, Derek Rodwell, Dillon Simpson, Brett Bruneteau, Mike Cichy, Joe Gleason, Tate Maris. Not pictured: Taylor Dickin.

North Dakota • 2011 WCHA/MacNaughton Cup Champions



Final 2010-11 NCAA Div. 1 Men's National Polls

USA Today/USA Hockey Magazine Men's Div. 1 College Hockey Poll – #26 (April 11, 2011)

Rk	Team, Points (1sts)	Record	Last Wk	Wks in Poll
1	Minnesota Duluth , 510 (34)	26-10-6	3	26
2	Michigan, 459	29-11-4	2	26
3	North Dakota , 449	32-9-3	1	26
4	Notre Dame, 395	25-14-5	4	23
5	Boston College, 363	30-8-1	5	26
6	Yale, 314	28-7-1	6	26
7	Denver , 306	25-12-5	7	26
8	Miami, 268	23-10-6	8	26
9	New Hampshire, 246	22-11-6	9	26
10	Merrimack College, 204	25-10-4	10	13
11	Colorado College , 182	23-19-3	11	4
12	Union College, 146	26-10-4	12	23
13	Western Michigan, 122	19-13-10	13	6
14	Nebraska Omaha , 82	21-16-2	14	23
15	Rensselaer, 16	20-13-5	15	16

others receiving votes: Dartmouth College, 10; Boston University, 4; Rochester Institute of Technology, 2; Air Force Academy, 2.

USCHO.com Division 1 Men's Ice Hockey Poll • Final

Minneapolis, Minn./April 11, 2011

Rk	Team (First Place)	Record	Pts	Last Week
1	Minnesota Duluth (48)	26-10-6	996	11
2	North Dakota (2)	32- 9-3	927	1
3	Michigan	29-11-4	926	6
4	Notre Dame	25-14-5	827	9
5	Boston College	30- 8-1	742	2
6	Yale	28- 7-1	725	3
7	Denver	25-12-5	679	5
8	Miami	23-10-6	647	4
9	New Hampshire	22-11-6	571	12
10	Merrimack	25-10-4	544	7
11	Colorado College	23-19-3	512	13
12	Union	26-10-4	505	8
13	Western Michigan	19-13-10	435	10
14	Nebraska Omaha	21-16-2	373	14
15	Dartmouth	19-12-3	231	15
16	Rensselaer	20-13-5	223	16
17	Boston University	19-12-8	183	17
18	Air Force	20-12-6	154	20
19	Maine	17-12-7	135	18
20	Cornell	16-15-3	51	19

others receiving votes: **Wisconsin** 44, **Minnesota** 29, **Alaska Anchorage** 12, **Bemidji State** 7, RIT 7, Northeastern 4, Princeton 4, **St. Cloud State** 4, Ferris State 3.

Home/Away/Neutral Records, by Team

Team	Home	Away	Neutral
Alaska Anchorage	9-5-3	7-10-0	0-3-0
Bemidji State	5-8-3	7-9-2	3-1-0
Colorado College	12-8-2	7-8-1	4-3-0
Denver	16-4-2	7-6-3	2-2-0
Michigan Tech	1-12-4	3-16-0	0-2-0
Minnesota	9-10-3	7-4-3	0-0-0
Minnesota Duluth	12-5-2	10-4-4	2-1-0
Minnesota State	7-8-3	5-10-3	2-0-0
Nebraska Omaha	13-6-1	8-9-1	0-1-0
North Dakota	15-4-1	12-4-2	5-0-0
St. Cloud State	6-8-4	6-9-1	3-1-0
Wisconsin	14-6-2	6-9-2	1-1-0

April 8, 2011

Minnesota Duluth Senior Forward Kyle Schmidt Named Recipient of Derek Hines Unsung Hero Award

SAINT PAUL, MN – The Hockey Commissioners' Association (HCA) today announced that University of Minnesota Duluth senior forward Kyle Schmidt is the recipient of the fifth annual Derek Hines Unsung Hero Award.

The award was established by the HCA in honor of former Army player Derek Hines, who was a "consummate team player and team builder." Hines played at Army from 1999-2003 and was a four-year letterwinner as well as a co-captain his senior season. He was killed in the line of duty in Afghanistan in September 2006.

"Although I never knew Derek or ever saw him compete, he sounds like the kind of player I have always strived to be," Schmidt said. "It is a tremendous privilege for me to be selected for an award named in his honor. Over the past four years, I have been blessed in so many ways while being part of one of the best hockey programs in the country. Receiving the Derek Hines Award certainly is at the top of that list of blessings."

The senior forward is enjoying his most productive season as a Bulldog in 2010-11. He has established career highs for assists (11), power-play goals (three) and total points (20), despite being sidelined seven games around midseason, while nursing an injured hand. Schmidt also netted the game-winning goal in the Bulldogs' opening game of the NCAA Tournament, paving the way for UMD to earn a spot in the 2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four after knocking off top-seeded Yale to capture the East Regional.

"Kyle's been a great representative of our program both off and on the ice," UMD head coach Scott Sandelin said. "To me, he's the consummate student-athlete, someone who has an undeniable commitment to hockey, academics and the community. I have enjoyed working with Kyle during his time at UMD and am thrilled to see him being recognized with this award."

Schmidt, a statistics and actuarial science major, owns a 3.70 overall GPA and is one of only two Bulldogs to be a three-time WCHA Scholar-Athlete Award winner. He has qualified for the School of Science and Engineering dean's list three times and has earned a spot on the UMD Athletic Academic Support Center Scholar List for maintaining the highest cumulative grade-point average of any Bulldog as both a freshman and sophomore. Schmidt has also made the WCHA All-Academic Team on three occasions, and has been a member of the UMD Actuary Club and a tutor at the UMD Tutoring Center since arriving on campus.

The 5-foot-10, 175-pound forward has been heavily involved in the community around the UMD campus. Schmidt has committed his time to volunteering at youth hockey practices and reading to youngsters at local elementary schools. The Hermantown, Minn., native has also volunteered at various American Cancer Association events during his

time at Minnesota Duluth. A graduate of Hermantown High School, Schmidt returned to his alma mater to be a guest speaker in the high school hockey banquet this season.

For his efforts in the community and on the ice, Schmidt was selected by fans in an online voting contest as the winner of the Stauber Brothers Minnesota Duluth Fan Favorite Award this season. The first three recipients of the award went on to play in the National Hockey League, while last year's winner, Jack Connolly, is an All-American.

Each of the five NCAA Division I hockey conferences submitted a nominee for the award that goes to the student-athlete who personifies Hines' spirit and relentless commitment. The winner was chosen by sports information directors from the five conferences.

Derek Hines Award Winners

2010-11: Kyle Schmidt, Minnesota Duluth

2009-10: Jordan Pietrus, Brown

2008-09: Mike Phillipich, Air Force Academy

2007-08: Chase Podsiad, Army

2006-07: Dan Shribman, Dartmouth College

April 8, 2011

Seven WCHA Players Recognized as 'Old Time Hockey' All-Americans; Four are First Teamers North Dakota Represented by Three Players, Minnesota Duluth, Wisconsin Each Place Two on All-American Squads

SAINT PAUL, MN – Fourteen different NCAA Division 1 hockey-playing schools can celebrate players honored as Old Time Hockey All-Americans for the 2010-11 season. The nation's top 24 college hockey players were announced tonight at the NCAA Men's Division I Frozen Four in Saint Paul, with the WCHA having seven student-athletes named including four First Team selections.

Named to the All-American First Team from the WCHA were North Dakota senior defenseman Chay Genoway, Wisconsin sophomore defenseman Justin Schultz, Minnesota Duluth junior forward Jack Connolly, and North Dakota senior forward Matt Frattin. Named to the All-American Second Team from the WCHA were North Dakota sophomore goaltender, Wisconsin junior defenseman Jake Gardiner, and Minnesota Duluth junior forward Mike Connolly.

Leading the way team-wise were North Dakota and Boston College, each with two First Team selections and a Second Team honoree.

Noteworthy this year ...

- Only one player was a repeat First Team choice: Rensselaer senior forward Chase Polacek. New Hampshire junior defenseman Blake Kessel and Minnesota Duluth junior forward Jack Connolly moved up to First Team after making Second Team in 2010. Maine junior forward Gustav Nyquist dropped down to Second Team after First Team honors last year.

- There are 14 players from the United States seven from Canada, two from Sweden and one from France.

- Half of the honorees are seniors. Of the other 12, six are juniors and six are sophomores.

- The U.S. honorees are from nine states and four Canadian provinces. The largest sources are Alberta (4), Michigan (3) and Minnesota (3).

- Nineteen players participated in the NCAA Tournament. Six of them advanced to the "Frozen Four."

- The honorees include all ten finalists for the 2010 Hobey Baker Memorial Award.

The AHCA/Old Time Hockey All-American Ice Hockey Teams are sponsored by Old Time Hockey, an international leader in hockey-themed apparel, and chosen by members of the American Hockey Coaches Association.

2010-11 Men's Division 1 All-American Teams

West All-American First Team

G: Pat Nagle, Sr., Ferris State (Bloomfield, MI)
D: Chay Genoway, Sr., North Dakota (Morden, MB)
D: Justin Schultz, So., Wisconsin (West Kelowna, BC)
F: Jack Connolly, Jr., Minnesota-Duluth# (Duluth, MN)
F: Matt Frattin, Sr., North Dakota (Edmonton, AB)
F: Andy Miele, Sr., Miami University (Grosse Pointe Woods, MI)

West All-American Second Team

G: Aaron Dell, So., North Dakota (Airdrie, AB)
D: Jake Gardiner, Jr., Wisconsin (Minnetonka, MN)
D: Zach Redmond, Sr., Ferris State (Traverse City, MI)
F: Carter Camper, Sr., Miami University (Rocky River, OH)
F: Mike Connolly, Jr., Minnesota-Duluth (Calgary, AB)
F: Carl Hagelin, Sr., Michigan (Sodertalje, Sweden)

East All-American First Team Team

G: Keith Kinkaid, So., Union College (Farmingville, NY)
D: Brian Dumoulin, So., Boston College (Biddeford, ME)
D: Blake Kessel, Jr., New Hampshire# (Verona, WI)
F: Cam Atkinson, Jr., Boston College (Greenwich, CT)
F: Chase Polacek, Sr., Rensselaer * (Edina, MN)
F: Paul Thompson, Sr., New Hampshire (Derry, NH)

East All-American Second Team

G: John Muse, Sr., Boston College (East Falmouth, MA)
D: Nick Bailen, So., Rensselaer (Fredonia, NY)
D: Taylor Fedun, Sr., Princeton (Edmonton, AB)
F: Stephane Da Costa, So., Merrimack College (Paris, France)
F: Gustav Nyquist, Jr., Maine* (Malmo, Sweden)
F: Paul Zanette, Sr., Niagara (Nobleton, ON)

* First Team in in 2009-10; # Second Team in 2009-10

April 6, 2011

WCHA Unveils All-New Player Pages at WCHA.com Exciting New Feature Continues Evolution of League's New Web Site

MADISON, Wis. – The Western Collegiate Hockey Association is pleased to announce the launch of unique individual member team player pages at the league's all-new official web site - WCHA.com. The WCHA teamed up with SportDesigns.com last summer to begin the transformation of the league's home on the web, which was unveiled at the start of the 2010-11 campaign.

The individual player pages feature biographical information, photos and statistics of each student-athlete playing in the WCHA. The men's player pages were launched this week in conjunction with the 2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four, being held April 7-9 at Xcel Energy Center in Saint Paul, Minn. North Dakota and Minnesota Duluth are representing the WCHA against CCHA-members Michigan and Notre Dame. Individual player pages for the women's league will also be unveiled soon.

"This is another exciting advancement for the Association as our all-new WCHA.com continues to evolve," said Commissioner Bruce M. McLeod.

"These player pages provide another great resource of information to the media and public and will also give each of our member team student-athletes their own unique page at WCHA.com. Combined with the launch earlier this season of the mobile WCHA.com platform, the mobile league and national scoreboards with live scores and statistics, and an all-new on-line store at TheWCHAShop.com, the all-new WCHA.com has been a tremendous boost for us."

To visit the individual player pages, go to WCHA.com, then click on the listings for 'WCHA Team Pages'. From there, go to the respective team

roster and then click on each player's name within that roster.

Player names on roster pages and all statistic pages now link to individual stat pages and player names in game stories, box scores and future press releases also link to the player pages.

March 30, 2011

North Dakota's Matt Frattin Part of this Season's 'Hobey Hat Trick'

WCHA Player of the Year One of Three Finalists for 2011 Hobey Baker Memorial Award

(release courtesy of Hobey Baker Award Foundation)

The Hobey Baker Memorial Award Foundation on Wednesday (March 30) announced the three Hobey Hat Trick finalists for the 2011 Hobey Baker Memorial Award, honoring college hockey's top player. Alphabetically, they are: Cam Atkinson, a junior forward from Boston College; Matt Frattin, a senior forward from the University of North Dakota; and Andy Miele, a senior forward from Miami University.

The three finalists were selected from the initial list of Top Ten candidates by the 23-member Selection Committee and an additional round of online fan balloting to determine this year's Hobey Baker winner. Criteria for the award includes: strength of character on and off the ice, displaying outstanding skills in all phases of the game, sportsmanship and scholastic achievements.

This year's Hobey Baker Award winner will be announced Friday, April 8, 2011 from the Xcel Energy Center in Saint Paul, Minn., during the NCAA Frozen Four. The 31st annual announcement will be aired live on ESPN at 6:00 pm CT.

Here is more on this year's three finalists:

Cam Atkinson – Boston College, Jr., Forward (Greenwich, CT)
The Boston College Eagles have been flying high the past four seasons and this year was no different. The defending national champs won the Hockey East regular season title and the playoff championship and were led in scoring for the second straight year by Cam Atkinson. Named a First Team all-star in Hockey East, Cam finished second in conference scoring with 38 points in 27 games and led the circuit with 24 goals. Overall, Atkinson posted 31 goals and 21 assists for 52 points in 39 games and had 16 multiple point contests. He ranks second in the nation in goals and has tallied 61 in the past two seasons. The Communications major recently signed a pro contract with the Columbus Blue Jackets. He has been active in the community volunteering with youth hockey, hospital visits and several projects with elementary schools.

Matt Frattin – University of North Dakota, Sr., Forward (Edmonton, AB)
Sometimes you need a second chance in life. Suspended by his team for the first half of last season, Matt Frattin earned an opportunity to rejoin the squad for the second half, then passed up pro hockey to return for his senior season. And what a year. Named the WCHA Player of the Year and a First Team all-star, Frattin helped North Dakota to a number one national ranking plus the WCHA regular season and playoff titles and a berth in next week's NCAA Frozen Four championship. He led the conference in scoring bagging 22 goals and 40 points in 28 league games. Entering the Frozen Four, his 36 goals and 24 assists for 60 points, places him first in the nation in goals by a lofty five-goal margin and second in points. The prototypical power forward is a Recreation and Tourism Studies major and two-time All Academic student-athlete. He has been active with a Grand Forks, ND Rescue Mission, the Grand Forks Parks District and with the Sioux Kids Club. He is a draft pick of the Toronto Maple Leafs.

Andy Miele – Miami University, Sr., Forward (Grosse Pointe Woods, MI)
Despite all the great scorers in college hockey this season, no one could keep pace with Andy Miele. He not only tops the nation with 71 points in 39 games, but has a 11-point cushion over second place Matt Frattin. He won the CCHA conference scoring title with 16 goals and 40 assists for 56 points in 28 games, the most points in 19 years in conference play. His 40 assists were more than the second place player had points, a first in league history. His sensational scoring stats and smart playmaking

abilities led him to CCHA Player of the Year honors and a First Team all-star berth. Overall, Miele has 24 goals and 47 assists for 71 points and had 22 multiple point games. His 47 assists also top the nation. The assistant captain for the RedHawks is an American Studies major with a Coaching minor. He is active in the community helping build a house for Habitat for Humanity, a volunteer with a Children's Home and visits to a retirement home and local elementary schools. He is a pro hockey free agent. Visit www.hobeybakeraward.com for more information on the Hobey Baker Memorial Award or to access the Hobey logo.

March 29, 2011

UNO's Dean Blais, UND's Dave Hakstol, UMD's Scott Sandelin Named as Finalists for 2011 Spencer Penrose Award

Presented Annually to AHCA Men's Div. 1 Coach of the Year

Eight coaches who have enjoyed on-ice success in 2010-11 – including Nebraska Omaha's Dean Blais, North Dakota's Dave Hakstol and Minnesota Duluth's Scott Sandelin – have been named finalists for the Spencer Penrose Award, given annually to the NCAA Division I Men's Ice Hockey Coach of the Year.

Blais was earlier named this season's WCHA Coach of the Year after guiding the first-year league-member Mavericks to a third place regular season finish. Hakstol has led the Sioux to the WCHA regular season and playoff titles as well as the NCAA Midwest Regional title and into the Frozen Four while Sandelin guided the Bulldogs to the NCAA East Regional crown and also a berth in the Frozen Four.

The nominees represent any coach who won or shared Coach of the Year honors in his conference this past season, along with coaches whose teams have advanced to the NCAA Division I Men's Ice Hockey semifinals.

Of this season's finalists, five were past recipients.

The Spencer Penrose Award is named in memory of the Colorado Springs benefactor who built the Broadmoor Hotel Complex, site of the first ten NCAA championship hockey tournaments. It will be presented at the AHCA Coach of the Year Banquet in Naples, Fla., on Saturday evening, April 30. The winner will be announced following the NCAA Division I Men's Ice Hockey Championship April 7 and 9 in St. Paul, Minn.

2010-11 AHCA Men's Ice Hockey Spencer Penrose Award (Div. 1 Coach of the Year) Finalists

Red Berenson, Michigan • NCAA Frozen Four*
Dean Blais, Nebraska Omaha • WCHA Coach of the Year*
Dave Hakstol, North Dakota • NCAA Frozen Four
Jeff Jackson, Notre Dame • CCHA Coach of the Year, NCAA Frozen Four*
Nate Leaman, Union College • ECAC Coach of the Year
Paul Pearl, Holy Cross • AHA Coach of the Year
Scott Sandelin, Minnesota-Duluth • NCAA Semifinalist*
Jerry York, Boston College • HEA Coach of the Year*
* past Spencer Penrose Award winner

Spencer Penrose Award • Div. 1 Coach of the Year Winners

Year	Name, Team
1951	Edward Jeremiah, Dartmouth
1952	Cheddy Thompson, Colorado College
1953	John Mariucci, Minnesota
1954	Vic Heyliger, Michigan
1955	Ralph 'Cooney' Weiland, Harvard
1956	William Harrison, Clarkson
1957	Jack Riley, Army
1958	Harry Cleverly, Boston University
1959	John 'Snooks' Kelley, Boston College
1960	Jack Riley, Army
1961	Murray Armstrong, Denver
1962	Jack Kelley, Colby
1963	Tony Frasca, Colorado College
1964	Tom Eccleston, Providence
1965	Jim Fullerton, Brown
1966	Amo Bessone, Michigan State
1967	Edward Jeremiah, Dartmouth
1968	Ned Harkness, Cornell
1969	Charlie Holt, New Hampshire
1970	John MacInnes, Michigan Tech
1971	Ralph 'Cooney' Weiland, Harvard
1972	John 'Snooks' Kelley, Boston College
1973	Len Ceglarski, Boston College
1974	Charlie Holt, New Hampshire
1975	Jack Parker, Boston University
1976	John MacInnes, Michigan Tech
1977	Jerry York, Clarkson
1978	Jack Parker, Boston University
1979	Charlie Holt, New Hampshire
1980	Rick Comley, Northern Michigan
1981	Bill O'Flaherty, Clarkson
1982	Ferny Flaman, Northeastern
1983	Bill Cleary, Harvard
1984	Mike Sertich, Minnesota-Duluth
1985	Len Ceglarski, Boston College
1986	Ralph Backstrom, Denver
1987	John 'Gino' Gasparini, North Dakota
1988	Frank Anzalone, Lake Superior State
1989	Joe Marsh, St. Lawrence
1990	Terry Slater, Colgate
1991	Rick Comley, Northern Michigan
1992	Ron Mason, Michigan State
1993	George Gwozdecky, Miami
1994	Don Lucia, Colorado College
1995	Shawn Walsh, Maine
1996	Bruce Crowder, UMass-Lowell
1997	Dean Blais, North Dakota
1998	Tim Taylor, Yale
1999	Richard Umile, New Hampshire
2000	Joe Marsh, St. Lawrence
2001	Dean Blais, North Dakota
2002	Tim Whitehead, Maine
2003	Bob Daniels, Ferris State
2004	Scott Sandelin, Minnesota Duluth
2005	George Gwozdecky, Denver
2006	Enrico Blasi, Miami
2007	Jeff Jackson, Notre Dame
2008	Red Berenson, Michigan
2009	Jack Parker, Boston University
2010	Wayne Wilson, RIT

March 21, 2011/For Immediate Release

WCHA Issues Statement Regarding Today's Announcement from Big Ten Conference

MADISON, Wis. – The Western Collegiate Hockey Association today (March 21, 2011) issued the following statement from Commissioner Bruce M. McLeod following an announcement from the Big Ten conference that they intend to form a men's ice hockey league beginning with the 2013-14 season.

"Today's announcement from the Big Ten conference has been anticipated for some time now," said Commissioner McLeod, "and this will obviously have an impact on the WCHA. But change creates opportunity, too. The timeline of this Association spans seven decades and has included expansion and contraction on numerous occasions, but the success of this organization has remained constant. The commitment to excellence by our member institutions will not waver and working together we will push forward to assure our future remains bright."

Earlier today, the directors of athletics of Big Ten-member institutions that sponsor men's ice hockey announced their intention to recommend to the Big Ten Council of Presidents/Chancellors in June the establishment of men's ice hockey as an official conference sport for the 2013-14 academic year with participation by Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota, Ohio State, Penn State and Wisconsin.

Minnesota was an original founding member of the WCHA, together forming the seven-member Midwest Collegiate Hockey League (MCHL) for the 1951-52 season with Colorado College, University of Denver, University of Michigan, Michigan State University, Michigan Technological University and University of North Dakota. The MCHL then evolved into the Western Intercollegiate Hockey League (WIHL) for the 1953-54 season and then was renamed the Western Collegiate Hockey Association for the 1959-60 season. Wisconsin was granted admission into the WCHA beginning with the 1969-70 campaign.

For the 1965-66 season, the WCHA added the University of Minnesota Duluth as an eighth member team. Wisconsin came on board for the 1969-70 season, followed by the addition of University of Notre Dame for 1971-72. Michigan, Michigan State, Michigan Tech and Notre Dame then left the WCHA following the 1980-81 season to join the CCHA, reducing the WCHA to six teams from 1981-84. For 1984-85, Michigan Tech returned to the WCHA and together with newly-admitted member Northern Michigan University, brought league membership back to eight teams. The WCHA then admitted St. Cloud State University as a ninth member for the 1990-91 season, followed by the University of Alaska Anchorage as a 10th member for the 1993-94 season. Northern Michigan then left the WCHA again following the 1996-97 season to rejoin the CCHA. The WCHA then expanded again for the 1999-2000 season with the admittance of Minnesota State University, Mankato as a 10th member. Then beginning with this 2010-11 season, Bemidji State University and University of Nebraska Omaha joined the WCHA to bring membership to 12 teams.

2011 WCHA Tournament Results

First Round Playoffs • Best-of-Three

Results of Friday, March 11: #8 Alaska Anchorage 4 at #5 Minnesota 3 (NC); #9 St. Cloud State 2 at #4 Minnesota Duluth 4 (NC); #7 Wisconsin 3 at #6 Colorado College 1 (NC); #10 Bemidji State 4 at #3 Nebraska-Omaha 2 (NC); #11 Minnesota State 2 at #2 Denver 4 (NC); #12 Michigan Tech 0 at #1 North Dakota 8 (NC).

Results of Saturday, March 12: #7 Wisconsin 3 at #6 Colorado College 4 ot (NC); #8 Alaska Anchorage 2 at #5 Minnesota 0 (NC) (UAA wins series 2-0); #9 St. Cloud State 2 at #4 Minnesota Duluth 3 (3 ot) (NC) (UMD wins series 2-0); #10 Bemidji State 3 at #3 Nebraska-Omaha 2 (NC) (BSU wins series 2-0); #11 Minnesota State 2 at #2 Denver 3 ot (NC) (DU wins series 2-0); #12 Michigan Tech 1 at #1 North Dakota 3 (NC) (UND wins series 2-0).

Results of Sunday, March 13: #7 Wisconsin 1 at #6 Colorado College 2 (NC) (CC wins series 2-1).

Red Baron WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, Saint Paul

Results of Thursday, March 17: (6) Bemidji State 3 vs (3) Minnesota Duluth 2 ot; (5) Alaska Anchorage 2 vs (4) Colorado College 4.

Results of Friday, March 18: Semifinal: Bemidji State 2 vs (2) Denver 6. Semifinal: Colorado College 3 vs (1) North Dakota 4.

Results of Saturday, March 19: Broadmoor Trophy Championship Game: Denver 2 vs North Dakota 3 (2 ot).

March 20, 2011

2011 Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five Another Qualified Success Story

Playoff Championship at Xcel Energy Center in Saint Paul Televised Live on FOX Sports North; 14,443 Per Game Average Attendance Tops Previous Season

The 2011 Red Baron WCHA Final Five, held March 17-19 at Xcel Energy Center in St. Paul, Minn., was another qualified success story.

With a new format that featured six teams competing over five games for the Broadmoor Trophy and the league's automatic berth into the national tournament, and also included NHL game featuring the Minnesota Wild vs the Columbus Blue Jackets and Microsoft Store WCHA Fan Fest on Saturday afternoon, the 2011 Red Baron WCHA Final Five will surely take its place in a long line of post-season successes.

WCHA regular season and MacNaughton Cup champion North Dakota successfully defended their Broadmoor Trophy crown, with the Sioux being joined by Denver, Minnesota Duluth, Colorado College, Alaska Anchorage and first-year men's league member Bemidji State for the Final Five. The Tigers made their first appearance at the Final Five since 2008 while the Seawolves qualified for the championship for the first time since 2004.

The 2011 Red Baron WCHA Final Five was again televised by FOX Sports North, with FOX Sports North, Minnesota Wild Broadcasting, Xcel Energy Center and the WCHA having now teamed up to televise every Final Five since 2000.

The Final Five was also audiocast live over the internet for the seventh consecutive season, with the league and WCHA.com teaming up with the Minnesota Sports Broadcast Network to give the tournament ever-expanded coverage.

And despite the fact that three of the competing teams had to fly to the tournament from the Mountain (Colorado College and Denver) and Alaska (Alaska Anchorage) time zones, the Final Five drew an average attendance of 14,443 per game to top last season's (2010) average of 14,307. Led by an amazing showing by those supporting North Dakota, the four-gate (one session Thursday, two on Friday and one on Saturday)

event drew a total of 57,773 fans, with the Broadmoor Trophy championship game between the Sioux and the Pioneers drawing 16,731.

March 19, 2011

Frattin Strikes Again, Fighting Sioux Tip Denver 3-2 in 2nd OT to Capture Red Baron WCHA Final Five Title, Broadmoor Trophy

by John Gilbert, for WCHA.com

SAINT PAUL, Minn. – For the second straight night, North Dakota had to turn to scoring champion and Hobey Baker finalist Matt Frattin for the game-winning goal, but this time he made 16,731 fans at Xcel Energy Center wait until the second overtime before scoring to boost the Fighting Sioux to a 3-2 victory over Denver in the WCHA Final Five championship game.

Frattin, who scored the winner with 5:40 remaining in North Dakota's 4-3 semifinal victory over Colorado College, was the recipient of a collaboration with two of his fellow-seniors at 5:11 of the second sudden-death overtime session. Frattin's quick work with a rebound brought him his 35th goal of the season and brought North Dakota the Broadmoor Cup. It also sends them flying into the NCAA tournament with a 29-8-3 record.

The three seniors who worked on the game-winning play are part of the "Magnificent Seven" Sioux seniors. Evan Trupp, summoning a burst of energy while players on both teams seemed to be running down from exhaustion, sped up the right side, and when he was checked away from the net, Trupp curled to the right corner and passed back to the right point. Chay Genoway cut loose from there with a big shot that Denver goaltender Sam Brittain blocked, but the rebound went to the left of the goal, where Frattin one-timed it before Brittain could react.

"I don't know where Trupp got the energy," said Frattin. "He's the Energizer Bunny. He gets his legs going and lifts the whole team. Then Chay got a good shot, and the rebound came right to me. Scoring this goal was right on top. The way they were playing, I didn't think it was going to end anytime soon."

It was Frattin's seventh game-winning goal of the season, prompting coach Dave Hakstol to explain things in the post-game press conference. "We have a rule on this team," deadpanned Hakstol, "that if you enter the offensive zone with the puck, and Frattin is on the ice, you have to give it to him."

More seriously, Hakstol said: "We started with a quest to win the Broadmoor Cup, and we had to win four games to do it. Tonight, Denver had the better opportunities for 60 minutes, and the first few minutes of overtime, but we got a little rhythm in the second half of the first overtime, and it carried over to the second overtime. The bottom line is, we got a bounce, and it happened to land on the right guy's stick."

Denver, the season runner-up to the Sioux, is also assured of an NCAA berth with a 24-11-5 mark, and played a strong game to outshoot the Sioux 42-36 and force the overtime when Anthony Maiani came up with the equalizer with 2:13 left in the third period.

"We found ways to win our last four games," said Denver coach George Gwozdecky. "We lost tonight, but to if we can play the league champion in a game like this, it's a great thrill, a privilege, and an honor. The first eight or nine minutes of the first overtime, we played well, then we got a little loose defensively and gave them some chances, and Sam made some great saves to keep the puck out of the net."

The Fighting Sioux spotted Denver a 1-0 lead in the first period, then scored twice in the first eight minutes of the second in the match of the WCHA's top two physical heavyweights. Sometimes it seemed the physical play was more of a focal point than the game itself, particularly to the Fighting Sioux, who obviously wanted to knock the Pioneers off their game. Many college hockey games show an assortment of interference and tripping calls; not these guys. The 16 minor penalties in the three regulation periods had one interference and one for hooking.

The hitting and the ensuing chippiness detracted from the speed and flow that both teams are capable of, but it added an extra edge to the drama being played out over three periods, and on into overtime. Bodies continued to fly in the overtime, but the teams throttled back enough that the officials could put away their whistles and let the lads play. "They let the players decide the game," said Hakstol.

Five minutes into the first period, Denver's Kyle Ostrow and Maiani were forechecking deep, behind the Sioux goal, and Ostrow passed the puck out to the slot, where Dustin Jackson arrived just in time to hammer a quick shot before North Dakota goaltender Aaron Dell could react, giving the Pioneers an early 1-0 lead.

Fighting Sioux center Brad Malone and winger Brett Hextall were the most aggressive body-checkers, and when Malone threw a heavy hit after a whistle, igniting a small scuffle at the Sioux bench, he went off for boarding at 7:44, but North Dakota killed off the power-play. Later in the period, the Sioux also found it difficult to generate anything at the other end on a power-play, and the period ended 1-0 with Denver also holding a 10-6 edge in shots.

North Dakota responded with both its regulation goals early in the second period, both of which could have listed good luck in the assist bracket. At 2:32, Denver goaltender Sam Brittain blocked a shot that was just wide to the right, and when Danny Kristo tried to chip the rebound, he partially fanned on his shot and Pioneer center Nick Shore, closing in to defend, inadvertently kicked the puck and it wound up in the net for a 1-1 tie.

A few minutes later, North Dakota killed Dillon Simpson's cross-checking penalty, and Sioux left winger Brent Davidson broke across center ice, catching a pass, and breaking hard on the right side. A defender knocked the puck away from him, but Davidson got to it first on the end boards, then spun half way around and flipped it out front. The puck hit Brittain's skate and the ricochet went in at 8:18 for a 2-1 Sioux lead.

Playing aggressively seemed to be in North Dakota's favor, and even when they took penalties the Fighting Sioux kept attacking and got several good scoring chances short-handed. Corban Knight nearly made it 3-1 when he wound up with the puck and shot for the open right side of the net, but suddenly it wasn't open, as Brittain dived across the crease and snared the shot with his glove.

The hitting took a couple tolls. Denver freshman scoring whiz Jason Zucker absorbed a knockdown from Hextall, and he didn't return to his first-line post for most of the second period with an "upper body" injury. And as the period ended, Sioux defenseman and captain Genoway and a Denver player collided at the buzzer, and Genoway limped off the ice and was helped to the dressing room. Both returned to regular service in the third period, however.

The third period was another exercise in penalty-killing, as neither team seemed willing to concentrate on just hockey, with so many physical challenges being offered. As the minutes passed, however, the Pioneers grew more intense, and fought through the checks for enough openings to establish an 11-4 edge in shots. At 17:47, after all the close checking, Denver caught the Sioux in a rare coverage lapse. The puck went out to the left point, and Matt Donovan passed ahead to a wide-open Beau Bennett, deep in the left corner. All alone, Bennett hesitated to let Maiani get clear of any checkers on the far side of the slot, then he sent him a perfect pass, and Maiani banged it in for the 2-2 deadlock.

Both sides had scoring chances in the first overtime, a 20-minute session, with Dell stopping 10 Denver shots, and Brittain 11, although North Dakota had the more dangerous threats. Brittain came up with a great glove save on Frattin, then stopped Taylor Dickinson's break-in and also got Kristo's follow-up. His best, though, was when Trupp was open for a point-blank one-timer, and Brittain kicked his left leg out and blocked the shot with his toe, just inside the right pipe.

Brittain came up with another similar toe save in the second overtime, then he blocked Genoway's blast minutes later, but that was his final save of the game, and he had no chance on Frattin's rebound shot.

2011 Red Baron WCHA Final Five All-Tournament Team

G - Sam Brittain, Denver; D - Matt Donovan, Denver; D - Chay Genoway, North Dakota; F - Matt Frattin, North Dakota; F - Jaden Schwartz, Colorado College; F - Anthony Maiani, Denver. Final Five MVP - Matt Frattin, F, North Dakota.

March 18, 2011

Nebraska Omaha's Dean Blais Named Head Coach of 2012 U.S. National Junior Team

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. – University of Nebraska Omaha men's hockey coach Dean Blais (International Falls, Minn.) was today named the head coach of the 2012 U.S. National Junior Team. The appointment marks Blais' third stint as head coach of a U.S. National Junior Team, having led Team USA to the gold medal at the 2010 International Ice Hockey Federation World Junior Championship and also guiding the squad in 1994.

Just last week (on March 10), Blais was named the WCHA Coach of the Year for 2010-11, earning the award for the fourth time in his collegiate coaching career. He led his UNO Mavericks to a 17-9-2 league mark and third place finish, just one point out of second, as well as to a home playoff berth in the team's first season in the WCHA. Blais, who earned his 300th career win on Feb. 12 against Wisconsin, was previously honored as the league's coach of the year in 1996-97, 1998-99 and 2000-01 as head coach at North Dakota.

"I'm extremely honored to coach this team," said Blais. "It's really exciting to see how far hockey has come in our country. We now go into the World Juniors expecting to win and that will be our mind set from the summer camp right through the tournament next December and January in Edmonton and Calgary."

The U.S. National Junior Team will take part in the 2012 IIHF World Junior Championship Dec. 26, 2011 - Jan. 5, 2012 in Calgary and Edmonton, Alta. The U.S. will be aiming for its third consecutive medal, having won the gold medal in 2010 and the bronze medal at the 2011 IIHF World Junior Championship in Buffalo, N.Y.

"It's terrific to have Dean back behind the bench of our National Junior Team," said Jim Johansson, assistant executive director for hockey operations at USA Hockey, who will also serve as general manager of the 2012 U.S. National Junior Team. "He's an ideal choice not only because he gets the most out of players, but because of his vast level of experience overall, including at the international level."

Blais led the 2010 U.S. National Junior Team to a 5-1-1-0 (W-OTW-OTL-L) record en route to the United States' first IIHF men's gold medal at any level on Canadian soil. He was also an assistant coach on the 1988 and 1989 U.S. National Junior Teams.

Blais' long history with USA Hockey includes having played for the 1973 U.S. Men's National Team and having served as an assistant coach for both the 1992 U.S. Olympic Men's Ice Hockey Team and the 2000 U.S. Men's National Team.

Blais is currently the head coach of the University of Nebraska Omaha's men's ice hockey team, a position he has held since June 2009. To date, he has led the Mavericks to a 21-15-2 mark in 2010-11 and last week was named the WCHA Coach of the Year. The Mavericks have won 20-plus games in each of the last two seasons.

Blais' history behind college benches includes a 10-year tenure (1994-2004) at the helm of the University of North Dakota's men's ice hockey team, during which time he led the Fighting Sioux to seven NCAA tournament appearances, two NCAA Division I National Championships (1997, 2000), and an overall record of 262-115-33. He also served as an assistant coach at UND from 1980-89 and for the University of Minnesota in 1976-77.

In addition, Blais served as an associate head coach and director of player development of the NHL's Columbus Blue Jackets from 2004-07; as head coach of the United States Hockey League's Fargo Force in 2008-09; and as head boys' hockey coach at Minot HS (ND) (1977-80), Roseau HS (MN) (1989-91) and International Falls (MN) High School (1992-94).

Blais played four years of hockey (1969-73) at the University of Minnesota before joining the U.S. Men's National Team in 1973. He began his coaching career after skating three years with the Chicago Blackhawks' minor-league affiliate in Dallas.

U.S. National Junior Team Coaches & Results • IIHF World Junior Championship

Year – Head Coach (Record, Place).

2011 – Keith Allain (4-1-0-1*, 3rd); 2010 – Dean Blais (5-1-1-0*, 1st); 2009 – Ron Rolston (3-1-0-2*, 5th); 2008 – John Hynes (4-0-0-2*, 4th); 2007 – Ron Rolston (3-1-2-1*, 3rd); 2006 – Walt Kyle (3-3-1, 4th); 2005 – Scott Sandelin (3-4-0, 4th); 2004 – Mike Eaves (6-0-0, 1st); 2003 – Lou Vairo (4-3-0, 4th); 2002 – Keith Allain (4-1-2, 5th); 2001 – Keith Allain (5-2-0, 5th); 2000 – Jeff Jackson (2-3-2, 4th); 1999 – Jeff Jackson (3-3-0, 8th); 1998 – Jeff Jackson (4-3-0, 5th); 1997 – Jeff Jackson (4-1-1, 2nd); 1996 – Jack Parker (3-3-0, 5th); 1995 – Jeff Jackson (3-4-0, 5th); 1994 – Dean Blais (1-5-1, 6th); 1993 – Walt Kyle (4-3-0, 4th); 1992 – Walt Kyle (5-2-0, 3rd); 1991 – Kevin Constantine (4-2-1, 4th); 1990 – Steve Cedorchuk (1-6-0, 7th); 1989 – Steve Cedorchuk (3-3-1, 5th); 1988 – Terry Christensen (1-6-0, 6th); 1987 – Dave Peterson (4-3-0, 4th); 1986 – Dave Peterson (4-3-0, 3rd); 1985 – Doug Woog (2-5-0, 6th); 1984 – John Perpich (2-5-0, 6th); 1983 – Bill Hasler (3-4-0, 5th); 1982 – Lou Vairo (2-5-0, 6th); 1981 – Lou Vairo (2-3-0, 6th); 1980 – Lou Vairo (1-3-1, 7th); 1979 – Lou Vairo (2-3-0, 6th); 1978 – Len Lilyholm (4-2-0, 5th); 1977 – Marshall Johnston (1-5-1, 7th).

March 17, 2011

Minnesota Duluth's Connolly, North Dakota's Frattin, Wisconsin's Schultz Named Hobey Baker Memorial Award Finalists

The Hobey Baker Award is celebrating its 30th Anniversary and on Thursday, March 17, announced the top ten candidates for the 2011 award honoring college hockey's top player. Alphabetically, they are: Cam Atkinson, Boston College; Carter Camper, Miami; Jack Connolly, Minnesota Duluth; Matt Frattin, North Dakota; Andy Miele, Miami; Gustav Nyquist, Maine; Chase Polacek, Rensselaer; Justin Schultz, Wisconsin; Paul Thompson, New Hampshire; and Paul Zquette, Niagara.

The ten finalists were selected by voting from all 58 Division 1 college hockey head coaches and by online fan balloting at www.hobeybakeraward.com. Next, the 23-member Selection Committee and an additional round of fan balloting (at www.hobeybakeraward.com from March 18-27) will determine this year's Hobey Baker winner. Criteria for the award include: strength of character on and off the ice, displaying outstanding skills in all phases of the game, sportsmanship and scholastic achievements.

The Hobey Hat Trick of three finalists will be announced on March 31 and the Hobey Baker Memorial Award winner will be announced Friday, April 8 from the Xcel Energy Center in St. Paul, Minn., during the NCAA Frozen Four. The announcement will be aired live on ESPNU at 6:00 pm CT.

Following, in alphabetical order, is a look at each finalist (stats are as of release date).

Cam Atkinson • Jr., F, Boston College. The defending national champions finished atop Hockey East this past season and for the second straight year, Atkinson led his team in scoring ... a First Team all-star, he again led Hockey East in conference goals per game and is tied for third nationally in goal scoring with 28 tallies and 20 assists in 36 games ... has scored 58 goals the past two seasons – has eight PPGs ... his four SHGs is tied for second in nation – 15 multiple point games ... Communications major ... Columbus (NHL) draft pick.

Carter Camper • Sr., F, Miami University. The scoring whiz has been a college hockey rarity, recording over 40 in each of his four seasons ... a co-captain, Camper is third in the nation in assists with 35 in 36 games played ... a CCHA First Team all-star and the circuit's Scholar-Athlete of

the Year award winner, Camper has been very active in community service activities ... has 17 goals and 35 assists in 36 games ... has eight PPGs ... Hockey Commissioners' Association Player of the Month for October ... Psychology major with 3.62 GPA ... Lowe's Senior Class Award finalist.

Jack Connolly • Jr., F, University of Minnesota Duluth. The play-making key on college hockey's highest scoring line, Connolly is presently tied for third in the nation in scoring with 54 points and is second in assists with 39 ... he has been named a WCHA First Team all-star two straight years and has more points in the past two seasons, than any other WCHA player ... has 15 goals and 39 assists in 37 games – led team in scoring past two years ... finished second in WCHA conference scoring race ... has played 120 straight games ... Communications major ... twice on Dean's list ... active community volunteer.

Matt Frattin • Sr., F, University of North Dakota. A great breakout season propelled Frattin to the top of WCHA scoring charts and a regular season title for the Sioux ... currently tied for third in the nation in scoring, his 33 goals are best in the country and he is the only player with over 30 goals ... was also named the WCHA Player of the Year and a First Team all-star helping North Dakota to a number one national ranking ... WCHA scoring champion with 40 points in 28 games ... has 10 PPGs ... overall, has 33 goals and 21 assists ... three SHGs leads WCHA ... Recreation and Tourism Studies major ... Toronto (NHL) draft pick.

Andy Miele • Sr., F, Miami University. The nation's leading scorer, Miele won the CCHA conference scoring title with 56 points, the most in 19 years ... his 40 league assists was more than the second place player had points, a first in league history ... a First Team all-star, Miele is one of three finalists for Player of the Year ... National Player of the Month for February ... has 21 goals and 44 assists for 65 points in 36 games ... assistant captain ... multiple-point games 20 times ... American Studies major and Coaching minor ... active community volunteer.

Gustav Nyquist • Jr., F, University of Maine. A repeat candidate and Hobey Hat Trick finalist from last season, Nyquist has led Maine in scoring for two straight years ... named a Hockey East First Team all-star, he is presently tied for seventh in the nation in scoring with 51 points in 36 games ... tied for fourth in the nation in assists with 33 ... tallied 18 goals and 33 assists for 51 points in 36 games ... assistant captain ... won league awards three straight years ... Finance major ... Detroit (NHL) draft pick ... teaches youth hockey.

Chase Polacek • Sr., F, Rensselaer. The only other top ten finalist from last season, Polacek has also been named ECAC Player of the Year for the second straight season as well as First Team all-star ... has also won the ECAC scoring title two consecutive seasons and has nine game-winning goals, best in the nation ... has 11 PPGs ... had 21 goals and 27 assists in 37 games ... assistant captain ... led team in scoring three straight years ... Lowe's Senior Class Award finalist ... Business and Management major ... multiple Dean's List honoree.

Justin Schultz • So., D, University of Wisconsin. A scoring dynamo on the blue line, Schultz has 18 goals on the season, the most in college hockey in eight years ... his 47 total points is seven more than the next closest defenseman and he was honored by the WCHA as a First Team all-star and the circuit's Defensive Player of the Year ... Deadly on the power-play, his 26 power-play points is best in the nation ... recorded 18 goals and 29 assists for 47 points in 41 games ... has nine PPGs ... led Wisconsin in scoring and topped the team with 14 multiple point games ... Life Sciences Communications major ... Anaheim (NHL) draft pick.

Paul Thompson • Sr., F, University of New Hampshire. One of the premiere scorers in Hockey East, Thompson led the league in most offensive categories this past season including 42 points in 27 games ... overall, his 52 points is tied for fifth in the country, while his 12 PPGs are tied for first in the nation ... was named Hockey East Player of the Year and a First Team all-star ... totals are 28 goals and 24 assists for 52 points in 36 games ... has seven game-winners ... tied for third in nation with 28 goals ... has 16 multiple point games ... Health Management and Policy major.

Paul Zquette • Sr., F, Niagara University. First Hobey candidate with a last name starting with the letter Z ... phenomenal scoring pace has him second in the nation with 55 points in 35 games ... more than doubled

his scoring totals from a year ago and won Atlantic Hockey scoring title ... earned him AHA Player of the Year honors as well as First Team all-star acclaim ... is second in the nation with 29 goals ... has scored 29 goals and 26 assists in 35 games with 10 PPGs ... first three seasons Niagara was in CHA conference ... graduated Cum Laude in accounting and working on MBA.

March 10, 2011

North Dakota's Matt Frattin, Chay Genoway Honored as WCHA Player of the Year, WCHA Outstanding Student-Athlete of the Year to Highlight 2010-11 Men's Award Winners

Wisconsin's Justin Schultz Voted WCHA Defensive Player of the Year by Head Coaches; Denver's Jason Zucker is WCHA Rookie of the Year; Nebraska Omaha's Dean Blais Honored as WCHA Coach of the Year; UND's Frattin and Aaron Dell Reign as WCHA Scoring, Goaltending Champions; Sioux Place Three Players, Minnesota Duluth Two on All-WCHA First Team; 140 Student-Athletes Earn All-WCHA Academic Team Honors

MADISON, Wis. – Two seniors representing regular season and MacNaughton Cup champion University of North Dakota – forward **Matt Frattin** and defenseman **Chay Genoway** – were today (March 10) honored as WCHA Player of the Year and WCHA Outstanding Student-Athlete of the Year, respectively, to highlight the men's Western Collegiate Hockey Association individual awards for the 2010-11 season. Frattin and Genoway were also both voted to the All-WCHA First Team.

The league's other major individual awards went to University of Wisconsin defenseman **Justin Schultz** as WCHA Defensive Player of the Year, University of Denver forward **Jason Zucker** as WCHA Rookie of the Year, **Frattin** as WCHA Scoring Champion, North Dakota netminder **Aaron Dell** as WCHA Goaltending Champion, and to **Dean Blais** of the University of Nebraska Omaha as WCHA Coach of the Year.

Frattin, who received 58 votes in player of the year balloting, also captured the league's scoring title (conference games only) with 40 points (22g, 18a), the most points by a Sioux player in league games since 2000-01. In 28 league games he averaged 1.43 points per game as the Sioux claimed the regular season championship for a record 15th time overall and second time in the past three seasons. A native of Edmonton, Alberta, Frattin is tied for the NCAA Div. 1 lead with 29 goals, including a nation's-best 19 goals scored away from home, and leads UND in points (49), goals (29), power-play goals (9), game-winning goals (4), and shorthanded goals (2). He is currently riding his second nine-game point streak for the season, scored a goal in eight straight games earlier this season, and has gone consecutive games without a point on only two occasions. Frattin is a draftee of the National Hockey League's Toronto Maple Leafs.

Genoway, who also earned All-WCHA First Team honors, was named the men's WCHA Outstanding Student-Athlete of the Year in a vote of league member team Faculty Athletic Representatives. A two-time team captain and one of only three individuals to earn WCHA Scholar-Athlete honors four times (the others were Scott McCulloch of Colorado College from 2005-09 and Jenna Hewitt of Minnesota State from 2006-10), Genoway maintains a 3.558 cumulative grade-point average at North Dakota and will graduate in May with a BBA in Management. After a season-ending injury last year, the Morden, Manitoba product went on to earn a 4.0 GPA in the fall of 2010, has done a team-leading 68.5 hours of community service during this academic year and was named an ESPN the Magazine All-American as a junior. He is the fourth highest scoring defenseman overall in the WCHA this season with 26 points (6g, 20a) despite missing eight games, ranked second in the WCHA in points per game by a defenseman at 0.95, leads all active WCHA defensemen with 116 career points, and put together a 12-game point streak earlier this

season, tying a 33-year old school record for defensemen. Genoway is also a finalist for the Lowe's Senior Class Award and has earned UND's Archie Krum Memorial Athletic Scholarship for "leadership qualities, high academic standards and athletic excellence" three years in a row.

The WCHA Outstanding Student-Athlete of the Year Award is determined from nominations made by the member institutions and each institution then has one final vote. The criteria is as follows: 1) must be a senior student-athlete, i.e. one who is finishing his competition as an eligible player in the WCHA; 2) consistently displays outstanding sportsmanship on and off the ice; 3) is a good student making satisfactory progress toward a degree; and 4) is a good hockey player who has performed consistently as a regular member of the team.

To earn recognition as a WCHA Scholar-Athlete, student-athletes must have completed at least one year of residency at their present institution prior to the current academic year and must also have a grade-point average of at least 3.50 on a 4.0 scale for the previous two semesters or three quarters, or may qualify if his or her overall GPA is at least 3.50 for all terms at his or her present institution.

The league's 12 head coaches voted the University of Wisconsin's Justin Schultz as WCHA Defensive Player of the Year. From West Kelowna, British Columbia, Schultz is the first sophomore to win the award and also earned All-WCHA First Team accolades. Schultz is the second straight Badger to earn the league's top defensive award, with defenseman Brendan Smith earning the honor in 2009-10. Schultz's 18 goals so far this season are the most for any defenseman in the country since the 2002-03 season and one off the UW record. He's the nation's leading point scorer among defensemen and also leads the Badgers with 46 points. Among his goals are nine power-play goals, five first goals and three game-winning goals, including an overtime game-winning goal. A draftee of the NHL's Anaheim Ducks, he posted the first hat trick by a UW defenseman since 1991-92 and logs over 30 minutes of ice time per game.

Honored as the WCHA Rookie of the Year was University of Denver forward Jason Zucker, who was named on 78 ballots after leading all first-year conference players in scoring – and finishing third overall – with 36 points (20g, 16a). From Las Vegas, Nevada, Zucker made a strong bid to become just the second freshman in the 59-year history of the WCHA to win a scoring title, with DU's Vic Venasky first accomplishing the feat in 1970-71 with 39 points (14g, 25a) in 22 games. One of only two players to score 20 goals in WCHA action, he ranked second nationally among rookies with 1.12 points per game, had 12 multiple-point games, and tallied 14 points (4g, 10a) during a career-high nine-game point streak. Zucker was named the National Div. 1 Rookie of the Month for February and was a two-time WCHA Rookie of the Week. He is a draftee of the NHL's Minnesota Wild.

Earning the WCHA goaltending crown for 2010-11 was North Dakota's Aaron Dell, who was also voted to the All-WCHA First Team. A sophomore from Airdrie, Alberta, Dell topped all league netminders with a 1.97 goals-against average in conference play, posting a 19-4-1 WCHA mark and a .912 save percentage over 1,432:09 of action. He won the league's goaltending crown by the widest margin since 2001-02 and led the WCHA in league wins (19) and winning percentage (.812). In 33 overall games, Dell is tied for second in the nation in wins (24), ranks second in GAA (1.95), third in winning percentage (.781), and is tied for fourth in shutouts (4). A two-time WCHA Defensive Player of the Week, he put together a shutout streak of 224 minutes, :31 seconds, the second-longest in school history and the longest in nearly 60 years.

The WCHA Coach of the Year for 2010-11 is Dean Blais of the University of Nebraska Omaha. Blais, who earns the award for the fourth time in his collegiate coaching career, led his Mavericks to a 17-9-2 league mark and third place finish, just one point out of second, as well as to a home playoff berth in the team's first season in the WCHA. Named on 49 ballots, he guided UNO to its best-ever conference finish, to the most conference wins in school history, and as of March 10, the Mavericks have also already secured the second-highest single season win total in school history with 21. Blais, who earned his 300th career win on Feb. 12 against Wisconsin, was previously honored as the league's coach of the year in 1996-97, 1998-99 and 2000-01 as head coach at North Dakota.

Three different conference-member teams – North Dakota, Minnesota Duluth and Wisconsin – are represented on the All-WCHA First Team for 2010-11. Named to the All-WCHA First Team (statistics are league games only) were: F – **Matt Frattin**, Sr., North Dakota (28 gp, 22-18=40); F – **Jack Connolly**, Jr., Minnesota Duluth (28 gp, 9-28=37); F – **Mike Connolly**, Jr., Minnesota Duluth (28 gp, 19-15=34); D – **Justin Schultz**, So., Wisconsin (28 gp, 10-19=29); D – **Chay Genoway**, Sr., North Dakota (20 gp, 5-14=19); G – **Aaron Dell**, So., North Dakota (19-4-1, 1.97 gaa, .912 sv%).

Members of the 2010-11 All-WCHA Second Team are: F – **Jason Zucker**, Fr., Denver (28 gp, 20-16=36); F – **Drew Shore**, So., Denver (28 gp, 15-19=34); F – **Justin Fontaine**, Sr., Minnesota Duluth (28 gp, 14-18=32); D – **Jake Gardiner**, Jr., Wisconsin (28 gp, 5-18=23); D – **Matt Donovan**, So., Denver (28 gp, 4-17=21); G – **Kent Patterson**, Jr., Minnesota (13-5-5, 2.31 gaa, .926 sv%).

Voted to the All-WCHA Third Team for 2010-11 were: F – **Jason Gregoire**, Jr., North Dakota (24 gp, 18-13=31); F – **Jaden Schwartz**, Fr., Colorado College (17 gp, 10-15=25); F – **Drew LeBlanc**, Jr., St. Cloud State (28 gp, 11-17=28); D – **Kurt Davis**, Sr., Minnesota State (28 gp, 5-14=19); D – **Justin Faulk**, Fr., Minnesota Duluth (28 gp, 6-15=21); G – **John Faulkner**, So., Nebraska Omaha (16-9-2, 2.54 gaa, .910 sv%).

And voted to the All-WCHA Rookie Team for 2010-11 were: F – **Jason Zucker**, Fr., Denver (28 gp, 20-16=36); F – **Jaden Schwartz**, Fr., Colorado College (17 gp, 10-15=25); F – **J.T. Brown**, Fr., Minnesota Duluth (28 gp, 12-14=26); D – **Justin Faulk**, Fr., Minnesota Duluth (28 gp, 6-15=21); D – **David Makowski**, Fr., Denver (27 gp, 4-14=18); G – **Sam Brittain**, Fr., Denver (13-6-3, 2.40 gaa, .920 sv%).

Two players named to the all-league teams were also earlier honored on Feb. 10 as WCHA Scholar-Athletes for 2010-11. They were Chay Genoway (Sr., D, North Dakota) and Drew LeBlanc (Jr., F, St. Cloud State).

Major award winners and members of the various all-league teams who were also recognized today as member of the 2010-11 men's All-WCHA Academic Team were: Matt Donovan (So., D, Denver), Drew Shore (So., F, Denver), Kent Patterson (Jr., G, Minnesota), Jack Connolly (Jr., F, Minnesota Duluth), Justin Fontaine (Sr., F, Minnesota Duluth), John Faulkner (So., G, Nebraska Omaha), Matt Frattin (Sr., F, North Dakota), Chay Genoway (Sr., D, North Dakota), Jason Gregoire (Jr., F, North Dakota), and Drew LeBlanc (Jr., F, St. Cloud State).

Voting for the major awards and all-league teams in the WCHA is done by member team coaches, players, SIDs and local media. Each member team receives eight ballots for a total of 96 voters. Points for the all-league teams are awarded on a five (1st team), three (2nd team), and one (3rd team vote) basis. The WCHA Outstanding Student-Athlete of the Year award is selected by Faculty Athletic Representatives while the WCHA Defensive Player of the Year is selected by the league's head coaches.

2010-11 WCHA Player of the Year

Matt Frattin • Senior, Forward
University of North Dakota (Edmonton, AB)

2010-11 WCHA Outstanding Student-Athlete of the Year

Chay Genoway • Senior, Defenseman
University of North Dakota (Morden, MB)

2010-11 WCHA Defensive Player of the Year

Justin Schultz • Sophomore, Defenseman
University of Wisconsin (West Kelowna, BC)

2010-11 WCHA Rookie of the Year

Jason Zucker • Freshman, Forward
University of Denver (Las Vegas, NV)

2010-11 WCHA Scoring Champion

Matt Frattin • Senior, Forward
University of North Dakota (Edmonton, AB)

2010-11 WCHA Goaltending Champion

Aaron Dell • Sophomore, Goaltender
University of North Dakota (Airdrie, AB)

2010-11 WCHA Coach of the Year

Dean Blais • University of Nebraska Omaha

2010-11 All-WCHA First Team

Pos	Name	Team	Yr	Hometown	Pts
F	Matt Frattin	UND	Sr	Edmonton, AB	435
F	Jack Connolly	UMD	Jr	Duluth, MN	354
F	Mike Connolly	UMD	Jr	Calgary, AB	354
D	Justin Schultz	UW	So	West Kelowna, BC	438
D	Chay Genoway	UND	Sr	Morden, MB	273
G	Aaron Dell	UND	So	Airdrie, AB	283

2010-11 All-WCHA Second Team

Pos	Name	Team	Yr	Hometown	Pts
F	Jason Zucker	DU	Fr	Las Vegas, NV	320
F	Drew Shore	DU	So	Denver, CO	196
F	Justin Fontaine	UMD	Sr	Bonnyville, AB	183
D	Jake Gardiner	UW	Jr	Minnetonka, MN	253
D	Matt Donovan	DU	So	Edmond, OK	151
G	Kent Patterson	UM	Jr	Plymouth, MN	141

2010-11 All-WCHA Third Team

Pos	Name	Team	Yr	Hometown	Pts
F	Jason Gregoire	UND	Jr	Winnipeg, MB	113
F	Jaden Schwartz	CC	Fr	Wilcox, SK	87
F	Drew LeBlanc	SCSU	Jr	Hermantown, MN	74
D	Kurt Davis	MSU	Sr	Plymouth, MN	150
D	Justin Faulk	UMD	Fr	South St. Paul, MN	99
G	John Faulkner	UNO	So	Sarnia, ON	123

2010-11 All-WCHA Rookie Team

Pos	Name	Team	Yr	Hometown	Votes
F	Jason Zucker	DU	Fr	Las Vegas, NV	91
F	Jaden Schwartz	CC	Fr	Wilcox, SK	80
F	J.T. Brown	UMD	Fr	Burnsville, MN	44
D	Justin Faulk	UMD	Fr	South St. Paul, MN	82
D	David Makowski	DU	Fr	Wildwood, MO	44
G	Sam Brittain	DU	Fr	Calgary, AB	79

140 Student-Athletes Representing All 12 Teams On Men's All-WCHA Academic Team for 2010-11; 61 are Previous Honorees

MADISON, Wis. – A record total of 140 student-athletes, representing all 12 Western Collegiate Hockey Association-member institutions, have earned distinction as members of the men's 2010-11 All-WCHA Academic Team as announced today, March 10, by the conference office. Sixty-one (61) of those 140 individuals are previous honorees.

The highest numbers of student-athletes earning men's All-WCHA Academic Team honors in a single season prior to this year was 120 in 2009-10 and 107 in 2008-09.

To earn recognition as a member of the All-WCHA Academic Team, member team student-athletes must meet the following criteria: 1) have completed one year of residency at present institution, prior to the current academic year; and 2) have a grade point average of at least 3.00 (on a 4.00 scale) for the previous two semesters or three quarters.

Following, by member institution, are the members of the men's 2010-11 All-WCHA Academic Team (*indicates repeat honoree).

University of Alaska Anchorage: Chris Crowell (So., F, Williams Lake,

BC); Alex Gellert (So., F, Kelowna, BC); Dusan Sidor* (So., G, Poprad, Slovakia); Luka Vidmar* (Sr., D, Ljubljana, Slovenia); Scott Warner (So., D, Anchorage, AK).

Bemidji State University: Ryan Adams (Sr., D, Deloraine, MB); Jake Areshenko (So., D, Port Coquitlam, BC); Dan Bakala (Jr., G, Calgary, AB); Emil Billberg (Sr., F, Stockholm, Sweden); Travis Bosch (So., G, Regina, SK); Matt Carlson (Jr., D, Grand Forks, ND); Ryan Cramer (Sr., F, International Falls, MN); Mathieu Dugas (So., G, L'Assomption, QC); Darcy Findlay (Jr., F, Bristol, QC); Drew Fisher (Jr., F, International Falls, MN); Matt Hartmann (So., F, Hugo, MN); Brad Hunt (Jr., D, Ridge Meadows, BC); Ben Kinne (Jr., F, St. Paul, MN); Ian Lowe (Sr., F, Bradwardine, MB); Dan MacIntyre (Sr., F, Fort Frances, ON); Jamie MacQueen (Jr., F, St. Thomas, ON); Aaron McLeod (So., F, Ottawa, ON); Brance Orban (So., F, Lethbridge, AB); Matt Read (Sr., F, Ilderton, ON); Brady Wacker (So., D, Jansen, SK); Shea Walters (Jr., F, Hibbing, MN).

Colorado College: Ted Behrend (Jr., D, Oregon, WI); Art Bidwill* (Jr., D/F, Fontana, WI); David Civitarese* (Jr., F, Calgary, AB); Gabe Guentzel* (Jr., D, Woodbury, MN); Tim Hall* (Jr., F, Sewickley, PA); Andrew Hamburg (So., F, Phoenix, AZ); Joe Howe (So., G, Plymouth, MN); Ryan Lowery (Sr., D, Inverness, IL); Tyler O'Brien (Sr., G, Stowe, VT); Scott Winkler (So., F, Asker, Norway).

University of Denver: David Carle (Jr., Student Assistant Coach, Anchorage, AK); Jon Cook* (Sr., D, Denver, CO); Nate Dewhurst (Jr., F, Johnston, IA); Matt Donovan (So., D, Edmond, OK); Dustin Jackson* (Sr., F, Omaha, NE); John Lee* (Jr., D, Moorhead, MN); Anthony Maiani (Sr., F, Shelby Township, MI); Jesse Martin* (Sr., F, Edmonton, AB); Chris Nutini* (Sr., D, Centennial, CO); Kyle Ostrow* (Sr., F, Calgary, AB); Shawn Ostrow (So., F, Calgary, AB); Paul Phillips (So., D, Darien, IL); Josh Rosenholtz (Sr., G, Ridgefield, CT); John Ryder* (Sr., D, Colorado Springs, CO); Luke Salazar* (Jr., F, Thornton, CO); Drew Shore (So., F, Denver, CO).

Michigan Technological University: Jordan Baker* (Sr., F, Chestermere, AB); Corson Cramer (Jr., G, Colorado Springs, CO); Kevin Genoe (So., G, Qualicum Beach, BC); Peter Heinonen* (So., D, Hancock, MI); Mikael Lickteig (Jr., F, Little Falls, MN); Alex MacLeod* (Jr., F, Nelson, BC); Brett Olson (Jr., F, Superior, WI); Josh Robinson (Jr., G, Frankenmuth, MI); Bennett Royer* (Sr., F, Calgary, AB).

University of Minnesota: Jay Barriball* (Sr., F, Prior Lake, MN); Zach Budish (So., F, Edina, MN); Jacob Cepis (Sr., F, Parma, OH); Cade Fairchild (Sr., D, Duluth, MN); Mike Hoeffel* (Sr., F, North Oaks, MN); Jake Kremer* (Jr., G, Eden Prairie, MN); Nick Larson* (Jr., F, Stillwater, MN); Taylor Matson* (Jr., F, Mound, MN); Joe Miller (Jr., F, Plymouth, MN); Aaron Ness (Jr., D, Roseau, MN); Kent Patterson* (Jr., G, Plymouth, MN); Nico Sacchetti* (Jr., F, Virginia, MN).

University of Minnesota Duluth: Wade Bergman (So., D, Calgary, AB); Jack Connolly* (Jr., F, Duluth, MN); Aaron Crandall (Fr., G, Lakeville, MN); Dan DeLisle (So., F, Arden Hills, MN); Keegan Flaherty (So., F, Duluth, MN); Justin Fontaine* (Sr., F, Bonnyville, AB); David Grun* (Jr., F, White Bear Lake, MN); Chad Huttel* (Sr., D, Hermantown, MN); Kenny Reiter* (Jr., G, Pittsburgh, PA); Kyle Schmidt* (Sr., F, Hermantown, MN).

Minnesota State University, Mankato: Channing Boe* (Sr., D, Bemidji, MN); Phil Cook (So., G, Wheaton, IL); Cameron Cooper* (Jr., D, Lakeville, MN); Tyler Elbrecht (So., D, Edwardsville, IL); Rylan Galiardi* (Sr., F, Calgary, AB); Eriah Hayes (So., F, LaCrescent, MN); Justin Jokinen* (Jr., F, Carlton, MN); Austin Lee* (Jr., G, Bloomington, MN); Evan Mosey (So., D, Downers Grove, IL); Adam Mueller (Jr., F, Roseville, MN); Brett Peterson (Jr., F, Elk River, MN); Andrew Sackrisson* (Sr., F, St. Louis Park, MN); Joe Schiller* (Jr., F, Detroit Lakes, MN); Ben Youds* (Sr., D, Maple Grove, MN).

University of Nebraska Omaha: Fredrik Bergman (Fr., G, Vienna, VA); Terry Broadhurst (So., F, Orland Park, IL); Kyle Ensign (Jr., D, New Richmond, WI); John Faulkner (So., G, Sarnia, ON); Joey Martin (Sr., F, Thorold, ON); Eric Olimb (Sr., D, Warroad, MN); Rich Purslow (Sr., F, Greenlawn, NY); Pasko Skarica (Sr., D, Bethpage, NY); Matt Smith (Jr., D, Carmel, IN); Nick Von Bokern (Sr., D, Burnsville, MN).

University of North Dakota: Ben Blood* (Jr., D, Plymouth, MN); Brett Bruneteau (So., F, Omaha, NE); Brent Davidson* (Sr., F, Morden, MB); Brad Eidsness* (Jr., G, Chestermere, AB); Matt Frattin (Sr., F, Edmonton, AB); Chay Genoway* (Sr., D, Morden, MB); Jason Gregoire* (Jr., F, Winnipeg, MB); Brett

Hextall* (Jr., F, Manhattan Beach, CA); Ryan Hill (So., F/D, Hermantown, MN); Mario Lamoureux* (Jr., F, Grand Forks, ND); Derrick LaPoint* (Sr., D, Eau Claire, WI); Andrew MacWilliam (So., D, Calgary, AB); Brad Malone (Sr., F, Miramichi, NB); Tate Maris* (So., G, Denver, CO); Jake Marto* (Sr., D, Grand Forks, ND); Carter Rowney (So., F, Sexsmith, AB).

St. Cloud State University: Brett Barta* (Sr., D, Moorhead, MN); Jordy Christian (Jr., F, Moorhead, MN); Jared Festler* (Jr., F, Little Falls, MN); Ben Hanowski (So., F, Little Falls, MN); Oliver Lauridsen* (Jr., D, Gentofte, Denmark); Drew LeBlanc* (Jr., F, Hermantown, MN); Mike Lee (So., G, Roseau, MN); Aaron Marvin* (Sr., F, Warroad, MN); Travis Novak* (Jr., F, Lethbridge, AB); Nick Oslund* (Sr., F, Savage, MN); Nicolas Rioux* (Sr., D, Riviere-du-Loup, QC); Garrett Roe (Sr., F, Vienna, VA); Brian Volpei* (Sr., F, Burbank, CA); Sam Zabkowicz* (Jr., D, Greendale, WI).

University of Wisconsin: Ryan Little* (Jr., F, Fond du Lac, WI); Eric Springer* (Jr., D, Wrightstown, WI); Mitch Thompson (So., G, Onalaska, WI).

WCHA Announces Record Group of 90 Men's and Women's Scholar-Athletes for 2010-11 Sixth Annual Class Includes 30 Repeat Honorees

MADISON, Wis. – The Western Collegiate Hockey Association, through Commissioner Bruce M. McLeod, Associate Commissioner Sara R. Martin, University of Alaska Anchorage Faculty Representative Steve Strom (Chair, men's league) and University of North Dakota Faculty Representative Sue Jenö (Chair, women's league) announced on Feb. 10, 2011 that a total of 90 men's and women's student-athletes make up the sixth annual group of WCHA Scholar-Athlete Award recipients. Over the first six years of the award, there have now been 414 honorees representing all 12 men's member and all eight women's member institutions. The previous record for honorees in one season was 80 in 2009-10.

The prestigious WCHA Scholar-Athlete Award was developed through Association member team Faculty Representatives and approved by the conference membership beginning with the 2005-06 season. To earn recognition as a WCHA Scholar-Athlete, conference-member student-athletes must have completed at least one year of residency at their present institution prior to the current academic year and must also have a grade-point average of at least 3.50 on a 4.0 scale for the previous two semesters or three quarters, or may qualify if his or her overall GPA is at least 3.50 for all terms at his or her present institution.

"The Western Collegiate Hockey Association is both thrilled and exceptionally proud to announce this group of men's and women's WCHA Scholar-Athletes for the 2010-11 season," said WCHA Commissioner Bruce M. McLeod, Associate Commissioner Sara R. Martin, University of Alaska Anchorage Faculty Representative Steve Strom (Chair, men's league) and University of North Dakota Faculty Representative Sue Jenö (Chair – women's league) in a joint statement.

"This annual announcement of our Scholar-Athletes has become one of the highlights for the entire Western Collegiate Hockey Association family of student-athletes, coaches and administrators and gives us an opportunity to showcase the fact that along with being great athletes on the ice, these honorees are truly exceptional students off the ice. The rigorous classroom schedules they maintain, as well as their intense commitments to their sport, are most impressive and to be able to achieve what they have is inspiring to all of us. Together, they represent the very best in collegiate athletics."

Thirty (30) of this season's 90 men's and women's WCHA Scholar-Athletes are repeat honorees, including a four-time recipient and 11 three-time winners. Earning the distinguished honor for the fourth time is North Dakota's Chay Genoway (2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11), who becomes only the third student-athlete to do so. The two other four-time recipients have been Scott McCulloch of Colorado College (2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09) and Jenna Hewitt of Minnesota State (2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10).

Eleven other of this season's honorees earned the WCHA Scholar-Athlete

award for the third time in their careers. They are: Annie Bauerfeld, BSU; Erin Cody, BSU; Chris Nutini, DU; Kyle Ostrow, DU; Kenny Reiter, UMD; Kyle Schmidt, UMD; Rylan Galiardi, MSU; Austin Lee, MSU; Nina Tikkinen, MSU; Amy Udvig, MSU; and Courtney Josefson, SCSU.

By member institution, repeat honorees (**two-time recipient, ***three-time recipient, ****four-time recipient) are:

University of Alaska Anchorage: Dusan Sidor**. Bemidji State University: Annie Bauerfeld***, Erin Cody***, Emily Erickson**, Alana McElhinney**, Montana Vichorek**, Marlee Wheelhouse**. Colorado College: David Civitarese**. University of Denver: Chris Nutini***, Kyle Ostrow**. Michigan Technological University: Corson Cramer**. University of Minnesota Duluth: Kenny Reiter**, Kyle Schmidt**. Minnesota State University, Mankato: Rylan Galiardi***, Austin Lee***, Jackie Otto**, Joe Schiller**, Nina Tikkinen***, Amy Udvig***. University of North Dakota: Brad Eidsness**, Chay Genoway****, Derrick LaPoint**. St. Cloud State University: Jordy Christian**, Anna Donlan**, Courtney Josefson**, Drew LeBlanc**, Travis Novak**, Brittany Toor**. University of Wisconsin: Carla Pentimone**, Carolyne Prevost**.

In the inaugural season of the WCHA Scholar-Athlete award, 2005-06, there were a total of 47 men's and women's honorees. In 2006-07, there were 49 honorees and in 2007-08 there were 79 men's and women's honorees. In 2008-09 there were 71 total honorees and in 2009-10 there were 80 men's and women's recipients.

WCHA Scholar-Athletes will be recognized and publicly honored on-ice with a commemorative plaque at member-team home games.

2010-11 WCHA Scholar-Athletes

** two time recipient, *** three-time recipient; **** four-time recipient

University of Alaska Anchorage: Chris Crowell (So., F, Williams Lake, BC); Dusan Sidor** (Jr., G, Poprad, Slovakia); Scott Warner (So., D, Anchorage, AK).

Bemidji State University: Ryan Adams (Sr., D, Deloraine, MB); Jake Areshenko (So., D, Port Coquitlam, BC); Molly Arola (So., F, Walker, MN); Dan Bakala (Jr., G, Calgary, AB); Annie Bauerfeld*** (Sr., F, Woodbury, MN); Emil Billberg (Sr., F, Stockholm, Sweden); Erin Cody*** (Sr., F, Roseville, MN); Mathieu Dugas (So., G, L'Assomption, QC); Emily Erickson** (So., F, Coleraine, MN); Darcy Findlay (Jr., F, Bristol, QC); Drew Fisher (Jr., F, International Falls, MN); Sadie Lundquist (So., F, Cloquet, MN); Jamie MacQueen (Jr., F, St. Thomas, ON); Alana McElhinney** (Jr., G, Calgary, AB); Aaron McLeod (So., F, Ottawa, ON); Brance Orban (So., F, Lethbridge, AB); Zuzana Tomcikova (Jr., G, Bratislava, Slovakia); Montana Vichorek** (Jr., D, Moose Lake, MN); Brady Wacker (So., D, Jansen, SK); Marlee Wheelhouse** (Jr., D, Crookston, MN); Abby Williams (So., F, Alexandria, MN).

Colorado College: David Civitarese** (Jr., F, Calgary, AB); Joe Howe (So., G, Plymouth, MN); Tyler O'Brien (Sr., G, Stowe, VT).

University of Denver: Jesse Martin (Sr., F, Edmonton, AB); Chris Nutini*** (Sr., D, Centennial, CO); Kyle Ostrow*** (Sr., F, Calgary, AB); Shawn Ostrow (So., F, Calgary, AB); Paul Phillips (So., D, Darien, IL).

Michigan Technological University: Jordan Baker (Sr., F, Chestermere, AB); Corson Cramer** (Jr., G, Colorado Springs, CO); Kevin Genoe (So., G, Qualicum Beach, BC); Brett Olson (Jr., F, Superior, WI); Bennett Royer (Sr., F, Calgary, AB).

University of Minnesota: Cade Fairchild (Sr., D, Duluth, MN); Jake Kremer (Jr., G, Eden Prairie, MN); Nico Sacchetti (Jr., F, Virginia, MN).

University of Minnesota Duluth: Audrey Cournoyer (So., F, Montreal, QC); Aaron Crandall (Fr., G, Lakeville, MN); Keegan Flaherty (So., F, Duluth, MN); Kenny Reiter*** (Jr., G, Pittsburgh, PA); Kyle Schmidt*** (Sr., F, Hermantown, MN); Vanessa Thibault (So., F, Lachine, QC).

Minnesota State University, Mankato: Tyler Elbrecht (So., D, Edwardsville, IL); Rylan Galiardi*** (Sr., F, Calgary, AB); Austin Lee*** (Jr., G, Bloomington, MN); Ariel Mackley (Jr., F, Burnsville, MN); Erika Magnusson (So., D, Fergus Falls, MN); Jackie Otto** (Jr., D, Lake Zurich, IL); Brett Peterson (Jr., F, Elk River, MN); Joe Schiller** (Jr., F, Detroit Lakes, MN); Sarah Schneekloth (So., G, Worthington, MN); Lauren Smith (So., F, Burnsville, MN); Nina Tikkinen*** (Sr., F, Salo, Finland); Amy Udvig*** (Sr., D, New

Brighton, MN).

University of Nebraska Omaha: Nick Von Bokern (Sr., D, Burnsville, MN); Eric Olimb (Sr., D, Warroad, MN); Fredrik Bergman (Fr., G, Vienna, VA).

University of North Dakota: Brett Bruneteau (So., F, Omaha, NE); Brad Eidsness** (Jr., G, Chestermere, AB); Chay Genoway**** (Sr., D, Morden, MB); Jocelyne Lamoureux (So., F, Grand Forks, ND); Monique Lamoureux-Kolls (So., F/D, Grand Forks, ND); Derrick LaPoint** (Sr., D, Eau Claire, WI); Mary Loken (So., F, Roseau, MN); Tate Maris (So., G, Denver, CO); Allison Parizek (So., F, Minot, ND); Margot Miller (Jr., F, West Bloomfield, MI); Jordan Slavin (So., D, Erie, CO).

Ohio State University: Amanda Boskovich (So., F, LaGrange, IL); Brittany Carlson (Jr., D, Hudson, WI); Kelly Wild (Jr., D, Mendota Heights, MN).

St. Cloud State University: Jordy Christian** (Jr., F, Moorhead, MN); Callie Dahl (So., F, Stillwater, MN); Anna Donlan** (Jr., G, Hillsboro, WI); Courtney Josefson*** (Sr., F, Bemidji, MN); Oliver Lauridsen (Jr., D, Gentofte, Denmark); Drew LeBlanc** (Jr., F, Hermantown, MN); Mike Lee (So., G, Roseau, MN); Aaron Marvin (Sr., F, Warroad, MN); Travis Novak** (Jr., F, Lethbridge, AB); Brittany Toor** (Jr., F, Hartland, MI); Brian Volpei (Sr., F, Burbank, CA).

University of Wisconsin: Carla Pentimone** (Sr., F, Chicago, IL); Carolyne Prevost** (Jr., F, Sarnia, ON); Geena Prough (Sr., D/F, Farmington, MI); Becca Ruegsegger (So., G, Lakewood, CO).

Four & Three-Time WCHA Scholar-Athlete Recipients • 2005-11

Four-Time WCHA Scholar-Athlete Recipients

Scott McCulloch, CC (2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09); Jenna Hewitt, MSU (2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10); Chay Genoway, UND (2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11).

Three-Time WCHA Scholar-Athlete Recipients

Alaska Anchorage: Jon Olthuis. **Bemidji State:** Annie Bauerfeld, Erin Cody, Brooke Collins, Monica Rawlings. **Colorado College:** Jake Gannon, Brian McMillin, Bill Sweatt. **Denver:** Zach Blom, Matt Glasser, Chris Nutini, Kyle Ostrow, Tyler Ruegsegger. **Michigan Tech:** Mike VanWagner, Eli Vlaisavljevich. **Minnesota:** Evan Kaufmann, Gigi Marvin, Michelle Maunu. **Minnesota Duluth:** Sarah Murray, Kenny Reiter, Kyle Schmidt, Myriam Trepanier. **Minnesota State, Mankato:** Kristina Bunker, Nick Canzanello, Rylan Galiardi, Joel Hanson, Jodi Helminen, Austin Lee, Kathleen Rosso, Nina Tikkinen, Amy Udvig, Ashley Young. **North Dakota:** Casie Hanson, Brittany Kirkham. **Ohio State:** Liana Bonanno, Rachel Davis, Raelyn LaRocque, Mallory Peckels. **St. Cloud State:** Jon Ammerman, Laura Fast, Caitlin Hogan, Courtney Josefson, Kelly Meierhofer, Garrett Raboin. **Wisconsin:** Maria Evans.

The All-New WCHA.com and TheWCHAShop.com League's Website Features All-New Look; New Features Include Game-Day Story Integration, Live WCHA & National Scoreboards, Mobile Applications, Sortable Statistics; Visit the League's New On-Line Store at TheWCHAShop.com

The Western Collegiate Hockey Association's official website – WCHA.com – is all-new for 2010-11! The WCHA has teamed up with SportDesigns.com to provide visitors with a full-service experience that features a significant number of upgrades, including new game-day live league and national scoreboards and fully-functional mobile pages, a host of new features, and an all-new on-line store – TheWCHAShop.com.

Included in the all-new WCHA.com are new game-day live scoreboards, fully functional mobile pages that include press releases, game stories, box scores, team and league stats and live game box scores, a more seamless integration of schedules, rosters, standings and statistics in conjunction with collegehockeystats.net, and a new 'campus news' section that features the latest press releases from men's and women's member teams.

In addition, the upgrades include:

- Easy access to standings and statistics right from the home page

- A Live Game Day WCHA Scoreboard – with links to live box scores that will appear on the home page on any day there is a game ... a Live Game Day National Scoreboard – with links to live box scores that will appear on the home page on any day there is a game ... a Live Mobile WCHA Scoreboard – box scores via www.wcha.com/mobile. This is a fully functional mobile website that also includes game stories, statistics, etc. ... a Live Mobile National Scoreboard – box scores via www.wcha.com/mobile.

- Game story integration with game stories posted from all games to make the all-new WCHA.com a place fans want to visit more regularly. For example, on Saturday morning fans can read what happened in all Friday night games in one cohesive location.

- An Upgraded Standings Page – includes information on head-to-head records within the league.

- New Sortable Team Statistic Pages which can be sorted by category at the top of the table.

- A New WCHA Against the Rest Page – with records for each WCHA team against teams from other leagues.

- New WCHA-member team pages that feature direct links to each school's website, tickets, and audio and/or video broadcasts.

Some of the new technology employed in the design of the all-new TheWCHAShop.com are upgraded photo zooming on the product pages, the ability for people to share product pages through places like Facebook and Twitter for added exposure, new TheWCHAShop.com Gift Certificates, and a new checkout process upgraded to a one-page checkout to make it easier for customers to shop. Additionally, TheWCHAShop.com is developing a mobile commerce website to allow FOR purchases from Smart Phones.

The all-new WCHA.com will continue to evolve as we build and integrate the history of the men's and women's leagues into the archives. Also in future plans are Individual Player Pages which would include current season statistics, year-by-year stats and game-by-game stats.

Catch the League's Weekly Radio Show – 'This Week in the WCHA' – at WCHA.com

The Western Collegiate Hockey Association once again produced its own weekly radio show – 'This Week in the WCHA' – throughout the 2010-11 regular season. The show was available each Friday morning at WCHA.com and was also available for electronic distribution.

Hosted by Jim Rich and produced by Kevin Falness of the Minnesota Wild Radio Network, 'This Week in the WCHA' is a 6-7 minute show that features key moments and highlights from live game broadcasts, post-game sound clips, and previews of upcoming games and events.

2010-11 WCHA Team-by-Team Records Against the Rest

By Team	v. HEA	v. ECACH	v. CCHA	v. AHA	v. Ind.	Total
Alaska Anchorage	0-0-0	0-1-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	2-2-0
Bemidji State	0-0-0	1-0-0	2-1-0	0-0-0	1-1-0	4-2-0
Colorado College	1-0-0	1-1-1	1-3-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	6-4-1
Denver	1-2-1	0-0-0	3-0-1	1-0-0	0-0-0	5-2-2
Michigan Tech	0-0-0	0-1-1	2-3-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-4-2
Minnesota	2-0-0	0-1-0	1-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-2-1
Minnesota Duluth	2-0-0	4-0-0	3-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	9-0-1
Minnesota State	2-0-0	1-0-2	1-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	6-0-2
Nebraska-Omaha	0-0-0	1-2-0	1-2-0	1-0-0	1-1-0	4-5-0
North Dakota	0-2-0	1-0-0	2-1-1	2-0-0	0-0-0	5-3-1
St. Cloud State	0-0-0	1-2-0	2-1-1	1-0-0	0-0-0	4-3-1
Wisconsin	2-1-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	3-0-0	2-0-0	8-1-1
TOTALS	10-5-1 (.656)	10-8-4 (.545)	20-13-7 (.588)	12-0-0 (1.000)	6-2-0 (.750)	58-28-12 (.653)

By Site	v. HEA	v. ECACH	v. CCHA	v. AHA	v. Ind.	Total
Home	5-2-0	2-4-4	8-3-6	9-0-0	5-1-0	29-10-10
Away	4-2-1	2-2-0	4-4-1	1-0-0	1-1-0	12-9-2
Neutral	1-1-0	6-2-0	8-6-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	17-9-0
TOTALS	10-5-1 (.656)	10-8-4 (.545)	20-13-7 (.588)	12-0-0 (1.000)	6-2-0 (.750)	58-28-12 (.653)

2010-11 WCHA Team Head-to-Head Records • Final Regular Season Totals

(Note: each column has number of games against each opponent and season record vs that opponent. Each team plays a total of 28 league games.)

	UAA	BSU	CC	DU	MTU	UM	UMD	MSU	UNO	UND	SCSU	UW	GP, W-L-T, PTS
UAA	---	1-1-0	3-1-0	0-3-1	2-0-0	1-1-0	0-2-0	2-1-1	1-1-0	0-2-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	28, 12-14-2, 26
BSU	1-1-0	---	1-0-1	0-2-0	1-0-1	0-1-1	0-1-1	1-1-0	3-0-1	0-4-0	1-3-0	0-2-0	28, 8-15-5, 21
CC	1-3-0	0-1-1	---	2-2-0	2-0-0	0-2-0	1-0-1	2-2-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	28, 13-13-2, 28
DU	3-0-1	2-0-0	2-2-0	---	1-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	3-0-1	1-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	1-0-1	28, 17-8-3, 37
MTU	0-2-0	0-1-1	0-2-0	1-1-0	---	0-4-0	0-4-0	1-0-1	0-2-0	0-2-0	0-2-0	0-4-0	28, 2-24-2, 6
UM	1-1-0	1-0-1	2-0-0	1-1-0	4-0-0	---	1-1-2	0-2-0	0-2-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-2	28, 13-10-5, 31
UMD	2-0-0	1-0-1	0-1-1	1-1-0	4-0-0	1-1-2	---	1-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	0-1-1	3-1-0	28, 15-8-5, 35
MSU	1-2-1	1-1-0	2-2-0	0-3-1	0-1-1	2-0-0	1-1-0	---	0-2-0	0-2-0	1-0-1	0-2-0	28, 8-16-4, 20
UNO	1-1-0	0-3-1	1-1-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	---	2-2-0	3-0-1	2-0-0	28, 17-9-2, 36
UND	2-0-0	4-0-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	2-2-0	---	3-0-1	2-0-0	28, 21-6-1, 43
SCSU	1-1-0	3-1-0	0-2-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-1	0-1-1	0-3-1	0-3-1	---	2-0-0	28, 11-13-4, 26
UW	1-1-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	0-1-1	4-0-0	1-1-2	1-3-0	2-0-0	0-2-0	0-2-0	0-2-0	---	28, 12-13-3, 27

WCHA Men's Tie-Breaking Procedures - For Playoff Purposes Only

At the conclusion of the regular season, teams will be ranked by the number of points accumulated. If two teams are tied for first place, they will be declared co-WCHA champions.

The first round of the WCHA's post-season tournament will be a best-of-three games format at the home site of the teams ranked higher in the final regular season standings. All 12 teams participate in the first round of the tournament. First round playoff pairings will be: #1 rank vs #12 rank, #2 rank vs #11 rank, #3 vs #10, #4 vs #9, #5 vs #8, and #6 vs #7.

Following the six first round series, the six winning teams will be re-seeded #1 thru #6 according to their standings in the final WCHA in-season competition and will advance to the WCHA Final Five.

In the event that ties are encountered in the determination of WCHA ranking or designation of home teams for playoff purposes, the following procedures will be used in the order given to break the ties:

- If two or more teams are tied, head-to-head competition during the regular (conference) season will be used to break the tie.
- If two or more teams are still tied after (a), the highest seed will go to the team with the most WCHA (conference) wins during the regular season.
- If two or more teams played a four-game series during the regular season and the teams have the same win-loss records for those series and the same number of WCHA wins, the team having the least number of goals scored against it in the four-game series shall have the higher rank. If two or more teams played a two-game series during the regular season, proceed to tie-breaker d).
- If two or more teams are still tied after applying the provisions of (a), (b) and (c), the team having the greatest "winning margin" during the regular season will have the higher rank. Winning margin = WCHA goals for during the regular season minus WCHA goals against.
- Games played against WCHA opponents in holiday tournaments will not be counted in the determinations.

WCHA Regular Season Championship History

Winning the regular season championship of the Western Collegiate Hockey Association, as has proven time and time again over the past 59 seasons, is one of the toughest titles to win in all of collegiate sports. The conference's regular season championship includes the awarding of the historic MacNaughton Cup to the team champion by the league's Commissioner.

Since the Association's founding in 1951-52, the number of games that have made up the WCHA regular season schedule have fluctuated from a low of 12 games in the first campaign of 1951-52 to a high of 35 games that ran from 1986-87 through 1988-89. Since 1997-98, the conference schedule has consisted of 28 games per team.

MacNaughton Cup Awarded to WCHA Regular Season Champ

The MacNaughton Cup is awarded annually to the winner of the WCHA regular season championship, and as a traveling trophy, is on display throughout the course of each season at the home of the winning team. Beginning in 2005-06, the WCHA also began awarding a smaller silver replica MacNaughton Cup to the regular season champion(s) each season.

Dating back to its original purchase in 1913, handcrafted of pure silver, standing three-feet high, and weighing more than 40 pounds, the MacNaughton Cup is the shining symbol of one of college hockey's premier conferences.

The MacNaughton Cup has gone to the regular season winner on all but seven occasions since 1951. From 1962-65, the Cup was presented to the league playoff winner. And in 1982, 1983 and 1984, the trophy left the league with Cup custodian Michigan Tech and actually went to the champion of the CCHA.

Since 1951, nine different teams have won the MacNaughton Cup. Colorado College (1994, 1995, 1996) and North Dakota (1997 co-, 1998, 1999) are the only schools to have won the trophy three straight times.

History of the MacNaughton Cup: The MacNaughton Cup has been in existence and associated with amateur ice hockey in America since 1914. It has traveled a long and winding road since its initial purchase back in 1913 by the Calumet (Michigan) and Hecla Mining Company, but officially settled into a home with the original WCHA (MCHL/WIHL) in 1951.

In 1913, James MacNaughton, then president of Calumet and Hecla, Inc., and an avid supporter of amateur ice hockey, authorized the president of the American Amateur Hockey Association to purchase a cup (he said the price didn't matter) and present it to the Association's championship team at the end of the season. The first winner was a team from the Cleveland (Ohio) Athletic Club. The MacNaughton Cup remained with the AAHA until it ceased operations in 1920.

From 1921 to 1950, the Cup was fought for by semi-pro and intermediate hockey aggregations in Michigan's Copper Country. In 1951, the cup was donated by Calumet and Hecla, Inc., through the generosity of Mr. & Mrs. Endicott R. Lovell, to the newly-founded Midwest Collegiate Hockey League, forerunner of the WCHA. Lovell, president of the company at that time and the son-in-law of James MacNaughton, was also an ardent supporter of amateur hockey.

The MCHL chose—in the original spirit—to award the trophy to its regular season champion. At that time, the league was Michigan Tech, Colorado College, Denver, Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota and North Dakota. The MacNaughton Cup remained a part of the MCHL/WIHL until the league disbanded in March of 1958 for one year. In 1959-60, the seven original teams resumed formal competition under the name Western Collegiate Hockey Association.

From 1951 to 1981, the MacNaughton Cup was awarded to the regular season champion, with the exception of 1962, '63, '64 and '65 when it went to the playoff winner. When Michigan Tech left the WCHA to join the CCHA in 1981-82, they, as custodians of the Cup, took the trophy with them and for three seasons (1982-84) the MacNaughton Cup went to the winner of the CCHA regular season championship. When MTU returned to the WCHA in 1984, so too did the MacNaughton Cup.

WCHA Regular Season Champions

Year	Champion	Record
1951-52	Colorado College	10-2-0
1952-53	Minnesota	16-4-0
	Michigan	12-4-0
1953-54	Minnesota	16-3-1
1954-55	Colorado College	14-4-0
1955-56	Michigan	15-2-1
1956-57	Colorado College	14-4-0
1957-58	North Dakota	15-5-0
	Denver	12-10-0
1958-59	(No League Play)	
1959-60	Denver	17-4-1
1960-61	Denver	17-1-0

Year	Champion	Record
1961-62	Michigan Tech	17-3-0
1962-63	Denver	12-6-0
	North Dakota	11-5-2
1963-64	Michigan	12-2-0
1964-65	North Dakota	13-3-0
1965-66	Michigan Tech	15-4-1
1966-67	North Dakota	16-6-0
1967-68	Denver	15-3-0
1968-69	Michigan Tech	14-5-1
1969-70	Minnesota	18-8-0
1970-71	Michigan Tech	18-4-0
1971-72	Denver	19-9-0
1972-73	Denver	20-8-0
1973-74	Michigan Tech	20-6-2
1974-75	Minnesota	24-8-0
1975-76	Michigan Tech	25-7-0
1976-77	Wisconsin	26-5-1
1977-78	Denver	27-5-0
1978-79	North Dakota	22-10-0
1979-80	North Dakota	21-6-1
1980-81	Minnesota	20-8-0
1981-82	North Dakota	19-7-0
1982-83	Minnesota	18-7-1
1983-84	Minnesota Duluth	19-5-2
1984-85	Minnesota Duluth	25-7-2
1985-86	Denver	25-9-0
1986-87	North Dakota	29-6-0
1987-88	Minnesota	28-7-0
1988-89	Minnesota	27-6-2
1989-90	Wisconsin	19-8-1
1990-91	Northern Michigan	25-3-4
1991-92	Minnesota	26-6-0
1992-93	Minnesota Duluth	21-9-2
1993-94	Colorado College	18-9-5
1994-95	Colorado College	22-9-1
1995-96	Colorado College	26-2-4
1996-97	North Dakota	21-10-1
	Minnesota	21-10-1
1997-98	North Dakota	21-6-1
1998-99	North Dakota	24-2-2
1999-00	Wisconsin	23-5-0
2000-01	North Dakota	18-4-6
2001-02	Denver	21-6-1
2002-03	Colorado College	19-4-5
2003-04	North Dakota	20-5-3
2004-05	Denver	19-7-2
	Colorado College	19-7-2
2005-06	Minnesota	20-5-3
2006-07	Minnesota	18-7-3
2007-08	Colorado College	21-6-1
2008-09	North Dakota	17-7-4
2009-10	Denver	19-5-4
2010-11	North Dakota	21-6-1

WCHA Regular Season Titles, by Team

No.	Team	Championship Seasons
15	North Dakota	1958*, 1963*, 1965, 1967, 1979, 1980, 1982, 1987, 1997*, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2004, 2009, 2011
12	Denver	1958*, 1960, 1961, 1963*, 1968, 1972, 1973, 1978, 1986, 2002, 2005*, 2010
12	Minnesota	1953*, 1954, 1970, 1975, 1981, 1983, 1988, 1989, 1992, 1997*, 2006, 2007
9	Colorado College	1952, 1955, 1957, 1994, 1995, 1996, 2003, 2005*, 2008
6	Michigan Tech	1962, 1966, 1969, 1971, 1974, 1976
3	Michigan	1953*, 1956, 1964
	Minnesota Duluth	1984, 1985, 1993
	Wisconsin	1977, 1990, 2000
1	Northern Michigan	1991

* co-champions

WCHA Playoff Championship History

WCHA Playoff Champions

Season	WCHA Playoff Champion(s)
1959-60	Denver* and Michigan Tech*
1960-61	Denver* and Minnesota*
1961-62	Michigan Tech
1962-63	Denver
1963-64	Denver
1964-65	Michigan Tech
1965-66	Denver* and Michigan State^
1966-67	Michigan State^ and North Dakota^
1967-68	Denver^ and North Dakota^
1968-69	Denver+ and Michigan Tech+
1969-70	Michigan Tech+ and Wisconsin+
1970-71	Denver+ and Minnesota+
1971-72	Denver^ and Wisconsin^
1972-73	Denver^ and Wisconsin^
1973-74	Michigan Tech^ and Minnesota^
1974-75	Michigan Tech^ and Minnesota^
1975-76	Michigan Tech^ and Minnesota^
1976-77	Wisconsin
1977-78	Colorado College^ and Wisconsin^
1978-79	Minnesota^ and North Dakota^
1979-80	Minnesota^ and North Dakota^
1980-81	Michigan Tech^ and Minnesota^
1981-82	Wisconsin
1982-83	Wisconsin
1983-84	Minnesota Duluth
1984-85	Minnesota Duluth
1985-86	Denver
1986-87	North Dakota
1987-88	Wisconsin
1988-89	Northern Michigan
1989-90	Wisconsin
1990-91	Northern Michigan
1991-92	Northern Michigan
1992-93	Minnesota
1993-94	Minnesota
1994-95	Wisconsin
1995-96	Minnesota
1996-97	North Dakota
1997-98	Wisconsin
1998-99	Denver
1999-00	North Dakota
2000-01	St. Cloud State
2001-02	Denver
2002-03	Minnesota
2003-04	Minnesota
2004-05	Denver
2005-06	North Dakota
2006-07	Minnesota
2007-08	Denver
2008-09	Minnesota Duluth
2009-10	North Dakota
2010-11	North Dakota

* first-round winners; ^ second-round winners; + East & West Regional winners

Year-by-Year Playoff History Since 1987

1988

First Round (Best-of-3)

(8) CC 0 @ (1) UM 7; (8) CC 0 @ (1) UM 5 (UM wins series, 2-0). (7) NMU 1 @ (2) UW 2 ot; (7) NMU 4 @ (2) UW 5 (UW wins series, 2-0). (6) UMD 5 @ (3) DU 2; (6) UMD 7 @ (3) DU 3 (UMD wins series, 2-0). (5) UND 5 @ (4) MTU 4; (5) UND 3 @ (4) MTU 6; UND 4 @ MTU 3 ot (UND wins series, 2-1).

WCHA Playoff Championship @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: UW 2 vs UND 1; UM 6 vs UMD 0. Third Place Game: UND 6 vs UMD 0. Championship Game: UW 3 vs UM 2. All-Tournament Team: G - Dean Anderson, UW; D - Paul Stanton, UW; D - Randy Skarda, UM; F - Paul Ranheim, UW; F - Steve Tuttle, UW; F - Neil Eisenhut, UND. MVP: Dean Anderson, G, UW. Attendance: 51,807.

1989

First Round (Best-of-3)

(8) CC 4 @ (1) UM 5; (8) CC 1 @ (1) UM 7 (UM wins series, 2-0). (7) UMD 2 @ (2) NMU 7; (7) UMD 3 @ (2) NMU 7 (NMU wins series, 2-0). (6) MTU 2 @ (3) UW 5; (6) MTU 3 @ (3) UW 5 (UW wins series, 2-0). (5) DU 1 @ (4) UND 7; (5) DU 5 @ (4) UND 4; DU 3 @ UND 2 (DU wins series, 2-1).

WCHA Playoff Championship @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: NMU 4 vs UW 2; DU 2 vs UM 1. Third Place Game: UW 4 vs UM 3. Championship Game: NMU 9 vs Denver 4. All-Tournament Team: G - Bill Pye, NMU; D - Darryl Olsen, NMU; D - John Goode, NMU; F - Phil Berger, NMU; F - Doug Macdonald, UW; F - Jay Moore, Denver. MVP: Bill Pye, G, NMU. Attendance: 50,232.

1990

First Round (Best-of-3)

(8) MTU 2 @ (1) UW 4; (8) MTU 3 @ (1) UW 4 ot (UW wins series, 2-0). (7) CC 3 @ (2) UM 9; (7) CC 2 @ (2) UM 9 (UM wins series, 2-0). (6) UMD 4 @ (3) UND 11; (6) UMD 1 @ (3) UND 2 (UND wins series, 2-0). (5) DU 0 @ (4) NMU 3; (5) DU 4 @ (4) NMU 9 (NMU wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Playoff Championship @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: UM 5 vs UND 4; UW 4 vs NMU 3 ot. Third Place Game: UND 6 vs NMU 5 ot. Championship Game: UW 7 vs UM 1. All-Tournament Team: G - Duane Derksen, UW; D - Sean Hill, UW; D - Jason Herter, UND; F - Ken Gernander, UM; F - Greg Johnson, UND; F - Russ Romaniuk, UND. MVP: Steve Rohlik, F, UW. Attendance: 47,845.

1991

First Round (Best-of-3)

(8) CC 0 @ (1) NMU 7; (8) CC 3 @ (1) NMU 6 (NMU wins series, 2-0). (7) MTU 3 @ (2) UM 5; (7) MTU 5 @ (2) UM 6 (UM wins series, 2-0). (6) UMD 1 @ (3) UW 5; (6) UMD 2 @ (3) UW 5 (UW wins series, 2-0). (5) SCSU 4 @ (4) UND 2; (5) SCSU 2 @ (4) UND 10; SCSU 4 @ UND 7 (UND wins series, 2-1).

WCHA Playoff Championship @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: UM 3 vs UW 2; NMU 8 vs UND 4. Third Place Game: UND 5 vs UW 2. Championship Game: NMU 4 vs UM 2. All-Tournament Team: G - Jeff Stolp, UM; D - Brad Werenka, NMU; D - Sean Hill, UW; F - Mark Beaufait, NMU; F - Greg Johnson, UND; F - Larry Olimb, UM. MVP: Bill Pye, G, NMU. Attendance: 44,287.

1992

First Round (Best-of-3)

(8) UND 5 @ (1) UM 3; (8) UND 2 @ (1) UM 9; (8) UND 1 @ (1) UM 3 (UM wins series, 2-1). (7) SCSU 5 @ (2) UW 6 ot; (7) SCSU 5 @ (2) UW 3; (7) SCSU 3 @ (2) UW 4 ot (UW wins series, 2-1). (6) MTU 1 @ (3) NMU 9; (6) MTU 2 @ (3) NMU 6 (NMU wins series, 2-0). (5) UMD 6 @ (4) CC 7 3ot; (5) UMD 4 @ (4) CC 3 ot; (5) UMD 4 @ (4) CC 5 3ot (CC wins series, 2-1).

WCHA Playoff Championship @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: NMU 6 vs UW 3; UM 5 vs CC 1. Third Place Game: UW 5 vs CC 3. Championship Game: NMU 4 vs UM 2. All-Tournament Team: G - Corwin Saurdiff, NMU; D - Doug Zmolek, UM; D - Chris Hynnes, CC; F - Dan Plante, UW; F - Craig Johnson, UM; F - Tony Szabo, NMU. MVP: Corwin Saurdiff, G, NMU. Attendance: 44,079.

WCHA Playoff History con't

1993

Note: Alaska Anchorage invited to participate in WCHA tournament as an affiliate member and as No. 10 seed, prior to full-time membership in 1993-94.

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) UAA 2 @ (1) UMD 7; (10) UAA 0 @ (1) UMD 4 (UMD wins series, 2-0). (9) CC 3 @ (2) UW 6; (9) CC 3 @ (2) UW 10 (UW wins series, 2-0). (8) DU 3 @ (3) NMU 5; (8) DU 0 @ (3) NMU 7 (NMU wins series, 2-0). (7) UND 4 @ (4) UM 6; (7) UND 4 @ (4) UM 5 ot (UM wins series, 2-0). (6) SCSU 1 @ (5) MTU 3; (6) SCSU 5 @ (5) MTU 6 (MTU wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: NMU 4 vs MTU 3; UM 3 vs UW 2 ot; NMU 6 vs UMD 2. Third Place Game: UMD 7 vs UW 5. Championship Game: UM 5 vs NMU 3. All-Tournament Team: G - Corwin Saurdiff, NMU; D - Brett Hauer, UMD; D - Steve Carpenter, NMU; F - Derek Plante, UMD; F - Craig Johnson, UM; F - Greg Hadden, NMU. MVP: Travis Richards, D, UM. Attendance: 50,737.

1994

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 3 @ (1) CC 2; (10) MTU 0 @ (1) CC 3; (10) MTU 3 @ (1) CC 2 ot (MTU wins series, 2-1). (9) DU 5 @ (2) UM 8; (9) DU 3 @ (2) UM 6 (UM wins series, 2-0). (8) UND 1 @ (3) UW 6; (8) UND 2 @ (3) UW 4 (UW wins series, 2-0). (7) UMD 0 @ (4) SCSU 3; (7) UMD 5 @ (4) SCSU 8 (SCSU wins series, 2-0). (6) UAA 2 @ (5) NMU 5; (6) UAA 1 @ (5) NMU 5 (NMU wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Bradley Center, Milwaukee, Wis.

Semifinals: MTU 5 vs NMU 1; SCSU 3 vs UW 2 ot; UM 6 vs MTU 1. Third Place Game: UW 8 vs MTU 3. Championship Game: UM 3 vs SCSU 2 ot. All-Tournament Team: G - Grant Sjerven, SCSU; D - Chris McAlpine, UM; D - Mickey Elick, UW; F - Brian Bonin, UM; F - Jeff Nielsen, UM; F - Bill Lund, SCSU. MVP: Chris McAlpine, D, UM. Attendance: 61,367.

1995

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) UAA 3 @ (1) CC 11; (10) UAA 2 @ (1) CC 5 (CC wins series, 2-0). (9) NMU 4 @ (2) UW 3; (9) NMU 4 @ (2) UW 5; (9) NMU 1 @ (2) UW 5 (UW wins series, 2-1). (8) MTU 4 @ (3) DU 5 ot; (8) MTU 2 @ (3) DU 5 (DU wins series, 2-0). (7) UMD 4 @ (4) UM 5 ot; (7) UMD 3 @ (4) UM 4 (UM wins series, 2-0). (6) UND 3 @ (5) SCSU 2; (6) UND 5 @ (5) SCSU 2 (UND wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: UM 3 vs UND 2; UW 5 vs DU 4; CC 5 vs UM 4 ot. Third Place Game: UM 5 vs DU 4 ot. Championship Game: UW 4 vs CC 3 ot. All-Tournament Team: G - Kirk Daubenspeck, UW; D - Mark Strobel, UW; D - Eric Rud, CC; F - Peter Geronazzo, CC; F - Ryan Kraft, UM; F - Jason Elders, DU. MVP: Kirk Daubenspeck, G, UW. Attendance: 55,908.

1996

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) NMU 3 @ (1) CC 4; (10) NMU 1 @ (1) CC 6 (CC wins series, 2-0). (9) UAA 4 @ (2) UM 6; (9) UAA 1 @ (2) UM 7 (UM wins series, 2-0). (8) SCSU 3 @ (3) DU 1; (8) SCSU 4 @ (3) DU 6; (8) SCSU 4 @ (3) DU 0 (SCSU wins series, 2-1). (7) MTU 5 @ (4) UMD 4; (7) MTU 4 @ (4) UMD 3 (MTU wins series, 2-0). (6) UW 6 @ (5) UND 5; (6) UW 5 @ (5) UND 4 (UW wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Bradley Center, Milwaukee, Wis.

Semifinals: MTU 4 vs SCSU 3 ot; UM 4 vs UW 3 ot; MTU 4 vs CC 3. Third Place Game: CC 6 vs UW 4. Championship Game: UM 7 vs MTU 2. All-Tournament Team: G - Kirk Daubenspeck, UW; D - Mike Crowley, UM; D - Scott Swanson, CC; F - Brian Bonin, UM; F - Jeff Mikesch, MTU; F - Bret Meyers, MTU. MVP: Brian Bonin, F, UM. Attendance: 47,304.

1997

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 1 @ (1) UND 4; (10) MTU 0 @ (1) UND 3 (UND wins series, 2-0). (9) UAA 2 @ (2) UM 8; (9) UAA 1 @ (2) UM 5 (UM wins series, 2-0). (8) NMU 2 @ (3) SCSU 5; (8) NMU 2 @ (3) SCSU 3 (SCSU wins series, 2-0). (7) UW 3 @ (4) CC 9; (7) UW 0 @ (4) CC 1 4ot (CC wins series, 2-0). (6) UMD 1 @ (5) DU 4; (6) UMD 3 @ (5) DU 7 (DU wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Civic Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: CC 5 vs DU 2; UND 5 vs CC 1; UM 5 vs SCSU 4 ot. Third Place Game: CC 6 vs SCSU 0. Championship Game: UND 4 vs UM 3 ot. All-Tournament Team: G - Aaron Schweitzer, UND; D - Curtis Murphy, UND; D - Brian LaFleur, UM; F - Ryan Kraft, UM; F - Toby Petersen, CC; F - Kevin Hoogsteen, UND. MVP: David Hoogsteen, F, UND. Attendance: 56,707.

1998

Note: Minnesota State University, Mankato invited to participate in WCHA postseason tournament as No. 10 seed prior to full-time membership status in 1999-2000.

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MSU 2 @ (1) UND 5; (10) MSU 4 @ (1) UND 5 (UND wins series, 2-0). (9) UAA 1 @ (2) UW 6; (9) UAA 2 @ (2) UW 6 (UW wins series, 2-0). (8) DU 2 @ (3) CC 3 ot; (8) DU 4 @ (3) CC 6 (CC wins series, 2-0). (7) MTU 4 @ (4) SCSU 6; (7) MTU 3 @ (4) SCSU 2; (7) MTU 2 @ (4) SCSU 6 (SCSU wins series, 2-1). (6) UM 3 @ (5) UMD 7; (6) UM 5 @ (5) UMD 0; (6) UM 4 @ (5) UMD 5 ot (UMD wins series, 2-1).

WCHA Final Five @ Bradley Center, Milwaukee, Wis.

Semifinals: SCSU 4 vs UMD 3; UND 4 vs SCSU 3; UW 5 vs CC 2. Third Place Game: CC 6 vs SCSU 1. Championship Game: UW 3 vs UND 2. All-Tournament Team: G - Graham Melanson, UW; D - Curtis Murphy, UND; D - Matt Peterson, UW; F - Joe Bianchi, UW; F - Steward Bodtker, CC; F - Jason Blake, UND. MVP: Joe Bianchi, F, UW. Attendance: 38,707.

1999

Note: Minnesota State University, Mankato invited to participate in WCHA postseason tournament as No. 10 seed prior to full-time membership in 1999-2000.

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MSU 3 @ (1) UND 2 ot; (10) MSU 2 @ (1) UND 3; (10) MSU 0 @ (1) UND 10 (UND wins series, 2-1). (9) UMD 1 @ (2) CC 3; (9) UMD 4 @ (2) CC 5 ot (CC wins series, 2-1). (8) MTU 1 @ (3) DU 2; (8) MTU 2 @ (3) DU 4 (DU wins series, 2-0). (7) SCSU 5 @ (4) UW 2; (7) SCSU 3 @ (4) UW 2 (SCSU wins series, 2-0). (6) UAA 0 @ (5) UM 4; (6) UAA 0 @ (5) UM 1 (UM wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Target Center, Minneapolis, Minn.

Semifinals: UM 5 vs SCSU 3; DU 3 vs CC 2 ot; UND 6 vs UM 2. Third Place Game: CC 7 vs UM 4. Championship Game: DU 4 vs UND 3. All-Tournament Team: G - Stephen Wagner, DU; D - Joe Ritson, DU; D - Erik Westrum, UM; F - Paul Veres, DU; F - Jeff Panzer, UND; F - Justin Morrison, CC. MVP: Stephen Wagner, G, DU. Attendance: 42,226.

2000

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 0 @ (1) UW 4; (10) MTU 0 @ (1) UW 4 (UW wins series, 2-0). (9) DU 0 @ (2) UND 4; (9) DU 2 @ (2) UND 1; (9) DU 4 @ (2) UND 9 (UND wins series, 2-1). (8) UMD 5 @ (3) SCSU 4; (8) UMD 0 @ (3) SCSU 3; (8) UMD 3 @ (3) SCSU 7 (SCSU wins series, 2-1). (7) UAA 1 @ (4) MSU 2 ot; (7) UAA 2 @ (4) MSU 3 (MSU wins series, 2-0). (6) UM 4 @ (5) CC 2; (6) UM 3 @ (5) CC 2 ot (UM wins series, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Target Center, Minneapolis, Minn.

Semifinals: UM 6 vs MSU 4; SCSU 3 vs UND 7; UM 3 vs UW 5. Third Place Game: SCSU 6 vs UM 4. Championship Game: UND 5 vs UW 3. All-Tournament Team: G - Andy Kollar, UND; D - Travis Roche, UND; D - Dan Bjornlie, UW; F - Lee Goren, UND; F - Ryan Bayda, UND; F - Brandon Sampair, SCSU. MVP: Lee Goren, F, UND. Attendance: 49,717.

2001

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) UMD 3 @ (1) UND 2; (10) UMD 2 @ (1) UND 6; (10) UMD 0 @ (1) UND 4 (UND wins, 2-1). (9) UAA 1 @ (2) SCSU 5; (9) UAA 2 @ (2) SCSU 8 (SCSU wins, 2-0). (8) MTU 2 @ (3) UM 7; (8) MTU 1 @ (3) UM 3 (UM wins, 2-0). (7) MSU 0 @ (4) CC 3; (7) MSU 3 @ (4) CC 7 (CC wins, 2-0). (6) DU 4 @ (5) UW 6; (6) DU 2 @ (5) UW 6 (UW wins, 2-0).

WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: CC 4 vs UW 3; UND 2 vs CC 1; SCSU 3 vs UM 0. Third Place Game: CC 5 vs UM 4. Championship Game: SCSU 6 vs UND 5 ot. All-Tournament Team: G - Scott Meyer, SCSU; D - Travis Roche, UND; D - Duvie Westcott, SCSU; F - Tyler Arnason, SCSU; F - Mark Cullen, CC; F - Jeff Panzer, UND. MVP: Tyler Arnason, F, SCSU. Attendance: 67,612.

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2002

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 1 @ (1) DU 5; (10) MTU 1 @ (1) DU 8 (DU wins series, 2-0). (9) UMD 4 @ (2) SCSU 5 ot; (9) UMD 3 @ (2) SCSU 6 (SCSU wins series, 2-0). (8) UND 2 @ (3) UM 7; (8) UND 3 @ (3) UM 4 ot (UM wins series, 2-0). (7) UAA 1 @ (4) CC 6; (7) UAA 0 @ (4) CC 1 (CC wins series, 2-0). (6) MSU 2 @ (5) UW 3 ot; (6) MSU 3 @ (5) UW 7 (UW wins series, 2-0).

Dodge WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: UW 2 vs CC 3 ot; CC 0 vs DU 3; UM 4 vs SCSU 1. Third Place Game: CC 2 vs SCSU 1. Championship Game: UM 2 vs DU 5. All-Tournament Team: G - Wade Dubielewicz, DU; D - Ryan Caldwell, DU; D - Jordan Leopold, UM; F - Mark Cullen, CC; F - Chris Paradise, DU; F - Troy Riddle, UM. MVP: Wade Dubielewicz, G, DU. Attendance: 75,151 (record).

2003

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) UAA 3 @ (1) CC 5; (10) UAA 1 @ (1) CC 4 (CC wins series, 2-0). (9) MTU 1 @ (2) UM 3; (9) MTU 2 @ (2) UM 5 (UM wins series, 2-0). (8) UW 1 @ (3) MSU 2; (8) UW 5 @ (3) MSU 6 2ot (MSU wins series, 2-0). (7) DU 4 @ (4) UND 1; (7) DU 2 @ (4) UND 3 ot; (7) DU 2 @ (4) UND 3 ot (UND wins series, 2-1). (6) SCSU 4 @ (5) UMD 5; (6) SCSU 3 @ (5) UMD 2 ot; (6) SCSU 3 @ (5) UMD 7 (UMD wins series, 2-1).

Kellogg's WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: UMD 2 vs UND 1; UMD 3 vs CC 4 ot; MSU 2 vs UM 3 ot. Third Place Game: UMD 6 vs MSU 4. Championship Game: UM 4 vs CC 2. All-Tournament Team: G - Justin Johnson, UM; D - Tom Preissing, CC; D - Keith Ballard, UM; F - Junior Lessard, UMD; F - Grant Potulny, UM; F - Shane Joseph, MSU. MVP: Grant Potulny, F, UM. Attendance: 72,786.

2004

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 2 @ (1) UND 6; (10) MTU 3 @ (1) UND 4 ot (UND wins series, 2-0). (9) MSU 4 @ (2) UMD 3 ot; (9) MSU 2 @ (2) UMD 6; (9) MSU 5 @ (2) UMD 6 (UMD wins series, 2-1). (8) UAA 3 @ (3) UW 2; (8) UAA 0 @ (3) UW 4; (8) UAA 4 @ (3) UW 1 (UAA wins series, 2-1). (7) CC 4 @ (4) DU 3; (7) CC 6 @ (4) DU 1 (CC wins series, 2-0). (6) SCSU 1 @ (5) UM 6; (6) SCSU 3 @ (5) UM 7 (UM wins series, 2-0).

Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: (5) UAA 4 vs (4) CC 1; UAA 2 vs (1) UND 4; (3) UM 7 vs (2) UMD 4. Third Place Game: UAA 2 vs UMD 4. Championship Game: UM 5 vs UND 4. All-Tournament Team: G - Kellen Briggs, UM; D - Keith Ballard, UM; D - Matt Jones, UND; F - Brandon Bochenski, UND; F - Zach Parise, UND; F - Danny Irlen, UM. MVP: Kellen Briggs, G, UM. Attendance: 82,564 (record).

2005

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 1 @ (1) DU 7; (10) MTU 0 @ (1) DU 1 (DU wins series, 2-0). (9) SCSU 2 @ (2) CC 8; (9) SCSU 2 @ (2) CC 4 (CC wins series, 2-0). (8) MSU 2 @ (3) UM 7; (8) MSU 3 @ (3) UM 5 (UM wins series, 2-0). (7) UAA 4 @ (4) UW 5; (7) UAA 2 @ (4) UW 1; (7) UAA 1 @ (4) UW 2 (UW wins series, 2-1). (6) UMD 2 @ (5) UND 8; (6) UMD 1 @ (5) UND 6 (UND wins series, 2-0).

Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Semifinals: (5) UND 3 vs (4) UW 2; UND 1 vs (1) DU 2 ot; (3) UM 0 vs (2) CC 3. Third Place Game: UND 4 vs UM 2. Championship Game: CC 0 vs DU 1. All-Tournament Team: G - Curtis McElhinney, CC; D - Matt Laatsch, DU; D - Nick Fuher, UND; F - Gabe Gauthier, DU; F - Brett Sterling, CC; F - Rastislav Spirko, UND. MVP: Brett Sterling, F, CC. Attendance: 77,746.

2006

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) UAA 4 @ (1) UM 7; (10) UAA 2 @ (1) UM 6 (UM wins series, 2-0). (9) UMD 3 @ (2) DU 2 ot; (9) UMD 2 @ (2) DU 3; (9) UMD 5 @ (2) DU 2 (UMD wins series, 2-1). (8) MTU 1 @ (3) UW 4; (8) MTU 0 @ (3) UW 1 (UW wins series, 2-0). (7) MSU 3 @ (4) UND 2 ot; (7) MSU 1 @ (4) UND 4; (7) MSU 0 @ (4) UND 3 (UND wins series, 2-1). (6) SCSU 2 @ (5) CC 1; (6) SCSU 2 @ (5) CC 3; (6) SCSU 3 @ (5) CC 1 (SCSU wins series, 2-1).

2006 Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Quarterfinal: UMD 1 vs SCSU 5. Semifinals: UND 4 vs UW 3; SCSU 8 vs UM 7 ot. Third Place Game: UW 4 vs UM 0. Championship Game: SCSU 3 vs UND 5. All-Tournament Team: G - Jordan Parise, UND; D - Kyle Klubertanz, UW; D - Matt Smaby, UND; F - Ryan Potulny, UM; F - T.J. Oshie, UND; F - Brock Hooton, SCSU. MVP: Jordan Parise, G, UND. Attendance: 87,579 (record).

2007

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) UAA 2 @ (1) UM 6; (10) UAA 2 @ (1) UM 1 ot; (10) UAA 1 @ (1) UM 3 (UM wins series, 2-1). (9) UMD 3 @ (2) SCSU 1; (9) UMD 2 @ (2) SCSU 3 ot; (9) UMD 2 @ (2) SCSU 3 3ot (SCSU wins series, 2-1). (8) MSU 2 @ (3) UND 5; (8) MSU 1 @ (3) UND 2 (UND wins series, 2-0). (7) UW 3 @ (4) DU 2; (7) UW 2 @ (4) DU 1 (UW wins series, 2-0). (6) MTU 2 @ (5) CC 1 ot; (6) MTU 1 @ (5) CC 0 (MTU wins series, 2-0).

Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Quarterfinal: (5) UW 4 vs (4) MTU 0. Semi-Finals: (3) UND 6 vs (2) SCSU 2; UW 2 vs (1) UM 4. Third Place Game: UW 4 vs SCSU 3 ot. Championship Game: UND 2 vs UM 3 ot. All-Tournament Team: G - Philippe Lamoureux, UND; D - Taylor Chorney, UND; D - Mike Vannelli, UM; F - Jake Dowell, UW; F - Jonathan Toews, UND; F - Blake Wheeler, UM. MVP: Blake Wheeler, F, UM. Attendance: 88,900 (record).

2008

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) UAA 1 @ (1) CC 4; (10) UAA 2 @ (1) CC 3 ot (CC wins series, 2-0). (9) MTU 0 @ (2) UND 4; (9) MTU 3 @ (2) UND 2 ot; (9) MTU 1 @ (2) UND 2 (UND wins series, 2-1). (8) UMD 3 @ (3) DU 6; (8) UMD 0 @ (3) DU 1 (DU wins series, 2-0). (7) UM 0 @ (4) MSU 1 2ot; (7) UM 2 @ (4) MSU 1 ot; (7) UM 3 @ (4) MSU 2 2ot (UM wins series, 2-1). (6) UW 0 @ (5) SCSU 3; (6) UW 3 @ (5) SCSU 4 ot (SCSU wins series, 2-0).

Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Quarterfinal: (5) UM 3 vs (4) SCSU 2. Semifinals: (3) DU 3 vs (2) UND 1; (5) UM 2 vs (1) CC 1 ot. Third Place Game: UND 4 vs CC 2. Broadmoor Trophy Championship Game: UM 1 vs DU 2. All-Tournament Team: G - Peter Mannino, DU; D - Taylor Chorney, UND; D - Chris Butler, DU; F - Tom May, DU; F - T.J. Oshie, UND; F - Mike Hoeffel, UM. MVP: Alex Kangas, G, UM. Attendance: 86,855.

2009

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 1 @ (1) UND 5; (10) MTU 3 @ (1) UND 4 (UND wins series, 2-0). (9) UAA 2 @ (2) DU 3; (9) UAA 3 @ (2) DU 4 (DU wins series, 2-0). (8) MSU 1 @ (3) UW 7; (8) MSU 2 @ (3) UW 4 (UW wins series, 2-0). (7) UMD 4 @ (4) CC 1; (7) UMD 3 @ (4) CC 1 (UMD wins series, 2-0). (6) SCSU 2 @ (5) UM 4; (6) SCSU 0 @ (5) UM 3 (UM wins series, 2-0).

Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Quarterfinal: (5) UMD 2 vs (4) UM 1. Semifinals: (3) UW 0 vs (2) DU 3; (5) UMD 3 vs (1) UND 0. 3rd Place Game: UW 4 vs UND 1. Broadmoor Trophy Championship Game: UMD 4 vs DU 0. All-Tournament Team: G - Alex Stalock, UMD; D - Josh Meyers, UMD; D - Patrick Wiercioch, DU; F - MacGregor Sharp, UMD; F - Mike Connolly, UMD; F - Jordy Murray, UW. MVP: Alex Stalock, G, UMD. Attendance: 82,065.

2010

First Round (Best-of-3)

(10) MTU 1 @ (1) DU 2; (10) MTU 2 @ (1) DU 4 (DU wins series, 2-0). (9) UAA 1 @ (2) UW 4, (9) UAA 2 @ (2) UW 7 (UW wins series, 2-0). (8) MSU 5 @ (3) SCSU 4 ot, (8) MSU 2 @ (3) SCSU 3, (8) MSU 2 @ (3) SCSU 3 ot (SCSU wins series, 2-1). (7) UM 0 @ (4) UND 6, (7) UM 4 @ (4) UND 2, (7) UM 1 @ (4) UND 4 (UND wins series, 2-1). (6) CC 2 @ (5) UMD 3 ot, (6) CC 5 @ (5) UMD 3, (6) CC @ (5) UMD 4 (UMD wins series, 2-1).

Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Quarterfinal: (5) UMD 0 vs (4) UND 2. Semi-Finals: (3) SCSU 2 vs (2) UW 0; (4) UND 4 vs (1) DU 3. 3rd Place Game: UW 6 vs DU 3. Broadmoor Trophy Championship Game: UND 5 vs SCSU 3. All-Tournament Team: G - Brad Eidsness, UND; D - Ben Blood, UND; D - Garrett Raboin, SCSU; D - Derrick Lapoint, UND; F - Chris Vandevelde, UND; F - Tony Mosey, SCSU; F - Blake Geoffrion, UW. MVP: Evan Trupp, F, UND. Attendance: 71,533.

2011

First Round (Best-of-3)

(12) MTU 0 @ (1) UND 8; (12) MTU 1 @ (1) UND 3 (UND wins series, 2-0). (11) MSU 2 @ (2) DU 4; (11) MSU 2 @ (2) DU 3 ot (DU wins series, 2-0). (10) BSU 4 @ (3) UNO 2; (10) BSU 3 @ (3) UNO 2 (BSU wins series, 2-0). (9) SCSU 2 @ (4) UMD 4; (9) SCSU 2 @ (4) UMD 3 (3 ot) (UMD wins series, 2-0). (8) UAA 4 @ (5) UM 3; (8) UAA 2 @ (5) UM 0 (UAA wins series, 2-0). (7) UW 3 @ (6) CC 1; (7) UW 3 @ (6) CC 4 ot; (7) UW 1 @ (6) CC 2 (CC wins series, 2-1).

Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, Minn.

Quarterfinals: (6) BSU 3 @ (3) UMD 2 (ot); (5) UAA 2 vs (4) CC 4. Semi-Finals: BSU 2 vs (2) DU 6; CC 3 vs (1) UND 4. Broadmoor Trophy Championship Game: UND 3 vs DU 2 (2 ot). All-Tournament Team: G - Sam Brittain, DU; D - Chay Genoway, UND; D - Matt Donovan, DU; F - Matt Frattin, UND; F - Anthony Maiani, DU; F - Jason Schwartz, CC. MVP: Matt Frattin, F, UND. Attendance: 57,773* (* 4 sessions).

WCHA Team Notebooks • Final

Alaska Anchorage Seawolves

- The Alaska Anchorage Seawolves 2010-11 season came to an end on March 17 in the quarterfinals of the WCHA Final Five.
- UAA fell to then-No. 13 Colorado College, 4-2 at the Xcel Energy Center in just UAA's second appearance at the tournament.
- UAA is 6-35 in the WCHA First Round, having picked up First Round five of those wins against Wisconsin and Minnesota. At the WCHA Final Five, UAA is 1-3. The lone Seawolf win came against Colorado College on March 18, 2004 in the play-in game.
- At the end of the season, UAA posted a 16-18-3 record, and wrapped up league play with a 12-14-2 record (.464) – the best under head coach Dave Shiyak and second best since the Seawolves joined the conference. The best league record was in UAA's inaugural season (1993-94) with a 14-16-2 (.468) mark. The 16 wins is the most overall victories since becoming a member of the league in 1993-94.
- UAA advanced to the WCHA Final Five for just the second time in UAA history after sweeping then-No. 17 Minnesota on March 11-12, 4-3, 2-0 in the WCHA First Round, best-of-three series – the First Round sweep was the first in UAA history. The sweep was UAA's fourth of the season, and second straight on the road after sweeping Minnesota State on March 4-5.
- The 2-0 shutout on March 12 was UAA's third of the season and fifth straight win. The loss to CC broke UAA's five-game winning streak. The last time the Seawolves put together a string of five wins was in 1998-99.
- On Feb. 18, UAA defeated Nebraska Omaha, 3-2, running its Sullivan Arena winning streak to five games – longest such string since winning six straight on home ice from Dec. 4, 1998 to Jan. 16, 1999. The win was UAA's first time winning five straight WCHA home games since joining the league in 1993-94.
- UAA picked up at least one point against all WCHA opponents this season except Minnesota Duluth and North Dakota. The Seawolves swept four opponents (Colorado College, Michigan Tech, Minnesota State and Minnesota) and were themselves swept three times – against UMD in their season opener and at Denver and UND. UAA also split five league series – Bemidji State, St. Cloud State, CC, Wisconsin, UM and UNO. UAA picked up one point in the series against MSU and DU.
- UAA played six overtime games this season for a 2-1-3 record in extra minutes. Eighteen of UAA's 37 games have been decided by one goal or have ended in a tie.
- The Seawolves will say goodbye to five seniors – Tommy Grant, Nick Haddad, Craig Parkinson, Luka Vidmar and Sean Wiles.

Bemidji State Beavers

- The Bemidji State University men's ice hockey team capped its inaugural season in the WCHA with a 15-18-5 overall record, an 8-15-5 mark in league play and a trip to the Red Baron WCHA Final Five semifinal.
- The six-seeded Beavers defeated the No. 3 seed University of Minnesota Duluth in a 3-2 overtime thriller in the tournament's quarterfinal round. Trailing 2-1 after 40 minutes of play, senior Matt Read netted his team-leading 22nd goal of the season just :28 seconds into the third period setting up the third overtime game between BSU and UMD this season. Shea Walters potted the game-winner on the power-play just over six minutes into overtime. The goal was his first of the season.
- Friday, the Beavers drew the No. 2 seed University of Denver. The Beavers and Pioneers traded blow for blow through two periods and entered the final 20 minutes of play locked in a 2-2 tie. But the Beavers ran out of steam in the third period giving up four goals getting bumped from the tournament 6-2.
- Including Thursday's overtime affair with UMD, BSU played 12 overtime games in 2010-11. The Beavers played more OT games only once since making the jump to NCAA Division I for the 1999-2000 campaign. The 2002-03 Beavers played 15 OT contests. BSU's five ties this season matched its 2005-06 total for second-most ties in BSU's Division I-era behind only 2002-03 (8).
- The Beavers have four overtime losses in 12 extra time games (3-4-5) this season which establishes a new BSU Division I-era mark for OT losses in a season.
- In 2010-11, the Beavers played 15 games against teams holding down one of the nation's top 15 spots in the rankings and posted a 6-8-2 in those games. After going 0-5-1 versus nationally-ranked competition during the first two months of 2010-11, BSU is 6-3-1 versus the top 15 since Dec. 3.
- Since the Beavers made the jump to the NCAA Division I ranks, BSU is 13-45-4 (.242) versus teams in the top-15. With that said, BSU is now 11-10-2 (.522) versus the top 15 since the beginning of 2008-09.

- Sophomore forward Jordan George took the Beavers' 2010-11 scoring title. He established a new career-best with 36 points and 17 goals, while he becomes just the second player in the BSU Division I-era to open his career with back-to-back 30-point seasons. He follows teammate Brad Hunt who recorded scoring totals of 33 and 32 in his first two seasons as a Beaver.
- Senior captain Matt Read led the team in goals scored, also setting a new career-high, with 22. Read caps his career holding BSU's Division I-era scoring record with 65-78=143 points. He also owns program marks for goals (65), assists (78) and games played (147). He is 18th on BSU's all-time scoring list.
- The end of the 2010-11 season brings with it the end of six BSU players careers. The 2011 seniors make up a class that has been a part of three College Hockey America regular-season championships, a CHA Tournament title, BSU's first at-large bid into the NCAA Tournament a trip to the 2009 Frozen Four and the transition into a new building-Sanford Center – and the WCHA. BSU's 2011 senior class includes: Ryan Adams, Emil Billberg, Ryan Cramer, Dan MacIntyre, Matt Read and Ian Lowe.
- Fifteen of the Beavers' last 22 games of the season were played away from Sanford Center. With that said, BSU was 8-10-2 on the road this season and 8-5-3 on the road since Jan. 7.
- Leading the team to a 15-18-5 mark this season, BSU's bench boss Tom Serratore has led the team to 178-145-37 (.546) since inheriting the Beaver hockey program from legendary R.H. "Bob" Peters prior to the 2001-02 season. Serratore is second at the school in victories by a head coach behind Peters, who posted 702 wins at BSU from 1966-2001.

Colorado College Tigers

- Colorado College's appearance in the NCAA tournament this season was its 12th in the last 17 campaign and 20th time overall in the 73-year history of Tiger Hockey.
- Excluding two exhibitions in early October, CC played a school-record 45 games in 2010-11.
- The Tigers, who won national championships in 1950 and 1957, fell one victory short of reaching the Frozen Four for the first time since 2005. They made consecutive appearances there in 1996 and 1997.
- A 4-2 victory over the University of Alaska Anchorage in St. Paul, Minn., on March 17 was the first for Colorado College at the WCHA Final Five since 2005, when CC lost 1-0 to archrival Denver in the championship game after blanking Minnesota by a 3-0 count in the semifinals.
- This season marked the eighth time in Scott Owens' 12 years as head coach that the Tigers have surpassed the 20-victory plateau. CC has accomplished the feat on 14 occasions overall since the 1993-94 campaign.
- Freshman left wing Jaden Schwartz, who finished as the team's leading scorer with 47 points (17g, 30a) in just 30 games, collected 14 points (4g, 10a) of those in seven post-season outings. He and older brother Rylan Schwartz each recorded five points at the NCAA West Regional, where they contributed four apiece in an 8-4 opening-round victory over defending national champion Boston College.
- Jaden Schwartz, who also led CC with 14 multiple-point performances, averaged 1.57 points per outing. That would have ranked him third nationally had he played enough games to qualify.
- Schwartz and the rest of Colorado College's seven freshman skaters collectively accounted for 116 points (40g, 76a) this season.
- Seven different Tigers recorded 20 or more points while 21 factored in on at least one game-winning goal. Twelve different CC players scored at least one GWG.
- Colorado College was undefeated (17-0-1) this in 2010-11 when leading after two periods.
- The Tigers scored at least one power-play goal in 12 of their last 13 outings and in 31 of 45 overall for the season, when they finished with a 23.1-percent success ratio (56 for 242) with the manpower advantage.
- CC will lose only four seniors – goaltender Tyler O'Brien, defenseman Ryan Lowery, and forwards Tyler Johnson and Stephen Schultz – to graduation this spring. Johnson (20-17-37) and Schultz (17-28-45) were among a dozen upperclassmen to post career-high point totals in '10-11.

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Denver Pioneers

- Denver finished its 62nd season of varsity hockey with a 25-12-5 overall record. The Pioneers qualified for their fourth consecutive NCAA Tournament and 22nd overall.
- DU advanced to the NCAA Midwest Regional final, captured its 15th Denver Cup Classic title and retained the Gold Pan Trophy against in-state rival Colorado College for the second straight year.
- DU has won 23 or more games four consecutive years and the senior class of 2011 – Kyle Ostrow (Calgary, Alberta), Anthony Maiani (Shelby Township, Mich.), Chris Nutini (Centennial, Colo.), Jesse Martin (Edmonton, Alberta), Dustin Jackson (Omaha, Neb.), Jon Cook (Denver), Joey Brehm (Edina, Minn.) and Josh Rosenholtz (Ridgefield, Conn.) – became the first DU class to participate in four NCAA Tournaments. The seniors amassed an impressive 101-48-15 career record, including three Denver Cup Classic titles, one WCHA title and one WCHA playoff championship.
- Freshman Jason Zucker (Las Vegas), who was named WCHA Rookie of the Year, was joined on the All-WCHA Second Team by sophomores Drew Shore (Denver) and Matt Donovan (Edmond, Okla.). Zucker was joined on the All-WCHA Rookie Team by Sam Brittain (Calgary, Alberta) and David Makowski (Wildwood, Mo.).
- Shore led the team with a career high 46 points (23g, 23a) and Zucker added 45 points (23g, 22a) and Maiani had 36 points (8g, 28a). Donovan and Makowski led DU blueliners with 32 points (9g, 23a) and 30 points (6g, 24a), respectively. Maiani is tied for 42nd on DU's all-time scoring list with 126 points (34g, 92a), while Ostrow is tied for 76th with 105 points (55g, 50a).
- Brittain led DU with a 19-9-5 record, 2.28 goals against average, .921 save percentage and one shutout.
- DU averaged 3.24 goals per game and allowed 2.69 goals per game.
- The Pioneers were 18.6% on the power-play and 85.8% on the penalty-kill.
- The 55th Annual Denver Hockey Awards Evening was held Friday, April 22 at Cable Center.

Michigan Tech Huskies

- Michigan Tech finished the 2010-11 season with a 4-30-4 overall record and a 12th place finish in the WCHA.
- The season was also the last for head coach Jamie Russell who resigned following the season. He ranks second in wins at Michigan Tech with 66.
- Three players tied for the team lead in points with 21. Freshman Milos Gordic scored a team-high 15 goals and added six assists for 21 points. Senior Deron Cousens finished with a team-high 19 assists and added two goals for 21 points. Freshman Ryan Furne also finished with 21 points (12 goals, nine assists). Gordic and Furne both tied for the team lead in power-play goals with six.
- The team will return 24 of the 28 players from this years roster next season.

Minnesota Golden Gophers

- Season Recap: Minnesota finished the 2010-11 season with a 16-14-6 record and placed fifth in the WCHA with a 13-10-5 mark. The Gophers never won more than three consecutive games, but never lost more than three consecutive games either. Minnesota played some of its best hockey as the regular season was coming to an end. Minnesota was 5-0-2 in the team's final seven regular-season games, which was the squad's longest unbeaten streak of the season (also Minnesota's longest unbeaten streak since it opened the 2008-09 season with an 8-0-4 record). The Gophers faced eighth-seeded Alaska Anchorage in the first round of the WCHA playoffs and were upset 4-3 and 2-0 at home to end their season. Minnesota is now 26-3 in WCHA postseason games at Mariucci Arena, with all three losses coming to Alaska Anchorage.
- Annual Awards: Junior Kent Patterson earned three awards at the team's annual banquet. The awards are voted upon by members of the team. Patterson received the John Mariucci Most Valuable Player award, the Dr. V. George Nagobads Unsung Hero award and the Tom Mohr Playoff Most Valuable Player award for his performance in the playoffs. Patterson is the first Gopher to receive all three awards in the same year (the Tom Mohr Playoff Most Valuable Player award was first given out after the 1999-2000 season). Junior forward Taylor Matson was named the Mike Crupi Most Determined Player for the second straight year, while senior forward Mike Hoeffel received the Elwin "Doc" Romnes Leadership and Sportsmanship award. Freshman forward Nick Bjugstad earned the Frank Pond Rookie of the Year award. Junior forward Nick Larson, who had a 4.00 in the fall semester, earned the John Mayasich Outstanding Student-Athlete award, and sophomore defenseman Seth Helgeson received the Donald M. Clark Community Service Award for the

second straight year.

- Against The Frozen Four: Minnesota played a total of seven regular-season games (three at home and four on the road) against the four teams that advanced to last weekend's Frozen Four. The only team of the four that Minnesota did not play was Notre Dame. The Gophers posted a 3-2-2 record against Michigan, Minnesota Duluth and North Dakota during the regular season. The Gophers were 1-0-0 against Michigan, 1-1-2 against Minnesota Duluth and 1-1-0 versus North Dakota.
- Versus Ranked Foes: The Gophers played 14 games this past season against teams ranked in the top 20 in the final USCHO.com poll. Every game was against a team that finished the season in the top 14 and Minnesota was 6-6-2 in those games. The Gophers were 1-1-2 against No. 1 Minnesota Duluth, 1-1-0 against No. 2 North Dakota, 1-0-0 versus No. 3 Michigan, 1-1-0 against No. 7 Denver, 2-0-0 against No. 11 Colorado College, 0-1-0 versus No. 12 Union and 0-2-2 against No. 14 Nebraska Omaha.
- Outside the WCHA: The Gophers played six games against non-conference opponents and were 3-2-1. They beat Michigan and Massachusetts twice, while they lost to Union and Michigan State. The tie was against Ferris State.
- Road Success: Minnesota finished the regular season with only four road losses, which is the fewest amount of road defeats for the Gophers since the 2006-07 season when they lost only twice away from home (2-1 at Wisconsin on Jan. 12 and 5-1 at St. Cloud State on Feb. 23) during the regular season. This past season, the Gophers lost twice at Minnesota State and once at Minnesota Duluth and North Dakota.
- 2700th Game: Minnesota played its 2,700 game on Oct. 30 at Colorado College. The Gophers throttled the Tigers 9-4. Freshman Nate Condon tallied five points in the win and was also +5. He was the first Gopher to record five points in one game since Ryan Potulny (4g-1a) on March 17, 2006 versus St. Cloud State and the first freshman to do so since Phil Kessel (1g-4a) on Nov. 11, 2006 versus Alaska Anchorage.
- SayWhat?: Minnesota was 9-3-2 when it took more penalties than its opponent and is 4-1-0 when taking 10 or more penalties last season.
- Goaltender Remix: The Gophers had four goaltenders (Alex Fons, Alex Kangas, Jake Kremer and Kent Patterson) on their roster this season although only two (Kangas and Patterson) saw game action. Kangas played in eight games before undergoing season-ending surgery to repair a labral tear in his left hip on Jan. 14. That left the Gophers with only two goaltenders so coach Don Lucia brought in Fons as the team's third netminder.
- Kangas In The Record Books: Kangas leaves quite a legacy at Minnesota. He played 108 games for the Gophers (third in school history) en route to a 47-41-16 record. His .912 career save percentage is a school record and his 2.56 goals-against average is fourth-best all-time. Kangas recorded 2,802 career saves (third in school history). He set single-season records during his freshman year (2007-08) with a .930 save percentage and a 1.98 goals-against average in 31 games.
- Patterson Honored: The injury to Alex Kangas paved the way for junior Kent Patterson to become the No. 1 starting goaltender. Patterson seized the opportunity and was named to the All-WCHA Second Team. Patterson was the first Gopher to be honored on an All-WCHA team since Ryan Stoa (first team) and Jordan Schroeder (second team) were recognized after the 2008-09 season. He is the first Minnesota goaltender to be named to a postseason All-WCHA team since Adam Hauser (third team) after the 2000-01 season. Patterson led the WCHA with a .926 save percentage and was second in the league with a 2.31 goals-against average. His 67.4 winning percentage was third best in the league and his 13 WCHA wins tied him for third most in the league. Patterson recorded WCHA wins against Alaska Anchorage, Bemidji State, Colorado College, Denver, Michigan Tech, Minnesota-Duluth, North Dakota, St. Cloud State and Wisconsin. The only WCHA team that he played against and did not beat was Minnesota State.
- Early Ending: Minnesota's season ended on March 12 this year, which is the earliest the Gophers have finished playing since their season ended on March 3, 1984 (5-4 loss at North Dakota in WCHA playoffs). In addition, Minnesota's season ended at the current Mariucci Arena for the first time ever. The Gophers final game of the season was a 2-0 defeat to Alaska Anchorage in the first round of the WCHA playoffs. It was only the third time in program history that the Gophers were shutout to end a season (4-0 loss at North Dakota on March 5, 1955 and 2-0 loss at Michigan on Feb. 28, 1931).
- 36 Games: Minnesota did not travel to Alaska this year and did not play in a preseason tournament and as a result it played only 36 games. The last time the Gophers played 36 games in a season was the 1981-82 season when they finished 22-12-2. The following year the Gophers advanced to the Frozen Four. The last time Minnesota played fewer than 36 games in a season was the 1972-73 campaign. That year the Gophers went 15-16-3 in 34 games. The following year they won the NCAA championship.
- Playing At Home: Minnesota finished the season with a 9-10-3 home record. The 10 losses at home are the second-most in program history since 1950. The Gophers lost 11 home games in both the 1971-72 season and the 1976-77 season.

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- Iron Men: Jacob Cepis and Seth Helgeson played in all 36 games last season. Mark Alt, Nate Condon, Cade Fairchild, Jake Hansen, Mike Hoeffel and Aaron Ness played in 35 games.
- Among The Best: Senior Jay Barriball finished his Minnesota career with 51 goals and 79 assists for 130 points in 154 games. Since 1950, he is only the 33rd Gopher to reach 50 career goals and 75 career assists. He is the first Minnesota player to accomplish the feat since Troy Riddle (2000-04) ended his career with 82 goals and 96 assists.
- Fair Point: Cade Fairchild led all NCAA defensemen with 12 points (3g-9a) in February. Fairchild ended the year with 24 points, which means he registered 50.0 percent of his season points in February. Fairchild had a point in seven of eight games and took only one minor penalty during the month. Minnesota scored 32 goals in February, meaning Fairchild was directly involved in 37.5 percent of them. Fairchild was on the ice for 17 (53.1 percent) of Minnesota's 32 goals.
- Fresh Idea: All ten freshmen saw action for the Gophers this year, playing in at least eight games. The freshmen combined for 86 points (28g-58a) this year. Erik Haula led the group in scoring with 24 points (6g-18a). He was followed by Nick Bjugstad (8g-12a), Nate Condon (8g-9a), Mark Alt (2g-8a), Justin Holl (1g-6a), Tom Serratore (2g-2a), Max Gardiner (1g-2a) and Nate Schmidt (1a). Jared Larson and Jake Parenteau did not record a point this past year.
- Just A Nick: Nick Bjugstad was second on the team in freshman scoring (Haula led with 24 points), but recorded 16 points (six goals and 10 assists) in the team's final 16 games. Bjugstad missed five games early in the season with mononucleosis and both Mariucci Classic games as he was helping the United States earn a bronze medal at the World Junior Championship.
- Signed Up: Seniors Jay Barriball, Jacob Cepis, Cade Fairchild and Mike Hoeffel all signed professional contracts upon completion of their Gopher careers. Junior Aaron Ness left school early and also signed a professional contract.

Minnesota State Mavericks

- Minnesota State completed the the 2010-11 campaign with an overall record of 14-18-6 and finished the year in 11th place in the WCHA with a 8-16-4 league mark.
- Minnesota State head coach Troy Jutting (MSU '87) completed his 11th year at the Maverick men's hockey helm and owns an all-time record of 172-200-53 (467).
- MSU's all-time record in 1,405 games played is 724-549-132 (.562).
- The Mavericks announced their individual award recipients for the year with senior defenseman Kurt Davis earning the team's MVP honors. Other award recipients included senior defenseman Ben Youds (Unsung Hero, 3-Star of the Year), junior defenseman Cameron Cooper (Most Improved), sophomore defenseman Tyler Elbrecht (Hardest Worker) and senior forward Rylan Galiardi (Don Brose Leadership Award).
- MSU also announced that Tyler Elbrecht and senior-to-be forward Michael Dorr have been selected as team captains for 2011-12. Alternate captains will rotate monthly throughout the season with Cameron Cooper selected to serve as the first alternate captain.
- A four-year letterwinner who was a two-time All-WCHA Third Team pick, senior defenseman Kurt Davis had 21-75--96 in 150 career games to rank third on MSU's career scoring by defensemen list. Davis ranks as MSU's all-time top-scoring defenseman for MSU's NCAA Division I era and completed his career ranking tenth on the school's overall all-time chart for scoring during the DI era. The Plymouth, Minn., native led the Mavericks in scoring twice in his four years with the program (2010-11 and 2008-09) and was a three-time WCHA Defensive Player of the Week pick over the course of his career.
- Sophomore forward Eriah Hayes, who had 4-4--8 in the last 11 games of the season, ranked third on the club scoring charts with 11-11--22. One of six players to play in all 38 games, Hayes led the team in shots on goal (133) and ranked second in goals (11).
- Sophomore forward Eli Zuck tied for eighth on the team scoring charts with 5-13-18 on the year. He's ranked fifth on the team in assists.
- Senior defenseman Channing Boe, who signed a pro contract with Wheeling of the ECHL following the end of the season, finished his career with 8-17--25 in 131 career games. Boe played in 77 consecutive games played to cap his collegiate career and he tied for the team lead in plus-minus with a +9 for the year.
- Senior forward Andrew Sackrison completed his four-year MSU career with 17-35--52 in 125 career games. A fifth-round (124th overall) NHL draftee by St. Louis in 2006, Sackrison had 5-14--19 in 37 games as a senior.
- Senior defenseman Ben Youds had 11-56--67 and was +1 in 145 career games with the Mavericks. Youds led the Mavericks in scoring in 2009-10 and ranks 12th on MSU's all-time scoring by defensemen list (he's seventh for the school's DI era

for defensemen).

- MSU's top-scoring newcomer in 2010-11 was freshman forward Chase Grant (8-12--20 in 33 games), who was fifth on MSU's scoring charts. He tied for the team-lead in +/- on the year with a +9.
- Junior forward Michael Dorr, who was a two-time WCHA Offensive Player of the Week honoree during the course of the season, led the Mavericks in goals with 12 and ranked second on the team in scoring with 12-14--26.
- Sophomore defenseman Tyler Elbrecht totaled 1-7--8 on the year and ranked third on the team in plus-minus with a +5. Elbrecht, who scored his first career goal Oct. 16, 2010 in a 5-5 tie at Michigan Tech, was one of six Mavericks to play in all 38 games in 2010-11.
- Junior forward Justin Jokinen reached career highs for goals (9), assists (8) and points (17) in 2010-11 and was one of six players to see action in all 38 games.
- A two-time WCHA All-Academic pick, junior defenseman Cameron Cooper had career-highs for goals (3), assists (2), points (5) and games played (37) in 2010-11. He was named to the All-Tournament Team when MSU captured the Shillelagh Tournament title with wins over Notre Dame and Brown.

Nebraska Omaha Mavericks

- Nebraska Omaha finished its 14th season of hockey with a record of 21-16-2 and a mark of 17-9-2 in its first season in the WCHA.
- The Mavericks earned their second consecutive 20-win season and the fourth in school history this season.
- The Mavs' 17 conference wins and third-place finish in the regular season are also program bests. The previous high was fourth place in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association in the 2000-01 season.
- The Mavericks made their second-ever appearance in the NCAA playoffs in March, losing in overtime to Michigan in the West Regional semifinal, 3-2.
- UNO spent 22 weeks ranked in the top 15 in the nation this season, its longest ever stint in the rankings. The Mavericks achieved their highest-ever ranking in program history when they were ranked fourth in the nation for three straight weeks in November.
- The Mavericks set a team record with six shutouts this season, all of them earned by goaltender John Faulkner who set the school record for most shutouts in a season and is one from tying the school's career mark held by Dan Ellis.
- Faulkner earned 20 wins this season, just one from tying the school record for wins in a season by a goaltender, a mark also held by Ellis.
- The Mavericks allowed the fewest shorthanded goals of all WCHA teams for all games played - 1.
- The Mavericks had eight players who scored 10 or more goals, the most among all WCHA teams. They were Matt Ambroz - 17, Matt White - 14, Alex Hudson - 13, Rich Purslow - 13, Joey Martin - 11, Terry Broadhurst - 11, Brock Montpetit - 11 and Ryan Walters - 11).
- Seven UNO players have set career highs in points this season - Ambroz, Martin, Eric Olimb, Hudson, Broadhurst and Brent Gwidt.
- Senior Joey Martin became the 12th player in UNO history to score 100 career points when he scored a goal at Alaska Anchorage on Feb. 18. He finished his career with 103 career points.
- Joey Martin led the Mavericks with 35 points. Matt Ambroz led the team with 17 goals and six powerplay goals. He and Martin tied for the team lead with a +19 rating. Eric Olimb tied with Martin for the team lead with 24 assists, and Olimb led all UNO defensemen with 27 points. Alex Hudson led the Mavs with four game-winning goals. Matt White led all UNO freshmen with 25 points and was second on the team with 14 goals. Freshman defenseman Michael Young and senior forward Rich Purslow tied for the team lead with two shorthanded goals each. Sophomore Bryce Aneloski and freshman Andrej Sustr led the team with 58 blocked shots apiece.
- The Mavericks won eight WCHA Player of the Week awards led by John Faulkner who earned four Defensive Player of the Week honors. Matt White, Michael Young and Johnnie Searfoss all earned rookie of the week nods, and Eric Olimb also earned a Defensive Player of the Week plaque.
- Head Coach Dean Blais earned his 300th career victory when the Mavericks beat Wisconsin, 4-3, on Feb. 12.
- The Mavericks drew the largest crowd in school history when 15,137 turned out for a 4-1 UNO victory over Wisconsin on Feb. 11. Also this season, the Mavericks welcomed their 2,000,000th fan to their game against North Dakota on Nov. 19.

North Dakota Fighting Sioux

The Fighting Sioux went 32-9-3 overall in 2010-11 and advanced to the NCAA Frozen Four for the 19th time in program history ... UND defeated No. 5 Denver and No. 16 Rensselaer by a combined score of 12-1 at the NCAA Midwest Regional

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in Green Bay, running head coach Dave Hakstol's career record in NCAA regional play to 10-2 ... For the sixth time in his seven years, Hakstol was named a finalist for the Spencer Penrose Award as national coach of the year ... It was UND's ninth straight NCAA postseason appearance, the third-longest active streak in the nation behind only Michigan (21) and New Hampshire (11) ... UND went 21-6-1 in WCHA play and captured its second MacNaughton Cup in three years. It was UND's league-leading 15th WCHA regular season championship ... The Sioux also won their second consecutive Broadmoor Trophy as WCHA tournament champions ... UND led the WCHA in scoring offense and scoring defense in both overall games and league games, becoming the first team to achieve that feat since Colorado College in 2002-03 ... Senior forward Matt Frattin was named a 'Hobey Hat Trick' finalist for the Hobey Baker Award after leading the NCAA with 36 goals and ranking second in the national scoring race with 60 points. Frattin's 36 goals were the most by a Sioux since Russ Romaniuk scored 36 in 1990-91, and his 60 points were the most by a Sioux since Brandon Bochenski had 60 in 2003-04 ... Frattin, sophomore goalie Aaron Dell and senior defenseman Chay Genoway were each named AHCA All-Americans; Frattin and Dell were named to the first team, while Genoway was a second-team selection. It was Genoway's second career All-America honor ... Frattin was also named College Hockey News' Player of the Year and the WCHA Player of the Year ... Frattin, Dell and Genoway were each named to the All-WCHA first team, while junior forward Jason Gregoire was a third team selection ... Dell won 30 games, breaking Ed Belfour's school record of 29 set in 1986-87. Dell also led the nation in goals against average (1.79) and tied for the national lead with six shutouts. He ranked third in winning percentage (.795) and eighth in save percentage (.924). Dell also became UND's career leader in GAA (1.79) and save percentage (.923) ... Genoway, the WCHA Most Outstanding Student-Athlete, graduated with 127 career points, which ranks fourth all-time among Sioux defensemen ... He also tied Zach Jones' school record for games played by a defenseman (168) ... Junior defenseman Ben Blood led the NCAA with a +32 plus/minus rating ... UND entered the Frozen Four on a 15-game unbeaten streak (14-0-1) and an 11-game winning streak. It was UND's longest winning streak since winning 14 in a row in 1986-87, and the unbeaten streak was the longest by the Sioux since 2007-08 ... UND scored a league-leading 178 goals on the season, 42 more than the WCHA's second-highest scoring teams, Colorado College and Minnesota Duluth ... UND won 30 games for the first time under Hakstol and for the first time since 2003-04. With 32 wins on the season, the Sioux enjoyed the third-winningest season in program history ... UND's senior class accounted for an NCAA-leading 215 points and 90 goals ... The Sioux averaged a school-record 11,756 fans in 20 home games, including six of the top 10 crowds in program history ... Frattin and Dell won the WCHA's scoring and goaltending titles, respectively, becoming the first Sioux duo to accomplish that feat in the same season since Jeff Panzer and Karl Goehring in 1999-00. It was the first time any WCHA team had done it since CC in 2004-05 ... Frattin's 40 points in 28 league games were the most by a Sioux since 2000-01 ... UND went 24-0-2 when leading after two periods and 24-1-1 when scoring at least four goals in a game.

St. Cloud State Huskies

The St. Cloud State University men's hockey team completed its 2010-11 season with a 15-18-5 overall record and an 11-13-4 WCHA record ... All-WCHA junior forward Drew LeBlanc led the club this season in all offensive categories with 13 goals, 26 assists and 39 points ... he was tied for the team's goal scoring lead along with teammate Ben Hanowski, who also had 13 goals for the Huskies in 2010-11 ... in the assist leader category, LeBlanc was tied for the lead along with senior Garrett Roe, who also had 26 assists and 36 points ... junior Jared Festler posted 12 goals and led the Huskies with 6 power-play goals along with Hanowski ... sophomore netminder Mike Lee paced the Huskies between the pipes this season with 12 wins, 874 saves, a 2.75 GAA and a .910 save rate ... Roe leaves SCSU as the Huskies' all-time career assist leader with 113 from 2006-11. He also ranks third in the team charts with 178 career points, fourth with 26 career power-play goals and seventh with 65 career goals. A three-time All-WCHA recipient and LA Kings draft pick Roe played in 156 games during his career at St. Cloud State ... Lee currently ranks 8th in the team records with 1,632 career saves as a Husky ... junior defender Oliver Lauridsen signed a professional contract with the Philadelphia Flyers organization at the end of the 2010-11 season ... senior forward and team captain Aaron Marvin ended his career at SCSU with 27 goals and 44 assists in 154 games. A draft pick of the Calgary Flames, Marvin signed a contract with Abbotsford of the AHL and finished the 2010-11 season with that club ... rookie defender Nick Jensen led SCSU's defensive group in scoring this winter with 5 goals, 18 assists and 23 points. He is a draft pick of the Detroit Red Wings ... SCSU will return 8 of its top 10 point producers in 2011-12. This groups includes 4 of SCSU's top 5 point scorers including LeBlanc, Cam Reid (8g/21a), Festler and

Jensen ... on the subject of departing players, SCSU seniors in 2010-11 included Roe, Marvin, defender Brett Barta, defender Nic Rioux, forward Brian Volpei, forward Nick Oslund and goalie Dan Dunn ... SCSU coach Bob Motzko completed his sixth season as head coach with the Huskies. He was assisted on the bench this season by Mike Gibbons and Steve Johnson ... a highlight for the Huskies in 2010-11 was a first place finish at the 2010 Florida College Hockey Classic, which included wins over Cornell and Miami (OH) ... SCSU played the nation's strongest DI men's ice hockey schedule in 2010-11 according to USCHO's KRACH poll. In action against nationally-ranked teams, SCSU charted a 7-11-4 record – that included a lopsided 8-2 win over 2011 NCAA champs Minnesota Duluth on Feb. 11 at the new AMSOIL Arena ... all SCSU home games were televised on the Charter Mainstreet Network this winter through the award winning Husky Productions – a student ran television production group at St. Cloud State ... SCSU hockey games were also broadcast live on the radio by KCML FM 99.9 and selected games this season were also broadcast live on KVSC FM 88.1.

Wisconsin Badgers

Wisconsin (21-16-4, 12-13-3 WCHA) wrapped up its 2010-11 season with a 2-1 WCHA first-round playoff series loss on the road at the hands of Colorado College ... Wisconsin captured game one with a 3-1 victory and held third-period leads in games two and three, but fell 4-3 in OT and 2-1 in the final two games to end the series and the season ... the Badgers reached 20 wins for the third consecutive season, sixth time in nine seasons under Head Coach Mike Eaves and the 34th time in school history ... UW finished as the national leader in attendance for the 13th consecutive season since the Kohl Center opened and the 37th time in school history ... the Badgers averaged 13,226 fans per home game and totaled 290,970 fans in 22 home games ... sophomore defenseman Justin Schultz became the fourth Badger in three seasons, and the third defenseman, to be named a Hobey Baker Memorial Award Top-10 finalist ... sophomore defenseman Justin Schultz was named a First-Team West All-American, while junior defenseman Jake Gardiner was named to the second-team ... they are the 36th and 37th All-Americans in program history ... Schultz became the second defenseman in three years to lead the Badgers in scoring, pacing the team with 47 points on 18 goals and 29 assists ... his 18 goals are tied for second in UW history for single-season goals by a defenseman, finishing one shy of the school record. Schultz' 18 goals are the most for any defenseman in the country since the 2002-03 season ... Gardiner finished third on the Badgers with 41 points on 10 goals and 31 assists and gave the Badgers a pair of defenseman with at least a point-per-game average and gave UW the top two highest scoring defensemen in the country ... sophomore forward Craig Smith tallied in the final game of the season to grab the team goal-scoring lead with his 19th of the season, surpassing junior forward Jordy Murray and Schultz, who finished with 18 goals ... UW loses six seniors to graduation as forwards Podge Turnbull (20 points), Patrick Johnson (19 points) and Sean Dolan (16 pts); defenseman Craig Johnson (six pts) and goaltenders Scott Gudmandson (2.22 GAA, .921 save percentage) and Brett Bennett (2.63 GAA, .901 sv%) have completed their eligibility ... the Badgers sit 85-60-19 and own an NCAA championship game appearance during the 164 games since all but Bennett joined the program ... Bennett played his second year at Wisconsin after transferring from Boston University ... eight Badgers set career highs in points this season, including sophomore defenseman Justin Schultz (+25), sophomore forward Craig Smith (+10), junior defenseman Jake Gardiner (+20), sophomore forward Ryan Little (+7), sophomore forward Derek Lee (+8), senior defenseman Craig Johnson (+4), senior forward Podge Turnbull (+9), junior forward Jordy Murray (+5) and senior forward Sean Dolan (+5) ... goaltender Scott Gudmandson completed his career with a 38-19-7 record, a 2.39 goals-against average, .913 save percentage and seven shutouts. He finishes his career ranking seventh on UW's win percentage list (.648), second in goals-against average, fifth in save percentage, and sixth in shutouts ... coincidentally, Gudmandson's goals-against average and save percentage are the same as his Badger predecessor, Shane Connelly ... Gardiner and Schultz reached 10 goals, giving Wisconsin its first pair of defensemen to reach at least 10 goals in the same season since 1989-90 when Sean Hill (14) and Barry Richter (13) each reached the mark ... Wisconsin has now had seven seasons with at least two defensemen in double figures for goals ... Wisconsin's defensive corps led the nation with an average of 2.93 points-per game, leading the nation with 33 goals and 120 points in 41 games ... in three of the previous six seasons, UW's leading scorer was a freshman (Joe Pavelski, 2004-05; Kyle Turris, 2006-07) or a defenseman (Jamie McBain, 2008-09), and only one time during that stretch has a senior led the team in scoring (Andrew Joudrey, 2006-07) ... this season, sophomore defenseman Justin Schultz led the Badgers with 47 points ... the Badgers scored 47 of their last 62 goals at even-strength (75.8%) over their last 22 games. Prior to that stretch, only 52.2% of UW's goals were coming at even strength (35 of 67) during the season's first 19 games ... UW opens the 2011-12 season with practice on Oct. 1 and games on Oct. 7-8 at the Kohl Center against Northern Michigan.

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Scoring Offense:	Games	Goals	G/GM
1 North Dakota	44	178	4.05
2 Minnesota Duluth	42	143	3.40
3 Nebraska-Omaha	39	128	3.28
4 Denver	42	136	3.24
5 Colorado College	45	143	3.18
6 Wisconsin	41	129	3.15
7 Minnesota	36	113	3.14
8 St. Cloud State	38	112	2.95
9 Minnesota State	38	105	2.76
10 Alaska Anchorage	37	89	2.41
11 Bemidji State	38	89	2.34
12 Michigan Tech	38	75	1.97

Scoring Defense:	Games	Goals	G/GM
1 North Dakota	44	94	2.14
2 Wisconsin	41	98	2.39
3 Nebraska-Omaha	39	99	2.54
4 Minnesota Duluth	42	108	2.57
5 Bemidji State	38	102	2.68
6 Denver	42	113	2.69
7 Minnesota	36	102	2.83
8 Alaska Anchorage	37	106	2.86
9 Colorado College	45	131	2.91
10 St. Cloud State	38	113	2.97
11 Minnesota State	38	116	3.05
12 Michigan Tech	38	169	4.45

Penalty Minutes:	Games	PIM	PIM/G
1 Minnesota Duluth	42	619	14.7
2 Minnesota	36	528	14.7
3 Wisconsin	41	601	14.7
4 Denver	42	615	14.6
5 Nebraska-Omaha	39	569	14.6
6 North Dakota	44	629	14.3
7 Michigan Tech	38	528	13.9
8 Alaska Anchorage	37	504	13.6
9 Colorado College	45	600	13.3
10 Minnesota State	38	500	13.2
11 St. Cloud State	38	456	12.0
12 Bemidji State	38	429	11.3

Power Play:	Totals	SHA	PCT
1 Colorado College	56/242	11	23.1
2 North Dakota	52/227	7	22.9
3 Minnesota Duluth	50/219	3	22.8
4 Wisconsin	44/204	3	21.6
5 Minnesota	33/158	2	20.9
6 Bemidji State	26/127	3	20.5
7 Denver	35/188	8	18.6
8 St. Cloud State	38/208	4	18.3
9 Nebraska-Omaha	28/165	1	17.0
10 Michigan Tech	24/156	11	15.4
11 Alaska Anchorage	24/159	4	15.1
12 Minnesota State	27/188	5	14.4

Penalty Kill:	Totals	SHF	PCT
1 North Dakota	173/201	11	86.1
2 Denver	169/197	9	85.8
3 Alaska Anchorage	145/172	8	84.3
4 St. Cloud State	135/161	4	83.9
5 Nebraska-Omaha	151/181	6	83.4
6 Colorado College	157/189	5	83.1
7 Minnesota Duluth	166/201	7	82.6
8 Minnesota State	151/186	3	81.2
9 Wisconsin	158/198	4	79.8
10 Bemidji State	133/168	3	79.2
11 Minnesota	127/164	4	77.4
12 Michigan Tech	111/149	5	74.5

Combined Special Teams:	Totals	PCT
1 Bemidji State	159/295	53.9
2 Denver	204/385	53.0
3 North Dakota	225/428	52.6
4 Nebraska-Omaha	179/346	51.7
5 Minnesota Duluth	216/420	51.4
6 Alaska Anchorage	169/331	51.1
7 Wisconsin	202/402	50.2
8 Minnesota	160/322	49.7
9 Colorado College	213/431	49.4
10 Minnesota State	178/374	47.6
11 St. Cloud State	173/369	46.9
12 Michigan Tech	135/305	44.3

Special Teams Net:	PPF	SHA	PP	PPA	SHF	SH	NET
1 North Dakota	52	7	+45	28	11	-17	+28
2 Minnesota Duluth	50	3	+47	35	7	-28	+19
3 Colorado College	56	11	+45	32	5	-27	+18
4 St. Cloud State	38	4	+34	26	4	-22	+12
5 Denver	35	8	+27	28	9	-19	+8
6 Wisconsin	44	3	+41	40	4	-36	+5
7 Nebraska-Omaha	28	1	+27	30	6	-24	+3
8 Alaska Anchorage	24	4	+20	27	8	-19	+1
9 Minnesota	33	2	+31	37	4	-33	-2
10 Bemidji State	26	3	+23	35	3	-32	-9
11 Minnesota State	27	5	+22	35	3	-32	-10
12 Michigan Tech	24	11	+13	38	5	-33	-20

Scoring by Periods:	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
1 North Dakota	47	69	61	1	178
2 Colorado College	48	48	46	1	143
Minnesota Duluth	47	56	33	7	143
4 Denver	32	34	66	4	136
5 Wisconsin	32	51	45	1	129
6 Nebraska-Omaha	33	48	47	0	128
7 Minnesota	36	45	31	1	113
8 St. Cloud State	34	39	37	2	112
9 Minnesota State	36	37	31	1	105
10 Alaska Anchorage	29	28	30	2	89
Bemidji State	30	26	30	3	89
12 Michigan Tech	28	28	18	1	75

Goals Allowed by Periods:	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
1 North Dakota	32	30	31	1	94
2 Wisconsin	21	36	38	3	98
3 Nebraska-Omaha	23	35	38	3	99
4 Bemidji State	36	30	32	4	102
Minnesota	33	38	30	1	102
6 Alaska Anchorage	33	38	34	1	106
7 Minnesota Duluth	40	35	31	2	108
8 Denver	37	43	32	1	113
St. Cloud State	39	32	39	3	113
10 Minnesota State	30	37	47	2	116
11 Colorado College	39	48	43	1	131
12 Michigan Tech	44	66	59	0	169

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1	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	44	1.36	36-24-60
2	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	1.40	18-41-59
3	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	1.38	22-36-58
4	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	42	1.29	28-26-54
5	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	FR F	30	1.57	17-30-47
	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	41	1.15	18-29-47
7	Drew Shore	Denver	SO F	40	1.15	23-23-46
8	Jason Zucker	Denver	FR F	40	1.12	23-22-45
	Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	SR W	43	1.05	17-28-45
10	Corban Knight	North Dakota	SO F	44	1.00	14-30-44
11	Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	JR F	35	1.23	25-18-43
	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	41	1.05	19-24-43
13	Jake Gardiner	Wisconsin	JR D	41	1.00	10-31-41
	Evan Trupp	North Dakota	SR F	44	0.93	17-24-41
15	Brad Malone	North Dakota	SR F	43	0.93	16-24-40
16	Drew LeBlanc	St. Cloud State	JR F	38	1.03	13-26-39
17	Rylan Schwartz	Colorado College	SO F	41	0.93	10-28-38
18	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	36	1.03	6-31-37
	J.T. Brown	Minnesota Duluth	FR W	42	0.88	16-21-37
	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	43	0.86	20-17-37
21	Jordan George	Bemidji State	SO F	38	0.95	17-19-36
	Garrett Roe	St. Cloud State	SR F	38	0.95	10-26-36
	Anthony Maiani	Denver	SR F	41	0.88	8-28-36
	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	FR F	41	0.88	5-31-36
25	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	37	0.95	22-13-35
	Joey Martin	Nebraska-Omaha	SR F	39	0.90	11-24-35
27	Matt Ambroz	Nebraska-Omaha	SR F	39	0.87	17-17-34
28	Rich Purslow	Nebraska-Omaha	SR F	39	0.85	13-20-33
	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	FR D	39	0.85	8-25-33
	Travis Oleksuk	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	0.79	14-19-33
31	Tommy Grant	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	37	0.86	16-16-32
	Matt Donovan	Denver	SO D	42	0.76	9-23-32
33	Alex Hudson	Nebraska-Omaha	JR F	39	0.79	13-18-31
34	Terry Broadhurst	Nebraska-Omaha	SO F	30	1.00	11-19-30
	David Makowski	Denver	FR D	41	0.73	6-24-30
36	Jacob Cepis	Minnesota	SR F	36	0.81	12-17-29
	Cam Reid	St. Cloud State	FR F	37	0.78	8-21-29
	Brett Hextall	North Dakota	JR F	39	0.74	13-16-29
39	Jay Barriball	Minnesota	SR F	30	0.93	12-16-28
	Danny Kristo	North Dakota	SO F	34	0.82	8-20-28
	Kyle Ostrow	Denver	SR F	36	0.78	15-13-28
	Ian Lowe	Bemidji State	SR F	38	0.74	12-16-28
	Luke Salazar	Denver	JR F	42	0.67	17-11-28
	Gabe Guentzel	Colorado College	JR D	45	0.62	6-22-28
45	Kurt Davis	Minnesota State	SR D	38	0.71	9-18-27
	Eric Olimb	Nebraska-Omaha	SR D	39	0.69	3-24-27
47	Michael Dorr	Minnesota State	JR F	38	0.68	12-14-26
	Jordy Murray	Wisconsin	JR F	40	0.65	18- 8-26
49	Beau Bennett	Denver	FR F	37	0.68	9-16-25
	Matt White	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	39	0.64	14-11-25
51	Erik Haula	Minnesota	FR F	34	0.71	6-18-24
	Mike Hoeffel	Minnesota	SR F	35	0.69	13-11-24
	Cade Fairchild	Minnesota	SR D	35	0.69	6-18-24
	Jordan Kwas	Alaska Anchorage	FR F	36	0.67	4-20-24
	Jared Festler	St. Cloud State	JR F	38	0.63	12-12-24
	Nick Dineen	Colorado College	JR F	45	0.53	13-11-24
57	Ryan Walters	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	38	0.61	11-12-23
	Nick Jensen	St. Cloud State	FR D	38	0.61	5-18-23
59	Kyle Schmidt	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	35	0.63	11-11-22
	Eriah Hayes	Minnesota State	SO F	38	0.58	11-11-22
	William Rapuzzi	Colorado College	SO F	43	0.51	12-10-22
62	Milos Gordic	Michigan Tech	FR C	31	0.68	15- 6-21
	Craig Parkinson	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	37	0.57	8-13-21
	Ben Youds	Minnesota State	SR D	37	0.57	7-14-21
	Ryan Furne	Michigan Tech	FR F	38	0.55	12- 9-21
	Brad Hunt	Bemidji State	JR D	38	0.55	3-18-21
	Deron Cousens	Michigan Tech	SR D	38	0.55	2-19-21
	Brock Montpetit	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	39	0.54	11-10-21
	Brock Nelson	North Dakota	FR F	42	0.50	8-13-21
70	Nick Bjugstad	Minnesota	FR F	29	0.69	8-12-20
	Matt Bailey	Alaska Anchorage	FR F	30	0.67	10-10-20
	Chase Grant	Minnesota State	FR F	33	0.61	8-12-20
	Jake Hansen	Minnesota	JR F	35	0.57	11- 9-20
	Ben Hanowski	St. Cloud State	SO F	37	0.54	13- 7-20
	Podge Turnbull	Wisconsin	SR F	38	0.53	13- 7-20
76	Rylan Galiardi	Minnesota State	SR F	32	0.59	7-12-19
	Andrew Sackrison	Minnesota State	SR F	37	0.51	5-14-19
	Jacob Johnstone	Michigan Tech	FR F	38	0.50	4-15-19
	Bryce Aneloski	Nebraska-Omaha	SO D	39	0.49	2-17-19
	Patrick Johnson	Wisconsin	SR F	41	0.46	8-11-19
	Michael Mersch	Wisconsin	FR F	41	0.46	8-11-19
	Jake Marto	North Dakota	SR D	44	0.43	8-11-19

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83	Archie Skalbeck	Colorado College	FR F	33	0.55	9- 9-18
	Nick Shore	Denver	FR F	33	0.55	7-11-18
	Eli Zuck	Minnesota State	SO F	35	0.51	5-13-18
	Nic Dowd	St. Cloud State	FR F	36	0.50	5-13-18
87	David Eddy	St. Cloud State	SO F	18	0.94	9- 8-17
	Mitch Bruijsten	Alaska Anchorage	SO F	33	0.52	9- 8-17
	Sean Wiles	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	35	0.49	10- 7-17
	Nate Condon	Minnesota	FR F	35	0.49	8- 9-17
	Justin Jokinen	Minnesota State	JR F	38	0.45	9- 8-17
	Steven Seigo	Michigan Tech	SO D	38	0.45	4-13-17
	Dakota Eveland	Colorado College	FR F	38	0.45	3-14-17
	Derek Lee	Wisconsin	SO F	40	0.42	3-14-17
	Tyler Barnes	Wisconsin	FR F	41	0.41	5-12-17
	Mario Lamoureux	North Dakota	JR F	43	0.40	3-14-17
	Ryan Lowery	Colorado College	SR D	45	0.38	1-16-17
98	Sean Dolan	Wisconsin	SR F	41	0.39	7- 9-16
99	Travis Novak	St. Cloud State	JR F	35	0.43	6- 9-15
	Aaron Marvin	St. Cloud State	SR F	37	0.41	9- 6-15
	Derek Forbort	North Dakota	FR D	38	0.39	0-15-15
102	Kevin Wehrs	Minnesota	SR D	34	0.41	3-11-14
	Aaron Ness	Minnesota	JR D	35	0.40	2-12-14
	Zahn Raubenheimer	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	37	0.38	4-10-14
	Nick Haddad	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	37	0.38	3-11-14
	Michael Young	Nebraska-Omaha	FR D	37	0.38	3-11-14
	Shea Walters	Bemidji State	JR F	37	0.38	1-13-14
	Brett Barta	St. Cloud State	SR D	38	0.37	3-11-14
	Mike Seidel	Minnesota Duluth	SO W	41	0.34	8- 6-14
	Alexander Krushelnyski	Colorado College	FR F	44	0.32	6- 8-14
	Eamonn McDermott	Colorado College	FR D	44	0.32	2-12-14
112	Dylan Olsen	Minnesota Duluth	SO D	17	0.76	1-12-13
	Taylor Matson	Minnesota	JR F	33	0.39	10- 3-13
	Taylor Johnson	St. Cloud State	SO D	35	0.37	3-10-13
	Johnnie Searfoss	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	37	0.35	9- 4-13
	Emil Billberg	Bemidji State	SR F	38	0.34	5- 8-13
117	Ryan Cramer	Bemidji State	SR F	35	0.34	2-10-12
	Brett Cameron	Alaska Anchorage	FR F	36	0.33	4- 8-12
	John Lee	Denver	JR D	39	0.31	3- 9-12
	Ben Blood	North Dakota	JR D	44	0.27	2-10-12
121	Nick Larson	Minnesota	JR F	30	0.37	5- 6-11
	Jade Portwood	Alaska Anchorage	JR F	33	0.33	2- 9-11
	Mike Louwerse	Minnesota State	JR F	34	0.32	6- 5-11
	Sam Rendle	Bemidji State	FR D	34	0.32	3- 8-11
	Andrew Hamburg	Colorado College	SO F	35	0.31	5- 6-11
	Alex Gellert	Alaska Anchorage	SO F	36	0.31	2- 9-11
	John Ramage	Wisconsin	SO D	37	0.30	1-10-11
	Jamie MacQueen	Bemidji State	JR F	38	0.29	7- 4-11
	Frankie Simonelli	Wisconsin	FR D	39	0.28	2- 9-11
	Tim Hall	Colorado College	JR F	41	0.27	5- 6-11
	Joe Marciano	Colorado College	SO D	45	0.24	3- 8-11
132	Brett Olson	Michigan Tech	JR C	18	0.56	4- 6-10
	Patrick White	Minnesota	SR F	27	0.37	5- 5-10
	Dillon Simpson	North Dakota	FR D	30	0.33	2- 8-10
	Luka Vidmar	Alaska Anchorage	SR D	34	0.29	2- 8-10
	Curtis Leinweber	Alaska Anchorage	JR F/D	35	0.29	4- 6-10
	Mark Alt	Minnesota	FR D	35	0.29	2- 8-10
	Scott Warner	Alaska Anchorage	SO D	37	0.27	3- 7-10
	Brady Lamb	Minnesota Duluth	JR D	37	0.27	1- 9-10
	Channing Boe	Minnesota State	SR D	38	0.26	5- 5-10
	Ryan Little	Wisconsin	JR F/F	39	0.26	6- 4-10
	Wade Bergman	Minnesota Duluth	SO D	40	0.25	3- 7-10
	Mike Montgomery	Minnesota Duluth	SR D	41	0.24	0-10-10
	Derrick LaPoint	North Dakota	SR D	43	0.23	2- 8-10
145	Scott Winkler	Colorado College	SO F	26	0.35	3- 6- 9
	J.P. Burkemper	Minnesota State	FR F	31	0.29	3- 6- 9
	Aaron McLeod	Bemidji State	SO F	36	0.25	5- 4- 9
	Adam Mueller	Minnesota State	JR F	37	0.24	2- 7- 9
	Oliver Lauridsen	St. Cloud State	JR D	37	0.24	1- 8- 9
	Daniel Sova	Michigan Tech	FR D	38	0.24	0- 9- 9
	Derek Rodwell	North Dakota	FR F	39	0.23	5- 4- 9
	Andrej Sustr	Nebraska-Omaha	FR D	39	0.23	2- 7- 9
	David Civitarese	Colorado College	JR F	42	0.21	5- 4- 9
154	Eric Kattelus	Michigan Tech	SR W/C	9	0.89	1- 7- 8
	Brent Davidson	North Dakota	SR F	26	0.31	5- 3- 8
	Bennett Royer	Michigan Tech	SR W	26	0.31	4- 4- 8
	Dustin Jackson	Denver	SR F	30	0.27	5- 3- 8
	Mike Boivin	Colorado College	SO D	31	0.26	3- 5- 8
	Alex MacLeod	Michigan Tech	JR W	37	0.22	7- 1- 8
	Daniel Holmberg	Michigan Tech	FR F	37	0.22	5- 3- 8
	Jake Areshenko	Bemidji State	SO D	37	0.22	1- 7- 8
	Andrew MacWilliam	North Dakota	SO D	37	0.22	0- 8- 8
	Patrick McCadden	Michigan Tech	FR F	38	0.21	4- 4- 8
	Tyler Elbrecht	Minnesota State	SO D	38	0.21	1- 7- 8
	David Grun	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	42	0.19	3- 5- 8
	Chris Nutini	Denver	SR D	42	0.19	0- 8- 8
	John Ryder	Denver	SR D	42	0.19	0- 8- 8

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168	Corey Leivermann	Minnesota State	FR F	19	0.37	3- 4- 7
	Evan Mosey	Minnesota State	SO D	24	0.29	1- 6- 7
	Michael Cichy	North Dakota	SO F	25	0.28	3- 4- 7
	Justin Holl	Minnesota	FR D	25	0.28	1- 6- 7
	Jarrod Mermis	Denver	FR F	30	0.23	4- 3- 7
	Daniel Naslund	Alaska Anchorage	SO F	30	0.23	3- 4- 7
	Nico Sacchetti	Minnesota	JR F	30	0.23	3- 4- 7
	Dennis Rix	Michigan Tech	FR F	36	0.19	2- 5- 7
	Seth Helgeson	Minnesota	SO D	36	0.19	1- 6- 7
	Joe Schiller	Minnesota State	JR F	37	0.19	4- 3- 7
	Shawn Ostrow	Denver	SO F	41	0.17	2- 5- 7
	Keegan Flaherty	Minnesota Duluth	SO C	41	0.17	0- 7- 7
180	Zach Budish	Minnesota	SO F	7	0.86	2- 4- 6
	Tony Mosey	St. Cloud State	SR F	17	0.35	3- 3- 6
	Wes McLeod	Alaska Anchorage	FR D	24	0.25	2- 4- 6
	Mitch MacMillan	St. Cloud State	FR F	28	0.21	4- 2- 6
	Zach Lehrke	Minnesota State	FR F	28	0.21	2- 4- 6
	Dan DeLisle	Minnesota Duluth	SO W	31	0.19	4- 2- 6
	Jordy Christian	St. Cloud State	JR F	31	0.19	2- 4- 6
	Brad Gorham	Alaska Anchorage	JR D/F	34	0.18	1- 5- 6
	Kevin Gravel	St. Cloud State	FR D	36	0.17	1- 5- 6
	Radoslav Illo	Bemidji State	FR F	37	0.16	4- 2- 6
	Brent Gwidt	Nebraska-Omaha	SO F	37	0.16	3- 3- 6
	Chris Knowlton	Denver	SO F	38	0.16	4- 2- 6
	Craig Johnson	Wisconsin	SR D	41	0.15	1- 5- 6
193	Brian Volpei	St. Cloud State	SR F	20	0.25	1- 4- 5
	Carter Rowney	North Dakota	SO F	28	0.18	3- 2- 5
	Jeff Collett	Colorado College	FR F	28	0.18	2- 3- 5
	Aaron Pietila	Michigan Tech	SO W	31	0.16	3- 2- 5
	Carl Nielsen	Michigan Tech	SO D	32	0.16	1- 4- 5
	Dan MacIntyre	Bemidji State	SR F	32	0.16	0- 5- 5
	Joe Basaraba	Minnesota Duluth	FR W	36	0.14	3- 2- 5
	Jefferson Dahl	Wisconsin	FR F	36	0.14	2- 3- 5
	Cameron Cooper	Minnesota State	JR D	37	0.14	3- 2- 5
	Jake Hendrickson	Minnesota Duluth	SO C	38	0.13	1- 4- 5
203	Jesse Martin	Denver	SR F	8	0.50	1- 3- 4
	John McInnis	Minnesota State	FR F	14	0.29	1- 3- 4
	Mark Pustin	Alaska Anchorage	FR F	17	0.24	1- 3- 4
	Mikael Lickteig	Michigan Tech	JR W	19	0.21	1- 3- 4
	Joe Gleason	North Dakota	SO F/D	22	0.18	1- 3- 4
	Evan Witt	Michigan Tech	SO W/C	23	0.17	2- 2- 4
	Tom Serratore	Minnesota	FR F	28	0.14	2- 2- 4
	Nick Oslund	St. Cloud State	SR F	30	0.13	3- 1- 4
	Matt Carlson	Bemidji State	JR D	32	0.12	2- 2- 4
	Drew Olson	Minnesota Duluth	SO D	34	0.12	1- 3- 4
	Darcy Findlay	Bemidji State	JR F	37	0.11	0- 4- 4
	Paul Phillips	Denver	SO D	38	0.11	0- 4- 4
	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO G	39	0.10	0- 4- 4
216	Justin Kirchhevel	Alaska Anchorage	FR F	8	0.38	2- 1- 3
	Brady Wacker	Bemidji State	SO D	11	0.27	0- 3- 3
	Keegan Meuer	Wisconsin	SO F	14	0.21	1- 2- 3
	Max Gardiner	Minnesota	FR F	17	0.18	1- 2- 3
	Chris Hepp	St. Cloud State	SR D	20	0.15	1- 2- 3
	Brance Orban	Bemidji State	SO F	21	0.14	1- 2- 3
	Max Tardy	Minnesota Duluth	FR C	26	0.12	1- 2- 3
	Pasko Skarica	Nebraska-Omaha	SR D	29	0.10	0- 3- 3
	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR G	31	0.10	0- 3- 3
	Quinn Sproule	Alaska Anchorage	FR D	32	0.09	0- 3- 3
	Drew Fisher	Bemidji State	JR F	37	0.08	1- 2- 3
	Ryan Adams	Bemidji State	SR D	38	0.08	0- 3- 3
228	Anthony Schooley	Michigan Tech	SO W	6	0.33	1- 1- 2
	Taylor Dickin	North Dakota	FR F	8	0.25	1- 1- 2
	Mickey Spencer	Alaska Anchorage	SO F	13	0.15	2- 0- 2
	Austin Lee	Minnesota State	JR G	13	0.15	0- 2- 2
	Brett Bennett	Wisconsin	SR G	13	0.15	0- 2- 2
	Tony Turgeon	Nebraska-Omaha	FR D	15	0.13	0- 2- 2
	Sam Zabkowicz	St. Cloud State	JR D	19	0.11	0- 2- 2
	Joe Faust	Wisconsin	FR D	20	0.10	1- 1- 2
	Jeff Jubinville	Bemidji State	FR F	21	0.10	2- 0- 2
	Tyler Gubb	Michigan Tech	FR F	22	0.09	0- 2- 2
	Kyle Ensign	Nebraska-Omaha	JR D	22	0.09	0- 2- 2
	Arthur Bidwill	Colorado College	JR D/F	23	0.09	0- 2- 2
	Tyler Currier	Alaska Anchorage	SO F	24	0.08	0- 2- 2
	Trent Palm	Minnesota Duluth	SR D	28	0.07	0- 2- 2
	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO G	28	0.07	0- 2- 2
	Eric Springer	Wisconsin	JR D	28	0.07	0- 2- 2
	Ricky Dorio	Michigan Tech	JR D	31	0.06	1- 1- 2
	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR G	31	0.06	0- 2- 2
	Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	SO G	32	0.06	0- 2- 2
	Sam Brittain	Denver	FR G	33	0.06	0- 2- 2
	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO G	40	0.05	0- 2- 2

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249	Brett Peterson	Minnesota State	JR F	2	0.50	1- 0- 1
	Danny Heath	Minnesota State	FR D	3	0.33	0- 1- 1
	Alan L'Esperance	Michigan Tech	FR F	5	0.20	0- 1- 1
	Kyle Brodie	Bemidji State	FR D	6	0.17	1- 0- 1
	Scott Kishel	Minnesota Duluth	JR D	7	0.14	0- 1- 1
	Michael Morin	Colorado College	FR F	8	0.12	1- 0- 1
	Brandon Richardson	Nebraska-Omaha	SO F	8	0.12	0- 1- 1
	Chris Crowell	Alaska Anchorage	SO F	10	0.10	1- 0- 1
	Matt Smith	Nebraska-Omaha	JR D	10	0.10	0- 1- 1
	Dan Dunn	St. Cloud State	SR G	10	0.10	0- 1- 1
	Sean Little	Wisconsin	FR F	10	0.10	0- 1- 1
	Adam Murray	Denver	SO G	11	0.09	0- 1- 1
	Chad Huttel	Minnesota Duluth	SR D	11	0.09	0- 1- 1
	Cory Thorson	St. Cloud State	FR F	12	0.08	0- 1- 1
	Nate Schmidt	Minnesota	FR D	13	0.08	0- 1- 1
	Pete Heinonen	Michigan Tech	SO D	14	0.07	1- 0- 1
	Gavin Hartzog	Wisconsin	FR F	14	0.07	1- 0- 1
	Jason Clark	Wisconsin	FR F	14	0.07	0- 1- 1
	Bryce Reddick	Michigan Tech	JR W	16	0.06	1- 0- 1
	Josh Nelson	Minnesota State	FR D	16	0.06	0- 1- 1
	Doug Leaverton	Colorado College	SO D	18	0.06	0- 1- 1
	William Wrenn	Denver	SO D	18	0.06	0- 1- 1
	Ted Behrend	Colorado College	JR D	19	0.05	0- 1- 1
	Dan Olszewski	Denver	FR F	19	0.05	0- 1- 1
	Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	JR G	19	0.05	0- 1- 1
	Jordan Willert	Nebraska-Omaha	JR F	21	0.05	1- 0- 1
	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR G	23	0.04	0- 1- 1
	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO G	24	0.04	0- 1- 1
	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR G	29	0.03	0- 1- 1
	Brad Stebner	Michigan Tech	FR D	30	0.03	0- 1- 1
	Kent Patterson	Minnesota	JR G	30	0.03	0- 1- 1
	Tommy Brown	Michigan Tech	SO D	33	0.03	0- 1- 1
	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO G	36	0.03	0- 1- 1

Goal Scoring:

				GP	GPG	G
1	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	44	0.82	36
2	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	42	0.67	28
3	Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	JR F	35	0.71	25
4	Drew Shore	Denver	SO F	40	0.57	23
	Jason Zucker	Denver	FR F	40	0.57	23
6	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	37	0.59	22
	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	0.52	22
8	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	43	0.47	20
9	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	41	0.46	19
10	Jordy Murray	Wisconsin	JR F	40	0.45	18
	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	41	0.44	18
	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	0.43	18

Assist Scoring:

				GP	APG	A
1	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	0.98	41
2	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	0.86	36
3	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	36	0.86	31
	Jake Gardiner	Wisconsin	JR D	41	0.76	31
	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	FR F	41	0.76	31
6	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	FR F	30	1.00	30
	Corban Knight	North Dakota	SO F	44	0.68	30
8	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	41	0.71	29
9	Rylan Schwartz	Colorado College	SO F	41	0.68	28
	Anthony Maiani	Denver	SR F	41	0.68	28
	Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	SR W	43	0.65	28

Power Play Points:

				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	41	0.66	9-18-27
2	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	FR F	30	0.83	8-17-25
	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	0.60	12-13-25
	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	0.60	7-18-25
	Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	SR W	43	0.58	9-16-25
6	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	41	0.56	8-15-23
	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	42	0.55	7-16-23
8	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	FR D	39	0.54	6-15-21
	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	FR F	41	0.51	2-19-21
10	Drew LeBlanc	St. Cloud State	JR F	38	0.53	4-16-20

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Power Play Goals:				GP	GPG	G
1	Jordy Murray	Wisconsin	JR F	40	0.30	12
	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	0.29	12
	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	43	0.28	12
4	Nick Dineen	Colorado College	JR F	45	0.24	11
5	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	44	0.23	10
6	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	41	0.22	9
	Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	SR W	43	0.21	9
8	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	FR F	30	0.27	8
	Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	JR F	35	0.23	8
	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	37	0.22	8
	Drew Shore	Denver	SO F	40	0.20	8
	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	41	0.20	8

Short-Handed Points:				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Kyle Ostrow	Denver	SR F	36	0.14	3- 2- 5
	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	0.12	1- 4- 5
3	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	42	0.10	4- 0- 4
	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	44	0.09	3- 1- 4
5	Jade Portwood	Alaska Anchorage	JR F	33	0.09	0- 3- 3
	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	36	0.08	0- 3- 3
	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	37	0.08	3- 0- 3
	Michael Young	Nebraska-Omaha	FR D	37	0.08	2- 1- 3
	Anthony Maiani	Denver	SR F	41	0.07	2- 1- 3
	Patrick Johnson	Wisconsin	SR F	41	0.07	1- 2- 3
	Matt Donovan	Denver	SO D	42	0.07	1- 2- 3
	Mario Lamoureux	North Dakota	JR F	43	0.07	1- 2- 3
	Alexander Krushelnyski	Colorado College	FR F	44	0.07	2- 1- 3

Game-Winning Goals:				GP	G
1	Jason Zucker	Denver	FR F	40	7
	Travis Oleksuk	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	7
3	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	44	6
4	Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	JR F	35	5
	Tommy Grant	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	37	5
	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	41	5
	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	43	5
	Brad Malone	North Dakota	SR F	43	5
9	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	FR F	30	4
	Cam Reid	St. Cloud State	FR F	37	4
	Alex Hudson	Nebraska-Omaha	JR F	39	4

Defenseman Scoring:				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	41	1.15	18-29-47
2	Jake Gardiner	Wisconsin	JR D	41	1.00	10-31-41
3	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	36	1.03	6-31-37
4	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	FR D	39	0.85	8-25-33
5	Matt Donovan	Denver	SO D	42	0.76	9-23-32
6	David Makowski	Denver	FR D	41	0.73	6-24-30
7	Gabe Guentzel	Colorado College	JR D	45	0.62	6-22-28
8	Kurt Davis	Minnesota State	SR D	38	0.71	9-18-27
	Eric Olimb	Nebraska-Omaha	SR D	39	0.69	3-24-27
10	Cade Fairchild	Minnesota	SR D	35	0.69	6-18-24
11	Nick Jensen	St. Cloud State	FR D	38	0.61	5-18-23
12	Ben Youds	Minnesota State	SR D	37	0.57	7-14-21
	Brad Hunt	Bemidji State	JR D	38	0.55	3-18-21
	Deron Cousens	Michigan Tech	SR D	38	0.55	2-19-21
15	Bryce Aneloski	Nebraska-Omaha	SO D	39	0.49	2-17-19
	Jake Marto	North Dakota	SR D	44	0.43	8-11-19
17	Steven Seigo	Michigan Tech	SO D	38	0.45	4-13-17
	Ryan Lowery	Colorado College	SR D	45	0.38	1-16-17
19	Derek Forbort	North Dakota	FR D	38	0.39	0-15-15
20	Kevin Wehrs	Minnesota	SR D	34	0.41	3-11-14
	Aaron Ness	Minnesota	JR D	35	0.40	2-12-14
	Michael Young	Nebraska-Omaha	FR D	37	0.38	3-11-14
	Brett Barta	St. Cloud State	SR D	38	0.37	3-11-14
	Eamonn McDermott	Colorado College	FR D	44	0.32	2-12-14
25	Dylan Olsen	Minnesota Duluth	SO D	17	0.76	1-12-13
	Taylor Johnson	St. Cloud State	SO D	35	0.37	3-10-13
27	John Lee	Denver	JR D	39	0.31	3- 9-12
	Ben Blood	North Dakota	JR D	44	0.27	2-10-12
29	Sam Rendle	Bemidji State	FR D	34	0.32	3- 8-11
	John Ramage	Wisconsin	SO D	37	0.30	1-10-11
	Frankie Simonelli	Wisconsin	FR D	39	0.28	2- 9-11
	Joe Marciano	Colorado College	SO D	45	0.24	3- 8-11
33	Dillon Simpson	North Dakota	FR D	30	0.33	2- 8-10
	Luka Vidmar	Alaska Anchorage	SR D	34	0.29	2- 8-10
	Mark Alt	Minnesota	FR D	35	0.29	2- 8-10
	Scott Warner	Alaska Anchorage	SO D	37	0.27	3- 7-10
	Brady Lamb	Minnesota Duluth	JR D	37	0.27	1- 9-10
	Channing Boe	Minnesota State	SR D	38	0.26	5- 5-10
	Wade Bergman	Minnesota Duluth	SO D	40	0.25	3- 7-10
	Mike Montgomery	Minnesota Duluth	SR D	41	0.24	0-10-10
	Derrick LaPoint	North Dakota	SR D	43	0.23	2- 8-10

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Freshman Scoring:				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	F	30	1.57	17-30-47
2	Jason Zucker	Denver	F	40	1.12	23-22-45
3	J.T. Brown	Minnesota Duluth	W	42	0.88	16-21-37
4	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	F	41	0.88	5-31-36
5	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	D	39	0.85	8-25-33
6	David Makowski	Denver	D	41	0.73	6-24-30
7	Cam Reid	St. Cloud State	F	37	0.78	8-21-29
8	Beau Bennett	Denver	F	37	0.68	9-16-25
	Matt White	Nebraska-Omaha	F	39	0.64	14-11-25
10	Erik Haula	Minnesota	F	34	0.71	6-18-24
	Jordan Kwas	Alaska Anchorage	F	36	0.67	4-20-24
12	Ryan Walters	Nebraska-Omaha	F	38	0.61	11-12-23
	Nick Jensen	St. Cloud State	D	38	0.61	5-18-23
14	Milos Gordic	Michigan Tech	C	31	0.68	15- 6-21
	Ryan Furne	Michigan Tech	F	38	0.55	12- 9-21
	Brock Montpetit	Nebraska-Omaha	F	39	0.54	11-10-21
	Brock Nelson	North Dakota	F	42	0.50	8-13-21
18	Nick Bjugstad	Minnesota	F	29	0.69	8-12-20
	Matt Bailey	Alaska Anchorage	F	30	0.67	10-10-20
	Chase Grant	Minnesota State	F	33	0.61	8-12-20
21	Jacob Johnstone	Michigan Tech	F	38	0.50	4-15-19
	Michael Mersch	Wisconsin	F	41	0.46	8-11-19
23	Archie Skalbeck	Colorado College	F	33	0.55	9- 9-18
	Nick Shore	Denver	F	33	0.55	7-11-18
	Nic Dowd	St. Cloud State	F	36	0.50	5-13-18
26	Nate Condon	Minnesota	F	35	0.49	8- 9-17
	Dakota Eveland	Colorado College	F	38	0.45	3-14-17
	Tyler Barnes	Wisconsin	F	41	0.41	5-12-17
29	Derek Forbort	North Dakota	D	38	0.39	0-15-15
30	Zahn Raubenheimer	Nebraska-Omaha	F	37	0.38	4-10-14
	Michael Young	Nebraska-Omaha	D	37	0.38	3-11-14
	Alexander Krushelnyski	Colorado College	F	44	0.32	6- 8-14
	Eamonn McDermott	Colorado College	D	44	0.32	2-12-14
34	Johnnie Searfoss	Nebraska-Omaha	F	37	0.35	9- 4-13
35	Brett Cameron	Alaska Anchorage	F	36	0.33	4- 8-12

Goals Against Average:				Minutes	GA	GAA
1	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	2349:02	70	1.79
2	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	1705:46	63	2.22
3	Sam Brittain	Denver	FR	1998:22	76	2.28
4	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	1744:24	67	2.30
5	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	1871:05	77	2.47
6	Kent Patterson	Minnesota	JR	1724:28	73	2.54
7	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	2199:41	94	2.56
8	Chris Kamal	Alaska Anchorage	FR	870:02	38	2.62
9	Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	SO	1879:40	86	2.75
10	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	1352:12	62	2.75
11	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	2081:04	102	2.94
12	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	1633:41	82	3.01
13	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	1310:06	88	4.03
14	Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	JR	943:30	72	4.58

Minimum 33% of Team Minutes Played

Save Percentage:				Saves	GA	Pct
1	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	857	70	.924
2	Sam Brittain	Denver	FR	884	76	.921
3	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	731	63	.921
4	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	875	77	.919
5	Kent Patterson	Minnesota	JR	828	73	.919
6	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	716	67	.914
7	Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	SO	874	86	.910
8	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	931	94	.908
9	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	954	102	.903
10	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	763	82	.903
11	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	538	62	.897
12	Chris Kamal	Alaska Anchorage	FR	324	38	.895
13	Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	JR	550	72	.884
14	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	664	88	.883

Winning Percentage:				W- L- T	Pct
1	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	30- 7- 2	.795
2	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	16- 7- 5	.661
3	Sam Brittain	Denver	FR	19- 9- 5	.652
4	Chris Kamal	Alaska Anchorage	FR	9- 5- 1	.633
5	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	16-11- 1	.589
6	Kent Patterson	Minnesota	JR	14- 9- 6	.586
7	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	20-15- 2	.568
8	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	18-15- 2	.543
9	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	14-13- 4	.516
10	Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	SO	12-14- 4	.467
11	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	10-13- 4	.444
12	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	7-13- 2	.364
13	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	3-17- 2	.182
14	Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	JR	1-13- 2	.125

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Scoring Offense:	Games	Goals	G/GM
1 North Dakota	28	112	4.00
2 Nebraska-Omaha	28	94	3.36
3 Denver	28	93	3.32
4 Minnesota	28	91	3.25
Minnesota Duluth	28	91	3.25
6 St. Cloud State	28	84	3.00
7 Colorado College	28	83	2.96
8 Wisconsin	28	75	2.68
9 Minnesota State	28	67	2.39
10 Alaska Anchorage	28	62	2.21
Bemidji State	28	62	2.21
12 Michigan Tech	28	49	1.75

Scoring Defense:	Games	Goals	G/GM
1 North Dakota	28	62	2.21
2 Nebraska-Omaha	28	69	2.46
3 Wisconsin	28	72	2.57
4 Minnesota Duluth	28	73	2.61
5 Denver	28	75	2.68
6 Alaska Anchorage	28	78	2.79
Bemidji State	28	78	2.79
Minnesota	28	78	2.79
9 St. Cloud State	28	80	2.86
10 Colorado College	28	84	3.00
11 Minnesota State	28	90	3.21
12 Michigan Tech	28	124	4.43

Penalty Minutes:	Games	PIM	PIM/G
1 Michigan Tech	28	439	15.7
2 Denver	28	426	15.2
Minnesota	28	426	15.2
4 Nebraska-Omaha	28	394	14.1
5 North Dakota	28	388	13.9
6 Colorado College	28	387	13.8
7 Minnesota Duluth	28	383	13.7
8 Alaska Anchorage	28	382	13.6
9 Wisconsin	28	372	13.3
10 Minnesota State	28	371	13.2
11 St. Cloud State	28	359	12.8
12 Bemidji State	28	351	12.5

Power Play:	Totals	SHA	PCT
1 North Dakota	35/150	5	23.3
2 Minnesota Duluth	30/137	0	21.9
3 Bemidji State	21/ 99	2	21.2
4 St. Cloud State	28/145	2	19.3
5 Minnesota	24/128	1	18.8
6 Colorado College	28/150	8	18.7
7 Wisconsin	24/131	3	18.3
8 Denver	19/112	5	17.0
9 Nebraska-Omaha	18/107	1	16.8
10 Alaska Anchorage	19/121	4	15.7
11 Minnesota State	21/143	3	14.7
12 Michigan Tech	14/109	9	12.8

Penalty Kill:	Totals	SHF	PCT
1 Alaska Anchorage	109/127	4	85.8
2 Denver	110/130	6	84.6
3 St. Cloud State	108/128	3	84.4
4 North Dakota	102/121	3	84.3
5 Minnesota State	120/144	3	83.3
6 Nebraska-Omaha	114/137	5	83.2
7 Wisconsin	108/131	3	82.4
8 Minnesota Duluth	101/124	4	81.5
9 Bemidji State	106/134	1	79.1
10 Minnesota	103/133	4	77.4
11 Colorado College	82/106	2	77.4
12 Michigan Tech	88/117	5	75.2

Combined Special Teams:	Totals	PCT
1 Bemidji State	127/233	54.5
2 Nebraska-Omaha	132/244	54.1
3 Denver	129/242	53.3
4 Alaska Anchorage	128/248	51.6
5 North Dakota	137/271	50.6
6 Wisconsin	132/262	50.4
7 Minnesota Duluth	131/261	50.2
8 St. Cloud State	136/273	49.8
9 Minnesota State	141/287	49.1
10 Minnesota	127/261	48.7
11 Michigan Tech	102/226	45.1
12 Colorado College	110/256	43.0

Special Teams Net:	PPF	SHA	PP	PPA	SHF	SH	NET
1 North Dakota	35	5	+30	19	3	-16	+14
2 Minnesota Duluth	30	0	+30	23	4	-19	+11
3 St. Cloud State	28	2	+26	20	3	-17	+9
4 Alaska Anchorage	19	4	+15	18	4	-14	+1
Wisconsin	24	3	+21	23	3	-20	+1
6 Denver	19	5	+14	20	6	-14	0
7 Nebraska-Omaha	18	1	+17	23	5	-18	-1
8 Colorado College	28	8	+20	24	2	-22	-2
9 Minnesota	24	1	+23	30	4	-26	-3
Minnesota State	21	3	+18	24	3	-21	-3
11 Bemidji State	21	2	+19	28	1	-27	-8
12 Michigan Tech	14	9	+5	29	5	-24	-19

Scoring by Periods:	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
1 North Dakota	29	40	43	0	112
2 Nebraska-Omaha	27	33	34	0	94
3 Denver	27	25	39	2	93
4 Minnesota	29	35	26	1	91
Minnesota Duluth	25	37	24	5	91
6 St. Cloud State	28	31	24	1	84
7 Colorado College	25	26	32	0	83
8 Wisconsin	17	30	28	0	75
9 Minnesota State	26	23	17	1	67
10 Alaska Anchorage	19	16	25	2	62
Bemidji State	24	17	19	2	62
12 Michigan Tech	18	21	10	0	49

Goals Allowed by Periods:	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
1 North Dakota	21	19	21	1	62
2 Nebraska-Omaha	17	23	28	1	69
3 Wisconsin	15	27	28	2	72
4 Minnesota Duluth	30	26	16	1	73
5 Denver	27	27	21	0	75
6 Alaska Anchorage	22	28	27	1	78
Bemidji State	27	27	20	4	78
Minnesota	28	27	23	0	78
9 St. Cloud State	29	21	28	2	80
10 Colorado College	24	33	26	1	84
11 Minnesota State	24	29	36	1	90
12 Michigan Tech	30	47	47	0	124

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Point	Scoring:			GP	PPG	G-	A-	P
1	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	28	1.43	22-18-40		
2	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	28	1.32	9-28-37		
3	Jason Zucker	Denver	FR F	28	1.29	20-16-36		
4	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	28	1.21	19-15-34		
	Drew Shore	Denver	SO F	28	1.21	15-19-34		
6	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	28	1.14	14-18-32		
7	Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	JR F	24	1.29	18-13-31		
8	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	28	1.04	10-19-29		
	Corban Knight	North Dakota	SO F	28	1.04	8-21-29		
10	Drew LeBlanc	St. Cloud State	JR F	28	1.00	11-17-28		
	Garrett Roe	St. Cloud State	SR F	28	1.00	9-19-28		
12	Jordan George	Bemidji State	SO F	28	0.96	12-15-27		
13	Evan Trupp	North Dakota	SR F	28	0.93	14-12-26		
	J.T. Brown	Minnesota Duluth	FR W	28	0.93	12-14-26		
15	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	FR F	17	1.47	10-15-25		
	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	26	0.96	15-10-25		
	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	27	0.93	13-12-25		
	Brad Malone	North Dakota	SR F	27	0.93	8-17-25		
	Matt Ambroz	Nebraska-Omaha	SR F	28	0.89	13-12-25		
	Joey Martin	Nebraska-Omaha	SR F	28	0.89	9-16-25		
21	Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	SR W	26	0.92	9-15-24		
	Travis Oleksuk	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	28	0.86	11-13-24		
	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	28	0.86	11-13-24		
	Eric Olimb	Nebraska-Omaha	SR D	28	0.86	3-21-24		
25	Anthony Maiani	Denver	SR F	27	0.85	7-16-23		
	Tommy Grant	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	28	0.82	13-10-23		
	Jacob Cepis	Minnesota	SR F	28	0.82	10-13-23		
	Jake Gardiner	Wisconsin	JR D	28	0.82	5-18-23		
29	Terry Broadhurst	Nebraska-Omaha	SO F	21	1.05	7-15-22		
	Rich Purslow	Nebraska-Omaha	SR F	28	0.79	9-13-22		
	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	FR F	28	0.79	4-18-22		
32	Ian Lowe	Bemidji State	SR F	28	0.75	10-11-21		
	Alex Hudson	Nebraska-Omaha	JR F	28	0.75	9-12-21		
	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	FR D	28	0.75	6-15-21		
	Matt Donovan	Denver	SO D	28	0.75	4-17-21		
36	Brett Hextall	North Dakota	JR F	24	0.83	8-12-20		
	Cade Fairchild	Minnesota	SR D	27	0.74	5-15-20		
	Jared Festler	St. Cloud State	JR F	28	0.71	9-11-20		
	Cam Reid	St. Cloud State	FR F	28	0.71	4-16-20		
40	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	20	0.95	5-14-19		
	Nick Bjugstad	Minnesota	FR F	23	0.83	8-11-19		
	Rylan Schwartz	Colorado College	SO F	24	0.79	2-17-19		
	Luke Salazar	Denver	JR F	28	0.68	12- 7-19		
	Erik Haula	Minnesota	FR F	28	0.68	5-14-19		
	Kurt Davis	Minnesota State	SR D	28	0.68	5-14-19		
46	Jay Barriball	Minnesota	SR F	22	0.82	7-11-18		
	Beau Bennett	Denver	FR F	25	0.72	6-12-18		
	David Makowski	Denver	FR D	27	0.67	4-14-18		
49	Mike Hoeffel	Minnesota	SR F	27	0.63	11- 6-17		
50	Kyle Ostrow	Denver	SR F	22	0.73	9- 7-16		
	Matt Bailey	Alaska Anchorage	FR F	26	0.62	8- 8-16		
	Brock Montpetit	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	28	0.57	9- 7-16		
	Nate Condon	Minnesota	FR F	28	0.57	7- 9-16		
	Nick Jensen	St. Cloud State	FR D	28	0.57	4-12-16		
55	Nick Shore	Denver	FR F	22	0.68	6- 9-15		
	Jake Hansen	Minnesota	JR F	27	0.56	9- 6-15		
	Eriah Hayes	Minnesota State	SO F	28	0.54	10- 5-15		
	Ben Hanowski	St. Cloud State	SO F	28	0.54	10- 5-15		
	Ryan Furne	Michigan Tech	FR F	28	0.54	8- 7-15		
	Craig Parkinson	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	28	0.54	7- 8-15		
	William Rapuzzi	Colorado College	SO F	28	0.54	7- 8-15		
	Ryan Walters	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	28	0.54	7- 8-15		
	Gabe Guentzel	Colorado College	JR D	28	0.54	4-11-15		
	Brad Hunt	Bemidji State	JR D	28	0.54	2-13-15		
	Jacob Johnstone	Michigan Tech	FR F	28	0.54	2-13-15		
66	Chase Grant	Minnesota State	FR F	23	0.61	6- 8-14		
	Kyle Schmidt	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	24	0.58	4-10-14		
	Jordy Murray	Wisconsin	JR F	27	0.52	12- 2-14		
	Brock Nelson	North Dakota	FR F	27	0.52	5- 9-14		
	Jordan Kwas	Alaska Anchorage	FR F	27	0.52	3-11-14		
	Nick Dineen	Colorado College	JR F	28	0.50	9- 5-14		
	Matt White	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	28	0.50	9- 5-14		
	Patrick Johnson	Wisconsin	SR F	28	0.50	7- 7-14		
	Michael Dorr	Minnesota State	JR F	28	0.50	6- 8-14		
	Ben Youds	Minnesota State	SR D	28	0.50	5- 9-14		
	Bryce Aneloski	Nebraska-Omaha	SO D	28	0.50	1-13-14		
77	Nic Dowd	St. Cloud State	FR F	26	0.50	4- 9-13		
	Andrew Sackrison	Minnesota State	SR F	27	0.48	4- 9-13		
	Mario Lamoureux	North Dakota	JR F	27	0.48	2-11-13		
	Michael Mersch	Wisconsin	FR F	28	0.46	7- 6-13		
	Jake Marto	North Dakota	SR D	28	0.46	4- 9-13		

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82	David Eddy	St. Cloud State	SO F	14	0.86	6- 6-12
	Danny Kristo	North Dakota	SO F	20	0.60	3- 9-12
	Milos Gordic	Michigan Tech	FR C	21	0.57	9- 3-12
	Rylan Galiardi	Minnesota State	SR F	22	0.55	3- 9-12
	Archie Skalbeck	Colorado College	FR F	23	0.52	7- 5-12
	Travis Novak	St. Cloud State	JR F	25	0.48	5- 7-12
	Johnnie Searfoss	Nebraska-Omaha	FR F	26	0.46	8- 4-12
	Podge Turnbull	Wisconsin	SR F	26	0.46	7- 5-12
	Kevin Wehrs	Minnesota	SR D	27	0.44	2-10-12
	Tyler Barnes	Wisconsin	FR F	28	0.43	4- 8-12

Goal Scoring:				GP	GPG	G
1	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	28	0.79	22
2	Jason Zucker	Denver	FR F	28	0.71	20
3	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	28	0.68	19
4	Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	JR F	24	0.75	18
5	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	26	0.58	15
	Drew Shore	Denver	SO F	28	0.54	15

Assist Scoring:				GP	APG	A
1	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	28	1.00	28
2	Eric Olimb	Nebraska-Omaha	SR D	28	0.75	21
	Corban Knight	North Dakota	SO F	28	0.75	21
4	Drew Shore	Denver	SO F	28	0.68	19
	Garrett Roe	St. Cloud State	SR F	28	0.68	19
	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	28	0.68	19

Power Play Points:				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	28	0.57	4-12-16
	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	28	0.57	3-13-16
3	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	28	0.54	5-10-15
	Drew LeBlanc	St. Cloud State	JR F	28	0.54	3-12-15
5	Garrett Roe	St. Cloud State	SR F	28	0.50	3-11-14

Power Play Goals:				GP	GPG	G
1	Jordy Murray	Wisconsin	JR F	27	0.33	9
2	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	26	0.31	8
	Nick Dineen	Colorado College	JR F	28	0.29	8
4	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	27	0.22	6
	Jake Hansen	Minnesota	JR F	27	0.22	6
	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	28	0.21	6
	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	FR D	28	0.21	6
	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	28	0.21	6
	Ben Hanowski	St. Cloud State	SO F	28	0.21	6
	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	28	0.21	6

Short-Handed Points:				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Kyle Ostrow	Denver	SR F	22	0.14	1- 2- 3
2	Terry Broadhurst	Nebraska-Omaha	SO F	21	0.10	1- 1- 2
	Nick Bjugstad	Minnesota	FR F	23	0.09	2- 0- 2
	Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	JR F	24	0.08	2- 0- 2
	Anthony Maiani	Denver	SR F	27	0.07	2- 0- 2
	Alex MacLeod	Michigan Tech	JR W	27	0.07	2- 0- 2
	Michael Young	Nebraska-Omaha	FR D	27	0.07	2- 0- 2
	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	28	0.07	2- 0- 2
	Joe Schiller	Minnesota State	JR F	28	0.07	2- 0- 2
	Drew Shore	Denver	SO F	28	0.07	1- 1- 2
	Jason Zucker	Denver	FR F	28	0.07	1- 1- 2
	Patrick McCadden	Michigan Tech	FR F	28	0.07	1- 1- 2
	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	28	0.07	1- 1- 2
	Aaron Marvin	St. Cloud State	SR F	28	0.07	1- 1- 2
	Patrick Johnson	Wisconsin	SR F	28	0.07	1- 1- 2
	Kurt Davis	Minnesota State	SR D	28	0.07	0- 2- 2

Game-Winning Goals:				GP	G
1	Tommy Grant	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	28	5
	Jason Zucker	Denver	FR F	28	5
	Travis Oleksuk	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	28	5
	Craig Smith	Wisconsin	SO F	28	5
5	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	26	4
	Matt Frattin	North Dakota	SR F	28	4

Defenseman Scoring:				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	SO D	28	1.04	10-19-29
2	Eric Olimb	Nebraska-Omaha	SR D	28	0.86	3-21-24
3	Jake Gardiner	Wisconsin	JR D	28	0.82	5-18-23
4	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	FR D	28	0.75	6-15-21
	Matt Donovan	Denver	SO D	28	0.75	4-17-21
6	Cade Fairchild	Minnesota	SR D	27	0.74	5-15-20
7	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	20	0.95	5-14-19
	Kurt Davis	Minnesota State	SR D	28	0.68	5-14-19
9	David Makowski	Denver	FR D	27	0.67	4-14-18
10	Nick Jensen	St. Cloud State	FR D	28	0.57	4-12-16
11	Gabe Guentzel	Colorado College	JR D	28	0.54	4-11-15
	Brad Hunt	Bemidji State	JR D	28	0.54	2-13-15

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13	Ben Youds	Minnesota State	SR	D	28	0.50	5- 9-14
	Bryce Aneloski	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	D	28	0.50	1-13-14
15	Jake Marto	North Dakota	SR	D	28	0.46	4- 9-13
16	Kevin Wehrs	Minnesota	SR	D	27	0.44	2-10-12
17	Derek Forbort	North Dakota	FR	D	24	0.46	0-11-11
	Aaron Ness	Minnesota	JR	D	27	0.41	1-10-11
	Steven Seigo	Michigan Tech	SO	D	28	0.39	2- 9-11

Freshman Scoring:

				GP	PPG	G- A- P
1	Jason Zucker	Denver	F	28	1.29	20-16-36
2	J.T. Brown	Minnesota Duluth	W	28	0.93	12-14-26
3	Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	F	17	1.47	10-15-25
4	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	F	28	0.79	4-18-22
5	Justin Faulk	Minnesota Duluth	D	28	0.75	6-15-21
6	Cam Reid	St. Cloud State	F	28	0.71	4-16-20
7	Nick Bjugstad	Minnesota	F	23	0.83	8-11-19
	Erik Haula	Minnesota	F	28	0.68	5-14-19
9	Beau Bennett	Denver	F	25	0.72	6-12-18
	David Makowski	Denver	D	27	0.67	4-14-18
11	Matt Bailey	Alaska Anchorage	F	26	0.62	8- 8-16
	Brock Montpetit	Nebraska-Omaha	F	28	0.57	9- 7-16
	Nate Condon	Minnesota	F	28	0.57	7- 9-16
	Nick Jensen	St. Cloud State	D	28	0.57	4-12-16
15	Nick Shore	Denver	F	22	0.68	6- 9-15
	Ryan Furne	Michigan Tech	F	28	0.54	8- 7-15
	Ryan Walters	Nebraska-Omaha	F	28	0.54	7- 8-15
	Jacob Johnstone	Michigan Tech	F	28	0.54	2-13-15
19	Chase Grant	Minnesota State	F	23	0.61	6- 8-14
	Brock Nelson	North Dakota	F	27	0.52	5- 9-14
	Jordan Kwas	Alaska Anchorage	F	27	0.52	3-11-14
	Matt White	Nebraska-Omaha	F	28	0.50	9- 5-14

Goals Against Average:

				Minutes	GA	GAA
1	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	1432:09	47	1.97
2	Kent Patterson	Minnesota	JR	1426:08	55	2.31
3	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	1008:41	39	2.32
4	Sam Brittain	Denver	FR	1274:27	51	2.40
5	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	1221:18	50	2.46
6	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	1607:52	68	2.54
7	Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	SO	1391:32	61	2.63
8	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	1386:31	62	2.68
9	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	1139:56	51	2.68
10	Aaron Crandall	Minnesota Duluth	FR	700:50	33	2.83
11	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	1237:23	64	3.10
12	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	1269:30	66	3.12
13	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	1190:06	77	3.88

Minimum 33% of Team Minutes Played

Save Percentage:

				Saves	GA	Pct
1	Kent Patterson	Minnesota	JR	689	55	.926
2	Sam Brittain	Denver	FR	586	51	.920
3	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	552	50	.917
4	Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	SO	659	61	.915
5	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	413	39	.914
6	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	644	62	.912
7	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	487	47	.912
8	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	689	68	.910
9	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	613	66	.903
10	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	449	51	.898
11	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	548	64	.895
12	Aaron Crandall	Minnesota Duluth	FR	268	33	.890
13	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	606	77	.887

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Winning Percentage:

				W- L- T	Pct
1	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	19- 4- 1	.812
2	Aaron Crandall	Minnesota Duluth	FR	8- 2- 1	.773
3	Kent Patterson	Minnesota	JR	13- 5- 5	.674
4	Sam Brittain	Denver	FR	13- 6- 3	.659
5	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	16- 9- 2	.630
6	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	7- 6- 4	.529
7	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	10- 9- 1	.525
8	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	10-10- 1	.500
9	Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	SO	9-10- 4	.478
10	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	7-12- 4	.391
11	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	6-11- 2	.368
12	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	6-12- 3	.357
13	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	2-15- 2	.158

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Scoring Offense:	Games	Goals	G/GM
1 Yale	36	151	4.19
2 North Dakota	44	178	4.05
3 Boston College	39	153	3.92
4 Miami	39	146	3.74
5 Merrimack	39	143	3.67
6 Air Force	38	137	3.61
7 Union	40	144	3.60
8 Niagara	35	124	3.54
9 Mercyhurst	37	131	3.54
10 Notre Dame	44	151	3.43
other WCHA teams			
11 Minnesota Duluth	42	143	3.40
17 Nebraska-Omaha	39	128	3.28
20 Denver	42	136	3.24
21 Colorado College	45	143	3.18
22 Wisconsin	41	129	3.15
23 Minnesota	36	113	3.14
27 St. Cloud State	38	112	2.95
31 Minnesota State	38	105	2.76
48 Alaska Anchorage	37	89	2.41
t50 Bemidji State	38	89	2.34
56 Michigan Tech	38	75	1.97

Scoring Defense:	Games	Goals	G/GM
1 Yale	36	74	2.06
2 Union	40	84	2.10
3 North Dakota	44	94	2.14
4 Miami	39	85	2.18
5 Ferris State	39	86	2.21
6 Michigan	44	98	2.23
7 Rensselaer	38	90	2.37
8 Wisconsin	41	98	2.39
9 Alaska	38	91	2.39
10 Boston College	39	94	2.41
other WCHA teams			
15 Nebraska-Omaha	39	99	2.54
17 Minnesota Duluth	42	108	2.57
21 Bemidji State	38	102	2.68
22 Denver	42	113	2.69
28 Minnesota	36	102	2.83
29 Alaska Anchorage	37	106	2.86
32 Colorado College	45	131	2.91
35 St. Cloud State	38	113	2.97
40 Minnesota State	38	116	3.05
57 Michigan Tech	38	169	4.45

Scoring Margin:	Games	GF	GF/G	GA	GA/G	Margin
1 Yale	36	151	4.19	74	2.06	2.14
2 North Dakota	44	178	4.05	94	2.14	1.91
3 Miami	39	146	3.74	85	2.18	1.56
4 Boston College	39	153	3.92	94	2.41	1.51
5 Union	40	144	3.60	84	2.10	1.50
6 Merrimack	39	143	3.67	97	2.49	1.18
7 Michigan	44	146	3.32	98	2.23	1.09
8 New Hampshire	39	131	3.36	98	2.51	0.85
9 Minnesota Duluth	42	143	3.40	108	2.57	0.83
10 RIT	38	128	3.37	99	2.61	0.76
other WCHA teams						
11 Wisconsin	41	129	3.15	98	2.39	0.76
12 Nebraska-Omaha	39	128	3.28	99	2.54	0.74
16 Denver	42	136	3.24	113	2.69	0.55
21 Minnesota	36	113	3.14	102	2.83	0.31
24 Colorado College	45	143	3.18	131	2.91	0.27
31 St. Cloud State	38	112	2.95	113	2.97	-0.03
36 Minnesota State	38	105	2.76	116	3.05	-0.29
37 Bemidji State	38	89	2.34	102	2.68	-0.34
38 Alaska Anchorage	37	89	2.41	106	2.86	-0.46
58 Michigan Tech	38	75	1.97	169	4.45	-2.47

Penalty Minutes:	Games	PIM	PIM/G
1 Merrimack	39	799	20.5
2 RIT	38	729	19.2
3 Northeastern	38	706	18.6
4 Maine	36	666	18.5
5 Clarkson	36	660	18.3
6 Northern Michigan	39	688	17.6
7 Boston University	39	681	17.5
8 Alab-Huntsville	32	550	17.2
9 Brown	31	530	17.1
10 Bentley	34	564	16.6
WCHA teams			
16 Minnesota Duluth	42	619	14.7
17 Minnesota	36	528	14.7

18 Wisconsin	41	601	14.7
19 Denver	42	615	14.6
20 Nebraska-Omaha	39	569	14.6
23 North Dakota	44	629	14.3
26 Michigan Tech	38	528	13.9
t30 Alaska Anchorage	37	504	13.6
34 Colorado College	45	600	13.3
36 Minnesota State	38	500	13.2
43 St. Cloud State	38	456	12.0
50 Bemidji State	38	429	11.3

Power Play:	Totals	SHA	PCT
1 Union	51/173	6	29.5
2 Yale	49/198	5	24.7
3 Miami	44/178	6	24.7
4 Holy Cross	39/162	2	24.1
5 Air Force	43/179	4	24.0
6 Boston College	44/188	4	23.4
7 Colorado College	56/242	11	23.1
8 North Dakota	52/227	7	22.9
9 Princeton	37/162	5	22.8
10 Minnesota Duluth	50/219	3	22.8
other WCHA teams			
13 Wisconsin	44/204	3	21.6
14 Minnesota	33/158	2	20.9
15 Bemidji State	26/127	3	20.5
22 Denver	35/188	8	18.6
26 St. Cloud State	38/208	4	18.3
35 Nebraska-Omaha	28/165	1	17.0
44 Michigan Tech	24/156	11	15.4
45 Alaska Anchorage	24/159	4	15.1
49 Minnesota State	27/188	5	14.4

Penalty Kill:	Totals	SHF	PCT
1 Ferris State	156/176	8	88.6
2 Miami	181/205	8	88.3
3 Army	143/164	6	87.2
4 Boston University	175/202	6	86.6
5 North Dakota	173/201	11	86.1
6 Boston College	194/226	13	85.8
7 Denver	169/197	9	85.8
8 St. Lawrence	170/200	3	85.0
9 Cornell	134/158	4	84.8
10 Clarkson	169/200	6	84.5
other WCHA teams			
13 Alaska Anchorage	145/172	8	84.3
16 St. Cloud State	135/161	4	83.9
21 Nebraska-Omaha	151/181	6	83.4
23 Colorado College	157/189	5	83.1
27 Minnesota Duluth	166/201	7	82.6
36 Minnesota State	151/186	3	81.2
41 Wisconsin	158/198	4	79.8
46 Bemidji State	133/168	3	79.2
53 Minnesota	127/164	4	77.4
57 Michigan Tech	111/149	5	74.5

Team Winning Percentage:	W	L	T	Win%
1 Yale	28	7	1	.792
2 Boston College	30	8	1	.782
3 North Dakota	32	9	3	.761
4 Michigan	29	11	4	.705
5 Union	26	10	4	.700
6 Merrimack	25	10	4	.692
7 Minnesota Duluth	26	10	6	.690
8 Miami	23	10	6	.667
9 Denver	25	12	5	.655
10 New Hampshire	22	11	6	.641
11 Notre Dame	25	14	5	.625
12 Air Force	20	12	6	.605
RIT	19	11	8	.605
14 Dartmouth	19	12	3	.603
15 Rensselaer	20	13	5	.592
16 Boston University	19	12	8	.590
17 Robert Morris	18	12	5	.586
other WCHA teams				
21 Nebraska-Omaha	21	16	2	.564
23 Wisconsin	21	16	4	.561
24 Colorado College	23	19	3	.544
25 Minnesota	16	14	6	.528
32 Alaska Anchorage	16	18	3	.473
33 Bemidji State	15	18	5	.461
St. Cloud State	15	18	5	.461
t40 Minnesota State	14	18	6	.447
57 Michigan Tech	4	30	4	.158

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Points Per Game:			GP	G	A	P	P/GM
1	Andy Miele	Miami	SR	F	39	24-47-71	1.82
2	Paul Zanette	Niagara	SR	F	35	29-26-55	1.57
3	Carter Camper	Miami	SR	F	39	19-38-57	1.46
4	Reilly Smith (DAL)	Miami	SO	F	38	28-26-54	1.42
5	Gustav Nyquist (DET)	Maine	JR	F	36	18-33-51	1.42
6	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR	C	42	18-41-59	1.40
7	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR	W	42	22-36-58	1.38
8	Stephane Da Costa	Merrimack	SO	F	33	14-31-45	1.36
	Matt Frattin (TOR)	North Dakota	SR	F	44	36-24-60	1.36
10	Cam Atkinson (CBJ)	Boston College	JR	F	39	31-21-52	1.33
	Paul Thompson	New Hampshire	SR	F	39	28-24-52	1.33
12	Brian Gibbons	Boston College	SR	F	39	18-33-51	1.31
13	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR	W	42	28-26-54	1.29
	Bryan Haczyk	Niagara	SR	F	35	28-17-45	1.29
15	Brian O'Neill	Yale	JR	F	36	20-26-46	1.28
16	Nathan Longpre	Robert Morris	SR	F	33	14-28-42	1.27
17	Chase Polacek	Rensselaer	SR	F	38	21-27-48	1.26
18	Andrew Miller	Yale	SO	F	36	12-33-45	1.25
19	Jack Maclellan	Brown	JR	F	25	14-17-31	1.24
20	Mike Sislo	New Hampshire	SR	F	39	15-33-48	1.23
21	Jason Gregoire (NYI)	North Dakota	JR	F	35	25-18-43	1.23
22	T. J. Tynan	Notre Dame	FR	F	44	23-31-54	1.23
23	Andrew Favot	RIT	SR	F	36	13-30-43	1.19
	Broc Little	Yale	SR	F	36	19-24-43	1.19
25	Wade MacLeod	Northeastern	SR	F	38	22-23-45	1.18
26	Jacques Lamoureux	Air Force	SR	F	38	24-20-44	1.16
27	Drew Shore (FLA)	Denver	SO	F	40	23-23-46	1.15
28	Justin Schultz (ANA)	Wisconsin	SO	D	41	18-29-47	1.15
29	Denny Urban	Robert Morris	SR	D	35	8-32-40	1.14
30	Denny Kearney	Yale	SR	F	36	16-25-41	1.14
31	Cory Conacher	Canisius	SR	F	37	23-19-42	1.14
32	Jason Zucker (MIN)	Denver	FR	F	40	23-22-45	1.12
33	Carl Hagelin (NYR)	Michigan	SR	F	44	18-31-49	1.11
34	Spencer Abbott	Maine	JR	F	36	17-23-40	1.11
35	Scott Pitt	Mercyhurst	SR	F	37	19-22-41	1.11
	Tyler Brenner	RIT	JR	F	37	26-15-41	1.11
37	Chris Barton	Merrimack	SR	F	36	14-25-39	1.08
38	Kyle De Laurell	Air Force	SO	F	31	10-23-33	1.06
	Giancarlo Iuorio	Niagara	SO	F	31	9-24-33	1.06
40	Phil DeSimone (WSH)	New Hampshire	SR	F	39	10-31-41	1.05
41	Kelly Zajac	Union	JR	F	40	13-29-42	1.05
42	Craig Smith (NSH)	Wisconsin	SO	F	41	19-24-43	1.05
43	Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	SR	W	43	17-28-45	1.05
44	Harry Zolnierczyk	Brown	SR	F	30	16-15-31	1.03
45	Andrew Calof	Princeton	FR	F	32	9-24-33	1.03
46	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR	D	36	6-31-37	1.03
47	Kyle Fletcher	Holy Cross	SO	F	37	16-22-38	1.03
48	Drew LeBlanc	St. Cloud State	JR	F	38	13-26-39	1.03
49	Tanner House	Maine	SR	F	35	10-25-35	1.00
	Brian Flynn	Maine	JR	F	36	20-16-36	1.00
	Paul Chiasson	Mercyhurst	SO	F	37	17-20-37	1.00
	Terry Broadhurst	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	F	30	11-19-30	1.00
	Corban Knight (FLA)	North Dakota	SO	F	44	14-30-44	1.00
	Anders Lee (NYI)	Notre Dame	FR	F	44	24-20-44	1.00
	Mike Kramer	Princeton	SR	F	31	13-18-31	1.00
	Tyler Helfrich	Rensselaer	SR	F	38	14-24-38	1.00
	Greg Carey	St. Lawrence	FR	F	40	23-17-40	1.00
	Jake Gardiner (ANA)	Wisconsin	JR	D	41	10-31-41	1.00
other WCHA players							
t66	Jordan George	Bemidji State	SO	F	38	17-19-36	0.95
	Garrett Roe (LAK)	St. Cloud State	SR	F	38	10-26-36	0.95
70	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR	F	37	22-13-35	0.95
73	Jay Barriball (STL)	Minnesota	SR	F	30	12-16-28	0.93
74	Evan Trupp	North Dakota	SR	F	44	17-24-41	0.93
75	Brad Malone (COA)	North Dakota	SR	F	43	16-24-40	0.93
76	Rylan Schwartz	Colorado College	SO	F	41	10-28-38	0.93
t86	Joey Martin	Nebraska-Omaha	SR	F	39	11-24-35	0.90
99	J.T. Brown	Minnesota Duluth	FR	W	42	16-21-37	0.88
Minimum 75% of Team Games Played							
Goals Per Game:			GP	G	G/GM		
1	Paul Zanette	Niagara	SR	F	35	29	0.83
2	Matt Frattin (TOR)	North Dakota	SR	F	44	36	0.82
3	Bryan Haczyk	Niagara	SR	F	35	28	0.80
4	Cam Atkinson (CBJ)	Boston College	JR	F	39	31	0.79
5	Reilly Smith (DAL)	Miami	SO	F	38	28	0.74
6	Paul Thompson	New Hampshire	SR	F	39	28	0.72
7	Jason Gregoire (NYI)	North Dakota	JR	F	35	25	0.71
8	Tyler Brenner	RIT	JR	F	37	26	0.70
9	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR	W	42	28	0.67
10	Matt Gingera	Sacred Heart	JR	F	32	21	0.66

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other WCHA players						
14	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	37	22	0.59
t16	Drew Shore (FLA)	Denver	SO F	40	23	0.57
	Jason Zucker (MIN)	Denver	FR F	40	23	0.57
28	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	22	0.52
37	Milos Gordic	Michigan Tech	FR C	31	15	0.48
Assists Per Game:						
				GP	A	A/GM
1	Andy Miele	Miami	SR F	39	47	1.21
2	Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	41	0.98
3	Carter Camper	Miami	SR F	39	38	0.97
4	Stephane Da Costa	Merrimack	SO F	33	31	0.94
5	Gustav Nyquist (DET)	Maine	JR F	36	33	0.92
	Andrew Miller	Yale	SO F	36	33	0.92
7	Denny Urban	Robert Morris	SR D	35	32	0.91
8	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	36	31	0.86
9	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	36	0.86
10	Nathan Longpre	Robert Morris	SR F	33	28	0.85
other WCHA players						
17	Jake Gardiner (ANA)	Wisconsin	JR D	41	31	0.76
	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	FR F	41	31	0.76
30	Justin Schultz (ANA)	Wisconsin	SO D	41	29	0.71
t35	Garrett Roe (LAK)	St. Cloud State	SR F	38	26	0.68
	Drew LeBlanc	St. Cloud State	JR F	38	26	0.68
38	Rylan Schwartz	Colorado College	SO F	41	28	0.68
	Anthony Maiani	Denver	SR F	41	28	0.68
40	Corban Knight (FLA)	North Dakota	SO F	44	30	0.68
Power Play Goals:						
				GP	PPG/G	PPG
1	Jacques Lamoureux	Air Force	SR F	38	0.34	13
2	Paul Thompson	New Hampshire	SR F	39	0.31	12
	Daniel Carr	Union	FR F	40	0.30	12
	Jordy Murray	Wisconsin	JR F	40	0.30	12
	Justin Fontaine	Minnesota Duluth	SR W	42	0.29	12
	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	43	0.28	12
7	Tyler Brenner	RIT	JR F	37	0.30	11
	Chase Polacek	Rensselaer	SR F	38	0.29	11
	Greg Carey	St. Lawrence	FR F	40	0.28	11
	Nick Dineen	Colorado College	JR F	45	0.24	11
other WCHA players						
t11	Matt Frattin (TOR)	North Dakota	SR F	44	0.23	10
t18	Justin Schultz (ANA)	Wisconsin	SO D	41	0.22	9
	Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	SR W	43	0.21	9
Short-Handed Goals:						
				GP	SHG/G	SHG
1	Mike Embach	Ferris State	SR LW	39	0.13	5
2	Brian Gibbons	Boston College	SR F	39	0.10	4
	Cam Atkinson (CBJ)	Boston College	JR F	39	0.10	4
	Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	JR W	42	0.10	4
5	Joseph Pendenza	UMass Lowell	FR F	32	0.09	3
	Andrew Calof	Princeton	FR F	32	0.09	3
	Scott Arnold	Niagara	FR F	34	0.09	3
	Mike McLaughlin	Northeastern	JR F	34	0.09	3
	Mike Gurtler	Mercyhurst	SR F	35	0.09	3
	Paul Zanette	Niagara	SR F	35	0.09	3
	Scott Knowles	RIT	JR F	35	0.09	3
	Kyle Ostrow	Denver	SR F	36	0.08	3
	Matt Read	Bemidji State	SR F	37	0.08	3
	Elliott Sheen	Merrimack	JR F	37	0.08	3
	Matt Frattin (TOR)	North Dakota	SR F	44	0.07	3
Game-Winning Goals:						
				GP	GWG	
1	Chase Polacek	Rensselaer	SR F	38	9	
2	Paul Thompson	New Hampshire	SR F	39	7	
	Jason Zucker (MIN)	Denver	FR F	40	7	
	Travis Oleksuk	Minnesota Duluth	JR C	42	7	
	Anders Lee (NYI)	Notre Dame	FR F	44	7	
6	Joe Devin	Cornell	SR F	34	6	
	Jesse Todd	Merrimack	JR F	39	6	
	Carl Hagelin (NYR)	Michigan	SR F	44	6	
	Matt Frattin (TOR)	North Dakota	SR F	44	6	
10	Alex Chiasson (DAL)	Boston University	SO F	35	5	
	Jason Gregoire (NYI)	North Dakota	JR F	35	5	
	Tommy Grant	Alaska Anchorage	SR F	37	5	
	Jacques Lamoureux	Air Force	SR F	38	5	
	Cam Atkinson (CBJ)	Boston College	JR F	39	5	
	Jimmy Hayes (TOR)	Boston College	JR F	39	5	
	Kelly Zajac	Union	JR F	40	5	
	Craig Smith (NSH)	Wisconsin	SO F	41	5	
	Chris Brown (PHO)	Michigan	SO F	42	5	
	Tyler Johnson	Colorado College	SR C/W	43	5	
	Brad Malone (COA)	North Dakota	SR F	43	5	

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Points Per Game (Defensemen):				GP	G- A- P	P/GM
1	Justin Schultz (ANA)	Wisconsin	SO D	41	18-29-47	1.15
2	Denny Urban	Robert Morris	SR D	35	8-32-40	1.14
3	Chay Genoway	North Dakota	SR D	36	6-31-37	1.03
4	Jake Gardiner (ANA)	Wisconsin	JR D	41	10-31-41	1.00
5	Nick Bailen	Rensselaer	SO D	38	8-28-36	0.95
6	Brian Dumoulin (CAR)	Boston College	SO D	37	3-30-33	0.89
7	Danny Biega (CAR)	Harvard	SO D	34	11-19-30	0.88
8	Justin Faulk (CAR)	Minnesota Duluth	FR D	39	8-25-33	0.85
9	Mat Bodie	Union	FR D	40	6-26-32	0.80
10	Ryan Annesley	Niagara	SR D	35	4-23-27	0.77
other WCHA players						
11	Matt Donovan (NYI)	Denver	SO D	42	9-23-32	0.76
15	David Makowski	Denver	FR D	41	6-24-30	0.73
t16	Kurt Davis	Minnesota State	SR D	38	9-18-27	0.71
t18	Eric Olimb	Nebraska-Omaha	SR D	39	3-24-27	0.69
23	Cade Fairchild (STL)	Minnesota	SR D	35	6-18-24	0.69
31	Gabe Guentzel	Colorado College	JR D	45	6-22-28	0.62
t32	Nick Jensen	St. Cloud State	FR D	38	5-18-23	0.61
t37	Ben Youds	Minnesota State	SR D	37	7-14-21	0.57
t41	Brad Hunt	Bemidji State	JR D	38	3-18-21	0.55
	Deron Cousens	Michigan Tech	SR D	38	2-19-21	0.55

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Points Per Game (Rookies):				GP	G- A- P	P/GM
1	T. J. Tynan	Notre Dame	F	44	23-31-54	1.23
2	Jason Zucker (MIN)	Denver	F	40	23-22-45	1.12
3	Andrew Calof	Princeton	F	32	9-24-33	1.03
4	Anders Lee (NYI)	Notre Dame	F	44	24-20-44	1.00
	Greg Carey	St. Lawrence	F	40	23-17-40	1.00
6	Taylor Holstrom	Mercyhurst	F	36	9-24-33	0.92
7	Cole Schneider	Connecticut	F	37	13-20-33	0.89
8	J.T. Brown	Minnesota Duluth	W	42	16-21-37	0.88
9	Mark Zengerle	Wisconsin	F	41	5-31-36	0.88
10	Daniel Carr	Union	F	40	20-15-35	0.88
other WCHA players						
12	Justin Faulk (CAR)	Minnesota Duluth	D	39	8-25-33	0.85
21	Cam Reid (NSH)	St. Cloud State	F	37	8-21-29	0.78
25	David Makowski	Denver	D	41	6-24-30	0.73
28	Erik Haula (MIN)	Minnesota	F	34	6-18-24	0.71
31	Nick Bjugstad (FLA)	Minnesota	F	29	8-12-20	0.69
33	Milos Gordic	Michigan Tech	C	31	15- 6-21	0.68
34	Beau Bennett (PIT)	Denver	F	37	9-16-25	0.68
t35	Jordan Kwas	Alaska Anchorage	F	36	4-20-24	0.67
	Matt Bailey	Alaska Anchorage	F	30	10-10-20	0.67
t43	Matt White	Nebraska-Omaha	F	39	14-11-25	0.64
t50	Chase Grant	Minnesota State	F	33	8-12-20	0.61

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Goals Against Average:				Minutes	GA	GAA
1	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	2349:02	70	1.79
2	Ryan Rondeau	Yale	SR	2002:15	64	1.92
3	Shane Madolora	RIT	SO	1675:50	54	1.93
4	Keith Kinkaid	Union	SO	2265:30	75	1.99
5	Pat Nagle	Ferris State	SR	2192:41	74	2.02
6	Connor Knapp (BUF)	Miami	JR	975:36	33	2.03
7	Cody Reichard	Miami	JR	1374:31	47	2.05
8	Will Yanakeff	Michigan State	FR	794:36	28	2.11
9	Allen York (CBJ)	Rensselaer	JR	2050:46	74	2.17
10	Sean Bonar	Princeton	FR	899:57	33	2.20
11	Mike Garman	Cornell	JR	1059:31	39	2.21
other WCHA players						
14	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	1705:46	63	2.22
17	Sam Brittain (FLA)	Denver	FR	1998:22	76	2.28
20	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	1744:24	67	2.30
25	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	1871:05	77	2.47
29	Kent Patterson (COA)	Minnesota	JR	1724:28	73	2.54
30	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	2199:41	94	2.56
33	Chris Kamal	Alaska Anchorage	FR	870:02	38	2.62
41	Mike Lee (PHO)	St. Cloud State	SO	1879:40	86	2.75
42	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	1352:12	62	2.75
51	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	2081:04	102	2.94
53	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	1633:41	82	3.01
68	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	1310:06	88	4.03
69	Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	JR	943:30	72	4.58

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Save Percentage:			Saves	GA	Save%	
1	Shane Madolora	RIT	SO	781	54	.935
2	Mike Garman	Cornell	JR	505	39	.928
3	Ryan Rondeau	Yale	SR	827	64	.928
4	Eric Hartzell	Quinnipiac	SO	735	58	.927
5	Will Yanakeff	Michigan State	FR	353	28	.927
6	James Mello	Dartmouth	JR	799	64	.926
7	Shawn Hunwick	Michigan	SR	947	77	.925
8	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	857	70	.924
9	Kevin Kapalka	Lake Superior	FR	900	74	.924
10	Allen York (CBJ)	Rensselaer	JR	897	74	.924
other WCHA players						
14	Sam Brittain (FLA)	Denver	FR	884	76	.921
15	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	731	63	.921
21	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	875	77	.919
22	Kent Patterson (COA)	Minnesota	JR	828	73	.919
29	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	716	67	.914
37	Mike Lee (PHO)	St. Cloud State	SO	874	86	.910
41	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	931	94	.908
49	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	954	102	.903
53	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	763	82	.903
60	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	538	62	.897
63	Chris Kamal	Alaska Anchorage	FR	324	38	.895
69	Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	JR	550	72	.884
70	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	664	88	.883

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Winning Percentage:			W	L	T	Win%	
1	John Muse	Boston College	SR	27	6	1	.809
	Ryan Rondeau	Yale	SR	27	6	1	.809
3	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	30	7	2	.795
4	Shane Madolora	RIT	SO	17	3	7	.759
5	Cody Reichard	Miami	JR	15	5	2	.727
6	Keith Kinkaid	Union	SO	25	10	3	.697
7	Joe Cannata (VAN)	Merrimack	JR	25	10	4	.692
	Chris Noonan	Niagara	JR	8	3	2	.692
9	Shawn Hunwick	Michigan	SR	22	9	4	.686
10	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	16	7	5	.661
other WCHA players							
11	Sam Brittain (FLA)	Denver	FR	19	9	5	.652
15	Chris Kamal	Alaska Anchorage	FR	9	5	1	.633
21	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	16	11	1	.589
24	Kent Patterson (COA)	Minnesota	JR	14	9	6	.586
28	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	20	15	2	.568
32	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	18	15	2	.543
35	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	14	13	4	.516
43	Mike Lee (PHO)	St. Cloud State	SO	12	14	4	.467
46	Phil Cook	Minnesota State	SO	10	13	4	.444
54	Rob Gunderson	Alaska Anchorage	FR	7	13	2	.364
68	Kevin Genoe	Michigan Tech	SO	3	17	2	.182
69	Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	JR	1	13	2	.125

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Shutouts:			GP	Shutouts	
1	Shane Madolora	RIT	SO	28	6
	Ryan Rondeau	Yale	SR	34	6
	John Faulkner	Nebraska-Omaha	SO	39	6
	Aaron Dell	North Dakota	SO	40	6
5	Chris Rawlings	Northeastern	SO	35	5
6	Scott Gudmandson	Wisconsin	SR	29	4
	Kevin Kapalka	Lake Superior	FR	32	4
	John Muse	Boston College	SR	34	4
	Shawn Hunwick	Michigan	SR	35	4
10	Chris Kamal	Alaska Anchorage	FR	15	3
	Dan Sullivan	Maine	FR	21	3
	Cody Reichard	Miami	JR	24	3
	Eric Hartzell	Quinnipiac	SO	28	3
	Dan Bakala	Bemidji State	JR	31	3
	Kenny Reiter	Minnesota Duluth	JR	31	3
	Joe Howe	Colorado College	SO	36	3
	Pat Nagle	Ferris State	SR	37	3
	Keith Kinkaid	Union	SO	38	3

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Goals:	3 Cory Conacher	Canisius	vs Western Michigan	10/08/2010
Goals:	3 Wahsontio Stacey	Vermont	vs Denver	10/08/2010
Goals:	3 Anders Lee	Notre Dame	vs Holy Cross	10/08/2010
Goals:	3 Josh Jooris	Union	vs Sacred Heart	10/08/2010
Team Goals:	9	Union	vs Sacred Heart	10/08/2010
Saves:	51 Dan Morrison	Canisius	vs Western Michigan	10/09/2010
Points:	5 Adam Presizniuk	Union	vs Sacred Heart	10/09/2010
Points:	5 Kelly Zajac	Union	vs Sacred Heart	10/09/2010
Goals:	4 Kelly Zajac	Union	vs Sacred Heart	10/09/2010
Assists:	5 Adam Presizniuk	Union	vs Sacred Heart	10/09/2010
Goals:	3 Jay Barriball	Minnesota	vs Massachusetts	10/09/2010
Assists:	4 Deron Cousens	Michigan Tech	vs Northern Michigan	10/12/2010
Saves:	49 Jared Coreau	Northern Michigan	vs Michigan Tech	10/12/2010
Goals:	3 Matt Frattin	North Dakota	vs Bemidji State	10/15/2010
Penalty Kill:	1.000 9 of 9	Boston College	vs Denver	10/16/2010
Goals:	3 Jordy Murray	Wisconsin	vs Alab-Huntsville	10/17/2010
Saves:	48 Joe Calvi	Bentley	vs Clarkson	10/22/2010
Points:	5 John Kruse	Air Force	vs American Int'l	10/23/2010
Goals:	3 Jacques Lamoureux	Air Force	vs American Int'l	10/23/2010
Team Goals:	12	Air Force	vs American Int'l	10/23/2010
Points:	5 Carter Camper	Miami	vs Northern Michigan	10/23/2010
Points:	5 Andy Miele	Miami	vs Northern Michigan	10/23/2010
Goals:	3 Reilly Smith	Miami	vs Northern Michigan	10/23/2010
Assists:	5 Carter Camper	Miami	vs Northern Michigan	10/23/2010
Assists:	4 Andy Miele	Miami	vs Northern Michigan	10/23/2010
Team Goals:	9	Miami	vs Northern Michigan	10/23/2010
Goals:	3 Greg Carey	St. Lawrence	vs Western Michigan	10/23/2010
Points:	5 Nate Condon	Minnesota	vs Colorado College	10/30/2010
Team Goals:	9	Minnesota	vs Colorado College	10/30/2010
Assists:	4 Drew LeBlanc	St. Cloud State	vs Quinnipiac	10/30/2010
Saves:	50 Steven Legatto	Sacred Heart	vs Colgate	10/30/2010
Goals:	3 Ben Hanowski	St. Cloud State	vs Bemidji State	11/05/2010
Points:	5 Stephen Schultz	Colorado College	vs Denver	11/06/2010
Points:	5 Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	vs Denver	11/06/2010
Assists:	4 Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	vs Denver	11/06/2010
Team Goals:	9	Colorado College	vs Denver	11/06/2010
Power Play:	.667 4 of 6	Colorado College	vs Air Force	11/12/2010
Penalty Kill:	1.000 10 of 10	Boston University	vs Merrimack	11/12/2010
Goals:	3 Kyle MacKinnon	Providence	vs Alab-Huntsville	11/12/2010
Saves:	48 Steven Legatto	Sacred Heart	vs Robert Morris	11/12/2010
Assists:	4 Nathan Longpre	Robert Morris	vs Sacred Heart	11/13/2010
Team Goals:	9	Army	vs American Int'l	11/19/2010
Goals:	3 Jesse Todd	Merrimack	vs UMass Lowell	11/19/2010
Saves:	50 Ryan Zapolski	Mercyhurst	vs Robert Morris	11/19/2010
Goals:	3 Paul Zanette	Niagara	vs RIT	11/19/2010
Goals:	3 Drew Shore	Denver	vs Lake Superior	11/26/2010
Goals:	3 Nick Walsh	Dartmouth	vs Harvard	11/26/2010
Goals:	3 Justin Jokinen	Minnesota State	vs UMass Lowell	11/26/2010
Goals:	3 Justin Schultz	Wisconsin	vs Michigan State	11/27/2010
Team Goals:	9	Boston College	vs Boston University	12/03/2010
Assists:	4 Jaden Schwartz	Colorado College	vs Michigan Tech	12/03/2010
Goals:	3 Jason Zucker	Denver	vs Minnesota Duluth	12/03/2010
Goals:	3 Brandon DeFazio	Clarkson	vs Quinnipiac	12/04/2010
Goals:	3 Cole Schneider	Connecticut	vs Niagara	12/04/2010
Saves:	50 Garrett Bartus	Connecticut	vs Niagara	12/04/2010
Goals:	3 Kyle De Laurell	Air Force	vs Holy Cross	12/04/2010
Saves:	49 Phil Cook	Minnesota State	vs Minnesota	12/04/2010
Goals:	3 Alden Hirschfeld	Miami	vs Notre Dame	12/04/2010
Assists:	4 Chase Polacek	Rensselaer	vs Brown	12/04/2010
Points:	5 Mike Sislo	New Hampshire	vs Vermont	12/05/2010
Goals:	3 Paul Thompson	New Hampshire	vs Vermont	12/05/2010
Assists:	5 Mike Sislo	New Hampshire	vs Vermont	12/05/2010
Saves:	48 Josh Robinson	Michigan Tech	vs Nebraska-Omaha	12/09/2010
Goals:	3 Jeremy Welsh	Union	vs American Int'l	12/10/2010
Team Goals:	9	Connecticut	vs Sacred Heart	12/10/2010
Goals:	3 Andrew Ammon	Princeton	vs UMass Lowell	12/10/2010
Goals:	3 Daniel Carr	Union	vs Army	12/11/2010
Power Play:	.667 6 of 9	Union	vs Army	12/11/2010
Power Play:	.750 3 of 4	Michigan	vs Michigan State	12/11/2010
Saves:	51 Jared Coreau	Northern Michigan	vs Notre Dame	12/11/2010
Goals:	3 Brandon DeFazio	Clarkson	vs Sacred Heart	12/12/2010
Team Goals:	9	Clarkson	vs Sacred Heart	12/12/2010
Goals:	3 Brian Flynn	Maine	vs Massachusetts	12/12/2010
Goals:	3 Phil Ginand	Mercyhurst	vs Alab-Huntsville	12/16/2010
Goals:	3 Nick Dineen	Colorado College	vs Nebraska-Omaha	12/18/2010
Goals:	3 Ryan Guentzel	Notre Dame	vs Canisius	12/29/2010
Assists:	4 Stephen Johns	Notre Dame	vs Canisius	12/29/2010
Team Goals:	10	Notre Dame	vs Canisius	12/29/2010
Power Play:	.800 4 of 5	Colorado College	vs Michigan	12/30/2010
Saves:	53 Eric Hartzell	Quinnipiac	vs Nebraska-Omaha	12/30/2010
Goals:	3 Karl Stollery	Merrimack	vs RIT	01/01/2011
Saves:	51 Ben Meisner	American Int'l	vs Minnesota State	01/07/2011
Goals:	3 Michael Biega	Harvard	vs Brown	01/07/2011
Goals:	3 Torey Krug	Michigan State	vs Michigan	01/07/2011

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Goals: 3 Bryan Haczyk	Niagara	vs Holy Cross	01/07/2011
Power Play: .750 3 of 4	North Dakota	vs Robert Morris	01/07/2011
Goals: 3 Paul Thompson	New Hampshire	vs UMass Lowell	01/07/2011
Assists: 4 Jamie Easton	Alab-Huntsville	vs Bemidji State	01/08/2011
Team Goals: 9	Mercyhurst	vs Connecticut	01/08/2011
Penalty Kill: 1.000 9 of 9	Bentley	vs RIT	01/14/2011
Penalty Kill: 1.000 9 of 9	Miami	vs Bowling Green	01/14/2011
Goals: 3 Cody Omilusik	Army	vs Air Force	01/15/2011
Penalty Kill: 1.000 9 of 9	Canisius	vs Quinnipiac	01/17/2011
Goals: 3 Joey Martin	Nebraska-Omaha	vs North Dakota	01/21/2011
Power Play: .714 5 of 7	Nebraska-Omaha	vs North Dakota	01/21/2011
Goals: 3 Tyler Roeszler	Cornell	vs Colgate	01/22/2011
Saves: 48 Steven Legatto	Sacred Heart	vs Princeton	01/25/2011
Goals: 3 Danny Biega	Harvard	vs Colgate	01/28/2011
Power Play: .750 3 of 4	Miami	vs Notre Dame	01/28/2011
Saves: 58 Clarke Saunders	Alab-Huntsville	vs Nebraska-Omaha	01/29/2011
Saves: 56 Eric Levine	Robert Morris	vs Niagara	01/29/2011
Goals: 3 Mike Collins	Merrimack	vs Vermont	01/29/2011
Assists: 4 Joe Cucci	Merrimack	vs Vermont	01/29/2011
Goals: 3 Cory Conacher	Canisius	vs Robert Morris	02/03/2011
Points: 5 Rob Linsmayer	Holy Cross	vs American Int'l	02/04/2011
Points: 5 Brandon Nunn	Holy Cross	vs American Int'l	02/04/2011
Goals: 3 Joe Cucci	Merrimack	vs Northeastern	02/04/2011
Assists: 4 Chris Barton	Merrimack	vs Northeastern	02/04/2011
Goals: 3 Gustav Nyquist	Maine	vs New Hampshire	02/04/2011
Power Play: .750 3 of 4	Maine	vs New Hampshire	02/04/2011
Power Play: .667 4 of 6	Mercyhurst	vs Niagara	02/04/2011
Points: 5 Kyle Fletcher	Holy Cross	vs American Int'l	02/05/2011
Goals: 3 Cody Omilusik	Army	vs Connecticut	02/05/2011
Saves: 48 Brooks Ostergard	Robert Morris	vs Canisius	02/05/2011
Points: 5 Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	vs Minnesota	02/05/2011
Goals: 5 Mike Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	vs Minnesota	02/05/2011
Assists: 4 Jack Connolly	Minnesota Duluth	vs Minnesota	02/05/2011
Assists: 4 John Albert	Ohio State	vs Michigan State	02/05/2011
Goals: 3 Scott Pitt	Mercyhurst	vs Niagara	02/05/2011
Power Play: .750 3 of 4	Rensselaer	vs Princeton	02/05/2011
Saves: 51 Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	vs Nebraska-Omaha	02/05/2011
Points: 5 Chris Barton	Merrimack	vs Massachusetts	02/05/2011
Team Goals: 11	Merrimack	vs Massachusetts	02/05/2011
Saves: 50 Jared Coreau	Northern Michigan	vs Michigan State	02/11/2011
Goals: 3 Bryan Haczyk	Niagara	vs Air Force	02/12/2011
Goals: 3 Tyler Gron	Northern Michigan	vs Michigan State	02/12/2011
Goals: 3 Mark Dube	Army	vs American Int'l	02/18/2011
Power Play: .750 3 of 4	Harvard	vs Cornell	02/18/2011
Assists: 4 Mike Hull	Army	vs American Int'l	02/19/2011
Goals: 3 Rob Kleebaum	Princeton	vs Yale	02/20/2011
Saves: 50 Steven Legatto	Sacred Heart	vs Army	02/25/2011
Power Play: .750 3 of 4	Union	vs Princeton	02/26/2011
Assists: 4 David Vallorani	UMass Lowell	vs Vermont	03/04/2011
Saves: 48 Kevin Kapalka	Lake Superior	vs Ohio State	03/04/2011
Goals: 3 Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	vs Michigan Tech	03/05/2011
Assists: 4 Mario Lamoureux	North Dakota	vs Michigan Tech	03/05/2011
Team Goals: 11	North Dakota	vs Michigan Tech	03/05/2011
Goals: 3 Matt Gingera	Sacred Heart	vs Bentley	03/05/2011
Saves: 48 Dan Morrison	Canisius	vs Niagara	03/05/2011
Saves: 48 Matt Weninger	St. Lawrence	vs Princeton	03/06/2011
Goals: 3 Jason Gregoire	North Dakota	vs Michigan Tech	03/11/2011
Goals: 3 Matt Frattin	North Dakota	vs Michigan Tech	03/11/2011
Assists: 4 Chay Genoway	North Dakota	vs Michigan Tech	03/11/2011
Goals: 3 Corey Jendras	Connecticut	vs Mercyhurst	03/11/2011
Saves: 60 Mike Lee	St. Cloud State	vs Minnesota Duluth	03/12/2011
Goals: 3 Carter Madsen	Merrimack	vs Maine	03/12/2011
Goals: 3 Jimmy Hayes	Boston College	vs Massachusetts	03/12/2011
Saves: 53 Garrett Bartus	Connecticut	vs Mercyhurst	03/12/2011
Saves: 49 Dan Morrison	Canisius	vs Holy Cross	03/12/2011
Goals: 3 Kyle Fletcher	Holy Cross	vs Canisius	03/13/2011
Power Play: .750 3 of 4	Colorado College	vs Boston College	03/25/2011
Penalty Kill: 1.000 9 of 9	Minnesota Duluth	vs Union	03/25/2011

WCHA Men's Players of the Week

Red Baron® WCHA Offensive Player of the Week

Date	Player, Year, Position, Team (Opponent)
Oct. 12:	Jay Barriball, Sr., F, Minnesota (vs Massachusetts)
Oct. 19:	Matt Frattin, Sr., F, North Dakota (@ BSU)
Oct. 26:	Travis Oleksuk, Jr., F, Minnesota Duluth (vs UAA)
Nov. 2:	Taylor Matson, Jr., F, Minnesota (@ CC)
Nov. 9:	Jordan George, So., F, Bemidji State (@ SCSU)
	Stephen Schultz, Sr., F, Colorado College (@ DU, vs DU)
Nov. 16:	Jack Connolly, Jr., F, Minnesota Duluth (vs MTU)
Nov. 23:	Mike Hoeffel, Sr., F, Minnesota (@ MTU)
Nov. 30:	Jake Gardiner, Jr., D, Wisconsin (vs Michigan, Michigan State)
	Drew Shore, So., F, Denver (vs Lake Superior State, Air Force)
Dec. 7:	Jaden Schwartz, Fr., F, Colorado College (@ MTU)
Dec. 14:	Brad Malone, Sr., F, North Dakota (@ MSU)
Dec. 21:	Nick Dineen, Jr., F, Colorado College (vs UNO)
Jan. 5:	Michael Dorr, Jr., F, Minnesota State (vs Notre Dame, Brown)
Jan. 11:	Craig Smith, So., F, Wisconsin (vs Canisius)
Jan. 18:	Tommy Grant, Sr., F, Alaska Anchorage (vs CC)
Jan. 25:	J.T. Brown, Fr., F, Minnesota Duluth (@ MTU)
Feb. 1:	Michael Dorr, Jr., F, Minnesota State (@ SCSU)
Feb. 8:	Mike Connolly, Jr., F, Minnesota Duluth (vs UM)
Feb. 15:	Jason Gregoire, Jr., F, North Dakota (vs UAA)
Feb. 22:	Jacob Cepis, Sr., F, Minnesota (@ UW)
	Brett Hextall, Jr., F, North Dakota (@ SCSU)
Mar. 1:	Garrett Roe, Sr., F, St. Cloud State (vs UW)
Mar. 8:	Matt Frattin, Sr., F, North Dakota (@ MTU)

Red Baron® WCHA Defensive Player of the Week

Date	Player, Year, Position, Team (Opponent)
Oct. 12:	John Faulkner, So., G, Nebraska Omaha (vs Clarkson, RIT)
Oct. 19:	Eric Olimb, Sr., D, Nebraska Omaha (@ UM)
Oct. 26:	John Lee, Jr., D, Denver (vs UW)
Nov. 2:	Sam Brittain, Fr., G, Denver (@ UND)
Nov. 9:	John Faulkner, So., G, Nebraska Omaha (vs MSU)
Nov. 16:	Aaron Dell, So., G, North Dakota (@ UW)
Nov. 23:	Sam Brittain, Fr., G, Denver (vs BSU)
Nov. 30:	Justin Schultz, So., D, Wisconsin (vs Michigan, Michigan State)
Dec. 7:	Dan Bakala, Jr., G, Bemidji State (vs UNO)
	Phil Cook, So., G, Minnesota State (vs UM)
Dec. 14:	Joe Howe, So., G, Colorado College (@ SCSU)
	Kent Patterson, Jr., G, Minnesota (vs UMD)
Dec. 21:	John Faulkner, So., G, Nebraska Omaha (@ CC)
Jan. 5:	Dan Bakala, Jr., G, Bemidji State (vs Ferris State, Union College)
Jan. 11:	Aaron Dell, So., G, North Dakota (vs Robert Morris)
Jan. 18:	Ryan Adams, Sr., D, Bemidji State (@ UNO)
Jan. 25:	Scott Gudmandson, Sr., G, Wisconsin (vs MSU)
Feb. 1:	Kurt Davis, Sr., D, Minnesota State (@ SCSU)
Feb. 8:	Dan Bakala, Jr., G, Bemidji State (@ MSU)
	Curtis Leinweber, Jr., D, Alaska Anchorage (vs MTU)
Feb. 15:	John Faulkner, So., G, Nebraska Omaha (vs UW)
Feb. 22:	Austin Lee, Jr., G, Minnesota State (vs UMD)
Mar. 1:	Jake Marto, Sr., D, North Dakota (vs BSU)
Mar. 8:	Mike Lee, So., G, St. Cloud State (@ DU)

Red Baron® WCHA Rookie of the Week

Date	Player, Year, Position, Team (Opponent)
Oct. 12:	Milos Gordic, Fr., F, Michigan Tech (@N. Michigan, @Lake Superior St.)
	Matt White, Fr., F, Nebraska Omaha (vs Clarkson, RIT)
Oct. 19:	J.T. Brown, Fr., F, Minnesota Duluth (vs Providence)
Oct. 26:	Sam Brittain, Fr., G, Denver (vs UW)
Nov. 2:	Nate Condon, Fr., F, Minnesota (@ CC)
Nov. 9:	Mark Zengerle, Fr., F, Wisconsin (@ UM)
Nov. 16:	David Makowski, Fr., D, Denver (vs MSU)
Nov. 23:	David Makowski, Fr., D, Denver (vs BSU)
Nov. 30:	Chase Grant, Fr., F, Minnesota State (@ UMass-Lowell)
Dec. 7:	Jason Zucker, Fr., F, Denver (@ UMD)
Dec. 14:	Jason Zucker, Fr., F, Denver (@ UAA)
Dec. 21:	Dakota Eveland, Fr., F, Colorado College (vs UNO)
Jan. 5:	Nic Dowd, Fr., F, St. Cloud State (vs Cornell, Miami)
Jan. 11:	Nic Dowd, Fr., F, St. Cloud State (vs MTU)
Jan. 18:	Rob Gunderson, Fr., G, Alaska Anchorage (vs CC)
Jan. 25:	Michael Young, Fr., D, Nebraska Omaha (@ UND)
Feb. 1:	Chris Kamal, Fr., G, Alaska Anchorage (@ UM)
Feb. 8:	Nick Shore, Fr., F, Denver (@ CC, vs CC)
Feb. 15:	Nick Jensen, Fr., F, St. Cloud State (@ UMD)
	Johnnie Searfoss, Fr., F, Nebraska Omaha (vs UW)
Feb. 22:	Ryan Furne, Fr., F, Michigan Tech (@ DU)
Mar. 1:	Nick Bjugstad, Fr., F, Minnesota (vs MTU)
Mar. 8:	Chris Kamal, Fr., G, Alaska Anchorage (@ MSU)
	Nick Bjugstad, Fr., F, Minnesota (@ BSU)

2010-11 WCHA Men's Attendance

Alaska Anchorage • Sullivan Arena (6,251)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
17	56,418	3,319	6,194

Bemidji State • Robert H. Peters Rink @ Sanford Center (4,258)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
16	62,011	3,876	4,373\$

Colorado College • Colorado Springs World Arena (7,380)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
24*	153,538*	6,397*	7,651\$
	* includes (2) home exhibition games		

Denver • Magness Arena (6,026)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
24*	125,547*	5,231*	6,146\$
	* includes (2) home exhibition games		

Michigan Tech • John MacInnes Student Ice Arena (4,128)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
18*	42,696*	2,372*	3,074
	* includes (1) home exhibition game		

Minnesota • Mariucci Arena (10,000)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
24*	226,418*	9,434*	9,917
	* includes (1) home exhibition game		

Minnesota Duluth • DECC (5,303) (thru 12/29); AMSOIL Arena (6,764)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
20	116,538	5,827	6,764\$

Minnesota State • Verizon Wireless Center (4,832)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
19*	69,028	3,633*	4,690
	* includes (1) home exhibition game		

Nebraska Omaha • Qwest Center Omaha (15,595)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
21*	165,293*	7,871*	15,137
	* includes (1) home exhibition game		

North Dakota • Ralph Engelstad Arena (11,634)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
22*	255,280*	11,604*	12,114\$
	* includes (2) home exhibition games		

St. Cloud State • National Hockey Center (5,371)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
19*	112,765*	5,935*	6,102\$
	* includes (1) home exhibition game		

Wisconsin • Kohl Center (15,325)

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
22	290,970	13,226	15,325\$

2010-11 Season Totals

Dates	Total	Game Average	High
250*	1,734,275*	6,937*	16,731*

*includes exhibition games

*includes 2011 Red Baron WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center

2010-11 WCHA Men's Composite Schedule & Results

October

Date	Game	Time
Sat/2	Nipissing Univ. 3 @ Michigan Tech 5 (x)	7:07 pm ET
	Univ. of Manitoba 4 @ St. Cloud State 7 (x)	7:07 pm CT
	Univ. of British Columbia 1 @ Nebraska Omaha 6 (x)	7:07 pm CT
	U.S. Under-18 Team 1 @ Denver 8 (x)	7:07 pm MT
	Lethbridge Univ. 1 @ Colorado College 5 (x)	7:07 pm MT
	Univ. of Windsor 1 @ Alaska Anchorage 4 (x) (@ Soldotna, AK)	7:07 pm AT
Sun/3	Univ. of British Columbia 0 @ Minnesota 6 (x)	7:07 pm CT
	Univ. of Manitoba 2 @ North Dakota 5 (x)	6:07 pm CT
	Lethbridge Univ. 5 @ Denver 2 (x)	6:07 pm MT
	U.S. Under-18 Team 1 @ Colorado College 7 (x)	6:07 pm MT
Mon/4	Univ. of British Columbia 0 @ Minnesota State 1 (x)	7:37 pm CT
Fri/8	Denver 5 @ Vermont 3 (nc)	7:05 pm ET
	Superior Showcase	
	Minnesota Duluth 6 @ Lake Superior St. 6 ot (nc)	7:05 pm ET
	Michigan Tech 4 @ Northern Michigan 3 ot (nc)	7:30 pm ET
	Massachusetts 3 @ Minnesota 5 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	St. Lawrence 5 @ Minnesota State 5 ot (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	Ice Breaker Tournament	
	@ Scottrade Center, St. Louis, MO	
	Holy Cross 3 vs Notre Dame 6 (nc)	5:30 pm CT
	Wisconsin 3 vs Boston Univ. 4 (nc)	8:30 pm CT
	Mutual of Omaha Stampede	
	@ Qwest Center Omaha, Omaha, NE	
	St. Cloud State 3 vs RIT 1 (nc)	4:37 pm CT
	Clarkson 0 @ Nebraska Omaha 8 (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	Rensselaer 1 @ Colorado College 2 (nc)	7:37 pm MT
	Kendall Hockey Classic	
	@ Sullivan Arena, Anchorage, AK	
	Air Force 2 vs Alaska Fairbanks 5 (nc)	5:07 pm AT
	North Dakota 5 vs Alaska Anchorage 5 ot (nc)	8:07 pm AT
Sat/9	Denver 1 @ Vermont 1 ot (nc)	7:05 pm ET
	Superior Showcase	
	Michigan Tech 6 @ Lake Superior State 2 (nc)	7:00 pm ET
	Minnesota Duluth 3 @ Northern Michigan 2 (nc)	7:30 pm ET
	Massachusetts 4 @ Minnesota 5 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	St. Lawrence 1 @ Minnesota State 1 ot (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Mutual of Omaha Stampede	
	@ Qwest Center Omaha, Omaha, NE	
	Clarkson 6 vs St. Cloud State 2 (nc)	4:07 pm CT
	RIT 3 @ Nebraska Omaha 5 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Rensselaer 2 @ Colorado College 2 ot (nc)	7:07 pm MT
	Kendall Hockey Classic	
	@ Sullivan Arena, Anchorage, AK	
	North Dakota 3 vs Alaska Fairbanks 1 (nc)	4:07 pm AT
	Air Force 2 vs Alaska Anchorage 3 (nc)	7:07 pm AT
Sun/10	Ice Breaker Tournament	
	@ Scottrade Center, St. Louis, MO	
	Wisconsin 6 vs Holy Cross 0 (3rd place) (nc)	12 Noon CT
	Boston Univ. 5 vs Notre Dame 4 (championship) (nc)	3:00 pm CT
Tue/12	Northern Michigan 4 @ Michigan Tech 4 ot (nc)	7:07 pm ET
Fri/15	Minnesota State 2 @ Michigan Tech 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Alabama-Huntsville 0 @ Wisconsin 7 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Nebraska Omaha 5 @ Minnesota 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Providence College 3 @ Minnesota Duluth 5 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Miami Univ. 6 @ St. Cloud State 3 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota 5 @ Bemidji State 2 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Boston College 6 @ Denver 2 (nc)	7:37 pm MT
	Brice Alaska Goal Rush	
	@ Carlson Center, Fairbanks, AK	
	Colorado College 4 vs Alaska Anchorage 3 (nc)	5:05 pm AT
	Union College 1 vs Alaska Fairbanks 2 (nc)	8:05 pm AT

Date	Game	Time
Sat/16	Minnesota State 5 @ Michigan Tech 5 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Nebraska Omaha 4 @ Minnesota 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Providence College 1 @ Minnesota Duluth 7 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Miami Univ. 1 @ St. Cloud State 1 ot (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota 5 @ Bemidji State 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Boston College 3 @ Denver 0 (nc)	7:07 pm MT
	Brice Alaska Goal Rush	
	@ Carlson Center, Fairbanks, AK	
	Union College 4 vs Alaska Anchorage 3 (nc)	4:05 pm AT
	Colorado College 1 vs Alaska Fairbanks 2 (nc)	7:05 pm AT
Sun/17	Alabama-Huntsville 2 @ Wisconsin 5 (nc)	1:07 pm CT
Fri/22	North Dakota 3 @ Maine 7 (nc)	7:00 pm ET
	Nebraska Omaha 4 @ Michigan 2 (nc)	7:35 pm ET
	St. Cloud State 5 @ Minnesota 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Alaska Anchorage 2 @ Minnesota Duluth 3 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Colorado College 4 @ Minnesota State 5 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Wisconsin 2 @ Denver 4 (WCHA)	7:37 pm MT
Sat/23	North Dakota 2 @ Maine 4 (nc)	7:00 pm ET
	Nebraska Omaha 1 @ Michigan 6 (nc)	7:35 pm ET
	Alaska Anchorage 0 @ Minnesota Duluth 6 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Colorado College 1 @ Minnesota State 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Wisconsin 2 @ Denver 2 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
Sun/24	St. Cloud State 1 @ Minnesota 2 (WCHA)	2:07 pm CT
Fri/29	Michigan Tech 2 @ Wisconsin 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Quinnipiac 4 @ St. Cloud State 2 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota Duluth 3 @ Bemidji State 2 ot (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Denver 3 @ North Dakota 4 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Minnesota 4 @ Colorado College 1 (WCHA)	7:37 pm MT
	Minnesota State 3 @ Alaska Anchorage 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Sat/30	Michigan Tech 1 @ Wisconsin 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Quinnipiac 2 @ St. Cloud State 5 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota Duluth 1 @ Bemidji State 1 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Denver 3 @ North Dakota 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota 9 @ Colorado College 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
	Minnesota State 2 @ Alaska Anchorage 2 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT

November

Date	Game	Time
Fri/5	Wisconsin 6 @ Minnesota 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Bemidji State 3 @ St. Cloud State 6 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota Duluth 2 @ North Dakota 4 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Minnesota State 1 @ Nebraska Omaha 5 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Colorado College 1 @ Denver 4 (WCHA)	7:37 pm MT
Sat/6	Wisconsin 3 @ Minnesota 3 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Bemidji State 3 @ St. Cloud State 2 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota Duluth 3 @ North Dakota 2 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota State 2 @ Nebraska Omaha 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Denver 2 @ Colorado College 9 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
Fri/12	North Dakota 1 @ Wisconsin 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Michigan Tech 3 @ Minnesota Duluth 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Nebraska Omaha 3 @ St. Cloud State 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Alaska Anchorage 5 @ Bemidji State 4 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Minnesota State 2 @ Denver 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm MT
	Colorado College 6 @ Air Force 4 (nc)	7:05 pm MT
Sat/13	North Dakota 4 @ Wisconsin 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Michigan Tech 2 @ Minnesota Duluth 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Nebraska Omaha 4 @ St. Cloud State 4 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Alaska Anchorage 0 @ Bemidji State 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota State 1 @ Denver 6 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
	Yale 5 @ Colorado College 1 (nc)	7:07 pm MT
Fri/19	Minnesota 6 @ Michigan Tech 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Minnesota Duluth 6 @ Wisconsin 5 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota 6 @ Nebraska Omaha 5 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Bemidji State 1 @ Denver 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm MT
	St. Cloud State 2 @ Alaska Anchorage 3 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Sat/20	Minnesota 4 @ Michigan Tech 1 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Minnesota Duluth 3 @ Wisconsin 2 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota 0 @ Nebraska Omaha 1 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Bemidji State 2 @ Denver 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
	St. Cloud State 4 @ Alaska Anchorage 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT

2010-11 WCHA Schedule con't

Date	Game	Time
Fri/26	Minnesota State 8 @ UMass-Lowell 3 (nc)	7:00 pm ET
	College Hockey Showcase	
	Michigan 4 @ Wisconsin 4 ot (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Michigan State 5 @ Minnesota 2 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Northern Michigan 4 @ Bemidji State 0 (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	Subway Holiday Classic	
	@ Ralph Engelstad Arena, Grand Forks, ND	
	Notre Dame 3 @ North Dakota 6 (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	Alaska Anchorage 4 @ Colorado College 3 ot (WCHA)	7:37 pm MT
	Denver Cup Classic @ Magness Arena, Denver, CO	
	Clarkson 1 vs Air Force 2 (nc)	4:37 pm MT
	Lake Superior State 3 vs Denver 6 (nc)	7:37 pm MT
Sat/27	Minnesota State 3 @ UMass-Lowell 2 (nc)	4:00 pm ET
	College Hockey Showcase	
	Michigan State 1 @ Wisconsin 4 (nc)	8:07 pm CT
	Northern Michigan 0 @ Bemidji State 3 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Subway Holiday Classic	
	@ Ralph Engelstad Arena, Grand Forks, ND	
	Notre Dame 2 @ North Dakota 2 ot (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Alaska Anchorage 0 @ Colorado College 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
	Denver Cup Classic @ Magness Arena, Denver CO	
	Clarkson 2 vs Lake Superior State 1 (nc)	4:07 pm MT
	Air Force 1 vs Denver 3 (nc)	7:07 pm MT
Sun/28	College Hockey Showcase	
	Michigan 1 @ Minnesota 3 (nc)	4:37 pm CT

December

Date	Game	Time
Fri/3	Colorado College 7 @ Michigan Tech 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Denver 5 @ Minnesota Duluth 4 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Nebraska Omaha 0 @ Bemidji State 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Minnesota 2 @ Minnesota State 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	St. Cloud State 1 @ North Dakota 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Wisconsin 1 @ Alaska Anchorage 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Sat/4	Colorado College 5 @ Michigan Tech 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Denver 1 @ Minnesota Duluth 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Nebraska Omaha 1 @ Bemidji State 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota 1 @ Minnesota State 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	St. Cloud State 2 @ North Dakota 6 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Wisconsin 3 @ Alaska Anchorage 1 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Thu/9	Michigan Tech 2 @ Nebraska Omaha 5 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
Fri/10	Bemidji State 2 @ Wisconsin 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota Duluth 2 @ Minnesota 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Colorado College 3 @ St. Cloud State 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota 4 @ Minnesota State 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Michigan Tech 1 @ Nebraska Omaha 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Denver 5 @ Alaska Anchorage 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Sat/11	Bemidji State 0 @ Wisconsin 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota Duluth @ Minnesota (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Colorado College 5 @ St. Cloud State 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota @ Minnesota State (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Denver 2 @ Alaska Anchorage 2 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Sun/12	*Minnesota Duluth 2 @ Minnesota 2 ot (WCHA)	4:07 pm CT
	*North Dakota 4 @ Minnesota State 2 (WCHA)	4:07 pm CT
	*Rescheduled from 12/11 due to weather	
Fri/17	Michigan Tech 2 @ Northern Michigan 6 (nc)	7:35 pm ET
Sat/18	Nebraska Omaha 2 @ Colorado College 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
	U.S. Under-18 Team 1 @ North Dakota 2 (x)	7:07 pm CT
Sun/19	Nebraska Omaha 3 @ Colorado College 0 (WCHA)	6:07 pm MT
Wed/29	Florida College Classic @ Germain Arena, Estero, FL	
	St. Cloud State 4 vs Cornell 3 ot (nc)	4:05 pm ET
	Miami Univ. 4 vs Maine 1 (nc)	7:35 pm ET
	Great Lakes Invitational @ Joe Louis Arena, Detroit, MI	
	Colorado College 5 vs Michigan State 4 (nc)	4:06 pm ET
	Michigan 4 vs Michigan Tech 2 (nc)	7:36 pm ET
Thu/30	Nebraska Omaha 3 @ Quinnipiac 4 (nc)	7:30 pm ET
	Florida College Classic @ Germain Arena, Estero, FL	
	Cornell 2 vs Maine 3 (3rd Place) (nc)	4:05 pm ET
	St. Cloud State 4 vs Miami 3 (Championship) (nc)	7:35 pm ET
	Great Lakes Invitational @ Joe Louis Arena, Detroit, MI	
	Michigan St. 5 vs Michigan Tech 3 (3rd Place) (nc)	4:06 pm ET
	Colorado College 5 vs Michigan 6 (Championship) (nc)	7:36 pm ET

Date	Game	Time
	Massachusetts 1 @ Wisconsin 5 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota 5 @ Minnesota Duluth 0 (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	(U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame Game)	
Fri/31	Nebraska Omaha 2 @ Quinnipiac 3 (nc)	12 Noon ET
	Massachusetts 2 @ Wisconsin 4 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Dodge Holiday Classic	
	@ Mariucci Arena, Minneapolis, MN	
	Ferris State 2 vs Bemidji State 3 (nc)	3:07 pm CT
	Union College 3 vs Minnesota 2 ot (nc)	6:07 pm CT
	Northern Michigan 2 @ Denver 5 (nc)	6:07 pm MT

January

Date	Game	Time
Sat/1	Shillelagh Tournament	
	@ Sears Centre Arena, Hoffman Estates, IL	
	Brown 6 vs Boston Univ. 1 (nc)	3:05 pm ET
	Minnesota State 3 vs Notre Dame 2 (nc)	6:05 pm ET
	Dodge Holiday Classic	
	@ Mariucci Arena, Minneapolis, MN	
	Union 1 vs Bemidji State 3 (championship) (nc)	4:07 pm CT
	Ferris State 2 vs Minnesota 2 ot (3rd place) (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Northern Michigan 2 @ Denver 2 ot (nc)	7:07 pm MT
Sun/2	Shillelagh Tournament	
	@ Sears Centre Arena, Hoffman Estates, IL	
	Minnesota State 7 vs Brown 3 (championship) (nc)	2:05 pm ET
	Boston Univ. 3 vs Notre Dame 3 ot (3rd place) (nc)	5:05 pm ET
Mon/3	Minnesota Duluth 4 @ Clarkson 1 (nc)	7:00 pm ET
Tue/4	Minnesota Duluth 4 @ Clarkson 2 (nc)	7:00 pm ET
Fri/7	Bemidji State 3 @ Alabama-Huntsville 1 (nc)	7:05 pm CT
	Canisius College 0 @ Wisconsin 3 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Michigan Tech 0 @ St. Cloud State 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	American International 0 @ Minnesota State 1 (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	Robert Morris 0 @ North Dakota 8 (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	U.S. Under-18 Team 0 @ Minnesota 9 (x)	7:07 pm CT
Sat/8	Bemidji State 3 @ Alabama-Huntsville 4 (nc)	3:05 pm CT
	Canisius College 5 @ Wisconsin 6 ot (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Michigan Tech 1 @ St. Cloud State 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	American International 2 @ Minnesota State 5 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	Robert Morris 1 @ North Dakota 2 (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	U.S. Under-18 Team 1 @ Minnesota Duluth 4 (x)	7:07 pm CT
Fri/14	St. Lawrence 4 @ Michigan Tech 4 ot (nc)	7:07 pm ET
	Wisconsin 0 @ Minnesota Duluth 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Denver 4 @ Minnesota State 4 ot (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Minnesota 3 @ North Dakota 2 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Bemidji State 2 @ Nebraska Omaha 2 ot (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Colorado College 1 @ Alaska Anchorage 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Sat/15	St. Lawrence 6 @ Michigan Tech 0 (nc)	5:07 pm ET
	Wisconsin 3 @ Minnesota Duluth 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Denver 4 @ Minnesota State 3 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota 1 @ North Dakota 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Bemidji State 3 @ Nebraska Omaha 2 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Colorado College 1 @ Alaska Anchorage 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT
Fri/21	Minnesota Duluth 5 @ Michigan Tech 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Minnesota State 2 @ Wisconsin 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	St. Cloud State 2 @ Bemidji State 1 ot (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Nebraska Omaha 8 @ North Dakota 4 (WCHA)	7:37 pm CT
	Alaska Anchorage 2 @ Denver 3 (WCHA)	7:37 pm MT
	Alabama-Huntsville 0 @ Colorado College 7 (nc)	7:37 pm MT
Sat/22	Minnesota Duluth 3 @ Michigan Tech 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Minnesota State 1 @ Wisconsin 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	St. Cloud State 5 @ Bemidji State 1 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Nebraska Omaha 2 @ North Dakota 4 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Alaska Anchorage 1 @ Denver 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT
	Alabama-Huntsville 1 @ Colorado College 4 (nc)	7:07 pm MT
Fri/28	Wisconsin 4 @ Michigan Tech 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Alaska Anchorage 1 @ Minnesota 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota State 3 @ St. Cloud State 3 ot (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Alabama-Huntsville 0 @ Nebraska Omaha 4 (nc)	7:37 pm CT
	North Dakota 2 @ Colorado College 4 (WCHA)	8:07 pm MT
Sat/29	Wisconsin 4 @ Michigan Tech 1 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET
	Alaska Anchorage 1 @ Minnesota 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Minnesota State 6 @ St. Cloud State 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT
	Alabama-Huntsville 2 @ Nebraska Omaha 1 ot (nc)	7:07 pm CT
	North Dakota 6 @ Colorado College 0 (WCHA)	7:07 pm MT

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February

Date	Game	Time
Fri/4	Minnesota 2 @ Minnesota Duluth 2 ot (WCHA) Bemidji State 1 @ Minnesota State 2 ot (WCHA) St. Cloud State 0 @ Nebraska Omaha 3 (WCHA) Denver 2 @ Colorado College 3 (WCHA)	7:07 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 8:07 pm MT
Sat/5	Michigan Tech 1 @ Alaska Anchorage 4 (WCHA) Minnesota 4 @ Minnesota Duluth 6 (WCHA) Bemidji State 4 @ Minnesota State 1 (WCHA) St. Cloud State 3 @ Nebraska Omaha 4 (WCHA) Colorado College 3 @ Denver 5 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm MT
Fri/11	Michigan Tech 2 @ Alaska Anchorage 4 (WCHA) Bemidji State 2 @ Michigan Tech 2 ot (WCHA) (Winter Carnival) Denver 2 @ Minnesota 1 (WCHA) St. Cloud State 8 @ Minnesota Duluth 2 (WCHA) Alaska Anchorage 1 @ North Dakota 6 (WCHA) Wisconsin 1 @ Nebraska Omaha 4 (WCHA) Minnesota State 5 @ Colorado College 1 (WCHA)	7:07 pm AT 7:07 pm ET 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm MT
Sat/12	Bemidji State 1 @ Michigan Tech 0 (WCHA) (Winter Carnival) Denver 3 @ Minnesota 7 (WCHA) St. Cloud State 3 @ Minnesota Duluth 3 ot (WCHA) Alaska Anchorage 1 @ North Dakota 3 (WCHA) Wisconsin 3 @ Nebraska Omaha 4 (WCHA) Minnesota State 1 @ Colorado College 2 (WCHA)	5:07 pm ET 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm MT
Fri/18	Minnesota 5 @ Wisconsin 2 (WCHA) North Dakota 3 @ St. Cloud State 3 ot (WCHA) Colorado College 5 @ Bemidji State 5 ot (WCHA) Minnesota Duluth 1 @ Minnesota State 3 (WCHA) Michigan Tech 3 @ Denver 2 (WCHA) Nebraska Omaha 2 @ Alaska Anchorage 3 (WCHA)	7:10 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm MT 7:07 pm AT
Sat/19	Minnesota 3 @ Wisconsin 3 ot (WCHA) North Dakota 3 @ St. Cloud State 2 (WCHA) Colorado College 1 @ Bemidji State 2 (WCHA) Minnesota Duluth 6 @ Minnesota State 2 (WCHA) Michigan Tech 1 @ Denver 5 (WCHA) Nebraska Omaha 4 @ Alaska Anchorage 1 (WCHA)	8:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm AT
Fri/25	Michigan Tech 2 @ Minnesota 5 (WCHA) Wisconsin 2 @ St. Cloud State 4 (WCHA) Denver 2 @ Nebraska Omaha 5 (WCHA) Minnesota Duluth 4 @ Colorado College 5 (WCHA) Alaska Anchorage 1 @ Alaska Fairbanks 5 (nc)	6:37 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm MT 7:05 pm AT
Sat/26	Alaska Airlines Governor's Cup Michigan Tech 2 @ Minnesota 5 (WCHA) Wisconsin 3 @ St. Cloud State 7 (WCHA) Denver 4 @ Nebraska Omaha 2 (WCHA) Bemidji State 2 @ North Dakota 5 (WCHA) Minnesota Duluth 3 @ Colorado College 3 ot (WCHA) Alaska Fairbanks 1 @ Alaska Anchorage 4 (nc)	7:37 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 3:37 pm CT 7:07 pm MT 7:07 pm AT
Sun/27	Alaska Airlines Governor's Cup Bemidji State 1 @ North Dakota 5 (WCHA)	3:37 pm CT

March

Date	Game	Time
Fri/4	North Dakota 6 @ Michigan Tech 1 (WCHA) Colorado College 3 @ Wisconsin 2 (WCHA) Nebraska Omaha 1 @ Minnesota Duluth 4 (WCHA) Minnesota 3 @ Bemidji State 3 ot (WCHA) Alaska Anchorage 4 @ Minnesota State 0 (WCHA) St. Cloud State 3 @ Denver 2 (WCHA)	7:07 pm ET 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm MT
Sat/5	North Dakota 11 @ Michigan Tech 2 (WCHA) Colorado College 1 @ Wisconsin 3 (WCHA) Nebraska Omaha 5 @ Minnesota Duluth 2 (WCHA) Minnesota 3 @ Bemidji State 2 ot (WCHA) Alaska Anchorage 4 @ Minnesota State 1 (WCHA) St. Cloud State 2 @ Denver 3 (WCHA)	5:07 pm ET 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm MT

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Date	Game	Time
Fri/11	2011 WCHA Playoffs - 1st Round - Best-of-Three #12 Michigan Tech 0 @ #1 North Dakota 8 #11 Minnesota State 2 @ #2 Denver 4 #10 Bemidji State 4 @ #3 Nebraska Omaha 2 #9 St. Cloud State 2 @ #4 Minnesota Duluth 4 #8 Alaska Anchorage 4 @ #5 Minnesota 3 #7 Wisconsin 3 @ #6 Colorado College 1	7:37 pm CT 7:37 pm MT 7:37 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:37 pm MT
Sat/12	2011 WCHA Playoffs - 1st Round - Best-of-Three #12 Michigan Tech 1 @ #1 North Dakota 3 #11 Minnesota State 2 @ #2 Denver 3 ot #10 Bemidji State 3 @ #3 Nebraska Omaha 2 #9 St. Cloud State 2 @ #4 Minnesota Duluth 3 (3 ot) #8 Alaska Anchorage 2 @ #5 Minnesota 0 #7 Wisconsin 3 @ #6 Colorado College 4 ot	7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm MT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT 7:07 pm MT
Sun/13	2011 WCHA Playoffs - 1st Round - Best-of-Three #7 Wisconsin 1 @ #6 Colorado College 2	7:07 pm MT
Thu/17	2011 Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, Saint Paul, MN Quarterfinal: #6 Bemidji State 3 vs #3 Minnesota Duluth 2 Quarterfinal: #5 Alaska Anchorage 2 vs #4 Colorado College 4	3:37 pm CT 7:07 pm CT
Fri/18	2011 Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, Saint Paul, MN Semi-Final: Bemidji State 2 vs #2 Denver 6 Semi-Final #2: Colorado College 3 vs #1 North Dakota 4	2:07 pm CT 7:07 pm CT
Sat/19	2011 Red Baron™ WCHA Final Five @ Xcel Energy Center, Saint Paul, MN Broadmoor Trophy Championship Game Denver 2 vs North Dakota 3 (2 ot)	7:07 pm CT
Fri/25	2011 NCAA East Regional @ Webster Bank Arena at Harbor Yard, Bridgeport, CT (hosts - Yale Univ. & Fairfield Univ.) Semifinal: (3) Minnesota Duluth 2 vs (2) Union 0 Semifinal: (4) Air Force 1 vs (1) Yale 2 ot	3:00 pm ET 6:30 pm ET
Sat/26	2011 NCAA West Regional @ Scottrade Center, St. Louis, MO (host - CCHA) Semifinal: (3) Nebraska Omaha 2 vs (2) Michigan 3 ot Semifinal: (4) Colorado College 8 vs (1) Boston College 4	4:30 pm CT 8:00 pm CT
Sun/27	2011 NCAA East Regional @ Webster Bank Arena at Harbor Yard, Bridgeport, CT Championship Game: Minnesota Duluth 5 vs Yale 3 2011 NCAA West Regional @ Scottrade Center, St. Louis, MO Championship Game: Colorado College 1 vs Michigan 2	6:30 pm ET 8:00 pm CT
	2011 NCAA Northeast Regional @ Verizon Wireless Arena, Manchester, NH (host - Univ. of New Hampshire) Semifinal: (4) New Hampshire 3 vs (1) Miami 1 Semifinal: (3) Notre Dame 4 vs (2) Merrimack 3 ot	4:00 pm ET 7:30 pm ET
	2011 NCAA Midwest Regional @ Resch Center, Green Bay, WI (host - Michigan Tech Univ.) Semifinal: (4) Rensselaer 0 vs (1) North Dakota 6 Semifinal: (3) Western Michigan 2 vs (2) Denver 3 (2 ot)	12:30 pm CT 4:00 pm CT
	NCAA Northeast Regional @ Verizon Wireless Arena, Manchester, NH Championship Game: New Hampshire 1 vs Notre Dame 2 NCAA Midwest Regional @ Resch Center, Green Bay, WI Championship Game: Denver 1 vs North Dakota 6	8:00 pm ET 4:30 pm CT

April

Date	Game	Time
Thu/7	2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, MN (host - Univ. of Minnesota) Semifinal #1: Minnesota Duluth 4 vs Notre Dame 3 Semifinal #2: Michigan 2 vs North Dakota 0	4:00 pm CT 7:30 pm CT
Sat/9	2011 NCAA Men's Frozen Four @ Xcel Energy Center, St. Paul, MN National Championship Game: Minnesota Duluth 3 vs Michigan 2 (ot)	6:00 pm CT

Schedule Key

Association-member home games faceoff at either :07 or :37 after the hour; (nc) non-conference; (x) exhibition; tournaments/special events in bold.