



BEMIDJI STATE HOCKEY

GAME 20 - ALABAMA-HUNTSVILLE AT BEMIDJI STATE

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Bemidji State notables:

► On the strength of a 20-save effort from goaltender **Andrew Walsh**, the Beavers gained their eighth win of the year, 3-0, over Ala.-Huntsville last night. BSU improves to 8-9-2 overall.

► Last night's victory helped the Beavers improve to 3-2-0 in nonconference play this season.

► A victory tonight will put the Beavers at .500 (9-9-2)--a place it has not been Oct. 22 (3-3-0) following a 3-1 win over Michigan Tech.

► The victory allowed BSU to add to its lead in the all-time series. Since the rivalry began in 1994, BSU is 37-28-4, it's unbeaten in 18 of the last 20 meetings (16-2-2), while it has not lost a game to the Chargers on its home ice since a Feb. 17, 2007 4-3 loss at the John S. Glas Fieldhouse--a streak spanning 10 games (10-0-0).

► **Shea Walters** netted his eighth goal of the season last night adding to his single-season career-high. Of his 16 collegiate goals, eight have come in the first 19 games of his senior season. His previous high water mark came in 2008-09 when he scored four goals as a freshman.

► Junior defender **Jake Areshenko** logged the second game-winning goal of his 89-game BSU career last night. Of his three collegiate goals, two have stood as game-winners.

► In his last three games, Areshenko, a career 3-14=17 point player, has a goal and two assists.

► BSU is 4-1-1 since Nov. 20. The Beavers' junior class has been a force in those games accounting for nearly half of BSU scoring with 11 goals and 13 assists. **Jordan George** leads the charge with 5-3=8 points in BSU's last six games.

► The Beavers' got a goal and two assists from its defensive corps last night. Beaver defensemen have now scored in 15 of BSU's 19 games this season, which includes its last nine, and have posted eight goals and 26 assists (8-26=34) to account for 26 percent of BSU's total scoring with an average of 1.79 points per game.

► BSU out shot Ala.-Huntsville last night (24-20), marking just the third time this season BSU has held an edge in shots. For the year, BSU trails its opponents in shots on goal 582-442, which includes a 461-326 differential in 14 WCHA games. BSU is now 4-9-2 when being out shot, 3-0-0 when out shooting its opponent and 1-0-0 when shots are even.

► The Beavers have played 13 games since last recording 30 shots on goal. The Beavers are averaging 23.26 shots per game this season, while their opponents' have put up an average of 30.63.

► This season BSU has just one short-handed goal and that came off the stick of injured **Sam Rendle** Oct. 7 at Miami--the Beavers' first game of 2011-12. Only two players in tonight's lineup have a short-handed goal **Ben Kinne** (3/7/09) and **Jordan George** (2/12/10). Since moving to the NCAA Division I level for the 1999-2000 season, BSU lowest single-season total for shorties is three in 2002-03, 2007-08 and 2010-11.

► **Brad Hunt** has accumulated 79 assists during his first 131 games as a Beaver to sit atop the BSU Division I assists list and match Paul Ferry (1989-93) and Chris Morque (1990-94) for second on BSU's all-time assist-scoring by defensemen list. Terry Mattson (1986-89), father of current Beaver freshman Danny Mattson, currently holds that title after piling up 81 helpers during his collegiate career

► Bemidji State was 0-for-3 on the power-play last night. BSU is now 11-for-58 (.190) on the power-play this season and 10-for-44 (.227) to rank fourth in WCHA play.

► The Bemidji State penalty-kill unit was flawless last night holding UAH scoreless on five man advantage opportunities. BSU is now 71-of-83 (.855) on the season to sit 15th in the country, which includes snuffing out 52-of-60 (.867) in WCHA play to lead the league in penalty-kill efficiency.

► Last night the Beavers took their fifth five-minute major of the season. BSU has held its opponents scoreless during the entire 18 minutes of major penalty time.

► The Beavers are 5-3-1 at Sanford Center this season. BSU had just five wins on its entire 16-game home slate in 2010-11 (5-8-3).

► Freshman goaltender **Andrew Walsh** recorded the first shutout of his collegiate career in just his fifth start at BSU last night. He is 4-2-1 on the season and leads the team with a 2.28 GAA and a .923 save percentage.

► In his last two starts, **Andrew Walsh** has allowed just one goal on 57 shots. He has posted a .982 save percentage and a 0.50 GAA.

► Last night both **Ben Kinne** and **Jake Areshenko** scored, so it should be no surprise to BSU fans that the Beavers won. Beavers are 17-2-3 since 2008-09 when Kinne scores a goal. This season Kinne has six goals and BSU is 4-1-1 in those contests. Areshenko may score less frequently, but he has the same effect on the game's outcome. BSU is 9-2-3 when he logs a point and 3-0-0 when he scores a goal.

► Last night's empty-net goal by **Ben Kinne** was just the second of the season for BSU. The last came off the stick of **Sam Rendle** in the Beavers' first game of 2011-12 at Miami (Oct. 7).

► BSU is now 4-4-2 on Friday's in 2011-12, while it is 4-5-0 in Saturday contests. BSU was 10-7-1 in the final game of a series a year ago.

► BSU has compiled an all-time record of 988-495-93 (.656) in 1,576 games.

CURRENT RECORD

Overall	8-9-2
WCHA	5-7-2
Home	5-3-1
Away	3-6-1
Neutral	0-0-0

2011-12 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
O2	Regina (Exh.)	W, 7-0
O7	at (1) Miami (Ohio)	W, 5-3
O8	at (1) Miami (Ohio)	L, 3-2
O14	at • (8) Colorado College	L, 3-1
O15	at • (8) Colorado College	L, 6-4
O21	© • Michigan Tech	W, 6-5
O22	© • Michigan Tech	W, 3-1
O28	at • (15) Minnesota Duluth	L, 6-2
O29	at • (15) Minnesota Duluth	L, 1-0
N4	at (11) Lake Superior State	W, 3-2 (ot)
N5	at (11) Lake Superior State	L, 2-1
N11	© • Nebraska-Omaha	T, 3-3 (ot)
N12	© • Nebraska-Omaha	L, 5-1
N19	© • North Dakota	L, 5-2
N20	© • North Dakota	W, 1-0
D2	at • St. Cloud State	T, 6-6 (ot)
D3	at • St. Cloud State	W, 3-1
D9	© • (13) Denver	L, 3-2
D10	© • (13) Denver	W 2-1
D16	© Alabama-Huntsville	W, 3-0
D17	© Alabama-Huntsville	7:07 p.m.
D30	© Bowling Green	7:37 p.m.
D31	© Bowling Green	7:07 p.m.
J13	R at • Denver	8:37 p.m.
J14	at • Denver	8:07 p.m.
J27	© • Minnesota State	7:37 p.m.
J28	© • Minnesota State	7:07 p.m.
F3	at • Nebraska-Omaha	7:37 p.m.
F4	at • Nebraska-Omaha	7:07 p.m.
F10	© • Colorado College	7:37 p.m.
F11	© • Colorado College	7:07 p.m.
F17	F at • Minnesota	7:07 p.m.
F18	F at • Minnesota	7:07 p.m.
F24	© • Wisconsin	7:37 p.m.
F25	© • Wisconsin	7:07 p.m.
M2	at • Alaska-Anchorage	10:07 p.m.
M3	at • Alaska-Anchorage	10:07 p.m.
M9-11	2 WCHA First Round	TBA
M1517	3 WCHA Final Five	TBA

Schedule Key

- WCHA regular-season game
- 2 WCHA First Round; Campus Sites
- 3 WCHA Final Five; St. Paul, Minn.
- (x) opponent national ranking (USA Today poll)

2011-12 WCHA STANDINGS

	Overall				WCHA			
	W	L	T	Pts	W	L	T	Pts
Minnesota	14	5	1	11	3	0	22	
Minnesota Duluth	12	3	3	10	2	2	22	
Nebraska Omaha	9	8	3	7	4	3	17	
Colorado College	8	5	0	10	5	0	16	
Denver	8	6	3	6	4	3	15	
North Dakota	9	8	1	7	7	0	14	
Michigan Tech	9	9	1	6	7	1	13	
►BEMIDJI STATE	8	9	2	5	7	2	12	
St. Cloud State	6	9	4	4	6	3	11	
Wisconsin	7	9	2	4	8	2	10	
Alaska Anchorage	6	10	2	3	10	1	7	
Minnesota State	5	13	1	2	10	1	5	

(Through Dec. 16, 2011)

GAME 20: ALA.-HUNTSVILLE (1-18-1) AT BEMIDJI STATE (8-9-2)



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BEMIDJI STATE'S 2011-12 STATISTICS

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral	Overtime
All Games	8-9-2	5-3-1	3-6-1	0-0-0	1-0-2
Western Collegiate Hockey Association	5-7-2	4-3-1	1-4-1	0-0-0	0-0-2
Non-Conference	3-2-0	1-0-0	2-2-0	0-0-0	1-0-0

SCORING

##	Name	GP	G	A	Pts	Sh	Pct	+/-	Pen	Min	Maj	Oth	PP	SH	FG	GW	GTG	OT	HT	PN	UA	BLK
28	George, Jordan	19	11	5	16	51	.216	-3	9-18	9	0	0	3	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	27
29	Hunt, Brad	19	3	12	15	31	.097	-7	3-6	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
11	Walters, Shea	19	8	5	13	29	.276	+3	4-8	4	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
7	Orban, Brance	19	3	8	11	36	.083	-1	4-8	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
9	Kinne, Ben	19	6	3	9	33	.182	-7	3-6	3	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
14	McLeod, Aaron	19	4	5	9	29	.138	+2	2-4	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	6
18	Illo, Radoslav	16	3	5	8	23	.130	-5	4-8	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
22	Prapavessis, Matt	19	0	7	7	18	.000	0	5-10	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
8	Areshenko, Jake	19	2	4	6	13	.154	+5	10-34	7	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	36
17	MacQueen, Jamie	18	2	4	6	27	.074	0	8-16	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	23
25	Wacker, Brady	19	2	4	6	22	.091	+2	8-27	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	25
27	Cain, Mitch	12	1	4	5	6	.167	0	2-4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
12	Jubenville, Jeff	17	0	5	5	22	.000	-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
20	Rendle, Sam	10	1	3	4	16	.062	-1	3-6	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
6	Findlay, Darcy	13	2	1	3	14	.143	0	8-27	6	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	8
4	Boehm, David	19	0	3	3	36	.000	-3	10-20	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
13	Fisher, Drew	19	2	0	2	9	.222	-2	2-4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
5	Carlson, Matt	12	0	1	1	9	.000	-5	4-19	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
33	Bakala, Dan	13	0	0	0	0	.000	0	1-2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
26	Brodie, Kyle	3	0	0	0	4	.000	+1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
21	Hartmann, Matt	5	0	0	0	2	.000	+1	1-2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Mattson, Danny	6	0	0	0	0	.000	-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
2	Rudy, Sean	1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Tosunian, Tyler	8	0	0	0	3	.000	+3	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
15	Windle, Sam	13	0	0	0	8	.000	-5	3-6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
TM	TEAM	11	0	0	0	0	.000	0	2-4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	254
Total		19	50	79	129	442	.113	-25	96-239	87	5	4	11	1	9	8	2	1	0	0	6	227
Opponents		19	56	89	145	582	.096	-	68-158	64	2	2	12	1	10	9	0	0	1	0	4	199

* Blocks not accounted for in all road games.

GOALTENDING

##	Name	GP-GS	Minutes	GA	Avg	Saves	Pct	W	L	T	Sho	PP	SH	EN	Pen	SOG
30	Andrew, Walsh	7-5	394:50	15	2.28	179	.923	4	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
33	Bakala, Dan	13-13	690:36	33	2.87	314	.905	4	6	1	1	8	1	0	0	0
35	Dugas, Mathieu	1-1	59:50	5	5.01	33	.868	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
TM	EMPTY NET	11-0	9:03	3	-	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Total		19-0	1154:19	56	2.91	526	.904	8	9	2	2	12	1	3	0	0
Opponents		19-0	1154:19	50	2.60	392	.887	9	8	2	1	11	1	2	0	0

MISCELLANEOUS TEAM STATISTICS

Overall								WCHA Games Only											
SHOTS ON GOAL				Shots	Avg/G	Pct		SHOTS ON GOAL				Shots	Avg/G	Pct					
Bemidji State				442	23.26	.113		Bemidji State				326	23.29	.110					
Opponents				582	30.63	.096		Opponents				461	32.93	.100					
POWER PLAYS				Goals	Chances	Pct		POWER PLAYS				Goals	Chances	Pct					
Bemidji State				11	58	.190		Bemidji State				10	44	.227					
Opponents				12	84	.143		Opponents				8	61	.131					
GOALS BY PERIOD					1	2	3	OT	Total	GOALS BY PERIOD					1	2	3	OT	Total
Bemidji State					17	19	13	1	50	Bemidji State					15	13	8	0	36
Opponents					17	15	24	0	56	Opponents					14	12	20	0	46