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2007-08 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY NOTES

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OCTOBER

12	\$	at Lefty McFadden Invitational	
		vs. #14/#15 Wisconsin	L, 1-4
13	*	vs. Mercyhurst	W, 4-0
18	#5/#5	Denver CL	W, 4-3
19	#5/#5	Denver	L, 1-3
23	*	at Bowling Green CL	W, 4-2
26	*	at Ferris State	7:05 p.m.
27	*	at Ferris State	7:05 p.m.

NOVEMBER

1	*	Lake Superior CL	7:35 p.m.
2	*	Lake Superior CL	7:35 p.m.
9	*	at Miami	7:35 p.m.
10	*	at Miami	7:05 p.m.
16	*	Western Michigan	7:35 p.m.
17	*	at Western Michigan CL	7:35 p.m.
20	*	Bowling Green	7:35 p.m.
23	%	at 57th Rensselaer Holiday Tournament	
		vs. Alabama-Huntsville	4:00 p.m.
24		vs. RPI/A.I.C.	4:00/7:15 p.m.
30	*	Nebraska-Omaha	7:35 p.m.

DECEMBER

1	*	Nebraska-Omaha	7:05 p.m.
7		at Princeton	7:05 p.m.
8		at Princeton	7:05 p.m.
29	#	at Lightning College Hockey Classic	
		vs. Massachusetts	5:05 p.m.
		vs. RPI/Colorado College	5:05/8:05 p.m.

JANUARY

4	*	at Northern Michigan	7:35 p.m.
5	*	at Northern Michigan CL	7:35 p.m.
11	*	at Michigan State FSN	7:35 p.m.
13	*	Michigan State CSTV	4:05 p.m.
18	*	at Michigan CSTV	8:05 p.m.
19	*&	vs. Michigan CL	7:05 p.m.
25	*	Bowling Green CL	7:35 p.m.
26	*	at Bowling Green	7:05 p.m.

FEBRUARY

1		USA Under-18 Team (exh.)	7:35 p.m.
8	*	Ferris State CL	7:35 p.m.
9	*	Ferris State	7:05 p.m.
15	*	at Alaska	7:05 p.m. (AST)
16	*	at Alaska	7:05 p.m. (AST)
22	*	Ohio State CL	7:35 p.m.
23	*	Ohio State	7:05 p.m.
29	*	at Western Michigan CL	7:35 p.m.

MARCH

1	*	Western Michigan	7:05 p.m.
7-9		First Round CCHA Playoffs	TBA
14-16		Second Round CCHA Playoffs	TBA
21	^	at CCHA Semifinals	4:30/8:05 p.m.
22	^	at CCHA Championship	4:30/8:05 p.m.
28-30		at NCAA Regionals (Albany, N.Y./Madison, Wis./Worcester, Mass./Colorado Springs, Colo.)	

APRIL

10-12		at NCAA Frozen Four (at Denver, Colo.)	
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Home Games in bold

Rankings - USA Today/USCHO
 Exhibition Game in bold italic
 \$ Nutter Center (at Dayton, Ohio)
 % Houston Field House (at Troy, N.Y.)
 # St. Pete Times Forum (at Tampa, Fla.)

Irish Get Three-Game Road Swing Off To A Strong Start With 4-2 Win Over Bowling Green On Tuesday Night

- Notre Dame visits Ferris State for weekend series Oct. 26-27.
- Irish and Bulldogs meet for first two-game series in Big Rapids, Mich., since 2002-03 season.
- Three-game week is first for Notre Dame since 2004-05 season.

• **The Series Ahead:** #12/#12 Notre Dame (3-2-0/1-0-0) at Ferris State (1-2-1/0-0-0)
 • **Date/Site/Time:** Friday, October 26 • Ewingleben Ice Arena (2,493) • 7:05 p.m.
 Saturday, October 27 • Ewingleben Ice Arena (2,493) • 7:05 p.m.
 • **Broadcast Information: Radio:** Notre Dame hockey can be heard live on ESPN Radio 1490 South Bend's SportsCenter. **Mike Lockert** will call the action for the Irish.
 • **Internet:** Irish hockey can be heard on the internet at the Notre Dame website - www.und.com. Home Irish hockey games not being televised will be streamed live at www.und.com. All Notre Dame home games and all CCHA games are available via gametracker.

ONE DOWN, TWO TO GO: Notre Dame opened its three-game road week on Tuesday, Oct. 23, traveling to Bowling Green. The Irish rallied from 1-0 and 2-1 deficits in the game to take a 4-2 win at the BGSU Ice Arena. The win was the first of the season for the Irish on the road. Games two and three of the week come on Fri.-Sat., Oct. 26-27 as Notre Dame visits Big Rapids, Mich., for a weekend series with the Ferris State Bulldogs. Both games at Ewingleben Arena start at 7:05 p.m. The Irish will bring a 3-2-0 overall record into the game and are 1-0-0 in the CCHA. Ferris State has opened the year with a 1-2-1 mark after four games and will be playing in its' CCHA opener. Notre Dame and Ferris State have met 56 times in the all-time series with the Bulldogs holding a 34-17-5 edge in the games played. All-time, the Irish are 7-13-2 at Ewingleben Arena. In a scheduling fluke, the Irish have played just three of the last 20 meetings with Ferris State in Big Rapids, dating back to the 1999-00 season. Notre Dame's last win at Ferris State came on Feb. 11, 2006, a 3-2 victory. Last season, the two teams split a pair of games at the Joyce Center with the Bulldogs winning, 5-2, and the Irish taking a 2-0 decision.

THE LAST TIME: The Irish played three games in a week was the 2004-05 season, during the week of Jan. 16-22. Notre Dame traveled to Green Bay, Wis., on Tues., Jan. 18 to play Michigan Tech, then faced Wisconsin on Jan. 21-22 in South Bend and Chicago. Notre Dame dropped all three games, losing to Michigan Tech, 6-2 and then suffered a pair of 2-0 shutouts at the hands of the Badgers.

SPECIAL TEAMS: Notre Dame special teams played a key role in the Irish win at Bowling Green. The Irish were 1-for-8 on the power play and killed off all five Falcon power-play chances in the game. For the year, Notre Dame has scored at least one power-play goal in all five games, scoring on 7-of-32 chances for a 21.9% success rate. Since giving up a power-play goal to Wisconsin with 35 seconds left in the 4-1 loss on Oct. 12, the Irish have killed off 21 consecutive opponent power-play chances. For the season, Notre Dame has stopped the opposition with the man advantage on 23-of-24 occasions for a 95.8% success rate. The Irish even scored a goal short-handed against Bowling Green as **Erik Condra (Jr., Livonia, Mich.)** scored unassisted in the third period on Tuesday night.

SERIES INFORMATION vs. Ferris State

All-time Series: Ferris State leads, 34-17-5
At Notre Dame: FSU leads, 19-10-3
At Big Rapids: FSU leads, 13-7-2
Neutral: FSU leads, 2-0-0
Last 10 meetings: Irish lead 5-4-1

2006-07 Meetings:

Feb. 23 FSU 5, at ND 2
 Feb. 24 at ND 2, FSU 0

VERSUS FERRIS STATE:

Name	GP	G	A	PTS
Mark Van Guilder	6	4	3	7
Erik Condra	4	1	2	3
Ryan Thang	2	1	1	2
Kevin Deeth	2	1	1	2
Garrett Regan	3	0	1	1
Justin White	3	0	1	1
Evan Rankin	4	0	1	1
Luke Lucyk	4	0	0	0
Brock Sheahan	6	0	0	0
Dan VeNard	3	0	0	0
Christian Hanson	3	0	0	0
Christiaan Minella	2	0	0	0
Dan Kissel	2	0	0	0
Kyle Lawson	2	0	0	0
Brett Blatchford	1	0	0	0

Goaltenders	MIN	W-L-T	GA	SVS	SV%	GAVG
Jordan Pearce	0:00	0-0-0	0	0	.000	0.00

HEAD COACH JEFF JACKSON

Full Name

• Jeffery L. Jackson

Birthdate

• June 22, 1955

Hometown

• Roseville, Michigan

Education

- Bachelor's Degree in Communications Michigan State '78
- Bachelor's Degree in Education Michigan State '79



Collegiate Coaching Experience

- Assistant Coach, Lake Superior State (1986-90)
- Head Coach, Lake Superior State (1990-96)
Record: 182-52-25 (.751); two NCAA titles, two CCHA regular-season titles, four CCHA tournament championships
- Head Coach, University of Notre Dame (2005-)
Record: 48-28-7 (.620); one CCHA regular-season title; one CCHA tournament title

International Coaching Experience

- National Coach and Senior Director, U.S. National Team Developmental Program (1996-2000)
- Head Coach, U.S. Junior National Team (1996-97)
- Won silver medal at World Junior Championships
- Assistant Coach, U.S. Olympic Team (1998)

Junior Hockey Experience

- Head Coach, Guelph Storm (2000-03)
Record: 87-67-24 (4)

Professional Experience

- Assistant Coach, New York Islanders (2003-05)

Coaching Honors

- CCHA Coach of the Year (1990-91)
- CCHA Coach of the Year (2006-07)
- Spencer Penrose Award (2006-07)

Jackson's Year-By-Year Collegiate Record

Year	Overall			CCHA		
	W	L	T	W	L	T
1990-91	36	5	4	26	2	4
1991-92	30	9	4	20	8	4
1992-93	32	8	5	20	5	5
1993-94	31	10	4	18	8	4
1994-95	23	12	6	14	9	4
1995-96	30	8	2	22	6	2
2005-06	13	19	4	11	13	4
2006-07	32	7	3	21	4	3
2007-08	3	2	0	1	0	0
Totals	230-80-32	.719		153-55-30	.706	

BOWLING GREEN RECAP: Notre Dame ran its unbeaten streak to nine games (8-0-1) versus Bowling Green over the last three seasons with a 4-2 win on Tuesday night in Ohio. After falling behind 1-0 on a Dan Sexton goal, Notre Dame's **Mark Van Guilder (Sr., Roseville, Minn.)** tied the score at 17:43 of the first with a power-play goal. The Falcons would retake the lead just 1:50 into the second period when Derek Whitmore picked up his third goal of the year. The Irish tied the game at 2-2 just over one minute later at 2:51 when **Garrett Regan (Jr., Hastings, Minn.)** jammed a rebound past Jimmy Spratt. Notre Dame took the lead for good at 18:46 when **Evan Rankin (Sr., Portage, Mich.)** pounced on a rebound for his first goal of the year. **Erik Condra** closed the scoring with a short-handed goal at 4:35 of the third period for the 4-2 final. The Irish out shot Bowling Green, 30-20, in the game. Jordan Pearce (Jr., Anchorage, Alaska) made 18 saves for the Irish, including 10 in the third period. Spratt had 26 stops for the Falcons.

TAKE THE HIGHWAY: Notre Dame opened its road schedule with a 4-2 win at Bowling Green on Oct. 23. Going back to last season, the Irish have now won six straight road games. The last road loss for Notre Dame came on Jan. 19, 2007 at Western Michigan, a 3-2 decision. A year ago, the Irish were 12-4-1 (.735) away from the Joyce Center. The 12 road wins equaled a school record (1979-80 and 1997-98) for road wins. Only the 1983-84 team's 10-3-1 road mark (.750) is better.

CCHA OPENERS: This is Notre Dame's 17th season in the CCHA. The Irish joined the conference in 1981-82, left following the '82-'83 season and then returned in 1992-93. The win over the Falcons in the CCHA opener gives Notre Dame an 8-7-2 all-time mark in conference lid lifters.

TAKING OVER: After serving as David Brown's back up in goal for his first two seasons, junior goaltender **Jordan Pearce** has become Notre Dame's go-to-guy. Pearce has started all five games for the Irish this season and has a 3-2-0 record with a 2.21 goals-against average and a .906 save percentage with one shutout. He is expected to make his sixth consecutive start Friday night versus Ferris State.

THE SPECIALIST: Senior center **Mark Van Guilder** leads the Irish in goals and shots on goal through the first five games. He has scored four times on 19 shots. Three of Van Guilder's goals have come on the power play as he leads the team in that category.

NEW FACES: While **Van Guilder** and **Garrett Regan** (his third of the year) scored versus Bowling Green, a pair of seniors got their first goals of the season against the Falcons. **Evan Rankin** picked up the game winner late in the second period with his first goal of the year and **Erik Condra** got his first on an unassisted, short-handed goal in the third period. The short-handed goal was the second of Condra's career.

EARLY SCORING STRUGGLES: Through the first five games of the season, Notre Dame has scored just two goals in the first period while giving up five. A year ago, one of the keys to the success of the Irish was their first-period scoring

as Notre Dame out scored opponents by a 43-13 margin. The Irish also scored the first goal of the game in 32-of-42 games, going 26-4-2 in those contests. The Irish have excelled in the second period this year, scoring nine goals to one for the opposition.

DENVER RECAP: The Irish are coming off a weekend split with the fifth-ranked University of Denver on Oct. 18-19 at the Joyce Center. In Thursday's game, Notre Dame rallied from a pair of one-goal deficits to hand the fifth-ranked Pioneers a 4-3 loss in front of 2,413 at the Joyce Center. The Irish got goals from **Garrett Regan (Jr., Hastings, Minn.)**, **Kyle Lawson (So., New Hudson, Mich.)**, **Ryan Thang (So., Edina, Minn.)** and **Ben Ryan (Fr., Brighton, Mich.)** in the win. Ryan got the game winner at 7:23 of the third period. Kyle Ostrow, Tyler Bozak and Brock Trotter scored for Denver. The Pioneers out shot Notre Dame by a 20-18 margin. **Jordan Pearce (Jr., Anchorage, Alaska)** made 17 saves for the Irish while Peter Mannino had 14 in the Denver goal. On Friday night, the Pioneers turned the tables, taking a 3-1 victory in front of a standing-room only crowd of 2,763 at the Joyce. Chris Nutini scored the opening goal of the game for Denver when he lashed a slapshot that deflected past Pearce at 15:55 of the first to give the Pioneers the 1-0 lead. Denver out shot the Irish, 11-1, in the opening stanza. The Irish would tie the game with a power-play goal at 10:55 of the second period when Thang converted an **Erik Condra** centering pass for his second goal of the weekend. Denver got the game winner at 12:24 of the third period on a goal by Anthony Maiani and Tom May added an empty-net goal at 19:43 to close the scoring. The Pioneers out shot the Irish by a 28-20 margin in the game. Pearce finished with 25 saves while Mannino had 19 on the night for Denver.

HOME OPENERS: Thursday (10/18) night's win over Denver in the home opener gives Notre Dame a 22-17-1 record in Joyce Center openers. The Irish have won two straight home openers after beating Minnesota State, 6-1, last season.

LONG TIME COMING: Notre Dame's 4-3 win over Denver on Oct. 18 snapped a 10-game (0-9-1) winless streak for the Irish against the Pioneers. The last time they had beaten Denver was Nov. 3, 1978, a 3-2 win at the Joyce Center. Notre Dame and Denver played in the WCHA for 10 years from 1971-81 before the Irish left for the CCHA. Prior to last weekend's series, the two teams had met just three times with Denver going 2-0-1.

TOUGH SCHEDULE: Three of Notre Dame's first four games have come against teams ranked in the top 15 in the nation. The Irish opened the year with a 4-1 loss to #14/#15 Wisconsin (10/12), before splitting a pair with #5/#5 Denver last weekend. The Irish won 4-3 in the series opener before falling 3-1 on Friday night to the Pioneers. The Irish are now 1-2-0 against ranked teams this season. They were 10-2-1 a year ago.

2007-08 Notre Dame Personnel Breakdown

Top Returnees (yr., pos., ... 2006-07 stats)

Evan Rankin (Sr., RW, 31 GP, 4-3-7)	Tenacious forechecker who will look to add to his offensive numbers in '07-'08
Brock Sheahan (Sr., D, 42 GP, 3-5-8)	Hard-nosed defender; finalist for 2007 CCHA top defensive defenseman
Mark Van Guilder (Sr., C/LW, 42 GP, 18-16-34)	Team leader on and off the ice; had career highs in goals (18) and points (34)
Dan VeNard (Sr., D, 17 GP, 0-4-4)	Steady, all-around defender who will be one of the leaders on the Irish blue line
Erik Condra (Jr., RW, 42 GP, 14-24-38)	Team's top scorer for second year in a row; honorable mention all-CCHA
Christian Hanson (Jr., C, 33 GP, 6-2-8)	Top returning face-off man; becoming one of CCHA's top defensive forwards
Luke Lucyk (Jr., D ... DNP)	Returns to the Irish lineup after playing last year in the USHL with Tri-City
Jordan Pearce (Jr., G, 3 GP, 2-1-0, 2.01, .895 sv%, 1 sho)	Top returning goaltender; 6-5-1 in 12 games with a 2.89 goals-against avg.
Garrett Regan (Jr., LW, 42 GP, 14-12-26)	ND's most improved player in '06-'07; had career highs in goals, assists and points
Brett Blatchford (So., D, 30 GP, 2-15-17)	Solid defenseman with excellent offensive skills
Kevin Deeth (So., C, 42 GP, 17-22-39)	Selected to CCHA all-rookie team; was third in scoring with the Irish
Dan Kissel (So., LW, 22 GP, 6-3-9)	Speedy left wing who had six goals in 22 games; two ppg, one shg and three gwg
Kyle Lawson (So., D, 38 GP, 4-15-19)	CCHA all-rookie team member; steady, consistent defender; was +21 on season
Christiaan Minella (So., 21 GP, 1-5-6)	Big, physical forward who opens the ice with his punishing hits
Ryan Thang (So., 42 GP, 20-21-41)	Picked to the CCHA all-rookie team; eighth Irish freshman to score 20 goals

Key Losses (yr., pos., ... 2006-07 stats)

Noah Babin (Gr., D, 42 GP, 2-20-22)	Honorable mention all-CCHA; led Irish defensemen in scoring
Michael Bartlett (Gr., LW, 42 GP, 3-8-11)	Solid two-way player; turned in career-high in assists; had one game winner
David Brown (Gr., G, 39 GP, 30-6-3, 1.58, .931 sv%, 6 sho)	1st-team All-American; Hobey Baker finalist; CCHA most valuable player
T.J. Jindra (Gr., RW, 41 GP, 2-7-9)	Two-year team captain, all-around team leader on and off the ice
Wes O'Neill (Gr., D, 42 GP, 3-18-21)	Two-time ND top defenseman ('05, '06); CCHA and NCAA all-tournament teams
Jason Paige (Gr., C, 42 GP, 11-11-22)	Had career highs in goals, assists and points; three-year alternate captain
Tom Sawatske (Gr., D, 41 GP, 3-5-8)	One of three senior defensemen on a veteran blue line
Josh Sciba (Gr., LW/C, 33 GP, 8-10-18)	Power-play sniper who finished career with 19 ppgs

Top Newcomers (Pos., Class, Ht./Wt. Hometown/Previous Team)

Robin Bergman ... F ... Fr ... 6-0/195	Stockholm, Sweden/Cedar Rapids RoughRiders (USHL)
Ian Cole ... D ... Fr ... 6-1/215	Ann Arbor, MI/U.S. Under-18 Team
Ryan Guentzel ... F ... Fr ... 6-0/176	Woodbury, MN/Sioux Falls Stampede (USHL)
Brad Phillips ... G ... Fr ... 6-2/171	Farmington Hills, MI/U.S. Under-18 Team
Calle Ridderwall ... F ... Fr ... 5-11/172	Stockholm, Sweden/Tri-City Storm (USHL)
Teddy Ruth ... D ... Fr ... 6-0/201	Naperville, IL/U.S. Under-18 Team
Ben Ryan ... F ... Fr ... 5-11/190	Brighton, MI/Des Moines Buccaneers (USHL)

BIG WIN: Notre Dame's win over Denver on Oct. 18 was the first this season for the Irish against a nationally-ranked team as they are now 1-2-0 on the year. A year ago, Notre Dame was 10-2-1 against ranked teams. The Pioneers were the highest-ranked team that Notre Dame has beaten at the Joyce Center since beating fourth-ranked Michigan State, 4-1, on Nov. 17, 2006.

CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT: Notre Dame's most improved player for 2006-07, **Garrett Regan**, continued his strong play early this season when he scored his third goal of the season in the 4-2 win at Bowling Green. Regan also had a big game versus Denver on Oct. 18, scoring a power-play goal in the first period before setting up **Ben Ryan's** game winner in the third period. Last season, Regan had 14 goals and 12 assists for 26 points. This season, he's scored three and added an assist for four points in the first five games.

THE REAL THANG: Sophomore left wing **Ryan Thang** had his three-game point and goal-scoring streak stopped at Bowling Green on Oct. 23. On the young season, Thang has goals versus Mercyhurst (10/13) and one in each game versus Denver (10/18-19). His longest career

goal-scoring streak is a four-game run last season between Jan. 5 and Jan. 13. In his career, Thang now has 23 goals with 12 of them coming on the power play.

CAREER FIRST: Freshman right wing **Ben Ryan** recorded the first goal of his career in the 4-3 win over Denver on Oct. 18. Ryan's goal at 7:23 of the third period proved to be the game winner and the goal came on the power play. Through the first four games of the season, Ryan leads the Irish in scoring with one goal and three assists for four points. Fellow freshman **Ian Cole (Ann Arbor, Mich.)** also collected his first collegiate point in Friday's game when he set up Garrett Regan's first-period, power-play goal.

MORE RYAN: Freshman **Ben Ryan** leads Notre Dame in scoring after the first five games with a goal and five assists for six points. Ryan collected his second multiple-point game of the year on Tuesday at Bowling Green when he assisted on two Irish goals.

BRINGING DOWN THE HOUSE: Notre Dame saw its' streak of eight consecutive sellouts snapped in the home opener on Oct. 18 as 2,413 fans saw the Irish defeat Denver, 4-3. A

new sellout streak started the following night as a standing-room only crowd of 2,763 saw Notre Dame drop a 3-1 decision to the Pioneers. A year ago, the Irish sold out their final eight games of the season and 10 of the last 11. For the year, they had 11 sellouts (2,763) in 17 home dates and averaged 2,478 per game. Through two games this season, Notre Dame is averaging 2,588 fans per game.

IRON MAN: Senior center **Mark Van Guilder** has his sights set on Notre Dame's all-time record for most consecutive games played. The record of 153 straight games was set by **Tim Wallace '06** who played in every game of his career - 153 straight. Van Guilder has now played in every game of his career - 121 consecutive games played through the first four games this year.

FIRST TIMERS: Sophomore right wing **Stewart Carlin (Jeannette, Pa.)** made his first career appearance versus Denver (10/19). Carlin did not play in any games last year and lined up at right wing in his first appearance, getting one penalty for two minutes. Fellow sophomore **Dan Kissel (Crestwood, Ill.)** made his first appearance of the season since being sidelined in the first week of practice with an injury.

A BANNER NIGHT: Notre Dame raised its' CCHA Championship banner at Friday's game (Oct. 18) with Denver. On hand to represent the 40-year history of the program were associate athletics director **Tom Nevala**, the first head coach and assistant coach of the Irish hockey program, **Lefty Smith** and **Tim McNeill**, the 2006-07 team captain, T.J. Jindra, this year's captain, **Mark Van Guilder** and head coach **Jeff Jackson**. Jindra pushed the button to lower the banner which now hangs near the Gate 3 entrance over the end of the ice that Notre Dame defends twice. The banner joins the regular-season banner and the NCAA Tournament banner.

RANKINGS UPDATE: Notre Dame opened the 2007-08 season ranked eighth in the nation by both the *USA Today/American Hockey Magazine* and USCHO.com/CSTV polls. The Irish finished the 2006-07 season ranked fourth in the final *USA Today/American Hockey Magazine* poll that included the NCAA tournament. The Irish finished the year first in the USCHO.com/CSTV polls that ended with the end of the CCHA Tournament. In all, Notre Dame was ranked for 20 consecutive weeks and was ranked No.1 for seven straight weeks from Feb. 5 to March 25. Week-by-week with the Irish this season:

2007-08 Irish National Rankings

Date	USA TODAY	USCHO.com
10/01	8th	8th
10/08	7th	8th
10/15	11th	11th
10/22	12th	12th

CCHA OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Senior center **Mark Van Guilder (Roseville, Minn.)** was the CCHA offensive player of the week for the week ending Oct. 14. Van Guilder scored three goals in Notre Dame's two games at the Lefty McFadden Invitational. In the 4-1 loss to Wisconsin, Van Guilder scored a second-period, power-play goal to tie the game at 1-1. In Saturday's 4-0 victory versus Mercyhurst, Van Guilder scored a pair of goals, including one on the power play and one for the game winner. In the game, he set a career high with 12 shots on goal.

SNIPER SUPREME: Sophomore **Ryan Thang** and his linemates **Erik Condra (Jr., Livonia, Mich.)** and **Kevin Deeth (So., Gig Harbor, Wash.)** continue to put up points. Thang has scored three goals this season while Condra has a goal and three assists and Deeth has chipped in two helpers. As a line the last four games, the trio has four goals, five assists and nine points.

GETTING OFFENSIVE: Senior defenseman **Brock Sheahan (Lethbridge, Alb.)** was a finalist last season for the CCHA's defensive defenseman award. This season, Sheahan is showing his offensive game as he already has three assists in the first five games of the season. For his career, Sheahan now has three goals and 20 assists for 23 points.

CAPTAINS: Senior right wing **Mark Van Guilder** will serve as Notre Dame's captain for the 2007-08 season. Joining Van Guilder as alternate captains in '07-'08, are senior defensemen **Brock**

Sheahan (Lethbridge, Alb.) and **Dan VeNard (Vernon Hills, Ill.)**. They will be joined by junior forward **Erik Condra (Livonia, Mich.)**. This is the first season for all four players to serve as captains at Notre Dame.

NEW KIDS: Six of Notre Dame's freshmen made their Irish debuts at the Lefty McFadden Invitational (Oct. 12-13). Leading the way was right wing **Ben Ryan** who recorded three assists in his first two games. Also playing in both games were forwards **Robin Bergman (Stockholm, Sweden)** and **Calle Ridderwall (Stockholm, Sweden)** along with defensemen **Ian Cole (Ann Arbor, Mich.)** and **Teddy Ruth (Naperville, Ill.)**. Joining those five was right wing **Ryan Guentzel (Woodbury, Minn.)** who played his first game against Mercyhurst in the second game of the weekend. Only goaltender **Brad Phillips (Farmington Hills, Mich.)** has yet to play among the freshman class.

HOME SWEET HOME: Notre Dame was 13-2-2 at home in 2006-07 for an .824 winning percentage. That was the best mark since the 2003-04 season when the Irish were 14-2-2 at the Joyce Center for an .833 winning percentage. Only two other Irish teams have had better home records – 1987-88 team was 18-2-0 (.900) and the 1969-70 team was 12-1-1 (.893).

MR PRESIDENT: Senior defenseman **Dan VeNard** has been named president of Notre Dame's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) for the 2007-08 school year. VeNard served as hockey's representative to the group last season and was selected president by the group in M. The committee represents Notre Dame's student-athletes with the Irish athletic department.

SWEDISH CONNECTION: For the first time in the 40-year history of the Notre Dame hockey program, the Irish will have two natives of Sweden on the roster. Freshmen **Robin Bergman (Stockholm)** and **Calle Ridderwall (Stockholm)** join the roster this season. Both played last year in the USHL; Bergman for Cedar Rapids and Ridderwall for Tri-City. Bergman had 26 goals and 17 assists for 43 points. His 17 power-play goals were second in the league. Ridderwall led Tri-City in scoring with 27 goals and 35 assists for 62 points. He had 14 power-play goals and seven game winners, the most in the league in that category.

DROP THE PUCK: For the third season in a row, the Irish opened the year with the "Drop The Puck Reception" at the Joyce Center. This year's event took place on Oct. 10 with former Detroit Red Wings' great and current team vice-president **Steve Yzerman** serving as guest speaker. This year's reception took place prior to the annual Blue/Gold intrasquad scrimmage. Yzerman joins Chicago Blackhawk TV analyst **Ed Olczyk** and **Scotty Bowman** who were guest speakers in 2006 and 2005 respectively. Bowman, who won nine Stanley Cups in his illustrious coaching career, also was invited by Notre Dame head football coach Charlie Weis to address his team at practice, just four days prior to the upset win at Michigan in 2005.

2007-08 Irish Awards and Honors

Erik Condra - Second Team preseason all-CCHA

Kyle Lawson - First Team preseason all-CCHA
2nd team all-College Hockey News preseason All-American team
3rd team Inside College Hockey.com All-American team

Ryan Thang - Second Team preseason all-CCHA

Mark Van Guilder - CCHA Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 15)

THE KIDS WERE ALRIGHT: Notre Dame placed three players on the CCHA all-rookie team in 2007. Forwards **Kevin Deeth (Gig Harbor, Wash.)** and **Ryan Thang (Edina, Minn.)** were joined by defenseman **Kyle Lawson (New Hudson, Mich.)**. Notre Dame became the third school in CCHA history to have three players on the all-rookie team, joining Michigan (five times) and Michigan State (once). The 1993-94 Michigan team set the record with four freshmen named to that team. Thang became the first Irish freshman to score 20 or more goals in a season since **Dave Poulin '82** had 28 in his rookie year of 1978-79. His 20 goals were the sixth most by a Notre Dame freshman while his 41 points tied for eighth best. Deeth's 17 goals tied him for the eighth-best total and his 39 points tied him for 10th among Irish freshmen.

TOP CLASSES: Notre Dame's incoming freshman class of seven has been ranked among the best for the 2007-08 season. Inside College Hockey.com ranked the group fourth in its' pre-season rankings while *Red Line Report* ranked the group fifth in the nation last spring. Inside College Hockey.com rankings:

1. Wisconsin
2. Boston University
3. New Hampshire
4. **Notre Dame**
5. Michigan
6. Michigan State
7. Miami
8. Boston College
9. Denver
10. Minnesota

Red Line Report rankings had Wisconsin first, followed by Boston University, Michigan, Boston College, **Notre Dame**, Minnesota, Ohio State and North Dakota. Four of Notre Dame's seven freshmen were drafted – **Ian Cole** (first round, St. Louis), **Teddy Ruth** (second round, Washington), **Ben Ryan** (fourth round, Nashville) and **Brad Phillips** (seventh round, Philadelphia).

LEADER OF THE PACK: Notre Dame head coach **Jeff Jackson** begins his third season behind the Irish bench in 2007-08. In his first two years he compiled a 45-26-7 (.622) record, highlighted by last season's 32-7-3 campaign. He was named the CCHA coach-of-the-year and followed that

2007-08 Notre Dame Hockey Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Year
	<i>Hometown/Last Team</i>		
1	Jordan Pearce	G	Jr.
	<i>Anchorage, Alaska/Lincoln Stars (USHL)</i>		
2	Kyle Lawson	D	So.
	<i>New Hudson, Mich./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
3	Brett Blatchford	D	So.
	<i>Temperance, Mich./Texas Tornado (NAHL)</i>		
4	Dan VeNard (A)	D	Sr.
	<i>Vernon Hills, Ill./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>		
5	Teddy Ruth	D	Fr.
	<i>Naperville, Ill./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
9	Ryan Thang	RW	So.
	<i>Edina, Minn./Omaha Lancers (USHL)</i>		
10	Justin White	LW	Jr.
	<i>Traverse City, Mich./Sioux Falls Stampede (USHL)</i>		
11	Erik Condra (A)	RW	Jr.
	<i>Livonia, Mich./Lincoln Stars (USHL)</i>		
12	Stewart Carlin	D	So.
	<i>Jeannette, Pa./Chicago Steel (USHL)</i>		
14	Brock Sheahan (A)	D	Sr.
	<i>Lethbridge, Alb./Crowsnest Pass Timberwolves (AJHL)</i>		
15	Christiaan Minella	RW	So.
	<i>Aurora, Colo./Sioux Falls Stampede (USHL)</i>		
16	Dan Kissel	LW/C	So.
	<i>Crestwood, Ill./Chicago Steel (USHL)</i>		
17	Robin Bergman	LW	Fr.
	<i>Stockholm, Swe./Cedar Rapids RoughRiders (USHL)</i>		
18	Evan Rankin	RW	Sr.
	<i>Portage, Mich./Lincoln Stars (USHL)</i>		
19	Ben Ryan	C	Fr.
	<i>Brighton, Mich./Des Moines Buccaneers (USHL)</i>		
20	Luke Lucyk	D	Jr.
	<i>Fox Point, Wis./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
21	Kevin Deeth	C	So.
	<i>Gig Harbor, Wash./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>		
22	Calle Ridderwall	LW	Fr.
	<i>Stockholm, Swe./Tri-City Storm</i>		
23	Mark Van Guilder (C)	RW	Sr.
	<i>Roseville, Minn./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
24	Brian D'Arcy	RW	Sr.
	<i>Western Springs, Ill./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
25	Christian Hanson	C	Jr.
	<i>Venetia, Pa./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
27	Ryan Guentzel	RW/C	Fr.
	<i>Woodbury, Minn./Sioux Falls Stampede (USHL)</i>		
28	Ian Cole	D	Fr.
	<i>Ann Arbor, Mich./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
30	Brad Phillips	G	Fr.
	<i>Farmington Hills, Mich./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
31	Tom O'Brien	G	So.
	<i>Mokena, Ill./Bridgewater Bandits (EJHL)</i>		
33	Garrett Regan	LW	Jr.
	<i>Hastings, Minn./Waterloo Black Hawks (USHL)</i>		

Coach: Jeff Jackson

Associate Head Coach: Paul Pooley

Assistant Coach: Andy Slaggert

Volunteer Assistant Coach: Mike McNeill

Coordinator of Hockey Ops: Brad Aldrich

Equipment Manager: Dave Gilbert

Athletic Trainer: Kevin Ricks

Junior Manager: Andrew Gathof

IRISH VERSUS TOP 15-RANKED TEAMS: Notre Dame opened the 2007-08 season, playing three of its' first four games against ranked teams. The Irish opened against #14/#15 Wisconsin, dropping a 4-1 decision at Dayton, Ohio. Versus fifth-ranked Denver, the Irish won the opening game (4-3) before dropping the second by a 3-1 score. Last season, the Irish were 10-2-1 against ranked teams, going 4-1 on the road, 5-0-0 at home and 1-1 on neutral ice.

USA Today/American Hockey Magazine

Rank	Team	W-L-T
14	vs. Wisconsin	L, 1-4
5	Denver	W, 4-3
5	Denver	L, 1-3

U.S. College Hockey Online/CSTV

Rank	Team	W-L-T
15	vs. Wisconsin	L, 1-4
5	Denver	W, 4-3
5	Denver	L, 1-3

with the Spencer Penrose Award as the national coach-of-the-year. Jackson enters the '07-'08 season with the best winning percentage among Division I coaches with five or more years. His current overall record stands at 227-78-32 for a .721 winning percentage. His 227 wins rank him 21st on the all-time active list. In six seasons at his previous collegiate stop – Lake Superior State (1990-96) – Jackson's teams were 182-52-25 with two national championships, two CCHA regular-season titles and four CCHA tournament championships. Included in his 227 career wins are 41 postseason victories and a .804 winning percentage (41-10 in postseason). In eight trips to the CCHA postseason, Jackson's teams are 28-4 (.875). Those totals include a 24-2 mark at Lake Superior and a 4-2 record at Notre Dame. In those eight seasons, Jackson has seen his teams advance to the CCHA finals seven times, winning five tournament championships (four at Lake Superior and one at Notre Dame).

IN THE SHOW: Three former Notre Dame players opened the season on National Hockey League rosters. Defensemen **Mark Eaton** and **Brett Lebda '04** opened the season on the blue lines for Pittsburgh and Detroit respectively. Forward **Rob Globke '04** started the year with the Florida Panthers.

NUMERO UNO: The Notre Dame hockey program achieved many firsts during the 2006-07 season and one of those was being ranked number one in the nation for the first time ever. The Irish moved into the top spot in both the *USA Today/American Hockey Magazine* and USCHO.com/CSTV polls on Mon., Feb. 5, 2007 and remained there for seven consecutive weeks through March 25. The Irish finished the year ranked fourth in the *USA Today* poll that covers the entire season and finished number one in the USCHO.com poll that ended with the finish of the regular season. The Irish entered the 2007-08 season ranked eighth in both polls to start the year.

NHL DRAFTEES: The Irish have seven players on the 2007-08 roster who have been selected in the National Hockey League's Entry Draft. Last June, a total of five Notre Dame players were selected. Leading the way was freshman defenseman **Ian Cole (Ann Arbor, Mich.)** who was a first-round selection of the St. Louis Blues who took him with the 18th pick overall. Cole became the first Irish player ever selected in the first round and was selected earlier than any other Notre Dame player (**Rob Globke '04** was the previous highest selection when he was picked 40th overall by Florida in 2002). Cole was followed by fellow freshman defenseman **Teddy Ruth (Naperville, Ill.)** who went in the second round, 46th overall to the Washington Capitals. Sophomore **Ryan Thang (Edina, Minn.)** was selected in the third round, 81st overall by the Nashville Predators. Incoming freshman **Ben Ryan (Brighton, Mich.)** joined Thang when the Predators made him the 114th pick (fourth round). Freshman goaltender **Brad Phillips (Farmington Hills, Mich.)** rounded out the Notre Dame selections in the last draft when the Philadelphia Flyers selected him in the seventh round, 182nd overall. Those five join junior right wing **Erik Condra (Livonia, Mich.)** who was selected in the seventh round, 211th overall by the Ottawa Senators in 2006 and sophomore defenseman **Kyle Lawson (New Hudson, Mich.)** who was selected in the 2005 NHL Draft by the Carolina Hurricanes in the seventh round, 198th overall.

WELCOME BACK: Junior defenseman **Luke Lucyk (Fox Point, Wis.)** returns to the Notre Dame lineup this season after spending the 2006-07 season with the Tri-City Storm of the USHL. Lucyk played in 44 games for the Irish between 2004-06 with one goal and one assist for two points. He returned to Tri-City last season to get more playing time and had nine goals and 13 assists for 22 points in 59 games.

Last Time They Scored

Player	Date	Opponent	GP Since
Bergman	None	-----	4
Blatchford	1/20/07	Western Mich.	20
Carlin	None	-----	1
Cole	None	-----	5
Condra	10/23/07	Bowling Green	--
D'Arcy	None	-----	15
Deeth	3/10/07	Alaska	9
Guentzel	None	-----	2
Hanson	3/16/07	Lake Superior	8
Kissel	2/2/07	Bowling Green	9
Lawson	10/18/07	Denver	2
Minella	11/11/06	Bowling Green	21
Lucyk	2/4/05	Nebraska-Omaha	21
Rankin	10/23/07	Bowling Green	--
Regan	10/23/07	Bowling Green	--
Ridderwall	None	-----	5
Ruth	None	-----	5
Ryan	10/18/07	Denver	2
Sheahan	3/16/07	Lake Superior	8
Thang	10/19/07	Denver	1
Van Guilder	10/23/07	Bowling Green	--
VeNard	3/3/06	Alaska	22
White	2/9/07	Nebraska-Omaha	16

LEADING THE NATION: Defense was the key to Notre Dame's success in 2006-07 as the Irish led the nation in several categories. As a team, Notre Dame surrendered just 1.67 goals as a team and was also tops in the area of goal differential as they scored 1.74 more goals than they game up to rank first in that category. Goal-tender **David Brown '07** led the nation with a 1.58 goals-against average and his 30 wins were also tops. In the area of penalty killing, the Irish also did it best as they allowed just 20 opponent power-play goals on 209 chances for a 90.4% success rate.

WORST TO FIRST: Just two seasons ago (2004-05), Notre Dame was 5-27-6 overall and finished last in the CCHA with a 3-20-5 record. In the CCHA's 35-year history, no team has ever gone from worst-to-first in one season. There have been three teams go from worst to first in a two-season span. They are:

1975-76 Bowling Green – Falcons finished last in 1973-74 in a three team conference and finished first in '75-'76 in a five-team league.

1992-93 Miami – RedHawks were last in 1990-91 with nine points in a nine-team conference. They finished first in 1992-93 with 49 points in a 12-team conference for a 40-point improvement over two seasons.

2006-07 Notre Dame – Irish were last in 2004-05 with 11 points in a 12-team conference. In '06-'07, the Irish took first place with 45 points for a 34-point improvement over two seasons.

JUNIOR EVALUATIONS: Three members of the Notre Dame freshman class participated in the U.S. Junior Evaluation Camp this past August in hopes of making the United States' roster for the 2007 World Junior Championships. Freshmen defensemen **Ian Cole** and **Teddy Ruth** were joined by center **Ben Ryan**. Irish head coach **Jeff**

Jackson served as one of the assistant coaches at the camp.

ALL TIED UP: Notre Dame's 3-2 overtime win versus Alabama-Huntsville in the NCAA Regionals on March 23, 2007 gave the Irish a 3-1-3 record in overtime last year. The three overtime wins were the most-ever for the Irish in a single season. In 59 overtime games since the start of the 1999-2000 season, the Irish are 10-7-42 in overtime. In two seasons under **Jeff Jackson**, Notre Dame is 3-1-7 in extra play.

HOMETOWNS: The 2007-08 Notre Dame hockey team features players from eight states, one Canadian province and Sweden. Over the past 13 seasons, the Irish have had monogram winners from 21 different states and provinces – those listed below, plus: Delaware, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ontario, Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Saskatchewan and British Columbia. This season, freshmen Robin Bergman (Stockholm) and Calle Ridderwall (Stockholm) become the first Notre Dame hockey players from Sweden.

2007-08 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY – BY STATE, COUNTRY OR PROVINCE:

Michigan (8): Evan Rankin, Erik Condra, Justin White, Brett Blatchford, Kyle Lawson, Ian Cole, Brad Phillips, Ben Ryan

Illinois (5): Brian D'Arcy, Dan VeNard, Dan Kissel, Tom O'Brien, Teddy Ruth

Minnesota (4): Mark Van Guilder, Garrett Regan, Ryan Thang, Ryan Guentzel

Sweden (2): Robin Bergman, Calle Ridderwall

Pennsylvania (2): Christian Hanson, Stewart Carlin

Alaska (1): Jordan Pearce

Alberta (1): Brock Sheahan

Colorado (1): Christiaan Minella

Washington (1): Kevin Deeth

Wisconsin (1): Luke Lucyk

TALE OF THE TAPE

	UND	FSU
2006-07 record	32-7-3	14-22-3
2006-07 Conference record	21-4-3/1st	10-16-2/9th
Letterwinners returning	16 of 24	19 of 25
Current overall record	3-2-0	1-2-1
Winning percentage	.600	.375
Conference record	1-0-0	0-0-0
Home record	1-1-0	1-0-1
Road record	1-0-0	0-2-0
One-goal games record	1-0	0-0
Overtime record	0-0-0	0-0-1
Last weekend	1-1-0	1-0-1
Last 5 games (includes '06-'07)	3-2-0	1-3-1
When scoring first ...	1-0-0	1-1-1
When ahead after 1st period	0-0-0	1-1-0
When ahead after 2nd period	3-0-0	1-0-0
Goals per game	2.80	2.25
Shots per game	25.8	32.0
Shooting percentage	.109	.070
Opponent shots per game	23.6	23.5
Shot margin	+2.2	+8.5
PPG percentage	.219	.120
PP chances per game	6.40	6.25
PP goals per game	1.40	0.75
SH goals allowed	0	1
Penalties per game	6.00	8.00
Penalty-killing percentage	.958	.810
Opponent PP chances per game	4.80	5.25
Opponent PPGs per game	0.20	1.00
Shorthanded goals for	1	0
Goals-against average	2.40	2.45
Save percentage	.898	.894
Goal margin/game	+2 (+0.40)	-1 (-0.25)
1st period goals/game	0.40	1.25
1st period goal margin	-3 (2-5)	+3 (5-2)
2nd period goals/game	1.80	0.50
2nd period goal margin	+8 (9-1)	-2 (2-4)
3rd period goals/game	0.60	0.50
3rd period goal margin	-3 (3-6)	-2 (2-4)
Overtime goals	0	0
Overtime goals against	0	0

FAMILY MATTERS: Two members of the Notre Dame hockey team – forwards **Erik Condra** and **Garrett Regan (Hastings, Minn.)** – have family ties to the Irish hockey program. Condra’s uncle is All-American forward **Kirt Bjork ('83)** who played at Notre Dame from 1979-83. He scored 76 goals with 85 assists for 161 career points in 141 career games. He took All-America honors in 1983 when he had 29 goals and 34 assists for 63 points. Regan’s uncle - **Sean Regan** - was a defenseman for the Irish from 1981-83 before finishing his career at the University of Minnesota.

MORE FAMILY MATTERS: Freshman goaltender **Brad Phillips** also has a family connection to Notre Dame. His uncle is former Irish quarterback **Terry Andrysiak** who played at Notre Dame from 1985 to 1988.

PUTTING ON THE FOIL: Notre Dame junior **Christian Hanson (Venetia, Pa.)** is the sixth player to play for the Irish whose father played in the National Hockey League. His father, **Dave Hanson**, played 10 years of professional hockey between 1974-75 and 1983-84, including stints with the Detroit Red Wings and the Minnesota North Stars and the World Hockey Association’s (WHA) Minnesota Fighting Saints and the New England Whalers. Fans might also be familiar with Dave Hanson, as one of the famed Hanson Brothers, made famous in the hockey movie - Slapshot. Hanson currently is the director of the Island Sports Center, home of Robert Morris University’s hockey team, in suburban Pittsburgh.

RIVALRY CLUSTERS: – The CCHA begins its sixth season with the 12 teams grouped in “rivalry pairings.” In the pairings, Notre Dame is paired with Bowling Green. The league’s other pairings include Michigan-Michigan State, Miami-Ohio State, Lake Superior State-Northern Michigan, Ferris State-Western Michigan and Alaska Fairbanks-Nebraska-Omaha. Each season the teams are divided into three, four-team clusters and play a 28-game conference schedule. Cluster teams will face each other four times during the season with two games against each of the remaining eight teams. In 2007-08, Notre Dame will play Bowling Green, Ferris State and Western Michigan four times with two games at home and two away. The Irish will also play home-and-home series with Michigan and Michigan State. Notre Dame hosts two-game home series with Lake Superior, Nebraska-Omaha and Ohio State while playing two-game road series at Alaska, Miami and Northern Michigan. Last year, the Irish were 10-1-1 against Bowling Green, Alaska and Nebraska-Omaha, the three teams in their cluster.

THE IRISH AND THE U.S. NATIONAL TEAM DEVELOPMENTAL PROGRAM: Notre Dame’s current roster includes five 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 19 NTDP alums grace their roster. The current contingent includes junior

goaltender **Jordan Pearce**, sophomore defenseman **Kyle Lawson (New Hudson, Mich.)** and freshmen defensemen Ian Cole and Teddy Ruth plus goaltender Brad Phillips. Other NTDP alums who played at Notre Dame 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), **Derek Smith** (2000-01) and **Tim Wallace** (2002-06), **Noah Babin** (2003-07), **Michael Bartlett** (2003-07), **Tom Sawatske** (2005-07) and **Josh Sciba** (2003-07).

NOTRE DAME'S RECORD WHEN...
2007-08 Results

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

NOTRE DAME GOALTENDING GAME-BY-GAME

#1 Jordan Pearce Jr. 6-1, 207 Anchorage, Alaska/Lincoln Stars (USHL)

2007-08 Statistics

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/12	vs. Wisconsin	1/1	60:00	4	4.00	21	.840	0	1	0	1	0
10/13	vs. Mercyhurst	1/1	60:00	0	2.00	25	.920	1	0	0	0	0
10/18	Denver	1/1	60:00	3	2.33	17	.900	1	0	0	0	0
10/19	Denver	1/1	58:58	2	2.26	25	.891	0	1	0	0	0
10/23	at Bowling Green	1/1	59:17	2	2.21	18	.906	1	0	0	0	0
Totals		5/5	298:15	11	2.21	106	.906	3	2	0	1	0

#30 Brad Phillips Fr. 6-2, 171 Farmington Hills, Mich./USA Under-18 Team

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
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#31 Tom O'Brien So 5-11, 187 Mokena, Ill./Bridgewater Bandits (EJHL)

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
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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
vs. WIS	1-7	2-3
vs. Mercy	2-8	5-5
DU	2-4	5-5
DU	1-5	6-6
at BGSU	1-8	5-5
Home	3-9 (33.3%)	11-11 (100.0%)
Away	1-8 (12.5%)	5-5 (100.0%)
Neutral	3-15 (20.0%)	7-8 (87.5%)
Totals	7-32 (21.9%)	23-24 (95.8%)

Team Season Highs/Lows (2007-08)

Most goals in a game	4 at Bowling Green (10/23/07)
.....	4 vs. Denver (10/18/07)
.....	4 vs. Mercyhurst (10/13/07)
Fewest goals in a game	1 vs. Denver (10/19/07)
.....	1 vs. Wisconsin (10/12/07)
Most assists in a game	6 vs. Bowling Green (10/23/07)
.....	6 vs. Denver (10/19/07)
.....	6 vs. Mercyhurst (10/13/07)
Fewest assists in a game	2 vs. Denver (0/19/07)
.....	2 vs. Wisconsin (10/12/07)
Most goals against	4 by Wisconsin (10/12/07)
Fewest goals against	0 vs. Mercyhurst (10/13/07)
Most assists against	8 by Wisconsin (10/12/07)
Fewest assists against	0 vs. Mercyhurst (10/13/07)
Most goals in a period	3 vs. Mercyhurst, 2nd period (10/13/07)
Most goals against in a period	3 by Wisconsin, third period (10/12/07)
Most shots for in a game	37 vs. Mercyhurst (10/12/07)
Most shots against in a game	28 by Denver (10/19/07)
Most shots in a period	18 vs. Bowling Green, (10/23/07)
Most shots against in a period	13 by Wisconsin, 1st period (10/12/07)
Fewest shots for in a game	18 vs. Denver (10/18/07)
Fewest shots against in a game	20 by Bowling Green (10/23/07)
.....	20 by Denver (10/18/07)
Fewest shots in a period	1 vs. Denver, 1st period (10/19/07)
Fewest shots against in a period	3 by Bowling Green (10/23/07)
.....	3 by Denver, second period (10/18/07)
.....	3 by Mercyhurst, 3rd period (10/13/07)
Most PIM in a game	8 for 16 minutes vs. Denver (10/19/07)
Fewest PIM in a game.....	3 for 6 minutes vs. Wisconsin (10/12/07)
Most opponent penalties in a game	9 for 29 by Bowling Green (10/23/07)
Fewest opponent penalties in a game	6 for 12 minutes by Denver (10/18/07)
Most power-play chances	8 vs. Bowling Green (10/23/07, 1-8)
.....	8 vs. Mercyhurst (10/13/07, 2-8)
Most power play goals.....	2 vs. Denver (10/18/07, 2-4)
.....	2 vs. Mercyhurst (10/13/07, 2-8)
Most opponent power-play chances.....	6 by Denver (10/19/07, 0-6)
Most opponent power-play goals.....	1 by Wisconsin (10/12/07, 1-3)

NOTRE DAME SCORING STREAKS:

Point Streaks

<i>Player</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>G-A-PTS</i>
Erik Condra	4	10/13-	1-3-4
Ryan Thang	3	10/13 -	3-0-3
Ben Ryan	3	10/12 -10/18	1-3-4
Brett Blatchford	3	10/12-10/18	0-3-3

Assist Streaks

<i>Player</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>Assists</i>
Erik Condra	3	10/13-	0-3-3
Brett Blatchford	3	10/12-10/18	0-3-3

Goal Streaks

<i>Player</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>Goals</i>
Ryan Thang	3	10/13-	3-0-3

Bold - Current Streaks

Career Multi-Point Games

	Career	Last Year
Erik Condra	18	10
Mark Van Guilder	15	8
Kevin Deeth	9	9
Ryan Thang	9	9
Garrett Regan	6	4
Justin White	4	3
Ben Ryan	2	--
Brett Blatchford	2	2
Kyle Lawson	2	2
Christian Hanson	1	1
Dan Kissel	1	1
Christiaan Minella	1	1
Evan Rankin	1	0
Brock Sheahan	1	0

Career Multi-Goal Games

	Career	Last Season
Mark Van Guilder	5	3
Garrett Regan	4	4
Ryan Thang	4	4
Kevin Deeth	3	3
Erik Condra	2	1
Dan Kissel	1	1

2007-08 Multi-Point Games

Player	Stats	Opponent	Date
Ben Ryan	0-2-2	Bowling Green	10/23/07
Justin White	0-2-2	Bowling Green	10/23/07
Garrett Regan	1-1-2	Denver	10/18/07
Mark Van Guilder	2-0-2	Mercyhurst	10/13/07
Ben Ryan	0-2-2	Mercyhurst	10/13/07

THE LAST TIME:

Notre Dame won in overtime March 23, 2007 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (3-2, 2 ot - NCAAs)
 Notre Dame CCHA overtime win February 17, 2007 at Alaska (3-2)
 Notre Dame lost in overtime October 14, 2006 at Minnesota State (3-2, ot)
 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 March 12, 2005 at Michigan (10-1)
 Notre Dame had a home shutout February 24, 2007 vs. Ferris State (David Brown, 15 saves)
 November 11, 2006 vs. Bowling Green (David Brown, 28 saves)
 Notre Dame had a road shutout Oct. 28, 2006 vs. Air Force (David Brown, 28 saves)
Notre Dame had a neutral site shutout Oct. 13, 2007 vs. Mercyhurst (Jordan Pearce, 25 saves)
 Notre Dame had a shutout in a CCHA game February 24, 2007 vs. Ferris State (David Brown, 15 saves)
 Notre Dame was shut out in a CCHA game Nov. 18, 2006 at Michigan State (Jeff Lerg, 25 saves)
 Notre Dame was shut out at home March 4, 2006 vs. Alaska (Wylie Rogers, 39 saves)
 Notre Dame was shut out on road Nov. 18, 2006 at Michigan State (Jeff Lerg, 25 saves)
Notre Dame had 35 or more shots in a game October 13, 2007 vs. Mercyhurst (37 shots)
 Notre Dame had 40 or more shots in a game January 13, 2007 at Lake Superior (40 shots)
 Notre Dame had 50 or more shots in a game March 23, 2007 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (53 shots)
 Notre Dame surrendered 35 or more shots in a game February 17, 2007 at Alaska (35 shots)
 Notre Dame surrendered 40 or more shots in a game February 4, 2006 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 November 10, 2005 vs. Bowling Green (9-4 win)
 Notre Dame had three PP goals in a game December 10, 2006 vs. Michigan (4-3 win)
 Notre Dame surrendered five PP goals December 4, 2004 vs. Michigan (8-0)
 Notre Dame surrendered four PP goals March 11, 2005 at Michigan (10-1 loss)
 Notre Dame surrendered three PP goals December 17, 2005 vs. Lake Superior (4-0 loss)
 Notre Dame player scored a hat trick January 5, 2007 - Kevin Deeth (vs. Robert Morris)
 October 21, 2006 - Dan Kissel (vs. Providence College)
 October 20, 2006 - Mark Van Guilder (vs. Boston College)
 Notre Dame player scored four goals October 19, 1995 - Brian Urick (at Alaska-Fairbanks)
 Notre Dame player scored five goals December 29, 1971 - Ian Williams (at Dartmouth)

Notre Dame player had three assists December 8, 2006 - Erik Condra (at Michigan - 1g, 3a)
 December 8, 2006 - Brett Blatchford (at Michigan - 0g, 3a)
 Notre Dame player had four assists March 9, 2007 - Erik Condra (Alaska - 0g, 4a)
 January 5, 2007 - Erik Condra (at Robert Morris - 1g, 4a)
 Notre Dame player had five assists October 21, 1994 - Jamie Ling (vs. Waterloo - 2g, 5a)

Notre Dame player had three points March 9, 2007 - Garrett Regan (Alaska - 2g, 1a)
 March 9, 2007 - Justin White (Alaska - 0g, 3a)
 Notre Dame player had four points March 9, 2007 - Erik Condra (Alaska - 0g, 4a)
 December 8, 2006 - Erik Condra (at Michigan, 1g, 3a)
 Notre Dame player had five points January 5, 2007 - Erik Condra (at Robert Morris - 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 Oct. 12, 2006 - David Brown (vs. Minnesota State, 6-1 win, 36 saves)
 Notre Dame goalie made 40+ saves March 12, 2005 - Morgan Cey (vs. Michigan, 1-0 ot loss, 43 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 January 20, 2006 - Darin Olver (Northern Michigan)
 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 October 12, 2007 - Davis Drewiske (Wisconsin, 0g, 3a)
 Opposing player had four assists January 18, 2005 - Colin Murphy (Michigan Tech - 0g, 4a)
 Opposing player had five assists January 20, 1996 - Kevin Hilton (Michigan - 0g, 5a)

Opposing player had three points February 23, 2007 - Mark Bomersback (Ferris State, 2g, 1a)
 February 23, 2007 - Brendan Connolly (Ferris State, 1g, 2a)
 February 23, 2007 - Cody Chupp (Michigan, 0g, 3a)
 Opposing player had four points January 20, 2006 - Darin Olver (Northern Michigan - 3g, 1a)
 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 March 17, 2007- Billy Sauer (Michigan, 35 saves, 2-1 win)
 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. 27, 2006 - Kevin Deeth (stopped by Army, ND wins, 3-0)
 Oct. 12, 2001 - Rob Globke (scored vs. Union College, ND loses, 7-4)
 Opp. had a penalty shot Feb. 28, 2003 - Vince Bellisimo - WMU (stopped by Morgan Cey, ND loses, 4-2)

Notre Dame swept a two-game series March 9-10, 2007 (vs. Alaska, 7-1, 3-1)
 Notre Dame swept a CCHA series February 17, 2007 (at Alaska, 1-0, 3-2 ot)
 Notre Dame swept a road two-game series February 16-17, 2007 (at Alaska, 1-0, 3-2 ot)
 February 2-3, 2007 (at Bowling Green, 3-2, 2-1)
 Notre Dame swept a CCHA road two-game series February 16-17 (at Alaska, 1-0, 3-2 in ot)
 February 2-3, 2007 (at Bowling Green, 3-2, 2-1)

IRISH CAREER STATS

Player	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN/MIN
Erik Condra	83	21	65	86	26/52
Mark Van Guilder	121	33	39	72	26/52
Ryan Thang	47	23	21	44	14/28
Kevin Deeth	47	17	24	41	15/30
Garrett Regan	77	20	17	37	24/48
Evan Rankin	101	13	10	23	33/77
Brock Sheahan	119	3	20	23	79/161
Kyle Lawson	43	5	16	21	7/14
Brett Blatchford	34	2	18	20	8/16
Justin White	43	2	15	17	10/20
Christian Hanson	61	7	4	11	21/42
Dan Kissel	24	6	3	9	8/16
Dan VeNard	76	2	6	8	26/52
Ben Ryan	5	1	5	6	2/4
Christiaan Minella	22	1	5	6	9/18
Luke Lucyk	45	1	1	2	11/22
Robin Bergman	4	0	1	1	0/0
Ian Cole	5	0	1	1	4/8
Jordan Pearce	17	0	0	0	1/2
Brian D'Arcy	15	0	0	0	3/6
Calle Ridderwall	5	0	0	0	0/0
Teddy Ruth	5	0	0	0	0/0
Ryan Guentzel	2	0	0	0	0/0
Stewart Carlin	1	0	0	0	1/2

Goaltender	GP	W-L-T	GAvg.	Sv%
Jordan Pearce	17	9-7-0	2.67	.892

Events in bold occurred in 2007-08 season

NATIONAL POLLS:

USA TODAY/Amer. Hockey Mag. (October 22)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. North Dakota (24)	2-0-1	499	1
2. Miami (OH) (9)	4-0-0	482	2
3. Michigan	3-1-0	378	6
4. Colorado College	2-0-0	376	10
5. Boston College	1-1-2	353	4
6. New Hampshire (1)	1-0-0	350	8
7. Denver	3-1-0	303	5
8. Clarkson	3-1-0	295	8
9. Michigan State	2-1-0	254	9
10. Minnesota	2-2-0	189	3
11. Wisconsin	3-1-0	182	t13
12. Notre Dame	2-2-0	151	11
13. Maine	2-2-0	53	NR
14. Ohio State	2-2-0	47	12
15. Michigan Tech	3-1-0	37	

NR Receiving votes: Minnesota-Duluth, 33; St. Lawrence, 27; Massachusetts, 20; Alaska-Anchorage, 16; Cornell, 16; Air Force, 9; Boston University, 3; Merrimack, 2; Niagara, 2; Nebraska-Omaha, 2; Union, 1.

USCHO.com /CSTV (October 22)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. North Dakota (42)	2-0-1	991	1
2. Miami (OH) (7)	4-0-0	950	2
3. Michigan	3-1-0	794	6
4. Colorado College	2-0-0	777	10
5. Boston College	1-1-2	747	4
6. Denver	3-1-0	723	5
7. New Hampshire (1)	1-0-0	700	8
8. Michigan State	2-1-0	653	9
9. Clarkson	3-1-0	645	7
10. Minnesota	2-2-0	577	3
11. Wisconsin	3-1-0	515	13
12. Notre Dame	2-2-0	470	11
13. Maine	2-2-0	293	17
14. Michigan Tech	3-1-0	242	NR
15. St. Lawrence	2-2-0	197	15
16. Massachusetts	2-2-0	194	20
17. Minnesota-Duluth	3-0-1	190	NR
18. Cornell	0-0-0	165	19
19. Ohio State	2-2-0	156	12
20. Alaska-Anchorage	3-0-1	106	NR

Receiving Votes: Air Force, 86; Nebraska-Omaha, 59; Boston University, 47; St. Cloud State, 44; Quinnipiac, 33; Vermont, 33; Union, 24; Western Michigan, 24; Dartmouth, 21; Rensselaer, 13; Merrimack, 9; Harvard, 7; Niagara, 6; Colgate, 4; Northeastern, 3; Holy Cross, 2.

Inside College Hockey.com (Oct. 21)

School	Record	Last Week
1. North Dakota	2-0-1	1
2. Miami	4-0-0	3
3. New Hampshire	1-0-0	7
4. Michigan State	2-1-0	4
5. Denver	3-1-0	10
6. Colorado College	2-0-0	11
7. Clarkson	3-1-0	5
8. Boston College	1-1-2	2
9. Wisconsin	3-1-0	15
10. Michigan	3-1-0	12
11. Notre Dame	2-2-0	6
12. Minnesota	2-2-0	8
13. Massachusetts	2-1-1	17
14. Minnesota-Duluth	3-0-1	NR
15. Cornell	0-0-0	16
16. Maine	2-2-0	14
17. Michigan Tech	3-1-0	NR
18. St. Lawrence	2-2-0	ARV
19. Air force	2-0-0	NR
20. Alaska-Anchorage	3-0-1	NR

Bubble-licious: Ohio State, Rensselaer, Northeastern.

2007-08 CENTRAL COLLEGIATE HOCKEY ASSOC. STANDINGS

TEAM	CCHA					OVERALL							
	GP	W	L	T	PTS	GF	GA	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA
1. Miami	2	2	0	0	4	10	2	4	4	0	0	16	4
Michigan	2	2	0	0	4	7	4	4	3	1	0	14	11
3. Notre Dame	1	1	0	0	2	4	2	5	3	2	0	14	12
4. Michigan State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	8	10
Nebraska-Omaha	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	5	1
Western Michigan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	8	3
Alaska	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	6	9
Lake Superior	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	5	6
Ferris State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	1	9	10
10. Bowling Green	1	0	1	0	0	2	4	3	1	2	0	7	9
Ohio State	2	0	2	0	0	2	10	5	2	3	0	10	17
Northern Michigan	2	0	2	0	0	4	7	4	1	3	0	7	13

THIS WEEK IN THE CCHA

Tuesday, Oct. 23
Notre Dame 4, at Bowling Green 2

Thursday, Oct. 25
at Minnesota 3, Ohio State 1

Friday, Oct. 26
Notre Dame at Ferris State, 7:05 p.m.
Northern Michigan at Michigan State, 7:05 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at Miami, 7:35 p.m.
Clarkson at Lake Superior, 7:05 p.m.
Ohio State at Minnesota, 7:05 p.m. (CDT)
Western Michigan at Niagara, 7:05 p.m.
Boston University at Michigan, 8:05 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 27
Notre Dame at Ferris State, 7:05 p.m.
Northern Michigan at Michigan State, 7:05 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at Miami, 7:05 p.m.
Boston University at Michigan, 8:35 p.m.
Clarkson at Lake Superior, 7:05 p.m.
Western Michigan at Niagara, 7:05 p.m.

LAST WEEK IN THE CCHA

Thursday, Oct. 18
at Notre Dame 4, Denver 3
at Niagara 2, Bowling Green 0

Friday, Oct. 19
Denver 3, at Notre Dame 1
Miami 5, at Ohio State 1
at Alaska-Anchorage 4, Alaska 3
Bowling Green 5, at RIT 3
at Ferris State 6, Wayne State 2
at Michigan State 6, Colgate 3
Nebraska-Omaha 8, vs. Manitoba 1
at Western Michigan 5, Bentley 2
Michigan 3, at No. Michigan 1

Saturday, Oct. 20
at Alaska-Anchorage 5, Alaska 3
Wayne State 2, at Ferris State 2 (ot)
at Michigan State 2, Colgate 1
Nebraska-Omaha 5, Alabama-Huntsville 1
at Western Michigan 3, Bentley 1
Michigan 4, at No. Michigan 3
Western Ontario 3, at Lake Superior 3 (ot) (Exh.)

Sunday, Oct. 21
at Miami 5, Ohio State 1

2007-08 Notre Dame Television Schedule

The Notre Dame hockey team is scheduled to appear on television 14 times during the 2007-08 season. The Irish will appear 11 times on Comcast Local, twice on CSTV and once on Fox Sports Net - Detroit. Hockey fans should check their local cable and satellite systems for the location of the various networks. The entire television schedule for the Irish:

Thursday, October 18	Denver	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Tuesday, October 23	at Bowling Green	Comcast Local	7:05 p.m.
Thursday, November 1	Lake Superior	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, November 2	Lake Superior	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Saturday, November 17	at Western Michigan	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Saturday, January 5	at Northern Michigan	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, January 11	at Michigan State	FSN-Detroit	7:35 p.m.
Sunday, January 13	Michigan State	CSTV	4:05 p.m.
Friday, January 18	at Michigan	CSTV	8:05 p.m.
Saturday, January 19	vs. Michigan	Comcast Local	7:05 p.m.
		(at Auburn Hills, Mich.)	
Friday, January 25	Bowling Green	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, February 8	Ferris State	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, February 22	Ohio State	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.
Friday, February 29	at Western Michigan	Comcast Local	7:35 p.m.



Notre Dame Player Notes

1 Jordan Pearce, Jr., Goaltender

- Won third game of the season at Bowling Green (10/23), making 18 saves.
- Made fourth consecutive start in 3-1 loss to Denver (10/19). Made 25 saves to follow 17-save game in 4-3 win over Pioneers on Oct. 18.
- Recorded third career shutout, making 25 saves in a 4-0 win over Mercyhurst (10/13); shutout was his third in 11 career starts.
- Made first start of the season versus Wisconsin (10/12), giving up four goals on 25 shots in 4-1 loss.

2 Kyle Lawson, So., D

- Scored first goal of the season in 4-3 win over Denver (10/18). Added first assist in 3-1 loss on (10/19).
- Third team preseason all-American selection by Inside College Hockey.com.
- First team preseason all-CCHA selection by the league's coaches.
- Selected second team preseason all-American by College Hockey News.com.

3 Brett Blatchford, So., D

- Recorded assists on Mark Van Guilder power-play goals in loss to Wisconsin (10/12) and win over Mercyhurst (10/13).

4 Dan VeNard, Sr., D

- Will serve as one of team's alternate captains in 2007-08.
- Serves as president of Notre Dame's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC).

5 Teddy Ruth, Fr., D

9 Ryan Thang, So., LW

- Had three-game point and goal streak stopped at Bowling Green (10/23).
- Ran point and goal-scoring streak to three games (3g, 0a) with goals in each game of Denver series. Second goal of season gave Irish a 3-2 lead in 4-3 win on Oct. 18. Scored on the power play in 3-1 loss to Pioneers (10/19).
- Scored first goal of the season on the power play in 4-0 win versus Mercyhurst.
- Second team preseason all-CCHA selection by the league's coaches.

10 Justin White, Jr., C

- Recorded two assists in the 4-2 win over Bowling Green (10/23); fourth multi-point game of his career.

11 Erik Condra, Jr., RW

- Scored unassisted, short-handed goal in 4-2 win over Bowling Green; goal was second short-handed tally of his career.
- Assisted on goals by Ryan Thang in both games of Denver series (10/18-19)
- Serves as alternate team captain on 2007-08 team.
- Second team preseason all-CCHA selection by league's coaches.

12 Stewart Carlin, So., RW/D

- Played in first collegiate game on Oct. 19 versus Denver. Picked up one penalty for two minutes.

14 Brock Sheahan, Sr., D

- Serves as alternate captain for 2007-08 Notre Dame hockey team.

15 Christiaan Minella, So., RW

16 Dan Kissel, So., LW

- Saw first action of the season in 3-1 loss to Denver (10/19) after sitting out first three games of season with an injury.

17 Robin Bergman, Fr., LW

- Picked up first collegiate point with an assist on Evan Rankin's game-winning goal at Bowling Green.
- Joins teammate Calle Ridderwall as first two Swedish players to play at Notre Dame.

18 Evan Rankin, Sr., RW

- First goal of the season was the game winner in 4-2 win at Bowling Green (10/23).

19 Ben Ryan, Fr., RW

- Picked up a pair of assists in 4-2 win at Bowling Green (10/23) for second multiple-point game of career.
- Scored first career goal in 4-3 win over Denver (10/18). Goal came on the power play and was the game winner.
- Had first multiple-point game of his career with two assists in 4-0 win over Mercyhurst (10/13).
- Recorded first collegiate point with an assist on Mark Van Guilder power-play goal in 4-1 loss to Wisconsin (10/12).

20 Luke Lucyk, Jr., D

- Saw first action of the year and first since returning to the Irish in the 4-2 win at Bowling Green.

21 Kevin Deeth, So., C

22 Calle Ridderwall, Fr., LW

- Joins fellow freshman Robin Bergman as the first two Swedish players to play at Notre Dame.

23 Mark Van Guilder, Sr., C

- Scored fourth goal of the season (3rd on power play) in 4-2 win at Bowling Green (10/23)
- Named CCHA offensive player of the week for week ending Oct. 14 after scoring three goals in the Lefty McFadden Invitational.
- Scored a pair of goals (one ppg, one game winner) in 4-0 win over Mercyhurst (10/13).
- Opened the 2007-08 season with a power-play goal in 4-1 loss to Wisconsin (10/12).
- Selected team captain of the 2007-08 Notre Dame hockey team.

24 Brian D'Arcy, Sr., D

25 Christian Hanson, Jr., C

27 Ryan Guentzel, Fr., RW

28 Ian Cole, Fr., D

- Recorded first collegiate point, picking up first assist on Garrett Regan power-play goal in 4-3 win over Denver (10/19).

30 Brad Phillips, Fr., Goaltender

31 Tom O'Brien, So., Goaltender

33 Garrett Regan, Jr., LW

- Recorded third goal of the season in 4-2 win at Bowling Green (10/23).
- Had a goal and an assist in 4-3 win over Denver (10/18). Goal came on the power play and was first of the game. Set-up Ben Ryan's game winner in the third.
- Scored first goal of the season in 4-0 win over Mercyhurst (10/13).

2007-08 Notre Dame Hockey Box Scores

Friday, Oct. 12, 2007 – at Dayton, Ohio**Lefty McFadden Invitational**

	1	2	3	-	F
#14/#15 Wisconsin	1	0	3	-	4
#7/#8 Notre Dame	0	1	0	-	1

1st Period

UW - Josh Engel 1 (Matt Ford, Davis Drewiske), 15:05.

2nd Period

ND - Mark Van Guilder 1 (Ben Ryan, Brett Blatchford), PPG, 2:20.

3rd Period

UW - Aaron Bendickson 1 (Drewiske, Cody Goloubeff), 10:32; UW - Tom Gorowsky 1 (Drewiske, John Mitchell), 13:31; UW - Kyle Turriss 1 (Michael Davies, Ben Street), PPG, 19:35.

Saves

UW - Shane Connelly (60:00) 3 - 11 - 9 - 23

ND - Jordan Pearce (60:00) 12 - 4 - 5 - 21

Power Play: UW: 1-3; ND: 1-7.**Penalties:** UW: 7 for 14 minutes; ND: 3 for 6 minutes**Attendance:** 2,100**Saturday, Oct. 13, 2007 – at Dayton, Ohio****Lefty McFadden Invitational - 3rd-Place Game**

	1	2	3	-	F
Mercyhurst	0	0	0	-	0
#7/#8 Notre Dame	0	3	1	-	4

1st Period**No Scoring.****2nd Period**

ND - Mark Van Guilder 2 (Ben Ryan, Brett Blatchford), PPG, 2:46; ND - Ryan Thang 1 (Erik Condra, Kevin Deeth), PPG, 5:48; ND - Garrett Regan 1 (Ryan), 16:56.

3rd Period

ND - Van Guilder 3 (Brock Sheahan), 00:20.

Saves:

MC - Ryan Zapolski (60:00) 17 - 8 - 8 - 33

ND - Jordan Pearce (60:00) 10 - 12 - 3 - 25

Power Play: MC: 0-5; ND: 2-8.**Penalties:** MC: 9 for 18 minutes; ND: 6 for 12 minutes.**Attendance:** 2,237**Thursday, Oct. 18, 2007 – at Notre Dame, Ind.**

	1	2	3	-	F
#5/#5 Denver	2	0	1	-	3
#11/#11 Notre Dame	1	2	1	-	4

1st Period

DU - Kyle Ostrow 2 (Tom May), 1:43; ND - Garrett Regan 2 (Ian Cole, Brett Blatchford), PPG, 18:10; DU - Tyler Bozak 1 (Brock Trotter, Chris Butler), 19:15.

2nd Period

ND - Kyle Lawson 1 (Kevin Deeth), 12:27; ND - Ryan Thang 2 (Erik Condra, Brock Sheahan), PPG, 17:48.

3rd Period

ND - Ben Ryan 1 (Regan), 7:23; DU - Trotter 2 (unassisted), 7:55.

Saves:

DU - Peter Mannino (58:11) 5 - 7 - 2 - 14

ND - Jordan Pearce (60:00) 9 - 3 - 5 - 17

Power Play: DU: 0-5; ND: 2-4.**Penalties:** DU: 6 for 12 minutes; ND: 7 for 14 minutes.**Attendance:** 2,41**Friday, Oct. 19, 2007 – at Notre Dame, Ind.**

	1	2	3	-	F
#5/#5 Denver	1	0	2	-	3
#11/#11 Notre Dame	0	1	0	-	1

1st Period

DU - Chris Nutini 1 (Rhett Rakhshani), 15:55.

2nd Period

ND - Ryan Thang 3 (Erik Condra, Kyle Lawson), PPG, 10:55.

3rd Period

DU - Anthony Maiani 2 (Rakhshani, Patrick Mullen), 12:24; DU - Tom May 1 (Brock Trotter, Andrew Thomas), ENG, 19:43.

Saves:

DU - Peter Mannino (60:00) 1 - 8 - 10 - 19

ND - Jordan Pearce (58:58) 10 - 8 - 7 - 25

Power Play: DU: 0-6; ND: 1-5.**Penalties:** DU: 7 for 14 minutes; ND: 8 for 16 minutes.**Attendance:** 2,763 (sellout)**Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2007 – at Bowling Green, Ohio**

	1	2	3	-	F
#12/#12 Notre Dame	1	2	1	-	4
Bowling Green	1	1	0	-	2

1st Period

BGSU - Dan Sexton 1 (Derek Whitmore, Todd McIlrath), 14:51; ND - Mark Van Guilder 4 (Brock Sheahan, Ben Ryan), PPG, 17:43.

2nd Period

BGSU - Whitmore 3 (Sexton, Kevin Schmidt), 1:50; ND - Garrett Regan 3 (Ryan, Justin White), 2:51; ND - Evan Rankin 1 (White, Robin Bergman), 18:46.

3rd Period

ND - Erik Condra 1 (unassisted), SHG, 4:35.

Saves:

ND - Jordan Pearce (59:17) 6 - 2 - 10 - 18

DU - Peter Mannino (60:00) 7 - 16 - 4 - 27

Power Play: ND: 1-8; BGSU: 0-5.**Penalties:** ND: 6 for 12 minutes; BGSU: 9 for 29 minutes.**Attendance:** 2,424

2007-08 Notre Dame Hockey Stats
Notre Dame Hockey Statistics (as of Oct 24, 2007)
All games

Overall: 3-2-0 Conf: 1-0-0 Home: 1-1-0 Away: 1-0-0 Neut: 1-1-0

##	Name	OVERALL									CONFERENCE										
		SHOTS			Sh	+/-	PENALTY No-Min	GOALS			SHOTS			Sh	+/-	PENALTY No-Min	GOALS				
GP	G	A	Pts	PP				SH	GW	GP	G	A	Pts				PP	SH	GW		
19	Ben Ryan	5	1	5	6	8	-1	2-4	1	0	1	1	0	2	2	4	0	0-0	0	0	0
23	Mark Van Guilder	5	4	0	4	19	-1	2-4	3	0	1	1	1	0	1	2	-1	0-0	1	0	0
33	Garrett Regan	5	3	1	4	16	0	3-6	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	0-0	0	0	0
11	Erik Condra	5	1	3	4	10	0	1-2	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	3	+1	0-0	0	1	0
9	Ryan Thang	5	3	0	3	16	-4	2-4	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	-1	0-0	0	0	0
3	Brett Blatchford	4	0	3	3	6	-3	0-0	0	0	0	-									
14	Brock Sheahan	5	0	3	3	4	+4	4-8	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	+2	1-2	0	0	0
2	Kyle Lawson	5	1	1	2	6	-4	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	-1	0-0	0	0	0
21	Kevin Deeth	5	0	2	2	3	-2	3-6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	+1	1-2	0	0	0
10	Justin White	5	0	2	2	8	+1	1-2	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	3	+2	0-0	0	0	0
18	Evan Rankin	5	1	0	1	7	0	2-4	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	+1	0-0	0	0	1
17	Robin Bergman	4	0	1	1	2	-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	+1	0-0	0	0	0
28	Ian Cole	5	0	1	1	5	-5	4-8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	-1	1-2	0	0	0
12	Stewart Carlin	1	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	0	0	0	-									
27	Ryan Guentzel	2	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-									
25	Christian Hanson	5	0	0	0	7	-3	2-4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	-1	1-2	0	0	0
16	Dan Kissel	2	0	0	0	1	-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	-1	0-0	0	0	0
20	Luke Lucyk	1	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
15	Christiaan Minella	1	0	0	0	0	-1	1-2	0	0	0	-									
1	Jordan Pearce	5	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	0	0	0
22	Calle Ridderwall	5	0	0	0	9	0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	0
5	Teddy Ruth	5	0	0	0	2	+5	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	+3	0-0	0	0	0
4	Dan VeNard	5	0	0	0	0	-5	1-2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	-1	1-2	0	0	0
	Total.....	5	14	22	36	129	-22	30-60	7	1	3	1	4	6	10	30	+4	6-12	1	1	1
	Opponents.....	5	12	20	32	118	+21	38-87	1	0	2	1	2	4	6	20	-5	9-29	0	0	0

##	Name	OVERALL										CONFERENCE									
		GP	Minutes	GA	EN	Avg Saves	Pct	W	L	T	GP	Minutes	GA	EN	Avg Saves	Pct	W	L	T		
1	Jordan Pearce	5	298:15	11	0	2.21	106	.906	3	2	0	1	59:17	2	0	2.02	18	.900	1	0	0
TM	EMPTY NET	2	1:45	0	1	0.00	0	.000	0	0	0	1	0:43	0	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0	0
	Total.....	5	300:00	12	1	2.40	106	.898	3	2	0	1	60:00	2	0	2.00	18	.900	1	0	0
	Opponents.....	5	300:00	14	0	2.80	115	.891	2	3	0	1	60:00	4	0	4.00	26	.867	0	1	0

OVERALL

SHOTS ON GOAL			
Shots	Avg/G	Pct	
Notre Dame	129	25.80	.109
Opponents	118	23.60	.102

POWER PLAYS			
Goals	Chances	Pct	
Notre Dame	7	32	.219
Opponents	1	24	.042

GOALS BY PERIOD						
1	2	3	OT	Total		
Notre Dame.....	2	9	3	0	-	14
Opponents.....	5	1	6	0	-	12

CONFERENCE

SHOTS ON GOAL			
Shots	Avg/G	Pct	
Notre Dame	30	30.00	.133
Opponents	20	20.00	.100

POWER PLAYS			
Goals	Chances	Pct	
Notre Dame	1	8	.125
Opponents	0	5	.000

GOALS BY PERIOD						
1	2	3	OT	Total		
Notre Dame.....	1	2	1	0	-	4
Opponents.....	1	1	0	0	-	2

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 Notre Dame Overall Team Statistics (as of Oct 24, 2007)
 All games

Overall: 3-2-0 Conf: 1-0-0 Home: 1-1-0 Away: 1-0-0 Neut: 1-1-0

TEAM STATISTICS	ND	OPP

SHOT STATISTICS.....		
Goals-Shot attempts.....	14-129	12-118
Shot pct.....	.109	.102
Goals/Game.....	2.8	2.4
Shots/Game.....	25.8	23.6
Assists.....	22	20
POWER PLAYS.....		
Goals-Power Plays.....	7-32	1-24
Conversion Percent.....	.219	.042
Shot Attempts.....	42	26
Shot Percent.....	.167	.038
GOAL BREAKDOWN.....		
Total Goals.....	14	12
Power Play.....	7	1
Short-handed.....	1	0
Empty net.....	0	1
Penalty.....	0	0
Unassisted.....	1	1
Overtime.....	0	0
Shootout.....	0	0
Delayed Penalty.....	0	0
PENALTIES.....		
Number.....	30	38
Minutes.....	60	87
Penalties/Game.....	6.0	7.6
Pen minutes/Game.....	12.0	17.4
Minor.....	30	36
Major.....	0	1
10-minute Misconduct.....	0	0
Game Misconduct.....	0	0
Gross Misconduct.....	0	0
Match.....	0	1
SHOOTOUTS (Made-Att).....	0-0	0-0
ATTENDANCE.....		
Total.....	5176	2424
Dates/Avg Per Date.....	2/2588	1/2424
Neutral Site #/Avg.....	2/2168	

GOALS BY PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	Total

Notre Dame.....	2	9	3	0 -	14
Opponents.....	5	1	6	0 -	12

SAVES BY PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	Total

Notre Dame.....	47	29	30	0 -	106
Opponents.....	33	50	32	0 -	115

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Notre Dame Game Results (as of Oct 24, 2007)
All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Shots	Overall	Conference	Time	Attend	Goalie of record
				Record	Record			
Oct 12, 2007	vs #14 Wisconsin	1-4 L	24/25	0- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	2:15	2100	Jordan Pearce
Oct 13, 2007	vs Mercyhurst	W 4-0	37/25	1- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	2:17	2237	Jordan Pearce
Oct 18, 2007	#5 UNIVERSITY OF DENVER	W 4-3	18/20	2- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	2:40	2413	Jordan Pearce
Oct 19, 2007	#5 UNIVERSITY OF DENVER	1-3 L	20/28	2- 2- 0	0- 0- 0	2:15	2763	Jordan Pearce
* Oct 23, 2007	at Bowling Green	W 4-2	30/20	3- 2- 0	1- 0- 0	2:30	2424	Jordan Pearce

TEAM RECORD	W-L-T	ATTEND	Dates	Total	Average
Overall:	3- 2- 0	Total:	5	11937	2387
Conference:	1- 0- 0	Home:	2	5176	2588
Home:	1- 1- 0	Away:	1	2424	2424
Away:	1- 0- 0	Neutral:	2	4337	2168
Neutral:	1- 1- 0				
Overtime:	0- 0- 0				