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2009-10 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY NOTES

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OCTOBER

9	Alabama-Huntsville (und.com)	L, 2-3
10	Alabama-Huntsville (und.com)	W, 3-1
15	Providence College (und.com)	L, 2-3
16	Providence College	W, 2-0
20	at #3/#3 Boston University (ESPNU)	W, 3-0
23	#15/#14 Boston College (und.com)	L, 2-3
30	* Ohio State (und.com)	W, 3-1
31	* Ohio State	T, 2-2
	(OSU wins shootout, 2-1)	

NOVEMBER

6	* at #14/#13 Alaska	W, 3-2
7	* at #14/#13 Alaska	L, 1-3
14	* Northern Michigan	5:05 p.m.
15	* Northern Michigan	4:05 p.m.
19	* at Michigan State (Comcast)	7:05 p.m.
22	* vs. Michigan State @	4:05 p.m.
27	* Bowling Green	7:35 p.m.
28	* Bowling Green	7:05 p.m.

DECEMBER

4	* at Miami (Comcast)	7:35 p.m.
5	* at Miami (Comcast)	7:05 p.m.
11	* at Michigan (Comcast)	7:35 p.m.
13	* Michigan (Comcast)	4:05 p.m.

JANUARY

2	# at Shillelagh Tournament	
	vs. Colgate	6:05 p.m. (CT)
3	vs. Niagara/No. Dakota	6:05 p.m. (CT)
9	* Ferris State	7:05 p.m.
10	* Ferris State	4:05 p.m.
15	* Michigan State (CBSC)	8:05 p.m.
16	* at Michigan State	7:05 p.m.
22	* at Lake Superior State	7:05 p.m.
23	* at Lake Superior State	7:05 p.m.
29	* Nebraska-Omaha (CBSC)	8:05 p.m.
30	* Nebraska-Omaha (CBSC)	8:05 p.m.

FEBRUARY

5	* at Western Michigan	7:35 p.m.
6	* at Western Michigan	7:35 p.m.
19	* at Bowling Green	7:05 p.m.
20	* at Bowling Green	7:05 p.m.
25	* at Michigan (FSD)	7:35 p.m.
26	* Michigan (Big 10 Network)	7:05 p.m.

MARCH

5-7	at First Round CCHA Playoffs	TBA
12-14	at Second Round CCHA Playoffs	TBA
19	^ at CCHA Semifinals	TBA
20	^ at CCHA Championship	TBA

Home Games in bold

Rankings - USA Today/USCHO
@ Allen Co. War Memorial Coliseum (Ft. Wayne, Ind.)
Sears Centre (at Hoffman Estates, Ill.)
^ Joe Louis Arena (CCHA Tourn. - at Detroit, Mich.)

CBSC - CBS College Sports
FSD - Fox Sports Detroit

All Times Local To Site

#8/#8 Notre Dame Returns Home To Face Northern Michigan

- Irish coming off a weekend split at Alaska; winning 3-2 before losing game two, 3-1.
- Notre Dame looking to find goal-scoring touch after notching just 23 goals in first 10 games of the season.
- Junior center Ben Ryan runs point-scoring streak to seven games (3g, 6a, 9 pts).

• **The Game:** #8/#8 Notre Dame (5-4-1/2-1-1-0) vs. Northern Michigan (2-5-1/1-3-0-0)

• **Date/Site/Time:** Sat.-Sun., November 14-15, 2009 • Joyce Center • 5:05 p.m./4:05 p.m.

• **Broadcast Information: Radio:** Notre Dame hockey can be heard live on Cat Country 99.9 FM, starting with the pregame show 20 minutes before the opening faceoff. **Darin Pritchett** will call the action for the Irish. Due to a scheduling conflict on Cat Country 99.9 FM, Sunday's game with the Wildcats will be broadcast on Newstalk 960 WSBT starting at 3:45 p.m.

• **Internet: Audio:** Both games of the Northern Michigan series will have live audio streaming at und.com.

Live Video: Will be available for Saturday's 5:05 p.m. game at und.com.

HERE COME THE WILDCATS: Notre Dame returns home from its trip to Alaska to face the Northern Michigan Wildcats in a Saturday-Sunday series on Nov. 14-15. Saturday's game will start at 5:05 p.m. (this is a time change from the original 7:05 p.m. start time) and then Sunday's game will drop the puck at 4:05 p.m. The Irish are coming off a weekend split in Fairbanks where they won the opening contest, 3-2, and then lost a 3-1 decision on Saturday night. Notre Dame brings a 5-4-1 mark into the series with Northern Michigan and is 2-1-1-0 in the CCHA, good for seven points in the standings. The Irish opened the week ranked eighth in both the *USA Today/American Hockey Magazine* and the USCHO.com poll. They will meet a Wildcat team that is coming off a split at Ohio State. Northern took a 1-0 win in the series opener and then fell, 5-4, on Saturday night in game two. The Wildcats visit the Joyce Center with a 2-5-1 overall record and are 1-3-0-0 in conference action, good for three league points. This series begins a streak of five "home" games in the next six as Notre Dame has a home-and-home series with Michigan State next weekend with the Irish home game at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum in Ft. Wayne, Ind. They then close out November with a home series against Bowling Green (Nov. 27-28).

TIME CHANGE REMINDER: Saturday's game with Northern Michigan will start at 5:05 p.m. instead of the regularly scheduled 7:05 p.m. start.

IRISH VERSUS WILDCATS: Notre Dame and Northern Michigan have met 44 times in the all-time series with the Wildcats leading by a 20-19-5 margin. At the Joyce Center, the Irish have a 10-9-3 advantage. Last season the teams met four times during the regular season and once in the CCHA playoffs. The Irish won all five games, winning twice in Marquette, Mich., 3-2 and 4-2, and then took two at the Joyce Center, 9-5 and 5-2. In the CCHA semifinals, the Irish knocked off the Wildcats, 2-1, to advance to the championship game. Notre Dame has won five straight and nine of the last 11 meetings between the teams going back to the 2005-06 season.

SERIES INFORMATION

vs. Northern Michigan Wildcats

All-time Series: No. Michigan leads, 20-19-5

At Notre Dame: Notre Dame leads, 10-9-3

At Marquette: No. Michigan leads, 9-7-2

Neutral: Series is even, 2-2-0

Last 10 meetings: Notre Dame leads 8-2-0

2008-09 Meetings:

Oct. 31	ND 3, at NMU	2
Nov. 1	ND 4, at NMU	2
Feb. 13	at ND 9, NMU	5
Feb. 14	at ND 5, NMU	2
Mar. 20	ND 2, NMU 1 (at JLA)	

VERSUS NORTHERN MICHIGAN:

Name	GP	G	A	PTS
Kyle Lawson	8	3	6	9
Ian Cole	6	3	6	9
Ben Ryan	8	3	4	7
Dan Kissel	9	2	4	6
Kevin Deeth	10	1	5	6
Brett Blatchford	10	0	6	6
Billy Maday	5	2	3	5
Calle Ridderwall	7	3	0	3
Ryan Thang	8	1	2	3
Christiaan Minella	8	0	2	2
Teddy Ruth	6	0	2	2
Sean Lorenz	5	0	0	0
Ryan Guentzel	6	0	0	0
Patrick Gaul	2	0	0	0
Rich Ryan	2	0	0	0

Goaltenders	MIN	W-L-T	GA	SVS	SV%	GAVG
Brad Phillips	59:57	1-0-0	1	16	.941	1.00

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: 108-52-15 (.660); two CCHA regular-season titles ('06-'07, '08-'09); two CCHA tournament titles, three NCAA appearances, one NCAA Frozen Four appearance

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			.Pct	CCHA			.Pct
	W	L	T		W	L	T	
1990-91	36	5	4	.844	26	2	4	.875
1991-92	30	9	4	.744	20	8	4	.688
1992-93	32	8	5	.767	20	5	5	.750
1993-94	31	10	4	.733	18	8	4	.667
1994-95	23	12	6	.634	14	9	4	.593
1995-96	30	8	2	.775	22	6	2	.767
2005-06	13	19	4	.417	11	13	4	.464
2006-07	32	7	3	.898	21	4	3	.804
2007-08	27	16	4	.617	15	9	4	.607
2008-09	31	6	3	.818	21	4	3	.857
2009-10	5	4	1	.550	2	1	1	.625
Totals	290	104	40	.715	190	69	38	.705

ALASKA RECAP:

Friday, Nov. 6 -

Freshman goaltender **Mike Johnson (Verona, Wis.)** stopped 35-of-37 Alaska Nanook shots on Friday night to help Notre Dame to a 3-2 win at the Carlson Center. Johnson got all the offensive support that he needed as **Christiaan Minella (Sr., Aurora, Colo.)**, **Ryan Thang (Sr., Edina, Minn.)** and **Kyle Lawson (Sr., New Hudson, Mich.)** each scored for the Irish. Thang and Lawson scored on second-period, power-play goals. Dion Knelsen and Chad Gehon had Alaska's goals on the night. The Irish win handed the Nanooks their first loss of the season and extended Notre Dame's unbeaten streak against Alaska to 11 games (10-0-1) since Dec. 2, 2006. Lawson recorded his second consecutive two-point game (1g, 1a) and added his second game-winning goal this season. For the night, Notre Dame was out shot, 37-17. Greenham finished with 14 saves. The Irish were out shot, 16-3 in the final period. For the night, Notre Dame was 2-for-3 on the power play while Alaska was 0-for-2.

Saturday, Nov. 7 -

For the first 40 minutes of Saturday's game at the Carlson Center, the Irish looked like they might get a sweep of Alaska as freshman goaltender **Mike Johnson** made an early second-period goal by **Ben Ryan (Jr., Brighton, Mich.)** stand up with Notre Dame taking a 1-0 lead into the third period. The Nanooks had other ideas over the final 20 minutes as they scored three times in the third period to take a 3-1 win and a split of the series. Derek Klassen scored twice (2:33 and 19:56 into an empty net) and Andy Taranto had the game winner at 12:53. For the night, the Irish out shot Alaska, 27-24 with Johnson getting 21 saves and Alaska's Scott Greenham making 26 stops. Notre Dame was 0-for-4 on the power play while the Nanooks were 0-for-2. This game marked the second time all season that the Irish failed to score on the power play.

CONDOLENCES: Thoughts and prayers go out to former Irish hockey coach **Charles "Lefty" Smith** on the death of his wife, Mary "Mickey" Smith, who passed away on Monday, Nov. 9. Married for 57 years, the Smiths have seven living children, 16 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. The funeral service will be held at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart on Friday, Nov. 13.

END OF THE LINE: Notre Dame's loss to Alaska on Nov. 7 snapped an 11-game unbeaten streak (10-0-1) for the Irish against the Nanooks. The streak started on Dec. 2, 2006. Prior to Nov. 7, the last time Alaska defeated Notre Dame was March 4, 2006, a 1-0 win in game two of the CCHA playoffs.

BACK-TO-BACK: Freshman goaltender **Mike Johnson** made his first back-to-back starts as a goaltender at Notre Dame in the Alaska series. On Friday, Nov. 6, Johnson made a career-high 35 saves in the 3-2 win over the Nanooks. Included were 16 saves in the third period as the Irish were out shot, 16-3, in the final stanza. On Saturday, Nov. 7, Johnson gave up two goals on 23 shots in a 3-1 loss to Alaska. For the weekend, he was 1-1-0 with a 2.01 goals-against average and stopped 56-of-60 shots for a 93.3% save percentage.

SHOOTING IT OUT: The 2008-09 season was the first year that the CCHA used the shoot out to determine the winner of games that remained tied after 60 minutes of regulation and a five-minute overtime period. During that season, the Irish were involved in three shoot outs, going 3-0 in all three games. In 2009-10, the Irish have been in one shoot out, dropping a 2-1 decision to Ohio State on Oct. 31. Here's a look at Notre Dame's career shoot out stats.

All-time Record: 3-1

This Season: 0-1

10/31/09 - Loss, 2-1, vs. OSU (three rounds)

Player	Goals	Shots	Pct.
Ryan Thang	1	1	1.000
Billy Maday	3	4	.750
Calle Ridderwall	2	4	.500
Ben Ryan	0	3	.000
Dan Kissel	0	1	.000

Goaltender	Goals	Saves	Sv. Pct.
Brad Phillips	2	1	.333

HOT HANDS: While the Irish have struggled to score over the first 10 games of the season, two players carry scoring streaks into the series with Northern Michigan this weekend. Junior center **Ben Ryan** has a career-high seven-game scoring streak that has seen him score three goals with six assists for nine points. He is Notre Dame's leading scorer with three goals and seven assists for 10 points in the first 10 games. Senior defenseman **Kyle Lawson (New Hudson, Mich.)** has put together a four-game point streak where he has scored two goals with four assists for six points. In each of the last two weekend series, Lawson has recorded three-point weekends. His goal against Alaska on Nov. 6 came on the power play and was the game winner. He is second on the team in scoring with three goals and six assists for nine points.

BACK IN ACTION: Junior defenseman **Teddy Ruth (Naperville, Ill.)** has missed the first 10 games this season with a lower body injury. He has resumed skating and will return to action this weekend versus Northern Michigan.

WHERE ARE THE GOALS? Through the first 10 games of the season, Notre Dame has scored a total of 23 goals on the year. Of the 23 goals, only 10 have come with the two teams skating at even strength. The Irish have 12 goals on the power play and one short-handed tally to go with the nine even strength goals. In the first 10 games of the season, Notre Dame has not scored more than three goals in a game.

THE BIG 5-0: **Ryan Thang's** second-period power-play goal versus Alaska on Nov. 6 was the 50th of his Irish hockey career. The senior captain enters Saturday's game with 50 goals and 46 assists for 96 career points.

HOME AWAY FROM HOME: Notre Dame will take its home show on the road on Sunday, Nov. 22 when the Irish play host to the Michigan State Spartans at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum in Ft. Wayne, Ind. That game will have a 4:05 p.m. starting time. Tickets for that game are \$14.00, \$12.00 and \$7.00 and are available at the Memorial Coliseum Ticket Office, all Ticketmaster outlets, online at www.ticketmaster.com or at (800) 745-3000. The Notre Dame ticket office will have a limited quantity of tickets on sale for season ticket holders only. For information contact the Notre Dame ticket office at (574) 631-7356.

CHART CLIMBING: With his second power-play goal of the season in the 3-2 win on Nov. 6 at Alaska, senior left wing **Ryan Thang** moved into sole possession of ninth place on Notre Dame's all-time power-play goal list with 23 in his career. The top nine on the list look like this:

Power-Play Goals

Name (Seasons)	PPG
1. Greg Meredith (1976-80)	43
2. Dave Poulin (1978-82)	32
3. Mike McNeill (1984-88)	31
4. Lou Zadra (1988-92)	28
5. Aniket Dhadphale (1995-99)	25
Tim Kuehl (1986-90)	25
Kirt Bjork (1979-83)	25
8. Brian Walsh (1973-77)	24
9. Ryan Thang (2006-)	23

CHART-CLIMBING, PART TWO: Notre Dame defenseman **Kyle Lawson** has three goals and six assists on the season for nine points to rank second on the team in scoring. For his career, Lawson has played in 133 games with 16 goals and 61 assists for 77 career points. He is moving closer to the top 10 in scoring among Notre Dame defensemen.

Points By A Defenseman

Name (Seasons)	G	A	Pts
1. John Schmidt (1978-82)	28	95	123
2. Jeff Brownschidle (1977-81)	39	92	122
3. Jack Brownschidle (1973-77)	31	78	109
4. Bob Thebeau (1982-86)	40	63	103
5. Paul Clarke (1973-77)	38	62	100
6. Bill Green (1969-73)	30	66	96
Kevin Markovitz (1986-90)	24	72	96
8. Bill Nyrop (1970-74)	17	72	89
9. Benoit Cotnoir (1995-99)	28	60	88
10. Brett Lebda (2000-04)	26	59	85
- Kyle Lawson (2006-)	16	61	77

BEST OF THE BEST: Over the past three-plus seasons, the Notre Dame hockey program is tops in the nation. Since the start of the 2006-07 campaign, the Irish have won 95 games and own a .723 winning percentage over that period. Notre Dame leads Michigan (92) in wins and winning percentage (.710). Here are the top five teams by wins and winning percentage since 2006-07.

WINS	WINNING .PCT
Notre Dame 95	Notre Dame (.723)
Michigan 92	Michigan (.710)
Miami 88	Miami (.693)
North Dakota 82	North Dakota (.650)
Boston University 76	Boston Univ. (.645)

POWER-PLAY NOTES: In Notre Dame's 3-1 loss at Alaska, the Irish were held scoreless on the power play for just the second time this season. Prior to that, they had scored two power-play goals in three consecutive game and for the fourth time on the year. Notre Dame has power-play goals in eight of 10 games this year. For the season, the Irish are 12-for-57 with the man advantage for a 21.1% success rate.

SHOOT OUT LOSS: Notre Dame's 2-1 loss to Ohio State in the shoot out on Oct. 31 marked the first time that Notre Dame lost a shoot out since the CCHA implemented the tie breaker for the start of the 2008-09 season. The Irish are 3-1 all-time in the shoot out.

GOAL-SCORING MACHINE: Junior left wing **Calle Ridderwall (Stockholm, Sweden)** leads Notre Dame with four goals this season with three of them coming on the power play. His four-game, goal-scoring streak that started on Oct. 16 versus Providence came to an end on Oct. 31 against Ohio State. During his streak, Ridderwall had four goals with one assist for five points. Over the last two seasons, he has scored 21 goals for Notre Dame with 14 of them coming via the power play.

HOME ICE STRUGGLES: Last season, the Irish were 13-3-2 at the Joyce Center and over the last three seasons owned a 37-9-7 mark on home ice. This season, the Irish are just 3-3-1 in their own barn. Last year, the Irish were 11-2 in one-goal games while this season, they are just 1-3 in one-goal games.

DEETH TOPS 100: Senior center **Kevin Deeth (Gig Harbor, Wash.)** became the 44th player in the 42-year history of the Notre Dame hockey program to reach 100 points for his career on Oct. 23. His assist on **Calle Ridderwall's** first-period goal gave Deeth 32 goals and 68 assists for his 100th career point. He reached that mark in 133 games. In the Oct. 30 game with Ohio State, Deeth added his team-best sixth assist of the season. His 101 career points moves him into a tie for 42nd on the all-time points list. Right behind him is senior teammate **Ryan Thang** who has now played in 130 career games, scoring 50 goals with 46 assists for 96 points. He needs just four assists to join the 50/50 club for players with 50 goals and 50 assists in a career.

STEALING THE SHOW: Junior goaltender **Brad Phillips** made a career-high 34 saves as he handed the Boston University Terriers a 3-0 loss at Agganis Arena. Phillips got all the offensive support he needed in the second period when **Billy Maday (So., Burr Ridge, Ill.)** and **Ben Ryan** scored 12 seconds apart to give the Irish a 2-0 lead. **Calle Ridderwall** added a power-play goal in the third period for the 3-0 final score. Maday, Ryan and Ridderwall each had a goal and an assist in the game. Phillips made 27 of his 34 saves in the first and third periods, including 17 in the final stanza. Notre Dame was 8-for-8 killing penalties on the night and 1-for-6 on the power play. BU out shot the Irish, 34-16, in the game. The win was the first-ever for the Friars against Boston University (1-2-0 all-time).

2009-10 Irish Awards and Honors

Ian Cole

First team preseason all-CCHA
Inside College Hockey.com preseason All-American
College Hockey News' preseason All-American

Kyle Lawson

Second team preseason all-CCHA
Selected alternate captain for second year

Billy Maday

Second team preseason all-CCHA

Brad Phillips

CCHA goaltender of the week (Oct. 19)

Calle Ridderwall

Second team preseason all-CCHA

Ryan Thang

Selected team captain for the 2009-10 season
Preseason honorable mention all-CCHA
One of 20 nominees for the 2009-10 Lowes Senior CLASS Award

TWO WEEKS IN HOCKEY EAST: The Irish closed out their run of four consecutive games with teams from Hockey East with a 2-2-0 record. The Irish split two games with Providence on Oct. 15-16, losing 3-2 in the first game before taking a 2-0 decision in the second contest. Notre Dame then won 3-0 at Boston University before falling 3-2 at home on Oct. 23. All-time, the Irish are 27-33-4 versus teams from Hockey East. Notre Dame now has just two non-league games remaining on the schedule with both games coming in the Shillelagh Tournament versus Colgate and either Niagara or North Dakota.

CCHA DIFFERENCES: With the start of Notre Dame's CCHA schedule this weekend, there are a couple differences to remember with the final results of a game. First is the shootout - should a game remain tied after 60 minutes of regulation and a five-minute overtime, a winner will be decided via a shootout. Each team will select three shooters who will go one-on-one versus the opponent's goaltender with the winner being the team that scores the most. If the game remains tied after the first three shooters, single shooters will continue until a winner is found. The team winning the shootout will receive two points in the standings while the loser just one. On the national level, the game is still considered a tie. Secondly, the standings in the conference will be different. A regulation or overtime win will see the winning team awarded three points with the loser none. If the game goes to a shootout, both teams will get one point with the shootout winner getting the extra point in the standings.

STREAK BUSTERS: Notre Dame's 3-0 shut-out win over Boston University, snapped a streak of 99-consecutive games that the Terriers had not been shutout. The last time BU was shutout came on Dec. 2, 2006 when the Terriers shutout Boston College, 1-0. The win also marked the first time since Jan. 15, 2008 that Boston University lost a non-conference game, a streak of 10 consecutive wins.

2009-10 TALE OF THE TAPE

	<i>ND</i>	<i>NMU</i>
2008-09 record	31-6-3	19-17-5
2008-09 Conference record	21-4-3-3/1st	11-12-5/6th
Letterwinners returning	15 of 21	18 of 23
Current overall record	5-4-1	2-5-1
Winning percentage	.550	.312
Conference record	2-1-1-0	1-3-0-0
Home record	3-3-1	0-3-1
Road record	2-1-0	2-2-0
One-goal games record	1-3	1-3
Overtime record	0-0-1	0-0-1
Last weekend	1-1-0	1-1-0
Last 5 games	2-2-1	1-4-0
When scoring first ...	4-3-1	2-3-1
When ahead after 1st period	1-2-0	1-2-0
When ahead after 2nd period	4-2-0	2-0-1
Goals per game	2.30	2.25
Shots per game	29.6	25.6
Shooting percentage	.078	.088
Opponent shots per game	27.4	29.9
Shot margin	+2.2	-4.3
PPG percentage	.211	.222
PP chances per game	5.70	4.50
PP goals per game	1.20	1.00
SH goals allowed	0	1
Penalties per game	5.40	6.50
Penalty-killing percentage	.891	.800
Opponent PP chances per game	4.60	5.63
Opponent PPGs per game	0.50	1.11
Shorthanded goals for	1	0
Goals-against average	1.80	3.09
Save percentage	.934	.895
Goal margin/game	+5 (+0.50)	-7 (-0.88)
1st period goals/game	0.70	0.88
1st period goal margin	+4 (7-3)	+1 (7-6)
2nd period goals/game	0.80	0.38
2nd period goal margin	+1 (8-7)	-7 (3-10)
3rd period goals/game	0.80	1.00
3rd period goal margin	+0 (8-8)	-1 (8-9)
Overtime goals	0	0
Overtime goals against	0	0

IRISH VERSUS TOP-RANKED TEAMS: Notre Dame enters the week of Nov. 9 with a 2-2 record versus teams ranked nationally. The Irish defeated #3/#3 Boston University, 3-0, on Oct. 20 before dropping a 3-2 decision on Oct. 23 to #15/#14 Boston College. Last weekend, Notre Dame split a pair with #14/#13 Alaska in Fairbanks, winning 3-2 before dropping a 3-1 decision in the closing game of the series. Notre Dame was 5-5 during the 2008-09 season against nationally ranked teams.

USA Today/American Hockey Magazine

Rank	Team	W-L-T
3	at Boston University	W, 3-0
15	Boston College	L, 2-3
14	at Alaska	W, 3-2
14	at Alaska	L, 1-3

U.S. College Hockey Online/CBS College Sports

Rank	Team	W-L-T
3	at Boston University	W, 3-0
14	Boston College	L, 2-3
13	at Alaska	W, 3-2
13	at Alaska	L, 1-3

ASTUNNING START: Prior to **Brad Phillips'** 3-0 shutout at Boston University, freshman goaltender **Mike Johnson (Verona, Wis.)** showed the way with a 2-0 blanking of Providence College in his rookie debut on Oct. 16. Johnson stopped all 29 shots he faced in blanking the Friars, 2-0, becoming the second Irish goaltender to record a shutout in his first career contest. He joins teammate **Tom O'Brien (Sr., Mokena, Ill.)** who picked up a shutout in his first start last season, a 7-0 blanking of Sacred Heart on Oct. 18, 2008.

SWEEPLESS IN SOUTH BEND: Twice this season, Notre Dame found itself in a position that hasn't happened very often over the last four seasons - looking at a possible opponent sweep. Since Jeff Jackson took over behind the Irish bench for the 2005-06 season, the Irish have lost back-to-back games on a weekend just eight times. Five of those series losses came during the 2005-06 season with two coming in 2007-08 and one last year (2008-09). The last time the Irish dropped a weekend series came on Oct. 24-25, 2008 when they lost twice to Miami at the Joyce Center.

ROAD WARRIORS: During the 2008-09 season, Notre Dame turned in a 14-2-1 record on the road, the best in the program's history. That included a nine-game road win streak and a 10-game unbeaten mark (9-0-1). After three games on the road, the Irish are 2-1-0 away from home this season.

BACK BETWEEN THE PIPES: Junior goaltender **Brad Phillips** has had a successful return to the Notre Dame lineup this season. The 6-2, 181-pound goaltender missed all of last season due to a knee injury suffered in the preseason that required surgery. Phillips, who made five starts in his freshman year (2007-08) and was 4-1-0 with a 1.53 goals-against average and a .923 save percentage to go with one shutout, has started four games this season and is 1-3-1 with a 2.18 goals-against average and a .923 save percentage with one shutout.

LIGHTING THE LAMP: When senior defenseman **Brett Blatchford (Temperance, Mich.)** scored his power-play goal in the first period of the Oct. 10 game with Alabama-Huntsville, it was his first time lighting the lamp since his freshman year. Blatchford's last goal came on Jan. 20, 2007 when he scored versus Western Michigan. Before that goal, Blatchford went 99 games without scoring. The Temperance, Mich., native would rather set them up than score them as he now has three career goals to go with 54 assists for 57 points.

He was second on the team in assists in 2008-09 when he had 25 helpers on the year.

FRESHMEN FIRSTS: Notre Dame freshmen forwards **Riley Sheahan (St. Catharine's, Ont.)** and **Kyle Palmieri (Montvale, N.J.)** wasted little time getting on the scoresheet in the 3-2 loss to Alabama-Huntsville on Oct. 9. Sheahan scored on his first career shot, scoring on the power play at 3:02 of the first period to give Notre Dame a 1-0 lead. He joins **Billy Maday** and **Tim Wallace '06** as recent Notre Dame players to score on the first shots of their college careers. Palmieri joined in with a second-period power-play goal to get his first career score in his first game. He added a second goal on Saturday in the 3-1 victory. Palmieri led the team with 12 shots on goal for the weekend while Sheahan had 10 in the series.

LOWE'S SENIOR CLASS AWARD: Notre Dame senior captain **Ryan Thang** has been named one of 20 nominees for the 2009-10 Lowes Senior CLASS Award. The award is given annually to an NCAA Division I student-athlete in nine sports based on achievement's in the "Four C's" of classroom, character, community and competition. CLASS is an acronym for Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School. Last season, two members of the Irish hockey team - **Erik Condra '09** and **Jordan Pearce '09** - were selected as one of 10 finalists for the honor. For the 2007-08 campaign, captain **Mark Van Guilder '08** made it to the list of 10 finalists. For the 2006-07 season, goaltender **David Brown '07** was selected as the first winner of the hockey award. The list of 20 candidates will be narrowed down midway through the season with the final 10 going on a ballot to select the national winner.

TOUGH TICKET: With seven home games in the month of October, Notre Dame recorded sell out crowds in five of those seven games and is averaging 2,726 per game (a sell out is 2,713). On Oct. 15, the Irish saw their streak of consecutive sellouts (12) snapped against Providence. A new streak started the following night as a standing-room only crowd of 2,857 saw the Irish defeat the Friars, 2-0. They followed that with a crowd of 2,997 on Friday, Oct. 23 versus Boston College. Notre Dame has now sold out 14 of its last 16 home games, dating back to Dec. 13, 2008 versus Bowling Green. The opening night crowd of 2,994 against Alabama-Huntsville is the largest crowd to see a home opener since 1995 as the building's seating capacity was reconfigured following that year with 2,713 being a sellout since then.

2009-10 Notre Dame Hockey Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Year
	<i>Hometown/Last Team</i>		
2	Kyle Lawson (A)	D	Sr.
	<i>New Hudson, Mich./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
3	Brett Blatchford	D	Sr.
	<i>Temperance, Mich./Texas Tornado (NAHL)</i>		
4	Riley Sheahan	C	Fr.
	<i>St. Catharine's, Ont./St. Catharine's Falcons (GHJHL)</i>		
5	Teddy Ruth (A)	D	Jr.
	<i>Naperville, Ill./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
6	Patrick Gaul	C	So.
	<i>Pittsburgh, Pa./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
8	Sam Calabrese	D	Fr.
	<i>(Park Ridge, Ill./ USA Under-18 Team</i>		
9	Ryan Thang (C)	RW	Jr.
	<i>Edina, Minn./Omaha Lancers (USHL)</i>		
10	Kyle Palmieri	RW	Fr.
	<i>Montvale, N.J./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
12	Richard Ryan	LW	So.
	<i>Toronto, Ont./St. Michael's Buzzers (OPJHL)</i>		
13	Eric Ringel	D	So.
	<i>Hinckley, Ohio/Mahoning Valley Phantoms (NAHL)</i>		
14	Nick Condon	D	So.
	<i>Wausau, Wis./St. Louis Bandits (NAHL)</i>		
15	Christiaan Minella	RW	Sr.
	<i>Aurora, Colo./Sioux Falls Stampede (USHL)</i>		
16	Dan Kissel	LW	Sr.
	<i>Crestwood, Ill./Chicago Steel (USHL)</i>		
17	Billy Maday	RW	So.
	<i>Burr Ridge, Ill./Waterloo Black Hawks (USHL)</i>		
18	Kyle Murphy	LW	So.
	<i>Fairhaven, N.J./Shattuck St. Mary's</i>		
19	Ben Ryan	C	Jr.
	<i>Brighton, Mich./Des Moines Buccaneers (USHL)</i>		
20	Kevin Nugent	RW	Fr.
	<i>New Canaan, Conn./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
21	Kevin Deeth (A)	C	Sr.
	<i>Gig Harbor, Wash./Green Bay Gamblers (USHL)</i>		
22	Calle Ridderwall	LW	Jr.
	<i>Stockholm, Swe./Tri-City Storm (USHL)</i>		
24	Sean Lorenz	D	So.
	<i>Littleton, Colo./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
26	Nick Larson	LW	Fr.
	<i>Apple Valley, Minn./Waterloo Black Hawks (USHL)</i>		
27	Ryan Guentzel	RW	Jr.
	<i>Woodbury, Minn./Sioux Falls Stampede (USHL)</i>		
28	Ian Cole	D	Jr.
	<i>Ann Arbor, Mich./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
30	Brad Phillips	G	Jr.
	<i>Farmington Hills, Mich./USA Under-18 Team</i>		
31	Tom O'Brien	G	Sr.
	<i>Mokena, Ill./Bridgewater Bandits (EJHL)</i>		
32	Mike Johnson	G	Fr.
	<i>Verona, Wis./Cedar Rapids Rough Riders (USHL)</i>		
35	Brian Brooke	G	Jr.
	<i>Eden Prairie, Minn./Eden Prairie</i>		

Coach: Jeff Jackson

Associate Head Coach: Paul Pooley

Associate Coach: Andy Slaggett

Volunteer Assistant Coach: Mike McNeill

Coordinator of Hockey Ops: Nick Siergiej

Equipment Manager: Dave Gilbert

Athletic Trainer: Kevin Ricks

Senior Manager: Mike Fletcher

NOTRE DAME TO HOST NCAA MIDWEST REGIONAL IN FT. WAYNE**Tickets on sale now!!!**

For the first time ever, the University of Notre Dame and the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum in Ft. Wayne, Indiana will play host to the 2010 NCAA Midwest Regionals on Sat.-Sun., March 27-28, 2010.

Tickets for the hockey regional are available in three-game packages –

• **Adult All-Session: \$87.00 (200 Lower Bowl); \$77.00 (Upper Level)**

• **Youth 12-and-Under All-Session: \$77.00 or \$67.00**

• **College Student All-Session: \$82.00 or \$72.00**

• **Groups 20+ All-Session: \$74.00 or \$64.00**

Tickets can be purchased at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum Ticket Office, at all Ticketmaster Outlets, online at www.ticketmaster.com or charge-by-phone at 800-745-3000. To place your order for a Group Ticket Package (20+), call 260-480-3710 or send an email to groupsales@memorialcoliseum.com.

All four NCAA hockey regionals will sell tickets in three-game packages only. If Notre Dame is selected to participate in the 2010 NCAA Division I Men's Ice Hockey Championship, they will be assigned to play in the Midwest Regional at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Game times on March 27 are set for 4:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. with the regional championship on March 28 set for 8:00 p.m.

CAPTAINS: Senior left wing **Ryan Thang** will serve as Notre Dame's captain for the 2009-10 season. Joining Thang as alternate captains in '09-'10, are senior defenseman **Kyle Lawson (New Hudson, Mich.)**, senior center **Kevin Deeth (Gig Harbor, Wash.)** and junior defenseman **Teddy Ruth (Naperville, Ill.)**. Thang and Lawson served as alternate captains in 2008-09, while this is the first season as captain for Deeth and Ruth.

STINGY IRISH: Over the last three seasons, the Irish have been ranked first in the nation twice with lowest goals-against average. For the 2006-07 season, Notre Dame was best in the nation with a 1.67 goals against. The Irish followed that in 2007-08 with a 2.13 goals-against average to rank fifth in the country and last year the goals-against average was best with a 1.73 average. Through the first 10 games of the 2009-10 season, the Irish are tied for fourth in the nation, giving up just 1.80 goals per game.

NUMERO UNO: Notre Dame reached the top of the college hockey rankings twice during the 2008-09 season, marking the third and fourth time in the program's 42-year history that the Irish sat atop the national polls. From Dec. 1 to Jan. 26 (seven weeks), Notre Dame was ranked first in both the *USA Today/American Hockey Magazine* and *USCHO.com/CSTV* polls. The Irish then reached the top spot one time in each poll the rest of the season - the week of Feb. 23 in the *USA Today* poll and the week of March 16 in the *USCHO.com* rankings. Previously, Notre Dame reached number one in the nation status during the 2006-07 season. The Irish moved into the top spot in both polls on 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. During the '07-'08 season, the Irish were ranked every week of the season for the first time in the program's 41-year history. Going back to the 2006-07 season, Notre Dame

has been ranked in both polls for 62 consecutive weeks, the longest stretch for the Irish icers.

Week-by-week with the Irish this season:

2009-10 Irish National Rankings		
Date	<i>USA TODAY</i>	<i>USCHO.com</i>
10/5	5th	5th
10/12	7th	7th
10/19	10th	9th
10/26	11th	8th
11/2	9th	9th
11/9	8th	8th

FAMILY GUYS: Three members of the Notre Dame hockey team – junior goaltender **Brad Phillips (Farmington Hills, Mich.)** and freshmen forwards **Kevin Nugent (New Canaan, Conn.)** and **Riley Sheahan (St. Catharine's, Ont.)** – have family ties to the Irish athletics program. Phillips' uncle is former Irish quarterback **Terry Andrysiak '89**, who played at Notre Dame from 1985 to 1988. Nugent's father, **Kevin Nugent, Sr. '78**, played hockey for the Irish between 1974-78, scoring 54 goals with 75 assists for 129 career points. Kevin, Jr., becomes the second Notre Dame hockey player to follow his father to South Bend. He follows goaltender **Rory Walsh '06** who followed his father, **Brian Walsh '77** who was a teammate of the elder Nugent, playing for coach Lefty Smith. Sheahan is a second cousin of former Irish defenseman **Brock Sheahan '08** who played for the Irish from 2004-08.

ALL-AMERICANS: Two Notre Dame players were selected AHCA/Reebok All-Americans following the 2008-09 season. Current junior defenseman **Ian Cole (Ann Arbor, Mich.)** was selected as a first team All-American while right wing **Erik Condra '09** was selected second team. That marked the third time in the program's history that the Irish had two players selected All-American in the same year. The previous times came in 1972-73 when **Eddie Bumbacco '74** and **Bill Nyrop '74** were chosen and again in 1976-77 when **Jack Brownschidle '77** and **Brian Walsh '77** were honored.

CLUTCH SCORER: During his first three seasons at Notre Dame, senior left wing **Ryan Thang** has proven to be a clutch player. In those three seasons, Thang has amassed 13 game-winning goals, getting six in 2006-07, five in 2007-08 and two last season. He is currently tied for the top spot with 13 game-winning goals. That ties him with **Rob Globke '04**, **Brian Urick '99** and **Dave Poulin '82**, with all three having 13 game winners.

DROP THE PUCK: For the fifth year in a row, Notre Dame hockey opened its season with the annual "Drop The Puck Reception" at the Joyce Center for season ticket holders and fans. This year's event was held on Oct. 6 and featured Garth Snow, the general manager of the New York Islanders. A goaltender with the Islanders from 2001-06, Snow was on Long Island when Jeff Jackson was an assistant coach there. Snow joins Brian Burke, who was the executive vice-president and general manager of the Anaheim Ducks at the time and the G.M. of the 2010 U.S. Olympic hockey team in 2008, Detroit Red Wings' player and current team vice-president Steve Yzerman (2007), Chicago Black Hawk and Versus/NBC TV analyst Ed Olczyk (2006) and Hall of Fame coach Scotty Bowman, who handled the honors at the first Drop The Puck reception on Sept. 6, 2005 with over 400 fans in attendance. 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 that day, just four days prior to the upset win at Michigan.

SHILLELAGH TOURNAMENT: Notre Dame will host the second ever Shillelagh Tournament on Jan. 2-3, 2010 at the Sears Centre in Hoffman Estates, Ill. The tournament will feature North Dakota, Niagara and Colgate. On Saturday, Jan. 2, North Dakota and Niagara will meet in the 3:05 p.m. (CT) game with the Irish facing Colgate at 6:05 p.m. (CT). On Sunday, Jan. 3, Colgate will face either North Dakota or Niagara at 2:05 p.m. (CT) with Notre Dame playing either the Fighting Sioux or the Purple Eagles at 5:05 p.m. (CT). The Irish won the first tournament last season with 3-1 wins over Union College and Minnesota-Duluth in the championship game.

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN HONORS: For the first time in the program's history, two members of the Notre Dame hockey team were selected as ESPN The Magazine/CoSIDA Academic All-Americans on the at-Large team following the 2008-09 season. Senior goaltender **Jordan Pearce (Anchorage, Alaska)** was selected first team after recording a 3.816 grade-

point average in his double major of anthropology/pre-med. For Pearce, it marked the second consecutive year that he was named Academic All-American after taking second team honors in '07-'08. He was joined by fellow senior **Erik Condra (Livonia, Mich.)** who was a second team selection after turning in a 3.55 grade point with a double major in psychology and pre-med. Pearce became the second Irish player to be named twice as he joined Steve Noble '98 who was selected in 1997 (first team) and 1998 (second team). The Irish have had six players all-time named Academic All-American as Condra and Pearce are joined by Dan Carlson '01 (third team), Andy Jurkowski '00 (third team), Forrest Karr '99 (second team) and Noble in '97 and '98.

LORD STANLEY, LORD STANLEY: For the second consecutive season, a former Notre Dame defenseman played for a Stanley Cup winning team. This time it was Pittsburgh defenseman **Mark Eaton** who became the fourth Notre Dame player to hoist the Stanley Cup. Eaton, who played just one season for the Irish in 1997-98, joins **Brett Lebda '04** who won the Stanley Cup versus Eaton's Penguins in 2008. They follow two other Notre Dame defenseman who have their names etched on the Cup three times - **Bill Nyrop '74** and **Don Jackson '78**. Nyrop played on three Stanley Cup winners with the Montreal Canadiens (1975-78) and Jackson was a member of three Cup-winning teams with the Edmonton Oilers (1982-85). The Pittsburgh defenseman was honored by Notre Dame at halftime of the season-opening game versus Nevada on Sept. 5.

NATIONAL JUNIOR TEAM: Notre Dame defensemen **Ian Cole** and **Teddy Ruth** were selected to play for Team USA in the 2009 World Junior Championships in Ottawa, Ont. The Irish now have 12 players to play on the Junior National Team with Cole making his second appearance. The defensive duo were part of a team that finished fifth. Cole had two goals and two assists for four points in six games while Ruth was scoreless in six contests. This past summer, defenseman **Sean Lorenz (Littleton, Colo.)** and forward **Kyle Palmieri** were invited to the 2010 Junior National Evaluation Camp to try out for this winter's squad. Cole and Ruth join Jack Brownschidle ('76-'77, '78-'79), Ben Simon ('96-'97, '97-'98), Joe Dusbabek ('97-'98), Dan Carlson ('98-'99), Connor Dunlop ('99-'00, '00-'01), Brett Henning ('99-'00), David Inman ('99-'00), Rob Globke ('00-'01, '01-'02), Brett Lebda ('01-'02) and Kyle Lawson ('06-'07) as former Irish players to play in the World Junior Championships.

RECORDS WATCH

"Century Club"

Name (Seasons)	G	A	Pts
1. Brian Walsh (1973-77)	89	145	234
2. John Noble (1969-73)	81	145	226
3. Eddie Bumbacco (1970-74)	103	117	220
4. Ian Williams (1970-74)	92	119	211
5. Mike McNeill (1984-88)	83	115	198
35. Aaron Gill (2000-04)	49	62	111
Connor Dunlop (1999-03)	25	86	111
37. Jack Brownschidle (1973-77)	31	78	109
38. Tim Reilly (1981-86)	43	65	108
39. Aniket Dhadphale (1995-99)	61	44	105
40. Bob Thebeau (1982-86)	40	63	103
41. Kevin Deeth (2006-)	32	69	101
Kevin Hoene (1968-71)	50	51	101
Matt Hanzel (1985-89)	50	51	101
44. Paul Clarke (1973-77)	38	62	100
-- Ryan Thang (2006-)	50	46	96

Assists

Name (Seasons)	Gms	A
1. John Noble (1969-73)	123	145
Brian Walsh (1973-77)	140	145
3. Ian Williams (1970-74)	126	119
4. Eddie Bumbacco (1970-74)	133	117
5. Mike McNeill (1984-88)	124	115
6. Clark Hamilton (1973-77)	145	113
7. Erik Condra (2005-09)	158	110
8. David Bankoske (1988-93)	141	109
9. Dave Poulin (1978-82)	135	107
10. Jamie Ling (1992-96)	142	102
11. Curtis Janicke (1989-93)	225	98
12. Paul Regan (1969-73)	125	97
13. John Schmidt (1978-82)	152	95
14. Jeff Brownschidle (1977-81)	146	92
15. Greg Meredith (1976-80)	149	88
-- Kevin Deeth (2006-)	134	69

Short-Handed Goals

Name (Seasons)	SHG
1. Dave Bankoske (1988-93)	7
Mike McNeill (1984-88)	7
Kevin Humphreys (1977-81)	7
4. Erik Condra (2005-09)	6
Dan Carlson (1997-01)	6
Jamie Ling (1992-96)	6
Lou Zadra (1988-92)	6
Tom Michalek (1977-81)	6
Don Fairholm (1974-78)	6
Tim Reilly (1981-86)	5
Dave Poulin (1978-82)	5
Bill Rothstein (1978-82)	5
13. Ryan Thang (2006-)	4

Game-Winning Goals

Name (Seasons)	GWG
1. Ryan Thang (2006-)	13
Rob Globke (2000-04)	13
Brian Urick (1995-99)	13
Dave Poulin (1978-82)	13
4. Dave Bankoske (1988-93)	12
5. Erik Condra (2005-09)	11
Paul Regan (1969-73)	11
7. Tim Kuehl (1986-90)	10
Tom Mooney (1984-88)	10
Greg Meredith (1976-80)	10

NHL DRAFTEES: The Irish have nine players on the 2009-10 roster who have been selected in the National Hockey League's Entry Draft. Two incoming freshmen added to the list this season. Left wing **Nick Larson (Apple Valley, Minn.)** was a 2008 selection of the Calgary Flames in the fourth round, 108th overall. Right wing **Kyle Palmieri** was a first round pick, 26th overall in the 2009 Draft last June. He became the second Notre Dame player ever selected in the first round. They join defenseman **Sean Lorenz** who also was selected in the 2008 draft by the Minnesota Wild in the fourth round, 115th overall. Defenseman **Ian Cole** 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 defenseman **Teddy Ruth** who went in the second round, 46th overall to the Washington Capitals. **Ryan Thang** was selected in the third round, 81st overall by the Nashville Predators. Sophomore center **Ben Ryan (Brighton, Mich.)** joined Thang when the Predators made him the 114th pick (fourth round). Goaltender **Brad Phillips** rounded out the Notre Dame selections in the 2007 draft when the Philadelphia Flyers selected him in the seventh round, 182nd overall. Defenseman **Kyle Lawson** rounds out the group of nine players as he was selected in the 2005 NHL Draft by the Carolina Hurricanes in the seventh round, 198th overall.

HOMETOWNS: The 2009-10 Notre Dame hockey team features players from 10 states, one Canadian province and Sweden. Over the past 15 seasons, the Irish have had monogram winners from 21 different states and provinces – those listed below, plus: Delaware, Massachusetts, Maryland, New York, North Dakota, Alberta, Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Saskatchewan and British Columbia. Junior Calle Ridderwall (Stockholm) is the first Notre Dame hockey player from Sweden.

2009-10 NOTRE DAME HOCKEY

– BY STATE, COUNTRY OR PROVINCE:

Michigan (5): Brett Blatchford, Kyle Lawson, Ian Cole, Brad Phillips, Ben Ryan
 Illinois (5): Dan Kissel, Tom O'Brien, Teddy Ruth, Billy Maday, Sam Calabrese
 Minnesota (4): Ryan Thang, Ryan Guentzel, Brian Brooke, Nick Larson
 Colorado (2): Christian Minella, Sean Lorenz
 Wisconsin (2): Nick Condon, Mike Johnson
 New Jersey (2): Kyle Murphy, Kyle Palmieri
 Ontario (2): Richard Ryan, Riley Sheahan
 Ohio (1): Eric Ringel
 Pennsylvania (1): Patrick Gaul
 Sweden (1): Calle Ridderwall
 Washington (1): Kevin Deeth
 Connecticut (1): Kevin Nugent

NEW HOME FOR THE IRISH: The University of Notre Dame announced on Feb. 12, 2009 that construction on a new, freestanding, on-campus ice arena designed to meet both the needs of the nationally ranked Irish hockey team and the local community would begin next year.

The announcement was made by Notre Dame executive vice-president **John Affleck-Graves**

and athletics director **Jack Swarbrick**. The construction is expected to begin in the spring of 2010 on a projected 5,000-seat arena - with the venue ready for play to start the 2011-12 season.

The University's Board of Trustees approved the project at its meetings on campus during the first week of February.

"We're thrilled about the plans for a new ice arena on our campus, particularly based on the superb job **Jeff Jackson** and our hockey team have done to position our program as one of the best in the nation," said Swarbrick.

"In addition to providing a first-rate home for our hockey team, this new facility will be made available whenever possible to our community as a whole, and, in particular, to the many area youth hockey and figure skating programs that are in need of an additional venue," Affleck-Graves said.

"This is the most important and missing piece of the puzzle to this hockey program. The new building will create an environment that our fans, the students, the players, and our hockey alumni can be proud of," said Irish coach Jeff Jackson.

The new ice arena will be located south of the Joyce Center, just north of Edison Road, and just west of where the new Irish track and field facility is being constructed. In addition to the track and field project, the University currently is in the process of building new stadia for both soccer and lacrosse (both scheduled for completion this year) - in addition to the ongoing Joyce Center arena addition and renovation that began in September 2008.

The majority of the general public arena seating will be of the chair-back variety. The facility will include two sheets of ice (one of them Olympic-sized), with limited seating availability for the second sheet.

The plan also will include offices and locker room and weight and cardio training facilities for the Notre Dame hockey program. Locker rooms also will be available for campus and community use of the facility.

The new ice arena will replace the Joyce Center fieldhouse as Notre Dame's home for ice hockey. The Joyce Center was dedicated in December 1968 as the Athletic and Convocation Center. It was renamed in 1987 in honor of **Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C.**, Notre Dame's executive vice president and chair of the Faculty Board on Athletics from 1952 to 1987.

LEFTY'S RINK: When Notre Dame's new ice hockey arena is built the new ice hockey rink will be named the Charles W. "Lefty" Smith, Jr., Rink, in honor of the first coach in the program's history, **Charles "Lefty" Smith**. The announcement was made in April of 2008 at the team's annual awards banquet.

The plans for naming the new ice surface in honor of Smith were made possible by the generosity of the John and Mary Jo Boler family of Inverness, Ill., and Sanibel Island, Fla.,

Last Time They Scored

Player	Date	Opponent	GP Since
Blatchford	10/10/09	Ala.-Huntsville	8
Calabrese	None	-----	3
Cole	2/13/09	No. Michigan	20
Condon	None	-----	12
Deeth	1/17/09	Lake Superior	25
Gaul	None	-----	23
Guentzel	3/13/09	Nebraska-Omaha	12
Kissel	10/30/09	Ohio State	3
Larson	10/16/09	Providence	6
Lawson	11/6/09	Alaska	1
Lorenz	None	-----	50
Maday	10/30/09	Ohio State	3
Minella	11/6/09	Alaska	1
Murphy	None	-----	4
Palmieri	10/10/09	Ala.-Huntsville	8
Nugent	None	-----	3
Ridderwall	10/30/09	Ohio State	3
Ringel	None	-----	16
Ruth	12/12/08	Bowling Green	20
B. Ryan	11/7/09	Alaska	--
R. Ryan	None	-----	3
Sheahan	10/31/09	Ohio State	2
Thang	11/6/09	Alaska	1

their daughter Jill Boler McCormack '84 and her husband, Dan; and their son Matthew Boler '88 and his wife, Christine. They were joined by the family of Frank '57 and Mary Beth O'Brien of Albany, N.Y., who have six children who all graduated from Notre Dame. Their late son, Frankie, played both lacrosse and hockey for the Irish from 1984-88.

Smith came to Notre Dame in 1968 to start the varsity hockey program and coached the Irish for 19 years, retiring in 1987 with 307 career victories. Under his tutelage, Notre Dame produced six All-Americans but most importantly, all 126 student-athletes who played for him completed their collegiate eligibility and earned college degrees.

Smith, who continues to work as the director of the Loftus Sports Center on campus, served two years as the president of the American Hockey Coaches Association. He was inducted into the Minnesota Hockey Coaches Association Hall of Fame in 1992. He played an integral in bringing the International Special Olympics to Notre Dame in 1987.

Married for 57 years, Lefty, who lost his wife, Mickey on Nov. 9, is the father of seven living children, 16 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

NOTRE DAME'S RECORD WHEN....

2009-10 Results

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

#30 Brad Phillips Jr. 6-2, 187 Farmington Hills, Mich./USA Under-18 Team

2009-10 Statistics

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/9	UAH	1/1	59:29	3	3.03	28	.903	0	1	0	1	0
10/15	PC	1/1	59:25	3	3.03	26	.900	0	1	0	0	0
10/20	at BU	1/1	60:00	0	2.01	34	.936	1	0	0	0	0
10/23	BC	1/1	59:12	3	2.27	13	.918	0	1	0	1	0
10/31	OSU	1/1	65:00	2	2.18	30	.923	0	0	1	2	0
Totals		5/5	303:06	11	2.18	131	.923	1	3	1	4	0

#31 Tom O'Brien Sr. 5-11, 199 Mokena, Ill./Bridgewater Bandits (EJHL)

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/10	UAH	1/1	59:57	1	1.00	13	.929	1	0	0	0	0
Totals		1/1	59:57	1	1.00	13	.929	1	0	0	0	0

#32 Mike Johnson Fr. 5-11, 194 Verona, Wis./Cedar Rapids Rough Riders (USHL)

Date	Opponent	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	Avg.	Saves	Pct.	W	L	T	PP	SH
10/16	PC	1/1	59:44	0	0.00	29	1.000	1	0	0	0	0
10/30	OSU	1/1	60:00	1	0.50	27	.982	1	0	0	1	0
11/6	at UAF	1/1	60:00	2	1.00	35	.968	1	0	0	0	0
11/7	at UAF	1/1	59:21	2	1.25	21	.957	0	1	0	0	0
Totals		4/4	239:05	5	1.25	112	.957	3	1	0	1	0

SPECIALTY GOALTENDING STATISTICS

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

POWER PLAY LAST 10 MINUTES
SV% SV%

BRAD PHILLIPS

Game	PP SH - Goals	Shots - Goals
UAH	9 - 1	6 - 1
PC	4 - 0	3 - 1
at BU	10 - 0	12 - 0
BC	4 - 1	3 - 1
OSU	6 - 2	4 - 0
Totals	33 - 4	28 - 3
Save %	(85.3%)	(89.3%)

POWER PLAY LAST 10 MINUTES
SV% SV%

TOM O'BRIEN

Game	PP SH - Goals	Shots - Goals
UAH	2 - 0	1 - 0
Totals	2 - 0	1 - 0
Save %	(1.000%)	(1.000%)

POWER PLAY LAST 10 MINUTES
SV% SV%

MIKE JOHNSON

Game	PP SH - Goals	Shots - Goals
PC	3 - 0	2 - 0
OSU	13 - 1	4 - 0
at UAF	4 - 0	9 - 0
at UAF	1 - 0	3 - 0
Totals	21 - 1	18 - 0
Save %	(.952%)	(1.000%)

Team Season Highs/Lows (2009-10)

Most goals in a game	3, four times
Fewest goals in a game	1, vs. Alaska (11/7/09)
Most assists in a game	6 vs. Ohio State (10/30/09)
	6 at Boston University (10/20/09)
Fewest assists in a game	2, vs. Alaska (11/7/09)
Most goals against	3 by Alaska (11/7/09)
	3 by Boston College (10/23/09)
	3 by Providence (10/15/09)
	3 by Alabama-Huntsville (10/9/09)
Fewest goals against	0 by Boston University (10/20/09)
	0 vs. Providence (10/16/09)
Most assists against	6 by Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09)
Fewest assists against	0, three times
Most goals in a period	2, three times
Most goals against in a period	3 by Alaska, 3rd period (11/7/09)
Most shots for in a game	51 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09)
Most shots against in a game	37 by Alaska (11/6/09)
Most shots in a period	19 vs. Providence, 1st period (10/15/09)
Most shots against in a period	17 by Boston University (10/20/09)
Fewest shots for in a game	16 vs Boston University (10/20/09)
Fewest shots against in a game	14 by Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09)
Fewest shots in a period	3 vs. Alaska, 3rd period, (11/6/09)
	3 vs. Boston University, 3rd period (10/10/09)
Fewest shots against in a period	2 by Alabama-Huntsville, 3rd period (10/10/09)
Most PIM in a game	12 for 43 minutes vs. Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09)
Fewest PIM in a game	2 for 4 vs. Alaska (11/7/09)
	2 for 4 vs. Alaska (11/6/09)
Most opponent penalties in a game	10 for 31 by Ohio State (10/30/09)
	13 for 26 by Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09)
Fewest opponent penalties in a game	3 for 6 minutes by Ohio State (10/31/09)
Most power-play chances	10 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09, 1-10)
Most power play goals	2 vs. Ohio State (10/31/09, 2-3)
	2 vs. Ohio State (10/30/09, 2-9)
	2 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (10/9/09, 2-4)
Most short-handed goals	1 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09)
Most opponent power-play chances	8 by Ohio State (10/30/09, 1-8)
	8 by Alabama-Huntsville (10/10/09, 0-8)
Most opponent power-play goals	2 by Ohio State (10/31/09, 2-3)
Most opponent short-handed goals	0

IRISH SPECIAL TEAMS

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

Game	POWER PLAY	PEN. KILLING
	G-Chances	Kills-Opp
UAH	2-4	4-5
UAH	1-10	8-8
PC	1-5	4-4
PC	1-5	2-2
at BU	1-6	8-8
BC	0-8	3-4
OSU	2-9	7-8
OSU	2-3	1-3
at UAF	2-3	2-2
at UAF	0-4	2-2
Home	9-44 (20.5%)	29-34 (85.3%)
Away	3-13 (23.1%)	12-12 (100.0%)
Neutral	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)
Totals	12-57 (21.1%)	41-46 (89.1%)

NOTRE DAME SCORING STREAKS:

Point Streaks			
Player	Length	Dates	G-A-PTS
Ben Ryan	7	10/16-	3-6-9
Kyle Lawson	4	10/30-	2-4-6
Kevin Deeth	4	10/9-10/16	0-4-4
Calle Ridderwall	4	10/16-10/30	4-1-5
Ian Cole	3	10/31-	0-3-3
Kyle Palmieri	3	10/9-10/15	2-1-3
Billy Maday	3	10/9-10/15	0-3-3
Ryan Thang	3	10/9-10/15	1-2-3
Christiaan Minella	3	10/20-10/30	0-3-3
Dan Kissel	3	10/20-10/30	1-2-3

Assist Streaks

Player	Length	Dates	Assists
Kyle Lawson	4	10/30-	2-4-6
Kevin Deeth	4	10/9-10/16	0-4-4
Ian Cole	3	10/31-	0-3-3
Ben Ryan	3	10/30-11/6	0-3-3
Billy Maday	3	10/9-10/15	0-3-3
Christiaan Minella	2	10/20-10/30	0-3-3
Dan Kissel	2	10/20-10/23	0-2-2
Ben Ryan	2	10/16-10/20	1-3-4

Goal Streaks

Player	Length	Dates	Goals
Calle Ridderwall	4	10/16-10/30	4-1-5
Kyle Lawson	2	10/31-11/6	2-2-4
Ben Ryan	2	10/20-10/23	2-1-3
Kyle Palmieri	2	10/9-10/10	2-0-2

2009-10 Multi-Point Games

Player (# in 09-10)	Stats	Opp	Date
Kyle Lawson (3)	1-1-2	Alaska	11/6/09
Kyle Lawson (2)	1-1-2	OSU	10/31/09
Riley Sheahan	1-1-2	OSU	10/31/09
Ben Ryan (2)	1-1-2	BU	10/20/09
Billy Maday	1-1-2	BU	10/20/09
Calle Ridderwall	1-1-2	BU	10/20/09
Ben Ryan	0-2-2	PC	10/16/09
Kyle Lawson	1-1-2	UAH	10/10/09

Career Multi-Point Games

Player	Career	2008-09
	Kevin Deeth	19
Ryan Thang	18	3
Kyle Lawson	14	5
Ben Ryan	11	5
Calle Ridderwall	10	8
Billy Maday	8	7
Brett Blatchford	8	6
Ian Cole	7	4
Dan Kissel	6	3
Christiaan Minella	2	2
Teddy Ruth	2	1
Ryan Guentzel	1	1
Riley Sheahan	1	--

Career Multi-Goal Games

Player	Career	2008-09
	Ryan Thang	6
Calle Ridderwall	4	3
Kevin Deeth	3	0
Dan Kissel	2	0
Ian Cole	2	1
Ben Ryan	1	0
Billy Maday	1	1

THE LAST TIME:

Notre Dame won in a shootout (CCHA).....	January 17, 2009 at Lake Superior (3-3, won SO, 2-1)
Notre Dame lost in a shootout (CCHA)	October 31, 2009 vs. Ohio State (2-2, lost in SO, 2-1)
Notre Dame won in overtime.....	February 20, 2009 at Nebraska-Omaha (4-3, ot)
Notre Dame CCHA overtime win.....	February 20, 2009 at Nebraska-Omaha (4-3, ot)
Notre Dame lost in overtime.....	March 21, 2008 vs. Miami (2-1, 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	October 16, 2009 vs. Providence College (Mike Johnson, 29 saves)
Notre Dame had a road shutout.....	October 20, 2009 at Boston University (Brad Phillips, 34 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	Feb. 27, 2009 vs. Michigan State (Jordan Pearce, 15 saves)
Notre Dame was shut out in a CCHA game.....	October 24, 2008 vs. Miami (Cody Reichard, 29 saves)
Notre Dame was shut out at home	October 24, 2008 vs. Miami (Cody Reichard, 29 saves)
Notre Dame was shut out on road.....	Feb. 29, 2008 at Western Michigan (Riley Gill, 42 saves)
Notre Dame had 35 or more shots in a game.....	March 29, 2009 vs. Northern Michigan (36 shots)
Notre Dame had 40 or more shots in a game.....	October 9, 2009 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (41 shots)
Notre Dame had 50 or more shots in a game.....	October 10, 2009 vs. Alabama-Huntsville (52 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 35 or more shots in a game.....	November 6, 2009 at Alaska (37 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 40 or more shots in a game.....	November 14, 2008 vs. Lake Superior (43 shots)
Notre Dame surrendered 50 or more shots in a game.....	October 22, 2004 vs. Boston College (52 shots)
Notre Dame had six PP goals in a game	February 13, 2009 vs. No. Michigan (9-5 win)
.....	November 22, 2008 at Bowling Green (9-1 win)
Notre Dame had four PP goals in a game.....	November 28, 2008 vs. Western Michigan (4-1 win)
Notre Dame had three PP goals in a game.....	February 6, 2009 at Ohio State (4-3 ot win)
Notre Dame had two short-handed goals in a game	December 1, 2007 vs. Nebraska-Omaha (5-0 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 29, 2007 vs. Massachusetts (4-3 loss)
Notre Dame surrendered two short-handed goals/game	December 2, 2000 vs. Miami (5-2 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	Feb. 13, 2009 - Erik Condra (vs. No. Michigan, 2g, 3a)
.....	Feb. 13, 2009 - Kyle Lawson (vs. No. 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	February 13, 2009 - Ben Ryan (vs. Northern Michigan, 1g, 2a)
.....	February 13, 2009 - Kyle Lawson (vs. Northern Michigan, 0g, 3a)
Notre Dame player had four points.....	February 13, 2009 - Ian Cole (vs. Northern Michigan, 2g, 2a)
Notre Dame player had five points.....	February 13, 2009 - Erik Condra (vs. Northern Michigan - 2g, 3a)
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	Nov. 6, 2009 - Mike Johnson (at Alaska, 3-2 win, 35 saves)
Notre Dame goalie made 40+ saves	Nov. 14, 2008 - Jordan Pearce (vs. Lake Superior, 3-3 ot tie, 40 saves)
Notre Dame goalie made 50+ saves.....	Oct. 22, 2004 - Morgan Cey (vs. Boston College, 3-2 win, 50 saves)
Opposing player scored a hat trick.....	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.....	February 8, 2009 - Zac Dalpe (Ohio State, 0g, 3a)
Opposing player had four assists.....	February 13, 2009 - Gregor Hanson (Northern Michigan - 0g, 4a)
Opposing player had five assists.....	January 20, 1996 - Kevin Hilton (Michigan - 0g, 5a)
Opposing player had three points.....	February 8, 2009 - Zac Dalpe (Ohio State, 0g, 3a)
Opposing player had four points.....	February 13, 2009 - Gregor Hanson (Northern Michigan - 0g, 4a)
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.....	October 9, 2009- Cameron Talbot (Alabama-Huntsville, 39 saves, 3-2 loss)
Opposing goalie made 40+ saves.....	October 10, 2009 - Cameron Talbot (Alabama-Huntsville, 48 saves, 3-1 win)
Opposing goalie made 50+ saves.....	November 5, 2004 - Jordan Sigalet (BGSU, 50 saves, 4-4 tie)
Notre Dame had a penalty shot.....	Jan. 31, 2009 - Ryan Thang (scored at Michigan, ND wins, 3-2)
.....	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	9 Times, last time - Feb. 27-28, 2009 (vs. Michigan State, 5-0, 2-1)
Notre Dame swept a CCHA series	9 Times, last time - Feb. 27-28, 2009 (vs. Michigan State, 5-0, 2-1)
Notre Dame swept a road two-game series.....	Feb. 20-21, 2009 (at Neb.-Omaha, 4-3 ot, 1-0)
Notre Dame swept a CCHA road two-game series	Feb. 20-21, 2009 (at Neb.-Omaha, 4-3 ot, 1-0)

Events in bold occurred in 2009-10 season

IRISH CAREER STATS

Player	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN/MIN
Kevin Deeth	137	32	69	101	46/100
Ryan Thang	132	50	46	96	60/120
Kyle Lawson	133	16	61	77	50/100
Ben Ryan	96	25	38	63	30/60
Brett Blatchford	125	3	53	56	28/75
Dan Kissel	112	23	30	53	27/54
Ian Cole	91	14	37	51	54/108
Calle Ridderwall	89	26	19	45	20/48
Billy Maday	49	18	19	37	15/30
Christiaan Minella	94	11	17	28	44/96
Ryan Guentzel	75	4	11	15	11/30
Teddy Ruth	77	4	8	12	30/76
Riley Sheahan	9	2	3	5	0/0
Kyle Palmieri	10	2	2	4	3/6
Sean Lorenz	50	0	4	4	13/26
Patrick Gaul	23	0	2	2	3/6
Kyle Murphy	4	0	0	0	0/0
Kevin Nugent	3	0	0	0	0/0
Sam Calabrese	2	0	0	0	0/0
Eric Ringel	15	0	0	0	0/0
Brad Phillips	10	0	0	0	1/2
Tom O'Brien	3	0	0	0	0/0
Nick Condon	12	0	0	0	1/2
Richard Ryan	3	0	0	0	0/0
Mike Johnson	4	0	0	0	0/0
Goaltender	GP	W-L-T	GAvg.	Sv%	
Mike Johnson	4	3-1-0	1.25	.957	
Tom O'Brien	3	2-0-0	1.27	.923	
Brad Phillips	10	5-4-1	1.87	.923	

WHERE ARE THEY NOW??

Seventeen former Notre Dame players are currently on professional hockey rosters as of November 11.

NHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Mark Eaton - Pittsburgh	18	1	3	4	8
Brett Lebda - Detroit	12	1	0	1	12
Victor Oreskovich - Fla.	4	0	1	1	0
Yan Stastny - St. Louis @	3	1	0	1	0
AHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Christian Hanson - Toronto	12	5	8	13	9
Yan Stastny - Peoria	11	3	7	10	2
Erik Condra - Binghamton	14	1	4	5	14
Tim Wallace - W.B./Scranton	11	3	1	4	4
Victor Oreskovich - Rochester#	5	1	3	4	2
Wes O'Neill - Lake Erie	14	0	4	4	10
Mark Van Guilder - Milwaukee	8	0	2	2	6
Mike Walsh - Grand Rapids	4	1	0	1	0
ECHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Michael Bartlett - Johnstown	9	2	4	6	6
Evan Rankin - Toledo	10	5	3	8	2
Brock Sheahan - Cincinnati	9	0	3	3	8
Jordan Pearce - Toledo	4	2-2-0,	4.52,	855	
CHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Tom Sawatske - Rio Grande	8	0	2	2	14
Luke Lucyk - Texas *	9	0	0	0	12
IHL	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Tom Galvin - Muskegon	4	3	1	4	6
England	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Dan Carlson - Coventry	19	5	7	12	22
Germany	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Rob Globke - Krefeld	16	3	2	5	12

* waived 11/9
 @ returned to Peoria - 11/1
 # recalled to Florida - 10/31

NATIONAL POLLS:

USA TODAY/Amer. Hockey Mag. (Nov. 9, 2009)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. Miami (33)	8-1-1	510	1
2. North Dakota (1)	6-1-1	471	2
3. Denver	6-3-1	407	3
4. Cornell	3-0-0	397	6
5. UMass.-Lowell	5-2-1	357	8
6. Michigan	4-4-0	272	4
7. Bemidji State	7-0-1	226	12
8. Notre Dame	5-4-1	214	9
9. Alaska	6-1-1	174	14
10. Massachusetts	6-1-0	155	NR
11. Yale	1-1-1	148	7
12. Nebraska-Omaha	4-1-3	142	10
13. Colorado College	5-2-1	140	11
14. Michigan State	7-2-1	119	NR
15. Vermont	3-3-1	95	15

Receiving votes: Boston College, 80; Boston University, 74; Princeton, 39; Quinnipiac, 27; Minnesota-Duluth, 21; Wisconsin, 9; Ferris State, 3.

USCHO.com /CBS College (Nov. 9, 2009)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. Miami (49)	8-1-1	999	1
2. North Dakota (1)	6-1-1	948	3
3. Cornell	3-0-0	855	5
4. Denver	6-3-1	830	2
5. UMass.-Lowell	5-2-1	778	8
6. Michigan	4-4-0	653	4
7. Bemidji State	7-0-1	599	11
8. Notre Dame	5-4-1	549	9
9. Alaska	6-1-1	521	13
10. Colorado College	5-2-1	478	12
11. Nebraska-Omaha	4-1-3	456	10
12. Yale	1-1-1	435	6
13. Michigan State	7-2-1	426	17
14. Massachusetts	6-1-0	357	19
15. Vermont	3-3-1	329	15
16. Boston College	3-2-1	316	16
17. Boston University	2-5-0	235	7
18. Minnesota-Duluth	6-3-1	178	20
19. Princeton	2-2-0	175	14
20. Quinnipiac	6-1-0	139	NR

Receiving Votes: Wisconsin, 137; St. Cloud State, 20; Rensselaer, 18; Northeastern, 16; Minnesota, 13; Providence, 9; Ferris State, 8; Merrimack, 8; Western Michigan, 8; New Hampshire, 5; St. Lawrence, 3.

Inside College Hockey.com (Nov. 9, 2009)

School	Record	Pts	Last Week
1. Miami	8-1-1		1
2. North Dakota	6-1-1		2
3. Cornell	3-0-0		5
4. Denver	6-3-1		3
5. UMass-Lowell	5-2-1		9
6. Michigan	4-4-0		4
7. Nebraska-Omaha	4-1-3		6
8. Notre Dame	5-4-1		8
9. Alaska	6-1-1		11
10. Bemidji State	7-0-1		13
11. Vermont	3-3-1		12
12. Yale	1-1-1		7
13. Michigan State	7-2-1		16
14. Massachusetts	6-1-0		17
15. Colorado College	5-2-1		15
16. Minnesota-Duluth	6-3-1		18
17. Princeton	2-2-0		14
18. Boston College	3-2-1		20
19. Quinnipiac	6-1-0		NR
20. Wisconsin	4-3-1		19

Bubble-licious: Merrimack, St. Cloud State, Ferris State, Rensselaer.

2009-10 CENTRAL COLLEGIATE HOCKEY ASSOC. STANDINGS

TEAM	CCHA						OVERALL							
	GP	W	L	T	SW	PTS	GF	GA	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA
1. Miami	6	5	1	0	0	15	18	10	10	8	1	1	34	20
2. Michigan State	6	4	1	1	0	13	17	11	10	7	2	1	35	23
3. Alaska	4	3	1	0	0	9	11	7	8	6	1	1	23	11
4. Ohio State	6	2	3	1	1	8	14	16	10	3	6	1	21	25
5. Notre Dame	4	2	1	1	0	7	9	8	10	5	4	1	23	18
6. Ferris State	4	2	2	0	0	6	11	9	10	7	3	0	33	18
Michigan	4	2	2	0	0	6	13	12	8	4	4	0	24	20
Nebraska-Omaha	4	1	1	2	1	6	9	10	8	4	1	3	24	19
9. Western Michigan	4	1	2	1	1	5	9	11	8	5	2	1	22	17
10. Lake Superior	6	1	4	1	0	3	14	22	10	4	5	1	28	31
11. Northern Michigan	4	1	3	0	0	3	9	11	8	2	5	1	18	25
12. Bowling Green	4	0	3	1	1	2	7	14	8	0	7	1	13	32

THIS WEEK IN THE CCHA

Friday, November 13

Alaska at Bowling Green, 7:05 p.m.
 Western Michigan at Ohio State, 7:05 p.m.
 Ferris State at Miami, 7:35 p.m.
 Lake Superior at Nebraska-Omaha, 7:35 p.m.
 Michigan State at Michigan, 7:35 p.m.

Saturday, November 14

Northern Michigan at Notre Dame, 5:05 p.m.
 Alaska at Bowling Green, 7:35 p.m.
 Ferris State at Miami, 7:05 p.m.
 Lake Superior at Nebraska-Omaha, 7:05 p.m. (CT)
 Michigan at Michigan State, 7:05 p.m.
 Western Michigan at Ohio State, 8:05 p.m.

Sunday, November 15

Northern Michigan at Notre Dame, 4:05 p.m.

LAST WEEK IN THE CCHA

Thursday, November 5

at Michigan State 3, Nebraska-Omaha 0

Friday, November 6

Notre Dame 3, at Alaska 2
 at Ferris State 5, Bowling Green 1
 Nebraska-Omaha 3, at Michigan State 3 (ot)
Nebraska-Omaha wins shoot out, 2-1
 Northern Michigan 1, at Ohio State 0
 Lake Superior 3, at Western Michigan 3 (ot)
Western Michigan wins shoot out, 1-0
 Miami 3, at Michigan 1

Saturday, November 7

at Alaska 3, Notre Dame 1
 at Ferris State 3, Bowling Green 2
 at Ohio State 5, Northern Michigan 4
 at Western Michigan 2, Lake Superior 1
 Miami 5, at Michigan 1

2009-10 Notre Dame Television Schedule

The Notre Dame hockey team is scheduled to appear on television 11 times during the 2009-10 regular season. The Irish will appear five times on Comcast, three times on CBS College Sports and once each on ESPN, Fox Sports Detroit and the Big Ten Network. Hockey fans should check their local cable and satellite systems for the location of the various networks. The entire television schedule for the Irish:

Tuesday, October 20	at Boston University	ESPNU	7:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 19	at Michigan State	Comcast	7:05 p.m.
Friday, December 4	at Miami	Comcast	7:35 p.m.
Saturday, December 5	at Miami	Comcast	7:05 p.m.
Friday, December 11	at Michigan	Comcast	7:35 p.m.
Sunday, December 13	Michigan	Comcast	4:05 p.m.
Friday, January 15	Michigan State	CBS College Sports	8:05 p.m.
Friday, January 29	Nebraska-Omaha	CBS College Sports	8:05 p.m.
Saturday, January 30	Nebraska-Omaha	CBS College Sports	8:05 p.m.
Thursday, February 25	at Michigan	Fox Sports Detroit	7:35 p.m.
Saturday, February 27	Michigan	Big Ten Network	7:05 p.m.



Notre Dame Player Notes

2 Kyle Lawson, Sr., D

- Recorded his second consecutive three-point weekend (1g, 2a) in series at Alaska; had a goal (ppg, gwg) in 3-2 win on Nov. 6 before assisting on lone Irish goal in 3-1 loss (11/7).
- Had three-point weekend (1g, 2a) in series with Ohio State; picked up an assist in 3-1 win (10/30) and added a goal (ppg) and assist in 2-2 tie with Buckeyes (10/31)
- Had a goal (shg, gwg) and an assist in 3-1 win over Alabama-Huntsville (10/10)
- 2009-10 All-American candidate
- 2009-10 all-CCHA candidate
- Second team all-CCHA selection by the CCHA coaches in preseason voting
- Selected as a Notre Dame alternate captain for second consecutive year

3 Brett Blatchford, Sr., D

- Picked up first assist of season on Calle Ridderwall power-play goal in 3-1 win over Ohio State (10/30)
- Scored his first goal (ppg) in 99 games (Jan. 20, 2007 vs. Western Michigan) in 3-1 win over Alabama-Huntsville

4 Riley Sheahan, Fr., C

- Had first multiple-point game of career (1 ppg, 1a) in 2-2 tie with Ohio State (10/31)
- Scored first collegiate goal on first career shot in 3-2 loss to Alabama-Huntsville (10/9); goal came on the power play

5 Teddy Ruth, So., D

- Selected as an alternate team captain for 2009-10 season
- Has missed first 10 games of the season with a lower body injury

6 Patrick Gaul, So., C

8 Sam Calabrese, Fr., D

- Played in first career game versus Alabama-Huntsville (10/10)

9 Ryan Thang, Jr., LW

- Picked up his 50th career goal and 23rd career power-play goal in 3-2 win at Alaska (11/6); moved into ninth on all-time power-play list
- Scored first goal of the season via the power play (10/15) in 3-2 loss to Providence
- One of 20 nominees for Lowes Senior CLASS Award for hockey
- 2009-10 All-CCHA candidate
- Selected team captain for 2009-10 season; served as an alternate captain in 2008-09
- Preseason honorable mention all-CCHA selection by conference coaches

10 Kyle Palmieri, Fr., RW

- Set up Dan Kissel's game winner in 3-1 win over Ohio State (10/30)
- Scored once in 3-2 win over Alabama-Huntsville (10/10)
- Scored first collegiate goal (ppg) in his first career game vs. Alabama-Huntsville (10/9)

12 Richard Ryan, So., LW

13 Eric Ringel, So., D

14 Nick Condon, So., D

15 Christiaan Minella, Sr., RW

- Scored first goal of the season in the 3-2 win at Alaska (11/6)
- Picked up third assist of the season on Calle Ridderwall ppg in 3-1 win over Ohio State (10/30)
- Helped set up Ben Ryan goal in 3-2 loss to Boston College (10/23)
- Recorded first point of the season on Ben Ryan goal in 3-0 win at Boston University (10/20)

16 Dan Kissel, Sr., LW

- Scored game-winning goal in 3-1 victory over Ohio State (10/30)
- Has second assist of the season on Ben Ryan goal in 3-2 loss to Boston College (10/23)
- Assisted on Ben Ryan goal in 3-0 win over Boston University
- Scored first goal of the season (10/15) in 3-2 loss to Providence

17 Billy Maday, Fr., RW

- Scored Notre Dame's lone shoot out goal in shoot out loss to Ohio State (10/31)
- Picked up second goal of the season (eng) to seal ND's 3-1 win over Ohio State (10/30)
- Had first multiple-point game of the season (1gwg, 1a) in 3-0 win versus Boston University (10/20)
- Collected one assist in each game of the Alabama-Huntsville series
- 2009-10 All-CCHA candidate
- Selected second team preseason all-CCHA by conference's coaches

18 Kyle Murphy, So., LW

- Played in first game of collegiate career versus Alabama-Huntsville (10/9)

19 Ben Ryan, Jr., C

- Made it seven consecutive games with at least one point after getting a goal and an assist in Alaska series; goal was lone Irish goal of the night in 3-1 loss on Nov. 7; has three goals and six assists for nine points in streak
- Had assists in each game of the Ohio State series to move point streak to five straight games (2g, 5a)
- Scored second goal of the season, 11 seconds into third period, to tie game versus Boston College (10/23)
- Turned in second two-point game (1g, 1a) of the season in 3-0 win over Boston University (10/20)
- Recorded first multiple-point game (0g, 2a) in 2-0 win over Providence (10/16)

20 Kevin Nugent, Fr., RW

- Played in first game of his college career against Alabama-Huntsville (10/10)

21 Kevin Deeth, Sr., C

- Picked up team-high sixth assist in 3-1 win over Ohio State (10/30)
- Fifth assist of the season came versus Boston College (10/23); assist made him the 44th player in Notre Dame history to score 100 or more points in career (32g, 68a, 100 pts)
- Has one assist in each of Notre Dame's first four games
- Selected as one of Notre Dame's three alternate captains for 2009-10

22 Calle Ridderwall, Jr., LW

- Fourth goal of the year came on the power play in 3-1 win over Ohio State (10/30)
- Scored first even-strength goal of the season (third goal overall) in 3-2 loss to Boston College (10/23)
- Had first multiple-point game (1ppg, 1a) of the season in 3-0 win over Boston University (10/20)
- Picked up first goal of the season on the power play in 2-0 win over Providence (10/15)
- Selected second team preseason all-CCHA by league's coaches

24 Sean Lorenz, So., D

- Assisted on Billy Maday game winner in 3-0 win over Boston University (10/20)

26 Nick Larson, Fr., LW

- Scored first career goal (gwg) in 2-0 win over Providence (10/16)

27 Ryan Guentzel, Jr., RW

28 Ian Cole, So., D

- Assisted on game-winning goal in 3-2 win at Alaska (11/6)

- 2009-10 All-American candidate
- 2009-10 All-CCHA candidate
- Selected first team preseason all-CCHA by the conference's coaches
- Inside College Hockey.com preseason All-American
- Selected to College Hockey News' preseason All-American team

30 Brad Phillips, Jr., Goaltender

- Made 30 saves in 2-2 overtime tie with Ohio State (10/31); stopped one of three Buckeye shots in 2-1 shoot out loss versus Buckeyes
- Named CCHA goaltender of the week for week of Oct. 19; was 1-1 with a 1.51 goals-against average, a 94.0% save percentage and one shutout
- Stopped 13 of 16 shots in 3-2 loss to #15/#14 Boston College (10/23)
- Made a career-high 34 saves in 3-0 shutout of #3/#3 Boston University (10/20); shutout was second of career.
- Made 26 saves in 3-2 loss to Providence on Oct. 15
- Made first start since Jan. 17, 2007 in 3-2 loss to Alabama-Huntsville (10/9); had a career-high 28 saves versus Chargers. Sat out entire 2008-09 season due to a knee injury suffered in preseason that required surgery.

31 Tom O'Brien, Sr., Goaltender

- Made first start of the season and third of his career in 3-1 win over Alabama-Huntsville (10/10); stopped 13 of 14 shots for second career victory.

32 Mike Johnson, Fr., Goaltender

- Made second consecutive start for first time in Irish career in 3-1 loss at Alaska (11/7); had 21 saves in his first career loss
- Had a career-high 35 saves in 3-2 win at Alaska (11/6)
- Stopped 27-of-28 Ohio State shots in 3-1 win over Ohio State (10/30) for second career win; lone goal came on the power play
- Made first career start on 10/16, stopping all 29 shots in 2-0 shutout of Providence; becomes just the second Notre Dame goaltender to record a shutout in first career game as he joins senior Tom O'Brien who did it on Oct. 18, 2008 in a 7-0 win over Sacred Heart

35 Brian Brooke, Jr., Goaltender

2009-10 Notre Dame Hockey Box Scores

Friday, October 9, 2009 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Alabama-Huntsville	0	1	2	-	3
#5/#5 Notre Dame	1	1	0	-	2

1st Period

ND – Riley Sheahan 1 (Billy Maday, Ryan Thang), PPG, 3:02.

2nd Period

UAH – Tom Train 1 (Vince Bruni, Chris Fairbanks), 13:13; ND – Kyle Palmieri 1 (Calle Ridderwall, Kevin Deeth), PPG, 15:50.

3rd Period

UAH – Justin Cseter 1 (Train, Brennan Barker), 8:01; UAH – Cody Campbell 1 (Matt Baxter, Kevin Morrison), PPG, 19:55.

Saves

UAH – Cameron Talbot (60:00) 11 - 14 - 14 - 39
ND – Brad Phillips (59:29) 10 - 8 - 10 - 28

Power Play: UAH: 1-5; ND: 2-4.

Penalties: UAH: 5 for 21 minutes; ND: 5 for 10 minutes.

Attendance: 2,994 (sellout)

Saturday, October 10, 2009 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Alabama-Huntsville	0	1	0	-	1
#5/#5 Notre Dame	1	1	1	-	3

1st Period

ND – Brett Blatchford 1 (Kyle Lawson, Billy Maday), PPG, 1:57.

2nd Period

UAH – Neil Ruffini 1 (unassisted), 2:01; ND: Lawson 1 (Ian Cole, Ben Ryan), PPG, 19:33.

3rd Period

ND – Kyle Palmieri 2 (Kevin Deeth, Ryan Thang), 12:28.

Saves

UAH – Cameron Talbot (60:00) 15 - 16 - 17 - 48
ND – Tom O'Brien (59:57) 3 - 8 - 2 - 13

Power Play: UAH: 0-8; ND: 1-10.

Penalties: UAH: 13 for 26 minutes; ND: 12 for 43 minutes

Attendance: 2,715

Thursday, October 15, 2009 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Providence College	1	1	1	-	3
#7/#7 Notre Dame	1	0	1	-	2

1st Period

PC – Mark Fayne 2 (Chris Rooney), 2:59; ND – Ryan Thang 1 (Riley Sheahan, Billy Maday), PPG, 16:07.

2nd Period

PC – Matt Bergland 1 (Jordan Kremyr, Matt Germain), 18:32.

3rd Period

ND – Dan Kissel 1 (Kevin Deeth, Kyle Palmieri), 9:15; PC – Aaron Jammick 1 (John Cavanagh), 16:14.

Saves

PC – Alex Beaudry (59:59) 18 - 7 - 6 - 31
ND – Brad Phillips (59:25) 6 - 15 - 5 - 26

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

Penalties: PC: 5 for 10 minutes; ND: 5 for 21 minutes

Attendance: 2,471

Friday, October 16, 2009 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Providence College	0	0	0	-	0
#7/#7 Notre Dame	0	1	1	-	2

1st Period

No Scoring.

2nd Period

ND – Nick Larson 1 (Ben Ryan, Kyle Lawson), 10:13.

3rd Period

ND – Calle Ridderwall 1 (Ben Ryan, Kevin Deeth), PPG, 5:13.

Saves

PC – Alex Beaudry (59:05) 8 - 11 - 9 - 28
ND – Mike Johnson (59:44) 12 - 13 - 4 - 29

Power Play: PC: 0-2; ND: 1-5.

Penalties: PC: 7 for 14 minutes; ND: 4 for 8 minutes

Attendance: 2,857 (sellout)

Tuesday, October 20, 2009 – at Boston, Mass.

	1	2	3	-	F
#10/#9 Notre Dame	0	2	1	-	3
#3/#3 Boston University	0	0	0	-	0

1st Period

No Scoring.

2nd Period

ND – Billy Maday 1 (Sean Lorenz, Calle Ridderwall), 15:27; ND – Ben Ryan 1 (Christiaan Minella, Dan Kissel), 15:39.

3rd Period

ND – Calle Ridderwall 2 (Maday, B. Ryan), PPG, 2:53.

Saves

ND – Brad Phillips (60:00) 10 - 7 - 17 - 34
BU – Kieran Millam (56:17) 4 - 7 - 2 - 13

Power Play: ND: 1-6; BU: 0-8.

Penalties: ND: 8 for 16 minutes; BU: 7 for 22 minutes

Attendance: 5,684

Friday, October 23, 2009 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
#15/#14 Boston College	0	2	1	-	3
#10/#9 Notre Dame	1	0	1	-	2

1st Period

ND – Calle Ridderwall 3 (Kevin Deeth, Ian Cole), 4:21.

2nd Period

BC – Ben Smith 1 (Philip Samuelsson, Chris Kreider), 5:43; BC – Brian Gibbons 1 (Joe Whitney), PPG, 9:11.

3rd Period

ND – Ben Ryan 2 (Dan Kissel, Christiaan Minella), 00:11; BC – J. Whitney 2 (Cam Atkinson, Carl Sneepe), 11:29.

Saves

BC – John Muse (60:00) 6 - 7 - 7 - 20
ND – Brad Phillips (59:12) 6 - 5 - 2 - 13

Power Play: BC: 1-4; ND: 0-8.

Penalties: BC: 8 for 16 minutes; ND: 4 for 8 minutes

Attendance: 2,997 (sellout)

Friday, October 30, 2009 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	-	F
Ohio State	1	0	0	-	1
#11/#8 Notre Dame	1	0	2	-	3

1st Period

OSU – John Albert 2 (Zac Dalpe, Taylor Stefishen), PPG, 13:04; ND – Calle Ridderwall 4 (Christiaan Minella, Brett Blatchford), PPG, 14:53.

2nd Period

No Scoring.

3rd Period

ND – Dan Kissel 2 (Kyle Palmieri, Ben Ryan), 9:17; ND – Billy Maday 2 (Kevin Deeth, Kyle Lawson), ENG, 19:42.

Saves

OSU – Dustin Carlson (58:50) 12 - 14 - 4 - 30
ND – Mike Johnson (60:00) 9 - 10 - 8 - 27

Power Play: OSU: 1-8; ND: 2-9.

Penalties: OSU: 10 for 31 minutes; ND: 9 for 18 minutes

Attendance: 2,839 (sellout)

Saturday, October 31, 2009 – at Notre Dame, Ind.

	1	2	3	OT	-	F
Ohio State	1	0	1	0	-	2
#11/#8 Notre Dame	1	0	1	0	-	2

1st Period

ND – Riley Sheahan 2 (Kyle Lawson, Ian Cole), PPG, 14:56; OSU – Hunter Bishop 1 (John Albert, Devon Krogh), PPG, 19:23.

2nd Period

No Scoring.

3rd Period

ND – Lawson 2 (Ben Ryan, Sheahan), PPG, 2:31; OSU – Zac Dalpe 2 (unassisted), PPG, 5:02.

Overtime

No Scoring.

Shootout - OSU - Albert (goal); **ND -** Maday (goal); **OSU -** Dalpe (miss); **ND -** Ridderwall (miss); **OSU -** Bishop (goal); **ND -** B. Ryan (miss); Ohio State wins shoot out, 2-1.

Saves

OSU – Cal Heeter (65:00) 8 - 7 - 7 - 2 - 24
ND – Brad Phillips (65:00) 6 - 15 - 7 - 2 - 30

Power Play: OSU: 2-3; ND: 2-3.

Penalties: OSU: 3 for 6 minutes; ND: 3 for 6 minutes

Attendance: 2,208

Friday, November 6, 2009 – at Fairbanks, Alaska

	1	2	3	-	F
#9#9 Notre Dame	1	2	0	-	3
#14/#13 Alaska	0	2	0	-	2

1st Period

ND – Christiaan Minella 1 (Riley Sheahan, Kyle Lawson), 17:40.

2nd Period

UAF – Dion Knelsen 3 (Nik Yaremchuk, Andy Taranto), 2:08; ND – Ryan Thang 2 (Billy Maday), PPG, 5:24; UAF – Chad Gehon 2 (Justin Filzen, Ron Meyers), 13:20; ND – Kyle Lawson 2 (Ian Cole, Ben Ryan), 17:14.

3rd Period

No Scoring.

Saves

ND – Mike Johnson (60:00) 9 - 10 - 16 - 35
UAF – Scott Greenham (59:05) 6 - 5 - 3 - 14

Power Play: ND: 2-3; UAF: 0-2.

Penalties: ND: 2 for 4 minutes; UAF: 3 for 6 minutes

Attendance: 3,601

Saturday, November 7, 2009 – at Fairbanks, Alaska

	1	2	3	-	F
#9#9 Notre Dame	0	1	0	-	1
#14/#13 Alaska	0	0	3	-	3

1st Period

No Scoring.

2nd Period

ND – Ben Ryan 3 (Ian Cole, Kyle Lawson), 3:20.

3rd Period

UAF – Derek Kassen 2 (Carlo Finucci, Kaare Odegard), 2:33; UAF – Andy Taranto 3 (Joe Sova), 12:53; UAF – Klassen 3 (Dion Knelsen, Justin Filzen), ENG, 19:56.

Saves

ND – Mike Johnson (59:21) 6 - 7 - 8 - 21
UAF – Scott Greenham (60:00) 10 - 9 - 7 - 26

Power Play: ND: 0-4; UAF: 0-2.

Penalties: ND: 2 for 4 minutes; UAF: 4 for 8 minutes

Attendance: 3,704

2009-10 Notre Dame Hockey Stats
Notre Dame Hockey Statistics (as of Nov 08, 2009)
All games

Overall: 5-4-1 Conf: 2-1-1 Home: 3-3-1 Away: 2-1-0 Neut: 0-0-0

OVERALL											CONFERENCE										
#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	+/-	pen-min	pp	sh	gw	gp	g	a	pts	sh	+/-	pen-min	pp	sh	gw
19	Ben Ryan	10	3	7	10	20	+3	4-8	0	0	0	4	1	3	4	8	-1	3-6	0	0	0
2	Kyle Lawson	10	3	6	9	14	-1	3-6	2	1	2	4	2	4	6	4	-1	1-2	2	0	1
17	Billy Maday	10	2	5	7	20	0	2-4	0	0	1	4	1	1	2	8	0	1-2	0	0	0
22	Calle Ridderwall	10	4	2	6	34	-6	4-8	3	0	0	4	1	0	1	10	-3	1-2	1	0	0
21	Kevin Deeth	10	0	6	6	19	-2	4-8	0	0	0	4	0	1	1	2	-2	0-0	0	0	0
4	Riley Sheahan	9	2	3	5	26	-1	0-0	2	0	0	4	1	2	3	11	+1	0-0	1	0	0
28	Ian Cole	10	0	5	5	26	-1	6-12	0	0	0	4	0	3	3	10	-1	2-4	0	0	0
16	Dan Kissel	10	2	2	4	27	+3	3-6	1	0	1	4	1	0	1	11	-1	2-4	1	0	1
10	Kyle Palmieri	10	2	2	4	30	-2	3-6	1	0	0	4	0	1	1	8	0	0-0	0	0	0
9	Ryan Thang	10	2	2	4	23	+2	6-12	2	0	0	4	1	0	1	5	+2	2-4	1	0	0
15	Christiaan Minella	9	1	3	4	11	+2	5-18	0	0	0	4	1	1	2	5	-1	0-0	0	0	0
3	Brett Blatchford	10	1	1	2	9	0	3-17	1	0	0	4	0	1	1	3	-2	0-0	0	0	0
26	Nick Larson	8	1	0	1	11	-2	5-21	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	7	-1	2-4	0	0	0
24	Sean Lorenz	10	0	1	1	6	0	4-8	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	2-4	0	0	0
8	Sam Calabrese	2	0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-									
14	Nick Condon	9	0	0	0	3	-3	0-0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	+1	0-0	0	0	0
6	Patrick Gaul	8	0	0	0	2	-3	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	-1	0-0	0	0	0
27	Ryan Guentzel	9	0	0	0	8	-1	0-0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0-0	0	0	0
18	Kyle Murphy	4	0	0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0
20	Kevin Nugent	3	0	0	0	3	-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	0
13	Eric Ringel	9	0	0	0	1	+1	0-0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	-1	0-0	0	0	0
TM	Team	6	0	0	0	0	0	2-4	0	0	0	-									
	Total	10	23	45	68	296	-12	54-138	12	1	5	4	9	17	26	103	-11	16-32	6	0	2
	Opponents	10	18	28	46	274	+9	65-160	5	0	4	4	8	13	21	121	+9	20-51	3	0	1

OVERALL											CONFERENCE									
#	Player	gp	min.	ga	gaavg	saves	pct	w	l	t	gp	min.	ga	gaavg	saves	pct	w	l	t	
31	Tom O'Brien	2	59:57	1	1.00	13	.929	1	0	0	3	179:21	5	1.67	83	.943	2	1	0	
32	Mike Johnson	4	239:05	5	1.25	112	.957	3	1	0	1	65:00	2	1.85	30	.938	0	0	1	
30	Brad Phillips	5	303:06	11	2.18	131	.923	1	3	1	1	0:39	1	0.00	0	.000	0	0	0	
TM	Team	6	2:52	1	0.00	0	.000	0	0	0	4	245:00	8	1.96	113	.934	2	1	1	
	Total	10	605:00	18	1.79	256	.934	5	4	1	4	245:00	9	2.20	94	.913	1	2	1	
	Opponents	10	605:00	23	2.28	273	.922	4	5	1										

Shots on Goal			
	shots	avg/g	shot%
Notre Dame	296	29.60	.078
Opponents	274	27.40	.066

Power Plays			
	goals	chances	pp%
Notre Dame	12	57	.211
Opponents	5	46	.109

Goals by Period				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Notre Dame	7	8	8	23
Opponents	3	7	8	18

Shots on Goal			
	shots	avg/g	shot%
Notre Dame	103	25.75	.087
Opponents	121	30.25	.066

Power Plays			
	goals	chances	pp%
Notre Dame	6	19	.316
Opponents	3	15	.200

Goals by Period				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Notre Dame	3	3	3	9
Opponents	2	2	4	8

2009-10 Notre Dame Hockey Stats
Notre Dame Overall Team Statistics (as of Nov 08, 2009)
All games

Overall: 5-4-1 Conf: 2-1-1 Home: 3-3-1 Away: 2-1-0 Neut: 0-0-0

TEAM STATISTICS	ND	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	23-296	18-274
Shot pct.	.078	.066
Goals/Game	2.3	1.8
Shots/Game	29.6	27.4
Assists	45	28
POWER PLAYS		
Goals-Power Plays	12-57	5-46
Conversion Percent	.211	.109
Shot Attempts	91	56
Shot Percent	.132	.089
SHORT-HANDED		
Goals-Shot attempts	1-12	0-11
Shot Percent	.083	.000
GOAL BREAKDOWN		
Total Goals	23	18
Power Play	12	5
Short-handed	1	0
Empty net	1	1
Penalty	0	0
Unassisted	0	2
Overtime	0	0
Shootout	0	0
Delayed Penalty	0	0
PENALTIES		
Number	54	65
Minutes	138	160
Penalties/Game	5.4	6.5
Pen minutes/Game	13.8	16.0
Minor	49	60
Major	2	2
10-minute Misconduct	1	1
Game Misconduct	2	2
Gross Misconduct	0	0
Match	0	0
FACEOFFS (W-L)		
Faceoff W-L Pct.	317-259	259-317
Faceoff W-L Pct.	.550	.450
SHOOTOUTS (Made-Att)		
	1-2	2-1
ATTENDANCE		
Total	19081	12953
Dates/Avg Per Date	7/2726	3/4318
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Notre Dame	7	8	8	23
Opponents	3	7	8	18

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Notre Dame	105	105	84	296
Opponents	80	105	87	274

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Notre Dame	77	98	79	256
Opponents	98	97	76	273

2009-10 Notre Dame Hockey Stats
 Notre Dame Game-by-Game Goals-Assists-Points (as of Nov 08, 2009)
 All games

Opponent	Date	Score	2		3	4	6	8	9	10	13	14	15	16
			LAWSON,KYL	BLATCHFOR	SHEAHAN,RIL	GAUL,PATRIC	CALABRESE,	THANG,RYAN	PALMIERI,KY	RINGEL,ERIC	CONDON,NIC	MINELLA,CH	KISSEL,DAN	
UAH	Oct 09	2-3 L	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	DNP	0-1-1	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
UAH	Oct 10	3-1 W	1-1-2	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	1-0-1	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
PC	Oct 15	2-3 L	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	1-0-1	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	1-0-1	0-0-0
PC	Oct 16	2-0 W	0-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
at BU	Oct 20	3-0 W	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-1-1
BC	Oct 23	2-3 L	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-1-1
OSU	Oct 30	3-1 W	0-1-1	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	1-0-1
OSU	Oct 31	2-2 t	1-1-2	0-0-0	1-1-2	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
at UAF	Nov 06	3-2 W	1-1-2	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0
at UAF	Nov 07	1-3 L	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0

Opponent	Date	Score	17		18	19	20	21	22	24	26	27	28	30
			MADAY,BILLY	MURPHY,KYL	RYAN,BEN	NUGENT,KEVI	DEETH,KEVIN	RIDDERWALL	LORENZ,SEA	LARSON,NIC	GUENTZEL,R	COLE,IAN	PHILLIPS,BR	
UAH	Oct 09	2-3 L	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-1-1	0-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
UAH	Oct 10	3-1 W	0-1-1	DNP	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	DNP
PC	Oct 15	2-3 L	0-1-1	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
PC	Oct 16	2-0 W	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-2-2	DNP	0-1-1	1-0-1	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP
at BU	Oct 20	3-0 W	1-1-2	DNP	1-1-2	DNP	0-0-0	1-1-2	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
BC	Oct 23	2-3 L	0-0-0	DNP	1-0-1	DNP	0-1-1	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0
OSU	Oct 30	3-1 W	1-0-1	DNP	0-1-1	DNP	0-1-1	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP
OSU	Oct 31	2-2 t	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0
at UAF	Nov 06	3-2 W	0-1-1	DNP	0-1-1	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	DNP
at UAF	Nov 07	1-3 L	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	DNP

Opponent	Date	Score	31		32	
			O'BRIEN,TOM	JOHNSON,MI		
UAH	Oct 09	2-3 L	DNP	DNP		
UAH	Oct 10	3-1 W	0-0-0	DNP		
PC	Oct 15	2-3 L	DNP	DNP		
PC	Oct 16	2-0 W	DNP	0-0-0		
at BU	Oct 20	3-0 W	0-0-0	DNP		
BC	Oct 23	2-3 L	DNP	DNP		
OSU	Oct 30	3-1 W	DNP	0-0-0		
OSU	Oct 31	2-2 t	DNP	DNP		
at UAF	Nov 06	3-2 W	DNP	0-0-0		
at UAF	Nov 07	1-3 L	DNP	0-0-0		

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All games

Date	Opponent		Score	Shots	Overall	Conf	Time	Att.	Goalie of record
Oct 09	ALABAMA-HUNTSVILLE	L	2-3	41/31	0-1-0	0-0-0	2:20	2994	Brad Phillips
Oct 10	ALABAMA-HUNTSVILLE	W	3-1	51/14	1-1-0	0-0-0	2:25	2715	Tom O'Brien
Oct 15	PROVIDENCE COLLEGE	L	2-3	33/29	1-2-0	0-0-0	2:03	2471	Brad Phillips
Oct 16	PROVIDENCE COLLEGE	W	2-0	30/29	2-2-0	0-0-0	2:05	2857	Mike Johnson
Oct 20	at #3 Boston University	W	3-0	16/34	3-2-0	0-0-0	2:10	5648	Brad Phillips
Oct 23	#15 BOSTON COLLEGE	L	2-3	22/16	3-3-0	0-0-0	2:27	2997	Brad Phillips
* Oct 30	OHIO STATE	W	3-1	33/28	4-3-0	1-0-0	2:10	2839	Mike Johnson
* Oct 31	OHIO STATE	Tot	2-2	26/32	4-3-1	1-0-1	2:15	2208	Brad Phillips
* Nov 06	at #13 Alaska	W	3-2	17/37	5-3-1	2-0-1	2:05	3601	Mike Johnson
* Nov 07	at #13 Alaska	L	1-3	27/24	5-4-1	2-1-1	2:10	3704	Mike Johnson

Team Record	W-L-T	Attendance	Dates	Total	Avg.
Overall:	5-4-1	Total:	10	32034	3203
Conference:	2-1-1	Home:	7	19081	2726
Home:	3-3-1	Away:	3	12953	4318
Away:	2-1-0	Neutral:	0	0	0
Neutral:	0-0-0				
Overtime:	0-0-1				