



IOWA WILD GAME NOTES

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IOWA WILD (20-19-3-3; 46 pts.) vs TEXAS STARS (15-18-5-4; 39 pts.)
 FEBRUARY 22, 2022 --- WELLS FARGO ARENA 7:00 PM CT --- AHL GAME #737
 233 Center St, Des Moines, IA
 Referees: Justin Kea (#44) and Ian McCambridge (#63)
 Linespersons: John Watson (#93) and Chad Evers (#5)



IOWA WILD (MINNESOTA WILD)

Standing: 5th, Central Division
 Power Play: 20.1% (35/174), 12th, AHL
 Penalty Kill: 85.2% (150/176), 3rd, AHL

TEXAS STARS (DALLAS STARS)

Standing: 7th, Central Division
 Power Play: 18.8% (30/160), T-17th, AHL
 Penalty Kill: 78.3% (141/180), 23rd, AHL

GOALIES

#	Name	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
70	Zane McIntyre	6-2	205	17	9	6	1	0	2.36	0.919
72	Joel Rumpel	6-3	190	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.000
92	Hunter Jones	6-4	194	7	2	4	1	0	3.41	0.893

SKATERS

#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	GP	G	A	Pts.	PIM	+/-
5	Dakota Mermis	D	6-0	195	32	3	11	14	51	-8
7	Kevin Czuczman	D	6-3	195	28	0	4	4	13	-1
9	Bryce Misley	LW	6-1	195	14	3	0	3	16	3
10	Jon Lizotte	D	6-0	210	31	2	6	8	21	4
11	Adam Beckman	LW	6-1	173	41	8	16	24	12	-5
13	Nick Swaney	RW	5-10	178	35	9	13	22	10	3
14	Brandon Baddock	LW	6-3	220	35	3	4	7	79	-2
16	Damien Giroux	C	5-10	179	36	2	4	6	12	-17
17	Dominic Turgeon	C	6-2	203	40	3	7	10	18	-4
18	Mason Shaw	LW	5-9	179	40	12	20	32	79	1
19	Joseph Cramarossa	LW	6-0	190	40	8	8	16	53	0
21	Mitchell Chaffee	RW	6-1	197	23	11	8	19	4	8
22	Nolan Stevens	LW	6-3	195	27	4	10	14	10	2
23	Marco Rossi	C	5-9	185	37	14	24	38	38	10
24	Brenden Miller	D	6-1	190	18	1	2	3	12	8
27	Joe Hicketts	D	5-8	175	37	7	15	22	26	-5
29	Keaton Thompson	D	6-1	194	26	1	3	4	23	-6
31	Alexander Khovanov	F	5-11	192	12	1	2	3	0	-8
39	Turner Ottenbreit	D	6-3	195	41	1	11	12	28	4
41	Jake Linhart	D	5-11	185	13	1	3	4	2	-1
42	Kyle Rau	LW	5-8	173	33	13	17	30	44	3
44	Nate Sucece	LW	5-9	174	36	3	4	7	10	-2
47	Bryce Gervais	F	5-9	174	29	1	3	4	11	0
49	Victor Rask	C	6-1	195	0	0	0	0	0	0
55	Cody McLeod	LW	6-2	213	38	3	3	6	109	-12

GOALIES

#	Name	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
31	Adam Scheel	6-3	192	17	4	5	5	0	3.15	0.897
35	Matt Jurusik	6-2	194	11	5	2	3	1	2.82	0.909
35	Anton Khudobin	5-11	203	6	2	4	0	0	2.55	0.903

SKATERS

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2	Ryan Shea	D	6-1	177	36	1	14	15	13	2
5	Dawson Barteaux	D	6-1	185	15	1	0	1	10	1
6	Ben Gleason	D	6-1	180	40	5	20	25	41	-3
7	Alex Petrovic	D	6-4	216	41	1	9	10	56	-4
9	Anthony Louis	LW	5-7	165	37	14	15	29	18	4
10	Nicholas Caamano	RW	6-3	200	36	7	6	13	32	-5
11	Joel L'Esperance	C	6-2	215	33	16	15	31	20	7
12	Riley Damiani	C	5-10	170	30	7	14	21	28	-7
14	Blake Comeau	RW	6-1	207	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Max Martin	D	6-0	181	6	0	1	1	4	-3
16	Curtis McKenzie	LW	6-2	205	42	13	19	32	63	-5
18	Fredrik Karlstrom	C	6-3	190	40	8	8	16	2	-2
19	Jeremy Gregoire	RW	6-0	194	30	7	2	9	67	-2
21	Oskar Back	C	6-3	200	41	5	12	17	4	0
22	Rhett Gardner	C	6-3	225	36	4	2	6	40	-5
24	Jordan Kawaguchi	C	5-9	185	30	1	9	10	4	-4
25	Ty Dellandrea	C	6-1	190	38	11	16	27	19	-5
26	Alexey Lipanov	C	6-1	182	6	0	0	0	2	-3
27	Riley Tufte	LW	6-6	230	36	9	7	16	30	7
33	Joseph Cecconi	D	6-3	210	35	0	10	10	26	0
34	Yauheni Aksianskiuk	LW	5-8	163	4	0	0	0	0	-4
37	Josh Melnick	C	5-10	175	33	6	7	13	4	2
38	Jerad Rosburg	D	6-1	200	40	1	5	6	65	2

Mike Murray	General Manager
Tim Army	Head Coach
Nate DiCasmirro	Assistant Coach
Nolan Yonkman	Assistant Coach
Richard Bachman	Goaltending Coach
Keith Paulsen	Video Coach
Masayasu Takaiwa, ATC	Head Athletic Trainer
Richard Krouse	Head Equipment Manager
Matt Harder	Strength and Conditioning Coach
Max Knight, DAT, LAT, ATC	Assistant Athletic Trainer
Gavin Bechtol	Assistant Equipment Manager

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Brad Alberts	President & Alternate Governor
Scott White	General Manager
Neil Graham	Head Coach
Travis Morin	Assistant Coach
Max Fortunus	Assistant Coach
Ryan Daniels	Goaltender Development Coach
Patrick Dolan	Video Coach
Nick Lazor	Equipment Manager
Julio Romero	Assistant Equipment Manager
Mike DeGaetano	Athletic Trainer



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PREVIOUSLY ON THE POND

On Sunday, Feb. 20, the Wild battled the Chicago Wolves in Chicago. Chicago scored five unanswered goals to begin the game, including two from Wolves forward Stefan Noesen. Iowa forward Nolan Stevens answered with his first goal as a member of the Wild at 17:14 of the third period, but the Wolves prevailed by a score of 5-1.

HOME COOKING

- Iowa is 13-6-2-1 in games played at Wells Fargo Arena this season.
- After missing time with an injury, Wild forward Nick Swaney recorded his first point since Jan. 15 on Feb. 20.
- Iowa goaltender Zane McIntyre has allowed just 15 total goals in his last nine appearances.
- The Wild outshot the Stars by a combined total of 78-58 in the first two matchups between the teams.

STARS ALIGNING

- Stars forward Riley Damiani has two goals in two games against the Wild this season.
- Texas has been defeated in five of their last six games.
- The Stars are just 11-6-2-3 when they score first this season.
- Texas forward Josh Melnick leads the AHL in shorthanded goals (4) this season.

IOWA LEADING SCORERS (21-22)

Player	G	A	P	PIM	+/-
Marco Rossi	14	24	38	38	10
Mason Shaw	12	20	32	79	1
Kyle Rau	13	17	30	44	3
Adam Beckman	8	16	24	12	-5
Nick Swaney	9	13	22	10	3

TEXAS LEADING SCORERS (21-22)

Player	G	A	P	PIM	+/-
Curtis McKenzie	13	19	32	63	-5
Joel L'Esperance	16	15	31	20	7
Anthony Louis	14	15	29	18	4
Ty Dellandrea	11	16	27	19	-5
Ben Gleason	5	20	25	41	-3

IOWA UPCOMING GAMES

Opponent	Date	Time (CT)	Broadcast
Texas	2/24	7:00PM	KXNO/iHeart/AHLTV
Rockford	2/25	7:00PM	MC22/iHeart/AHLTV
at Grand Rapids	3/4	6:00PM	KXNO/iHeart/AHLTV
at Grand Rapids	3/5	6:00PM	KXNO/iHeart/AHLTV
at Chicago	3/6	3:00PM	KXNO/iHeart/AHLTV

TEXAS UPCOMING GAMES

Opponent	Date	Time (CT)	Broadcast
at Iowa	2/24	7:00PM	AHLTV
at Rockford	2/26	6:00PM	AHLTV
at Rockford	2/27	4:00PM	AHLTV
at Chicago	3/2	7:00PM	AHLTV
at Milwaukee	3/4	7:00PM	AHLTV

MINNESOTA WILD

Previous Game

2/20/22 at Edmonton Oilers (7-3) W

Duhaime (6), Eriksson Ek (16), Fiala (15,16), Dewar (2), Boldy (8), Zuccarello (17)

MINNESOTA WILD

Next Game

2/22/22 at Ottawa Senators

6 p.m. CT / ESPN+ / KFAN 100.3 FM