



Sports Information Office
 University of Notre Dame
 112 Joyce Center
 Notre Dame, IN 46556
 www.und.com
 219-631-7516
 219-631-7941 FAX

2001-02 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY NOTES

BOWLING GREEN GAME NOTES: March 1-2, 2002

2001-02 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY (12-15-5/10-12-4)

OCTOBER

5	UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO \$	W, 4-2
11	UNION COLLEGE	L, 1-2
12	UNION COLLEGE	L, 4-7
20	* at Ohio State	T, 4-4 ot
21	* at Ohio State	L, 2-3
26	at Boston College	L, 1-4
27	at Northeastern	T, 3-3 ot

NOVEMBER

2	*at #12/#10 No. Michigan	W, 5-4
3	*at #12/#10 No. Michigan	L, 1-4
9	*FERRIS STATE	W, 5-2
10	*FERRIS STATE	T, 3-3 ot
16	*at Western Michigan	T, 4-4 ot
17	*at Western Michigan	L, 2-4

DECEMBER

1	*LAKE SUPERIOR STATE	W, 7-0
2	*LAKE SUPERIOR STATE	W, 5-2
7	*at Bowling Green	W, 6-3
8	*at Bowling Green	L, 2-4
21	\$ USA HOCKEY UNDER-18 TEAM	W, 3-2
28	at Princeton	W, 2-1
29	@ at Princeton	W, 4-2

JANUARY

4	*#8/#8 MICHIGAN	T, 3-3 ot
5	*#8/#8 MICHIGAN	L, 1-2
11	*#8/#9 NO. MICHIGAN	W, 4-1
12	*#8/#9 NO. MICHIGAN	L, 0-4
18	*NEBRASKA-OMAHA	L, 2-3
19	*NEBRASKA-OMAHA	L, 2-4
25	*at Miami (OH)	W, 4-3 ot
26	*at Miami (OH)	L, 3-7

FEBRUARY

1	*#14/#15 AK. FAIRBANKS	L, 5-7
2	*#14/#15 AK. FAIRBANKS	L, 5-6
8	*at #3/#4 Michigan State	L, 0-2
9	*at #3/#4 Michigan State	W, 3-2
22	*at Lake Superior State	W, 3-1
23	*at Lake Superior State	W, 6-0

MARCH

1	*BOWLING GREEN	7:05 p.m.
2	*BOWLING GREEN	7:05 p.m.
8-10	CCHA First Round Playoffs (Best 2-of-3, Campus Sites)	TBA
15	CCHA Play-In Games (Detroit, Mich.)	TBA
16	CCHA Semifinals (Detroit, Mich.)	TBA
17	CCHA Championship (Detroit, Mich.)	TBA

HOME GAMES IN BOLD CAPS

PRESEASON GAME IN ITALIC

Rankings USA Today/USCHO

\$ Exhibition Game

@ Sovereign Bank Center, Trenton, N.J.

IRISH TAKE THREE-GAME WINNING STREAK INTO FINAL HOME WEEK-END VERSUS BOWLING GREEN

Goaltender Morgan Cey gives up just one goal in weekend sweep at Lake Superior.

- **Next Games:** Notre Dame Fighting Irish (12-15-5/10-12-4) vs. Bowling Green Falcons (9-21-6/7-16-3)
- **Date/Site/Times:** Fri.-Sat., March 1-2, 2002 - Joyce Center (2,713) - 7:05 p.m.
- **Broadcast Information:** The games can be heard live on WDND South Bend's ESPN Radio 1620 with Dave Mager calling the action.

FINAL COUNTDOWN: Notre Dame closes the regular season this weekend, March 1-2 with a visit from the Bowling Green Falcons. Game time on Friday and Saturday night is 7:05 p.m. The Irish come into the weekend looking to nail down the eighth spot in the CCHA playoff race. The Irish were eliminated from a shot at home ice advantage last weekend when Western Michigan swept Ferris State. Ohio State locked up

seventh with Monday's 4-1 win over Miami. The Irish are one point ahead of ninth-place Ferris State. The Bulldogs have a home-and-home weekend series with Michigan State. To finish eighth, the Irish need any combination of three points from Notre Dame wins and ties or Ferris State wins or ties. Ferris State would control the first tie-breaker (league wins) if the two teams end up tied in points. Heading into the final weekend, the Irish could play at any of the following five schools: Alaska Fairbanks, Northern Michigan, Nebraska-Omaha, Western Michigan and Ohio State.

CCHA Schedule Breakdown:

Team	Pts.	Remaining Games
MSU	38 pts.	@FSU, FSU
UM	38 pts.	WMU, @WMU
UAF	33 pts.	
NMU	30 pts.	LSSU, @ LSSU
UNO	30 pts.	
WMU	29 pts.	@UM, UM
OSU	28 pts.	at MIA
ND	24 pts.	BGSU (2)
FSU	23 pts.	MSU, @MSU
MIA	18 pts.	OSU
BGSU	17 pts.	@ND (2)
LSSU	10 pts.	@NMU, NMU

IRISH VERSUS BOWLING GREEN:

Player	GP	G	A	PTS
Connor Dunlop	6	4	3	7
Rob Globke	4	2	3	5
David Inman	9	2	3	5
Evan Nielsen	6	1	3	4
Aaron Gill	4	1	2	3
Michael Chin	6	1	2	3
Yan Stastny	2	0	3	3
Tom Galvin	4	2	0	2
Jake Wiegand	6	1	1	2
Brett Lebda	4	0	2	2
Brad Wanchulak	2	1	0	1
Neil Komadoski	4	1	0	1
John Wroblewski	4	1	0	1
Brett Henning	5	0	1	1
Sam Cornelius	6	0	0	0
Jon Maruk	4	0	0	0
T.J. Mathieson	2	0	0	0
Paul Harris	2	0	0	0
Derek Smith	2	0	0	0
Cory McLean	2	0	0	0
Alex Lalonde	2	0	0	0

Goaltenders	MIN	W-L-T	GA	SVS	SV%	GAVG
Jeremiah Kimento	36:54	0-0-0	1	10	.909	1.63
Tony Zasowski	245:00	3-0-1	9	106	.922	2.20
Morgan Cey	118:55	1-1-0	6	53	.898	3.02

CCHA TIEBREAKERS: Here is the tie-breaking procedure for CCHA tournament seeding (all positions).

1. Most league wins
2. Head-to-head record
3. Goal differential in head-to-head games
4. Record (winning percentage) vs. other CCHA teams beginning with first place
5. Coin toss

IRISH VERSUS FALCONS: The two teams have met 57 times in the all-time series with Bowling Green holding a 29-24-4 edge. Notre Dame traveled to Bowling Green in December where the Irish split the weekend series, winning 6-3 on Dec. 7 before losing 4-2 the following night. Since Notre Dame returned to the CCHA in 1992-93, the Falcons have a 15-12-2 edge in the series. At the Joyce Center, Notre Dame leads the series 13-10-1 and is 7-4-1 since rejoining the CCHA. The two teams met just twice last year at the Joyce Center with Notre Dame taking 3-2 and 5-2 wins. The Irish are 4-0-1 in the last five games at the Joyce Center going back to the 1996-97 season.

SCOUTING THE FALCONS: Bowling Green enters the weekend series in 11th place with a 9-21-6 overall record and a 7-16-3 mark in CCHA play. The Falcons are coming off a home split with Northern Michigan - losing 4-1 on Feb. 22 and then shutting out the Wildcats 6-0 on Feb. 23. Offensively, Bowling Green is led by forwards Greg Day (17-16-33), D'Arcy McConvey (8-16-24) and Scott Hewson (8-13-21). The goaltending is in the capable hands of Tyler Masters who has played in 28 games with a 7-16-4 overall record. Masters, who blanked Northern Michigan with 36 saves, has a 3.36 goals against average and a .905 save percentage. Earlier this season, he made 45 saves in a 4-2 win over the Irish. For more information on the Bowling Green Falcons, check their website at www.bgsufalcons.com.

BOWLING GREEN GAME NOTES: March 1-2, 2002

LAKE SUPERIOR STATE RECAP: The Irish swept the weekend series at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., with 3-1 and 6-0 wins. The two victories last weekend gives the Irish four wins this season versus the Lakers. Goaltender **Morgan Cey (Fr., Wilkie, Sask.)** surrendered just one goal on 37 shots in the series picking up his second career shutout in Saturday's 6-0 win. Both shutouts have come versus Lake Superior. On Friday, the Irish scored first with freshman **Cory McLean (Fargo, N.D.)** getting his first collegiate goal at 15:33 of the first period. Defenseman **Brett Lebda (So., Buffalo Grove, Ill.)** made it 2-0 at 8:26 of the second period, collecting his second game-winning goal in as many games. LSSU's Will Magnuson cut the lead to 2-1 at 10:21 of the second and from there, Cey held off the Lakers' attack. **John Wroblewski (Jr., Neenah, Wis.)** closed the scoring with an empty-net goal at 19:18 to give the Irish the 3-1 win. Notre Dame outshot the Lakes 32-21 in the game with Cey making 20 stops and LSSU's Matt Violin stopping 29. On Saturday night, **Cey** kicked out all 16 shots he faced for his second shutout of the season versus the Lakers. The freshman goaltender got all the offensive support that he would need from **Yan Stastny (Fr., St. Louis, Mo.)** who scored a pair of first-period goals. His game-winner came at 1:32 with his second at 13:29. The Irish led 2-0 after one. **Brad Wanchulak (Fr., Edson, Alb.)** broke a 17-game goal scoring drought with a lamplighter at 4:41 of the second period. **Lebda** got his third goal in as many games at 6:15 of the third, **David Inman (Sr., Toronto, Ont.)** made it 5-0 at 16:03 and **Wroblewski** closed the scoring at 18:02 for the final of 6-0. The Irish outshot the Lakers 38-16 in the game as Violin made 32 saves in the loss.

HEAD COACH DAVE POULIN: Irish head coach **Dave Poulin** is now in his seventh season behind the Notre Dame bench. He owns a 93-136-34 (.418) overall record and is 67-102-30 (.412) in CCHA contests. Against Bowling Green, Poulin-coached teams are 9-5-2.

OUT OF THE LINEUP: Freshman left wing **Alex Lalonde (Newmarket, Ont.)** has been ruled academically ineligible for the spring semester.

GAME-BY-GAME RECORDS (2001-02):

When Notre Dame scores first	12-5-2
When opponents score first	0-10-3
When Notre Dame leads after one period ..	10-4-0
When Notre Dame trails after one period	1-7-4
When score is tied after one period	1-4-1
When Notre Dame leads after two periods .	12-2-1
When Notre Dame trails after two periods .	0-12-3
When score is tied after two periods	0-1-1
When Notre Dame outshoots opponent	9-6-1
When opponent outshoots Notre Dame	3-8-4
When shots are even	0-1-0
Notre Dame at home	4-8-2
Notre Dame on the road	8-7-3
Notre Dame on neutral ice	0-0-0
Notre Dame in overtime	1-0-5
Notre Dame in October	0-4-2
Notre Dame in November	2-2-2
Notre Dame in December	5-1-0
Notre Dame in January	2-5-1
Notre Dame in February	3-3-0
Notre Dame in March	0-0-0
Irish in first game of series	8-5-3
Irish in second game of series	4-10-2

CEY IS HE HOT: Notre Dame goaltender **Morgan Cey** has had quite a turnaround in the last four games. After giving up 12 goals in 71:45 in the previous three games (vs. Miami 1/26, UAF 2/1 and UAF 2/2), Cey has surrendered four goals in his last four outings covering 239:02 minutes. He is 3-1-0 with a 1.00 goals against average and has stopped 112 of 116 shots for a .965 save percentage. For the season, Cey is 11-12-3 with a 2.96 goals against and a .903 save percentage. He has started 18 consecutive games for the Irish going back to Dec. 7 at Bowling Green.

LONG TIME COMING: The Notre Dame sweep at Lake Superior (Feb. 22-23) marked the first Irish CCHA weekend sweep versus the same team since Feb. 12-13, 1982 when Notre Dame won two at Ferris State. That streak in CCHA play covers 42 series and 12 seasons in the league. The sweep was Notre Dame's second road sweep this season as the Irish won twice at Princeton (Dec. 28-29).

LETHAL LEBDA: After going 15 games without a goal (Nov. 16-Feb. 9), defenseman **Brett Lebda** has found the scoring touch by scoring a goal in each of his last three games, including game-winners at Michigan State and Lake Superior. A CCHA all-rookie selection as a freshman, Lebda now has six goals and seven assists for 13 points. His three-game goal streak is the longest of his career.

PROLIFIC POINT PRODUCER: With three assists on the weekend at Lake Superior State center **Connor Dunlop** has 31 assists on the year. The 31 assists ties Jamie Ling (1994-95) for the most assists by a Notre Dame player in a season since the Irish returned to the CCHA in 1992-93. Dunlop, an all-CCHA and all-America candidate leads Notre Dame with eight goals and 31 assists for 39 points and ranks fourth in the CCHA in scoring. His 31 assists are third in the league. Dunlop turned in a seven-point (two goals, five assists) weekend series with Alaska Fairbanks (Feb. 1-2) including his second four-point game of the season. For the season, Dunlop has recorded two four-point games, two three-point games and 12 multiple-point games in all. He has career-highs in goals (8), assists (31) and points (39).

DOUBLING UP: **Connor Dunlop** came into the 2001-02 season with 10 goals and 25 assists for 35 points in the first 65 games of his Irish hockey career. Dunlop has more than doubled his points total this season with eight goals and 31 assists for 39 points. His career totals stand at 18 goals and 56 assists for 74 points in 97 career games.

WROBO-MATIC: Junior right wing John Wroblewski continued his career season with a goal in each of the wins at Lake Superior. For the year, Wroblewski has career-highs in goals (10), assists (6) and points (16). Wroblewski is also one of the top defensive forwards in the CCHA and has won 54.9% of his face offs.

FRESHMAN FIRSTS: Freshman center **Cory McLean** scored the first goal of his Notre Dame career in the Irish 3-1 win over Lake Superior State ... left wing **Yan Stastny** had the first two-goal game of his career.

- Joe Zurenko** - 1st assist (1/26 at Miami)
- Derek Smith** - 1st goal (11/2 at No. Michigan)
1st assist (11/10 vs. Ferris State)
- Cory McLean** - 1st goal (2/22 at Lake Superior)

COMPARING THE TEAMS

	<i>ND</i>	<i>BGSU</i>
2000-01 record	10-22-7	13-23-0
2000-01 CCHA record	7-15-6	8-20-0
Letterwinners returning	17 of 24	17 of 25
Current overall record	12-15-5	9-21-6
Winning percentage	.453	.333
League record	10-12-4	7-16-3
Home record	4-8-2	6-8-3
Road record	8-7-3	3-10-2
One-goal games record	4-5	2-6
Overtime record	1-0-5	0-1-6
Last weekend	2-0-0	1-1-0
Last 5 games	3-2-0	2-2-1
When scoring first ...	12-5-2	7-5-2
When ahead after 1st period	10-4-0	6-2-3
When ahead after 2nd period	12-2-1	9-2-0
Goals per game	3.19	2.61
Shots per game	33.0	29.2
Shooting percentage	.097	.090
Opponent shots per game	30.3	36.8
Shot margin	+2.7	-7.6
PPG percentage	.148	.128
PP chances per game	4.84	5.00
PP goals per game	0.72	0.64
SH goals allowed/gm	0.13 (4)	0.19 (7)
Penalties per game	7.90	9.41
Penalty-killing percentage	.825	.822
Opponent PP chances per game	5.19	5.61
Opponent PPGs per game	0.91	1.00
Shorthanded goals per game	0.06 (2)	0.08 (3)
Goals-against average	3.25	3.53
Save percentage	.901	.906
Goal margin/game	+0.03 (+1)	-1.09 (-35)
1st period goals/game	1.13	0.91
1st period goal margin	+5 (36-31)	-9 (29-38)
2nd period goals/game	1.03	1.08
2nd period goal margin	0 (33-33)	-9 (39-48)
3rd period goals/game	1.00	0.72
3rd period goal margin	-5 (32-37)	-16 (26-42)
Overtime goals	1	0
Overtime goals against	0	1

- 1st assist (11/17 at West. Michigan)
- Yan Stastny** - 1st goal (12/1 vs. Lake Superior)
1st assist (10/20 at Ohio State)
- Alex Lalonde** - 1st goal (11/16 at West. Michigan)
1st assist (11/10 vs. Ferris State)
- Brad Wanchulak** - 1st goal (10/20 at Ohio State)
1st assist (10/21 at Ohio State)
- Morgan Cey** - 1st win - (11/2 at No. Michigan)
1st shutout - (12/1 vs. Lake Superior)

IRISH VERSUS RANKED TEAMS: Notre Dame picked up its third win of the season against a nationally ranked team when the Irish defeated #3/#4 Michigan State 3-2 at Munn Arena. The win improved the Irish to 3-6-1 on the season versus ranked teams. The win was the first for the Irish versus a team ranked higher than third in the national rankings since Jan. 3, 1999 when Notre Dame won 4-3 at number one North Dakota. The other two Irish wins versus ranked teams this season came versus Northern Michigan (Nov. 2) and (Jan. 11). A year ago, Notre Dame's top win against a ranked team came on Jan. 12, 2001 when the Irish upset fifth-ranked Western Michigan at the Joyce Center 4-1. Last season, the Irish were 2-8-2 in games versus ranked teams ... the Irish are 1-4-1 at home and 2-2-0 on the road versus ranked teams in 2001-02 ... The Irish versus the nations top-ranked teams in 2001-02:

USA Today/American Hockey Magazine

Rank	Team	W-L
12	at Northern Michigan	W, 5-4
12	at Northern Michigan	L, 1-4
8	MICHIGAN	T, 3-3
8	MICHIGAN	L, 1-2
8	NO. MICHIGAN	W, 4-1
8	NO. MICHIGAN	L, 0-4
t14	ALASKA FAIRBANKS	L, 5-7
t14	ALASKA FAIRBANKS	L, 5-6
t3	at Michigan State	L, 0-2
t3	at Michigan State	W, 3-2

US College Hockey Online

Rank	Team	W-L
10	at Northern Michigan	W, 5-4
10	at Northern Michigan	L, 1-4
8	MICHIGAN	T, 3-3
8	MICHIGAN	L, 1-2
9	NO. MICHIGAN	W, 4-1
9	NO. MICHIGAN	L, 0-4
15	ALASKA FAIRBANKS	L, 5-7
15	ALASKA FAIRBANKS	L, 5-6
4	at Michigan State	L, 0-2
4	at Michigan State	W, 3-2

OUT OF ACTION: Irish defensemen **Neil Komadoski (So., Chesterfield, Mo.)** and **Joe Zurenko (Fr., Arlington Heights, Ill.)** will miss the first game of the Bowling Green series as they serve game disqualification penalties for fighting majors they received in the Feb. 23 game at Lake Superior State.

YOUNG GUN: Freshman forward **Yan Stastny** picked up the first multiple-goal game of his career when he scored the first two goals of the game in the 6-0 win over Lake Superior State. The goal was also Stastny's first career game-winner. Stastny now has points in five of his last seven games (5-3-8). He leads the Notre Dame freshmen with six goals and 10 assists for 16 points this season.

SCORING BY CLASS: The Notre Dame junior class leads the Irish in scoring through 32 games this season.
 Juniors 37 goals, 62 assists, 99 points
 Sophomores 31 goals, 58 assists, 89 points
 Freshmen 16 goals, 24 assists, 40 points
 Seniors 18 goals, 21 assists, 39 points

SHARE THE WEALTH: Notre Dame has had 11 different players score game-winning goals this season. **Brett Lebda** leads the team with two while 10 others have one winning goal each.

ROAD WARRIORS: Notre Dame finished the regular season with an 8-7-3 record. The last time the Irish had a winning record on the road was 1997-98 when they were 12-11-0. Notre Dame is 4-8-2 at home this season.

STREAK BUSTERS: Besides stopping Michigan State's 33-game home unbeaten streak at Munn Arena (Feb. 9), the Irish also stopped several other streaks between the two schools. The Feb. 9, 3-2 win at Munn, snapped a six-game losing streak at East Lansing for the Irish. Their last win there came on Nov. 1, 1997. The Feb. 9 win was just the second for Notre Dame at Michigan State (2-14-0) since the Irish returned to the CCHA in 1992-93 and was only ND's third in that same span (3-22-5). The win snapped a five-game winning streak and a seven-game Spartan unbeaten streak (6-0-1) versus the Irish. Notre Dame's last win versus Michigan State came on Dec. 4, 1999 - a 1-0 Tony Zasowski shutout at the Joyce Center. The

Spartans lead the all-time series 49-29-6.

ROOKIE OF THE WEEK, PART II: Notre Dame's freshman goaltender **Morgan Cey (Wilkie, Sask.)** was selected as the CCHA's Rookie of the Week for the week ending Feb. 10. The 6-3, 174-pound netminder stopped 75 of 78 shots in helping the Irish to a split at #3/#4 Michigan State. In Friday's 2-0 loss to the Spartans, Cey made a career-high 41 saves while giving up just a second-period power play goal. Michigan State added an empty net goal with 12 seconds left for the 2-0 final. In Saturday's 3-2 win, Cey made 34 saves, 19 in the second period to help snap Michigan State's 33-game (30-0-3) home unbeaten streak. On the weekend, Cey was 1-1 with a 1.51 goals against average and a .962 save percentage. The rookie goaltender was also named the CCHA Rookie of the Week for the week ending Dec. 31.

THE DEFENSE MAKES IT'S CASE: Defense was the name of the game in Notre Dame's weekend series at Michigan State. Besides the fact that the two teams combined for just seven goals (including one empty-netter), both offenses had little to do in the outcome. Of the seven goals scored on the weekend, defensemen accounted for five of them. Michigan State's defense scored three of its four goals (John-Michael Liles, Duncan Keith and Brad Fast), while **Neil Komadoski** and **Brett Lebda** had two of Notre Dame's three goals on the weekend.

RACKING UP THE POINTS: Notre Dame defenseman **Neil Komadoski** is known for his hard-hitting, bone-crunching checks, but as of late he is becoming an offensive force on the Irish blueline. Komadoski has picked up points in six of his last nine games (2-4-6). For the season, Komadoski has career-highs in assists (9) and points (11) while equal-

ling his goal total of two as a freshman.

HAVING A SEASON: Senior forward **David Inman**, an all-CCHA candidate, scored his career-high 16th goal of the season in Notre Dame's 6-0 win over Michigan State. On Feb. 2, Inman picked up his second four-point game of the season in the 7-5 loss to Alaska Fairbanks. Inman chipped in a goal and three assists in the game. His first four-point game came on Nov. 2 at Northern Michigan when he had two goals and two assists in that game. His 16 goals this season are a career-best as are his 18 assists, 34 points and seven power play goals. For the year, Inman now has eight multiple-point games. He collected his second two-goal game of the season and the sixth of his career on Jan. 4 versus Michigan. He has had one three-point game (1g, 2a) in the 4-1 win over Northern Michigan (Jan. 11) and a four-point night (2g-2a) at Northern Michigan (Nov. 2). His 21 career power play goals rank him 11th on the school's all-time power play goal list.

RIGHT ON THE CHIN: Junior left wing **Michael Chin (Jr., Urbana, Ill.)** has career-highs in goals (13), assists (8), points (21) and power play goals (3) this season. His 13 goals rank him second on the team in that category. Chin's two-goal game at Miami (Jan. 25) was the second of Chin's career as he had one his freshman year versus Nebraska-Omaha (2/12/00). Versus Miami (Jan. 25), he equalled his career-high with nine shots on goal.

IRISH IN CCHA/NATIONAL RANKINGS

Individual Scoring	CCHA	National
Connor Dunlop (8-31-39)	4th	16th (1.22/pgm)
David Inman (16-18-34)	t11th	35th (1.06/pgm)
Goals		
David Inman (16)	t8th	t23rd (0.50/gpg)
Assists		
Connor Dunlop (31)	3rd	3rd (0.97/apg)
Power Play Goals		
David Inman (7)	t4th	t20th
Shorthanded Goals		
Rob Globke (1)	t15th	t39th
Brad Wanchulak (1)	t15th	t39th
Goals Against Avg. (33% of games)		
Morgan Cey (2.96)	11th	41st
Save%		
Morgan Cey (.903)	9th	38th
Team Rankings		
Scoring Offense (3.19)	7th	26th
Scoring Defense (3.16)	8th	27th
Scoring Margin (+0.03)	9th	t31st
Penalty Minutes (19.00)	4th	8th
Power Play (14.8%)	8th	37th
Penalty Killing (82.5%)	8th	22nd

BOWLING GREEN GAME NOTES: March 1-2, 2002

NIFTY NIELSEN: Defenseman **Evan Nielsen (Jr., Evanston, Ill.)** equalled his career-high with three points (a goal and two assists) in the 7-5 loss to Alaska Fairbanks (Feb. 2). The 6-3, 212-pound blueliner also had a three-point game versus Nebraska-Omaha on Feb. 12, 2000. The junior captain added an assist in the second game of the series with Alaska Fairbanks to give him a four-point weekend. For the season, Nielsen has career-highs in goals (5), assists (12) and points (17).

DON'T LOOK NOW: Sophomore forward **Rob Globke** has begun to find his scoring touch. While getting stopped goal scoring-wise at Michigan State, Globke set up the game-winning goal in the 3-2 win versus the Spartans. Globke took an outlet pass from Yan Stastny and used his speed to turn it in to a two-on-one that Brett Lebda converted for the game-winning goal. He has now scored points in seven of Notre Dame's last nine games (3-4-7). After scoring two goals in the second game of the season, Globke went 10 games without a goal. Since Dec. 1, he has scored seven goals in 12 games. He has a pair of two-goal games this season (vs. Union, vs. Lake Superior State). For the year, Globke has nine goals and 11 assists for 20 points.

IRISH STREAKS: Forward **Cory McLean** has points in two straight games (1-1-2) ... defenseman **Brett Lebda** has goals in three straight games (3-0-3) ... **Connor Dunlop** has scored in two in a row (0-3-3) ... **John Wroblewski** has a two-game goal streak and a three-game point streak (2-1-3) ... **Brad Wanchulak** has scored in two straight (1-1-2) and defenseman **Tom Galvin** has a two-game assist streak (0-2-2).

TURNAROUND: After giving up 20 goals in their previous three games, the Irish have now surrendered five goals over the last four games. Prior to the current streak, Notre Dame gave up seven goals to Miami (Jan. 26) in a 7-3 loss and Alaska Fairbanks took 7-5 and 6-5 wins Feb. 1-2. Prior to that, the Irish had given up 20 goals over the previous seven games (Jan. 4 to Jan. 25).

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.
David Inman	3	2	1	22
Morgan Cey	2	2	2	18
Connor Dunlop	2	2	2	18
Rob Globke	1	2	2	13
Tom Galvin	2			10
Yan Stastny	1	1		8
Brett Lebda	1		2	7
Aaron Gill	1			5
Michael Chin		1	2	5
John Wroblewski		1		3
Alex Lalonde		1		3
Kyle Dolder		1		3
Brad Wanchulak			1	1

PENALTY KILLING STRUGGLES: After giving up at least one power play goal in seven straight games, the Irish have now shut down opponent power plays in each of the last three games (7-for-7). After stopping Michigan State (Feb. 9) on three chances, the

THE LAST TIME:

Notre Dame won in overtime January 25 vs. Miami (4-3)
Notre Dame CCHA overtime win January 25, 2002 vs. Miami (4-3)
 Notre Dame lost in overtime..... January 6, 2001 vs. Ferris State (3-2)
 Notre Dame lost in CCHA in overtime..... January 6, 2001 vs. Ferris State (3-2)
 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..... December 1, 2001 vs. Lake Superior State (7-0, Morgan Cey)
Notre Dame had a road shutout..... February 23 at Lake Superior State (6-0, Morgan Cey)
Notre Dame had a shutout in a CCHA game... February 2, 2002 at Lake Superior State (6-0, Morgan Cey)
Notre Dame was shutout in a CCHA game..... February 8, 2002 at Michigan State (2-0, Ryan Miller)
Notre Dame was shutout at home..... January 13, 2002 vs. Northern Michigan (4-0, Craig Kowalski)
Notre Dame had 35 or more shots in a game February 8, 2002 at Michigan State (39 shots)
Notre Dame had 40 or more shots in a game... January 26, 2002 at Miami (42 shots)
 Notre Dame had 50 or more shots in a game... January 21, 2000 vs. Western Michigan (56 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 35 or more shots in a game..... Feb. 1, 2002 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (39 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 40 or more shots in a game ... Feb. 8, 2002 at Michigan State (43 shots)
 Notre Dame surrendered 50 or more shots in a game... January 23, 2001 at Michigan (51 shots)
 Notre Dame had four PP goals in a game..... February 12, 2000 vs. Nebraska-Omaha (7-4 win)
 Notre Dame had three PP goals in a game..... March 4, 2000 at Michigan State (5-3 loss)
 Notre Dame surrendered four PP goals..... February 15, 1997 at Michigan (6-1 loss)
 Notre Dame surrendered three PP goals..... February 16, 2001 at Michigan (4-4 tie)
 Notre Dame player scored a hat trick..... December 20, 2000 - Dan Carlson (vs. Nebraska-Omaha)
 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..... February 2, 2002 - Connor Dunlop (vs. Alaska Fairbanks - 1g, 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 February 1, 2002 - Connor Dunlop (vs. Alaska Fairbanks - 1g, 2a)
 February 1, 2002 - Evan Nielsen (vs. Alaska Fairbanks - 1g, 2a)
Notre Dame player had four points..... February 2, 2002 - Connor Dunlop (vs. Alaska Fairbanks - 1g, 3a)
 Notre Dame player had five points..... December 20, 1994 - 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.. January 13, 2002 - Morgan Cey (vs. No. Michigan, 4-0 loss, 38 saves)
Notre Dame goalie made 40+ saves.. February 8, 2002 - Morgan Cey (at Michigan State, 2-0 loss, 41 saves)
 Notre Dame goalie made 50+ saves..... November 12, 1988 - Lance Madson (at Air Force, 6-3 loss, 57 saves)
Opposing player scored a hat trick..... January 26, 2002 - Derek Edwardson (Miami)
 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..... February 2, 2002 - Bobby Andrews (Alaska Fairbanks - 0g, 3a)
 February 2, 2002 - Cam Keith (Alaska Fairbanks - 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..... February 2, 2002 - Bobby Andrews (Alaska Fairbanks - 0g, 3a)
 February 2, 2002 - Cam Keith (Alaska Fairbanks - 0g, 3a)
 February 2, 2002 - Felipe Larranaga (Alaska Fairbanks - 1g, 2a)
Opposing player had four points..... February 1, 2002 - Bobby Andrews (Alaska Fairbanks - 1g, 3a)
 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... Feb. 8, 2002 - Ryan Miller (Michigan State, 39 saves, ND loses, 2-0)
Opposing goalie made 40+ saves... Jan. 19, 2002 - Dan Ellis (Nebraska-Omaha, 45 saves, ND loses, 4-2)
 Opposing goalie made 50+ saves..... January 21, 2000 - Jeff Reynaert (WMU, 52 saves, ND wins 4-3 ot)
Notre Dame had a penalty shot... Oct. 12, 2001 - Rob Globke (scored vs. Union College, ND loses, 7-4)
Opponent had a penalty shot.. Dec. 8, 1999 - Greg Day of BGSU (stopped by Morgan Cey, ND loses, 4-2)
Notre Dame swept a two-game series Dec. 28-29, 2001 (vs. Princeton; 2-1 and 4-2)
Notre Dame swept a CCHA series Dec. 1-2, 2001 (vs. Lake Superior State; 7-0 and 5-2)
Notre Dame swept a road two-game series Dec. 28-29, 2001 (at Princeton; 2-1 and 4-2)
 Notre Dame swept a CCHA road series..... Oct. 16-17, 1998 (at Ferris State; 5-3 and at Lake State; 4-3)
 Notre Dame swept a CCHA road two-game series..... Feb. 12-13, 1982 (at Ferris State; 5-4 and 6-0)

Events in bold occurred in 2001-2002 season

Irish stopped Lake Superior on two power play chances in each game last weekend. Over the last 11 games, the Irish have given up 12 power play goals in 47 chances for a 74.5% success rate. During December Irish penalty killers killed 35 of 38 opponent power play chances for a 92.1% success rate. For the season, the Irish have killed 137 of 166 for an 82.5% rate which is eighth in the CCHA and 22nd in the nation.

A CCHA OFFENSIVE: After 26 CCHA league games, the Fighting Irish are tied for third in the league with 87 goals (3.35) which trails Alaska Fairbanks as the Nanooks have 91 in 28 games for a 3.25 average. The Irish are tied with Michigan as each school has scored 87 goals, one less than Western Michigan with 88. Individually, **Connor Dunlop** is tied for second in league game scoring with eight goals and 25 assists for 33 points. **David Inman** is fourth with 13 goals and 17 assists for 30 points. In 32 games overall, the Irish are seventh among CCHA teams with 102 (3.19 per game).

BOWLING GREEN GAME NOTES: March 1-2, 2002

Team Season Highs/Lows

Most goals in a game	7 vs. Lake Superior State (12/1/01)
Fewest goals in a game	0 vs. Northern Michigan (1/13/02)
.....	0 vs. Michigan State (2/08/02)
Most assists in a game	12 vs. Lake Superior State (12/1/01)
Fewest assists in a game	0 vs. Northern Michigan (1/13/02)
.....	0 vs. Michigan State (2/08/02)
Most goals against	7 by Union College (10/12/01)
.....	7 by Miami (1/26/02)
.....	7 by Alaska Fairbanks (2/01/02)
Fewest goals against	0 by Lake Superior State (12/1/01)
.....	0 by Lake Superior State (2/23/02)
Most assists against	11 by Union College (10/12/01)
Fewest assists against	0 by Lake Superior State (12/1/01)
.....	0 by Lake Superior State (2/23/02)
Most goals in a period	4 vs. Lake Superior State, 1st period (12/1/01)
.....	vs. Alaska Fairbanks, 2nd period (2/02/02)
Most goals against in a period	5 by Union College; 3rd period (10/12/01)
Most shots for in a game	47 at Bowling Green (12/8/01)
.....	47 vs. Nebraska-Omaha (1/19/02)
Most shots against in a game	43 by Michigan State (2/09/02)
Most shots in a period	22 vs. Nebraska-Omaha, 3rd period (1/19/02)
Most shots against in a period	20 by Michigan State; 2nd period (2/09/02)
Fewest shots for in a game	16 at Northern Michigan (11/2/01)
Fewest shots against in a game	16 at Lake Superior State (2/23/02)
Fewest shots in a period	2 vs. Ohio State; 1st period (10/20/01)
.....	2 at Northern Michigan; 3rd period (11/3/01)
Fewest shots against in a period	2 by Lake Superior State; 1st period (12/2/01)
.....	2 by Nebraska-Omaha, 2nd period (1/18/02)
.....	2 at Lake Superior State, 3rd period (2/23/02)
Most PIM in a game	24 for 78 minutes at Northern Michigan (11/3/01)
Fewest PIM in a game	3 for 6 minutes vs. Ohio State (10/20/01)
.....	3 for 6 minutes vs. Princeton (12/29/01)
Most opponent penalties in a game	18 for 47 by Northern Michigan (11/3/01)
Fewest opponent penalties in a game	1 for 2 minutes by Ohio State (10/21/01)
Most power play chances	11 vs. Union College (10/12/01)
Most power play goals	2 vs. Ferris State (11/09/01)
.....	2 vs. Ferris State (11/10/01)
.....	2 vs. Bowling Green (12/8/01)
.....	2 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (2/02/02)
Most opponent power play chances	10 by Lake Superior State (12/1/01; 0-10)
.....	10 by Northeastern (10/27/01; 1-10)
Most opponent power play goals	2 by 11 teams - Alaska Fairbanks (2-02-02; 2-6)

OVERTIME GAME-WINNERS: Aaron Gill's overtime game-winner versus Miami (Jan. 25) was the first by an Irish player in a CCHA game since Feb. 5, 2000 when **Dan Carlson** got the winning goal in overtime at Ohio State. The last time Notre Dame won a game in overtime was Oct. 17, 2000 when **Connor Dunlop** got the game-deciding goal in overtime at home versus Wayne State. Over the last three seasons, Notre Dame is 4-1-20 in overtime. The lone loss came during January of 2000 when the Irish lost at home to Ferris State.

PUCK SLOWDOWN: The 16 shots on goal by Lake Superior State on Feb. 23 were the fewest shots given up by the Irish this season. The previous low was 19 by Nebraska-Omaha on Jan. 18, 2002.

GALVIN-IZED: Defenseman **Tom Galvin (So., Miller Place, N.Y.)** has proven to be an offensive force on the Notre Dame blueline this season. The sophomore defenseman leads the Irish defensive corps with 19 points on three goals and 16 assists this season to rank sixth in team scoring. Galvin picked up a pair of assists in the 6-5 loss to Alaska Fairbanks (2/2) and now has four multiple-point games this season. As a freshman, Galvin recorded four assists in 26 games played.

KIMENTO IN ACTION: Senior goaltender **Jeremiah Kimento (Palos Hills, Ill.)** has seen action in two games this season. Kimento played 40 minutes at Miami (1/26) and gave up four goals on 19 shots to take the loss. On Feb. 2 versus Alaska Fairbanks, Kimento played 38:55, giving up two goals on 20 shots and was credited with the loss since he surrendered the eventual game-winning goal. For the year, Kimento is 0-2-0 with a 4.56 goals against average and a .846 save percentage.

SCORING EARLY: Senior **David Inman** and juniors **Connor Dunlop** and **John Wroblewski (Neenah, Wis.)** have combined to score 11 of Notre Dame's first goals of the game this season. Inman leads the team with four while Dunlop and Wroblewski have three each.

SCORING FIRST: The Irish have scored the first goal of the game in 19 of their first 32 games and are 12-5-2 in those games. A year ago, the Irish scored the first goal in just 14 of their 39 games and were 7-3-4 in those games.

TURNING ON THE POWER: The Irish power play was 1-for-5 on the power play in the two games at Lake Superior State. Over the last 12 games, the Irish

Multiple Point Games For

Five Points:	
Player (#games)	Last Time (totals)
Four Points:	
Player (#games)	Last Time (totals)
David Inman (2)	2-01-02 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (1-3-4)
Connor Dunlop (2)	2-02-02 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (1-3-4)
Three Points:	
Player (#games)	Last Time (totals)
David Inman (2)	1-11-02 vs. Northern Michigan (1-2-3)
Connor Dunlop (2)	2-01-02 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (1-2-3)
Evan Nielsen (1)	2-01-02 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (1-2-3)
Michael Chin (1)	12-08-01 vs. Bowling Green (1-2-3)
Yan Stastny (1)	12-08-01 vs. Bowling Green (0-3-3)
Rob Globke (1)	10-12-01 vs. Union College (2-1-3)
Two Points:	
Player (#games)	Last Time (totals)
Connor Dunlop (8)	2-22-02 vs. Lake Superior (0-2-2)
Aaron Gill (5)	2-23-02 vs. Lake Superior (0-2-2)
David Inman (4)	1-25-02 vs. Miami (0-2-2)
Michael Chin (4)	1-26-02 vs. Miami (1-1-2)
Tom Galvin (4)	2-02-02 vs. Alaska Fairbanks (0-2-2)
Yan Stastny (3)	2-23-02 vs. Lake Superior (2-0-2)
Rob Globke (2)	1-1-02 vs. Northern Michigan (1-1-2)
Alex Lalonde (2)	12-01-01 vs. Lake Superior State (1-1-2)
John Wroblewski (1)	12-29-01 vs. Princeton (2-0-2)
Neil Komadoski (1)	11-16-01 at Western Michigan (0-2-2)
Brett Lebda (1)	11-02-01 at No. Michigan (2-0-2)
Evan Nielsen (1)	12-01-01 vs. Lake Superior State (1-1-2)

Multiple Point Games Against

Five Points:	
Player	
Four Points:	
Player (#games)	Last Time (totals)
3 Times	
Bobby Andrews (UAF)	2-01-02 (1-3-4)
Derek Edwardson (MIA)	1-26-02 (3-1-4)
Nick Jardine (MIA)	1-26-02 (2-2-4)
Three Points:	
Player	Last Time (totals)
10 Times	
Felipe Larranaga (UAF)	2-02-02 (1-2-3)
Bobby Andrews (UAF)	2-02-02 (0-3-3)
Cam Keith (UAF)	2-02-02 (0-3-3)
Aaron Voros (UAF)	2-01-02 (2-1-3)
Felipe Larranaga (UAF)	2-01-02 (0-3-3)
Two Points:	
Player	Last Time (totals)
40 times	
Duncan Keith (MSU)	2-09-02 (1-1-2)
Ryan Campbell (UAF)	2-02-02 (2-0-2)
Aaron Voros (UAF)	2-02-02 (2-0-2)
Ryan Lang (UAF)	2-02-02 (1-1-2)
Cam Keith (UAF)	2-01-02 (2-0-2)

power play has scored eight times in 64 chances (12.5%). For the season, the Irish are 23 for 155 (14.8%). **David Inman** leads the team with seven power play goals while **Aaron Gill** and **Michael Chin** have three each. **John Wroblewski**, **Connor Dunlop**, **Rob Globke** and **Brett Lebda** each have two goals with the man-advantage while **Yan Stastny** and **Alex Lalonde** each have one.

FIRST TIME OUT: Freshman **Ryan Mundt** (Edgartown, Mass.) made his first appearance of the season for the Irish versus Alaska Fairbanks. The 5-7, 150-pound walk-on center won nine of 16 face-offs and was -1 in the game.

CENTRAL SCOUTING RATINGS: The National Hockey League's Central Scouting Service has released its midseason rankings of North American players eligible for the 2002 Entry Draft which will be held in Toronto, June 22-23. Included in the list of 240 players are 13 players from the CCHA including three Notre Dame players. Forward **Rob Globke** is ranked eighth overall while center **Yan Stastny** is ranked 94th and forward **Alex Lalonde** is 240th.

SHOT STUFF: The Irish won their third game of the season while being outshot in the 3-2 win at Michigan State. Notre Dame was outshot 36-24 in the game. The Irish are 3-8-4 when outshot in games. They are 9-6-1 when outshooting the opposition.

USA...USA...USA: Notre Dame's **Rob Globke** and **Brett Lebda** represented the United States as members of the U.S. Junior National team that finished 4-1-2 (fifth place) at the World Championships in early January. Globke, in his second appearance with the team, had two goals and one assist for three points in seven games while Lebda had one goal in the tournament. The Irish have had at least one player on the National Junior team in each of the last six years and along with Boston College have had 11 players in that period.

NOTRE DAME PLAYERS ON JUNIOR NATIONAL TEAM: (since '96-'97):

- Ben Simon - 1996-97, 1997-98
- Joe Dusbabek - 1997-98
- Dan Carlson - 1998-99
- Brett Henning - 1999-2000
- Connor Dunlop** - 1999-2000, 2000-01
- David Inman** - 1999-2000
- Rob Globke** - 2000-01, 2001-02
- Brett Lebda** - 2001-02

PENALTY SHOTS: After not being involved with a penalty shot either for or against for over two seasons, Notre Dame has had two called this season. On Dec. 8 at Bowling Green, Irish goaltender **Morgan Cey** stopped BG's Greg Day at 9:52 of the second period. That was the first penalty shot called against the Irish since Mar. 13, 1999 when **Matt Eisler** stopped Michigan's Bill Muckalt in a 4-2 Notre Dame win in the CCHA playoffs. Earlier this season (Oct. 12), sophomore **Rob Globke** scored on a penalty shot versus Union College's Brandon Snee at 3:41 of the third period in the 7-4 loss to Union College. That was the first penalty shot by an Irish player since Feb. 5, 1998 when **Brian Urick** was stopped by Ohio State's Jeff Maund.

SAM'S THE MAN: Senior left wing **Sam Cornelius**, playing in just his third game of the season, scored the winning goal in the 4-2 win over Princeton (Dec.

NOTRE DAME GOALTENDING GAME-BY GAME

#1 Tony Zasowski Jr.		5-11, 200		Darien, Ill./Omaha Lancers (USHL)								
Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/27	at Northeastern	1/1	65:00	3	2.77	29	.906	0	0	1	1	0
11/10	Ferris State	1/1	65:00	3	2.77	26	.901	0	0	2	1	0
12/2	Lake Superior	1/1	60:00	2	2.53	17	.900	1	0	2	0	0
2/1	Alaska Fairbanks	1/0	27:02	1	2.49	10	.901	1	1	2	0	1
Totals		4/3	217:02	9	2.49	82	.901	1	1	2	2	1

#29 Morgan Cey Fr.		6-3, 174		Wilkie, Sask./Flin Flon Bombers (SJHL)								
Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/11	Union College	1/1	59:16	2	2.02	28	.933	0	1	0	0	0
10/12	Union College	1/1	60:00	7	4.53	16	.830	0	2	0	2	1
10/20	at Ohio State	1/1	65:00	4	4.23	32	.854	0	2	1	0	0
10/21	at Ohio State	1/1	58:35	3	3.95	31	.870	0	3	1	0	0
10/26	at Boston College	1/1	59:09	3	3.77	35	.882	0	4	1	0	0
11/2	at No. Michigan	1/1	60:00	4	3.81	19	.875	1	4	1	0	0
11/3	at No. Michigan	1/1	60:00	4	3.84	18	.874	1	5	1	2	0
11/9	Ferris State	1/1	60:00	2	3.61	29	.879	2	5	1	1	0
11/16	at Western Mich.	1/1	65:00	4	3.62	31	.879	2	5	2	2	0
11/17	at Western Mich.	1/1	60:00	4	3.66	27	.878	2	6	2	2	0
12/1	Lake Superior St.	1/1	60:00	0	3.33	20	.885	3	6	2	0	0
12/7	at Bowling Green	1/1	60:00	3	3.30	28	.887	4	6	2	2	0
12/8	at Bowling Green	1/1	58:55	3	3.29	25	.887	4	7	2	1	0
12/28	at Princeton	1/1	60:00	1	3.12	21	.891	5	7	2	0	0
12/29	at Princeton	1/1	60:00	2	3.05	27	.894	6	7	2	0	0
1/4	Michigan	1/1	65:00	3	3.03	33	.896	6	7	3	2	0
1/5	Michigan	1/1	58:48	2	2.97	37	.900	6	8	3	0	1
1/11	No. Michigan	1/1	60:00	1	2.86	36	.905	7	8	3	1	0
1/12	No. Michigan	1/1	58:23	3	2.88	38	.906	7	9	3	0	0
1/18	Nebraska-Omaha	1/1	59:00	3	2.88	16	.904	7	10	3	1	0
1/19	Nebraska-Omaha	1/1	57:57	4	2.94	23	.902	7	11	3	2	0
1/25	at Miami	1/1	64:10	3	2.94	33	.903	8	11	3	2	0
1/26	at Miami	1/1	20:00	3	3.03	9	.900	8	11	3	2	0
2/1	Alaska Fairbanks	1/1	31:45	5	3.17	22	.897	8	11	3	2	0
2/2	Alaska Fairbanks	1/1	20:00	4	3.30	9	.893	8	11	3	1	0
2/8	at Michigan State	1/1	59:02	1	3.21	41	.897	8	12	3	1	0
2/9	at Michigan State	1/1	60:00	2	3.16	34	.900	9	12	3	0	0
2/22	at Lake Superior	1/1	60:00	1	3.13	20	.901	10	12	3	0	0
2/23	at Lake Superior	1/1	60:00	0	2.96	16	.903	11	12	3	0	0
Totals		29/29	1639:20	81	2.96	754	.903	11	12	3	26	2

#40 Jeremiah Kimento Sr.		5-11, 195		Palos Hills, Ill./Danville Wings (NAHL)								
Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
1/26	at Miami	1/0	40:00	4	6.00	15	.789	0	1	0	0	0
2/2	Alaska Fairbanks	1/0	38:55	2	4.56	18	.846	0	2	0	1	0
Totals		2/0	78:55	6	4.56	33	.846	0	2	0	1	0

29). Cornelius followed the goal versus Princeton by helping set up **Michael Chin's** goal in the 2-1 loss to Michigan. A converted defenseman, Cornelius has now scored three goals in his career with two of them being game-winners. His first game-winner came during his freshman year (1998-99) versus Ferris State.

END OF THE LINE: Notre Dame goaltender **Morgan Cey** recorded a career-best shutout streak of 11:24 between Nov. 17 and Dec. 7. Cey stopped Western

Michigan for the final 13:40 of the third period on Nov. 17 and then followed that with a Dec. 1 shutout of Lake Superior State. The streak was snapped when Bowling Green scored at 17:44 of the second period in the 6-3 win over Bowling Green on Dec. 7.

CAREER BESTS: **Michael Chin**, **Yan Stastny** and **Tom Galvin** all had career-best games in the 6-3 win over Bowling Green (Dec. 7). Chin (a goal and two assists) and Stastny (three assists) each had career-high three-point games. Galvin had the first two-

goal game of his career.

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Defenseman **Evan Nielsen (Jr., Evanston, Ill.)** was selected the CCHA's Defensive Player of the Week for the week ending Dec. 2. Nielsen anchored Notre Dame's in the 7-0 shutout and a 5-2 win over Lake Superior State. He was also part of a penalty-killing unit that killed 14 consecutive Laker power play chances. The Irish captain also joined the offensive attack scoring a goal and adding an assist in the 7-0 win. For the weekend, Nielsen was a +5. He is the first Notre Dame player to take defensive player of the week honors since Feb. 20, 2000 when **Tony Zasowski** was selected for the honor.

CEY CAN YOU SEE: Freshman goaltender **Morgan Cey** recorded his first Notre Dame shutout by making 20 saves in Notre Dame's 7-0 win over Lake Superior (12/1). The shutout was the first by an Irish goaltender since Dec. 4, 1999 when **Tony Zasowski** blanked Michigan State, 1-0. The shutout was the 27th in Notre Dame history and the 10th by an Irish goaltender in CCHA play. The 7-0 win was the largest margin of victory by an Irish goaltender against a CCHA team.

MARGIN OF VICTORY: The seven goals scored by Notre Dame in the 7-0 shutout of Lake Superior State is the largest margin of victory the Irish have ever had in a CCHA contest. The seven-goal win was the biggest by Notre Dame since a 10-2 win over St. Francis Xavier on Oct. 14, 1994.

WCHA TOP 50: Irish hockey great **Bill Nyrop** has been selected to the WCHA's Top 50 all-time players list that will be announced throughout the 2001-02 season, the 50th anniversary of the league. Nyrop was included in the first list of 10 players announced on Nov. 29. The Irish were members of the WCHA from 1971 through 1981. Nyrop played at Notre Dame from 1970-74 and was Notre Dame's first All-American - selected first team All-America and second team all-WCHA following the 1972-73 season. During his Notre Dame career, he played in 132 games with 17 goals and 72 assists for 89 points. Selected in the fourth round of the 1972 NHL Entry Draft, he played on three Stanley Cup championship teams (1976, 1977 and 1978) with the Montreal Canadiens. He died at the age of 43 in December of 1995.

FIVE IN A ROW: Goaltender **Morgan Cey** started the first five games of his Notre Dame career to join **Greg Louder (1990-94)** as the only two goaltenders to play the first five games of their careers. Cey and Louder are the last two rookies to start a season opener in goal at Notre Dame. Cey made 28 saves in a 2-1 loss to Union College on Oct. 11. Louder made 36 saves in a 7-2 loss at Minnesota on Oct. 23, 1990. Cey's streak was stopped after five games when junior **Tony Zasowski** made his first start of the season versus Northeastern. Louder went on to start all 33 games that season, missing just 30 minutes of play, while turning in a 16-15-2 record. For the year, Cey has started 15 of Notre Dame's 18 games on the season.

ONE FOR ZASOWSKI: Goaltender **Tony Zasowski** picked up his first win of the season in Notre Dame's 5-2 win over Lake Superior State. The junior goaltender made 17 saves. The start versus the Lakers was his third of the season. He recorded ties at Northeastern (Oct. 27) and versus Ferris State (Nov. 10). For the year, Zasowski is 1-0-2 with a 2.53 goals

against average and a .900 save percentage.

FOUR-POINT WEEKEND: Sophomore defenseman **Tom Galvin (So., Miller Place, N.Y.)** scored as many points in two games versus Ferris State (Nov. 9-10) as he did in 26 games last year. Galvin turned in the first two multiple-point games of his career with a pair of assists in each contest. Last season, the 5-9, 187-pound blueliner had four assists for the year. Galvin leads Notre Dame defensemen with three goals and 11 assists for 14 points.

CAREER FIRSTS: **T.J. Mathieson (So., Clarksville, Md.)** and **Kyle Dolder (So., Hutchinson, Minn.)** each scored their first collegiate goals in the 5-2 win over Ferris State (11/9). For Dolder, his goal was also the first game-winning goal of his career. Defenseman **Tom Galvin** also had the first multiple point games of his career collecting two assists in each of the Ferris State games (11/9 and 11/10). Goaltender **Tony Zasowski (Jr., Darien, Ill.)** recorded the first assist of his Notre Dame career when he helped set up Brett Lebda's second period goal in the 3-3 tie with Ferris State (11/10). Zasowski picked up his second assist of the season versus Alaska Fairbanks (2/1/02).

LEBDA FOR THE DEFENSE: Sophomore defenseman **Brett Lebda** turned in the first two-goal game of his career in the 5-4 win over Northern Michigan. For the offensive-minded blueliner, the two goals were his first of the season. In the win over Northern, Lebda also had a career-high 10 shots on goal, passing his previous best of eight set in his rookie year versus Niagara at the Maverick Stampede.

IRON MEN: Sophomore defenseman **Brett Lebda (So., Buffalo Grove, Ill.)** saw his streak of 55 consecutive games snapped when he did not play for the Irish at Princeton (12/28-29). His streak was broken while he played for the U.S. Junior National Team at the World Junior Championships. Lebda had the longest streak of consecutive games for the Irish since graduated right wing **Ryan Dolder** played in 103 consecutive games over a three-season period including every game in 1999-00 and 2000-01. Lebda has now played in 67 of 71 games in his career. Dolder's teammate, **Dan Carlson** was the only other Irish player to played in every game over his last two seasons. Carlson finished his career playing in 101 consecutive games. For his career, Carlson played in 158 of a possible 160 games. The only two he missed came while playing at the World Junior Championships in 1998-99. Notre Dame's consecutive game leaders (as of Feb. 12, 2001):

- Jake Wiegand** - 69 games
- Evan Nielsen** - 68 games
- John Wroblewski** - 67 games
- Neil Komadoski** - 60 games
- David Inman** - 59 games

PENALTY MARK: With 24 penalties for 78 minutes in the loss to Northern Michigan, the Irish set school records for both penalties and minutes. The previous record for penalties was 22 at Michigan State (3/4/00). The previous penalty-minute record was 77 and was also set versus Northern Michigan on Dec. 12, 1981. **Rob Globke (So., West Bloomfield, Mich.)** led the Irish with six penalties for 31 minutes.

CLOSING THE DEAL: After going 50 games (42-0-8)

without losing when taking a lead into the third period, the Irish lost two in a row with a third-period lead. The losses at Ohio State (10/21) and Boston College (10/26) snapped the 50-game unbeaten string that went back to Jan. 9, 1998. Prior to this season, that was the last time the Irish lost when leading after two periods. In that game, UAF's Sean Fraser tied the game (2-2) with a power-play goal in the third minute of the final period before Chris Kirwan converted a breakaway with 0:45 left in overtime. Since the loss at Boston College, the Irish are now 10-0-1 in games that they lead after two periods of play.

FOR OPENERS: Notre Dame's 2-1 season-opening loss to Union College on Oct. 11 makes the Irish 17-18-0 in season openers in the 35 years of hockey during the modern era at Notre Dame. Notre Dame is 0-3 in its last three season openers with the last win coming on Oct. 2, 1998, a 2-1 win over Wisconsin in the first game played at the Kohl Center in Madison, Wis. Notre Dame is also 20-15 in its first 35 home openers. The Irish opened with a win at home last season, a 2-1 overtime win versus Wayne State.

FIVE-GOAL PERIOD: Union College exploded for five third-period goals in the 7-4 win over the Irish on Oct. 12. The last time the Irish surrendered five goals in a period was on Nov. 20, 1998 when Western Michigan scored five goals in the third period of a 9-5 Notre Dame victory.

BLOODLINES: Four current members of the Notre Dame hockey program - senior forward **Jon Maruk**, junior center **Connor Dunlop**, sophomore defenseman **Neil Komadoski** and freshman forward **Yan Stastny** - hold a unique connection, as each of their fathers enjoyed a lengthy career in the National Hockey League.

Dennis Maruk played 14 NHL seasons-with the California Golden Seals ('75-'76), Cleveland Barons ('76-'78), Minnesota North Stars ('78-'79, '83-'88) and the Washington Capitals ('78-'83)-and finished as the NHL's fourth-leading scorer in 1982 (60G-76A) while compiling 878 career points (356G-522A) in 888 games.

Blake Dunlop played 11 seasons in pro hockey ('73-'84), including NHL stints with the Minnesota North Stars ('73-'77), Philadelphia Flyers ('77-'79), St. Louis Blues ('79-'84) and Detroit Red Wings ('83-'84), while totaling 130G-274A in 550 career NHL games.

Neil Komadoski, Sr., played eight NHL seasons as a defenseman with the Los Angeles Kings ('72-'78) and the St. Louis Blues ('77-'80), totaling 16G-76A and 632 penalty minutes in 501 career games.

Rounding out the quartet is **Peter Stastny** who played 15 seasons in the NHL with the Quebec Nordiques ('80-'90), the New Jersey Devils ('90-'93) and the St. Louis Blues ('93-'95) is currently the 23rd all-time scorer in league history with 450 goals, 789 assists and 1,239 points in 997 games. A six-time NHL all-star, Stastny is the highest scoring European-born player in NHL history and was elected to the Hall of Fame in 1998. The 1981 NHL rookie-of-the-year, Stastny is currently a special assignment scout for the St. Louis Blues and will serve as general manager for the 2002 Slovakia Olympic team.

Notre Dame's NHL connection doesn't stop there. Senior **Brett Henning** who suffered a career-ending neck injury last season is the son of former NHL player and coach **Lorne Henning** who played nine seasons

BOWLING GREEN GAME NOTES: March 1-2, 2002

with the New York Islanders ('72-'81) and has been involved in coaching over the last 15 years. An original member of the Islanders, Henning compiled 73 goals and 111 assists as a forward over his 543-game career and played a major role in a four-year Stanley Cup dynasty ('80-'83). Henning served as an assistant with the Islanders from '80-'84 and '87-'94, as head coach for the Minnesota North Stars ('85-'87) and the Islanders ('94-'95), and as a Chicago Blackhawks assistant from '95-'98 before returning in '98-'99 to the Islanders, as associate coach.

Freshman forward **Alexander "Newsy" Lalonde** also has NHL lineage as he is a distant relative of NHL pioneer and Hall of Famer, **Edouard "Newsy" Lalonde**. Lalonde played for the Montreal Canadiens and the New York Americans between 1917 and 1927 for a total of six seasons in which he scored 124 goals and 41 assists for 165 points in 99 games.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW: Several former Notre Dame hockey players are playing professionally this season:

Mark Eaton - Nashville Predators (NHL)

Ben Simon '00 - Chicago Wolves (AHL)/called up to the Atlanta Thrashers (NHL) on Nov. 10th. Returned to Chicago on Nov. 14.

Dan Carlson '01 - Saint John's Flames (AHL)/Johnstown Chiefs (ECHL)

Jamie Ling '96 - Dayton Bombers (ECHL) - player-assistant coach.

Benoit Cotnoir '99 - Richmond Renegades (ECHL)/traded to Mobile Mystics 11/24

Aniket Dhadphale '99 - Trenton Titans (ECHL)/signed by Providence Bruins on Jan. 11.

Sean Molina '00 - Trenton Titans (ECHL)

Joe Dusbabek '00 - Roanoke Express (ECHL)

Ryan Clark '01 - Mississippi Seawolves (ECHL)

Matt Van Arkel '01 - Pee Dee Pride (ECHL)/Trenton Titans (ECHL)/released by Trenton 11/25/signed by Fort Wayne Comets (UHL) 11/28/resigned by Trenton Titans (ECHL) 1/25.

HOMETOWNS: The 2001-02 Notre Dame hockey team features players from nine states and three Canadian provinces - Alberta, Ontario and Saskatchewan. In the six-year tenure of head coach Dave Poulin, the Notre Dame hockey letterwinners have hailed from 20 different states and provinces - those listed below, plus: Alaska, British Columbia, Colorado, Delaware, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Prince Edward Island and Quebec.

2001-02 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY - BY STATE OR PROVINCE:

Illinois (6): Michael Chin, Jeremiah Kimento, Brett Lebda, Evan Nielsen, Tony Zasowski, Joe Zurenko
Minnesota (4): Sam Cornelius, Kyle Dolder, Aaron Gill, Jon Maruk

Michigan (3): Rob Globke, Jake Wiegand, Derek Smith

Missouri (3): Connor Dunlop, Neil Komadoski, Yan Stastny

Ontario (2): David Inman, Alex Lalonde

Alberta (1): Brad Wanchulak

Connecticut (1): Paul Harris

Maryland (1): T.J. Mathieson

New York (1): Tom Galvin

North Dakota (1): Cory McLean

Saskatchewan (1): Morgan Cey

Wisconsin (1): John Wroblewski

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS: Notre Dame is the nation's only Division I hockey program to produce a Verizon/CoSIDA Academic All-American during each of the past five seasons (as part of the fall-winter at-large program). **Dan Carlson** kept the streak going in 2000-01 by earning third team honors with a 3.49 gpa and a double major in finance and computer applications. He joins two-time selection **Steve Noble** who took second-team honors in 1996-97 and first-team honors in '97-'98, goaltender **Forrest Karr** who was a second teamer in '98-'99 and left wing **Andy Jurkowski** who was a third team selection in 1999-2000.

CCHA ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM: Notre Dame 2001 graduate and two-time team MVP, left wing **Dan Carlson** (Edina, Minn.) was named to the prestigious eight-player CCHA All-Academic Team for 2000-01, making Notre Dame the CCHA's only school to produce an All-Academic honoree each of the last six seasons. Carlson led the Irish in scoring for the second consecutive season (17-25-42) and was also an honorable mention all-CCHA selection. A six-time Dean's List student, Carlson graduated from Notre Dame with a 3.49 cumulative grade point average and a double major in finance and computer applications. Notre Dame has produced eight previous first team CCHA All-Academic selections since rejoining the CCHA in '92-'93: **Curtis Janicke** and **Carl Picconatto** ('92-'93), **Garry Gruber** ('95-'96), **Steve Noble** ('96-'97, '97-'98), **Forrest Karr** and **Aniket Dhadphale** ('98-'99) and **Andy Jurkowski** ('99-'00). During that nine-year span, only Western Michigan (10) has produced more CCHA All-Academic selections than Notre Dame's nine.

CENTURY MEN: Left wing **Dan Carlson** became the fourth Notre Dame hockey player to reach 100 points for his career in the last four seasons. He finished his career with 50 goals and 82 assists for 132 career points, good for 20th on the school's all-time scoring list. The Edina, Minn., native joins right wing **Brian Urick** (57G-69A) and left wing **Aniket Dhadphale** (61G-44A) who each reached 100 points in the 1998-99 season and center **Ben Simon** (44G-86A) who reached the milestone in 1999-2000. Carlson is just the fifth Notre Dame player to score over 100 points in his career since the Irish returned to the CCHA in '92-'93. Only center **Jamie Ling** (1992-96) has scored more points (51-102-153) than Carlson over the past nine seasons. **David Inman** is the Irish player with the best chance to reach 100 points this season. The senior forward has 49 goals and 41 assists for 90 points in his career.

PATRIOTIC GROUP: The Notre Dame hockey team is no stranger to the National Team Development Program (NTDP) which includes the Under-18 and Under-17 teams. Nine members of this year's Irish hockey roster have come through the National program. In fact, Notre Dame and the University of Minnesota currently have the most NTDP alums (9). For the Irish, that group includes injured senior forward **Brett Henning**, four members of the junior class - forwards **Michael Chin**, **Connor Dunlop** and **John Wroblewski** and defenseman **Paul Harris** - plus three sophomores: center **Rob Globke** and defensemen **Neil Komadoski** and **Brett Lebda**. From Notre Dame's freshman class, defenseman **Derek Smith** played for the Under-18 team during the 2000-01 campaign.

MIDWEST MAGIC: Notre Dame continues to reap the benefits of the rapidly-improving youth hockey programs in the lower Midwest (namely Illinois and

Missouri), as one-third of the current roster includes players from Illinois (6) or Missouri (3). Four are products of the USA Hockey National Team Development Program (NTDP): junior right wing **Michael Chin** (Urbana, Ill.), junior center **Connor Dunlop** (St. Louis, Mo.) and freshmen defensemen **Brett Lebda** (Buffalo Grove, Ill.) and **Neil Komadoski** (Chesterfield, Mo.). Junior defenseman **Evan Nielsen** (Evanston, Ill.) was invited to join the NTDP but returned for his senior year at The Taft School.

Notre Dame's other Illinois natives includes the team's top returning goaltenders - senior **Jeremiah Kimento** (Palos Hills) and junior **Tony Zasowski** (Darien) - plus freshman defenseman **Joe Zurenko** (Arlington Heights). Joining Dunlop and Komadoski from the St. Louis area is freshman forward **Yan Stastny** (St. Louis). Prior to 1995, the Notre Dame hockey program had produced just eight total letterwinners from Illinois and two from Missouri.

WINNERS: Two of the newest members of the Notre Dame hockey team were members of national champion teams during the 2000-01 season. Forwards **Yan Stastny** and **Brad Wanchulak** were members of junior hockey national championship teams in the United States and Canada. Stastny played for the USHL's Omaha Lancers while Wanchulak played for the Camrose Kodiaks of the Alberta Junior Hockey League. Stastny scored six goals and added six assists in 12 postseason games as Omaha won the USHL's Clark Cup as league champions and then followed by winning the Gold Cup as champions of junior hockey in the U.S. Wanchulak also played a key role in helping Camrose to the Canadian national title. He was the AJHL playoff Most Valuable Player helping the Kodiaks to the AJHL title. In the Royal Bank Cup, which brings together the champions of all the Canadian junior leagues, Wanchulak scored the winning goal in the championship game versus Flin Flon.

BOWLING GREEN GAME NOTES: March 1-2, 2002

PRESEASON POLLS: The CCHA Media Poll was announced on Sept. 25th at the annual CCHA Media Day at Detroit's Joe Louis Arena. In the vote of the league's media, Michigan State received 22 first place votes, while Michigan, Nebraska-Omaha, Ohio State and Miami each received one. The media selected Notre Dame to finish 11th overall. Nationally, the *USA Today/American Hockey Magazine* has three CCHA teams ranked in the top 15. Michigan State is 1st after finishing third last season, Michigan is fourth, the same spot they finished in April and Nebraska-Omaha starts the season ranked 13th.

CCHA Coaches Poll (1st-place votes)	Points
1. Michigan State (22)	306
2. Michigan (1)	273
3. Nebraska-Omaha (1)	241
4. Ohio State (1)	207
5. Northern Michigan	184
6. Miami (1)	182
7. Western Michigan	172
8. Bowling Green	110
9. Lake Superior State	101
10. Ferris State	98
11. Notre Dame	90
12. Alaska-Fairbanks	64

USA TODAY/Amer. Hockey Mag. (February 25)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. Denver (14)	27-5-1	277	1
2. St. Cloud State (1)	27-6-2	262	2
3. New Hampshire (2)	22-6-3	238	3
4. Michigan State	23-6-5	213	4
5. Boston University (2)	23-7-2	211	5
6. Minnesota	24-7-4	208	6
7. Michigan	20-9-5	152	9
8. Cornell	19-6-2	148	8
9. Maine	19-9-6	137	10
10. Colorado College	20-11-3	115	7
11. Alaska Fairbanks	19-10-3	101	11
12. Northern Michigan	21-11-2	71	12
13. Western Michigan	19-11-4	44	NR
14. UMass-Lowell	18-11-3	38	15
15. Nebraska-Omaha	19-13-4	20	14

U.S. College Hockey Online. (February 25)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. Denver (26)	27-6-1	584	1
2. St. Cloud St. (3)	27-6-2	549	2
3. New Hampshire (10)	22-6-3	533	3
4. Minnesota	24-7-4	456	4
5. Michigan State (1)	23-6-5	443	5
6. Boston University	23-7-2	424	6
7. Maine	19-9-6	323	9
8. Michigan	20-9-5	304	10
9. Cornell	19-6-2	297	8
10. Colorado College	20-11-3	257	7
11. Alaska Fairbanks	19-10-3	208	11
12. Northern Michigan	21-11-2	139	12
13. Western Michigan	19-11-4	119	15
14. UMass-Lowell	18-11-3	71	14
15. Northeastern	17-14-3	29	13

2001-02 CENTRAL COLLEGIATE HOCKEY ASSOCIATION STANDINGS

TEAM	CCHA					OVERALL							
	GP	W	L	T	PTS	GF	GA	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA
1. Michigan State	26	17	5	4	38	83	44	34	23	6	5	103	59
Michigan	26	17	5	4	38	87	52	34	20	9	5	117	81
3. Alaska Fairbanks	28	15	10	3	33	91	85	32	19	10	3	114	93
4. Northern Michigan	26	14	10	2	30	78	66	34	21	11	2	114	89
Nebraska-Omaha	28	13	11	4	30	72	64	36	19	13	4	100	90
6. Western Michigan	26	13	10	3	29	88	82	34	19	11	4	116	102
7. Ohio State	27	12	11	4	28	70	78	35	17	14	4	95	99
8. Notre Dame	26	10	12	4	24	87	82	32	12	15	5	102	101
9. Ferris State	26	11	14	1	23	83	79	32	14	17	1	110	97
10. Miami	27	8	17	2	18	65	87	33	11	20	2	83	111
11. Bowling Green	26	7	16	3	17	74	96	36	9	21	6	94	129
12. Lake Superior State	26	4	20	2	10	35	98	32	7	23	2	51	113

THIS WEEK IN THE CCHA

Monday, February 25

at Ohio State 4, Miami 1

Thursday, February 28

MSU-Mankato at Nebraska-Omaha

Friday, March 1

Bowling Green at Notre Dame

Michigan State at Ferris State, 7:35 p.m.
Lake Superior at Northern Michigan
Western Michigan at Michigan, 7:35 p.m.
Ohio State at Miami, 7:35 p.m.
Alaska Fairbanks at Alaska Anchorage

Saturday, March 2

Bowling Green at Notre Dame

Ferris State at Michigan State
Northern Michigan at Lake Superior
Michigan at Western Michigan
Alaska Fairbanks at Alaska Anchorage
Nebraska-Omaha at MSU-Mankato

LAST WEEK IN THE CCHA

Friday, February 22

Notre Dame 3, at Lake Superior 1

at Alaska Fairbanks 3, Nebraska-Omaha 2
Northern Michigan 4, at Bowling Green 1
at Western Michigan 5, Ferris State 3
Michigan State 3, at Miami 1
at Michigan 4, Ohio State 0

Saturday, February 23

Notre Dame 6, at Lake Superior 0

Nebraska-Omaha 2, at Alaska Fairbanks 2
at Bowling Green 6, Northern Michigan 0
Western Michigan 5, at Ferris State 3
Michigan State 4, at Miami 3
at Michigan 6, Ohio State 3

2001-2002 CCHA TELEVISION SCHEDULE: The Central Collegiate Hockey Association and FOX Sports Net Detroit have announced the 2001-02 CCHA hockey schedule. The schedule will feature 13 games including four CCHA tournament games in March.

The package is highlighted by coverage of the historic Cold War - the Oct. 6 meeting between Michigan and Michigan State which will be played in front of a record-setting 72,000 fans at Spartan Stadium.

Regular season action will resume on Jan. 4 with Notre Dame's game versus Michigan at the Joyce Center. In all nine of the league's 12 teams will be featured including Bowling Green, Ferris State, Michigan, Michigan State, Nebraska-Omaha, Northern Michigan, Notre Dame, Ohio State and Western Michigan.

FOX Sports Net Detroit will also again broadcast "CCHA Weekly," a 30-minute magazine that will provide in-depth coverage of the league and behind the scene looks into the league and its teams.

CCHA coverage on FOX Sports Net is available to more than 2.4 million households throughout Michigan and portions of Northwest Ohio and Northern Indiana.

Saturday, January 19	Michigan State at Michigan	7:00 p.m.
Friday, February 1	Michigan State at Ohio State	7:30 p.m.
Friday, February 8	Nebraska-Omaha at Michigan	7:00 p.m.
Saturday, February 16	Michigan vs. Michigan State (JLA)	7:30 p.m.
Saturday, February 23	Northern Michigan at Bowling Green	7:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 2	Ferris State at Michigan State	7:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 9	CCHA Playoffs - Quarterfinals - Teams TBD	7:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 16	CCHA Semifinals	2:00/5:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 17	CCHA Championship	7:30 p.m.

2001-2002 University of Notre Dame Hockey Roster

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>R/L</u>	<u>Birthdate</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>Previous Team</u>
1	Tony Zasowski	G	5-11	200	Jr.	L	10/12/78	Darien, IL	Omaha (NE) Lancers (USHL)
2	Joe Zurenko	D	6-1	208	Fr.	R	11/28/82	Arlington Hts., IL	Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)
3	T.J. Mathieson	D	6-2	198	So.	L	4/30/81	Clarksville, MD	Chicago (IL) Freeze (NAHL)
4	Paul Harris	D	6-2	218	Jr.	R	3/23/81	Ridgefield, CT	USA National Under-18 Team
5	Sam Cornelius	LW	5-11	205	Sr.	L	11/12/79	Edina, MN	Edina High School
7	Derek Smith	D	6-1	198	Fr.	L	4/2/83	Marysville, MI	USA National Under-18 Team
9	Jon Maruk	C/LW	5-10	187	Sr.	L	7/14/79	Eden Prairie, MN	Twin City Vulcans (USHL)
10	Cory McLean	C	5-9	175	Fr.	L	1/5/81	Fargo, ND	Chicago Steel (USHL)
11	Yan Stastny	C	5-11	182	Fr.	L	9/30/82	St. Louis, MO	Omaha Lancers (USHL)
12	David Inman (A)	C/LW	6-1	210	Sr.	L	6/13/80	Toronto, ONT	Wexford Raiders (MJHL)
13	Brett Lebda	D	5-10	195	So.	L	1/15/82	Buffalo Grove, IL	USA National Under-18 Team
14	Alex Lalonde	C/LW	6-0	178	Fr.	L	6/21/83	Newmarket, ONT	Ajax Axemen (OPJHL)
18	Rob Globke	C/RW	6-3	214	So.	R	10/24/82	West Bloomfield, MI	USA National Under-18 Team
19	Connor Dunlop (A)	C/LW	5-10	185	Jr.	L	1/5/81	St. Louis, MO	USA National Under-18 Team
20	Neil Komadoski	D	6-2	215	So.	L	2/10/82	Chesterfield, MO	USA National Under-18 Team
21	Evan Nielsen (C)	D	6-3	212	Jr.	R	5/28/81	Evanston, IL	The Taft School (CT)
22	Michael Chin	RW	6-2	210	Jr.	R	9/24/80	Urbana, IL	Des Moines (IA) Buccaneers (USHL)
23	John Wroblewski	RW	6-1	196	Jr.	R	5/26/81	Neenah, WI	USA National Under-18 Team
24	Tom Galvin	D	5-9	187	So.	L	11/2/79	Miller Place, NY	Waterloo Blackhawks (USHL)
25	Aaron Gill	C	6-1	181	So.	L	3/5/80	Rochester, MN	Rochester Mustangs (USHL)
26	Brad Wanchulak	LW	6-0	176	Fr.	L	6/18/80	Edson, ALB	Camrose Kodiaks (AJHL)
28	Jake Wiegand	LW	6-2	218	Jr.	L	3/21/79	Northville, MI	Lincoln (NE) Stars (USHL)
29	Morgan Cey	G	6-3	174	Fr.	R	10/27/81	Saskatoon, SASK	Flin Flon Bombers (SJHL)
30	Ryan Mundt	LW	5-7	150	Fr.	L	3/9/82	Edgartown, MA	Martha's Vineyard
33	Kyle Dolder	RW	5-10	182	So.	R	1/16/80	Hutchinson, MN	Des Moines Buccaneers (USHL)
40	Jeremiah Kimento	G	5-11	195	Sr.	L	11/7/79	Palos Hills, IL	Danville Wings (NAHL)

C - Captain A - Alternate Captain

Head Coach: Dave Poulin (Notre Dame '82; seventh season)

Assistant Coaches: Andy Slaggert (Notre Dame '89), John Micheletto (Dartmouth '88)

Volunteer Assistant Coach: Craig Brown (Western Michigan '01)

Undergraduate Assistant Coach: Brett Henning (Notre Dame '02)

Pronunciation Guide

29	Morgan SAY	9	Jon Muh-ruke	26	Brad Wahn-cha-luck
18	Rob GLOBE-key	3	T.J. MATH-uh-sun	28	Jake WEE-gund
12	David In-mun	10	Cory Mah-CLANE	1	Tony Zass-OW-skee
40	Jeremiah Kuh-MEN-tow	30	Ryan Munt	2	Joe Zah-renko
20	Neal Kohm-uh-DOSS-key	21	Evv-un NEEL-sun	head coach Dave POOH-lin	
13	Brett Leb-duh	11	Yawn Stas-knee	assistant coach John Mick-uh-LET-o	
		23	John Ro-BLESS-key	assistant coach Andy SLAG-urt	