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2004-05 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY NOTES

THE MICHIGAN TECH GAME NOTES - January 18, 2005

2004-05 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY (5-13-5/3-11-4)

OCTOBER

7	#4/#4 Minnesota-Duluth	T, 2-2 (ot)
8	#4/#4 Minnesota-Duluth	L, 1-4
15	* at #9/#10 Miami (OH)	L, 2-4
16	* at #9/#10 Miami (OH)	L, 0-5
22	#1/#1 Boston College	W, 3-2
29	* #15/#15 No. Michigan	T, 1-1 (ot)
30	* #15/#15 No. Michigan	L, 1-4

NOVEMBER

4	* at Bowling Green	L, 1-3
5	* Bowling Green	T, 4-4 (ot)
12	* at Western Michigan	T, 2-2 ot
13	* at Western Michigan	W, 3-2
19	# U.S. Under-18 Team	L, 2-7
26	* at Alaska Fairbanks	W, 3-2
27	* at Alaska Fairbanks	L, 2-3

DECEMBER

3	* at #5/#5 Michigan	L, 1-6
4	* #5/#5 Michigan	L, 0-8
10	* Michigan State	W, 3-2 (ot)
11	* at Michigan State	L, 1-4

JANUARY

1	Rensselaer	L, 1-3
2	Rensselaer	W, 2-1
7	* at Lake Superior State	T, 1-1 (ot)
8	* at Lake Superior State	L, 1-2 (ot)
14	* #12/#12 Ohio State	L, 1-4
15	* #12/#12 Ohio State	L, 1-3
18	\$ vs. Michigan Tech	6:35 p.m. (CST)
21	Wisconsin	8:05 p.m.
22	@ vs. Wisconsin	7:05 p.m. (CST)
28	* at Bowling Green	7:05 p.m.
29	* Bowling Green	7:05 p.m.

FEBRUARY

4	* Nebraska-Omaha	7:35 p.m.
5	* Nebraska-Omaha	7:05 p.m.
11	* Ferris State	7:35 p.m.
12	* Ferris State	7:05 p.m.
18	* %Michigan	8:05 p.m.
19	* at Michigan	7:35 p.m.

MARCH

4	* at Michigan State	7:05 p.m.
5	* Michigan State	7:05 p.m.
11-13	First Round CCHA Playoffs (Best two-of-three)	TBA
17	& CCHA Play-In Game	TBA
18	& CCHA Semifinals	TBA
19	& CCHA Championship Game	TBA

Home Games in caps

Rankings - USA Today/USCHO

Exhibition Game IN ITALIC

All Times Local To Site

\$ at Resch Center (Green Bay, Wis.)

@ at Allstate Arena (Rosemont, Ill.)

% at Allen Co. War Memorial Coliseum (Fort Wayne, Ind.)

& at Joe Louis Arena (Detroit, Mich.)

Irish Face Three-Game Week Versus WCHA Opponents

Notre Dame to face Michigan Tech in Green Bay, Wis., on Tuesday, Jan. 18, then face #5/#5 Wisconsin in home weekend series, Jan. 21-22.

- **The Game:** Notre Dame Fighting Irish (5-13-5) vs. Michigan Tech Huskies (2-17-1)
- **Date/Site/Time:** Tues., Jan. 18, 2005 - 6:35 p.m. (CST) - Resch Center (10,000) - Green Bay, Wis.
- **The Series:** Notre Dame Fighting Irish (5-13-5) vs. #5/#5 Wisconsin Badgers (17-6-1)
- **Date/Site/Times:** Fri., Jan. 21, 2005 - 8:08 p.m. - Joyce Center (2,713) - Notre Dame, Ind.
Sat., Jan. 22, 2004 - 7:05 pm. - Allstate Arena (15,000) - Rosemont, Ill.
- **Broadcast Information: Radio:** Notre Dame hockey can be heard live on ESPN Radio 1580, South Bend's SportsCenter. **Mike Lockert**, "the voice of Irish hockey" and **Tom Nevala** will bring you all the action both nights. Irish hockey can also be heard live via the internet at www.und.com.
- **Television:** Friday night's game versus Wisconsin will be televised live nationally by College Sports Television (CSTV). **Mike Emrick** will handle the play-by-play duties with **Billy Jaffe** doing the color commentary.

NON-CONFERENCE ACTION FOR THE IRISH: Notre Dame (5-13-5) closes out its busiest stretch of the season (five games in nine days) with three non-conference games this week versus teams from the WCHA. On Tuesday, Jan. 18, the Irish travel to Green Bay, Wis., to face the Michigan Tech Huskies in a 6:35 p.m. (CST) game at the Resch Center. Michigan Tech comes into the game with a 2-17-1 overall record and are 10th in the WCHA with a 2-14-0 league record. The Huskies were idle last week and have not played since Jan. 8 when they lost a 1-0 decision at Denver. Following the meeting with Michigan Tech, Notre Dame returns home to face #5/#5 Wisconsin in a pair of games on Jan. 21-22. Friday's game will be played at the Joyce Center and will be televised nationally on College Sports Television (DirecTV 610). Faceoff is set for 8:05 p.m. On Saturday, Jan. 22, the two teams will meet at Allstate Arena in Rosemont, Ill., with that game set to begin at 7:05 p.m. (CST). Wisconsin comes into the game with a 17-6-1 overall record and is currently first in the WCHA with a 14-4-0 record. The Badgers are coming off a sweep of Alaska Anchorage at home last weekend by 6-1 and 3-2 scores.

THE MICHIGAN TECH SERIES: Notre Dame and Michigan Tech have met 58 times in the all-time series with the Huskies leading 34-22-2. The first meeting came during the 1920-21 season and the last meeting was on Dec. 30, 1993 at the Great Lakes Invitational. Michigan Tech won that game, 8-6. The two teams were members of the WCHA together from 1971-72 to 1980-81 and then spent two years, 1981-82 to 1982-83, together as members of the CCHA. The teams have met five times on neutral ice with the Huskies holding a 3-2-0 edge. Four of those appearances have been at the Great Lakes Invitational.

IRISH VERSUS BADGERS: Notre Dame and Wisconsin have met 69 times in the all-time series with the Badgers holding a 36-16-7 edge. The two teams met last season in Madison, Wis., on Jan. 17-18, 2004 with the two teams playing to a 2-2 in the opener and then Notre Dame taking a 3-1 decision in the second game. At the Joyce Center, the Badgers have a 14-6-5 record but haven't played there since Dec. 12, 1997, a game they won, 2-1. Saturday's game at Allstate Arena will be the first meeting of the two teams in that building. In the last 10 meetings between the two teams, going back to the 1980-81 season, the Irish have a 5-4-1 edge over the Badgers.

SERIES INFORMATION

vs. Michigan Tech Huskies

All-Time Series: Huskies lead, 34-22-2

At Notre Dame: Huskies lead, 12-6-0

At Houghton: Huskies lead, 19-14-2

Neutral: Huskies lead, 3-2-0

Last 10 Meetings: Huskies are 6-4-0

(extends back to 1981-82 season)

Last Meetings:

Nov. 25, 1993 ND 5, vs. MTU 4

(at Great Alaska Faceoff -Fairbanks, Alaska)

Dec. 30, 1993 MTU 8, vs. ND 6

(at Great Lakes Invitational - Detroit, Mich.)

SERIES INFORMATION

vs. Wisconsin Badgers

All-Time Series: Badgers lead, 36-16-7

At Notre Dame: Badgers lead, 14-6-5

At Madison: Badgers lead, 21-9-2

Neutral: Series tied, 1-1-0

Last 10 Meetings: Irish lead, 5-4-1

(extends back to 1980-81 season)

Last Meetings:

Jan. 17, 2004 at UW 2, ND 2 (ot)

Jan. 18, 2004 ND 3, at UW 1

HEAD COACH DAVE POULIN



Former National Hockey League star Dave Poulin is in his 10th season behind the Notre Dame bench. Going into this weekend's games versus Ohio State, the 1982 Notre Dame grad owns a 139-183-49 (.441) career record and a 99-136-39 (.434) record in CCHA play.

Tuesday's game versus Michigan Tech will be Poulin's first meeting as a coach versus the Huskies. A three-time NHL all-star, Poulin returned to his alma mater in 1995 after 13 seasons in the NHL with the Philadelphia Flyers, the Boston Bruins and the Washington Capitals. The winner of the 1987 Selke Trophy (league's top defensive forward) and the 1993 King Clancy Trophy (for leadership on and off the ice), Poulin played in 724 NHL games with 205 goals, 325 assists for 530 career points. In his four seasons at Notre Dame (1978-82), Poulin scored 89 goals with 107 assists for 196 points in 135 games. He remains tied for first in game-winning goals (13) and hat tricks (8) with the Irish. His 89 goals rank him fifth on the all-time list, his assists rank him seventh and he is sixth on the all-time points list. As coach of the Irish, Poulin recorded his 100th career win in Notre Dame's 8-5 win at Western Michigan on Oct. 19, 2002. On March 15, 2003, at Miami (OH), he moved into second on Notre Dame's all-time win list. He now has 139 career wins with the Irish and trails only "Lefty" Smith, who is the all-time leader with 307.

Poulin Year-By-Year

Year	Overall			.Pct	CCHA			.Pct
	W	L	T		W	L	T	
1995-96	9	23	4	.306	6	20	4	.267
1996-97	9	25	1	.271	6	20	1	.241
1997-98	18	19	4	.488	12	14	4	.467
1998-99	19	14	5	.566	15	11	4	.567
1999-00	16	18	8	.476	11	10	7	.518
2000-01	10	22	7	.346	7	15	6	.357
2001-02	16	17	5	.487	12	12	4	.500
2002-03	17	17	6	.500	13	12	3	.518
2003-04	20	15	4	.564	14	11	3	.554
2004-05	5	13	5	.326	3	11	4	.278
Totals	139	183	49	.441	99	135	39	.434

PERANI CUP STANDINGS

Perani's Hockey World is the CCHA's sponsor of the league's "Three Stars of the Game." Members of the media are asked to select the game's three stars for which points are accumulated - 1st Star gets five points, 2nd Star gets three and 3rd Star gets one. Here are the standings for Notre Dame players in CCHA games only:

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Total Pts.
Morgan Cey	1	2	2	13
Wes O'Neill	1	0	3	8
David Brown	1	0	1	6
Matt Amado	1	0	0	5
T.J. Jindra	1	0	0	5
Tim Wallace	0	1	0	3
Evan Rankin	0	1	0	3
Noah Babin	0	0	1	1
Cory McLean	0	0	1	1

HUSKIES'ALUM: Current Irish assistant coach **Layne LeBel** is a 1994 Michigan Tech graduate. In fact, the last time the two teams met - Dec. 30, 1993 - LeBel was patrolling the blue line for the Huskies where he had a goal and an assist in the 8-6 Michigan Tech win. His assist put the Huskies ahead 3-2 in the second period and his goal closed out a five-goal second period that gave MTU a commanding 6-2 lead in the game.

RETURN TO THE FROZEN TUNDRA: Tuesday night's game in Green Bay will be a homecoming of sort for six members of the Notre Dame hockey team. Five players and one assistant coach spent parts of their hockey careers in the Land of Lombardi with the Green Bay Gamblers of the United States Hockey League (USHL). Senior defenseman **Joe Zurenko (Palatine, Ill.)** played for the Gamblers during the '00-'01 season and sophomore blueliners **Noah Babin (Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.)** and **Wes O'Neill (Essex, Ont.)** were teammates there in '02-'03. Second-year assistant coach **Layne LeBel** also spent two seasons ('01-'03) with the Gamblers. Freshmen right wing **Victor Oreskovich (Oakville, Ont.)** and defenseman **Dan VeNard (Vernon Hills, Ill.)** also played in Green Bay, Oreskovich in '03-'04 while VeNard played three seasons there from '01-'04.

BUSY MONTH: Notre Dame is in the midst of its busiest month of the season as the Irish are playing five games in a nine day span from Jan. 14 to Jan. 22. In January, the Irish play 11 times and are currently 1-4-1 in the first six contests. They split with R.P.I. on Jan. 1-2 before tying Lake Superior (1-1) and losing in overtime (2-1) on Jan. 7-8. last weekend, the Irish were swept at home by #12/#12 Ohio State, 4-1 and 3-1. The remainder of the January schedule looks like this: vs. Michigan Tech (at Green Bay, Wis., Jan. 18), home with Wisconsin (Jan. 21 and at Chicago on Jan. 22), at Bowling Green (Jan. 28) and home with the Falcons (Jan. 29). The Irish have only played 11 games in a month once in the program's history - January of 1976. Notre Dame was 5-5-1 in those 11 games.

IRISH SCORING WOES: The Irish have scored just one goal in each of the last four games and a total of seven in six games during the month of January. They have been held to one goal or less in 13 of their first 23 games this season. On the year, Notre Dame has scored just 37 goals in the first 23 games (1.61 per game). The Irish have had their problems in the third period as they have been out scored by a 30-10 margin. Overall, Notre Dame has been outscored 72-37 for the year.

VERSUS RANKED TEAMS: Through the first 23 games of the 2004-05 season, Notre Dame has played 11 contests versus teams ranked teams. In those 11 games, the Irish are 1-8-2. The lone win came against Boston College (Oct. 22) when the Eagles were ranked first in the nation. The ties have come versus Minnesota-Duluth and Northern Michigan.

OHIO STATE RECAP:

Saturday, Jan. 15 - Ohio State freshman center Domenic Maiani had a hand in goals by Rod Pelley, Bryce Anderson and Sean Collins to lead the Buckeyes to a 3-1 win over the Irish to sweep the weekend series at the Joyce Center. Sophomore **Josh Sciba (Northville, Mich.)** had Notre Dame's lone goal. Pelley opened the scoring with a first-period power-play goal at 8:28. The Buckeye lead would go to 2-0 in the second period when Anderson scored at 11:29. Sciba's power-play goal at 11:27 of the third period cut the lead to 2-1, but that was as close as the Irish would get as Collins scored into an empty net at 19:52 to close the scoring. Ohio State out shot the Irish, 30-18 in the game. Dave Caruso made 17 saves for OSU while **Morgan Cey (Sr., Wilkie, Sask.)** made 27 saves while giving up two goals on the night.

Saturday, Jan. 15, 2005 - at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Ohio State	1	1	1	-	3
Notre Dame	0	0	0	-	1
1st Period					
OSU - Rod Pelley 13 (Sean Collins, Domenic Maiani), PPG, 8:28.					
2nd Period					
OSU - Bryce Anderson 6 (Tom Fritsche, Maiani), 11:29.					
3rd Period					
ND - Josh Sciba 6 (Jason Paige, Noah Babin), PPG, 11:27; OSU - Collins 5 (Maiani), ENG, 19:52.					
Saves					
OSU - Dave Caruso (60:00) 5 - 6 - 6 - 17					
ND - Morgan Cey (59:00) 12 - 9 - 6 - 27					
Power Play: OSU: 1-6; ND: 1-7.					
Penalties: OSU: 7 for 14 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes.					
Attendance: 2,339					

Friday, Jan. 14 - Tom Fritsche and Matt Beaudoin each scored a goal and an assist and Andrew Schembri chipped in three assists to lead Ohio State to a 4-1 win over Notre Dame. The Buckeyes scored three times on the power play in six chances. Notre Dame's lone goal came at 15:52 of the first period when **Wes O'Neill (So., Essex, Ont.)** scored on a five-on-three power-play goal. The Buckeyes tied the game at 19:16 on a Fritsche power-play goal. Defenseman Nate Guenin got the game winner at 10:22 of the second period when he beat **David Brown (So., Stoney Creek, Ont.)** with a slapshot from the right point. Bryce Anderson (16:19) and Beaudoin added late third-period, power-play goals for the final of 4-1. Ohio State out shot the Irish, 26-19 in the game. Brown finished with 22 saves while Dave Caruso had 18 for the Buckeyes.

Friday, Jan. 14, 2005 - at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Ohio State	1	1	2	-	4
Notre Dame	1	0	0	-	1
1st Period					
ND - Wes O'Neill 6 (Cory McLean, Noah Babin), PPG, 15:52; OSU - Tom Fritsche 4 (Matt Beaudoin, Andrew Schembri), PPG, 19:16.					
2nd Period					
OSU - Nate Guenin 2 (Rod Pelley, Dan Knapp), 10:22.					
3rd Period					
OSU - Bryce Anderson 5 (Fritsche, Schembri), PPG, 16:19; OSU - Beaudoin 9 (Schembri, Kenny Bernard), 18:24.					
Saves					
OSU - Dave Caruso (60:00) 9 - 2 - 7 - 18					
ND - David Brown (59:50) 7 - 10 - 5 - 22					
Power Play: OSU: 3-6; ND: 1-6.					
Penalties: OSU: 6 for 12 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes.					
Attendance: 2,433					

BUCKEYE MASTERY: Ohio State has had Notre Dame's number since the start of the 2000-01 season. In the 14 games played between the two teams, the Buckeyes own a 10-1-3 record, including a pair of wins in each of the last two CCHA Super Six opening games.

OUT OF ACTION: The 2004-05 season is one that sophomore right wing **Matt Williams-Kovacs (Calgary, Alb.)** will like to forget. He suffered a broken right ankle on Oct. 16 at Miami and missed the next 14 games. He returned to the Notre Dame lineup on Jan. 2 versus R.P.I. and played in that game and the first period of the Jan. 7 Lake Superior game when he suffered a broken right wrist and will be lost for the remainder of the season. He was scoreless in six games this season. Junior center **Matt Amado (Surrey, B.C.)** suffered a concussion in the Jan. 7 game at Lake Superior and missed the last three games.

IRON MAN: Junior right wing **Tim Wallace (Anchorage, Alaska)** has played in all 102 games of his Notre Dame career. The Irish record for consecutive games played belongs to **Evan Nielsen ('03)** who played in 114 consecutive games between 2001-03. Nielsen missed just two games, playing in 156 of 158 games. Wallace played in all 40 games as a freshman and all 39 Irish games in 2003-04. The center has a three goals and six assists for nine points in the first 23 games of 2004-05.

STINGY IN JANUARY: Notre Dame goaltender **Morgan Cey** played in the 100th game (97 starts) of his Notre Dame career on Jan. 15 versus Ohio State. During January, he has played in five of Notre Dame's six games, surrendering just eight goals in those five games. During the month, he is 1-3-1 with a 1.58 goals-against average and a .942 save percentage (130 saves on 138 shots). In those five games, the Irish have scored six goals.

THE PUCK STOPS HERE: Goaltender **Morgan Cey** continues to make his mark in the Notre Dame record books (see table to right). On the season, the senior goaltender is 3-7-4 with a career-best goals-against average (2.35) and save percentage (.929). In his 14 decisions this year, the Irish have scored 24 goals. Earlier this season (Oct. 24), Cey was named the CCHA's goaltender and USCHO.com's defensive player of the week. Cey recorded a career-high 50 saves in downing the top-ranked Boston College Eagles, 3-2, at the Joyce Center on Oct. 22. Of the 33 goals he's given up this year, 15 have been on the power play.

SEN-CEY-TIONAL: **Morgan Cey's** 50-save performance versus Boston College was the first 50-save game for a Notre Dame goaltender since **Lance Madson ('86-'90)** turned in 57 saves in a 6-3 loss to Air Force on Nov. 12, 1988. Cey, now has 38 wins in his career to rank sixth on Notre Dame's all-time wins list.

CORY'S STORY: Hard-working center **Cory McLean (Sr., Fargo, N.D.)** is second in team scoring with three goals and a team-high 10 assists for 13 points on the year. His 10 assists are just four off his career high set last season when he had 14 helpers and a career-best 24 points.

Morgan Cey In The Notre Dame Record Book

Career

Games Played

- 1. Lance Madson (1986-90) 118
- 2. Matt Eisler (1994-98) 111
- 3. Greg Louder (1990-94) 103
- 4. **Morgan Cey (2001-) 100**

Wins

- 1. Lance Madson (1986-90) 56
- 2. Dick Tomassoni (1968-72) 49
- 3. Dave Laurion (1978-82) 45
- 4. Len Moher (1974-78) 40
- 5. Mark Kronholm (1970-74) 39
- 6. **Morgan Cey (2001-) 38**

Goals-Against Average (Min. of 30 decisions)

- 1. **Morgan Cey (2001-) 2.68**
- 2. David Brown (2003-) 2.73
- 3. Forrest Karr (1995-99) 2.92

Save Percentage (Min. of 30 decisions)

- 1. **Morgan Cey (2001 -) .915**
- 2. David Brown (2003 -) .913
- 3. Tony Zasowski (1999-03) .892

Shutouts

- 1. **Morgan Cey (2001-) 6**
- 2. David Brown (2003-) 4
- Mark Kronholm (1970-74) 4

Minutes Played

- 1. Lance Madson (1986-90) 6,900:09
- 2. Matt Eisler (1994-98) 6,276:30
- 3. **Morgan Cey (2001-) 5,825:22**

Season Records

Games Played

- 1. Forrest Karr (1998-99) 38
- 2. Lance Madson (1988-89) 37
- 3. **Morgan Cey (2002-03) 36**
- 4. **Morgan Cey (2001-02) 35**

Wins

- 1. Lance Madson (1987-88) 24
- 2. Mark Kronholm (1972-73) 20

- 3. Forrest Karr (1998-99) 19
- 4. Lance Madson (1989-90) 18
- 5. Greg Louder (1990-91) 16
- Dave Laurion (1981-82) 16
- Dick Tomassoni (1969-70) 16
- 8. **Morgan Cey (2001-02) 15**
- Morgan Cey (2002-03) 15**
- Dick Tomassoni (1968-69) 15
- Dave Laurion (1978-79) 15

Goals-Against Average

- 1. David Brown (2003-04) 2.32
- 2. **Morgan Cey (2004-05) 2.35**
- 3. **Morgan Cey (2003-04) 2.42**
- 4. Tony Zasowski (1999-00) 2.56
- 5. Forrest Karr (1998-99) 2.58
- 6. Matt Eisler (1997-98) 2.70
- 7. **Morgan Cey (2001-02) 2.72**
- 8. Chris Cathcart (1970-71) 2.83
- 9. **Morgan Cey (2002-03) 2.87**

Save Percentage

- 1. **Morgan Cey (2004-05) .929**
- 2. David Brown (2003-04) .925
- 3. **Morgan Cey (2003-04) .924**
- 4. **Morgan Cey (2002-03) .912**
- 5. **Morgan Cey (2001-02) .910**

Saves

- 1. Lance Madson (1988-89) 1,288
- 2. Mark Kronholm (1973-74) 1,113
- 3. **Morgan Cey (2002-03) 1,054**
- 4. Mark Kronholm (1972-73) 980
- 5. Lance Madson (1989-90) 968
- 6. Greg Louder (1990-91) 935
- 7. **Morgan Cey (2001-02) 927**

Minutes Played

- 1. Lance Madson (1988-89) 2,213
- 2. Forrest Karr (1998-99) 2,161
- 3. **Morgan Cey (2002-03) 2,136**
- 4. **Morgan Cey (2001-02) 2,027**

Shutouts

- 1. David Brown (2003-04) 4
- 2. **Morgan Cey (2003-04) 2**
- Morgan Cey (2002-03) 2**
- Morgan Cey (2001-02) 2**

WES FOR THE DEFENSE: Sophomore defenseman **Wes O'Neill (Essex, Ont.)** has become Notre Dame's offensive and defensive leader this season. Through 23 games, O'Neill leads the team in goals (6), power-play goals (5) and points (14). He is second in assists (8) and shots on goal (52). O'Neill has career highs in goals (6) and points (14) this season.

NOAH KNOWS: Defenseman **Noah Babin (So., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.)** brings a four-game point-scoring streak (1-3-4) into the Michigan Tech game. He now has had a hand in each of Notre Dame's last four goals, scoring on Jan. 7 at Lake Superior, assisting on ND's lone goal versus the Lakers on Jan. 8 and then assisting on each Notre Dame goal in the 4-1 and 3-1 losses to Ohio State. On the year, Babin is second among Notre Dame defensemen in scoring with career highs in goals (3), assists (5) and points (8). As a freshman last year, Babin had one assist in 31 games.

CENTURY MARK: Notre Dame head coach **Dave Poulin** needs one more win in CCHA play to reach the 100-win mark in league play. Now in his 10th season, Poulin is 99-133-39 in CCHA play. In all games, the Irish head coach is 138-179-48. His 139 career wins rank second on the all-time list at Notre Dame behind "**Lefty**" **Smith** who has 307 wins behind the Irish bench.

HOME AWAY FROM HOME: The Irish play their first of two home games away from the Joyce Center during the month of January. The Irish will play at Allstate Arena in Rosemont, Ill., on Saturday, Jan. 22 versus Wisconsin. Face off is set for 7:05 p.m. (CST). Tickets are available at the Allstate Arena Box Office and Ticketmaster Outlets. The Irish will also play a home game in February versus Michigan (Feb. 18) at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum in Fort Wayne, Ind.

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2004-05 Notre Dame Hockey Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Year
<i>Hometown/Last Team</i>			
2	Joe Zurenko	D	Sr.
<i>Palatine, Ill./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>			
4	Dan VeNard	D	Fr.
<i>Vernon Hills, Ill./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>			
5	Chris Trick	D	Jr.
<i>Troy, Mich./Chicago Freeze (NAHL)</i>			
6	Noah Babin	D	So.
<i>Palm Bch. Gardens, Fla./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>			
7	Luke Lucyk	D	Fr.
<i>Fox Point, Wis./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>			
8	Josh Sciba	LW	So.
<i>Westland, Mich./USA Under-18 Team</i>			
9	Matt Williams-Kovacs	RW	So.
<i>Calgary, Alb./Calgary Royals (AJHL)</i>			
10	Cory McLean (C)	C	Sr.
<i>Fargo, N.D./Chicago Steel (USHL)</i>			
13	Andrew Eggert	LW	Fr.
<i>(Livonia, Mich./Cedar Rapids RoughRiders (USHL)</i>			
14	Brock Sheahan	D	Fr.
<i>Lethbridge, Alb./Crowsnest Pass Timberwolves (AJHL)</i>			
16	Matt Amado	C	Jr.
<i>Surrey, B.C./Coquitlam Express (BCHL)</i>			
17	Mike Walsh (A)	LW	Jr.
<i>Northville, Mich./Compuware Ambassadors (NAHL)</i>			
18	Evan Rankin	RW	Fr.
<i>Portage, Mich./Lincoln Stars (USHL)</i>			
19	Wes O'Neill	D	So.
<i>Essex, Ont./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>			
20	Victor Oreskovich	RW	Fr.
<i>Oakville, Ont./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>			
21	Tony Gill	C	Jr.
<i>Rochester, Minn./Cedar Rapids RoughRiders (USHL)</i>			
22	Jason Paige (A)	C	So.
<i>Saginaw, Mich./Compuware Ambassadors (NAHL)</i>			
23	Mark Van Guilder	LW	Fr.
<i>Roseville, Minn./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>			
24	Brian D'Arcy	D	Fr.
<i>Western Springs, Ill./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>			
26	T.J. Jindra	RW	So.
<i>Faribault, Minn./River City Lancers (USHL)</i>			
27	Michael Bartlett	LW	So.
<i>Morton Grove, Ill./USA Under-18 Team</i>			
28	Tim Wallace	RW	Jr.
<i>Anchorage, Alaska./USA Under-18 Team</i>			
29	Morgan Cey	G	Sr.
<i>Wilkie, Sask./Flin Flon Bombers (SJHL)</i>			
30	David Brown	G	So.
<i>Stoney Creek, Ont./Hamilton Kilty Bees (OPJHL)</i>			
31	Rory Walsh	G	Jr.
<i>Milton, Mass./Noble and Greenough</i>			

Coach: Dave Poulin
Assistant Coach: Andy Slaggert
Assistant Coach: Layne LeBel
Volunteer Assistant Coach: Craig Brown
Student Assistant Coach: Derek Smith
Video Coordinator: Kevin Anderson
Equipment Manager: Dave Gilbert
Athletic Trainer: Kevin Ricks
Student Manager: Chris Duve

FIT TO BE TIED: Notre Dame's overtime loss on Jan. 8 to Lake Superior State was their first loss in the extra stanza since dropping a 6-5 overtime decision to Ohio State on March 18, 2004. On Dec. 10, the Irish defeated Michigan State, 3-2 in overtime, for their first regular-season overtime wins since Jan. 25, 2002, a span of 16 overtime games (0-2-14). Since the 1999-2000 season, Notre Dame has been involved in 48 overtime games. In those games, the Irish are 7-6-35. This season, the Irish are 1-1-5 in overtime. During the 2003-04 season, Notre Dame had a total of eight overtime contests, going 1-3-4 in those games. The lone overtime win came in game three of the first round of the CCHA playoffs versus Western Michigan.

WHAT CAN BROWN DO FOR YOU?: Notre Dame goaltender **David Brown (So., Stoney Creek, Ont.)** started each of the games in the Michigan State series (Dec. 10-11), surrendering five goals while making 61 saves in 120:32 of action for a 2.49 goals-against average versus the Spartans and a .924 save percentage. On the season, Brown is 2-6-1 with a 3.77 goals against and a .884 save percentage.

BLUE-LINE SCORING: Sophomore defenseman **Wes O'Neill** leads the Irish in scoring after 22 games with six goals and eight assists. He is followed on the blue line by sophomore **Noah Babin** who has a three goals and five assists for seven points. Junior **Chris Trick** is third with a goal and three assists for four points. Freshman **Brock Sheahan (Lethbridge, Alb.)** checks in with three assists on the year while **Dan VeNard (Fr., Vernon Hills, Ill.)** has one assist. Through 23 games, the Irish defense has accounted for 10 of Notre Dame's 37 goals (27.0%) and 30 of Notre Dame's 103 points (29.1%).

ALL TIED UP: The most ties the Irish have ever had in a season is eight and that came during the 1999-2000 campaign. The most overtime games the Irish have participated in is 11 and that came during the 1993-94 season. Notre Dame was 2-4-5 in those games.

SHOT MARGINS: The Irish have out shot teams just seven times in their first 23 games this season. Only once this season have the Irish out shot a team in a weekend series. That occurred on Jan. 7-8 at Lake Superior State. The Irish have been held to less than 20 shots in a game six times this season, including twice last weekend when they mustered just 19 and 18 shots versus Ohio State respectively. Notre Dame is 2-1-4 when they out shoot an opponent and 3-12-1 when an opponent has more shots in a game.

SCORING BY CLASS: Here's how Notre Dame scoring breaks down by classes this season.

Class (Skaters)	Goals	Assists	Points
Seniors (2)	3	10	13
Juniors (5)	8	19	27
Sophomores (7)	21	26	47
Freshmen (8)	5	11	16
Totals	37	66	103

TALE OF THE TAPE

	ND	MTU
2003-04 record	20-15-4	8-25-5
2003-04 Conference record	14-11-3	6-19-3
Letterwinners returning	17 of 25	19 of 28
Current overall record	5-13-5	2-17-1
Winning percentage	.326	.125
Conference record	3-11-4/12th	2-14-0/10th
Home record	3-6-3	1-7-1
Road record	2-7-2	1-8-0
One-goal games record	5-2	0-4
Overtime record	1-1-5	1-1-3
Last weekend	0-2-0	0-0-1
Last 5 games	1-3-1	1-4-0
When scoring first ...	4-4-3	2-4-0
When ahead after 1st period	2-0-2	0-2-0
When ahead after 2nd period	3-1-2	2-1-0
Goals per game	1.64	2.55
Shots per game	28.4	28.9
Shooting percentage	.057	.088
Opponent shots per game	33.4	38.5
Shot margin	-5.0	-9.6
PPG percentage	.105	.217
PP chances per game	6.65	5.75
PP goals per game	0.70	1.25
SH goals allowed	1	3
Penalties per game	8.00	8.0
Penalty-killing percentage	.815	.739
Opponent PP chances per game	6.83	5.75
Opponent PPGs per game	1.26	1.50
Shorthanded goals for	1	1
Goals-against average	3.07	4.28
Save percentage	.911	.888
Goal margin/game	-1.09	-1.75
	(-35)	(-35)
1st period goals/game	0.48	0.70
1st period goal margin	-7	-16
	(11-18)	(14-30)
2nd period goals/game	0.65	1.25
2nd period goal margin	-8	-4
	(15-23)	(25-29)
3rd period goals/game	0.43	0.60
3rd period goal margin	-20	-15
	(10-30)	(12-27)
Overtime goals	1	0
Overtime goals against	1	0

IRISH SPECIAL TEAMS

Here's a game-by-game look at Notre Dame's special teams this season:

Game	POWER PLAY	PEN. KILLING
	G-Chances	Kills-Opp
UMD	1-11	11-12
UMD	1-12	7-8
at MIA	1-10	5-8
at MIA	0-9	5-8
BC	1-9	10-11
NMU	0-6	5-6
NMU	1-5	3-5
at BGSU	0-6	6-8
BGSU	2-7	5-6
at WMU	0-5	5-5
at WMU	1-1	4-5
at UAF	2-5	9-9
at UAF	1-5	6-7
at Mich.	1-11	5-7
MICH	0-8	4-9
MSU	1-5	4-5
at MSU	1-4	5-5
RPI	0-9	7-7
RPI	0-4	4-5
at LSSU	0-3	5-5
at LSSU	0-5	5-5
Ohio St.	1-6	3-6
Ohio St.	1-7	5-6
Home	9-89 (10.1%)	68-85 (80.0%)
Away	7-64 (10.9%)	60-72 (83.3%)
Neutral	-----	-----
Totals	16-153 (10.5%)	128-157 (81.5%)

THREE RANKED BY NHL: Three hockey players who have signed national letters-of-intent to attend Notre Dame have been ranked by the National Hockey League's (NHL) Central Scouting in their mid-term rankings for the June 2005 draft. **Christian Hanson (Venetia, Pa./Tri-City Storm)** was ranked 52nd among all North American skaters. He leads Tri-City in scoring with 11 goals and 18 assists for 29 points in 34 games. Defenseman **Kyle Lawson (New Hudson, Mich./USA Under-18)** is ranked 195th. He has a goal and 13 assists for 14 points in 22 games for the U.S. Under-18 Team. He will defer until the 2006-07 season. Goaltender **Jordan Pearce (Anchorage, Alaska/Lincoln Stars)** was ranked ninth among goaltenders eligible for the draft. He is 13-6-2 for Lincoln with a 3.17 goals-against average and a .891 save percentag.

PLAYING SHORT-HANDED: Ohio State converted on four of 12 power-play chances in the Jan. 14-15 series. On the year, the Irish have given up 29 power-play goals in 157 chances for an 81.5% success rate. Last season, Notre Dame's penalty-killing unit was tops in the CCHA and was fourth in the nation in 2003-04, killing penalties at an 87.4% success rate.

POWER-PLAY STRUGGLES: After going four games without a power-play goal, Notre Dame has scored once with the man advantage in each of the last two games. Previous to the Ohio State series, the Irish were 0-21 on the power play in a four-game span. Since Dec. 10 (eight games), the Irish are just 4-for-43 with the power play (9.3%). On the year, the Irish have scored 16 power-play goals in 153 chances (10.4%).

THE LAST TIME:

Notre Dame won in overtime December 10, 2004 vs. Michigan State (3-2)
Notre Dame CCHA overtime win December 10, 2004 vs. Michigan State (3-2)
Notre Dame lost in overtime..... January 8, 2005 at Lake Superior State (2-1)
Notre Dame lost in CCHA in overtime..... January 8, 2005 at Lake Superior State (2-1)
 Notre Dame scored 10 or more goals in a game..... October 14, 1994 vs. St. Francis Xavier (10-2)
 Notre Dame allowed 10 or more goals in a game..... January 20, 1996 at Michigan (11-1)
 Notre Dame had a home shutout January 10, 2004 vs. Bowling Green (David Brown, 32 saves)
 Notre Dame had a road shutout..... Dec. 28 vs. Maine (1-0, Morgan Cey, 32 saves)
 Notre Dame had a shutout in a CCHA game Jan. 10, 2004 vs. Bowling Green (David Brown, 32 saves)
Notre Dame was shut out in a CCHA game..... Dec. 4, 2004 vs. Michigan (8-0, Al Montoya)
Notre Dame was shut out at home..... Dec. 4, 2004 vs. Michigan (8-0, Al Montoya)
Notre Dame was shut out on road Oct. 16, 2004 at Miami (5-0, Brandon Crawford-West)

Notre Dame had 35 or more shots in a game..... November 12, 2004 at Western Michigan (38 shots)
Notre Dame had 40 or more shots in a game..... January 8, 2005 at Lake Superior (42 shots)
Notre Dame had 50 or more shots in a game..... November 5, 2004 vs. Bowling Green (54 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 35 or more shots in a game..... Jan. 1, 2005 vs. Rensselaer (36 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 40 or more shots in a game December 11, 2004 at Michigan State (40 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 50 or more shots in a game..... October 22, 2004 vs. Boston College (52 shots)

Notre Dame had four PP goals in a game..... December 7, 2002 vs. Bowling Green (6-3 win)
 Notre Dame had three PP goals in a game..... February 22, 2003 vs. Lake Superior (6-3 win)
Notre Dame surrendered five PP goals December 4, 2004 vs. Michigan (8-0)
 Notre Dame surrendered four PP goals..... November 30, 2002 at Alaska Fairbanks (5-4 loss)
Notre Dame surrendered three PP goals..... October 16, 2004 vs. Miami (5-0 loss)
 October 15, 2004 vs. Miami (4-2 loss)

Notre Dame player scored a hat trick..... March 18, 2004 - Aaron Gill (vs. Ohio State- CCHA Super Six)
 Notre Dame player scored four goals..... October 19, 1995 - Brian Urlick (at Alaska-Fairbanks)
 Notre Dame player scored five goals..... December 29, 1971 - Ian Williams (at Dartmouth)

Notre Dame player had three assists..... November 5, 2004 - Mike Walsh (vs. Bowling Green - 0g, 3a)
 Notre Dame player had four assists..... November 2, 2001 - Connor Dunlop (at Northern Michigan - 0g, 4a)
 Notre Dame player had five assists..... October 21, 1994 - Jamie Ling (vs. Waterloo - 2g, 5a)

Notre Dame player had three points November 5, 2004 - Cory McLean (vs. Bowling Green -1g, 2a)
 November 5, 2004 - Mike Walsh (vs. Bowling Green - 0g, 3a)
 Notre Dame player had four points..... March 18, 2004 - Aaron Gill (vs. Ohio State, 3g, 1a)
 March 18, 2004 - Rob Globke (vs. Ohio State, 1g, 3a)
 Notre Dame player had five points..... December 20, 2000 - Brett Lebda (at Nebraska-Omaha - 1g, 4a)
 Notre Dame player had six points..... October 21, 1994 - Jamie Ling (vs. Waterloo - 2g, 5a)
 Notre Dame player had seven points..... October 21, 1994 - Jamie Ling (vs. Waterloo - 2g, 5a)

Notre Dame goalie made 35+ saves December 11, 2004 - David Brown (at MSU, 4-1 loss, 36 saves)
 Notre Dame goalie made 40+ saves March 27, 2004 - Morgan Cey (vs. Minn., 5-2 loss, 40 saves)
Notre Dame goalie made 50+ saves... . Oct. 22, 2004 - Morgan Cey (vs. Boston College, 3-2 win, 50 saves)

Opposing player scored a hat trick..... December 11, 2004 - Ash Goldie (Michigan State)
 Opposing player scored four goals..... March 12, 1994 - Colin Ward (Western Michigan)
 Opposing player scored five goals..... November 10, 1973 - Tom Ross (Michigan State)

Opposing player had three assists..... January 15, 2005 - Domenic Maiani (Ohio State - 0g, 3a)
 Opposing player had four assists..... January 23, 2001 - Andy Hilbert (Michigan - 0g, 4a)
 Opposing player had five assists..... January 20, 1996 - Kevin Hilton (Michigan - 0g, 5a)

Opposing player had three points..... January 15, 2005 - Domenic Maiani (Ohio State - 0g, 3a)
Opposing player had four points December 4, 2004 - Kevin Porter (Michigan - 2g, 2a)
 Opposing player had five points..... January 27, 2001 - Jeff Hamilton (Yale - 2g, 3a)
 Opposing player had six points..... January 11, 1994 - John Gruden (Ferris State - 4g, 3a)
 Opposing player had seven points..... January 11, 1994 - John Gruden (Ferris State - 4g, 3a)

Opposing goalie made 35+ saves Nov. 12, 2004 - Daniel Bellissimo (WMU, 36 saves, 2-2 tie)
Opposing goalie made 40+ saves January 8, 2005 - Jeff Jakaitis (LSSU, 41 saves, 2-1 ot loss)
Opposing goalie made 50+ saves..... November 5, 2004 - Jordan Sigalet (BGSU, 50 saves, 4-4 tie)

Notre Dame had a penalty shot Oct. 12, 2001 - Rob Globke (scored vs. Union College, ND loses, 7-4)
 Opp. had a penalty shot Feb. 28, 2003 - Vince Bellissimo - WMU (stopped by Morgan Cey, ND loses, 4-2)

Notre Dame swept a two-game series February, 27-28, 2004 (vs. Michigan, 4-1, 5-2)
 Notre Dame swept a CCHA series February, 27-28, 2004 (vs. Michigan, 4-1, 5-2)
 Notre Dame swept a road two-game series Feb. 14-15, 2003 (at Bowling Green, 3-2, 3-2)
 Notre Dame swept a CCHA road two-game series Feb. 14-15, 2003 (at Bowling Green, 3-2, 3-2)

Events in bold occurred in 2004-05 season

Team Season Highs/Lows (2004-05)

Most goals in a game	4 vs. Bowling Green (11/5/04)
Fewest goals in a game	0 vs. Michigan (12/04/04)
.....	0 vs. Miami (10/16/04)
Most assists in a game	7 vs. Bowling Green (11/05/04)
Fewest assists in a game	0 vs. Michigan (12/04/04)
.....	0 vs. Miami (10/16/04)
Most goals against	8 by Michigan (12/04/04)
Fewest goals against	1 by Northern Michigan (10/29/04)
Most assists against	14 by Michigan (12/04/04)
Fewest assists against	2 by Northern Michigan (10/29/04)
Most goals in a period	2 (six times) most recent - at Alaska Fairbanks, 3rd period (11/27/04)
Most goals against in a period	3 by Michigan State, 3rd period (12/11/04)
.....	3 by Michigan, 1st and 3rd period (12/04/04)
.....	3 by Miami, 2nd period (10/16/04)
Most shots for in a game	54 vs. Bowling Green (11/05/04)
Most shots against in a game	52 by Boston College (10/22/04)
Most shots in a period	29 vs. Bowling Green, 2nd period (11/5/04)
Most shots against in a period	22 by Boston College, 3rd period (10/22/04)
Fewest shots for in a game	16 vs. Michigan (12/04/04)
.....	16 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (11/26/04)
Fewest shots against in a game	17 by Rensselaer (1/2/05)
Fewest shots in a period	2 vs. Ohio State, 2nd period (1/14/05)
.....	2 vs. Alaska Fairbanks, 3rd period (11/26/04)
Fewest shots against in a period	4 by Western Michigan, 2nd period (11/12/04)
.....	Bowling Green, 2nd period (11/05/04)
Most PIM in a game	11 for 41 minutes vs. Michigan (12/04/04)
Fewest PIM in a game	6 for 12 minutes vs. Northern Michigan (10/29/04)
Most opponent penalties in a game	18 for 36 (by Miami, 10/15/04)
Fewest opponent penalties in a game	1 for 2 minutes (by Western Michigan, 11/13/04)
Most power play chances	12 vs. Minnesota-Duluth (10/8/04, 1-12)
Most power play goals	2 vs. Bowling Green (11/5/04, 2-7)
Most opponent power play chances	12 by Minnesota-Duluth (10/17/04, 1-12)
Most opponent power play goals	5 - by Michigan (12/04/04, 5-9)

TOUGH BARNES: Since returning to the CCHA in 1992-93, Michigan's Yost Arena and Michigan State's Munn Arena have been regular "Houses of Horror" for the Irish. At Yost Arena, the Irish are 1-15-1 in the last 17 regular-season meetings and 2-19-1 overall. At Munn Arena, Notre Dame is 2-16-1 on the home ice of the Spartans.

THIRD PERIOD BREAKDOWNS: Through the first 23 games of the season, Notre Dame has been out scored by a 72-37 margin. Much of the disparity has come in the third period when the Irish have been out scored 30-10 (-20).

RANK-IN-FILE: Freshman right wing **Evan Rankin (Portage, Mich.)** continues to show a nose for the net in his rookie season. The Portage, Mich., native returned to the lineup after missing two games (U.S. Under-18 Team and UAF) with a hip injury to score his fourth goal of the season (first on the power play) in the 3-2 loss to the Nanooks on Nov. 27. He set up **Matt Amado's** game winner versus Michigan State and led the team with six shots on goal in the game. He leads Irish freshmen in scoring with four goals and three assists for seven points in 20 games this season.

THREE-GOAL LEADS: Notre Dame led Bowling Green by a 3-0 score before giving up four goals to trail, 4-3, before **Wes O'Neill's** heroics with three seconds left. The last time the Irish surrendered a three-goal lead was on Nov. 6, 1998. The Irish led Boston College, 5-2 after two periods before settling for a 5-5 tie.

CAREER BESTS: Junior left wing **Mike Walsh (Northville, Mich.)** had the first three-point game and the first three-assist game of his career in the 4-4 tie with Bowling Green. Defenseman **Wes O'Neill** recorded the first two-goal game of his career versus the Falcons. Freshman right wing **Evan Rankin** recorded the first multiple-point game of his career as he scored a goal and added an assist versus Bowling Green. **Cory McLean** equalled his career-high with three points versus the Falcons as he scored once and added two assists in the contest.

PLANES, TRAINS AND AUTOMOBILES: The Irish experienced their own version of *Planes, Trains and Automobiles* on their journey to Fairbanks, Alaska. The Irish hockey team left the Notre Dame campus at 1:30 p.m. (EST) on Wednesday, Nov. 24 and took five hours for the 112-mile trip to Chicago's O'Hare International Airport (due to holiday traffic and weather). From there, the 7:20 p.m. (CST) flight to Anchorage, Alaska didn't leave Chicago until midnight. The six-hour-and-thirty minute flight arrived at 3:30 a.m. (Alaska Standard Time - 7:30 a.m. EST). The Irish flight to Fairbanks left at 1:00 a.m. (AST), so the team had to stay in an Anchorage hotel for five hours before leaving for the airport at 9:45 a.m. (1:45 p.m. EST). The team arrived in Fairbanks at 12:30 p.m. (4:30 p.m. EST) making the normal 16-hour trip a 27-hour ordeal. The Irish went right from the airport to the Carlson Center to practice for an hour-and-a-half before enjoying Thanksgiving dinner at 3:30 p.m. (7:30 p.m. EST).

Multiple-Point Games For:

Four Points:

<u>Player (#games)</u>	<u>Last Time (totals)</u>
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Three Points:

<u>Player (#games)</u>	<u>Last Time (totals)</u>
Cory McLean (1)	11-05-04 vs. Bowling Green (1-2-3)
Mike Walsh (1)	11-05-04 vs. Bowling Green (0-3-3)

Two Points:

<u>Player (#games)</u>	<u>Last Time (totals)</u>
Wes O'Neill (2)	11-05-04 vs. Bowling Green (2-0-2)
Cory McLean (1)	12-10-04 vs. Michigan State (0-2-2)
Tim Wallace (1)	11-26-04 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (1-1-2)
T.J. Jindra (1)	11-13-04 vs. Western Michigan (1-1-2)
Evan Rankin (1)	11-05-04 vs. Bowling Green (1-1-2)

Multiple Point Games Against

Four Points:

<u>Player (#games)</u>	<u>Last Time (totals)</u>
Kevin Porter (UM)	12-04-04 (2-2-4)

Three Points:

<u>Player (#games)</u>	<u>Last Time (totals)</u>
Domenic Maiani (OSU)	1-15-05 (0-3-3)
Andrew Schembri (OSU)	1-14-05 (0-3-3)
Ash Goldie (MSU)	12-11-04 (3-0-3)
Chad Kolarik (UM)	12-04-04 (1-2-3)
Brandon Rogers (MSU)	12-04-04 (0-3-3)
Marty Guerin (MIA)	10-15-04 (1-2-3)
Matt Christie (MIA)	10-15-04 (1-2-3)

Two Points (26 players)

<u>Player (#games)</u>	<u>Last Time (totals)</u>
Matt Beaudoin (OSU)	1-14-05 (1-1-2)
Tim Fritsche (OSU)	1-14-05 (1-1-2)
Colton Fretter (MSU)	12-10-04 (1-1-2)
Drew Miller (MSU)	12-10-04 (1-1-2)

CAPTAINS: Senior **Cory McLean (Fargo, N.D.)** will serve as Notre Dame's team captain this season. The team's two alternate captains will be junior **Mike Walsh (Northville, Mich.)** and sophomore **Jason Paige (Saginaw, Mich.)**. Paige is just the second sophomore in Dave Poulin's 10 seasons at Notre Dame to be selected as an alternate captain. The first was **Steve Noble ('98)** who was selected an alternate for the 1995-96 season. He went on to serve as captain in 1996-97 and 1997-98.

GILL THE THRILL: Junior center **Tony Gill (Rochester, Minn.)** scored the first goal of his Notre Dame career in the 3-2 win over Alaska Fairbanks. The brother of former Irish captain, **Aaron Gill**, Tony played in 33 career games before getting his first goal.

TOUGH PLACE TO WIN: Notre Dame's win at Western Michigan on Nov. 13th was just the fourth for the Irish at Lawson Arena since returning to the CCHA in 1992-93. Notre Dame is now 4-16-3 at Lawson since that season. Overall, the Irish are 7-19-4 in the all-time series versus the Broncos in Kalamazoo, Mich.

THE MICHIGAN TECH GAME NOTES - January 18, 2005

BEATING THE BEST: For the second year in a row, Notre Dame faced the Boston College Eagles when the Eagles were the top-ranked team in the nation. For the second year in a row, the Irish sent the Eagles home with a loss as they prevailed on Oct. 22 by a 3-2 score. The last time the Irish had defeated a top-ranked team at the Joyce Center was Jan. 13, 1978 when they upset Denver, 5-3. A year ago, in Boston, the Irish downed the top-ranked Eagles, 1-0. In the 37-year history of the program, Notre Dame owns eight wins over top-ranked teams. The list:

- 10/22/04 - vs. Boston College, 3-2
- 10/23/03 - at Boston College, 1-0
- 1/3/99 - at North Dakota, 4-3
- 11/20/78 - at Minnesota, 3-2
- 1/13/78 - vs. Denver, 5-3
- 1/18/74 - vs. Michigan Tech, 7-1
- 2/24/73 - vs. Wisconsin, 4-3
- 2/23/73 - vs. Wisconsin, 8-5

TOPS IN DIRECTORS CUP STANDINGS:

Notre Dame stands first in the third set of fall sports standings released in the 2004-05 United States Sports Academy Division I Directors' Cup all-sports competition sponsored by the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (formerly known as Sears Directors' Cup). This marks the first time in the 12-year history of the all-sports program that Notre Dame has ranked number one. The previous highest ranking for the Irish was second in the 2004-05 second set of fall standings. Fall NCAA competition earned the Irish 337 points based on their NCAA title in women's soccer (100 points), their fourth-place finish in women's cross country (80), 11th-place finish in men's cross country (57) and second-round NCAA appearances in men's soccer and volleyball (50 each). The current school rankings.

1. Notre Dame, 337
2. Michigan, 333
3. Stanford 332
4. Duke 327
5. UCLA 297
6. Maryland 280
7. Ohio State, 276
8. Colorado 275
9. Texas, 262
10. Wisconsin 251

In previous years, Notre Dame has finished 11th in '93-'94, 30th in '94-'95, 11th in '95-'96, 14th in '96-'97, 31st in '97-'98, 25th in '98-'99, 21st in '99-'00, 11th in '00-'01, 13th in '01-'02 and '02-'03 and 19th in '03-'04.

BLASTING THE BISCUIT: The Irish fired 54 shots at Bowling Green goaltender Jordan Sigalet on Nov. 5, including 29 in the second period. The last time the Irish had more than 54 shots on goal came on Oct. 17, 2003 when they fired 59 at - you guessed it - Jordan Sigalet of Bowling Green. He made 56 saves that night in a 5-3 Falcon win.

BISCUIT BARRAGE: The 52 shots that Boston College fired at **Morgan Cey** on Oct. 22 was the most shots on goal the Irish have faced since Jan. 23, 2001 when Michigan fired 51 on the Notre Dame goal in a 9-0 Wolverine win.

THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME:

Notre Dame's loss to Minnesota-Duluth on Oct. 8 snapped a 15-game (12-0-3) regular-season home unbeaten at the Joyce Center. The last time the Irish had lost a regular-season home game at the Joyce Center was on Oct. 17, 2003 versus Bowling Green. Notre Dame was 14-2-2 (.833) at the Joyce Center last season. This year, the Irish are 3-6-3 at home and 17-8-5 (.650) in their last 30 home games. The 2003-04 home record of 14-2-2 was the best for the Irish since 1987-88 when that year's Irish squad was 18-2-0 on home ice.

INCOMING IRISH:

Notre Dame head coach Dave Poulin has announced the signing of seven players to national letters-of-intent. Four of the seven signees - **Eric Condra**, **Christian Hanson**, **Jordan Pearce** and **Jamie Silverson** - will join Notre Dame in the fall of 2005 while the other three- **Kevin Deeth**, **Kyle Lawson** and **Ryan Thang** - will defer their signing to 2006. Joining the Irish are:

Player	Pos.	DOB	Ht.	Wt.
Shot	<i>Hometown/2003-04 Team</i>			
Eric Condra	RW	8/6/86	6-0	185
<i>Right</i>	<i>Livonia, Mich./Lincoln Stars (USHL)</i>			
Kevin Deeth **	C	5/26/87	5-8	165
<i>Left</i>	<i>Gig Harbor, Wash./Shattuck St. Mary's</i>			
Christian Hanson	C	3/10/86	6-3	190
<i>Right</i>	<i>Venetia, Pa./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>			
Kyle Lawson **	D	1/11/87	6-0	200
<i>Right</i>	<i>New Hudson, Mich./U.S. Under-18 Team</i>			
Jordan Pearce	G	10/10/86	6-1	195
<i>Left</i>	<i>Anchorage, Alaska/Lincoln Stars (USHL)</i>			
Jamie Silverson	D	3/26/86	6-4	225
<i>Left</i>	<i>Thunder Bay, Ont./Salmon Arm (BCHL)</i>			
Ryan Thang **	RW	5/11/87	6-1	185
<i>Right</i>	<i>Edina, Minn./Sioux Falls Stampede (USHL)</i>			

** deferred to 2006-07

GOLD-MEDAL IRISH: Two former Notre Dame hockey players helped the United States win the gold medal in the recent Deutschland Cup tournament held in Hannover, Germany. Forward **Yan Stastny**, currently playing for the Nurnberg Ice Tigers in Germany, collected a goal and an assist in the four games. Defenseman **Mark Eaton**, currently a member of the Nashville Predators, scored a power-play goal in the gold medal game vs Slovakia. The U.S. defeated Germany, 5-1, lost to Canada, 5-3, defeated Switzerland, 4-2 and then shutout Slovakia, 4-0, to finish 3-1 in the tournament. The U.S. ended tied with Canada with 3-1 records, but received the gold medal due to greater goal differential over the four games.

IRISH IN CCHA/NATIONAL RANKINGS

Scoring	CCHA	National
Wes O'Neill (6-8-14)	t46th	
Cory McLean (3-10-13)	t54th	
Power-Play Goals		
Wes O'Neill (5)	t10th	t36th (0.22)
Short-handed Goals		
T.J. Jindra (1)	t7th	t32nd
Game-Winning Goals		
T.J. Jindra (2)	t6th	t38th
Defenseman Scoring		
Wes O'Neill (6-8-14)	6th	t37th (0.61)
Goals Against Avg. (30% of games)		
Morgan Cey (2.35)	5th	24th
Save%		
Morgan Cey (.929)	2nd	6th
Team Rankings		
Scoring Offense (1.61)	12th	57th
Scoring Defense (3.13)	10th	41st
Scoring Margin (-1.52)	12th	52nd
Fewest Penalty Minutes (17.8)	3rd	27th
Power Play (10.5%)	12th	52nd
Penalty Killing (81.5%)	10th	40th

FRESHMAN FIRSTS: Freshman left wing **Mark Van Guilder (Roseville, Minn.)** collected his first collegiate goal on Nov. 4 at Bowling Green. He became the second Irish freshman to get his first goal, following **Evan Rankin** who scored the first goal of his Notre Dame career with a second-period goal versus Boston College (Oct.22). Defenseman **Brock Sheahan** collected his first career point in Notre Dame's season opener versus Minnesota-Duluth and fellow defenseman **Dan VeNard** got his first career point on Nov. 12 at Western Michigan.

FIRST TIMER: **Noah Babin** scored his first career goal for the Irish in the 1-1 tie with Northern Michigan. The sophomore defenseman has played in 41 career games for Notre Dame. He got his second career goal in the 2-2 with Western Michigan on Nov. 12. He is the first Notre Dame hockey player from the state of Florida.

FAMILY MATTERS: Two Irish junior hockey players - **Rory Walsh** and **Mike Walsh** - have fathers who played sports at Notre Dame while attending the University during the 1970's. Rory Walsh's father, Brian ('77), was an all-American hockey player for the Irish. A center iceman, the elder Walsh is Notre Dame's all-time leading scorer after recording 234 career points on 89 goals and 145 assists. Mike Walsh's father, Max ('74), was an offensive lineman on the Notre Dame football team and a member of the 1973 national championship team. Rory Walsh is one of Notre Dame's goaltenders and Walsh plays left wing for the Irish.

IRISH VERSUS RANKED TEAMS: Notre Dame has two games against a nationally ranked foe this week when they Irish face #5/#5 Wisconsin on Jan. 21-22. To date, the Irish have played 11 games this season versus ranked teams. After opening the year with seven consecutive contests versus college hockey's top teams, the Irish were 1-4-2 in those contests. For the year, the Irish are 1-8-2 versus top-ranked teams. Versus teams in the top five or better, Notre Dame is 1-3-1. Last year, the Irish were 6-6-1 against ranked teams. More importantly, Notre Dame was 5-1-1 against teams ranked fifth or better on the year.

USA Today/American Hockey Magazine

Rank	Team	W-L-T
4	Minnesota-Duluth	T, 2-2 (ot)
4	Minnesota-Duluth	L, 1-4
9	at Miami	L, 2-4
9	at Miami	L, 0-5
1	Boston College	W, 3-2
15	Northern Michigan	T, 1-1 (ot)
15	Northern Michigan	L, 1-4
5	at Michigan	L, 1-6
5	Michigan	L, 0-8
12	Ohio State	L, 1-4
12	Ohio State	L, 1-3
5	Wisconsin	
5	Wisconsin	

US College Hockey Online

Rank	Team	W-L-T
4	Minnesota-Duluth	T, 2-2 (ot)
4	Minnesota-Duluth	L, 1-4
10	at Miami	L, 2-4
10	at Miami	L, 0-5
1	Boston College	W, 3-2
15	Northern Michigan	T, 1-1 (ot)
15	Northern Michigan	L, 1-4
5	at Michigan	L, 1-6
5	Michigan	L, 0-8
12	Ohio State	L, 1-4
12	Ohio State	L, 1-3
5	Wisconsin	
5	Wisconsin	

NHL DRAFTEES: In June of 2004, the Irish had three players selected in the NHL Entry Draft. Freshman right wing **Victor Oreskovich (Oakville, Ont.)** was a second-round selection, 55th overall by the Colorado Avalanche. Sophomore defenseman **Wes O'Neill** was chosen in the fourth round, 115th overall by the New York Islanders. Sophomore goaltender **David Brown** was selected in the eighth round, 228th overall by the Pittsburgh Penguins. Those three join junior **Mike Walsh** as Notre Dame players selected by in the draft. Walsh was picked in the fifth round of the 2002 draft by the New York Rangers.

FORMER IRISH GREAT GREG MEREDITH RECEIVES NCAA SILVER ANNIVERSARY AWARD:

Former Notre Dame hockey All-American, **Greg Meredith (1976-80)** was one of six NCAA Silver Anniversary Award recipients at the NCAA Convention in Dallas, Tex., Jan. 9. The Silver Anniversary Award recognizes former student-athletes who have distinguished themselves since completing their college careers 25 years ago. Meredith is Notre Dame's all-time leading goal scorer with 104 goals in 149 career games. He is also tops in power-play goals (43) and seventh in all-time points with 192 for his career. He is just one of two players ever to score 40 goals in a season (1979-80) at Notre Dame. A four-year letterwinner with the Irish, Meredith was a finalist for a Rhodes Scholarship and was an NCAA post-graduate scholarship recipient. He is currently the managing director for Putnam Lovell NBF Securities Inc., and has held positions with Salomon Brothers, Inc., Nationsbank Capital Markets, Inc., and Fenway Partners, Inc. From 2001 to 2003, he served as president and chief executive officer at HSBC Capital and was also president and CEO of Printvision, a software company from 2002-03. In addition, Meredith is the founder and president of Proctor Capital, a private investment and strategic advisory firm. He played four years in the NHL for the Calgary Flames and was an assistant coach at Harvard. Meredith currently coaches the St. David's hockey program for boys and girls between 9 and 11 years of age. He formed the Meredith Family Foundation in 1997, which contributes to

programs such as the LOGAN Center, which provides services to individuals with intellectual disabilities, the St. Joseph's County Special Olympics, and Camp Millhouse, a summer camp for children with significant intellectual disabilities. In addition, the organization funds educational initiatives including the Paul E. Meredith scholarships at Notre Dame. Meredith is the 10th former Irish athlete to receive the award that was started in 1973.

FOUR OF FIVE: Notre Dame has advanced to Joe Louis Arena and the CCHA finals in four of the last five seasons (2000, 2002, 2003, 2004). Only two other CCHA teams - Michigan and Michigan State - have been there all four years since the 1999-2000 campaign. The Irish also are one of five teams, joining Michigan, Michigan State, Ohio State and Northern Michigan, to make it to the CCHA Super Six in each of the last three seasons.

STORM WARNINGS: Three members of the Notre Dame freshman class saw action with the USHL's Tri-City Storm during the '03-'04 season. Defensemen **Brian D'Arcy (Western Springs, Ill.)** and **Luke Lucyk (Fox Point, Wis.)** were members of the Storm's highly ranked defense. Forward **Mark Van Guilder (Roseville, Minn.)** was a key contributor to the USHL's regular-season champions. Van Guilder was fifth on the team in scoring with 17 goals and 22 assists for 39 points in 60 games. In 11 playoff games, Van Guilder added three goals and two assists for five points. D'Arcy saw his season cut short due to injuries, playing in 32 games with no goals and two assists to go with 36 penalty minutes. Lucyk was a regular on the defense with a goal and nine assists for 10 points in 60 games.

NCAA ACTION: The Notre Dame Fighting Irish hockey team had a season to remember in 2003-04. The Irish advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the first time in the program's 36-year history with a 20-15-4 overall record. In their first trip to the tournament, the Irish dropped a 5-2 decision to two-time NCAA defending champion Minnesota in the Grand Rapids Regional.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW??

Several former Notre Dame hockey players have continued on the professional level. Here's where they are playing now (stats as of January 17).

NHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Mark Eaton - Nashville					

AHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Ben Simon - Chicago	29	9	6	15	34
Rob Globke - San Antonio	36	2	4	6	15
Aaron Gill - Cleveland	40	2	3	5	4
Brett Lebda - Grand Rapids	38	0	2	2	10
Neil Komadoski - Binghamton	21	1	0	1	52

ECHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Michael Chin - Pee Dee	35	4	8	12	27
Connor Dunlop - Trenton	17	4	4	8	6
John Wroblewski - Fresno	21	3	4	7	21
Jake Wiegand - Pee Dee	30	1	6	7	32
Tom Galvin - Reading *	29	0	6	6	16
Evan Nielsen - Trenton	20	0	4	4	10

UHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Joe Dusbabek - Quad City	35	5	9	14	24

Germany	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Yan Stastny - Nurnberg	36	20	16	36	38

England	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Dan Carlson - Coventry	35	17	21	38	38

Czech Republic	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Connor Dunlop-Litvinov #	5	0	1	1	2

* injured

returned to play in ECHL

NOTRE DAME SCORING STREAKS:

Point Streaks

Player	Length	Dates	G-A-PTS
Noah Babin	4	1/7-1/15	1-3-4
Josh Sciba	4	12/10-1/2	2-2-4
Evan Rankin	4	11/5-11/27	3-2-5
Michael Bartlett	3	12/11-1/2	0-3-3
Wes O'Neill	3	10/7-10/15	0-3-3
Cory McLean	2	1/8-1/14	0-2-2
Tim Wallace	2	1/1-1/2	1-1-2
Wes O'Neill	2	12/10-12/11	1-1-2
Tim Wallace	2	11/26-11/27	1-2-3
Cory McLean	2	11/4-11/5	1-3-4
Mike Bartlett	2	10/28-10/29	0-2-2
Tim Wallace	2	10/22-10/29	0-2-2

Assist Streaks

Player	Length	Dates	Assists
Michael Bartlett	3	12/11-1/2	0-3-3
Wes O'Neill	3	10/7-10/15	0-3-3
Noah Babin	3	1/8-1/15	0-3-3
Matt Amado	2	1/2-1/7	0-2-2
Cory McLean	2	1/8-1/14	0-2-2
Tim Wallace	2	11/26-11/27	1-2-3
Cory McLean	2	11/4-11/5	1-3-4
Mike Bartlett	2	10/28-10/29	0-2-2
Tim Wallace	2	10/22-10/29	0-2-2

Goal Streaks

Player	Length	Dates	Goals
Josh Sciba	2	12/11-1/1	2-0-2
Evan Rankin	2	11/5-11/12	2-1-3

Bold - Current Streaks

THE IRISH AND THE U.S. DEVELOPMENTAL PROGRAM: Notre Dame's current roster includes four players who have past experience with USA Hockey, as members of the National Team Development Program (NTDP). Since the program began, the Irish have had a total of 13 NTDP alums grace their roster. The current contingent includes junior **Tim Wallace** and sophomores **Noah Babin**, **Michael Bartlett (Morton Grove, Ill.)** and **Josh Sciba (Westland, Mich.)**. Other former NTDP players who played at Notre Dame and their years in the national program include: **Brett Henning (1997-98)**, **Michael Chin (1997-98)**, **Connor Dunlop (1997-99)**, **Paul Harris (1997-99)**, **John Wroblewski (1997-99)**, **Neil Komadoski (1998-2000)**, **Brett Lebda (1998-2000)**, **Rob Globke (1998-2000)** and **Derek Smith (2000-01)**.

HOMETOWNS: The 2003-04 Notre Dame hockey team features players from nine states and four Canadian provinces - Alberta, British Columbia, Ontario and Saskatchewan. In the nine-year tenure of head coach Dave Poulin, the Notre Dame hockey letter winners have hailed from 20 different states and provinces - those listed below, plus: Colorado, Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Prince Edward Island and Quebec.

**2004-05 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY
- BY STATE OR PROVINCE:**

- Michigan (6):** Chris Trick, Mike Walsh, Jason Paige, Josh Sciba, Evan Rankin, Andrew Eggert
- Illinois (4):** Joe Zurenko, Michael Bartlett, Brian D'Arcy, Dan VeNard
- Minnesota (3):** Tony Gill, T.J. Jindra, Mark Van Guilder
- Alberta (2):** Matt Williams-Kovacs, Brock Sheahan
- Ontario (3):** David Brown, Wes O'Neill, Victor Oreskovich
- Alaska (1):** Tim Wallace
- British Columbia (1):** Matt Amado
- Florida (1):** Noah Babin
- Massachusetts (1):** Rory Walsh
- North Dakota (1):** Cory McLean
- Saskatchewan (1):** Morgan Cey
- Wisconsin (1):** Luke Lucyk

INTERNATIONAL LEADER: Notre Dame assistant coach, Andy Slaggert, served as the head coach of the U.S. Under-17 Select Team that finished second at the Five Nation's Tournament from Aug. 24-28 in Halle, Germany. The U.S. Team's lone loss came to the Czech Republic (the eventual winners). This was Slaggert's second international appearance with USA Hockey as he served as assistant coach on the 2003 gold-medal winning team at the World Under-18 Select Tournament held in the Czech Republic. The 12-year assistant at Notre Dame has been involved in coaching with USA Hockey since the 1996-97 season.

PRESEASON CCHA POLLS: The Central Collegiate Hockey Association (CCHA) announced the results of its coaches and media preseason polls at Media Day in Detroit on Sept. 28. In the annual polls, Notre Dame was picked to finish sixth by the coaches and fifth by the media.

CCHA Coaches Poll (1st-place votes) Points

- 1. Michigan (10) 120
- 2. Michigan State (2) 112
- 3. Northern Michigan 99
- 4. Miami 86
- 5. Ohio State 82
- 6. **Notre Dame** **66**
- 7. Western Michigan 54
- 8. Ferris State 50
- 9. Bowling Green 49
- 10. Lake Superior State 27
- 11. Alaska Fairbanks 25
- 12. Nebraska-Omaha 23

CCHA Media Poll (1st-place votes) Points

- 1. Michigan (48) 662
- 2. Michigan State (6) 589
- 3. Miami (1) 518
- 4. Ohio State (1) 517
- 5. **Notre Dame** **423**
- 6. Northern Michigan 410
- 7. Western Michigan 266
- 8. Bowling Green 245
- 9. Alaska Fairbanks 391
- 10. Ferris State 762
- 11. Lake Superior State 142
- 12. Nebraska-Omaha 126

NOTRE DAME'S RECORD WHEN....

When Notre Dame scores first	4-4-3
When opponents score first	1-9-2
When Notre Dame leads after one period	2-0-2
When Notre Dame trails after one period	0-8-2
When score is tied after one period	3-4-1
When Notre Dame leads after two periods	3-1-2
When Notre Dame trails after two periods	1-8-2
When score is tied after two periods	1-4-1
When Notre Dame outshoots opponent	2-1-4
When opponent outshoots Notre Dame	3-12-1
When shots are even	1-0-0
In Game 1 of CCHA weekend series	2-4-3
In Game 2 of CCHA weekend series	1-7-1
In one-goal games	5-2-0
In two-goal games	0-2-0
Notre Dame at home	3-6-3
Notre Dame on the road	2-7-2
Notre Dame on neutral ice	0-0-0
Notre Dame in overtime	1-1-5
Notre Dame in October	1-4-2
Notre Dame in November	2-2-2
Notre Dame in December	1-3-0
Notre Dame in January	1-4-1
Notre Dame in February	0-0-0
Notre Dame in March	0-0-0

NOTRE DAME GOALTENDING GAME-BY-GAME

#29 Morgan Cey Sr. 6-3, 177 Wilkie, Sask./Flin Flon Bombers (SJHL)

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/7	Minn.-Duluth	1/1	65:00	2	1.85	38	.950	0	0	1	1	0
10/15	at Miami	1/1	59:26	3	2.41	34	.935	0	1	0	3	0
10/22	Boston College	1/1	60:00	2	2.28	50	.948	1	0	0	1	0
10/29	No. Michigan	1/1	65:00	1	1.92	26	.949	0	0	1	0	0
11/4	at Bowling Green	1/1	58:28	3	2.14	34	.943	0	1	0	2	0
11/5	Bowling Green	1/1	63:33	4	2.42	19	.931	0	0	1	1	0
11/13	at Western Mich.	1/1	60:00	2	2.36	38	.934	1	0	0	1	0
11/27	at Alaska Fair.	1/1	59:23	3	2.44	20	.929	0	1	0	1	0
12/3	at Michigan	1/0	28:41	2	2.54	21	.928	-	-	-	1	0
12/4	Michigan	1/1	20:00	3	2.78	17	.923	0	1	0	2	0
1/1	Rensselaer	1/1	58:38	2	2.71	33	.925	0	1	0	0	0
1/2	Rensselaer	1/1	60:00	1	2.55	16	.926	1	0	0	1	0
1/7	at Lake Superior	1/1	64:48	1	2.44	25	.928	0	0	1	0	0
1/8	at Lake Superior	1/1	60:56	2	2.37	29	.928	0	1	0	0	0
1/15	Ohio State	1/1	59:00	2	2.35	27	.929	0	1	0	1	0
Totals		15/14	842:53	33	2.35	429	.929	3	7	4	15	0

#30 David Brown So. 5-11, 181 Stoney Creek, Ont./Hamilton Kilty Bees (OPJHL)

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/8	Minn.-Duluth	1/1	60:00	4	4.00	28	.875	0	1	0	1	0
10/16	at Miami	1/1	60:00	5	4.50	38	.881	0	1	0	3	0
10/30	No. Michigan	1/1	60:00	4	4.33	27	.887	0	1	0	1	0
11/12	at Western Mich.	1/1	65:00	2	3.67	28	.890	0	0	1	0	0
11/26	at Alaska Fair.	1/1	60:00	2	3.34	35	.902	1	0	0	1	0
12/3	at Michigan	1/1	31:11	4	3.75	7	.886	0	1	0	1	0
12/4	Michigan	1/0	40:00	5	4.15	22	.877	-	-	-	3	0
12/10	Michigan State	1/1	62:21	2	3.83	25	.882	1	0	0	1	0
12/11	at Michigan State	1/1	58:11	3	3.74	36	.888	0	1	0	0	0
1/14	Ohio State	1/1	59:50	4	3.77	22	.884	0	1	0	3	0
Totals		10/9	556:33	35	3.77	268	.884	2	6	1	14	0

#31 Rory Walsh So. 5-9, 170 Newton, Mass./Noble and Greenough

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
Totals		0/0	0:00	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0

IRISH CAREER STATS

Player	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN/MIN
Cory McLean	136	24	35	59	22/52
Tim Wallace	102	12	19	31	24/56
Mike Walsh	83	14	16	30	40/80
Matt Amado	85	12	18	30	42/84
Wes O'Neill	62	8	18	26	25/50
Josh Sciba	61	13	10	23	13/26
Jason Paige	61	12	8	20	27/65
Michael Bartlett	62	7	11	18	24/56
T.J. Jindra	62	7	9	16	11/22
Noah Babin	54	3	6	9	21/42
Chris Trick	80	2	7	9	23/46
Evan Rankin	21	4	3	7	11/33
Mark Van Guilder	23	1	4	5	4/8
Matt Williams-Kovacs	34	0	5	5	6/12
Brock Sheahan	21	0	3	3	15/30
Joe Zurenko	93	0	3	3	67/151
Morgan Cey	100	0	3	3	2/4
Tony Gill	41	1	1	2	7/14
Dan VeNard	17	0	1	1	3/6
Victor Oreskovich	23	0	1	1	15/41
David Brown	37	0	1	1	0/0
Luke Lucyk	18	0	0	0	3/6
Rory Walsh	3	0	0	0	0/0
Brian D'Arcy	4	0	0	0	0/0
Andrew Eggert	1	0	0	0	0/0

Goaltender	GP	W-L-T	GAvg.	Sv%
Morgan Cey	100	38-43-14	2.68	.915
David Brown	36	16-13-4	2.73	.913
Rory Walsh	3	1-1-0	3.53	.881

NATIONAL POLLS:

USA TODAY/Amer. Hockey Mag. (Jan. 10)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. Colorado College (34)	18-3-1	510	2
2. Boston College	11-3-3	467	3
3. Michigan	16-5-1	433	4
4. Minnesota	16-7-0	407	1
5. Wisconsin	15-6-1	373	7
6. New Hampshire	14-4-2	344	6
7. Denver	14-6-1	300	5
8. Boston University	13-7-0	231	13
9. Colgate	15-5-0	202	14
10. North Dakota	14-8-2	195	8
11. Vermont	13-6-3	177	12
12. Ohio State	13-6-3	162	9
13. Cornell	9-4-2	118	10
14. Harvard	10-5-2	90	11
15. Maine	11-8-3	39	15

Receiving votes: UMass-Lowell, 16; Nebraska-Omaha, 11; Canisius, 4; Holy Cross, 1.

USCHO.com /CSTV (Jan. 10)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. Colorado College (39)	18-3-1	599	2
2. Boston College	11-3-3	529	3
3. Michigan	16-5-1	509	4
4. Minnesota (1)	16-7-0	486	1
5. Wisconsin	15-6-1	418	6
6. New Hampshire	14-4-2	405	7
7. Denver	14-6-1	360	5
8. Boston University	13-7-0	275	11
9. North Dakota	14-8-2	241	8
10. Colgate	15-5-0	208	13
11. Cornell	9-4-2	196	9
12. Ohio State	13-6-3	193	14
13. Vermont	13-6-3	176	14
14. Harvard	10-5-2	115	12
15. Maine	11-8-3	43	15

Receiving Votes: UMass-Lowell, 34; Nebraska-Omaha, 4; Michigan State, 3; Bowling Green, 2; Northern Michigan, 2; Bemidji State, 1; Minnesota State, 1.

Inside College Hockey.com (Jan. 9)

School	Record	Last Week
1. Colorado College	18-3-1	2
2. Boston College	11-3-3	3
3. Minnesota	16-7-0	1
4. Michigan	16-5-1	4
5. New Hampshire	14-4-2	6
6. Wisconsin	15-6-1	7
7. Denver	14-6-1	5
8. Colgate	15-5-0	10
9. Vermont	13-6-3	13
10. North Dakota	14-8-2	8
11. Harvard	10-5-2	11
12. Cornell	9-4-2	9
13. Boston University	13-7-0	15
14. Ohio State	13-6-3	12
15. Maine	11-8-3	14
16. UMass-Lowell	11-5-2	17
17. Bowling Green	10-7-3	NR
18. Nebraska-Omaha	10-9-1	NR
19. Northern Michigan	9-7-4	16
20. Bemidji State	11-7-0	NR

Bubble-licious: Michigan State, Union, Brown, Alabama-Huntsville, St. Lawrence.

2004-05 CENTRAL COLLEGIATE HOCKEY ASSOC. STANDINGS

TEAM	CCHA					OVERALL							
	GP	W	L	T	PTS	GF	GA	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA
1. Michigan	16	15	1	0	30	80	38	24	18	5	1	105	62
2. Ohio State	16	12	3	1	25	57	35	24	15	6	3	82	54
3. Nebraska-Omaha	18	9	7	2	20	61	51	22	11	9	2	72	64
4. Northern Michigan	16	8	5	3	19	37	32	22	10	7	5	55	49
5. Bowling Green	14	7	5	2	16	47	45	20	10	7	3	66	62
6. Lake Superior	14	6	6	2	14	36	35	22	7	12	3	50	61
Michigan State	16	7	9	0	14	50	46	24	12	11	1	69	60
8. Western Michigan	16	5	10	1	11	51	66	22	10	11	1	73	79
Alaska Fairbanks	16	5	10	1	11	39	58	18	6	11	1	47	63
Ferris State	16	4	9	3	11	36	49	24	9	12	3	70	74
Miami	16	4	9	3	11	35	42	24	8	12	4	70	63
12. Notre Dame	18	3	11	4	10	28	60	23	5	13	5	37	72

THIS WEEK IN THE CCHA

Tuesday, January 18

Notre Dame vs. Michigan Tech, 6:35 p.m. (CST)
(at Green Bay, Wis.)

Friday, January 19

Ferris State at Alaska Fairbanks
Lake Superior at Michigan State
Michigan at Ohio State
Nebraska-Omaha at Miami, 7:35 p.m.
Bowling Green at Northern Michigan, 7:35 p.m.
Wisconsin at Notre Dame, 7:35 p.m.

Saturday, January 15

Ferris State at Alaska Fairbanks
Lake Superior at Michigan State
Michigan at Ohio State
Nebraska-Omaha at Miami, 7:35 p.m.
Bowling Green at Northern Michigan, 7:35 p.m.
Wisconsin at Notre Dame, 7:05 p.m.(CST)
(at Allstate Arena, Rosemont, Ill.)

LAST WEEK IN THE CCHA

Friday, January 14

Nebraska-Omaha 2, at Ferris State 2 ot
at Northern Michigan 1, Miami 0
at Michigan 5, Alaska Fairbanks 2
at Western Michigan 5, Michigan State 4
Ohio State 4, at Notre Dame 1
Alabama-Huntsville 3, at Lake Superior 3

Saturday, January 15

Nebraska-Omaha 4, at Ferris State 1
Miami 1, at Northern Michigan 1 ot
at Michigan 5, Alaska Fairbanks 2
at Michigan State 3, Western Michigan 1
Ohio State 3, at Notre Dame 1
Alabama-Huntsville 5, at Lake Superior 0

2004-05 Notre Dame Television Schedule

Notre Dame hockey can be seen on television 11 times during the 2004-05 season. The Irish will appear six times on Comcast-Detroit, three times on College Sports Television (CSTV) and three on Fox Sports Net-Detroit. The Irish television schedule begins on Friday, October 22, when Notre Dame hosts Boston College in a 7:35 p.m. game on Comcast-Detroit. Irish hockey games televised by Comcast Local can be seen live in South Bend on Channel 99 for Comcast Cable subscribers. The games will be seen on tape delay by Comcast Sports Chicago (Channel 37 on Comcast South Bend systems). The entire television schedule for Fighting Irish hockey:

Friday, October 3	Boston College	Comcast-Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, November 12	at Western Michigan	Comcast-Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, December 3	at Michigan	FSN-Detroit	7:35 p.m.
Saturday, December 4	Michigan	Comcast-Local	7:05 p.m.
Friday, December 10	Michigan State	CSTV	8:05 p.m.
Saturday, December 11	at Michigan State	Comcast-Local	7:05 p.m.
Friday, January 21	Wisconsin	CSTV	8:05 p.m.
Friday, February 4	Nebraska-Omaha	Comcast-Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, February 18	Michigan	CSTV	8:05 p.m.
	(at Fort Wayne, Ind.)		
Saturday, February 19	at Michigan	FSN-Detroit	7:35 p.m.
Friday, March 4	at Michigan State	FSN-Detroit	7:35 p.m.
Saturday, March 5	Michigan State	Comcast-Local	7:05 p.m.

2004-05 Notre Dame Hockey Box Scores

Thursday, Oct. 7, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	OT	-	F
#4/#4 Minnesota-Duluth	1	0	1	0	-	2
Notre Dame	1	1	0	0	-	2
1st Period						
ND - Josh Sciba 1 (Tim Wallace), 7:05; UMD - Josh Miskovich 1 (Brett Hammond), 10:47.						
2nd Period						
ND - Cory McLean 1 (Wes O'Neill, Brock Sheahan), PPG, 14:00.						
3rd Period						
UMD - Tim Stapleton 1 (Evan Schwabe, Marco Peluso), PPG, 12:27.						
Overtime						
No Scoring						
Saves						
UMD - Isaac Reichmuth (65:00)	7	9	8	1	-	25
ND - Morgan Cey (65:00)	8	7	20	4	-	38
Power Play: UMD: 1-12; ND: 1-11						
Penalties: UMD: 12 for 27 minutes; ND: 13 for 37 minutes						
Attendance: 1,325						

Friday, Oct. 8, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
#4/#4 Minnesota-Duluth	1	1	2	-	4
Notre Dame	1	0	0	-	1
1st Period					
ND - Matt Amado 1 (Wes O'Neill, Noah Babin), PPG, 3:40; UMD - Mike Curry 1 (Neil Petruic), PPG, 17:39.					
2nd Period					
UMD - Tim Stapleton 2 (Justin Williams, Steve Czech), 12:20.					
3rd Period					
UMD - Brett Hammond 1 (T.J. Caig, Luke Stauffacher), 5:37; UMD - Curry 2 (Marco Peluso, Jay Rosehill), 16:18.					
Saves					
UMD - Josh Johnson (60:00)	5	8	14	-	27
ND - David Brown (60:00)	7	14	7	-	28
Power Play: UMD: 1-8; ND: 1-12					
Penalties: UMD: 14 for 28 minutes; ND: 9 for 18 minutes					
Attendance: 2,555					

Friday, Oct. 15, 2004 – at Oxford, Ohio

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	1	1	0	-	2
#9/#10 Miami	1	1	2	-	4
1st Period					
MIA - Chris Michael 1 (Andy Greene, Marty Guerin), 10:41; ND - Tim Wallace 1 (Chris Trick, Matt Amado), 12:10.					
2nd Period					
MIA - Todd Grant 2 (Matt Christie, Guerin), PPG, 15:15; ND - Josh Sciba 2 (Wes O'Neill, Cory McLean), PPG, 17:09.					
3rd Period					
MIA - Christie 2 (Michael, Greene), PPG, 11:15; MIA - Guerin 4 (Christie, Chris Busby), SHG, ENG, 19:13.					
Saves					
ND - Morgan Cey (59:26)	13	7	14	-	34
MIA - B. Crawford-West (60:00)	8	15	9	-	32
Power Play: ND: 1-9; MIA: 3-8					
Penalties: ND: 16 for 32 minutes; MIA: 18 for 36 minutes					
Attendance: 2,003					

Saturday, Oct. 16, 2004 – at Oxford, Ohio

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	0	0	0	-	0
#9/#10 Miami	1	3	1	-	5
1st Period					
MIA - Matt Christie 3 (Marty Guerin, Todd Grant), PPG, 2:57.					
2nd Period					
MIA - Chris Michael 2 (Nathan Davis, Guerin), PPG, 7:09; MIA - Guerin 2 (Christie), 12:11; MIA - Taylor Husted 2 (Geoff Smith, Mitch Ganzak), 13:41.					
3rd Period					
MIA - Stephen Dennis 1 (Michael), 7:09.					
Saves					
ND - David Brown (60:00)	14	17	7	-	38
MIA - B. Crawford-West (60:00)	9	7	7	-	23
Power Play: ND: 0-9; MIA: 3-8					
Penalties: ND: 9 for 18 minutes; MIA: 10 for 23 minutes					
Attendance: 2,112					

Friday, Oct. 22, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
#1/#1 Boston College	0	0	2	-	2
Notre Dame	0	2	1	-	3
1st Period					
No Scoring					
2nd Period					
ND - Wes O'Neill 1 (Cory McLean), PPG, 5:32; ND - Evan Rankin 1 (Matt Amado, Tim Wallace), 8:05.					
3rd Period					
BC - Brian Boyle 2 (Stephen Gionta, Patrick Eaves), PPG, 12:16; BC - Dave Spina 2 (Ned Havern, John Adams), 12:31. ND - T.J. Jindra 1 (Wes O'Neill), SHG, 19:45.					
Saves					
BC - Matti Kaltiainen (60:00)	4	7	3	-	14
ND - Morgan Cey (65:00)	20	10	20	-	50
Power Play: BC: 1-11; ND: 1-9					
Penalties: BC: 9 for 18 minutes; ND: 11 for 22 minutes					
Attendance: 2,763 (sellout)					

Friday, Oct. 29, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	OT	-	F
#15/#15 No. Michigan	0	1	0	0	-	1
Notre Dame	1	0	0	0	-	1
1st Period						
ND - Noah Babin 1 (Michael Bartlett, Tim Wallace), 16:09.						
2nd Period						
NMU - Mike Santorelli 3 (Dirk Southern, Andrew Contois), 5:59.						
3rd Period						
No Scoring						
Overtime						
No Scoring						
Saves						
NMU - Bill Zaniboni (64:16)	11	10	7	1	-	29
ND - Morgan Cey (65:00)	7	10	8	1	-	26
Power Play: NMU: 0-5; ND: 0-6						
Penalties: NMU: 7 for 14 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes						
Attendance: 1,736						

Saturday, Oct. 30, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
#15/#15 No. Michigan	1	2	1	-	4
Notre Dame	0	1	0	-	1
1st Period					
NMU - Matt Siddal 2 (Geoff Waugh, Tuomas Tarkki), 16:57.					
2nd Period					
NMU - Zach Tarkir 1 (Darin Olver, Andrew Sarauer), PPG, 9:10; ND - Jason Paige 1 (Michael Bartlett, Wes O'Neill), PPG, 12:06; NMU - Mike Santorelli 4 (Andrew Contois, Dirk Southern), 18:11.					
3rd Period					
NMU - Santorelli 5 (Pat Bateman, Dirk Southern), PPG, 8:50.					
Saves					
NMU - Tuomas Tarkki (60:00)	8	11	10	-	29
ND - David Brown (60:00)	13	4	10	-	27
Power Play: NMU: 2-5; ND: 1-5					
Penalties: NMU: 8 for 16 minutes; ND: 8 for 27 minutes					
Attendance: 1,734					

Thursday, Nov. 4, 2004 – at Bowling Green, Ohio

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	0	1	0	-	1
Bowling Green	1	0	2	-	3
1st Period					
BGSU - Derek Whitmore 2 (John Mazzei, Rich Meloche), PPG, 6:50.					
2nd Period					
ND - Mark Van Guilder 1 (Cory McLean), 8:54.					
3rd Period					
BGSU - Dana Hanson 1 (Alex Foster, Michael Hodgson), PPG, 8:10; BGSU - Foster 1 (Mazzei, Ben Geelan), 16:21.					
Saves					
ND - Morgan Cey (58:28)	16	9	9	-	34
BGSU - Jordan Sigalet (60:00)	9	10	11	-	30
Power Play: BGSU: 2-8; ND: 0-6					
Penalties: ND: 9 for 18 minutes; BGSU: 7 for 14 minutes					
Attendance: 3,168					

Friday, Nov. 5, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	OT	-	F
Bowling Green	0	2	2	0	-	4
Notre Dame	2	1	1	0	-	4
1st Period						
ND - Cory McLean 2 (Mike Walsh, Evan Rankin), PPG, 3:07; ND - Wes O'Neill 2 (McLean, M. Walsh), PPG, 9:27.						
2nd Period						
ND - Rankin 2 (M. Walsh, McLean), 4:11; BGSU - James Unger 1 (Jonathan Matsumoto, Micheal Hodgson), PPG, 5:50; BGSU - Ben Geelan 2 (Chris Pedota, Ryan Minnabarriet), 10:45.						
3rd Period						
BGSU - John Mazzei 1 (Alex Foster, Rich Meloche), 8:17; BGSU - Derek Whitmore 2 (Unger, Mazzei), 11:32; ND - O'Neill 3 (Chris Trick), EX, 19:57.						
Saves						
BGSU - Jordan Sigalet (65:00)	6	28	11	5	-	50
ND - Morgan Cey (63:33)	6	3	10	0	-	19
Power Play: BGSU: 1-6; ND: 2-7						
Penalties: BGSU: 7 for 14 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes;						
Attendance: 1,505						

Friday, Nov. 12, 2004 – at Kalamazoo, Mich.

	1	2	3	OT	-	F
Notre Dame	0	0	2	0	-	2
Western Michigan	1	0	1	0	-	2
1st Period						
WMU - Mike Erickson 3 (Brent Walton, Jim McNamara), 4:51.						
2nd Period						
No Scoring.						
3rd Period						
WMU - Erickson 4 (Walton), 1:06. ND - Noah Babin 2 (unassisted), 4:56; ND - Evan Rankin 3 (Dan VeNard), 7:43.						
Saves						
ND - David Brown (65:00)	16	4	5	3	-	28
WMU - Daniel Bellissimo (65:00)	10	9	15	2	-	36
Power Play: ND: 0-5; WMU: 0-5						
Penalties: ND: 6 for 12 minutes; WMU: 5 for 10 minutes.						
Attendance: 3,337						

Saturday, Nov. 13, 2004 – at Kalamazoo, Mich.

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	1	2	0	-	3
Western Michigan	0	2	0	-	2
1st Period					
ND - Cory McLean 3 (Mike Walsh, Evan Rankin), 6:18.					
2nd Period					
ND - Wes O'Neill 4 (T.J. Jindra, Mark Van Guilder), PPG, 5:01; WMU - Brian Bicek 4 (Nathan Ansell, Pat Dwyer), PPG, 15:34; WMU - Bicek 5 (Dwyer, Paul Szczechura), 18:14; ND - Jindra 2 (Brock Sheahan, Jason Paige), 19:26.					
3rd Period					
No Scoring.					
Saves					
ND - Morgan Cey (60:00)	8	13	17	-	38
WMU - Dan Bellissimo (58:39)	11	4	6	-	21
Power Play: ND: 1-1; WMU: 1-5.					
Penalties: ND: 5 for 10 minutes; WMU: 1 for 2 minutes					
Attendance: 3,215					

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Friday, Nov. 19, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.
Exhibition Game

	1	2	3	-	F
U.S. Under-18 Team	1	3	3	-	7
Notre Dame	1	1	0	-	2

1st Period

ND - Josh Sciba (Wes O'Neill), 14:24; USA - Ryan Stoa (Nathan Gerbe), 14:46.

2nd Period

USA - Stoa (Gerbe), SHG, 1:15; USA - Phil Kessel (unassisted), SHG, 8:02; USA - Jack Skille (Peter Mueller, Justin Mercier), 10:11; ND - Tim Wallace (Michael Bartlett, Victor Oreskovich), PPG, 12:18.

3rd Period

USA - Kessel (Jason Lawrence, Mark Mitera), PPG, 6:12; USA - Lawrence (Kessel, Mitera), PPG, 13:47; USA - Jack Johnson (Kyle Lawson, Gerbe), PPG, 14:38.

Saves

USA - Jeff Frazee (60:00) 12 - 4 - 9 - 25

ND - David Brown (28:02) 6 - 2 - x - 8

Morgan Cey (31:58) x - 2 - 12 - 14

Power Play: USA: 3-9; ND: 1-12.

Penalties: USA: 13 for 26 minutes; ND: 10 for 20 minutes.

Attendance: 1,747

Friday, Nov. 26, 2004 – at Fairbanks, Alaska

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	1	2	0	-	3
Alaska Fairbanks	0	1	1	-	2

1st Period

ND - Tim Wallace 2 (Brock Sheahan, Mike Walsh), PPG, 17:40.

2nd Period

ND - Tony Gill 1 (Wallace, Josh Sciba), 13:08; UAF - Darcy Campbell 2 (Kyle Greentree), ND - Jason Paige 2 (Mark Van Guilder, T.J. Jindra), PPG, 19:08.

3rd Period

UAF - Corbin Schmidt 1 (Nathan Fomataro, Wylie Rogers), 18:07.

Saves

ND - David Brown (60:00) 10 - 16 - 9 - 35

UAF - Wylie Rogers (60:00) 7 - 4 - 2 - 13

Power Play: ND: 2-5; UAF: 0-9.

Penalties: ND: 9 for 18 minutes; UAF: 5 for 10 minutes.

Attendance: 3,942

Saturday, Nov. 27, 2004 – at Fairbanks, Alaska

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	0	0	2	-	2
Alaska Fairbanks	1	1	1	-	3

1st Period

UAF - Curtis Fraser 5 (Darcy Campbell), PPG, 7:01.

2nd Period

UAF - Jason Grinevitch 2 (unassisted), 2:05.

3rd Period

ND - Evan Rankin 4 (Tim Wallace, Cory McLean), PPG, 6:23;

UAF - Ryan McLeod 3 (Kelly Czuy, Aaron Lee), 7:49; ND - Josh Sciba 3 (Wes O'Neill, Noah Babin), EX, 19:41.

Saves

ND - Morgan Cey (59:23) 8 - 8 - 6 - 22

UAF - Wylie Rogers (60:00) 7 - 8 - 3 - 18

Power Play: ND: 1-5; UAF: 1-7.

Penalties: ND: 9 for 18 minutes; UAF: 6 for 12 minutes.

Attendance: 3,918

Friday, Dec. 3, 2004 – at Ann Arbor, Mich.

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	1	0	0	-	1
#5 Michigan	2	2	2	-	6

1st Period

UM - T.J. Hensick 7 (unassisted), 5:24; UM - Eric Werner 4 (Andrew Ebbett), 10:18; ND - Michael Bartlett 1 (T.J. Jindra, Mark Van Guilder), PPG, 15:55.

2nd Period

UM - Brandon Kaleniecki 3 (Milan Gajic, Ebbett), 8:47; UM - Chad Kolarik 6 (David Moss, Kaleniecki), 11:19.

3rd Period

UM - Gajic 7 (Jason Ryznar, Moss), 9:10; UM - Brandon Rogers 2 (Kevin Porter), 10:20.

Saves

ND - David Brown (31:11) 4 - 3 - x - 7

Morgan Cey (28:41) x - 5 - 16 - 21

UM - Al Montoya (60:00) 9 - 7 - 5 - 21

Power Play: ND: 1-11; UM: 2-7.

Penalties: ND: 10 for 20 minutes; UM: 14 for 28 minutes.

Attendance: 6,694

Saturday, Dec. 4, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
#5 Michigan	3	2	3	-	8
Notre Dame	0	0	0	-	0

1st Period

UM - T.J. Hensick 8 (Matt Hunwick, Kevin Porter), 1:53; UM - Chad Kolarik 7 (Porter, Brandon Rogers), 4:03; UM - Eric Werner 5 (David Moss, Kolarik), PPG, 19:32.

2nd Period

UM - Porter 4 (Hensick, Kolarik), PPG, 12:38; UM - Jeff Tambellini 7 (Rogers, Eric Nystrom), 13:10.

3rd Period

UM - Porter 5 (unassisted), 4:54; UM - Tambellini 8 (Andrew Ebbett, Riley Olson), PPG, 6:02; UM - Jason Ryznar 3 (Moss, Rogers), PPG, 6:41.

Saves

UM - Al Montoya (60:00) 8 - 4 - 4 - 16

ND - Morgan Cey (20:00) 17 - x - x - 17

David Brown (40:00) x - 11 - 11 - 22

Power Play: UM: 5-9; ND: 0-8.

Penalties: UM: 9 for 18 minutes; ND: 11 for 41 minutes.

Attendance: 2,693

Friday, Dec. 10, 2004 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	OT	-	F
Michigan State	1	1	0	0	-	2
Notre Dame	1	0	1	1	-	3

1st Period

MSU - Colton Fretter 9 (Tyler Howells, Drew Miller), PPG, 11:29;

ND - Mike Walsh 1 (Victor Oreskovich, Cory McLean), 18:57.

2nd Period

MSU - Miller 8 (Fretter, Chris Mueller), 11:26.

3rd Period

ND - Wes O'Neill 5 (McLean, Josh Sciba), PPG, 18:41.

Overtime

ND - Matt Amado 2 (Evan Rankin, Chris Trick), 2:32.

Saves

MSU - Dominic Vicari (62:32) 12 - 9 - 18 - 4 - 43

ND - David Brown (62:21) 10 - 10 - 5 - 0 - 25

Power Play: MSU: 1-5; ND: 1-5.

Penalties: MSU: 6 for 23 minutes; ND: 5 for 10 minutes.

Attendance: 1,720

Saturday, Dec. 11, 2004 – at East Lansing, Mich.

	1	2	3	-	F
Notre Dame	0	1	0	-	1
Michigan State	0	1	3	-	4

1st Period

No Scoring.

2nd Period

ND - Josh Sciba 4 (Wes O'Neill, Michael Bartlett), PPG, 00:42;

MSU - Ash Goldie 7 (Chad Hontvet, A.J. Thelen), 15:14.

3rd Period

MSU - Goldie 8 (Colton Fretter, Kevin Estrada), 12:43; MSU - Tommy Goebel 3 (Jim Slater), 13:22; MSU - Goldie 9 (unassisted), ENG, 19:30.

Saves

ND - David Brown (58:11) 18 - 12 - 6 - 36

MSU - Dominic Vicari (59:54) 4 - 2 - 14 - 20

Power Play: ND: 1-4; MSU: 0-5.

Penalties: ND: 6 for 12 minutes; MSU: 5 for 10 minutes.

Attendance: 5,706

Saturday, Jan. 1, 2005 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Rensselaer	1	0	2	-	3
Notre Dame	0	1	0	-	1

1st Period

RPI - Jonathan Ornelas 2 (Kevin Broad, Matt McNeely), 18:10.

2nd Period

ND - Josh Sciba 5 (Michael Bartlett, Tim Wallace), 2:58.

3rd Period

RPI - Vic Periera 2 (Andrew Lord, Cody Wojdyła), 1:49; RPI - Kirk McDonald 11 (unassisted), ENG, 19:59.

Saves

RPI - Jordan Alford (60:00) 8 - 11 - 11 - 30

ND - Morgan Cey (58:38) 11 - 14 - 8 - 33

Power Play: RPI: 0-7; ND: 0-9.

Penalties: RPI: 10 for 20 minutes; ND: 8 for 16 minutes.

Attendance: 1,780

Sunday, Jan. 2, 2005 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Rensselaer	0	1	0	-	1
Notre Dame	0	1	1	-	2

1st Period

No Scoring.

2nd Period

ND - T.J. Jindra 3 (Matt Amado, Wes O'Neill), 1:49; RPI - Jake Luthi 3 (Brad Farynuk, Kevin Croxton), PPG, 10:20.

3rd Period

ND - Tim Wallace 3 (Josh Sciba, Michael Bartlett), 9:09.

Saves

RPI - Jordan Alford (59:14) 13 - 11 - 8 - 32

ND - Morgan Cey (60:00) 5 - 4 - 7 - 16

Power Play: RPI: 1-5; ND: 0-4.

Penalties: RPI: 5 for 10 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes.

Attendance: 2,692

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Friday, Jan. 7, 2005 – at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

	1	2	3	OT	F
Notre Dame	0	0	1	0	- 1
Lake Superior State	1	0	0	0	- 1

1st Period

LSSU - Bo Cheesman 3 (Steve McJannet, Colin Nicholson), 7:24.

2nd Period

No Scoring.

3rd Period

ND – Noah Babin 3 (Mark Van Guilder, Matt Amado), 5:23.

Overtime

No Scoring.

Saves

ND – Morgan Cey (64:48) 6 - 9 - 7 - 3 - 25

LSSU – Jeff Jakaitis (65:00) 7 - 13 - 11 - 1 - 32

Power Play: ND: 0-3; LSSU: 0-5.

Penalties: ND: 5 for 10 minutes; LSSU: 3 for 9 minutes.

Attendance: 1,820

Saturday, Jan. 8, 2005 – at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

	1	2	3	OT	F
Notre Dame	0	1	0	0	- 1
Lake Superior State	0	0	1	1	- 2

1st Period

No Scoring.

2nd Period

ND – Chris Trick 1 (Cory McLean, Noah Babin), 16:55.

3rd Period

LSSU – Matt Restoule 5 (Kory Scoran, Jon Booras), EX, 19:32.

Overtime

LSSU – Jeff Rainville 5 (Nathan Ward, Derek R. Smith), 00:56.

Saves

ND – Morgan Cey (60:56) 7 - 13 - 9 - 0 - 29

LSSU – Jeff Jakaitis (60:14) 18 - 15 - 8 - 0 - 41

Power Play: ND: 0-5; LSSU: 0-5.

Penalties: ND: 5 for 10 minutes; LSSU: 5 for 10 minutes.

Attendance: 2,172

Friday, Jan. 14, 2005 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	F
Ohio State	1	1	2	- 4
Notre Dame	1	0	0	- 1

1st Period

ND - Wes O'Neill 6 (Cory McLean, Noah Babin), PPG, 15:52; OSU

- Tom Fritsche 4 (Matt Beaudoin, Andrew Schembri), PPG, 19:16.

2nd Period

OSU – Nate Guenin 2 (Rod Pelley, Dan Knapp), 10:22.

3rd Period

OSU – Bryce Anderson 5 (Fritsche, Schembri), PPG, 16:19; OSU

- Beaudoin 9 (Schembri, Kenny Bernard), 18:24.

Saves

OSU – Dave Caruso (60:00) 9 - 2 - 7 - 18

ND – David Brown (59:50) 7 - 10 - 5 - 22

Power Play: OSU: 3-6; ND: 1-6.

Penalties: OSU: 6 for 12 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes.

Attendance: 2,433

Saturday, Jan. 15, 2005 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	F
Ohio State	1	1	1	- 3
Notre Dame	0	0	0	- 1

1st Period

OSU - Rod Pelley 13 (Sean Collins, Domenic Maiani), PPG, 8:28.

2nd Period

OSU – Bryce Anderson 6 (Tom Fritsche, Maiani), 11:29.

3rd Period

ND – Josh Sciba 6 (Jason Paige, Noah Babin), PPG, 11:27; OSU -

Collins 5 (Maiani), ENG, 19:52.

Saves

OSU – Dave Caruso (60:00) 5 - 6 - 6 - 17

ND – Morgan Cey (59:00) 12 - 9 - 6 - 27

Power Play: OSU: 1-6; ND: 1-7.

Penalties: OSU: 7 for 14 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes.

Attendance: 2,339

2004-05 Notre Dame Hockey Stats
Notre Dame Hockey Statistics (as of Jan 17, 2005)
All games

Overall: 5-13-5 Conf: 3-11-4 Home: 3-6-3 Away: 2-7-2 Neut: 0-0-0

## Name	OVERALL										CONFERENCE									
	--SHOTS--				PENALTY			--GOALS--			--SHOTS--				PENALTY			--GOALS--		
GP	G	A	Pts	Sh	+/-	No-Min	PP	SH	GW	GP	G	A	Pts	Sh	+/-	No-Min	PP	SH	GW	
19 Wes O'Neill	23	6	8	14	52	-10	11-22	5	0	0	18	5	4	9	39	-12	8-16	4	0	0
10 Cory McLean	23	3	10	13	46	-5	7-14	2	0	0	18	2	9	11	35	-2	4-8	1	0	0
8 Josh Sciba	23	6	3	9	50	-4	3-6	3	0	0	18	4	2	6	37	-4	2-4	3	0	0
28 Tim Wallace	23	3	6	9	42	-4	9-18	1	0	1	18	2	3	5	34	-5	7-14	1	0	0
6 Noah Babin	23	3	5	8	37	-6	12-24	0	0	0	18	3	4	7	29	-6	10-20	0	0	0
18 Evan Rankin	21	4	3	7	47	-3	11-33	1	0	0	17	3	3	6	37	-1	10-31	1	0	0
26 T.J. Jindra	23	3	3	6	36	-7	3-6	0	1	2	18	1	3	4	24	-7	2-4	0	0	1
16 Matt Amado	19	2	4	6	29	-2	17-34	1	0	1	14	1	2	3	24	-1	14-28	0	0	1
27 Michael Bartlett	23	1	5	6	18	-3	12-32	1	0	0	18	1	3	4	14	-5	9-26	1	0	0
17 Mike Walsh	21	1	5	6	43	-4	10-20	0	0	0	17	1	5	6	29	-3	6-12	0	0	0
23 Mark Van Guilder	23	1	4	5	37	-6	4-8	0	0	0	18	1	4	5	33	-6	3-6	0	0	0
22 Jason Paige	22	2	2	4	43	-12	11-33	2	0	1	17	2	2	4	37	-11	10-31	2	0	1
5 Chris Trick	22	1	3	4	29	0	12-24	0	0	0	17	1	3	4	25	-1	7-14	0	0	0
14 Brock Sheahan	21	0	3	3	20	-5	15-30	0	0	0	16	0	2	2	19	-3	12-24	0	0	0
21 Tony Gill	14	1	0	1	17	-4	3-6	0	0	0	12	1	0	1	15	-3	2-4	0	0	0
20 Victor Oreskovich	23	0	1	1	61	-13	15-41	0	0	0	18	0	1	1	48	-11	10-20	0	0	0
4 Dan VeNard	17	0	1	1	13	-1	3-6	0	0	0	12	0	1	1	9	0	2-4	0	0	0
24 Brian D'Arcy	4	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
13 Andrew Eggert	1	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
7 Luke Lucyk	18	0	0	0	13	-8	3-6	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	11	-8	3-6	0	0	0
15 Brad Wanchulak	1	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	0	0	0	-									
9 Matt Williams-Kovacs	6	0	0	0	4	-2	1-2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0
2 Joe Zurenko	20	0	0	0	17	-11	18-36	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	17	-9	14-28	0	0	0
TM TEAM	1	0	0	0	0	0	3-6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-4	0	0	0
Total.....	23	37	66	103	654	-110	184-409	16	1	5	18	28	51	79	517	-98	137-304	13	0	3
Opponents.....	23	72	123	195	769	+109	179-378	29	1	13	18	60	103	163	592	+99	129-275	25	1	11

## Name	OVERALL										CONFERENCE									
	GP	Minutes	GA	EN	Avg Saves	Pct	W	L	T	GP	Minutes	GA	EN	Avg Saves	Pct	W	L	T		
29 Morgan Cey	15	842:53	33	0	2.35	429	.929	3	7	4	11	599:15	26	0	2.60	292	.918	1	6	3
30 David Brown	10	556:33	35	0	3.77	268	.884	2	6	1	9	496:33	31	0	3.75	240	.886	2	5	1
TM EMPTY NET	1	9:02	0	4	0.00	0	.000	0	0	0	0	7:40	0	3	0.00	0	.000	0	0	0
Total.....	23	1408:28	72	4	3.07	697	.911	5	13	5	18	1103:28	60	3	3.26	532	.903	3	11	4
Opponents.....	23	1408:28	37	0	1.58	617	.943	13	5	5	18	1103:28	28	0	1.52	489	.946	11	3	4

OVERALL

SHOTS ON GOAL	Shots	Avg/G	Pct
Notre Dame	654	28.43	.057
Opponents	769	33.43	.094

POWER PLAYS	Goals	Chances	Pct
Notre Dame	16	153	.105
Opponents	29	157	.185

GOALS BY PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	Total
Notre Dame.....	11	15	10	1	37
Opponents.....	18	23	30	1	72

CONFERENCE

SHOTS ON GOAL	Shots	Avg/G	Pct
Notre Dame	517	28.72	.054
Opponents	592	32.89	.101

POWER PLAYS	Goals	Chances	Pct
Notre Dame	13	108	.120
Opponents	25	114	.219

GOALS BY PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	Total
Notre Dame.....	9	10	8	1	28
Opponents.....	15	21	23	1	60

2004-05 Notre Dame Hockey Stats
Notre Dame Overall Team Statistics (as of Jan. 17, 2005)
All games

Overall: 5-13-5 Conf: 3-11-4 Home: 3-6-3 Away: 2-7-2 Neut: 0-0-0

TEAM STATISTICS	ND	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS.....		
Goals-Shot attempts.....	37-654	72-769
Shot pct.....	.057	.094
Goals/Game.....	1.6	3.1
Shots/Game.....	28.4	33.4
Assists.....	66	123
POWER PLAYS.....		
Goals-Power Plays.....	16-153	29-157
Conversion Percent.....	.105	.185
Shot Attempts.....	160	261
Shot Percent.....	.100	.111
SHORT-HANDED.....		
Goals-Shot attempts.....	1-30	1-22
Shot Percent.....	.033	.045
GOAL BREAKDOWN.....		
Total Goals.....	37	72
Power Play.....	16	29
Short-handed.....	1	1
Empty net.....	0	4
Penalty.....	0	0
Unassisted.....	1	5
Overtime.....	1	1
PENALTIES.....		
Number.....	184	179
Minutes.....	409	378
Penalties/Game.....	8.0	7.8
Pen minutes/Game.....	17.8	16.4
Minor.....	177	174
Major.....	3	4
10-minute Misconduct.....	1	0
Game Misconduct.....	2	0
Gross Misconduct.....	0	0
Match.....	1	1
FACEOFFS (W-L).....		
Faceoff W-L Pct.....	791-814	814-791
	.493	.507
ATTENDANCE.....		
Total.....	25275	38115
Dates/Avg Per Date.....	12/2106	11/3465
Neutral Site #/Avg.....	0/0	

GOALS BY PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	Total
Notre Dame.....	11	15	10	1 -	37
Opponents.....	18	23	30	1 -	72

SAVES BY PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	Total
Notre Dame.....	243	222	221	11 -	697
Opponents.....	195	210	198	14 -	617