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FROM THE COMMISSIONER...

Hello IceHL Fans!

Four years and two fantasy hockey seasons after it all began, an ambitious project created to build and brand a hockey league with the input of thousands of people from around the world is as strong as ever.

In 2008, the Icehletics community began a design-by-democracy process of creating The IceHL. Readers voted on every aspect from deciding which cities would get teams to what names and logos each one should use. Over the past year, we've added sweater designs and two expansion teams. And the project is not even close to reaching its peak.

Two years after it all started, 20 fans breathed life into the league by taking part in our inaugural fantasy hockey season. As we set out on our third year, 32 fans (including myself) will carry the General Manager title in two ESPN fantasy leagues—*IceHL EAST* and *IceHL WEST*.

I'm humbled to see how this project has grown and become a big draw for hockey fans all across the globe. And I'm grateful to everyone who has participated since the very first poll.

Enjoy the *IceHL 2012 Yearbook* and the new IceHL season!

Chris Smith

IceHL Commissioner
www.icethetics.info

P.S.—Try not to confuse me with the highly talented IceHL logo artist who shares my name and whose work you'll see throughout this book.



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07.15.08 | PROJECT: IHA

The first seeds for The IceHL Project were planted by a reader named Nicolas Dallaire, who approached Icethetics with an idea for a unique project.

Dallaire had created a simulation hockey league of 30 teams, each of which already had names and distinct color schemes, but no logos. After seeing the impressive talent on display in concept posts on Icethetics, Dallaire wondered if there would be any interest in branding his fictional teams.

Project: IHA was born on July 15, 2008. Artists submitted some beautiful logo designs as their fellow readers voted for their favorites over the next three months.

08.10.08 | PHASE I

A few weeks into Project: IHA, a new idea was floated to Icethetics readers. *What if we built an entirely new league from the ground up using input from every member of the Icethetics community?*

The first of many polls to come showed 69% of readers were interested in moving forward with the idea. And the project was off and running.

When asked whether the new league should be based in North America or the entire globe, 59% expressed a desire to deal with a North American league.

08.18.08 | HOW MANY TEAMS?

Once our new league had a home, the next step was to determine its size. Voters were given five options.

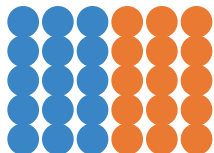
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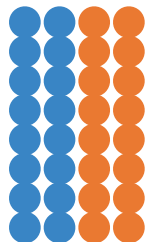
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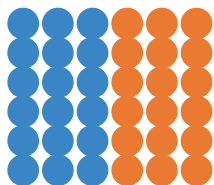
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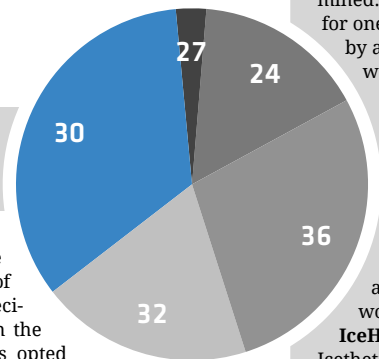
32 TEAMS



36 TEAMS



Colors designate conferences. Circles represent individual teams. Connected circles denote divisions.



There was a clear preference for a larger league with an even number of teams. Ultimately the decision was to go right down the middle as 34% of readers opted for a league of 30 members.

From there, it was time to determine where these 30 teams would land on the North American map.

08.24.08 | ALIGNMENT

In an effort to keep teams from being clustered in one or two parts of the continent, voters were presented with a handful of alignment options as the project moved forward.

A offered the most equal geographical spread, placing no special emphasis any particular region.

B placed an emphasis on northern cities and would have limited the inclusion of southern markets.

C would have restricted western cities while putting more focus on those east of the Mississippi River but would have provided for more teams based in Canadian cities.

D was primarily centered on Canada and the northeastern United States—areas where hockey tends to be most popular. It would have limited teams in the southern and western states.

E was a mix of B and C as it both focused on northern cities and would have allowed for more teams in Canada with four divisions spread across the country.

One week and 2,208 votes later, readers had selected Option A.

08.30.08 | CITIES

Each division was assigned a list of 12 cities within its geographical boundaries that could potentially be home to teams in this new league.

The top five cities in each divisional poll were awarded franchises (*see opposite page*).

Each poll ran for one week and all city voting concluded on Sept. 20.

09.06.08 | NAMES

City selections and name nominations took place concurrently as the project reached blistering speeds.

Readers were asked to submit suggestions for team names as soon as each division's cities were determined. Nominations were accepted for one week for each team, followed by a rating period that ran for two weeks each.

The top-rated names were declared the winners and it was soon time for Phase II—the logo design process.

But before the first logo was designed, the league needed a name of its own.

On Sept. 21, 2008, it was announced that the league would now be known as **The IceHL**. The acronym stands for Icethetics Hockey League but was inspired by Victor DiGiovanni, who suggested the Icethetics Continental Elite Hockey League—or ICEHL.

OPTION A — 33%



OPTION B — 11%



OPTION C — 13%



OPTION D — 27%



OPTION E — 15%





CITY SELECTION – VOTING INDEX

The numbers below do not represent percentage of vote earned but rather a “voting index” based on the votes garnered by the most popular city in each division. For this reason, it’s not possible to draw comparisons between the voting results of cities in different divisions.

PACIFIC DIVISION

VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA	100
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON	96
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA	73
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA	67
PORTLAND, OREGON	64
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA	62
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA	56
KELOWNA, BRITISH COLUMBIA	39
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA	36
SPOKANE, WASHINGTON	20
BOISE, IDAHO	17
MISSOULA, MONTANA	11

CENTRAL DIVISION

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS	100
DETROIT, MICHIGAN	96
MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA	86
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI	67
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN	59
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI	51
CLEVELAND, OHIO	50
SUDBURY, ONTARIO	44
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA	39
CINCINNATI, OHIO	30
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN	29
COLUMBUS, OHIO	28

NORTH DIVISION

WINNIPEG, MANITOBA	100
EDMONTON, ALBERTA	88
CALGARY, ALBERTA	87
SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN	61
REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN	50
YELLOWKNIFE, NORTHWEST TERR.	37
FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA	30
OMAHA, NEBRASKA	30
SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA	25
BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA	15
CHEYENNE, WYOMING	15
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA	12

NORTHEAST DIVISION

MONTREAL, QUEBEC	100
TORONTO, ONTARIO	89
QUEBEC CITY, QUEBEC	74
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS	73
NEW YORK, NEW YORK	68
OTTAWA, ONTARIO	59
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT	50
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA	48
BUFFALO, NEW YORK	46
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA	39
PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA	38
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND	20

SOUTH DIVISION

DENVER, COLORADO	100
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH	85
DALLAS, TEXAS	84
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA	69
HOUSTON, TEXAS	69
PHOENIX, ARIZONA	62
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA	53
COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO	39
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS	34
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO	34
WICHITA, KANSAS	30
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS	25

SOUTHEAST DIVISION

WASHINGTON, DIST. OF COLUMBIA	100
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND	88
ATLANTA, GEORGIA	74
TAMPA, FLORIDA	63
CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA	55
MIAMI, FLORIDA	53
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA	51
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE	44
ORLANDO, FLORIDA	43
HAMPTON ROADS, VIRGINIA	32
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA	32
GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA	23

02.23.12 | THE LEAGUE EXPANDS

During the 2011-12 season, it was decided that the IceHL would expand by adding one new team to each conference in order to help balance the schedules in future seasons of the IceHL fantasy leagues—which were split up into *IceHL EAST* and *IceHL WEST*.

Yellowknife, Northwest Territories and Hartford, Connecticut earned the most votes.

WEST EXPANSION

YELLOWKNIFE, NORTHWEST TERR.	100
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA	79
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA	75
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA	31
PHOENIX, ARIZONA	9

EAST EXPANSION

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT	100
OTTAWA, ONTARIO	80
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI	46
CLEVELAND, OHIO	35
MIAMI, FLORIDA	22

09.21.08 | PHASE II

With cities selected and teams named, the logical next phase of The IceHL Project was to start the visual branding process.

One division at a time, team logo designs were accepted. Artists were given three weeks to design and submit their work, which was subsequently put up to a vote of the Icethetics community at large.

Dozens of very talented designers submitted hundreds of beautiful original logos for the Icethetics readership to take in and judge over several weeks.

The logo voting would be dealt with in two parts. First, all eligible logo entries were put through a two-week rating period where every design could be evaluated on its own.

Next, the top-3 rated logos would be placed head-to-head in individual team logo polls.

11.01.08 | THE HIATUS

In November, Icethetics relaunched with an all new website that would include a special section solely for The IceHL Project.

But before this new medium could be fully realized, the entire site lapsed into an extended hiatus from February until June of 2009.

07.21.09 | THE REVIVAL

In July, as Icethetics was regaining the momentum it lost, The IceHL Project kicked back into gear with the unveiling of the three finalist logos for each team on July 23 and 24.

On July 25, the final voting began and ran at a steady pace into mid-September. The finalists were voted out two at a time until finally, the league was left with its 30 winning logo designs—one for each team.

The project had reached its initial goal but there was still so much more to be done.

09.28.09 | A FALSE START

To complete the branding efforts, an ambitious jersey design contest was launched. But due to highly technical demands on artwork submissions, the process bombed and was forced back to the drawing board.

A month later, the project officially entered another hiatus.

09.27.10 | FANTASY LAUNCH

Days before the start of the 2010-11 NHL season, The IceHL returned with new vigor and a new mission—fantasy hockey!

Over two days, more than 100 readers applied to be a general manager. Twenty were selected and the project found new life.

10.21.11 | PHASE III

The buzz created by the start of another season of fantasy hockey spawned a renewed interest in designing uniforms for the IceHL.

Phase III was built around a jersey design contest that brought in hundreds of designs and thousands of votes until the final winning uniform was unveiled on June 19, 2012.

—Chris Smith

THE ICEHL TEAM DIRECTORY



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ATLANTIC DIVISION

MIDWEST DIVISION

NORTHEAST DIVISION

SOUTHEAST DIVISION


BALTIMORE
BLUE CRABS
Baltimore, Maryland


CHICAGO
HITMEN
Chicago, Illinois


BOSTON
COLONIALS
Boston, Massachusetts


ATLANTA
ARSENAL
Atlanta, Georgia


HAMILTON
STEELCATS
Hamilton, Ontario


DETROIT
MOTORHEADS
Detroit, Michigan


HARTFORD
MARINERS
Hartford, Connecticut


NORTH CAROLINA
NIGHTHAWKS
Charlotte, North Carolina


NEW YORK
GUARDIANS
New York, New York


MILWAUKEE
LAGERS
Milwaukee, Wisconsin


MONTREAL
OLYMPIQUES
Montreal, Quebec


ST. LOUIS
ARCHERS
St. Louis, Missouri


WASHINGTON
SENTINELS
Washington, D.C.


MINNESOTA
MAMMOTHS
Minneapolis, Minnesota


QUEBEC
ARMADA
Quebec City, Quebec


TAMPA BAY
BARRACUDAS
Tampa, Florida



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ARCTIC DIVISION

CENTRAL DIVISION

MOUNTAIN DIVISION

PACIFIC DIVISION


ALASKA
HUSKIES
Anchorage, Alaska


DALLAS
OUTLAWS
Dallas, Texas


BOULDER
BEASTS
Denver, Colorado


CALIFORNIA
WAVE
Los Angeles, California


NORTHWEST
NARWHALS
Yellowknife, Northwest Terr.


HOUSTON
HELLCATS
Houston, Texas


CALGARY
CAVALRY
Calgary, Alberta


PORTLAND
PIONEERS
Portland, Oregon


REGINA
RENEGADES
Regina, Saskatchewan


NEW ORLEANS
GATORS
New Orleans, Louisiana


EDMONTON
KODIAKS
Edmonton, Alberta


SEATTLE
AVIATORS
Seattle, Washington


SASKATOON
SHARPSHOOTERS
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan


WINNIPEG
WINTERHAWKS
Winnipeg, Manitoba


SALT LAKE CITY
SCORPIONS
Salt Lake City, Utah


VANCOUVER
LUMBERJACKS
Vancouver, British Columbia



FANTASY GEOGRAPHY

The first step in any project is mapping out a plan. In August 2008, the Icethetics community set forth to—literally—map out its new league.

The North American map was divided into six geographic regions and voters were presented with a list of 12 cities from each. The five most popular were awarded IceHL franchises as the 72 locations were quickly narrowed down to just 30.

This year, the cities that just missed the cut in 2008 were given a second chance in the form of league expansion. The IceHL added a pair of new teams in Yellowknife, N.T. and Hartford, Connecticut.

The 2012 IceHL Expansion made divisional realignment a necessity. A new division was added to each conference while other divisions were renamed.

Entering the 2012-13 season, the IceHL has teams in 32 markets across the continent. Its largest (New York), with a metro area population of almost 19 million is a thousand times the size of its smallest (Yellowknife) with just over 19,000.

How does the rest of the league stack up? There's really only one way to find out. A simple side-by-side comparison.

USA vs CAN

No. of teams in United States: **22**

States and districts with teams: **21/51**
(AK CA CO CT DC FL GA IL LA MA MD MI MN MO NC NY OR TX UT WA WI)

States with multiple teams: **1**
(Texas)

Largest city without a team:
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

No. of teams in Canada: **10**

Provinces and territories with teams: **7/13**
(AB BC MB NT ON QC SK)

Provinces with multiple teams: **3**
(Alberta, Quebec, Saskatchewan)

Largest city without a team:
Ottawa, Ontario

BY THE MILES

39

*miles between
Baltimore and Washington,
the IceHL's closest cities*

4,738

*miles between
Anchorage and Tampa, the
IceHL's most distant cities*

3,448

*miles between
Hartford and Yellowknife,
the IceHL's expansion cities*



REGULAR SEASON FINAL STANDINGS

TEAMS	REC	G	A	PPG	SHG	GWG	HAT	BLK	W	SO	PF	PA
1 North Carolina Nighthawks	18-2	194	406	43	9	37	1	1325	44	3	2474	2240
2 St. Louis Archers	15-5	254	417	67	9	45	1	921	41	6	2323	2191
3 Boston Colonials	14-6	257	442	71	2	41	4	872	36	10	2369	2151
4 Minnesota Mammoths	14-6	256	372	92	8	46	3	1126	56	5	2576	2210
5 Detroit Motorheads	12-8	229	381	73	3	42	4	1030	52	5	2426	2222
6 Washington Sentinels	10-10	242	372	62	2	44	3	1011	44	5	2323	2060
7 Montreal Olympiques	10-10	260	379	62	11	40	4	783	42	3	2167	2213
8 New York Guardians	10-10	221	406	61	4	40	3	881	41	10	2246	2182
9 Hamilton Steelcats	10-10	238	413	73	7	45	3	744	32	5	2168	2299
10 Baltimore Blue Crabs	9-11	219	471	52	3	29	3	781	44	7	2192	2203
11 Tampa Bay Barracudas	8-12	189	376	39	5	32	3	1050	38	7	2137	2199
12 Quebec Armada	7-13	223	365	56	2	33	3	796	52	6	2087	2231
13 Milwaukee Lagers	7-13	207	364	74	3	33	2	605	34	2	1778	2173
14 Chicago Hitmen	3-17	174	322	37	8	18	1	913	22	3	1833	2171
15 Atlanta Arsenal	3-17	194	346	54	4	27	4	614	48	6	1853	2207

Stat categories: G-goals; A-assists; PPG-power-play goals; SHG-short-handed goals; GWG-game-winning goals; HAT-hat tricks; BLK-blocked shots; W-goalie wins; SO-shutouts; PF-total points for; PA-total points against.

THE BIG DEALS

Trades. They're part of what keep fantasy hockey fantastical. Imagining the kinds of blockbuster deals one might do as a big-league GM is what drives some to join leagues like this.

So let's look back at some of the star-power swaps in the IceHL EAST. GMs Matt Riegler and Eric Thompson got things off the ground quickly.

Thompson, unhappy with his team after being unable to attend the live draft, was more than happy to accept Daniel Alfredsson and Matt Carle on behalf of the Arsenal as he sent Andrei Markov and Dustin Brown to Riegler's Mammoths.

That was the first of a handful of deals that would mark the preseason as teams jockeyed for position even before the first puck was dropped.

A week after the draft, Riegler was at it again, this time sending Jordan Staal and Joe Corvo to the Hitmen for Jonathan Toews and Tom Gilbert.

Based on the way the Arsenal and Hitmen finished their seasons, in the future, a superstitious general manager might think twice about making a deal with the Mammoths.

On Oct. 4, the Arsenal finalized a six-player trade with the Nighthawks, who sent them goalie Niklas Backstrom, Shane Doan and Brent Burns in exchange for Brian Gionta, Martin Brodeur and Matt Carle—who had now graced his third roster before a single game had been played.

Thompson kept busy right up until opening night when his Arsenal sent Henrik Lundqvist and Dustin Byfuglien to the Armada for Pekka Rinne and Nicklas Lidstrom.

Though the final standings didn't bear it out, the Arsenal's trades could be considered a qualified success in that six of their Top 9 players arrived on the team that way.

—Chris Smith



MEMORABLE TWEETS

#NightHawkey invades the Crustacean Nation for Week 6 as we take on the @BALBlueCrabs. Looking to keep the undefeated streak alive! #IceHL

@NCNighthawks

Looks like the wheels fell off on the Colonials horse and carriage (lol). Olympiques dominated all week, we couldn't catch a break.

@BostonColonials

@BostonColonials I caught plenty. I think I have more guys on IR wrapped in ice than playing on it. #icehl

@DETMotorheads

@NCNighthawks 1st team in all of #IceHL to hit the 1000 blocked shots milestone. Congrats, thats a lot of BS.

@BlueCityNotes (Archers)

TOP DRAFT PICKS

- Alex Ovechkin StL
- Daniel Sedin Que
- Steven Stamkos Wsh
- Corey Perry Mtl
- Henrik Sedin Ham
- Martin St. Louis TB
- Evgeni Malkin Bos
- Dany Heatley Det
- Pavel Datsyuk NY
- Dustin Byfuglien Atl
- Eric Staal NC
- Sidney Crosby Bal
- Anze Kopitar Mil
- Roberto Luongo Chi
- Ryan Kesler Min

Did not attend 9/24 live draft: Atl, Mil, Ham, Mtl, Que, Wsh

TOP SCORERS

- | | | |
|-----|------------------|-----|
| 342 | Evgeni Malkin | Bos |
| 329 | Steven Stamkos | Wsh |
| 279 | Niklas Kronwall | Min |
| 267 | Josh Gorges | NC |
| 265 | Alex Pietrangelo | StL |
| 262 | Shea Weber | Min |
| 261 | Alexander Edler | Mtl |
| 259 | Ryan Callahan | Min |
| 258 | Logan Couture | Wsh |
| 256 | Claude Giroux | Bos |
| 250 | Brent Seabrook | NC |
| 250 | F. Beauchemin | Det |
| 249 | Ilya Kovalchuk | Mtl |
| 248 | Marian Gaborik | StL |
| 248 | Jason Pominville | Min |
| 248 | Dan Boyle | TB |

DIVISIONAL ALIGNMENT

The IceHL EAST looked a little different before the 2012 expansion and realignment.

Central	Northeast	Southeast
Chicago	Boston	Atlanta
Detroit	Hamilton	Baltimore
Milwaukee	Montreal	North Carolina
Minnesota	New York	Tampa Bay
St. Louis	Quebec	Washington

ROSTER SETUP

16 total players (12 starters)
ACTIVE POSITIONS
 6 forwards, 4 defensemen, 1 utility skater, 1 goalie
MAX POSITIONS
 4 forwards per position (C/LW/RW), 6 defensemen, 2 goalies, 4 bench slots

SCORING SYSTEM

Skater Scoring	
Goals	3
Assists	2
PP Goals	1
SH Goals	2
GW Goals	2
Hat Tricks	1
Blocked Shots 1	
Goaltender Scoring	
Wins	5
Shutouts	3

The Top 10 players from each team averaged 182 total points in 2011-12.

LEAGUE NOTES

Waivers There was a limit of four player acquisitions per seven-day match-up.
Match-ups Most ran seven days except for opening week and NHL All-Star Weekend.
Schedule Each team played 20 matchups; 2 against division opponents (8), 1 against inter-division opponents (10), plus 2 extra interdivisional games.

WEEKLY HIGHS

Teams and players earning most points each week during regular season

Week 1 — Oct. 6–16 (11 days)

180: North Carolina def. TB (+14)
26: Tavares (Bal), Kessel (Det)

Week 2 — Oct. 17–23 (7 days)

122: Minnesota def. Quebec (+16)
20: Phaneuf (Bos)

Week 3 — Oct. 24–30 (7 days)

164: Detroit def. Hamilton (+72)
26: Wisniewski (Det)

Week 4 — Oct. 31–Nov. 6 (7 days)

145: Detroit def. St. Louis (+47)
19: Girardi (Min), Backstrom (Bos)

Week 5 — Nov. 7–13 (7 days)

126: Minnesota def. Detroit (+5)
25: Franzen (Ham)

Week 6 — Nov. 14–20 (7 days)

132: Hamilton def. New York (+13)
22: Weiss (TB)

Week 7 — Nov. 21–27 (7 days)

135: Washington def. Atlanta (+60)
23: Crosby (Bal)

Week 8 — Nov. 28–Dec. 4 (7 days)

148: Minnesota def. Baltimore (+45)
28: Moulson (Min)

Week 9 — Dec. 5–11 (7 days)

136: Boston def. Washington (+31)
21: Del Zotto (Mtl), Kesler (Min)

Week 10 — Dec. 12–18 (7 days)

134: St. Louis def. Hamilton (+44)
29: Malkin (Bos)

Week 11 — Dec. 19–25 (7 days)

133: Hamilton def. Quebec (+51)
24: Marchand (Ham)

Week 12 — Dec. 26–Jan. 1 (7 days)

128: Washington def. New York (+47)
29: Stamkos (Wsh)

Week 13 — Jan. 2–8 (7 days)

147: Detroit def. Baltimore (+18)
26: Pietrangelo (StL)

Week 14 — Jan. 9–15 (7 days)

132: Minnesota def. Atlanta (+51)
26: Malkin (Bos)

Week 15 — Jan. 16–22 (7 days)

148: Minnesota def. Washington (+13)
25: Beauchemin (Det)

Week 16 — Jan. 23–Feb. 5 (14 days)

195: Boston def. NC (+41) **RECORD**
31: Fisher (NY) **RECORD**

Week 17 — Feb. 6–12 (7 days)

147: New York def. Detroit (+32)
23: Callahan (Min), Letang (Mil), Jokinen (Atl)

Week 18 — Feb. 13–19 (7 days)

151: St. Louis def. Minnesota (+16)
20: Spezza (Bal)

Week 19 — Feb. 20–26 (7 days)

136: Washington def. Tampa Bay (+37)
24: Brown (Min), Malkin (Bos)

Week 20 — Feb. 27–Mar. 4 (7 days)

148: St. Louis def. Detroit (+35)
23: Kronwall (Min)

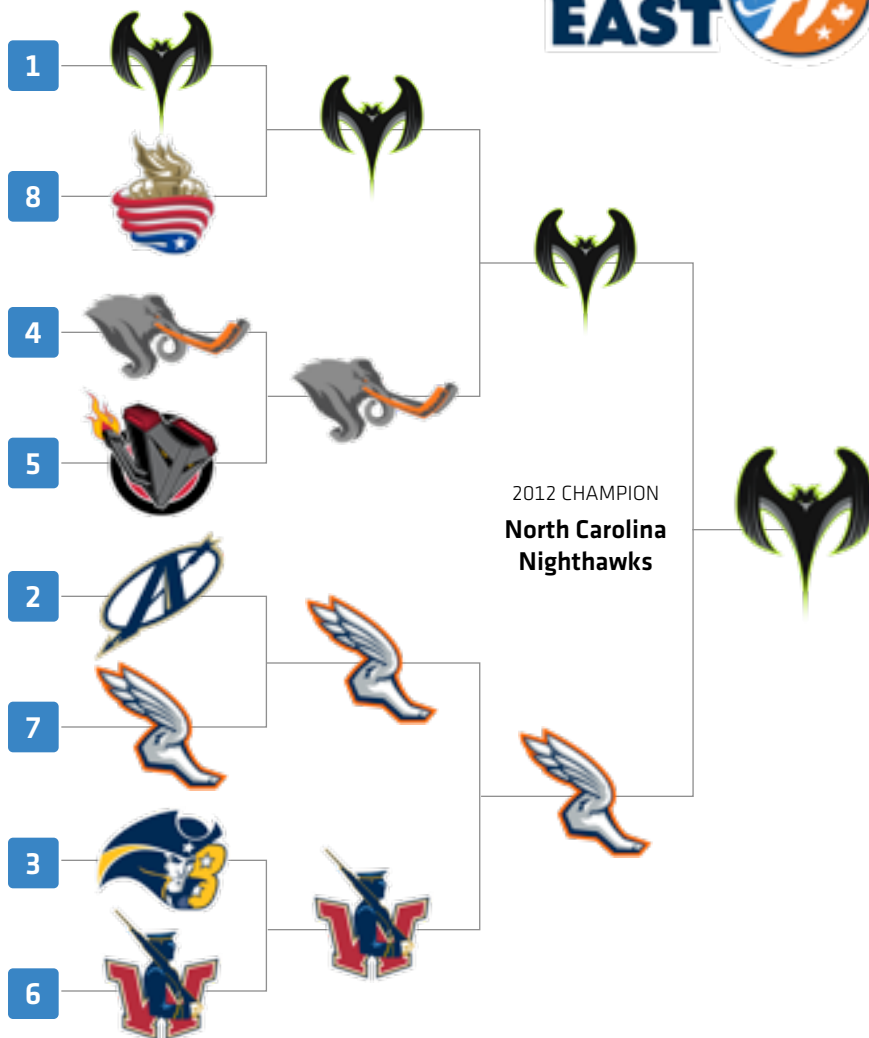
Week 21 — Mar. 5–11 (7 days)

174: North Carolina def. Detroit (+49)
27: Kovalchuk (Mtl)

Week 22 — Mar. 12–18 (7 days)

138: Boston def. Quebec (+36)
21: Beauchemin (Det)

2012 PLAYOFF BRACKET



2012 CHAMPION
North Carolina
Nighthawks

WINS VS. AVERAGE POINTS PER WEEK

California Wave GM Jon Wold contributed this graph which compares each team's weekly performance to its overall victories during the 2011-12 regular season.



THE PRESTIGE AWARDS

No hockey season is complete without a proper awards ceremony. Recognized foremost is the league champion, followed by the divisional winners. The league also honors exceptional general managers and teams that achieved unique goals during the 2011-12 IceHL EAST regular season.



BONUS AWARDS

Fantasy hockey is all about fun, so these awards serve as a good-natured jab at some unique management styles.



TOP OF THE CLASS

For some, it's not good enough just to have played. Some want to be the best. Here we see the GMs, teams and players that left their mark on the season.

Along with their league championship banner, the **Nighthawks** earned six more awards this season, including a division title and the peer-voted Outstanding General Manager for Brendan Anderson.

Right behind them were the **Mammoths** with five banners, including The Commissioner's Award to GM Matt Riegler, for exceptional participation.

Congratulations to these teams and to the three that didn't end up here on a great 2011-12 season!

2012 AWARDS



Taylor Award Team with most total fantasy points; named after designer of league logo, Ross Taylor

Outstanding General Manager Best overall GM, as chosen by peers

Fighter Award GM who best dealt with adversity, as chosen by peers

The Commissioner's Award Outstanding involvement by a GM, as chosen by commissioner

Revolving Door Award Most player transactions by a playoff team

Draft & Done Award Fewest player transactions by a playoff team
Futility Award Most player transactions by a non-playoff team
Vegetable Award Fewest player transactions by a non-playoff team
Mike Milbury Award Team with fewest total fantasy points

STATISTICAL AWARDS *You can't win if you don't put up the numbers. These awards recognize teams and individual players who led the IceHL in each statistical category for the 2011-12 season.*



PLAYER AWARDS *These awards recognize individual players who stood out among their peers. The highest-scoring forward, defenseman, goaltender and rookie, alongside the highest-scoring undrafted player, the **Unsung Hero**, as well as the highest-scoring player to contribute points in all skater statistical categories, the **All-Around Star**.*





NORTH CAROLINA
NIGHTHAWKS



GENERAL MANAGER
Brendan Anderson

LOGO DESIGNER
Nick Matarese

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Ben MacDonald



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

SOUTHEAST DIVISION
Charlotte, North Carolina

NAME NOMINATED BY
Mike Burmeister (mburmy)

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
Carolina Current, Carolina Wildcats,
Charlotte Cannon, Charlotte Trax

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/21/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/26/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 11/13/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/12/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 04/10/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/30/2012

MANAGEMENT

Brendan Anderson (2011—)



1ST OVERALL

18-2

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 180-166
2	vs Hamilton Steelcats	W 116-112
3	—BYE—	—
4	vs Washington Sentinels	W 119-113
5	at Quebec Armada	W 118-106
6	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 119-88
7	vs Chicago Hitmen	W 104-99
8	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 77-76
9	at New York Guardians	W 105-96
10	at Minnesota Mammoths	W 131-125
11	at Chicago Hitmen	W 90-87
12	—BYE—	—
13	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 139-86
14	vs Quebec Armada	W 114-108
15	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 114-127
16	at Boston Colonials	L 154-195
17	vs Montreal Olympiques	W 118-114
18	at Washington Sentinels	W 119-107
19	at St. Louis Archers	W 127-99
20	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 120-112
21	vs Detroit Motorheads	W 174-125
22	vs Milwaukee Lagers	W 136-99

1ST • SOUTHEAST

POSTSEASON (#1)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#8 New York Guardians	W 127-126
24	#4 Minnesota Mammoths	W 155-141
25	#7 Montreal Olympiques	W 105-84

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	1-0	Aviators	0-0
Armada	2-0	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	2-0	Cavalry	0-0
Barracudas	2-0	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	1-1	Hellcats	0-0
Colonials	0-1	Huskies	0-0
Guardians	2-0	Kodiaks	0-0
Hitmen	2-0	Lumberjacks	0-0
Lagers	1-0	Outlaws	0-0
Mammoths	2-0	Pioneers	0-0
Motorheads	1-0	Renegades	0-0
Olympiques	2-0	Scorpions	0-0
Sentinels	2-0	Sharpshooters	0-0
Steelcats	1-0	Wave	0-0
		Winterhawks	0-0

Defense Drives Dominance

There was a moment in January when many had to wonder whether the North Carolina Nighthawks would ever lose a game. So their IceHL EAST championship did not come out of the blue.

"I could hardly believe that I started off the year 12-0," said Nighthawks GM Brendan Anderson of his team's dominance in its inaugural season.

There were a few bumps in the road for N.C. as some of their tightest wins came against lower-ranked teams.

The Nighthawks even had a close call in their first round playoff match-up against the Guardians as a tie-breaker was required to declare a winner.

The Charlotte club, which proved its deftness at the draft despite having a late pick, was not even led by a draftee.

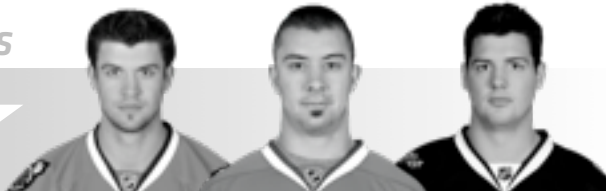
"My best decision of the year was picking up Josh Gorges out of free agency," Anderson said. "I expected good numbers from him, but I never thought I would get nearly 300 points."

Gorges' penchant for standing in front of the puck earned him the league lead in blocked shots, finishing third in overall points.

The Hawks' preseason trade with division rival Arsenal landed Matt Carle and Martin Brodeur, both key to the team's success. —Chris Smith

ICEHL EAST

3 STARS



SEABROOK GORGES BENN

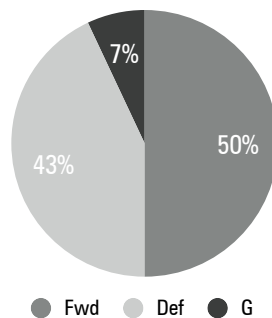
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
11	F	Eric Staal
20	F	Mike Richards
41	G	Ilya Bryzgalov
50	D	Brent Seabrook
71	D	Brent Burns
80	F	Thomas Vanek
101	D	Tomas Kaberle
110	F	Shane Doan
131	F	Patrik Elias
140	F	Mike Ribeiro
161	F	Jamie Benn
170	D	Dennis Seidenberg
191	F	Olli Jokinen
200	F	David Jones
221	G	Niklas Backstrom
230	D	Brett Clark

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
—	D	Josh Gorges	267	3.5	2-25
50	D	Brent Seabrook	250	3.2	1-25
226	D	Matt Carle ⇌	247	3.0	1-25
161	F	Jamie Benn	222	3.1	1-25
131	F	Patrik Elias	215	2.8	1-25
230	D	Brett Clark	215	2.8	1-25
11	F	Eric Staal	209	2.7	1-25
140	F	Mike Ribeiro	199	2.8	1-25
80	F	Thomas Vanek	190	2.4	1-25
41	G	Ilya Bryzgalov	121	2.9	1-25
100	G	Martin Brodeur ⇌	112	2.5	1-25
227	D	Travis Hamonic	90	2.5	12-17, 19-25
78	F	David Krejci	24	3.0	23-25
—	F	Marcus Foligno	21	3.0	23-25
—	F	Matt Read	8	2.7	24-25
—	F	Paul Bissonnette	0	0.0	25
170	D	Dennis Seidenberg	194	2.7	1-24
20	F	Mike Richards	139	2.1	1-23
—	F	Boyd Gordon	53	2.0	2-12
—	F	Curtis Glencross	46	3.8	11-23
200	F	David Jones	42	1.8	1-9
—	F	Troy Brouwer	40	2.0	13-19
—	F	Max Pacioretty	30	2.3	3-8
—	F	Cody Hodgson	30	1.3	15-21
—	D	Toni Lydman	16	1.8	17-19, 24-25

BREAKDOWN



⇌ Player moved via trade.

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GENERAL MANAGER
Chris Stephens

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Craig C. Wheeler

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Jon Wold



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

NORTHEAST DIVISION

Montreal, Quebec

NAME NOMINATED BY

Marty

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Montreal Dukes, Montreal Imperials,
Montreal Legacy, Montreal Mystiques,
Montreal Rockets

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/14/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/11/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 10/14/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/19/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 10/31/2011
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 12/09/2011

MANAGEMENT

Chris Stephens (2010—)

Demonstrating Resilience

Halfway through the season, few would've predicted the **Montreal Olympiques** to challenge for the IceHL EAST championship. But that's exactly what they did.

Ten games in, the club was already saddled with an abysmal 2-8 record. But there was much improvement to come.

"[We] rattled off five straight wins to break into the Top 8 in the East," said GM Chris Stephens as the season ended.

The impressive run erased a five-game losing streak early on. The Olympiques' 10-10 finish was just enough to qualify them for postseason action.

The team began to show a little life

following their first bye week, going 3-2 in the five games between breaks.

Interestingly, the only loss they would suffer following their second bye would be to the near-undefeated North Carolina Nighthawks — the very team that later beat them for the league crown.

Despite the shot-blocking heroics of Alexander Edler and goal-scoring prowess of Ilya Kovalchuk and Corey Perry, this season was about being resilient.

Key late acquisitions of forwards Valtteri Filppula and David Desharnais along with blue-liner Bryan Allen all helped to catapult this team to an unlikely playoff run. —C.S.

3 STARS



EDLER

PERRY

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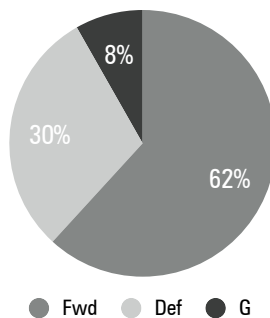
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
4	F	Corey Perry
27	F	Ilya Kovalchuk
34	F	Bobby Ryan
57	F	Patrick Kane
64	G	Corey Crawford
87	F	Andrew Ladd
94	G	Jonas Hiller
117	F	Michael Grabner
124	D	Alexander Edler
147	F	Tim Connolly
154	F	Brenden Morrow
177	F	Shawn Horcoff
184	F	Brad Marchand
207	D	Grant Clitsome
214	D	Michael Del Zotto
237	D	Cody Franson

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
124	D	Alexander Edler	257	3.2	1-25
27	F	Ilya Kovalchuk	242	3.2	1-25
4	F	Corey Perry	232	3.0	1-25
214	D	Michael Del Zotto	194	2.6	1-25
57	F	Patrick Kane	188	2.4	1-25
34	F	Bobby Ryan	172	2.2	1-25
87	F	Andrew Ladd	153	2.0	1-25
94	G	Jonas Hiller	119	2.1	1-25
—	F	Valtteri Filppula	103	2.3	8-25
—	F	Curtis Glencross	102	2.3	1-17, 23-25
64	G	Corey Crawford	100	2.8	1-25
—	F	David Desharnais	91	2.8	14-25
—	D	Bryan Allen	90	3.0	16-25
—	D	O. Ekman-Larsson	69	2.4	15-25
209	F	Frans Nielsen	65	2.5	17-25
—	D	Tim Gleason	37	1.4	17-25
—	F	Ryan O'Reilly	89	2.8	12-23
177	F	Shawn Horcoff	74	2.1	1-14
207	D	Grant Clitsome	65	1.7	1-16
—	D	Sami Salo	61	1.9	1-15
117	F	Michael Grabner	51	2.0	1-12
154	F	Brenden Morrow	37	2.1	1-8
—	F	Brandon Sutter	26	1.7	6-12
184	F	Brad Marchand	20	1.8	1-5
—	D	Raphael Diaz	17	2.1	14-17

BREAKDOWN



2ND OVERALL

10-10

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs St. Louis Archers	L 128-132
2	at Detroit Motorheads	L 88-121
3	vs New York Guardians	W 108-88
4	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 95-99
5	vs Hamilton Steelcats	L 101-116
6	at Quebec Armada	L 86-108
7	at Milwaukee Lagers	L 100-109
8	vs Boston Colonials	L 91-137
9	vs Detroit Motorheads	W 111-110
10	—BYE—	—
11	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 60-66
12	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 111-104
13	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 117-127
14	at Boston Colonials	W 116-113
15	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 92-77
16	—BYE—	—
17	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 114-118
18	at New York Guardians	W 146-139
19	vs Quebec Armada	W 111-102
20	at Hamilton Steelcats	W 123-87
21	at Chicago Hitmen	W 132-125
22	at Washington Sentinels	W 137-135

2ND • NORTHEAST

POSTSEASON (#7)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#2 St. Louis Archers	W 126-125
24	#3 Boston Colonials	W 142-115
25	#1 North Carolina Nighthawks	L 84-105

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS	WEST OPPONENTS		
Archers	0-2	Aviators	1-0
Armada	1-2	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	1-0	Cavalry	0-1
Barracudas	1-1	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	0-1	Hellcats	0-1
Colonials	3-1	Huskies	0-1
Guardians	2-0	Kodiaks	0-1
Hitmen	2-0	Lumberjacks	0-1
Lagers	1-3	Outlaws	0-0
Mammoths	0-1	Pioneers	1-0
Motorheads	1-1	Renegades	1-0
Nighthawks	0-2	Scorpions	1-0
Sentinels	1-1	Sharpshooters	1-0
Steelcats	1-2	Wave	0-1
		Winterhawks	0-1



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GENERAL MANAGER
Simon Cable

LOGO DESIGNER
Rik Oko

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Patrik Gustafsson



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

SOUTHEAST DIVISION

Washington,
District of Columbia

NAME NOMINATED BY
Erik Geib (rugbysevens)

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
D.C. Destroyers, D.C. Power, D.C. Smash,
Washington Commanders

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/21/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/26/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 11/16/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/03/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 04/03/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/29/2012

MANAGEMENT
Simon Cable (2010—)



Strong Finish to Uneven Year

Expectations were high for the **Washington Sentinels** after they nabbed high-scoring Steven Stamkos with the third overall pick in the IceHL EAST draft. And despite a tumultuous regular season, the team made an admirable playoff run.

"My season obviously didn't end up as successful as I'd hoped," said Sentinels GM Simon Cable, downplaying his team's late comeback.

The Sentinels opened with decisive victories in their first two games following a bye in Week 1. Unfortunately, the quick start was eroded by three aching close losses for the club.

Between injuries to key players and

others not living up to pre-season expectations, the Sentinels spent most of the season struggling to stay at or near .500.

Ultimately, they wrapped up their roller coaster run at 10-10 which earned them the 6th seed in the playoffs.

The Sentinels squeaked by with a first-round upset of the third-seed Colonials, but lacked the fire-power to match the surprising Olympiques.

Perhaps the Sentinels' biggest downfall was relying too heavily upon Stamkos. While his goal-scoring domination was unmatched, Logan Couture was the only other player to break the 200-point plateau for Washington this season. —C.S.

3RD OVERALL

10-10

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	—BYE—	—
2	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 120-105
3	vs Chicago Hitmen	W 97-43
4	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 113-119
5	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 87-88
6	vs St. Louis Archers	L 102-110
7	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 135-75
8	at Hamilton Steelcats	L 108-116
9	at Boston Colonials	L 105-136
10	at Quebec Armada	W 130-70
11	at Detroit Motorheads	W 93-78
12	vs New York Guardians	W 128-81
13	at St. Louis Archers	L 84-126
14	—BYE—	—
15	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 135-148
16	at Milwaukee Lagers	W 164-69
17	vs Boston Colonials	L 104-131
18	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	L 107-119
19	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 136-99
20	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 128-111
21	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 112-99
22	vs Montreal Olympiques	L 135-137

2ND • SOUTHEAST

POSTSEASON (#6)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#3 Boston Colonials	W 104-102
24	#7 Montreal Olympiques	L 115-142
25	Minnesota Mammoths	W 91-87

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	0-3	Aviators	1-0
Armada	1-3	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	2-0	Cavalry	1-0
Barracudas	1-1	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	2-0	Hellcats	1-0
Colonials	1-2	Huskies	0-1
Guardians	1-0	Kodiaks	1-0
Hitmen	2-0	Lumberjacks	0-1
Lagers	2-1	Outlaws	0-0
Mammoths	1-1	Pioneers	1-0
Motorheads	1-0	Renegades	1-0
Nighthawks	0-2	Scorpions	1-0
Olympiques	1-2	Sharpshooters	0-1
Steelcats	0-2	Wave	0-1
		Winterhawks	1-0

ICEHL EAST

3 STARS



COUTURE STAMKOS HOWARD

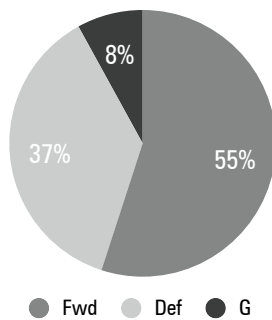
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
3	F	Steven Stamkos
28	G	Tomas Vokoun
33	D	Lubomir Visnovsky
58	D	Christian Ehrhoff
63	F	Logan Couture
88	F	Jeff Skinner
93	G	Jimmy Howard
118	F	Patrice Bergeron
123	D	John-Michael Liles
148	F	Nikolai Kulemin
153	D	Marek Zidlicky
178	F	Ray Whitney
183	F	David Booth
208	D	Marc-Andre Bergeron
213	F	David Perron
238	F	G. Latendresse

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
3	F	Steven Stamkos	329	4.0	1-25
63	F	Logan Couture	258	3.3	1-25
178	F	Ray Whitney	195	2.4	1-25
—	D	Jay Harrison	172	3.0	4-25
182	F	Martin Erat	157	2.6	6-25
93	G	Jimmy Howard	147	3.4	1-25
—	D	Eric Brewer	141	2.7	9-25
88	F	Jeff Skinner	137	2.2	1-25
—	D	Andrew MacDonald	135	3.1	12-25
85	D	Kevin Bieksa	134	2.6	8-25
111	F	Gabriel Landeskog	81	3.4	18-25
133	F	Teddy Purcell	56	3.1	19-25
—	F	Alexander Radulov	22	2.4	22-25
—	F	Jaden Schwartz	9	1.8	23-25
—	D	Johnny Boychuk	9	1.3	23-25
—	G	Devan Dubnyk	5	2.5	23-25
123	D	John-Michael Liles	162	2.8	1-23
—	D	Niklas Hjalmarsson	108	2.6	5-22
—	F	Matt Read	107	2.2	7-23
58	D	Christian Ehrhoff	88	2.4	1-12
—	F	Alexander Steen	67	2.2	2-10
28	G	Tomas Vokoun	53	2.9	1-11
—	F	Pascal Dupuis	47	1.9	7-15
—	D	Jonathon Blum	46	2.3	2-9
—	D	Andrej Meszaros	36	2.1	1-6

BREAKDOWN



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GENERAL MANAGER
Matt Riegler

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Alex Gerwitz



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

CENTRAL DIVISION

Minneapolis, Minnesota

NAME NOMINATED BY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Minneapolis Timber, Minnesota Rush,
Minnesota Meltdown, St. Paul Freeze

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/27/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/01/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/22/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 12/26/2011

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 03/03/2012

MANAGEMENT

Matt Riegler (2011—)



Playing a Game of Numbers

Living proof that sheer statistics do not determine champions, the **Minnesota Mammoths** led the IceHL EAST in overall points, but fell short in the second round of playoff action.

“[We] finished fourth despite having the most statistically successful team,” said Mammoths GM Matt Riegler.

The Minneapolis club ruled a handful of statistical categories, including power play goals (92), game-winning goals (46) and goaltender wins (56).

Marc-Andre Fleury’s talents between the pipes proved especially helpful in that last category. And with two defencemen leading the team in points, it’s no

surprise that the Mammoths finished second in the league in blocked shots.

The team erased an opening week defeat with a four-game winning streak leading up to their first bye week. A longer five-game winning streak later in the season propelled the Mammoths to an impressive 14-6 record.

Minnesota closed out their regular season with a loss to division rival Detroit, who they would face again the next week to open the playoffs—but this time with a decidedly different result.

The Mammoths fell to the eventual champion in Round 2 but are poised for another solid run in 2012-13. —C.S.

4TH OVERALL

14-6

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Milwaukee Lagers	L 124-143
2	vs Quebec Armada	W 122-106
3	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 144-92
4	at Boston Colonials	W 115-96
5	vs Detroit Motorheads	W 126-121
6	—BYE—	—
7	vs New York Guardians	L 111-120
8	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 148-103
9	at Hamilton Steelcats	W 130-117
10	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	L 125-131
11	at Milwaukee Lagers	W 122-37
12	vs St. Louis Archers	L 102-112
13	at Montreal Olympiques	W 127-117
14	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 132-81
15	at Washington Sentinels	W 148-135
16	at Chicago Hitmen	W 156-136
17	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 142-103
18	at St. Louis Archers	L 135-151
19	vs Chicago Hitmen	W 129-109
20	vs Boston Colonials	W 127-81
21	—BYE—	—
22	at Detroit Motorheads	L 111-119

2ND • CENTRAL

POSTSEASON (#4)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#5 Detroit Motorheads	W 147-94
24	#1 North Carolina Nighthawks	L 141-155
25	Washington Sentinels	L 87-91

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	0-2	Aviators	0-0
Armada	1-0	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	2-0	Cavalry	0-0
Barracudas	1-0	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	1-0	Hellcats	0-0
Colonials	2-0	Huskies	0-0
Hitmen	2-0	Kodiaks	0-0
Guardians	0-1	Lumberjacks	0-0
Lagers	1-1	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	2-1	Pioneers	0-0
Nighthawks	0-2	Renegades	0-0
Olympiques	1-0	Scorpions	0-0
Sentinels	1-1	Sharpshooters	0-0
Steelcats	1-0	Wave	0-0
		Winterhawks	0-0

ICEHL EAST

3 STARS



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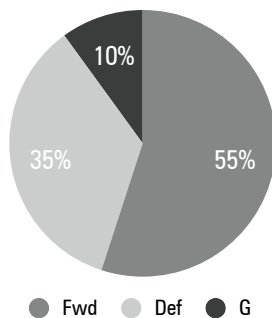
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
15	F	Ryan Kesler
16	F	Ryan Getzlaf
45	G	Marc-Andre Fleury
46	D	Shea Weber
75	F	Ryan Callahan
76	D	Mike Green
105	D	Dan Girardi
106	D	Niklas Kronwall
135	F	Joe Pavelski
136	F	Daniel Alfredsson
165	F	Jason Pominville
166	G	Dwayne Roloson
195	D	Joe Corvo
196	F	Matt Moulson
225	F	Jordan Staal
226	D	Matt Carle

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
106	D	Niklas Kronwall	279	3.4	1-25
46	D	Shea Weber	262	3.5	1-25
75	F	Ryan Callahan	259	3.4	1-25
165	F	Jason Pominville	248	3.1	1-25
105	D	Dan Girardi	246	3.1	1-25
135	F	Joe Pavelski	241	3.1	1-25
196	F	Matt Moulson	225	3.0	1-25
16	F	Ryan Getzlaf	205	2.6	1-25
45	G	Marc-Andre Fleury	186	3.3	1-25
15	F	Ryan Kesler	183	2.4	1-25
130	F	Dustin Brown ⇄	175	2.3	1-25
17	F	Jonathan Toews ⇄	170	2.9	1-25
—	D	Filip Kuba	134	3.2	9, 11-25
151	G	Kari Lehtonen	71	2.5	11-25
76	D	Mike Green	65	2.1	1-25
—	D	Mark Stuart	57	2.4	17-25
33	D	Lubomir Visnovsky	48	3.0	10-15
166	G	Dwayne Roloson	33	2.8	1-8
104	F	Martin Havlat	31	1.6	1-10
—	D	Ryan Ellis	13	1.6	15-17
185	F	James Reimer	5	1.3	8-11
—	D	Roman Polak	0	0.0	10
70	D	Andrei Markov ⇄	0	0.0	1-8
195	F	Joe Corvo ⇄	0	0.0	—
225	F	Jordan Staal ⇄	0	0.0	—

BREAKDOWN



⇄ Player moved via trade.



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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

NORTHEAST DIVISION

New York, New York

NAME NOMINATED BY

ardrvd420

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

New Jersey Revolution, Long Island Avengers, New York Freedom, New York Force

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/17/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/11/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/21/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/07/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 10/23/2011

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 12/09/2011

MANAGEMENT

Rich Lunghino (2011—)



5TH OVERALL

10-10

ICHL EAST

Emotional End Caps Season

An unreliable crop of draft picks and a roller coaster season weren't enough to keep the **New York Guardians** from dark horse status in the IceHL EAST.

The Guardians were 3-3 when GM Rich Lughino agreed to a blockbuster deal with the Archers.

"The turning point of the season came when I traded my first round pick," said Lughino on moving Pavel Datsyuk.

In return for Datsyuk and Marc-Andre Bergeron, the Guardians acquired Teemu Selanne and Erik Karlsson, whose contributions were key for the team.

The Guardians still struggled to stay at or near .500 throughout the season,

but their regular season finale seemed like something from the pen of a Hollywood screenwriter.

The Guardians (9-10) squared off against the Steelcats (10-9) in that final week as 8th place hung in the balance.

"The most exciting part of the season for me was sneaking into the playoffs in the last matchup of the season," Lughino recalled. "It was a clutch moment for my team."

The Guardians fell to the eventual league champion Nighthawks in the first round by a crushing tie-breaker but bounced back with back-to-back wins to close out their consolation games. —C.S.

3 STARS



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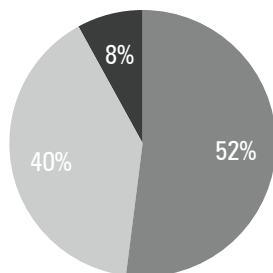
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
9	F	Pavel Datsyuk
22	G	Ryan Miller
39	D	Duncan Keith
52	F	Milan Lucic
69	D	Tyler Myers
82	F	Drew Stafford
99	F	Matt Duchene
112	F	Ville Leino
129	D	Chris Pronger
142	D	Erik Johnson
159	F	James van Riemsdyk
172	F	Tyler Ennis
189	F	Wayne Simmonds
202	D	Jay Bouwmeester
219	F	Dave Bolland
232	G	Steve Mason

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
39	D	Duncan Keith	208	2.8	1-25
118	F	Patrice Bergeron	193	2.9	5-25
150	D	Erik Karlsson ⇄	170	3.0	7-25
—	F	Max Pacioretty	156	2.8	8-25
—	F	Kris Versteeg	148	2.2	2-25
—	F	Mike Fisher	148	3.5	12-25
91	F	Teemu Selanne ⇄	144	2.4	7-25
180	F	Evander Kane	125	2.4	6-25
22	G	Ryan Miller	124	2.6	1-25
23	D	Mark Giordano	120	3.2	14-25
—	G	Brian Elliott	106	3.7	4-25
66	D	Victor Hedman	89	3.7	16-25
189	F	Wayne Simmonds	76	2.5	15-25
58	D	Christian Ehrhoff	51	2.2	17-25
172	F	Tyler Ennis	29	2.9	1, 23-25
169	D	Joni Pitkanen	28	3.1	23-25
99	F	Matt Duchene	106	2.2	1-21
142	D	Erik Johnson	94	2.2	1-15
159	F	James van Riemsdyk	75	2.0	1-14
—	D	Nikita Nikitin	69	2.8	7-16
129	D	Chris Pronger	53	4.1	1-10
9	F	Pavel Datsyuk ⇄	51	2.6	1-7
69	D	Tyler Myers	46	2.4	1-7
82	F	Drew Stafford	37	1.7	1-8
33	D	Lubomir Visnovsky	33	1.7	15-20

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇄ Player moved via trade.

3RD • NORTHEAST

POSTSEASON (#8)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#1 North Carolina Nighthawks	L 126-127
24	Detroit Motorheads	W 131-91
25	St. Louis Archers	W 107-76

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	1-1	Aviators	0-0
Armada	2-0	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	0-1	Cavalry	0-0
Barracudas	0-1	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	2-0	Hellcats	0-0
Colonials	1-1	Huskies	0-0
Hitmen	2-0	Kodiaks	0-0
Lagers	0-1	Lumberjacks	0-0
Mammoth	1-0	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	2-0	Pioneers	0-0
Nighthawks	0-2	Renegades	0-0
Olympiques	0-2	Scorpions	0-0
Sentinels	0-1	Sharpshooters	0-0
Steelcats	1-1	Wave	0-0
		Winterhawks	0-0

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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL LEAST

CENTRAL DIVISION

St. Louis, Missouri

NAME NOMINATED BY

Michael

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Missouri Madmen, St. Louis Gatekeepers,
St. Louis Rapids, St. Louis Soul

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/27/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/13/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 09/17/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 01/08/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 03/03/2012

MANAGEMENT

Ryan Laden (2010—)



6TH OVERALL

15-5

ICHL EAST

Unstoppable to Inconsistent

From unstoppable to inconsistent, the season ended in disappointment for the **St. Louis Archers**. The club with the league's second-best record and a division title was one of the first out of the IceHL EAST playoffs.

"It was another great regular season for the Archers," said GM Ryan Laden, "winning our division [and] earning the No. 2 seed for consecutive years.

"Unfortunately, defeat in the first round of the playoffs also remained consistent," added Laden.

Believe it or not, in back-to-back seasons, the team won its division, finished second in the league, and lost in the first

round of the playoffs to the eventual championship runner-up.

It wasn't all bad, though. Following an incredible 11-1 start, the Archers alternated wins and losses and were ousted from the playoffs by a single point.

With a pair of smart trades early in the season, they landed Pavel Datsyuk, Roberto Luongo and Marian Hossa, all key to the successful regular season.

But it was draftees Alex Pietrangelo, Alex Ovechkin and Marian Gaborik that proved essential, leading an Archers team that saw 63 different players grace the roster over the course of the season—a league record by far. —C.S.

3 STARS



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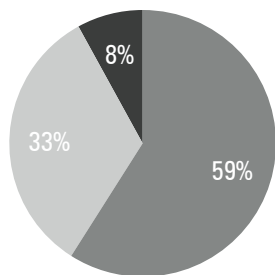
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
1	F	Alex Ovechkin
30	F	Henrik Zetterberg
31	G	Carey Price
60	F	Marian Gaborik
61	F	Jaromir Jagr
90	D	Sergei Gonchar
91	F	Teemu Selanne
120	D	Alex Pietrangelo
121	F	Simon Gagne
150	D	Erik Karlsson
151	G	Kari Lehtonen
180	F	Evander Kane
181	D	Sheldon Souray
210	F	Sergei Kostitsyn
211	F	Pierre-Marc Bouchard
240	D	Zach Bogosian

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
120	D	Alex Pietrangelo	265	3.3	1-25
60	F	Marian Gaborik	248	3.1	1-25
1	F	Alex Ovechkin	227	2.9	1-25
77	F	Marian Hossa	206	3.0	5-25
—	F	Adam Henrique	153	2.6	5-25
9	F	Pavel Datsyuk	134	2.9	7-25
—	D	Zbynek Michalek	131	2.7	7-8, 12-25
213	F	David Perron	127	2.3	5-25
113	F	Paul Stastny	115	2.6	10-25
31	G	Carey Price	99	2.2	1-25
14	G	Roberto Luongo	94	2.9	5-25
69	D	Tyler Myers	81	2.3	11-25
—	D	Nikita Nikitin	78	3.7	19-25
20	F	Mike Richards	19	3.2	24-25
123	D	John-Michael Liles	14	1.8	23-25
149	F	Patric Hornqvist	11	1.8	24-25
61	F	Jaromir Jagr	130	2.1	1-23
147	F	Tim Connolly	106	2.5	6-20
181	D	Sheldon Souray	81	2.4	1-14
91	F	Teemu Selanne	54	2.6	1-7
121	F	Simon Gagne	51	2.1	1-10
150	D	Erik Karlsson	49	2.3	1-7
78	F	David Krejci	48	2.8	9-10, 20-23
—	D	Greg Zanon	40	2.0	8-10, 17-21
208	D	M-A Bergeron	36	1.7	7-17

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇔ Player moved via trade.

1ST • CENTRAL

POSTSEASON (#2)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#7 Montreal Olympiques	L 125-126
24	Boston Colonials	W 143-115
25	New York Guardians	L 76-107

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Armada	1-1	Aviators	2-0
Arsenal	1-0	Beasts	0-0
Barracudas	0-1	Cavalry	1-0
Blue Crabs	0-1	Gators	0-0
Colonials	3-0	Hellcats	0-1
Guardians	1-1	Huskies	0-1
Hitmen	2-1	Kodiaks	0-2
Lagers	3-0	Lumberjacks	1-0
Mammoth	2-0	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	1-1	Pioneers	1-0
Nighthawks	0-1	Renegades	1-0
Olympiques	2-1	Scorpions	1-0
Sentinels	3-0	Sharpshooters	0-2
Steelcats	3-0	Wave	1-0
		Winterhawks	1-0

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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

CENTRAL DIVISION

Boston, Massachusetts

NAME NOMINATED BY
motleybrent

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
Boston Battalion, Boston Pride,
Boston Revolt, New England Liberty

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/14/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/11/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 10/31/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/03/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 11/11/2011
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 12/09/2012

MANAGEMENT

Josh Hedland (2010–2011)
Marc Brown (2011—)



Draft Strength Spells Success

Built from the start as an offensive juggernaut, the **Boston Colonials** saw a strong season culminate in the disappointment of an early playoff upset.

"Towards the end of the season and into the playoffs, key injuries and weak performances really hurt our momentum," said Colonials GM Marc Brown, despite a 6-1 run to end the season.

The New England franchise's 14-6 record was more than enough to earn it a Northeast Division title—a far cry from its 17th place finish a season ago.

The Colonials were defeated by a narrow margin at the hands of the sixth-seeded Sentinels in the IceHL EAST

Quarterfinals. And so came the disheartening end to a year otherwise considered to be rather successful.

"I felt that we drafted very well," Brown said of his club. First-round pick Evgeni Malkin finished as the league's leading scorer with 342 points.

Additionally, the Colonials tied for the league-high with eight players—including Claude Giroux, Jack Johnson, and Dion Phaneuf—surpassing the impressive 200-point plateau.

In a testament to Brown's drafting ability, the Colonials finished the season with only four players who were not on the opening week roster. —C.S.

7TH OVERALL

14-6

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Hamilton Steelcats	W 139-138
2	at Chicago Hitmen	W 102-79
3	at St. Louis Archers	L 128-144
4	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 96-115
5	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 103-81
6	—BYE—	—
7	vs Detroit Motorheads	W 123-106
8	at Montreal Olympiques	W 137-91
9	vs Washington Sentinels	W 136-105
10	at New York Guardians	L 108-114
11	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 79-70
12	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 123-88
13	vs Hamilton Steelcats	L 104-110
14	vs Montreal Olympiques	L 113-116
15	—BYE—	—
16	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	W 195-154
17	at Washington Sentinels	W 131-104
18	at Quebec Armada	W 86-83
19	vs Milwaukee Lagers	W 125-109
20	at Minnesota Mammoths	L 81-127
21	vs New York Guardians	W 122-115
22	vs Quebec Armada	W 138-102

1ST • NORTHEAST

POSTSEASON (#3)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#6 Washington Sentinels	L 102-104
24	St. Louis Archers	L 115-143
25	Detroit Motorheads	W 98-89

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	0-3	Aviators	0-1
Armada	2-1	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	1-0	Cavalry	1-0
Barracudas	1-0	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	1-0	Hellcats	0-1
Guardians	1-1	Huskies	0-1
Hitmen	1-1	Kodiaks	0-1
Lagers	2-0	Lumberjacks	0-1
Mammoths	0-2	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	2-0	Pioneers	3-0
Nighthawks	1-0	Renegades	1-0
Olympiques	1-3	Scorpions	0-1
Sentinels	2-2	Sharpshooters	0-1
Steelcats	1-2	Wave	0-1
		Winterhawks	1-0

ICEHL EAST

3 STARS



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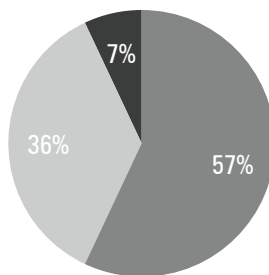
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
7	F	Evgeni Malkin
24	F	Nicklas Backstrom
37	F	Claude Giroux
54	F	Joe Thornton
67	F	Patrick Sharp
84	F	Chris Stewart
97	D	Drew Doughty
114	G	Jaroslav Halak
127	D	Cam Fowler
144	D	Jack Johnson
157	D	Dion Phaneuf
174	F	Rene Bourque
187	F	Brooks Laich
204	G	Ondrej Pavelec
217	F	Tuomo Ruutu
234	F	Milan Hejduk

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
7	F	Evgeni Malkin	342	4.6	1-25
37	F	Claude Giroux	256	3.4	1-25
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157	D	Dion Phaneuf	227	2.8	1-25
141	F	Jordan Eberle ⇌	215	3.1	3-25
67	F	Patrick Sharp	212	2.9	1-25
175	D	John Carlson	210	2.8	3-25
54	F	Joe Thornton	206	2.5	1-25
—	D	Marc-Edouard Vlasic	167	2.7	7-25
97	D	Drew Doughty	156	2.1	1-25
24	F	Nicklas Backstrom	129	3.2	1-25
114	G	Jaroslav Halak	110	3.2	1-25
234	F	Milan Hejduk	108	1.6	1-25
84	F	Chris Stewart	88	1.3	1-25
174	F	Rene Bourque	85	1.2	1-25
—	G	Cory Schneider	13	4.3	20-25
221	G	Niklas Backstrom ⇌	77	2.7	3-21
—	D	Eric Brewer	30	2.1	1-7
127	D	Cam Fowler ⇌	17	2.4	1-3
187	F	Brooks Laich ⇌	6	1.5	1-3
204	G	Ondrej Pavelec ⇌	5	1.7	1-3
—	G	Ray Emery	5	5.0	21-24
220	D	Jamie McBain ⇌	2	2.0	3
217	F	Tuomo Ruutu	0	0.0	1

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇌ Player moved via trade.



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Mike Kelly

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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL LEAST

CENTRAL DIVISION

Detroit, Michigan

NAME NOMINATED BY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Detroit Boxers, Detroit Diesel, Detroit Drift, Detroit Rust, Michigan Cobras

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/27/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/19/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/18/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 01/05/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 03/03/2012

MANAGEMENT

Mike Kelly (2011—)



Injuries Bring on Breakdown

The **Detroit Motorheads** were operating like a well-oiled engine when the year began, but a number of late-season injuries left the club running on fumes.

“When everyone was healthy, the Motorheads were a force to be reckoned with,” said GM Mike Kelly. “When guys went down, the wheels fell off.”

That’s probably enough of the auto-related clichés, but four straight, decisive victories to open the season did not leave rival teams laughing.

The strong start was somewhat surprising considering the Motorheads’ slight weakness coming out of the draft.

“[We] spent some high picks on some

duds,” said Kelly, “but found some gems in the [middle] to later rounds.”

Francois Beauchemin, who led the team in points, wasn’t drafted until the 14th round while the first two picks in Dany Heatley and Mark Giordano turned out to be underachievers.

The Motorheads’ 9-4 start was tarnished by four more losses in the last seven games of the season. Still, a strong overall season earned them a respectable playoff berth.

Crucial injuries for the Detroit club led to a tough quarterfinal playoff loss at the hands of the Mammoths, who they’d defeated only a week earlier. —C.S.

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BEAUCHEMIN KESSEL ERIKSSON

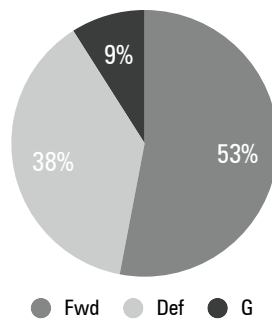
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
8	F	Dany Heatley
23	D	Mark Giordano
38	D	Kimmo Timonen
53	G	Miikka Kiprusoff
68	D	Roman Hamrlik
83	F	Phil Kessel
98	F	Loui Eriksson
113	F	Paul Stastny
128	D	James Wisniewski
143	F	Taylor Hall
158	D	Anton Babchuk
173	G	Craig Anderson
188	F	Magnus Paajarvi
203	D	Francois Beauchemin
218	F	Tyler Seguin
233	F	Mikael Backlund

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
203	D	Francois Beauchemin	250	3.1	1-25
83	F	Phil Kessel	245	3.0	1-25
38	D	Kimmo Timonen	220	2.9	1-25
98	F	Loui Eriksson	219	2.7	1-25
218	F	Tyler Seguin	200	2.5	1-25
143	F	Taylor Hall	195	3.2	1-25
8	F	Dany Heatley	189	2.3	1-25
—	F	Joffrey Lupul	188	2.9	1-21, 23-25
—	D	Kevin Klein	149	2.7	2-11, 14-25
53	G	Miikka Kiprusoff	149	2.7	1-25
128	D	James Wisniewski	133	2.8	1-12, 17-25
173	G	Craig Anderson	128	3.2	1-25
122	F	Alex Tanguay	83	3.1	17-25
—	D	Brooks Orpik	47	2.6	21-25
104	F	Martin Havlat	28	2.5	22-25
129	D	Chris Pronger	0	0.0	23-25
—	F	Ryan Smyth	77	2.0	3-17
23	D	Mark Giordano	75	3.3	1-8
—	D	Chris Phillips	59	1.9	12-22
113	F	Paul Stastny	56	2.1	1-9
68	D	Roman Hamrlik	45	2.3	1-7
—	D	Mark Stuart	37	1.9	11-17
—	D	Hal Gill	25	2.1	8-14
—	D	Jaroslav Spacek	22	1.8	9-15
240	D	Zach Bogosian	22	2.0	15-21

BREAKDOWN



8TH OVERALL

12-8

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Chicago Hitmen	W 166-104
2	vs Montreal Olympiques	W 121-88
3	vs Hamilton Steelcats	W 164-92
4	at St. Louis Archers	W 145-98
5	at Minnesota Mammoths	L 121-126
6	—BYE—	—
7	at Boston Colonials	L 106-123
8	vs Chicago Hitmen	W 87-65
9	at Montreal Olympiques	L 110-111
10	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 107-92
11	vs Washington Sentinels	L 78-93
12	—BYE—	—
13	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 147-129
14	vs Milwaukee Lagers	W 99-66
15	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 129-115
16	vs Quebec Armada	L 141-172
17	at New York Guardians	L 115-147
18	at Milwaukee Lagers	W 106-80
19	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 127-88
20	vs St. Louis Archers	L 113-145
21	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 125-174
22	vs Minnesota Mammoths	W 119-111

3RD • CENTRAL

POSTSEASON (#5)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#4 Minnesota Mammoths	L 94-147
24	New York Guardians	L 91-131
25	Boston Colonials	L 89-98

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	1-1	Aviators	0-0
Armada	0-1	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	1-0	Cavalry	0-0
Barracudas	1-0	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	2-0	Hellcats	0-0
Colonials	0-2	Huskies	0-0
Guardians	0-2	Kodiaks	0-0
Hitmen	2-0	Lumberjacks	0-0
Lagers	2-0	Outlaws	0-0
Mammoths	1-2	Pioneers	0-0
Nighthawks	0-1	Renegades	0-0
Olympiques	1-1	Scorpions	0-0
Sentinels	0-1	Sharpshooters	0-0
Steelcats	1-0	Wave	0-0
		Winterhawks	0-0



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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

SOUTHEAST DIVISION

Baltimore, Maryland

NAME NOMINATED BY

Canis

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Baltimore Bats, Baltimore Bullets,
Baltimore Claws, Baltimore Railriders,
Maryland Majors

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/21/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/26/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 11/16/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 09/08/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 03/30/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/30/2012

MANAGEMENT

Robert Erlichman (2011—)



No Shame in a Losing Record

Triumph comes in many forms. Regrettably for the **Baltimore Blue Crabs**, the kind that counts in the IceHL EAST came too little and too late.

Draft day may have been good to the Maryland club—whose acquisition of one of the league's elite players was a coup late in the first round—but Sidney Crosby's nagging injury made him a non-factor for most of the season.

"I'm looking forward to next season when I have—fingers crossed—a healthy Crosby," said Blue Crabs GM Robert Erlichman after his team's 2-5 start.

Even with the challenge of losing a valuable roster spot to Crosby for much

of the season, the Blue Crabs still fared well with John Tavares, Jason Spezza and Zach Parise leading the way in points.

Furthermore, 13 of the team's 16-man roster finished the season with at least 100 points and Crosby was just three shy of that mark in spite of limited action.

With their 9th overall finish, the Blue Crabs were the best among non-playoff teams after handing losses to powerhouses like the Nighthawks and Archers.

During the Consolation Ladder the Blue Crabs twice faced the Steelcats, who boasted a better record. And like two final gut punches, the Blue Crabs won decisively in both games. —C.S.

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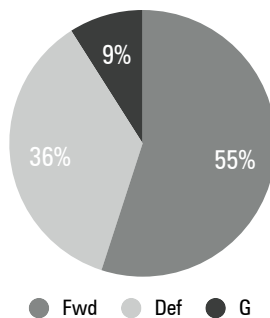
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
12	F	Sidney Crosby
19	F	Zach Parise
42	D	Keith Yandle
49	G	Antti Niemi
72	F	John Tavares
79	D	Mark Streit
102	G	Cam Ward
109	F	Jason Spezza
132	F	Ryane Clowe
139	D	P.K. Subban
162	F	T.J. Oshie
169	D	Joni Pitkanen
192	F	Justin Williams
199	F	Kyle Okposo
222	F	Jakub Voracek
229	D	Adam Larsson

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
72	F	John Tavares	240	2.9	1-25
109	F	Jason Spezza	236	3.1	1-25
19	F	Zach Parise	228	2.8	1-25
79	D	Mark Streit	221	2.7	1-25
139	D	P.K. Subban	197	2.4	1-25
42	D	Keith Yandle	178	2.2	1-25
49	G	Antti Niemi	165	2.6	1-25
52	F	Milan Lucic	162	2.3	2-25
162	F	T.J. Oshie	155	2.2	1-4, 7-25
132	F	Ryane Clowe	147	2.0	1-25
95	D	Tobias Enstrom	128	2.7	10-25
—	D	Nick Leddy	121	1.8	13-25
47	F	Alexander Semin	102	2.5	12-25
12	F	Sidney Crosby	97	4.4	1-25
102	G	Cam Ward	76	2.0	1-25
224	D	Tom Gilbert	25	2.5	23-25
192	F	Justin Williams	65	1.9	1-11
169	D	Joni Pitkanen	60	2.9	1-10
220	D	Jamie McBain	35	2.5	10-15
152	F	Ales Hensky	20	1.8	5-8
—	D	Toni Lydman	12	2.0	8-9
222	F	Jakub Voracek	11	2.2	1-2
147	F	Tim Connolly	11	3.7	4
—	F	Ryan Jones	8	0.8	15-19
—	F	Troy Brouwer	7	1.0	20-22

BREAKDOWN



9TH OVERALL

9-11

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 152-111
2	vs Washington Sentinels	L 105-120
3	vs Quebec Armada	W 85-68
4	at New York Guardians	L 88-98
5	—BYE—	—
6	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	L 88-119
7	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 104-118
8	at Minnesota Mammoths	L 103-148
9	at Chicago Hitmen	W 100-75
10	vs Milwaukee Lagers	W 124-67
11	at Montreal Olympiques	W 68-60
12	vs Boston Colonials	L 88-123
13	vs Detroit Motorheads	L 129-147
14	at Hamilton Steelcats	W 141-100
15	at North Carolina Nighthawks	W 127-114
16	vs New York Guardians	L 150-162
17	vs Atlanta Arsenal	L 99-100
18	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 117-92
19	at Detroit Motorheads	L 88-127
20	at Washington Sentinels	L 111-128
21	vs St. Louis Archers	W 127-126
22	—BYE—	—

3RD • SOUTHEAST

POSTSEASON (#10)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Hamilton Steelcats	W 127-96
24	Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 137-132
25	Hamilton Steelcats	W 110-51

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	1-0	Aviators	0-0
Armada	1-0	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	1-1	Cavalry	0-0
Barracudas	2-1	Gators	0-0
Colonials	0-1	Hellcats	0-0
Guardians	0-2	Huskies	0-0
Hitmen	1-0	Kodiaks	0-0
Lagers	1-0	Lumberjacks	0-0
Mammoths	0-1	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	0-2	Pioneers	0-0
Nighthawks	1-1	Renegades	0-0
Olympiques	1-0	Scorpions	0-0
Sentinels	0-2	Sharpshooters	0-0
Steelcats	3-0	Wave	0-0
		Winterhawks	0-0



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THE ICEHL EAST

NORTHEAST DIVISION

Toronto, Ontario

NAME NOMINATED BY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Toronto Tritons*, Ontario Tomahawks, Toronto Skyliners, Toronto Towers (*-runner-up in naming run-off poll)

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/14/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/11/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 10/16/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 09/01/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 11/11/2011
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 12/09/2011

MANAGEMENT

Daniel Raposo (2010–2011)
 Aaron Diggle (2011—)



10TH OVERALL

10-10

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Boston Colonials	L 138-139
2	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 112-116
3	at Detroit Motorheads	L 92-164
4	vs Chicago Hitmen	W 83-70
5	at Montreal Olympiques	W 116-101
6	vs New York Guardians	W 132-119
7	—BYE—	—
8	vs Washington Sentinels	W 116-108
9	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 117-130
10	at St. Louis Archers	L 90-134
11	vs Quebec Armada	W 133-82
12	at Milwaukee Lagers	W 102-63
13	at Boston Colonials	W 110-104
14	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 100-141
15	vs St. Louis Archers	L 91-128
16	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 134-126
17	at Quebec Armada	L 134-137
18	—BYE—	—
19	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 108-107
20	vs Montreal Olympiques	L 87-123
21	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 100-93
22	at New York Guardians	L 73-114

4TH • NORTHEAST

POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 96-127
24	Chicago Hitmen	W 146-96
25	Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 51-110

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	0-3	Aviators	0-1
Armada	1-2	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	2-0	Cavalry	0-1
Barracudas	1-0	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	0-3	Hellcats	0-1
Colonials	2-1	Huskies	0-2
Guardians	1-1	Kodiaks	1-1
Hitmen	2-1	Lumberjacks	1-0
Lagers	2-0	Outlaws	0-0
Mammoths	0-1	Pioneers	1-0
Motorheads	0-1	Renegades	1-0
Nighthawks	0-1	Scorpions	1-0
Olympiques	2-1	Sharpshooters	1-0
Sentinels	2-0	Wave	2-0
		Winterhawks	1-0

Erratic Year Stems from Draft

A draft left to chance and instability between the pipes led to a season of ups and downs for the **Hamilton Steelcats**.

"Unfortunately, a loss in the last week squeezed us out of the playoffs," said Steelcats GM Aaron Diggle.

The team had been battling the Guardians for the 8th and final seed in the IceHL EAST when the two teams met to close out the season.

The Steelcats endured "long periods of inconsistency mostly due to the lack of a true No. 1 goaltender and some scoring issues," said Diggle.

Diggle was one of a handful of managers absent on draft day. The Steelcats

ended up with solid skaters but only one goaltender. This issue haunted the team as 13 different netminders graced the roster over the course of the year.

After an 0-3 start, the Steelcats battled back to .500 before their first bye week but kept trading victories and defeats until the end of their 10-10 season.

Defense was a strong area for Hamilton as Brian Campbell and Zdeno Chara were dependable on the blue line. Up front, Jarome Iginla, Henrik Sedin and Johan Franzen provided needed offense but failed to meet expectations.

Just six of the team's 16 original draft picks played the full season. —C.S.

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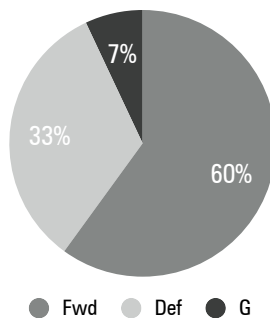
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
5	F	Henrik Sedin
26	D	Zdeno Chara
35	F	Jarome Iginla
56	F	Johan Franzen
65	F	Nathan Horton
86	D	Alex Goligoski
95	D	Tobias Enstrom
116	F	Mike Cammalleri
125	F	Brandon Dubinsky
146	F	R.J. Umberger
155	D	Brian Campbell
176	F	Antoine Vermette
185	G	James Reimer
206	F	Danny Cleary
215	F	Jussi Jokinen
236	F	Steve Sullivan

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
155	D	Brian Campbell	225	2.8	1-25
35	F	Jarome Iginla	211	2.7	1-25
26	D	Zdeno Chara	210	2.7	1-25
5	F	Henrik Sedin	207	2.6	1-25
56	F	Johan Franzen	192	2.7	1-25
—	F	Milan Michalek	189	2.9	2-25
—	F	Radim Vrbata	159	2.7	5-25
86	D	Alex Goligoski	150	2.3	1-5, 9-25
184	F	Brad Marchand	140	2.4	5-25
116	F	Mike Cammalleri	111	2.0	1-25
225	F	Jordan Staal	83	3.0	17-25
181	D	Sheldon Souray	54	2.2	15-25
153	D	Marek Zidlicky	17	1.4	22-25
61	F	Jaromir Jagr	10	2.5	24-25
—	F	Brian Rolston	5	1.0	23-25
221	G	Niklas Backstrom	5	1.7	23-25
65	F	Nathan Horton	93	2.3	1-19
81	F	Tomas Plekanec	85	2.5	3-15
240	D	Zach Bogosian	61	3.6	8-14
215	F	Jussi Jokinen	48	2.1	1-10
—	G	Tuukka Rask	39	4.3	10-20
—	G	Evgeni Nabokov	30	1.9	13, 17-24
—	G	Nikolai Khabibulin	30	1.8	3-13
—	D	Karl Alzner	28	2.2	15-19, 21
—	D	Filip Kuba	26	2.9	4-8

BREAKDOWN



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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

SOUTHEAST DIVISION

Tampa, Florida

NAME NOMINATED BY
Canis

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Florida Rockets, Florida Suns,
Sarasota Stingers, Tampa Bay Navigators,
Tampa Bay Tridents

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/21/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/26/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/28/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/18/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 03/28/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/30/2012

MANAGEMENT

Chris Smith (2011—)



11TH OVERALL

8-12

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	L 166-180
2	—BYE—	—
3	at Milwaukee Lagers	L 78-143
4	vs Montreal Olympiques	W 99-95
5	at Washington Sentinels	W 88-87
6	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 96-91
7	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 118-104
8	at Quebec Armada	L 107-124
9	—BYE—	—
10	vs Chicago Hitmen	W 117-82
11	at Boston Colonials	L 70-79
12	at Montreal Olympiques	L 104-111
13	vs Milwaukee Lagers	W 99-51
14	vs New York Guardians	W 116-98
15	at Detroit Motorheads	L 115-129
16	at St. Louis Archers	W 163-101
17	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 103-142
18	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 92-117
19	vs Washington Sentinels	L 99-136
20	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 112-120
21	vs Hamilton Steelcats	L 93-100
22	at Atlanta Arsenal	L 102-109

4TH • SOUTHEAST

POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Quebec Armada	W 105-103
24	Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 132-137
25	Quebec Armada	W 94-86

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	1-0	Aviators	0-0
Armada	2-1	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	1-1	Cavalry	0-0
Blue Crabs	1-2	Gators	0-0
Colonials	0-1	Hellcats	0-0
Guardians	1-0	Huskies	0-0
Hitmen	1-0	Kodiaks	0-0
Lagers	1-1	Lumberjacks	0-0
Mammoths	0-1	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	0-1	Pioneers	0-0
Nighthawks	0-2	Renegades	0-0
Olympiques	1-1	Scorpions	0-0
Sentinels	1-1	Sharpshooters	0-0
Steelcats	0-1	Wave	0-0
		Winterhawks	0-0

Late Decline Thwarts Playoffs

From a solid start to an unfortunate finish, the **Tampa Bay Barracudas** proved a mediocre team even with the head of the league at the helm.

"The Barracudas mostly stuck around .500 until the later part of the season when the wheels came off the wagon," said Barracudas GM and IceHL commissioner Chris Smith.

"My biggest downfall was probably my attachment to my roster and to certain players I liked," Smith said, "sometimes without regard to their stats."

The Barracudas came off their second bye with a victory that improved them to 5-3, but back-to-back losses wiped out

the winning record very quickly.

Following an impressive win over the 2nd-place Archers in Week 16, Tampa Bay put up six consecutive losses which spelled the end of the team's season and extinguished any postseason hopes.

Led by their top 2 draft picks, Dan Boyle and Martin St. Louis, the Barracudas saw four players break 200 points. Blue liners Ladislav Smid and Jason Garrison were tops among the club's free agent acquisitions.

The Barracudas led the league with 43% of their points coming from defencemen—a crown they shared with the league champion. —*Jack Aaronsen*

ICEHL EAST

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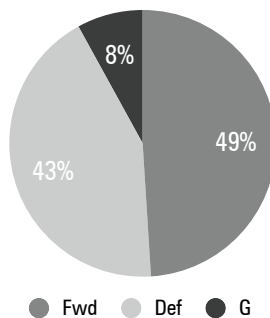
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
6	F	Martin St. Louis
25	D	Dan Boyle
36	F	Vincent Lecavalier
55	G	Jonathan Quick
66	D	Victor Hedman
85	D	Kevin Biekša
96	F	Alex Burrows
115	F	Ryan Shannon
126	D	Ryan Suter
145	F	Stephen Weiss
156	F	Patrik Berglund
175	D	John Carlson
186	G	Jose Theodore
205	D	Pavel Kubina
216	F	Mike Knuble
235	F	Vinny Prospal

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
25	D	Dan Boyle	248	3.1	1-25
6	F	Martin St. Louis	224	2.9	1-25
126	D	Ryan Suter	221	2.8	1-25
145	F	Stephen Weiss	212	2.8	1-25
96	F	Alex Burrows	183	2.4	1-25
—	D	Ladislav Smid	177	2.7	3-25
—	D	Jason Garrison	176	2.7	4-25
36	F	Vincent Lecavalier	166	2.6	1-25
235	F	Vinny Prospal	154	2.0	1-25
—	F	Ryan Malone	140	2.5	3-25
55	G	Jonathan Quick	140	2.7	1-25
—	F	Derek Stepan	127	2.1	6-25
205	D	Pavel Kubina	119	2.2	1-8, 12-25
—	D	Brad Stuart	102	1.9	8-25
186	G	Jose Theodore	73	1.9	1-25
—	F	Dainius Zubrus	33	1.2	17-25
66	D	Victor Hedman	66	2.2	1-12
—	F	Chris Kelly	36	1.4	9-17
85	D	Kevin Biekša	20	2.2	1-3
156	F	Patrik Berglund	19	1.2	1-5
149	F	Patric Hornqvist	15	1.2	4-9
216	F	Mike Knuble	12	1.3	1-4
—	D	Bryan Allen	10	2.0	2-4
115	F	Ryan Shannon	10	2.0	1-2
175	D	John Carlson	10	2.5	1-2

BREAKDOWN



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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

NORTHEAST DIVISION

Quebec City, Quebec

NAME NOMINATED BY

Burzum

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Quebec Celtics, Quebec Ice,
Quebec Voyageurs, Quebec City Sailors

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/15/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/11/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/18/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/26/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 10/29/2011

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 12/09/2011

MANAGEMENT

Curtis Lanton (2010—)



Underperformers Sink Team

There's really only one way to describe the kind of the season the **Quebec Armada** had in 2011-12. Truthfully.

"My team sucked this year," said Armada GM Curtis Lanton who finished the season at 7-13 with just two of his original 16 draft picks still on the roster.

Some unlucky match-ups, paired up with underperforming players, yielded a less-than-ideal season for Quebec.

Things looked promising on draft day for the Armada, even though Lanton was one of several GMs unable to attend.

Then in an opening week trade, high picks Pekka Rinne and Nicklas Lidstrom were dealt to the Arsenal in exchange for

Henrik Lundqvist and Dustin Byfuglien.

The newcomers were excellent performers for the Armada from the start, but it was a surprising pair of undrafted defensemen that lead the team in points.

Blueliners Dennis Wideman and Ryan McDonagh were among the league's top performers, each averaging more than three points per game and 200 total.

The tandem of Lundqvist and Tim Thomas gave the Armada the highest percentage of goalie points in the league.

With such solid stats, it was surprising the team didn't fare better this season. But no one will be a surprised if they're a contender next season. —C.S.

3 STARS



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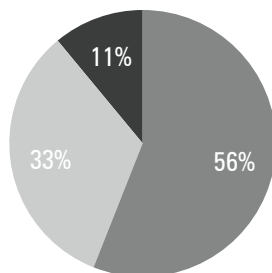
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
2	F	Daniel Sedin
29	G	Tim Thomas
32	G	Pekka Rinne
59	F	Danny Briere
62	D	Nicklas Lidstrom
89	F	Derek Roy
92	F	Devin Setoguchi
119	D	Ryan Whitney
122	F	Alex Tanguay
149	F	Patric Hornqvist
152	F	Ales Hensky
179	F	Brayden Schenn
182	F	Martin Erat
209	F	Frans Nielsen
212	D	Bryan McCabe
239	D	Kurtis Foster

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
—	D	Dennis Wideman	245	3.0	1-25
—	D	Ryan McDonagh	229	3.1	3-25
2	F	Daniel Sedin	196	2.8	1-25
10	D	Dustin Byfuglien ⇄	183	2.9	1-25
21	G	Henrik Lundqvist ⇄	182	3.5	1-25
—	F	Erik Cole	171	2.9	7-25
192	F	Justin Williams	112	2.7	13-25
29	G	Tim Thomas	98	3.1	1-25
—	F	Pascal Dupuis	71	3.6	19-25
—	F	David Clarkson	58	2.1	16-25
—	F	Sam Gagner	32	1.3	17-25
—	F	Jiri Hudler	31	1.7	13-19,24-25
—	F	Ryan Smyth	28	1.1	17-25
—	F	Jamie McGinn	16	2.3	22-25
146	F	R.J. Umberger	10	3.3	25
170	D	Dennis Seidenberg	2	0.7	25
59	F	Danny Briere	128	2.0	1-25
—	D	Kyle Quincey	119	2.0	3-25
89	F	Derek Roy	83	2.0	1-15
—	F	Mikhail Grabovski	82	2.3	14-24
187	F	Brooks Laich	69	2.6	9-16
92	F	Devin Setoguchi	58	1.9	1-14
111	F	Gabriel Landeskog	54	2.0	1-9, 17
122	F	Alex Tanguay	51	2.0	1-11
—	D	Andrej Meszaros	41	2.1	12-17

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇄ Player moved via trade.

12TH OVERALL

7-13

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at New York Guardians	L 97-142
2	at Minnesota Mammoths	L 106-122
3	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 68-85
4	vs Milwaukee Lagers	W 115-77
5	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	L 106-118
6	vs Montreal Olympiques	W 108-86
7	vs St. Louis Archers	L 88-89
8	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 124-107
9	—BYE—	—
10	vs Washington Sentinels	L 70-130
11	at Hamilton Steelcats	L 82-133
12	vs Chicago Hitmen	L 97-108
13	vs New York Guardians	L 116-133
14	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 108-114
15	—BYE—	—
16	at Detroit Motorheads	W 172-141
17	vs Hamilton Steelcats	W 137-134
18	vs Boston Colonials	L 83-86
19	at Montreal Olympiques	L 102-111
20	at Atlanta Arsenal	W 95-84
21	at Milwaukee Lagers	W 111-83
22	at Boston Colonials	L 102-138

5TH • NORTHEAST

POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 103-105
24	Atlanta Arsenal	W 108-82
25	Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 86-94

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	1-1	Aviators	0-1
Arsenal	2-0	Beasts	0-0
Barracudas	1-2	Cavalry	0-1
Blue Crabs	0-1	Gators	0-0
Colonials	1-2	Hellcats	0-1
Guardians	0-2	Huskies	0-1
Hitmen	1-1	Kodiaks	0-1
Lagers	3-0	Lumberjacks	1-0
Mammoths	0-1	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	1-0	Pioneers	0-1
Nighthawks	0-2	Renegades	1-0
Olympiques	2-1	Scorpions	1-1
Sentinels	3-1	Sharpshooters	1-0
Steelcats	2-1	Wave	1-0
		Winterhawks	1-0

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GENERAL MANAGER
Ted Enarson

LOGO DESIGNER
Joshua Frederick

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Matt Madore



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

CENTRAL DIVISION

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

NAME NOMINATED BY

Michael Ewalt (lp02)

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Milwaukee Foxes, Milwaukee Frost, Milwaukee Malts, Wisconsin Warriors

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/27/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/18/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/28/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 12/17/2011

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 03/03/2012

MANAGEMENT

Robby Ciarrocca (2010–2011)

David Streeter (2011–2012)

Ted Enarson (2012—)



13TH OVERALL

7-13

ICEHL EAST

Stagnant Roster Falls Flat

For a franchise with major talent and a 5-2 record to start, the decline of the Milwaukee Lagers was unexpected even if the cause was clear in the end.

"I wish I had put more time into roster maintenance this season," said Lagers GM David Streeeter, before stepping down after his first season.

Despite being a draft day absentee, Streeeter made up for critical lack in goaltending with the pre-season pick-ups of Semyon Varlamov and Mike Smith. But the Lagers utilized only 17 players over the course of the season—the fewest of any IceHL EAST team.

With most teams, the roster is con-

stantly evolving throughout the year as general managers attempt to assemble a perfect team. But the Lagers made just one move after the season began and notched only two wins after Week 7.

James Neal, Scott Hartnell, Kevin Shattenkirk and Brad Richards each broke the 200-point mark while high draft picks Anze Kopitar and Rick Nash failed to impress for Milwaukee.

In Week 17, the Lagers broke a seven-game losing streak which included the game with the league's widest margin of defeat—a 122-37 loss to the Mammoths.

The Lagers will return in 2012 with their third GM in as many years. —C.S.

3 STARS



NEAL RICHARDS LETANG

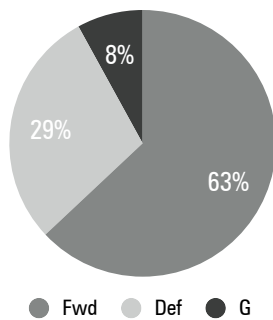
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
13	F	Anze Kopitar
18	F	Brad Richards
43	D	Kris Letang
48	F	Rick Nash
73	F	Mikko Koivu
78	F	David Krejci
103	F	Scott Hartnell
108	F	James Neal
133	F	Teddy Purcell
138	F	Brad Boyes
163	F	Blake Wheeler
168	F	Chris Kunitz
193	D	Kevin Shattenkirk
198	D	Dmitry Kulikov
223	G	Al Montoya
228	D	Andy Greene

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
108	F	James Neal	238	3.2	1-25
103	F	Scott Hartnell	217	2.9	1-25
193	D	Kevin Shattenkirk	207	2.6	1-25
18	F	Brad Richards	201	3.0	1-25
43	D	Kris Letang	192	3.8	1-25
168	F	Chris Kunitz	171	2.4	1-25
13	F	Anze Kopitar	148	2.9	1-25
198	D	Dmitry Kulikov	138	2.4	1-25
163	F	Blake Wheeler	132	2.2	1-25
228	D	Andy Greene	129	2.3	1-25
—	G	Semyon Varlamov	101	2.5	1-25
48	F	Rick Nash	99	2.4	1-25
73	F	Mikko Koivu	99	2.3	1-25
—	F	Martin Hanzal	83	1.5	3-25
—	G	Mike Smith	75	2.6	1-25
138	F	Brad Boyes	45	1.0	1-25
78	F	David Krejci	3	1.0	1-3
223	G	Al Montoya	0	0.0	—
133	F	Teddy Purcell	0	0.0	—

BREAKDOWN



UNLUCKY NO. 7

In two IceHL seasons, the Lagers have yet to earn more than seven wins. In 2010-11, Milwaukee finished with a record of 7-12.



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REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Minnesota Mammoths	W 143-124
2	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 79-70
3	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 143-78
4	at Quebec Armada	L 77-115
5	at St. Louis Archers	L 95-97
6	at Chicago Hitmen	W 93-90
7	vs Montreal Olympiques	W 109-100
8	vs St. Louis Archers	L 110-118
9	—BYE—	—
10	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 67-124
11	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 37-122
12	vs Hamilton Steelcats	L 63-102
13	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 51-99
14	at Detroit Motorheads	L 66-99
15	—BYE—	—
16	vs Washington Sentinels	L 69-164
17	vs Chicago Hitmen	W 106-100
18	vs Detroit Motorheads	L 80-106
19	at Boston Colonials	L 109-125
20	at New York Guardians	W 99-93
21	vs Quebec Armada	L 83-111
22	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 99-136

4TH • CENTRAL

POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Chicago Hitmen	L 98-132
24	—BYE—	—
25	Chicago Hitmen	W 90-43

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	0-3	Aviators	0-1
Armada	0-3	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	1-0	Cavalry	0-1
Barracudas	1-1	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	0-1	Hellcats	0-1
Colonials	0-2	Huskies	0-1
Guardians	1-0	Kodiaks	1-0
Hitmen	4-1	Lumberjacks	1-0
Mammoths	1-1	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	0-2	Pioneers	1-0
Nighthawks	0-1	Renegades	0-1
Olympiques	3-1	Scorpions	0-1
Sentinels	1-2	Sharpshooters	0-1
Steelcats	0-2	Wave	0-1
		Winterhawks	1-0



GENERAL MANAGER
Jason Usher

LOGO DESIGNER
Scott Robbins

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Brendan Nashman



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL LEAST

CENTRAL DIVISION

Chicago, Illinois

NAME NOMINATED BY
BK

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
Chicago Blizzard, Chicago Butchers,
Chicago Gale, Illinois Lions

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 09/27/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 11/03/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 09/15/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 01/04/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 03/03/2012

MANAGEMENT

Jason Martineau (2010–2011)
 Joey Langdon (2011)
 Jason Usher (2012—)



Shake-Up Produces Promise

It was not a good year for the **Chicago Hitmen**. And after a 0-10 start, a major shake-up was perhaps the only reason the team avoided a last place finish.

The losses piled up in the early going until the Hitmen had played half their season without a single victory. With the playoffs all but out of reach, a change was made to the floundering franchise.

General manager Joey Langdon was relieved of duty at the end of Week 10.

His successor, Jason Usher, recognized the position he was in. A winning record was impossible. But he took over and made some immediate improvements.

The Hitmen quickly added Michael

Ryder, Tomas Vokoun and brought back Ian White to solidify a roster headlined by Henrik Zetterberg and David Backes.

If their winless record wasn't enough, the revitalized Hitmen first had to face the only IceHL EAST team without a loss.

"I almost took down the undefeated Nighthawks," Usher said proudly. Even with a 90-87 loss, the new Hitmen were already stronger out of the gate.

That performance was followed up by back-to-back wins—the first all season.

Only one more win came before the season ended. But with dedicated new management, the 2012-13 season looks much more promising in Chicago. —C.S.

ICEHL EAST

14TH OVERALL

3-17

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Detroit Motorheads	L 104-166
2	vs Boston Colonials	L 79-102
3	at Washington Sentinels	L 43-97
4	at Hamilton Steelcats	L 70-83
5	vs New York Guardians	L 57-94
6	vs Milwaukee Lagers	L 90-93
7	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 99-104
8	at Detroit Motorheads	L 65-87
9	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 75-100
10	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 82-117
11	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	L 87-90
12	at Quebec Armada	W 108-97
13	—BYE—	—
14	at St. Louis Archers	W 104-87
15	at New York Guardians	L 109-123
16	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 136-156
17	at Milwaukee Lagers	L 100-106
18	vs Atlanta Arsenal	W 112-98
19	at Minnesota Mammoths	L 109-129
20	—BYE—	—
21	vs Montreal Olympiques	L 125-132
22	vs St. Louis Archers	L 79-110

5TH • CENTRAL

POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Milwaukee Lagers	W 132-98
24	Hamilton Steelcats	L 96-146
25	Milwaukee Lagers	L 43-90

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	1-2	Aviators	0-1
Armada	1-1	Beasts	0-0
Arsenal	1-0	Cavalry	1-1
Barracudas	0-1	Gators	0-0
Blue Crabs	0-1	Hellcats	0-1
Colonials	1-1	Huskies	0-1
Guardians	0-2	Kodiaks	1-0
Lagers	1-4	Lumberjacks	0-1
Mammoths	0-2	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	0-2	Pioneers	1-0
Nighthawks	0-2	Renegades	1-1
Olympiques	0-2	Scorpions	0-1
Sentinels	0-2	Sharpshooters	1-0
Steelcats	1-2	Wave	0-1
		Winterhawks	1-1

3 STARS



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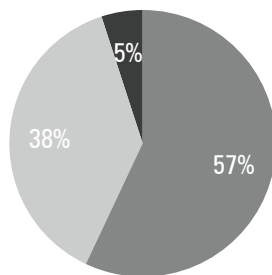
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
14	G	Roberto Luongo
17	F	Jonathan Toews
44	F	David Backes
47	F	Alexander Semin
74	F	Andy McDonald
77	F	Marian Hossa
104	F	Martin Havlat
107	F	Dustin Penner
134	F	Travis Zajac
137	F	Mikael Samuelsson
164	F	Todd Bertuzzi
167	D	Ian White
194	D	Marc Staal
197	F	R. Nugent-Hopkins
224	D	Tom Gilbert
227	D	Travis Hamonic

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
44	F	David Backes	224	2.7	1-25
30	F	Henrik Zetterberg ⇄	171	2.6	5-25
197	F	R. Nugent-Hopkins	163	2.6	1-25
90	D	Sergei Gonchar ⇄	137	2.8	5-25
—	F	Michael Ryder	135	2.9	12-25
—	F	P.A. Parenteau	121	2.5	11-25
167	D	Ian White	118	2.0	1-5, 11-25
81	F	Tomas Plekanec	78	2.5	16-25
—	D	Carl Gunnarsson	77	2.3	14-25
187	F	Brooks Laich	49	2.5	18-19, 21-25
28	G	Tomas Vokoun	43	2.5	12-25
147	F	Tim Connolly	27	2.1	21-25
—	D	Chris Phillips	17	1.9	23-25
—	D	Barret Jackman	10	1.7	24-25
—	D	Jan Hejda	7	2.3	24-25
—	G	Jonas Gustavsson	3	1.0	21-25
202	D	Jay Bouwmeester	102	2.4	11-24
227	D	Travis Hamonic	81	2.8	1-10
225	F	Jordan Staal ⇄	76	2.2	1-14
—	D	Mark Stuart	72	3.8	3-10
78	F	David Krejci	62	2.3	10-19
195	D	Joe Corvo ⇄	49	1.7	1-14
—	D	Trevor Daley	46	1.8	16-24
47	F	Alexander Semin	43	1.4	1-11
164	F	Todd Bertuzzi	41	1.6	1-10

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇄ Player moved via trade.



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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

SOUTHEAST DIVISION

Atlanta, Georgia

NAME NOMINATED BY
sean12445

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
Atlanta Arrowheads, Atlanta Burn,
Atlanta Chiefs, Georgia Grinders

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/21/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/26/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 11/16/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 09/10/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 04/09/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/30/2012

MANAGEMENT

Eric Thompson (2011–2012)
Brandon Hebert (2012—)



Smart Trades Overshadowed

The Atlanta Arsenal may have finished their season with the same dreadful record as the Hitmen, but by no means did they arrive the same way.

"I was on vacation for draft day and ended up with a mediocre team," said Arsenal GM Eric Thompson. "That [was] the biggest mistake I made all year."

To counter what he felt was a disappointing draft, Thompson quickly demonstrated his trade prowess with three blockbuster deals before the first puck of the season was ever dropped.

The Arsenal sent their top two draft choices in Dustin Byfuglien and Henrik Lundqvist to the Armada in exchange for

Pekka Rinne and Nicklas Lidstrom.

They also flipped Matt Carle for Brent Burns, who led the team in scoring. Seven of the team's 16-man roster were acquired via trade—a league record. Only three original draftees remained.

Sadly, the trades couldn't keep the Arsenal out of last place in the IceHL EAST. The only bright spot in their 0-9 start was finishing within one point of the unbeaten Nighthawks in Week 8.

Their three wins bookended a pair of four-game losing streaks in the second half of the regular season.

Still, the Arsenal look ahead to 2012-13 with an excellent crop of talent. —C.S.

15TH OVERALL

3-17

ICEHL EAST

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Baltimore Blue Crabs	L 111-152
2	at Milwaukee Lagers	L 70-79
3	vs Minnesota Mammoths	L 92-144
4	—BYE—	—
5	vs Boston Colonials	L 81-103
6	at Tampa Bay Barracudas	L 91-96
7	vs Washington Sentinels	L 75-135
8	vs North Carolina Nighthawks	L 76-77
9	vs St. Louis Archers	L 92-107
10	vs Detroit Motorheads	L 92-107
11	at New York Guardians	W 106-82
12	—BYE—	—
13	at North Carolina Nighthawks	L 86-139
14	at Minnesota Mammoths	L 81-132
15	at Montreal Olympiques	L 77-92
16	vs Hamilton Steelcats	L 126-134
17	at Baltimore Blue Crabs	W 100-99
18	at Chicago Hitmen	L 98-112
19	at Hamilton Steelcats	L 107-108
20	vs Quebec Armada	L 84-95
21	at Washington Sentinels	L 99-112
22	vs Tampa Bay Barracudas	W 109-102

5TH • SOUTHEAST

POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	—BYE—	—
24	Quebec Armada	L 82-108
25	—BYE—	—

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

EAST OPPONENTS		WEST OPPONENTS	
Archers	0-1	Aviators	0-0
Armada	0-2	Beasts	0-0
Barracudas	1-1	Cavalry	0-0
Blue Crabs	1-1	Gators	0-0
Colonials	0-1	Hellcats	0-0
Guardians	1-0	Huskies	0-0
Hitmen	0-1	Kodiaks	0-0
Lagers	0-1	Lumberjacks	0-0
Mammoths	0-2	Outlaws	0-0
Motorheads	0-1	Pioneers	0-0
Nighthawks	0-2	Renegades	0-0
Olympiques	0-1	Scorpions	0-0
Sentinels	0-2	Sharpshooters	0-0
Steelcats	0-2	Wave	0-0
		Winterhawks	0-0

3 STARS



BURNS

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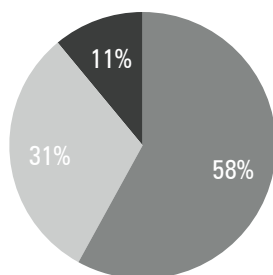
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
10	D	Dustin Byfuglien
21	G	Henrik Lundqvist
40	F	Jeff Carter
51	F	Patrick Marleau
70	D	Andrei Markov
81	F	Tomas Plekanec
100	G	Martin Brodeur
111	F	Gabriel Landeskog
130	F	Dustin Brown
141	F	Jordan Eberle
160	F	Steve Downie
171	F	Brian Gionta
190	F	Tomas Fleischmann
201	F	Kristian Huselius
220	D	Jamie McBain
231	D	Fedor Tyutin

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
71	D	Brent Burns	210	2.6	1-25
32	G	Pekka Rinne	205	3.3	1-25
51	F	Patrick Marleau	196	2.6	1-25
136	F	Daniel Alfredsson	173	2.5	1-25
190	F	Tomas Fleischmann	168	2.5	1-25
62	D	Nicklas Lidstrom	158	2.3	1-25
191	F	Olli Jokinen	147	2.4	4-25
110	F	Shane Doan	146	2.1	1-25
127	D	Cam Fowler	140	2.0	3-25
—	F	David Legwand	106	1.8	6-25
—	F	Matt Cooke	87	1.8	7-25
40	F	Jeff Carter	74	1.7	1-25
—	D	Hal Gill	63	2.0	16-25
206	F	Danny Cleary	59	1.4	10-25
101	D	Tomas Kaberle	54	2.3	16-25
204	G	Ondrej Pavelec	48	2.7	3-25
—	F	Andrew Brunette	53	1.4	1-16
—	F	Jiri Hudler	40	2.4	4-10
208	D	M-A Bergeron	39	3.5	1-4
153	D	Marek Zidlicky	37	1.7	4-16
112	F	Ville Leino	15	1.1	2-7
141	F	Jordan Eberle	13	1.9	1-2
81	F	Tomas Plekanec	9	4.5	1-2
146	F	R.J. Umberger	8	1.6	3-4
—	F	Sam Gagner	7	0.7	3-6

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇔ Player moved via trade.



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REGULAR SEASON FINAL STANDINGS

TEAMS	REC	G	A	PPG	SHG	GWG	HAT	BLK	W	SO	PF	PA
1 California Wave	17-3	281	413	83	6	51	7	1206	44	7	2676	2099
2 Winnipeg Winterhawks	14-6	231	448	75	6	48	2	882	28	5	2285	2052
3 Salt Lake City Scorpions	14-6	271	438	77	10	49	3	813	52	6	2444	2147
4 Edmonton Kodiaks	13-7	213	473	72	8	36	3	992	40	5	2373	2125
5 Alaska Huskies	12-8	237	371	49	5	25	2	1104	39	6	2241	2226
6 Boulder Beasts	12-8	275	383	65	7	48	5	977	53	13	2387	2354
7 New Orleans Gators	11-9	209	397	62	4	37	2	994	66	9	2394	2122
8 Saskatoon Sharpshooters	9-11	214	354	59	4	34	3	893	41	6	2122	2292
9 Calgary Cavalry	9-11	227	339	47	8	43	0	1047	48	8	2321	2310
10 Houston Hellcats	8-12	206	382	66	2	37	2	665	39	7	2012	2172
11 Regina Renegades	7-13	180	320	41	3	38	1	897	54	5	1970	2124
12 Vancouver Lumberjacks	7-13	205	356	69	2	32	6	716	45	6	1975	2326
13 Portland Pioneers	6-14	218	378	55	3	33	1	798	42	6	2089	2327
14 Seattle Aviators	6-14	199	413	51	8	33	0	742	39	6	2046	2353
15 Dallas Outlaws	5-15	242	352	51	10	34	3	892	22	2	2061	2367

Stat categories: G-goals; A-assists; PPG-power-play goals; SHG-short-handed goals; GWG-game-winning goals; HAT-hat tricks; BLK-blocked shots; W-goalie wins; SO-shutouts; PF-total points for; PA-total points against.

NO BIG DEAL

Trades. They're part of what keep fantasy hockey fantastical. Imagining the kinds of blockbuster deals one might do as a big-league GM is what drives some to join leagues like this.

And yet, things were mostly quiet on the trade front this season in the IceHL WEST, with a mere five deals getting done all season long.

But at the center of most of them was California Wave GM Jon Wold.

The league's first trade came during Week 6, when the Wave sent Ryan Kesler and Andrew MacDonald to the Cavalry for Mark Streit and Henrik Zetterberg.

Kesler was the only piece of that trade that stayed put. MacDonald was dropped by Calgary four weeks later then reacquired by California.

The Wave later released Streit and sent Zetterberg to the Gators with Joe Thornton for Ilya Kovalchuk and Mikko Koivu in Week 13.

The closest thing to a blockbuster came just after Christmas in Week 12 and once again involved Wold. In a 3-for-2 deal, the Wave acquired Antti Niemi and Scott Hartnell from the Hellcats for Cam Ward, Loui Eriksson and Alexander Semin.

In Week 17, the Kodiaks added Nicklas Backstrom and Eric Staal from the Sharpshooters in exchange for Tomas Plekanec and Dany Heatley, who went on to pick up only three points in nine weeks for Saskatoon.

The following week, just before the trade deadline, came the season's last player swap and involved the Kodiaks and their provincial rival once more.

Edmonton sent Kris Versteeg and Ilya Bryzgalov to the Cavalry for Tim Thomas and Radim Vrbata.

These trades do not always have a clear winner, but it is always tough convincing a fellow GM to relinquish talented players. —Chris Smith



MEMORABLE TWEETS

This is easily the most into a fantasy hockey league that I've ever been @theIceHL #Playoffice

@NOLAGators

Ugh, down 68 points to @CaliforniaWave heading into the weekend. I need at least a hat trick from all forwards, on the PP #itcanhappenright?

@DALOutlawsIceHL

There's a phrase "To be the man, you've got to beat the man." The Wave face the Alaska Huskies, defending #IceHL champions, this week.

@CaliforniaWave

#boulderbeastmode A little #IceHL pun!

@Ed_Kodiaks

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1 Alex Ovechkin	Ala
2 Daniel Sedin	Ssk
3 Sidney Crosby	Wpg
4 Steven Stamkos	Cal
5 Henrik Sedin	Edm
6 Pavel Datsyuk	Hst
7 Corey Perry	SLC
8 Martin St. Louis	Van
9 Jonathan Toews	Cgy
10 Evgeni Malkin	Bld
11 Anze Kopitar	Sea
12 Zach Parise	Dal
13 Roberto Luongo	Por
14 Henrik Lundqvist	NO
15 Ryan Miller	Reg

Did not attend 9/25 live draft: Houston (all others in attendance)

TOP SCORERS

336 Evgeni Malkin	Bld
329 Steven Stamkos	Cgy
279 Niklas Kronwall	NO
274 Claude Giroux	NO
273 Shea Weber	Dal
268 Josh Gorges	Cal
262 Logan Couture	Wpg
261 Alexander Edler	Edm
257 Marian Gaborik	SLC
254 Alex Pietrangelo	Van
253 Dan Girardi	Ala
253 Erik Karlsson	Wpg
251 F. Beauchemin	Ssk
250 Brent Seabrook	Bld
249 Dan Boyle	Ssk
248 Joe Pavelski	Bld

DIVISIONAL ALIGNMENT

The IceHL WEST looked a little different before the 2012 expansion and realignment.

North	Pacific	South
Calgary	Alaska	Boulder
Edmonton	California	Dallas
Regina	Portland	Houston
Saskatoon	Seattle	New Orleans
Winnipeg	Vancouver	Salt Lake City

ROSTER SETUP

16 total players (12 starters)

ACTIVE POSITIONS
6 forwards, 4 defensemen, 1 utility skater, 1 goalie

MAX POSITIONS
4 forwards per position (C/LW/RW), 6 defensemen, 2 goalies, 4 bench slots

SCORING SYSTEM

SKATER SCORING	
Goals	3
Assists	2
PP Goals	1
SH Goals	2
GW Goals	2
Hat Tricks	1
Blocked Shots	1
GOALTENDER SCORING	
Wins	5
Shutouts	3

The Top 10 players from each team averaged 182 total points in 2011-12.

LEAGUE NOTES

Waivers There was a limit of four player acquisitions per seven-day match-up.

Match-ups Most ran seven days except for opening week and NHL All-Star Weekend.

Schedule Each team played 20 matchups; 2 against division opponents (8), 1 against inter-division opponents (10), plus 2 extra interdivisional games.

WEEKLY HIGHS

Teams and players earning most points each week during regular season

Week 1 — Oct. 6–16 (11 days)

189: Boulder def. Vancouver (+42)
26: Kessel (Por)

Week 2 — Oct. 17–23 (7 days)

133: Boulder def. Seattle (+37)
24: Quick (Bld)

Week 3 — Oct. 24–30 (7 days)

168: California def. Saskatoon (+95)
26: Wisniewski (Reg)

Week 4 — Oct. 31–Nov. 6 (7 days)

136: Edmonton def. Boulder (+2)
19: Girardi (Ala)

Week 5 — Nov. 7–13 (7 days)

135: Saskatoon def. Dallas (+29)
25: Franzen (Hst)

Week 6 — Nov. 14–20 (7 days)

146: New Orleans def. Houston (+57)
22: Kronwall, Weiss (NO)

Week 7 — Nov. 21–27 (7 days)

162: Calgary def. Portland (+73)
23: Crosby (Wpg)

Week 8 — Nov. 28–Dec. 4 (7 days)

125: Portland, Salt Lake City (tie)
28: Moulson (Bld)

Week 9 — Dec. 5–11 (7 days)

157: Saskatoon def. Vancouver (+77)
21: Kesler (Cgy)

Week 10 — Dec. 12–18 (7 days)

126: Seattle def. Saskatoon (+20)
26: Stamkos (Cal)

Week 11 — Dec. 19–25 (7 days)

125: Calgary def. Portland (+9)
24: Marchand (Ssk)

Week 12 — Dec. 26–Jan. 1 (7 days)

130: Winnipeg def. New Orleans (+18)
29: Stamkos (Cal)

Week 13 — Jan. 2–8 (7 days)

149: Winnipeg def. Vancouver (+52)
26: Pietrangelo (Van)

Week 14 — Jan. 9–15 (7 days)

150: Dallas def. Boulder (+23)
26: Malkin (Bld)

Week 15 — Jan. 16–22 (7 days)

157: California def. Winnipeg (+21)
25: Beauchemin (Ssk)

Week 16 — Jan. 23–Feb. 5 (14 days)

203: California def. Por (+95) **RECORD**
31: Fisher (Cgy)

Week 17 — Feb. 6–12 (7 days)

181: Salt Lake City def. Houston (+52)
23: Callahan (Cal), Letang (SLC), Jokinen (NO)

Week 18 — Feb. 13–19 (7 days)

172: Salt Lake City def. Dallas (+62)
20: Spezza (Ala)

Week 19 — Feb. 20–26 (7 days)

179: Salt Lake City def. Boulder (+76)
34: Karlsson (Wpg) **RECORD**

Week 20 — Feb. 27–Mar. 4 (7 days)

135: New Orleans def. Alaska (+22)
23: Kronwall (NO)

Week 21 — Mar. 5–11 (7 days)

163: Calgary def. Seattle (+91)
22: Iginla (Por)

Week 22 — Mar. 12–18 (7 days)

140: California def. Seattle (+50)
21: Beauchemin (Ssk)

2012 PLAYOFF BRACKET



WINS VS. AVERAGE POINTS PER WEEK

California Wave GM Jon Wold contributed this graph which compares each team's weekly performance to its overall victories during the 2011-12 regular season.



THE PRESTIGE AWARDS

No hockey season is complete without a proper awards ceremony. Recognized foremost is the league champion, followed by the divisional winners. The league also honors exceptional general managers and teams that achieved unique goals during the 2011-12 IceHL WEST regular season.



BONUS AWARDS *Fantasy hockey is all about fun, so these awards serve as a good-natured jab at some unique management styles.*



TOP OF THE CLASS

For some, it's not good enough just to have played. Some want to be the best. Here we see the GMs, teams and players that left their mark on the season.

Along with their league championship banner, the **Boulder Beasts** earned four more awards in 2012, including prestigious, peer-voted Outstanding General Manager for Robert Brown.

Ahead of them were the **California Wave** with a phenomenal ten banners, including eight in various statistical and player categories.

Congratulations to these teams and to the five that didn't end up here on a great 2011-12 season!

2012 AWARDS



Taylor Award Team with most total fantasy points; named after designer of league logo, Ross Taylor

Outstanding General Manager Best overall GM, as chosen by peers

Fighter Award GM who best dealt with adversity, as chosen by peers

The Commissioner's Award Outstanding involvement by a GM, as chosen by commissioner

Revolving Door Award Most player transactions by a playoff team

Draft & Done Award Fewest player transactions by a playoff team

Futility Award Most player transactions by a non-playoff team

Vegetable Award Fewest player transactions by a non-playoff team

Mike Milbury Award Team with fewest total fantasy points

STATISTICAL AWARDS *You can't win if you don't put up the numbers. These awards recognize teams and individual players who led the IceHL in each statistical category for the 2011-12 season.*



PLAYER AWARDS *These awards recognize individual players who stood out among their peers. The highest-scoring forward, defenseman, goaltender and rookie, alongside the highest-scoring undrafted player, the **Unsung Hero**, as well as the highest-scoring player to contribute points in all skater statistical categories, the **All-Around Star**.*





GENERAL MANAGER
Robert Brown

LOGO DESIGNER
Shawn Steadman

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Patrik Gustafsson



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

SOUTH DIVISION

Denver, Colorado

NAME NOMINATED BY

a snowballs chance
as "The Beasts of Boulder"

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Colorado Chill, Denver Dreadnoughts,
Denver Dynamite, Denver Stallions

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/23/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/19/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 11/05/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/18/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 11/28/2011
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 02/12/2012

MANAGEMENT

Robert Brown (2011—)



1ST OVERALL

12-8

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 189-147
2	at Seattle Aviators	W 133-96
3	vs New Orleans Gators	W 129-112
4	at Edmonton Kodiaks	L 134-136
5	vs Houston Hellcats	W 120-104
6	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	W 126-124
7	at Alaska Huskies	L 109-118
8	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 104-76
9	vs Seattle Aviators	L 84-110
10	—BYE—	—
11	vs Regina Renegades	W 109-64
12	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	L 100-117
13	vs California Wave	L 105-142
14	at Dallas Outlaws	L 127-150
15	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 98-103
16	—BYE—	—
17	at Calgary Cavalry	W 142-130
18	at New Orleans Gators	W 112-106
19	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 103-179
20	at Houston Hellcats	W 94-87
21	at Portland Pioneers	W 147-142
22	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 122-111

2ND • SOUTH

POSTSEASON (#6)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#3 Salt Lake City Scorpions	W 139-117
24	#7 New Orleans Gators	W 156-124
25	#5 Alaska Huskies	W 121-109

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	1-1	Archers	0-0
Cavalry	1-0	Armada	0-0
Gators	3-0	Arsenal	0-0
Hellcats	2-0	Barracudas	0-0
Huskies	1-1	Blue Crabs	0-0
Kodiaks	0-2	Colonials	0-0
Lumberjacks	1-0	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	1-1	Hitmen	0-0
Pioneers	1-0	Lagers	0-0
Renegades	1-0	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	2-1	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	0-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-1	Olympiques	0-0
Winterhawks	1-0	Sentinels	0-0
		Steelcats	0-0

Rally Propels Playoff Upsets

It might not exactly be fair to call the **Boulder Beasts** a Cinderella story, but when a 6th-seeded team steals a championship, fairy tales often come to mind.

“Having Evgeni Malkin fall to me at No. 10 [overall] in the draft was huge,” said Beasts GM Robert Brown. “I don’t think it can be stressed enough how important [he] was to [our] success.”

Indeed, Malkin stole the show with a league-high 336 points. Six players, including Brent Seabrook and Joe Pavelski, supported that effort by amassing more than 200 points each.

Not to be outdone, goaltending duo Jonathan Quick and Mike Smith com-

bined for a league-leading 13 shutouts.

Boulder entered its first bye with an above-average 6-3 record. But failing to find more than one win in their next five games, the Colorado club suddenly found itself at a disappointing 7-7.

“It seemed [no matter who we played on a] particular week, they were having their *best week*,” said Brown. He called that the Beasts’ biggest challenge.

In the final stretch of the season, the Beasts solidified their place in the playoff hunt. Decisive victories, including a first-round upset, led them to their first IceHL WEST title over defending champion Alaska Huskies. —Chris Smith

3 STARS



SEABROOK

MALKIN

PAVELSKI

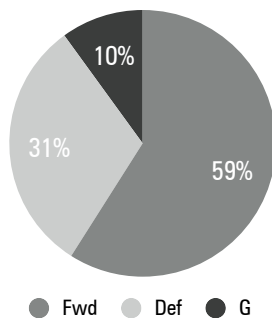
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
10	F	Evgeni Malkin
21	F	Mike Richards
40	G	Jonathan Quick
51	F	Jeff Skinner
70	F	Thomas Vanek
81	D	Brent Seabrook
100	F	Joe Pavelski
111	D	Kimmo Timonen
130	F	Jamie Benn
141	D	Roman Hamrlik
160	D	Jonathon Blum
171	G	Tuukka Rask
190	F	Max Pacioretty
201	D	Cody Franson
220	F	Matt Moulson
231	F	Bobby Butler

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
10	F	Evgeni Malkin	336	4.5	1-25
81	D	Brent Seabrook	250	3.2	1-25
100	F	Joe Pavelski	248	3.1	1-25
220	F	Matt Moulson	222	3.0	1-25
130	F	Jamie Benn	213	3.0	1-4, 6-25
111	D	Kimmo Timonen	209	3.0	1-25
190	F	Max Pacioretty	201	2.7	1-25
70	F	Thomas Vanek	188	2.5	1-25
40	G	Jonathan Quick	171	3.3	1-25
21	F	Mike Richards	146	2.1	1-25
51	F	Jeff Skinner	137	2.2	1-25
194	G	Mike Smith	130	3.3	4-25
—	D	Johnny Boychuk	52	2.3	18-25
204	D	O. Ekman-Larsson	20	1.8	17-18, 24-25
82	D	P.K. Subban	5	1.7	25
—	F	Jiri Hudler	3	1.5	25
160	D	Jonathon Blum	73	2.7	1-10
—	D	Eric Brewer	68	2.4	10-18
232	D	Zach Bogosian	58	2.8	10-18
—	D	Nick Leddy	44	1.5	3-12
—	F	David Clarkson	43	1.7	17-24
141	D	Roman Hamrlik	38	3.2	1-4
—	D	Jay Harrison	36	3.6	4-7
—	D	Slava Voynov	36	2.0	19-24
—	F	David Jones	35	1.7	1-9

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Justin Nahhas



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

PACIFIC DIVISION

Anchorage, Alaska

NAME NOMINATED BY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Alaska Aurora, Alaska Mystery,
Anchorage Axmen, Anchorage IceQuakes

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/21/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 09/21/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/18/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 03/11/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/09/2012

MANAGEMENT

Steve Sonricker (2010—)



2ND OVERALL

12-8

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at California Wave	W 120-118
2	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 120-119
3	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	L 102-128
4	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	W 120-78
5	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 112-83
6	at Portland Pioneers	L 94-105
7	vs Boulder Beasts	W 118-109
8	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	L 82-101
9	—BYE—	—
10	at Regina Renegades	W 114-84
11	vs California Wave	L 69-99
12	vs Houston Hellcats	W 112-72
13	at Edmonton Kodiaks	W 120-114
14	at Seattle Aviators	W 141-118
15	—BYE—	—
16	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 121-187
17	vs Portland Pioneers	W 136-124
18	vs Seattle Aviators	W 110-81
19	at Dallas Outlaws	W 118-90
20	at New Orleans Gators	L 113-135
21	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 110-162
22	at Calgary Cavalry	L 109-119

2ND • PACIFIC

POSTSEASON (#5)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#4 Edmonton Kodiaks	W 138-121
24	#1 California Wave	W 150-142
25	#6 Boulder Beasts	L 109-121

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	2-1	Archers	1-0
Beasts	1-1	Armada	1-0
Cavalry	1-1	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	0-1	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	2-1	Blue Crabs	0-0
Kodiaks	3-1	Colonials	1-0
Lumberjacks	2-1	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	1-0	Hitmen	1-0
Pioneers	2-1	Lagers	1-0
Renegades	2-0	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	2-1	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	2-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	3-1	Olympiques	1-0
Winterhawks	1-1	Sentinels	1-0
		Steelcats	2-0

Still Among Postseason Elite

Repeating a championship is never an easy task. And for the **Alaska Huskies**, it was a reachable goal that slipped right through their paws, so to speak.

“But a championship in year one and second place in year two is nothing to be disappointed about,” said Huskies GM Steve Sonricker.

As the No. 5 seed, Alaska entered the IceHL WEST playoffs as something of an underdog, but proved they belonged with upsets in the first two rounds, propelling them back to the championship.

But when it came time to reclaim their crown, the Huskies found themselves up against another dark horse

having an even better postseason.

“No [mistake] of mine was bigger than the No. 1 pick overall,” said Sonricker, who selected Alex Ovechkin over Steven Stamkos. “Had I made the right choice, the outcome of this season may have been very different.”

But despite some roster upheaval later in the season, the Huskies’ fantastic finish proved their place among the league’s elite clubs.

Dan Girardi, Jason Spezza and Ryan McDonagh were the Huskies top scorers alongside Ovechkin. But as the only players to top 200 points, things could’ve ended much worse for Alaska. —C.S.

3 STARS



SPEZZA

GIRARDI

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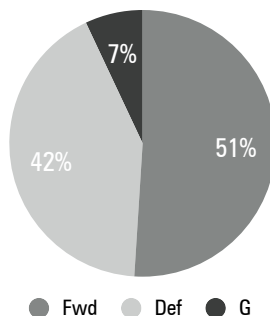
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
1	F	Alex Ovechkin
30	G	Tomas Vokoun
31	F	Bobby Ryan
60	G	Corey Crawford
61	F	Milan Lucic
90	F	Andrew Ladd
91	D	Dan Girardi
120	F	Jason Spezza
121	F	Paul Stastny
150	D	Erik Johnson
151	D	Sergei Gonchar
180	D	Ian White
181	F	Mikhail Grabovski
210	D	Ed Jovanovski
211	D	Jordan Leopold
240	F	Danny Cleary

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
91	D	Dan Girardi	253	3.1	1–25
120	F	Jason Spezza	240	3.0	1–25
—	D	Ryan McDonagh	233	3.1	3–25
1	F	Alex Ovechkin	229	2.9	1–25
61	F	Milan Lucic	183	2.3	1–25
31	F	Bobby Ryan	168	2.1	1–25
—	D	Mark Stuart	77	2.3	15–25
—	D	Eric Brewer	70	2.9	19–25
—	F	David Desharnais	36	2.3	20–25
—	F	Ryan Malone	31	3.9	24–25
200	D	Victor Hedman	18	4.5	24–25
—	F	David Perron	7	3.5	25
228	F	Frans Nielsen	6	2.0	24–25
72	G	Dwayne Roloson	5	5.0	24–25
—	D	Rostislav Klesla	4	2.0	25
—	G	Jose Theodore	0	0.0	23–25
121	F	Paul Stastny	178	2.4	1–24
151	D	Sergei Gonchar	174	2.6	1–25
180	D	Ian White	137	2.3	1–20
150	D	Erik Johnson	121	2.4	1–18
—	F	Chris Kelly	120	2.0	6–25
30	G	Tomas Vokoun	104	2.7	1–22
—	F	Maxime Talbot	86	1.8	4–20
90	F	Andrew Ladd	85	1.8	1–15
227	D	Fedor Tyutin	59	2.0	6–15

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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

PACIFIC DIVISION

Los Angeles, California

NAME NOMINATED BY

Reid Foose

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Anaheim Rage, California Gold Rush,
Long Beach Lizards, Los Angeles Flash,
Los Angeles Magic

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/07/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/21/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/12/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/29/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 03/03/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/09/2012

MANAGEMENT

Jon Wold (2010—)



One Call From Taking It All

It's rare to see any team display the dominance the **California Wave** did and still fail to top it off with a championship. But could a single roster decision have changed everything?

After entering the playoffs with the division title and league-record 15-game winning streak, the Wave suffered a second round upset at the hands of the IceHL's defending champion Huskies.

And yet, Wave GM Jon Wold couldn't help but ponder what might have been.

"I left Antti Niemi's 8-point shutout win on the bench," said Wold, "in favor of Jaroslav Halak's 0-point loss."

Perhaps those eight points could have

been the difference. Then, in their final matchup of the postseason, the Wave tallied 121 points—equal to the Beasts, who would go on to take the IceHL WEST championship that same week.

"The Wave would have had the tie-breaker," noted Wold.

But the idea that simply choosing the wrong goalie one night could've cost his team the league title doesn't leave Wold bitter. In fact, it only drives him more.

"In my mind, the California Wave were undoubtedly the best team in the IceHL this year," the GM said. "I'm not going to rest until I validate that with a championship next year." —C.S.

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GORGES

STAMKOS

POMINVILLE

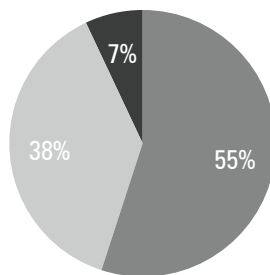
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
4	F	Steven Stamkos
27	F	Ryan Kesler
34	F	Patrick Marleau
57	F	Joe Thornton
64	G	Cam Ward
87	D	Brent Burns
94	D	Mark Giordano
117	F	Teemu Selanne
124	F	Loui Eriksson
147	D	John Carlson
154	F	Ryan Callahan
177	G	Niklas Backstrom
184	D	Anton Babchuk
207	F	Tuomo Ruutu
214	F	Jason Pominville
237	D	Stephane Robidas

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
4	F	Steven Stamkos	329	4.0	1-25
—	D	Josh Gorges	268	3.4	2-25
214	F	Jason Pominville	245	3.0	1-25
154	F	Ryan Callahan	244	3.4	1-25
34	F	Patrick Marleau	218	2.7	1-25
87	D	Brent Burns	209	2.6	1-25
117	F	Teemu Selanne	177	2.5	1-25
—	D	A. MacDonald ⇌	174	3.0	3-5, 11-25
17	F	Ilya Kovalchuk	144	3.5	13-25
115	F	Scott Hartnell ⇌	113	2.6	12-25
36	G	Antti Niemi ⇌	97	2.9	12-25
—	D	Zbynek Michalek	91	2.8	15-25
69	G	Jaroslav Halak	46	3.5	15-25
—	D	Willie Mitchell	10	5.0	25
148	F	R.J. Umberger	10	3.3	25
—	F	Josh Bailey	1	0.5	24-25
147	D	John Carlson	208	2.8	1-24
124	F	Loui Eriksson ⇌	91	2.8	1-12
57	F	Joe Thornton ⇌	89	2.3	1-13
48	D	Lubomir Visnovsky	76	2.4	10-19
94	D	Mark Giordano	75	3.3	1-8
52	D	Mark Streit ⇌	67	2.4	6-11, 12-15
39	F	Henrik Zetterberg ⇌	66	2.8	6-13
64	G	Cam Ward ⇌	58	2.0	1-12
177	G	Niklas Backstrom	40	2.2	1-15

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇌ Player moved via trade.

3RD OVERALL

17-3

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Alaska Huskies	L 118-120
2	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 109-123
3	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 168-73
4	at Dallas Outlaws	W 132-88
5	vs Seattle Aviators	W 119-112
6	—BYE—	—
7	vs New Orleans Gators	L 128-131
8	vs Regina Renegades	W 108-99
9	at Houston Hellcats	W 114-110
10	vs Calgary Cavalry	W 124-113
11	at Alaska Huskies	W 99-69
12	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 123-106
13	at Boulder Beasts	W 142-105
14	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 131-84
15	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 157-136
16	at Portland Pioneers	W 203-108
17	at Edmonton Kodiaks	W 144-102
18	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 157-121
19	vs Portland Pioneers	W 141-94
20	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 119-115
21	—BYE—	—
22	at Seattle Aviators	W 140-90

1ST • PACIFIC

POSTSEASON (#1)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#8 Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 141-69
24	#5 Alaska Huskies	L 142-150
25	New Orleans Gators	W 121-91

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	4-0	Archers	0-1
Beasts	1-0	Armada	0-1
Cavalry	2-0	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	1-1	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	2-0	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	1-3	Colonials	1-0
Kodiaks	1-1	Guardians	0-0
Lumberjacks	3-0	Hitmen	1-0
Outlaws	2-0	Lagers	1-0
Pioneers	3-0	Mammoths	0-0
Renegades	2-0	Motorheads	0-0
Scorpions	0-2	Nighthawks	0-0
Sharpshooters	3-2	Olympiques	1-0
Winterhawks	2-0	Sentinels	1-0
		Steelcats	0-2

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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

SOUTH DIVISION

New Orleans, Louisiana

NAME NOMINATED BY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Baton Rouge Boomers,
Louisiana Pelicans, New Orleans Magik,
Shreveport Buccaneers

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/21/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/19/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 10/23/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/21/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 12/03/2011
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 02/12/2012

MANAGEMENT

Tim Stoeckle (2011—)



Unique Strategy Proves Value

Upsets were the name of the game in the IceHL WEST playoffs and the **New Orleans Gators** were happy to help.

"The inaugural season for the New Orleans Gators didn't end in a championship," said Gators GM Tim Stoeckle. "But it was a success nonetheless."

A mediocre season landed the Gators the 7th playoff spot, placing them in position to defeat the 2nd-seeded Winterhawks in the first round.

However, the team would go no further after taking a 156-124 trouncing in the semifinals from the eventual champion Beasts—a division rival they lost to twice during the regular season.

The Gators' 2011-12 run was marked by constant player turnover and more free agent acquisitions than any other team in the league.

Under Stoeckle's leadership, the Gators employed an IceHL record 77 players over the course of the season, including 25 different goalies.

"The result," the GM said, "was a league-leading 66 goalie wins and third place in total points for."

Henrik Lundqvist alone notched 211 points for the Gators, who were led by Niklas Kronwall and Claude Giroux.

The club's strong finish proved the importance of a good strategy. —C.S.

4TH OVERALL

11-9

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 136-151
2	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 114-68
3	at Boulder Beasts	L 112-129
4	vs Regina Renegades	W 102-91
5	at Portland Pioneers	L 90-99
6	at Houston Hellcats	W 146-89
7	at California Wave	W 131-128
8	—BYE—	—
9	vs Calgary Cavalry	W 130-115
10	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 125-98
11	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 101-110
12	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 112-130
13	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 100-108
14	at Edmonton Kodiaks	L 83-98
15	vs Portland Pioneers	W 123-85
16	at Regina Renegades	W 162-104
17	vs Seattle Aviators	W 136-78
18	vs Boulder Beasts	L 106-112
19	—BYE—	—
20	vs Alaska Huskies	W 135-113
21	at Dallas Outlaws	L 133-134
22	vs Houston Hellcats	W 117-82

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POSTSEASON (#7)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#2 Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 128-117
24	#6 Boulder Beasts	L 124-156
25	California Wave	L 91-121

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	1-0	Archers	0-0
Beasts	0-3	Armada	0-0
Cavalry	1-0	Arsenal	0-0
Hellcats	2-0	Barracudas	0-0
Huskies	1-0	Blue Crabs	0-0
Kodiaks	0-1	Colonials	0-0
Lumberjacks	1-0	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	1-1	Hitmen	0-0
Pioneers	1-1	Lagers	0-0
Renegades	2-0	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	0-2	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	0-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	1-1	Olympiques	0-0
Winterhawks	1-1	Sentinels	0-0
		Steelcats	0-0

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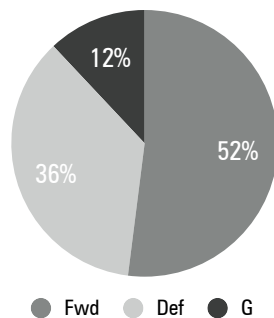
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
14	G	Henrik Lundqvist
17	F	Ilya Kovalchuk
44	D	Keith Yandle
47	F	Claude Giroux
74	D	Alex Goligoski
77	F	Mikko Koivu
104	F	Andy MacDonald
107	F	Dustin Penner
134	D	Niklas Kronwall
137	F	Brad Boyes
164	D	Joni Pitkanen
167	F	Stephen Weiss
194	G	Mike Smith
197	F	Antoine Vermette
224	F	Steve Downie
227	D	Fedor Tyutin

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
134	D	Niklas Kronwall	279	3.4	1-25
47	F	Claude Giroux	274	3.6	1-25
14	G	Henrik Lundqvist	211	3.5	1-25
167	F	Stephen Weiss	200	2.6	1-25
44	D	Keith Yandle	178	2.2	1-25
—	F	Erik Cole	144	2.8	10-25
172	D	Travis Hamonic	127	2.8	9-25
57	F	Joe Thornton ⇌	117	2.7	13-25
39	F	Henrik Zetterberg ⇌	109	2.6	13-25
56	D	Ryan Whitney	62	2.7	19-25
75	F	Derek Roy	44	2.2	19-25
—	D	Barret Jackman	17	1.9	22-25
—	D	Mike Weaver	9	1.1	23-25
121	F	Paul Stastny	7	3.5	25
236	F	Joffrey Lupul	0	0.0	25
—	G	Michal Neuvirth	0	0.0	25
185	F	Olli Jokinen	124	2.5	10-24
17	F	Ilya Kovalchuk ⇌	105	2.9	1-13
77	F	Mikko Koivu ⇌	94	2.5	1-13
—	F	Alexander Steen	78	2.4	1-18
—	D	Bryan Allen	69	2.1	1-12
164	D	Joni Pitkanen	46	2.9	1-6
—	D	Niklas Hjalmarsson	46	2.1	12-22
—	D	Toni Lydman	40	1.9	17-23
—	G	Jose Theodore	40	2.5	12,4-12,15-16

BREAKDOWN



⇌ Player moved via trade.



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UNIFORM DESIGNER
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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

NORTH DIVISION

Edmonton, Alberta

NAME NOMINATED BY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Alberta Highlanders, Edmonton Blades, Edmonton Energy, Edmonton Klondikes, Edmonton Wolverines

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/15/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/05/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/14/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 09/16/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 05/23/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 06/19/2012

MANAGEMENT

Ed Power (2010—)



5TH OVERALL

13-7

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Calgary Cavalry	W 185-106
2	—BYE—	—
3	at Alaska Huskies	W 128-102
4	vs Boulder Beasts	W 136-134
5	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 104-106
6	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 131-96
7	at Regina Renegades	L 91-129
8	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 108-125
9	—BYE—	—
10	vs Portland Pioneers	W 100-89
11	at Dallas Outlaws	W 107-79
12	at Boulder Beasts	W 117-100
13	vs Alaska Huskies	L 114-120
14	vs New Orleans Gators	W 98-83
15	at Seattle Aviators	W 114-106
16	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 190-114
17	vs California Wave	L 102-144
18	vs Regina Renegades	W 126-57
19	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 114-127
20	at Calgary Cavalry	W 122-104
21	vs Houston Hellcats	W 104-81
22	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 82-123

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POSTSEASON (#4)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#5 Alaska Huskies	L 121-138
24	Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 122-93
25	Salt City Scorpions	W 110-87

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	2-0	Archers	2-0
Beasts	2-0	Armada	1-0
Cavalry	3-0	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	1-0	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	3-0	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	1-3	Colonials	1-0
Lumberjacks	2-0	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	1-0	Hitmen	0-1
Pioneers	2-0	Lagers	0-1
Renegades	2-1	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	2-1	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	3-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	1-1	Olympiques	1-0
Winterhawks	1-2	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	1-1

Another Respectable Run

After kicking off the year with a huge victory over their provincial rival, the **Edmonton Kodiaks** fought to their second straight 5th-overall finish.

“Overall my team did well,” said Kodiaks GM Ed Power. “I had a core that I held onto pretty much all season long with a few slots being shuffled on a weekly basis.”

That core included 200-point earners Alexander Edler, Brian Campbell, Patrick Elias and Henrik Sedin.

“I learned quickly that blocked shots are very important,” said Power, who tapped into undrafted blue line talent in Ladislav Smid and Jay Harrison.

The Kodiaks’ biggest problem perhaps lied between the pipes as 2nd-round draft pick Ilya Bryzgalov was traded late in the season for Tim Thomas—who put up better numbers in the final weeks.

A trade in the previous week brought in Eric Staal, who tallied the club’s highest points-per-game average.

With just four losses in their final 13 games, the Kodiaks made a respectable run to the playoffs, where the Huskies handed them an early exit.

Despite that, the Kodiaks won their two consolation games to end the post-season. It shouldn’t surprise anyone to see them strong again in 2012-13. —C.S.

3 STARS



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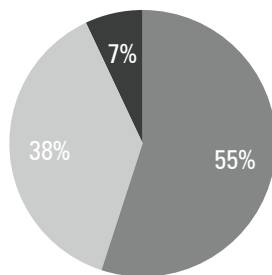
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
5	F	Henrik Sedin
26	G	Ilya Bryzgalov
35	F	Dany Heatley
56	D	Ryan Whitney
65	F	Vincent Lecavalier
86	D	Alexander Edler
95	F	Jaromir Jagr
116	D	Chris Pronger
125	F	Tomas Plekanec
146	F	Patrick Elias
155	D	Brian Campbell
176	F	Chris Kunitz
185	F	Olli Jokinen
206	G	Semyon Varlamov
215	D	Joe Corvo
236	F	Joffrey Lupul

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
86	D	Alexander Edler	261	3.2	1–25
155	D	Brian Campbell	229	2.8	1–25
146	F	Patrick Elias	221	2.8	1–25
5	F	Henrik Sedin	213	2.6	1–25
—	D	Ladislav Smid	165	2.5	1–25
65	F	Vincent Lecavalier	163	2.6	3–25
95	F	Jaromir Jagr	142	2.1	1–25
—	D	Jay Harrison	135	2.8	10–25
29	F	Eric Staal	⇒ 96	3.6	17–25
156	F	Teddy Purcell	60	2.9	19–25
22	G	Tim Thomas	⇒ 60	3.2	18–25
—	D	Nate Prosser	59	2.6	18–25
—	F	Radim Vrbata	⇒ 58	2.9	18–25
164	D	Joni Pitkanen	20	2.5	23–25
32	F	N. Backstrom	⇒ 7	1.8	17–25
122	G	Craig Anderson	5	2.5	23–25
236	F	Joffrey Lupul	199	3.0	22–25
—	F	Kris Versteeg	⇒ 132	2.6	2–18
35	F	Dany Heatley	⇒ 127	2.5	1–17
125	F	Tomas Plekanec	⇒ 124	2.6	1–17
26	G	Ilya Bryzgalov	⇒ 78	2.6	1–18
116	D	Chris Pronger	53	4.1	1–10
—	D	Greg Zanon	48	2.5	8, 16–22
—	D	Toni Lydman	32	2.7	6–9
185	F	Olli Jokinen	32	2.0	1–6

BREAKDOWN



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⇒ Player moved via trade.



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FRANCHISE HISTORY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
Salt Lake City Fog, Salt Lake Serpents,
Utah Hornets, Utah Extreme, Utah Union

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

- NAME SUBMITTED** 09/22/2008
- NAME ANNOUNCED** 10/19/2008
- LOGOS DESIGNED** 11/07/2008
- LOGOS UNVEILED** 08/25/2009
- UNIFORMS DESIGNED** .. 11/20/2011
- UNIFORMS UNVEILED** .. 02/12/2012

MANAGEMENT
Kyle Grossman (2010—)



6TH OVERALL

The Sting of a Broken Streak

The Salt Lake City Scorpions seemed poised to make a stand in the playoffs after tying for the IceHL WEST's second-best regular season record and claiming the South Division title.

The Scorpions entered their second bye week with a quiet 7-6 record.

"From there, we rattled off seven straight victories," said Scorpions GM Kyle Grossman, "thanks in part to free agent acquisitions Mark Streit, Jordan Staal and Alex Tanguay."

The Utah club's spectacular winning streak was stopped dead in its tracks by a quarterfinal playoff upset. Salt Lake was bested by the eventual champion

Beasts—a team the Scorpions had beaten by a stunning 76 points four weeks prior.

The Scorpions' strong second half was the fulfillment of a promising draft.

"I wanted to build a solid, balanced team," Grossman said. "I was very happy with my first three picks—Corey Perry, Dustin Byfuglien and Kris Letang."

Grossman also credited goalies Martin Brodeur and Kari Lehtonen as well as forward Marian Gaborik, who led the team in overall points.

The Scorpions' improvement over last season's 11th-place finish puts them in position for a solid 2012-13 campaign as Grossman returns to the helm. —C.S.

3 STARS



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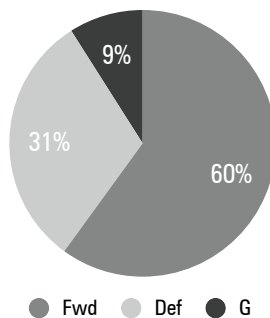
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
7	F	Corey Perry
24	D	Dustin Byfuglien
37	D	Kris Letang
54	F	Alexander Semin
67	F	Nathan Horton
84	G	Martin Brodeur
97	F	Marian Gaborik
114	G	Kari Lehtonen
127	F	Dustin Brown
144	F	Mike Ribeiro
157	D	Marek Zidlicky
174	D	Grant Clitsome
187	F	Wojtek Wolski
204	D	Oliver Ekman-Larsson
217	D	Kyle Quincey
234	F	Dave Bolland

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
97	F	Marian Gaborik	257	3.1	1-25
7	F	Corey Perry	232	2.9	1-25
—	F	Milan Michalek	207	2.8	1-25
144	F	Mike Ribeiro	199	2.7	1-25
—	F	Gabriel Landeskog	192	2.5	1-25
24	D	Dustin Byfuglien	185	2.8	1-25
37	D	Kris Letang	184	3.7	1-25
114	G	Kari Lehtonen	157	3.1	1-25
—	F	Adam Henrique	139	2.4	6-25
84	G	Martin Brodeur	123	2.8	1-25
196	D	Dmitry Kulikov	109	2.4	4-16, 22-25
52	D	Mark Streit	101	2.8	16-25
—	F	Alexander Radulov	22	2.4	22-25
—	F	Cody Hodgson	12	1.3	14, 24-25
147	D	John Carlson	7	3.5	25
116	D	Chris Pronger	0	0.0	24-25
67	F	Nathan Horton	104	2.3	1-17
217	D	Kyle Quincey	100	2.3	3-18
127	F	Dustin Brown	92	1.8	1-17
142	F	Alex Tanguay	89	3.2	16-24
74	D	Alex Goligoski	62	2.5	16-22
222	F	Jordan Staal	57	3.4	17-23
—	F	Vinny Prospal	56	2.1	1-10
—	D	Nikita Nikitin	54	2.7	8-15
104	F	Andy McDonald	52	3.3	18-22

BREAKDOWN



REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at New Orleans Gators	W 151-136
2	at California Wave	W 123-109
3	at Regina Renegades	W 105-101
4	vs Alaska Huskies	L 78-120
5	vs Calgary Cavalry	W 110-81
6	vs Boulder Beasts	L 124-126
7	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 88-79
8	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	W 125-108
9	—BYE—	—
10	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 105-111
11	at Houston Hellcats	L 82-97
12	vs Portland Pioneers	L 78-121
13	vs New Orleans Gators	W 108-100
14	at Calgary Cavalry	L 86-118
15	—BYE—	—
16	at Seattle Aviators	W 146-127
17	vs Houston Hellcats	W 181-129
18	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 172-110
19	at Boulder Beasts	W 179-103
20	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 119-71
21	at Alaska Huskies	W 162-110
22	at Dallas Outlaws	W 122-90

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POSTSEASON (#3)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#6 Boulder Beasts	L 117-139
24	Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 131-97
25	Edmonton Kodiaks	L 87-110

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	2-0	Archers	0-1
Beasts	1-2	Armada	1-1
Cavalry	1-2	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	2-0	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	2-1	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	1-2	Colonials	1-0
Kodiaks	1-2	Guardians	0-0
Lumberjacks	3-1	Hitmen	1-0
Outlaws	2-0	Lagers	1-0
Pioneers	0-2	Mammoths	0-0
Renegades	2-0	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	1-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	2-0	Olympiques	0-1
Winterhawks	2-1	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	0-1



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NORTH DIVISION

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

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Manitoba Rebellion, Winnipeg Ice,
Winnipeg Grey Owls, Winnipeg Wizards

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/15/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/05/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/23/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/11/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 05/23/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 06/19/2012

MANAGEMENT

Scott Kocienda (2010–2011)

Daniel Raposo (2011—)

14-6

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	—BYE—	—
2	at Regina Renegades	W 89-81
3	vs Portland Pioneers	W 109-86
4	at Calgary Cavalry	L 55-91
5	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	W 106-104
6	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 98-92
7	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 118-107
8	at Houston Hellcats	L 103-111
9	at Dallas Outlaws	L 79-90
10	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	W 111-105
11	at Seattle Aviators	W 115-79
12	vs New Orleans Gators	W 130-112
13	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 149-97
14	—BYE—	—
15	vs California Wave	L 136-157
16	at Alaska Huskies	W 187-121
17	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 120-98
18	vs Calgary Cavalry	L 112-129
19	at Edmonton Kodiaks	W 127-114
20	vs Regina Renegades	W 104-70
21	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 126-86
22	vs Boulder Beasts	L 111-122

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POSTSEASON (#2)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#7 New Orleans Gators	L 117-128
24	Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 97-131
25	Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 87-69

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	1-1	Archers	0-1
Beasts	0-1	Armada	0-1
Cavalry	1-3	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	1-1	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	0-2	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	1-1	Colonials	0-1
Kodiaks	2-1	Guardians	0-0
Lumberjacks	2-1	Hitmen	1-1
Outlaws	1-1	Lagers	0-1
Pioneers	1-1	Mammoths	0-0
Renegades	4-0	Motorheads	0-0
Scorpions	1-2	Nighthawks	0-0
Sharpshooters	3-1	Olympiques	0-1
Wave	0-2	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	0-1

Toppled By Untimely Upset

In spite of being one of IceHL WEST's most consistently victorious teams, the **Winnipeg Winterhawks** succumbed to a surprising early playoff upset.

While other teams stayed busy with waivers and trades, the Winterhawks kept quiet most of the season.

"I wish I took better advantage of free agency during match-ups," said Winterhawks GM Daniel Raposo. "But I always thought less is better and that worked most of the time.

"Except the playoffs," he added.

The Winterhawks were the victims of the biggest playoff upset of the postseason as the 7th-seeded Gators took the

first-round match-up by 11 points.

The Winnipeg club was led by Logan Couture, whom Raposo also put to work last season when he ran the Steelcats.

Raposo left the Steelcats with an impressive third overall finish, having lost to the eventual champ in the semifinals. This season, he brought major improvements to a Winterhawks team that finished 16th in 2011.

The team's newfound success was led by Erik Karlsson and Dion Phaneuf on the blue line while John Tavares was key in solidifying the offense. Unfortunately, goaltending proved to be a weakness for most of the season. —C.S.

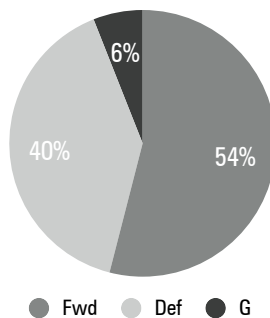
3 STARS

COUTURE
TAVARES
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DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
3	F	Sidney Crosby
28	G	Carey Price
33	D	Christian Ehrhoff
58	F	Logan Couture
63	F	John Tavares
88	D	Andrei Markov
93	F	Taylor Hall
118	D	Erik Karlsson
123	D	Dion Phaneuf
148	F	R.J. Umberger
153	F	Brenden Morrow
178	D	Dennis Seidenberg
183	F	Blake Wheeler
208	F	David Booth
213	F	Milan Hejduk
238	G	Steve Mason

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
58	F	Logan Couture	262	3.3	1-25
118	D	Erik Karlsson	253	3.1	1-25
63	F	John Tavares	240	2.9	1-25
123	D	Dion Phaneuf	224	2.9	1-25
178	D	Dennis Seidenberg	206	2.6	1-25
183	F	Blake Wheeler	198	2.5	1-25
93	F	Taylor Hall	195	3.3	1-25
—	D	Jason Garrison	172	2.8	4-25
33	D	Christian Ehrhoff	153	2.4	1-25
28	G	Carey Price	137	2.2	1-25
73	D	Tobias Enstrom	128	2.6	11-25
170	F	Daniel Alfredsson	123	2.7	11-25
—	F	Valtteri Filppula	110	2.1	10-25
153	F	Brenden Morrow	101	1.8	1-25
3	F	Sidney Crosby	97	4.4	1-25
—	G	Devan Dubnyk	10	1.7	23-25
213	F	Milan Hejduk	116	1.6	1-23
208	F	David Booth	36	1.7	1-10
—	F	Alex Burmistrov	22	1.2	4-10
—	F	Lauri Korpikoski	8	2.0	2-3
—	G	Johan Hedberg	8	4.0	2-3
148	F	R.J. Umberger	7	1.4	1-2
—	F	Marcus Foligno	4	4.0	23
—	F	Vinny Prospal	1	1.0	10
238	G	Steve Mason	0	0.0	1-2

BREAKDOWN

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GENERAL MANAGER
Tony Pomposelli

LOGO DESIGNER
Dave Delisle

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Bastian Schmülling



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

NORTH DIVISION

Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

NAME NOMINATED BY
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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
Saskatchewan Storm, Saskatoon Isotopes,
Saskatoon Rapids

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/14/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/05/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 10/25/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/12/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 05/11/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 06/19/2012

MANAGEMENT

Brian Hagan (2010–2012)
Tony Pomposelli (2012—)



8TH OVERALL

9-11

Complacency Creates Collapse

The Saskatoon Sharpshooters began the season with the goal of once again challenging for the league title.

Instead, the team just squeaked into the IceHL WEST playoffs with little more than a losing record.

"It was an utterly poor job done by myself this season," said Sharpshooters GM Brian Hagan. "I feel I owe an apology to my fellow GMs out there."

While it Hagan may be a little too hard on himself, his team struggled even while Francois Beauchemin, Dan Boyle and Matt Carle dominated the league defensively.

And despite qualifying for the eighth

and final playoff spot, the Sharpshooters scored less than half of what their opponent did in the quarterfinals.

In fairness, the Sharpshooters performed better than at least seven other IceHL WEST teams, as demonstrated by simply by making the playoffs at all.

Still, the Saskatoon club did fail to reach the 100-point mark in four of its last five games of the season—and in all three of its postseason match-ups.

Hagan admitted to a level of complacency this season that affected his management efforts. The 2nd-year GM announced he would be stepping down at the end of the season. —C.S.

3 STARS



BOYLE BEAUCHEMIN SHARP

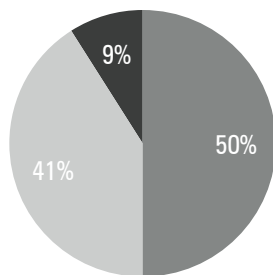
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
2	F	Daniel Sedin
29	F	Eric Staal
32	F	Nicklas Backstrom
59	D	Dan Boyle
62	G	Jimmy Howard
89	F	Patrick Sharp
92	F	Martin Havlat
119	D	John-Michael Liles
122	G	Craig Anderson
149	D	Matt Carle
152	F	Brayden Schenn
179	F	Tomas Fleischmann
182	F	Brad Marchand
209	D	Francois Beauchemin
212	D	Ron Hainsey
239	F	Andrew Brunette

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
209	D	Francois Beauchemin	251	3.1	1-25
59	D	Dan Boyle	249	3.1	1-25
149	D	Matt Carle	247	3.0	1-25
89	F	Patrick Sharp	215	2.9	1-25
2	F	Daniel Sedin	202	2.8	1-25
179	F	Tomas Fleischmann	193	2.4	1-25
62	G	Jimmy Howard	178	3.6	1-25
182	F	Brad Marchand	173	2.3	1-25
119	D	John-Michael Liles	148	2.8	1-25
—	D	Robyn Regehr	107	1.6	2-25
175	F	Patric Hornqvist	104	2.0	3-25
239	F	Andrew Brunette	79	1.1	1-25
125	F	Tomas Plekanec ⇄	63	2.3	17-25
—	F	Ryan O'Reilly	55	3.1	12-25
—	G	Ben Bishop	5	0.7	21-25
35	F	Dany Heatley ⇄	3	0.8	17-25
32	F	N. Backstrom ⇄	131	3.4	1-17
29	F	Eric Staal ⇄	110	2.2	1-17
92	F	Martin Havlat	43	1.7	1-12
122	G	Craig Anderson	40	2.4	1, 4-21
212	D	Ron Hainsey	7	1.8	1-2
152	F	Brayden Schenn	1	0.5	1-3
—	G	Al Montoya	0	0.0	1-4

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇄ Player moved via trade.

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Regina Renegades	W 147-143
2	at Alaska Huskies	L 119-120
3	vs California Wave	L 73-168
4	—BYE—	—
5	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 135-106
6	at Edmonton Kodiaks	L 96-131
7	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 107-118
8	vs Calgary Cavalry	W 115-109
9	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 157-80
10	vs Seattle Aviators	L 106-126
11	at New Orleans Gators	W 110-101
12	—BYE—	—
13	at Calgary Cavalry	W 119-103
14	at California Wave	L 84-131
15	at Boulder Beasts	W 103-98
16	vs Houston Hellcats	L 121-126
17	at Regina Renegades	W 105-87
18	at Portland Pioneers	L 82-130
19	at Houston Hellcats	L 63-88
20	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 71-119
21	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 86-126
22	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	W 123-82

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POSTSEASON (#8)

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	#1 California Wave	L 69-141
24	Edmonton Kodiaks	L 93-122
25	Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 69-87

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	0-2	Archers	2-0
Beasts	1-0	Armada	0-1
Cavalry	3-0	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	1-0	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	1-2	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	1-2	Colonials	1-0
Kodiaks	1-3	Guardians	0-0
Lumberjacks	2-0	Hitmen	0-1
Outlaws	1-0	Lagers	1-0
Pioneers	1-1	Mammoths	0-0
Renegades	3-0	Motorheads	0-0
Scorpions	1-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	2-3	Olympiques	0-1
Winterhawks	1-3	Sentinels	1-0
		Steelcats	0-1



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GENERAL MANAGER
Jason Field

LOGO DESIGNER
Chris Smith

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Bastian Schmülling



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

NORTH DIVISION

Calgary, Alberta

NAME NOMINATED BY

Daniel

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Alberta Highlanders, Calgary Cattlemen,
Calgary Colts, Calgary Rustlers

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/14/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/05/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 10/16/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 09/07/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 05/11/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 06/19/2012

MANAGEMENT

Joshua Schroeder (2010–2012)
Jason Field (2012—)



9TH OVERALL

9-11

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Edmonton Kodiaks	L 106-185
2	vs Houston Hellcats	L 76-103
3	—BYE—	—
4	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 91-55
5	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 81-110
6	at Regina Renegades	W 110-91
7	vs Portland Pioneers	W 162-89
8	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 109-115
9	at New Orleans Gators	L 115-130
10	at California Wave	L 113-124
11	at Portland Pioneers	W 125-116
12	—BYE—	—
13	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 103-119
14	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	W 118-86
15	vs Regina Renegades	L 91-133
16	at Dallas Outlaws	L 143-175
17	vs Boulder Beasts	L 130-142
18	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 129-112
19	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 133-122
20	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	L 104-122
21	vs Seattle Aviators	W 163-72
22	vs Alaska Huskies	W 119-109

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POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Houston Hellcats	W 120-71
24	Regina Renegades	W 125-93
25	Houston Hellcats	W 68-64

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	1-1	Archers	0-1
Beasts	0-1	Armada	1-0
Gators	0-1	Arsenal	0-0
Hellcats	2-2	Barracudas	0-0
Huskies	1-1	Blue Crabs	0-0
Kodiaks	0-3	Colonials	0-1
Lumberjacks	1-2	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	0-1	Hitmen	1-1
Pioneers	2-1	Lagers	1-0
Renegades	3-1	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	2-1	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	0-3	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-2	Olympiques	1-0
Winterhawks	3-1	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	1-0

Final Push Too Little Too Late

Sometimes you do all you can and it isn't quite enough. The **Calgary Cavalry** found that a late push to save an inconsequential season was an impossible task.

"It was heartbreaking to come up just short," said Cavalry GM Joshua Schroeder. "A pair of three game losing streaks was devastating."

Those streaks, it seems, were just a little too much to overcome as the team just missed its shot at the playoffs with a 9th-place finish in the IceHL WEST.

"I'm pleased that some aggressive roster tweaking late in the year got us back into the hunt," said Schroeder, who had just two of his original 16 draft picks

left on the roster by season's end.

The Calgary club tried to make up for its earlier instability by winning four of its last five games of the season. And though it wasn't enough for a chance at glory, the team showed giving up wasn't an option with three consecutive wins in the postseason Consolation Ladder.

Leading the way were defensemen Ryan Suter and Brett Clark along with forwards Mike Fisher, Michael Ryder and first-round pick Jonathan Toews.

His team's late turnaround notwithstanding, Schroeder decided his second season as general manager of the Cavalry would be his last. —C.S.

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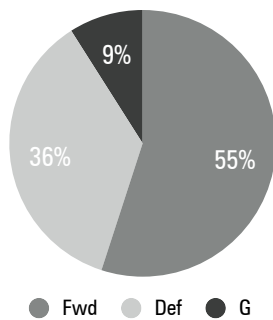
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
9	F	Jonathan Toews
22	G	Tim Thomas
39	F	Henrik Zetterberg
52	D	Mark Streit
69	G	Jaroslav Halak
82	D	P.K. Subban
99	F	Tyler Ennis
112	F	Mike Cammalleri
129	D	Ryan Suter
142	F	Alex Tanguay
159	F	Tim Connolly
172	D	Travis Hamonic
189	F	Martin Erat
202	F	Patrik Berglund
219	F	Brian Gionta
232	D	Zach Bogosian

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
129	D	Ryan Suter	222	2.8	1-25
—	D	Brett Clark	206	2.7	2-25
—	F	Mike Fisher	189	3.0	6-25
—	F	Michael Ryder	183	2.9	5-25
9	F	Jonathan Toews	172	2.9	1-25
27	F	Ryan Kesler ⇄	165	2.6	6-25
—	F	Pascal Dupuis	146	2.7	6-14, 16-25
94	D	Mark Giordano	113	3.1	11-25
26	G	Ilya Bryzgalov ⇄	82	4.1	18-25
—	D	Nikita Nikitin	64	3.8	19-25
—	F	Sergei Kostitsyn	58	1.8	16-25
212	D	Ron Hainsey	51	2.8	10-11, 20-25
—	D	Brooks Orpik	24	2.4	22-25
222	F	Jordan Staal	23	2.6	23-25
—	F	Matt Cooke	13	1.1	2-4, 24-25
177	G	Niklas Backstrom	0	0.0	25
82	D	P.K. Subban	131	2.2	1-20
—	F	Radim Vrbata ⇄	123	2.7	4-18
22	G	Tim Thomas ⇄	119	3.6	1-18
—	F	Curtis Glencross	103	3.4	11-15, 19-24
159	F	Tim Connolly	87	2.3	7-19
142	F	Alex Tanguay	69	2.1	1-11
—	D	Chris Phillips	66	2.3	9-15, 17-20
112	F	Mike Cammalleri	61	1.6	1-11, 14-18
52	D	Mark Streit ⇄	38	2.7	1-5

BREAKDOWN



⇄ Player moved via trade.



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GENERAL MANAGER
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FRANCHISE HISTORY



SOUTH DIVISION

Houston, Texas

NAME NOMINATED BY

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Houston Apollos, Houston Bulls,
Houston Galaxy, Houston Mustangs,
Texas Raiders

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/22/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/19/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 11/07/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 09/09/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 11/28/2011

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 02/12/2012

MANAGEMENT

James Leggett (2010—)



The Trouble With Time Zones

It was a rocky season for the **Houston Hellcats**. There's no doubt about that. And the man in the cockpit thinks he can pinpoint exactly the reason why.

"I felt like [we were] on the back foot from the get-go," said Hellcats GM James Leggett, "when I wasn't able to take part in the [IceHL WEST] draft."

Leggett's draft day absence was unfortunate if not understandable. Unlike his fellow North American-based GMs, Leggett lives an ocean away. But the U.K. resident didn't blame all of his team's shortcomings on his time zone.

"I made bad decisions on free agents," Leggett admitted. The top six scorers for

the Hellcats were all draftees.

Zdeno Chara and Johan Franzen were the only players to crack 200 points. And after starting the season 2-0, the Houston club was unable to put together another set of back-to-back victories.

When a team struggles like that, it's the unsung heroes that shine brightest.

"[Brian] Elliott's play was a real surprise," said the GM of his backup goalie. "Without him, [we'd] have been out of the running a lot earlier on."

In 2012-13, Leggett aims to bring the Hellcats back to IceHL prominence.

"I am desperate to prove this year was just a blip." —C.S.

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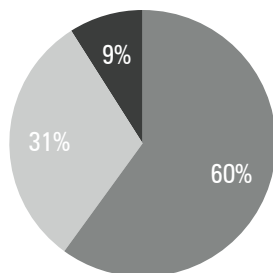
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
6	F	Pavel Datsyuk
25	D	Zdeno Chara
36	G	Antti Niemi
55	F	Johan Franzen
66	F	Danny Briere
85	D	Nicklas Lidstrom
96	F	Devin Setoguchi
115	F	Scott Hartnell
126	F	Gabriel Landeskog
145	F	Ryane Clowe
156	F	Teddy Purcell
175	F	Patric Hornqvist
186	G	James Reimer
205	D	Sheldon Souray
216	D	Bryan McCabe
235	D	Andy Greene

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
25	D	Zdeno Chara	210	2.7	1-25
55	F	Johan Franzen	203	2.6	1-25
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66	F	Danny Briere	140	2.1	1-25
—	F	Ryan Smyth	125	1.8	3-25
—	F	Derek Stepan	116	2.0	1-4, 6-25
189	F	Martin Erat	114	2.6	11-25
124	F	Loui Eriksson ⇌	106	2.9	12-25
54	F	Alexander Semin ⇌	95	2.2	12-25
64	G	Cam Ward ⇌	74	2.6	12-25
—	G	Brian Elliott	61	3.2	4-25
—	D	Trevor Daley	58	1.9	14-25
—	D	Bryan Allen	50	3.3	21-25
150	D	Erik Johnson	30	1.6	19-25
115	F	Scott Hartnell ⇌	111	3.4	1-12
205	D	Sheldon Souray	108	2.3	1-19
36	G	Antti Niemi ⇌	58	2.9	1-12
96	F	Devin Setoguchi	45	1.9	1-11
—	D	Sami Salo	45	1.7	5-13
156	F	Teddy Purcell	44	1.5	1-12
—	D	Andrej Meszaros	39	2.6	15-21
186	G	James Reimer	23	4.6	1-4
235	D	Andy Greene	20	2.2	1-5

BREAKDOWN



● Fwd ● Def ● G

⇌ Player moved via trade.

10TH OVERALL

8-12

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 130-127
2	at Calgary Cavalry	W 103-76
3	at Seattle Aviators	L 117-124
4	vs Portland Pioneers	W 110-104
5	at Boulder Beasts	L 104-120
6	vs New Orleans Gators	L 89-146
7	—BYE—	—
8	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 111-103
9	vs California Wave	L 110-114
10	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	L 68-88
11	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	W 97-82
12	at Alaska Huskies	L 72-112
13	at Dallas Outlaws	W 133-101
14	vs Regina Renegades	L 80-93
15	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	L 95-102
16	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 126-121
17	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 129-181
18	—BYE—	—
19	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 88-63
20	vs Boulder Beasts	L 87-94
21	at Edmonton Kodiaks	L 81-104
22	at New Orleans Gators	L 82-117

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POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Calgary Cavalry	L 71-120
24	Seattle Aviators	W 107-103
25	Calgary Cavalry	L 64-68

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	2-2	Archers	1-0
Beasts	0-2	Armada	1-0
Cavalry	2-2	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	0-2	Barracudas	0-0
Huskies	1-2	Blue Crabs	0-0
Kodiaks	0-3	Colonials	1-0
Lumberjacks	0-3	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	2-0	Hitmen	1-0
Pioneers	2-0	Lagers	1-0
Renegades	1-1	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	1-2	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	2-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-2	Olympiques	1-0
Winterhawks	2-0	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	1-0

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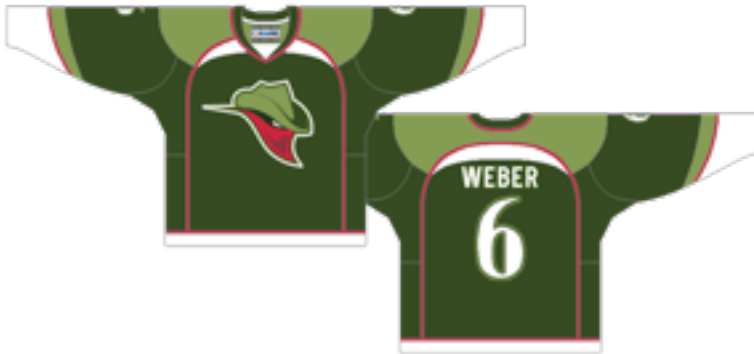
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GENERAL MANAGER
Ryan Haslett

LOGO DESIGNER
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UNIFORM DESIGNER
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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

SOUTH DIVISION

Dallas, Texas

NAME NOMINATED BY

Mark C. Anderson (markcanderson)

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Dallas Bandits, Dallas Giants,
Fort Worth Assassins,
Fort Worth Blaze, Texas Twisters

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2011-12 (IceHL's 2nd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/22/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 10/19/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/23/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 08/07/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 12/07/2011

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 02/12/2012

MANAGEMENT

Ryan Haslett (2011—)



Poor Record Hardly a Hurdle

At 11th overall, the **Dallas Outlaws** finished remarkably high in the IceHL WEST standings considering they did so while owning the league's worst record.

"It was a tough season with the wins and losses," joked Outlaws GM Ryan Haslett, after his team went 5-15.

Decisive wins in the postseason consolation ladder catapulted the Outlaws from last place during the regular season—even if those games weren't symbolic of the rest of the season.

The Dallas club struggled with a 1-6 start, likely precipitated by an unusual roster decision. The team drafted just one goalie and spent most of the season

without a backup between the pipes.

"That was an oversight this season," said Haslett. "Next season, [we] will be sure to keep two goalies on the team."

Netminders accounted for just 4% of the team's overall points—a league low.

But it wasn't all gloom and doom in Dallas. The Outlaws boasted big points from defensemen Jack Johnson and Shea Weber—whose 273 led the team and was 2nd in the league among blueliners. Up front, Zach Parise and Tyler Seguin also contributed 200-point seasons.

One other bright spot for the Outlaws was the team's impressive 23-point win over the eventual league champ. —C.S.

11TH OVERALL

5-15

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Houston Hellcats	L 127-130
2	at Portland Pioneers	W 85-81
3	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	L 80-95
4	vs California Wave	L 88-132
5	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 106-135
6	—BYE—	—
7	vs Seattle Aviators	L 80-100
8	at Boulder Beasts	L 76-104
9	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	W 90-79
10	at New Orleans Gators	L 98-125
11	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	L 79-107
12	at Regina Renegades	L 89-92
13	vs Houston Hellcats	L 101-133
14	vs Boulder Beasts	W 150-127
15	—BYE—	—
16	vs Calgary Cavalry	W 175-143
17	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 98-120
18	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 110-172
19	vs Alaska Huskies	L 90-118
20	at California Wave	L 115-119
21	vs New Orleans Gators	W 134-133
22	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 90-122

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POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	—BYE—	—
24	Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 135-85
25	Regina Renegades	W 104-72

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	0-1	Archers	0-0
Beasts	1-1	Armada	0-0
Cavalry	1-0	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	1-1	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	0-2	Blue Crabs	0-0
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Renegades	1-1	Mammoths	0-0
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Sharpshooters	0-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-2	Olympiques	0-0
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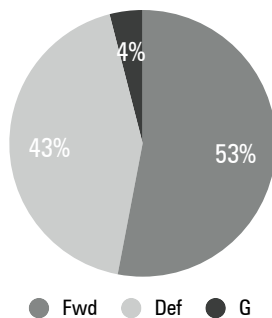
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
12	F	Zach Parise
19	F	Rick Nash
42	D	Shea Weber
49	F	James van Riemsdyk
72	G	Dwayne Roloson
79	D	Tyler Myers
102	D	Jack Johnson
109	F	David Krejci
132	F	Simon Gagne
139	D	Kevin Biekса
162	F	Tyler Seguin
169	F	Wayne Simmonds
192	D	Luke Schenn
199	F	Bryan Little
222	F	Jordan Staal
229	F	Kyle Okposo

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
42	D	Shea Weber	273	3.5	1-25
102	D	Jack Johnson	232	2.8	1-25
12	F	Zach Parise	209	2.9	1-25
162	F	Tyler Seguin	200	2.5	1-25
—	D	Marc-Edouard Vlasic	198	2.8	4-25
109	F	David Krejci	194	2.5	1-25
139	D	Kevin Biekса	190	2.6	1-25
19	F	Rick Nash	174	2.2	1-25
169	F	Wayne Simmonds	143	2.2	1-25
79	D	Tyler Myers	99	2.3	1-25
—	D	Carl Gunnarsson	91	2.6	12-25
181	F	Mikhail Grabovski	90	2.4	14-25
60	G	Corey Crawford	65	2.4	12-25
90	F	Andrew Ladd	47	2.6	19-25
—	F	Dainius Zubrus	22	1.7	19-25
—	G	Jonas Gustavsson	3	1.0	21-25
49	F	James van Riemsdyk	78	1.9	1-21
222	F	Jordan Staal	59	2.0	1-14
132	F	Simon Gagne	57	1.7	1-12
72	G	Dwayne Roloson	33	2.4	1-9
—	F	Jakub Voracek	24	1.5	6-12
—	F	Artem Anisimov	20	1.4	13-19
—	F	Marcus Johansson	20	1.3	6-12
—	F	Lauri Korpikoski	17	1.3	13-19
192	D	Luke Schenn	15	1.9	1-4

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**REGINA
RENEGADES**



GENERAL MANAGER
Dan Roesch

LOGO DESIGNER
Ross Taylor

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Gary Beatman



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

NORTH DIVISION

Regina, Saskatchewan

NAME NOMINATED BY
Canis

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
Regina Bones, Regina Dukes,
Regina Imperials, Regina Razorbills

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/14/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 10/05/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 10/22/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/27/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 05/20/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 06/19/2012

MANAGEMENT

Cody Reisig (2010–2011)
David Wisa (2011–2012)
Dan Roesch (2012—)



A Season Marked By Streaks

Streaky. That's the single word that most aptly describes the kind of season that befell the **Regina Renegades**.

After opening the season with a five-game losing streak, the Renegades appeared destined to be the IceHL's perennial basement dweller.

However, by Week 15, things started looking up for the Regina club. A four-game winning streak—the longest in team history—put the Renegades one win away from reaching .500.

Sadly, the five-game losing streak that immediately followed sealed the team's non-playoff fate.

First-year GM David Wisá attributed

the Renegades' ups and downs to "some significant injuries." Wisá stepped down at the end of the season.

Roster management may have also contributed to the team's dismal performance as very few changes took place over the course of the season.

Perhaps most disappointing was first-round draft pick Ryan Miller's 81 points, which placed him 14th on a team of 16.

Still, four players achieved 200 points, including Marc-Andre Fleury, who was one of only two goaltenders in the IceHL WEST to do so.

The Renegades will take the ice in 2012-13 under new management. —C.S.

12TH OVERALL

7-13

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 143-147
2	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 81-89
3	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 101-105
4	at New Orleans Gators	L 91-102
5	—BYE—	—
6	vs Calgary Cavalry	L 91-110
7	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	W 129-91
8	at California Wave	L 99-108
9	at Portland Pioneers	W 124-97
10	vs Alaska Huskies	L 84-114
11	at Boulder Beasts	L 64-109
12	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 92-89
13	vs Seattle Aviators	W 98-70
14	at Houston Hellcats	W 93-80
15	at Calgary Cavalry	W 133-91
16	vs New Orleans Gators	L 104-162
17	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 87-105
18	at Edmonton Kodiaks	L 57-126
19	at Seattle Aviators	L 105-115
20	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 70-104
21	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 124-110
22	—BYE—	—

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POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 149-125
24	Calgary Cavalry	L 93-125
25	Dallas Outlaws	L 72-104

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	1-2	Archers	0-1
Beasts	0-1	Armada	0-1
Cavalry	1-3	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	0-2	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	1-1	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	0-2	Colonials	0-1
Kodiaks	1-2	Guardians	0-0
Lumberjacks	2-1	Hitmen	1-1
Outlaws	1-1	Lagers	1-0
Pioneers	2-1	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	0-2	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	0-3	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-2	Olympiques	0-1
Winterhawks	0-4	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	0-1

ICEHL WEST

3 STARS



RICHARDS FLEURY WIDEMAN

DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
15	G	Ryan Miller
16	F	Brad Richards
45	G	Marc-Andre Fleury
46	F	David Backes
75	F	Derek Roy
76	F	Michael Grabner
105	D	James Wisniewski
106	F	Drew Stafford
135	F	Shane Doan
136	D	Cam Fowler
165	F	Ville Leino
166	D	Dennis Wideman
195	F	Ryan Nugent-Hopkins
196	D	Dmitry Kulikov
225	F	Brooks Laich
226	F	Kristian Huselius

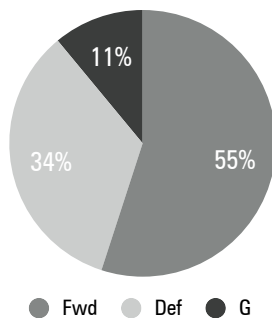
FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
166	D	Dennis Wideman	238	3.0	1-25
16	F	Brad Richards	231	2.8	1-25
46	F	David Backes	210	2.7	1-25
45	G	Marc-Andre Fleury	204	3.6	1-25
225	F	Brooks Laich	181	2.4	1-25
—	D	Kevin Klein	170	3.0	2-25
135	F	Shane Doan	163	2.1	1-25
195	F	Ryan Nugent-Hopkins	139	2.5	1-25
136	D	Cam Fowler	133	1.9	1-25
106	F	Drew Stafford	127	1.8	1-25
105	D	James Wisniewski	120	2.7	1-25
—	D	Hal Gill	109	2.2	10-25
76	F	Michael Grabner	107	1.5	1-25
15	G	Ryan Miller	81	2.5	1-25
—	F	Andrei Kostitsyn	49	1.2	10-25
—	F	Sam Gagner	33	1.3	17-25
75	F	Derek Roy	93	1.8	1-17
—	D	Andrej Meszaros	65	2.2	1-10
165	F	Ville Leino	25	1.2	1-10
196	D	Dmitry Kulikov	8	1.3	1-2

CAN'T STAY AWAY

Three players (Brooks Laich, Ville Leino and Dmitry Kulikov) were drafted by the Renegades in both 2010 and 2011, despite different GMs.

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Jonathan Bravard

LOGO DESIGNER
Chris Smith

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Brendan Nashman



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

PACIFIC DIVISION

Portland, Oregon

NAME NOMINATED BY

Daniel Hogue (Warrior19)

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Oregon Cascades, Portland Explorers,
Portland Loggers, Portland Shock,
Salem Slash

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/21/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 09/30/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 09/18/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 03/07/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/09/2012

MANAGEMENT

Darryl Climan (2010–2011)

Jonathan Bravard (2011—)



13TH OVERALL

New Direction, No Momentum

A handful of disheartening losing skids left the **Portland Pioneers** in a familiar place when the season ended. Third from the bottom.

In 2011, the Pioneers finished 18th out of 20—and with fewer wins and more losses. But apart from some extra victories and new leadership, it was more of the same in 2012.

“I want to be back because I want to do better,” said Pioneers GM Jonathan Bravard, who managed his team from a hospital bed for a portion of the season.

The Portland club endured a season marked by several losing streaks pep-

pered with a few key wins in between.

Partly to blame for the team’s breakdown was the failure of key players to meet expectations. First-round draft pick Roberto Luongo finished second-to-last on the team in total points.

Phil Kessel—the only player to top 200 points—led the Pioneers with Jarome Iginla and Patrick Kane. The lack of a solid defense also created problems for the team during the year.

With the playoffs out of the picture, the Pioneers traded wins with their Pacific Northwest rival Aviators in the Consolation Ladder. —C.S.

6-14

REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	vs Seattle Aviators	L 106-142
2	vs Dallas Outlaws	L 81-85
3	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 86-109
4	at Houston Hellcats	L 104-110
5	vs New Orleans Gators	W 99-90
6	vs Alaska Huskies	W 105-94
7	at Calgary Cavalry	L 89-162
8	at Seattle Aviators	W 125-121
9	vs Regina Renegades	L 97-124
10	at Edmonton Kodiaks	L 89-100
11	vs Calgary Cavalry	L 116-125
12	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	W 121-78
13	—BYE—	—
14	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	L 68-79
15	at New Orleans Gators	L 85-123
16	vs California Wave	L 108-203
17	at Alaska Huskies	L 124-136
18	vs Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 130-82
19	at California Wave	L 94-141
20	—BYE—	—
21	vs Boulder Beasts	L 142-147
22	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	W 120-76

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POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Seattle Aviators	L 78-113
24	—BYE—	—
25	Seattle Aviators	W 81-72

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	2-3	Archers	0-1
Beasts	0-1	Armada	1-0
Cavalry	1-2	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	1-1	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	0-2	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	1-2	Colonials	0-3
Kodiaks	0-2	Guardians	0-0
Lumberjacks	1-2	Hitmen	0-1
Outlaws	0-1	Lagers	0-1
Renegades	1-2	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	2-0	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	1-1	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-3	Olympiques	0-1
Winterhawks	1-1	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	0-1

ICEHL WEST

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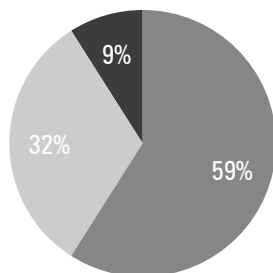
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13	G	Roberto Luongo
18	F	Jarome Iginla
43	F	Patrick Kane
48	D	Lubomir Visnovsky
73	D	Tobias Enstrom
78	F	Phil Kessel
103	G	Miikka Kiprusoff
108	D	Tomas Kaberle
133	F	Evander Kane
138	F	Mikael Samuelsson
163	D	Marc Staal
168	D	Jay Bouwmeester
193	F	Travis Zajac
198	F	Shawn Horcoff
223	F	Ray Whitney
228	F	Frans Nielsen

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS	ACTIVE
78	F	Phil Kessel	239	3.1	1-25	
18	F	Jarome Iginla	196	2.8	1-25	
43	F	Patrick Kane	185	2.4	1-25	
168	D	Jay Bouwmeester	183	2.3	1-25	
223	F	Ray Whitney	182	2.3	1-25	
—	D	Filip Kuba	177	3.1	4-25	
133	F	Evander Kane	173	2.6	1-25	
—	F	Matt Read	147	2.3	2-25	
103	G	Miikka Kiprusoff	134	2.8	1-25	
108	D	Tomas Kaberle	121	1.9	1-25	
198	F	Shawn Horcoff	120	1.8	1-25	
—	F	David Legwand	116	2.0	4-25	
211	D	Jordan Leopold	109	2.5	11-25	
176	F	Chris Kunitz	107	2.5	11-25	
13	G	Roberto Luongo	94	2.8	1-25	
—	D	Nick Leddy	57	1.8	15-25	
—	D	Niklas Hjalmarsson	60	3.3	5-11	
—	D	Mark Stuart	58	2.4	4-15	
—	F	Vernon Fiddler	31	1.5	4-11	
73	D	Tobias Enstrom	26	2.4	1-4	
48	D	Lubomir Visnovsky	23	1.6	1-5	
228	F	Frans Nielsen	16	1.8	1-4	
138	F	Mikael Samuelsson	10	1.7	1-4	
216	D	Bryan McCabe	0	0.0	1-4	
163	D	Marc Staal	0	0.0	—	

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FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

PACIFIC DIVISION

Seattle, Washington

NAME NOMINATED BY

Mike

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Olympia Gods, Seattle Grind,
Seattle Stealth, Washington Olympians

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008

NAME ANNOUNCED 09/21/2008

LOGOS DESIGNED 10/01/2008

LOGOS UNVEILED 09/11/2009

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 03/09/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/09/2012

MANAGEMENT

Andrew Ethier (2010–2011)

Dave White (2011—)

Missing: Defensive Depth

A respectable start was smothered by a dramatic collapse in the second half as the **Seattle Aviators** narrowly avoided last place in the IceHL WEST.

"[We] struggled mightily this season," said Aviators GM Dave White. "After getting off to a so-so start, the team tanked dramatically at the midpoint."

The Seattle franchise was 5-4 ahead of its second bye, but then dropped seven straight and notched only one victory for the rest of the season.

"I was too willing to stick with the players I drafted," said White, in reference to his mostly static roster.

The Aviators boasted a strong core group of players that included 200-point-scorers Anze Kopitar, Ryan Getzlaf, Marian Hossa, and Patrice Bergeron.

After coming out of the draft with just one goalie, the team added Cory Schneider, who posted big points despite seeing limited action.

Where the Aviators struggled to gain traction was on defense. The blue line accounted for just 30% of the team's overall points—a league low.

The efforts of Duncan Keith and Michael Del Zotto couldn't make up for the lack of D-men on the roster. —C.S.

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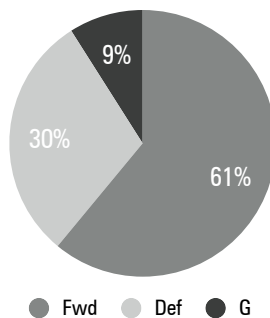
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PICK	POS	PLAYER
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20	G	Pekka Rinne
41	F	Ryan Getzlaf
50	D	Duncan Keith
71	F	Marian Hossa
80	D	Drew Doughty
101	F	Alex Burrows
110	F	Jordan Eberle
131	F	Patrice Bergeron
140	D	Michael Del Zotto
161	F	Rene Bourque
170	F	Daniel Alfredsson
191	D	Marc-Andre Bergeron
200	D	Victor Hedman
221	F	Nikolai Kulemin
230	F	Justin Williams

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
11	F	Anze Kopitar	243	3.0	1-25
71	F	Marian Hossa	207	3.0	1-25
41	F	Ryan Getzlaf	203	2.5	1-25
131	F	Patrice Bergeron	202	2.7	1-25
50	D	Duncan Keith	193	2.8	1-25
140	D	Michael Del Zotto	184	2.6	1-25
110	F	Jordan Eberle	174	3.1	1-25
20	G	Pekka Rinne	167	3.4	1-25
230	F	Justin Williams	158	2.2	1-25
80	D	Drew Doughty	135	2.0	1-25
101	F	Alex Burrows	120	2.4	1-25
—	F	Jason Chimera	90	1.6	8-25
—	F	Nick Foligno	52	1.4	14-25
—	G	Cory Schneider	48	4.0	8-25
—	D	Dan Hamhuis	39	1.9	14-25
—	D	Brad Stuart	36	1.9	19-25
191	D	Marc-Andre Bergeron	91	2.3	1-19
200	D	Victor Hedman	76	2.4	1-14
161	F	Rene Bourque	50	1.5	1-14
221	F	Nikolai Kulemin	25	1.3	1-7
170	F	Daniel Alfredsson	18	1.5	1-7

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Aviators GM Dave White hosts a show on CBC radio in the Yukon.



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REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Portland Pioneers	W 142-106
2	vs Boulder Beasts	L 96-133
3	vs Houston Hellcats	W 124-117
4	at Vancouver Lumberjacks	L 92-94
5	at California Wave	L 112-119
6	—BYE—	—
7	at Dallas Outlaws	W 100-80
8	vs Portland Pioneers	L 121-125
9	at Boulder Beasts	W 110-84
10	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	W 126-106
11	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 79-115
12	—BYE—	—
13	at Regina Renegades	L 70-98
14	vs Alaska Huskies	L 118-141
15	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	L 106-114
16	vs Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 127-146
17	at New Orleans Gators	L 78-136
18	at Alaska Huskies	L 81-110
19	vs Regina Renegades	W 115-105
20	vs Vancouver Lumberjacks	L 87-121
21	at Calgary Cavalry	L 72-163
22	vs California Wave	L 90-140

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POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Portland Pioneers	W 113-78
24	Houston Hellcats	L 103-107
25	Portland Pioneers	L 72-81

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Beasts	1-1	Archers	0-2
Cavalry	1-1	Armada	1-0
Gators	0-1	Arsenal	0-0
Hellcats	2-2	Barracudas	0-0
Huskies	1-2	Blue Crabs	0-0
Kodiaks	0-2	Colonials	1-0
Lumberjacks	1-2	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	1-0	Hitmen	1-0
Pioneers	3-2	Lagers	1-0
Renegades	2-1	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	0-2	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	2-0	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-4	Olympiques	0-1
Winterhawks	1-1	Sentinels	0-1
		Steelcats	1-0



VANCOUVER
**LUMBER
JACKS**



GENERAL MANAGER
Jim Hayden

LOGO DESIGNER
Emilis Acus

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Justin Nahhas



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

PACIFIC DIVISION

Vancouver, British Columbia

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OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED
B.C. Captains, Vancouver Edge,
Vancouver Orcas, Vancouver Velocity

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT
2010-11 (IceHL's inaugural season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 09/06/2008
NAME ANNOUNCED 09/21/2008
LOGOS DESIGNED 09/25/2008
LOGOS UNVEILED 08/04/2009
UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 03/11/2012
UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 04/09/2012

MANAGEMENT

James Walker (2010–2011)
Sean Hallaren (2011–2012)
Jim Hayden (2012—)



15TH OVERALL

Inaction Leads to Rotten End

Maybe it was the lack of star power or the inattentiveness from the team's general manager. But the **Vancouver Lumberjacks** took last place in the IceHL WEST even while earning more wins than higher-ranked teams.

"I did not have as much time as I would have liked to be as active as everyone else in the league," said Lumberjacks GM Sean Hallaren, who will not be returning for a second season.

The Jacks' 7-13 record made them as good as or better than the four teams ahead of them in the final standings. And yet, a late-season slump that saw the Vancouver club go 1-5 to end the season

bled into the Consolation Ladder where they failed to find a single win.

Perhaps part of the problem for the Lumberjacks was the lack of a bona fide star on the roster. High draft picks Martin St. Louis and Jeff Carter didn't quite fit the bill with their performances.

Meanwhile, Alex Pietrangolo's team-leading 254 points were both impressive and surprising for a defenseman.

In spite of the disappointing showing by the team, who went 2-5 to start, the roster never changed after Week 2 and the Jacks' only free agent transaction.

The Lumberjacks will start 2012-13 with new management. —C.S.

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PIETRANGOLO NEAL ST. LOUIS

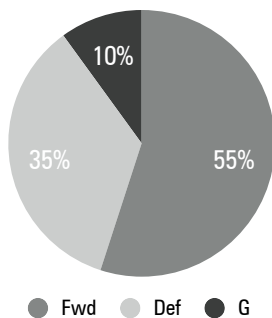
DRAFT RECAP

PICK	POS	PLAYER
8	F	Martin St. Louis
23	F	Jeff Carter
38	G	Jonas Hiller
53	F	Chris Stewart
68	D	Mike Green
83	F	James Neal
98	F	Matt Duchene
113	D	Alex Pietrangolo
128	F	Brandon Dubinsky
143	D	Kevin Shattenkirk
158	G	Ondrej Pavelec
173	F	T.J. Oshie
188	D	Tom Gilbert
203	D	Jamie McBain
218	F	Ales Hemsky
233	F	Clarke MacArthur

FINAL ROSTER & STATISTICS

PICK	POS	PLAYER	PTS	AVG	WKS ACTIVE
113	D	Alex Pietrangolo	254	3.3	1-25
83	F	James Neal	239	3.1	1-25
8	F	Martin St. Louis	209	2.9	1-25
143	D	Kevin Shattenkirk	207	2.6	1-25
173	F	T.J. Oshie	172	2.2	1-25
—	F	P.A. Parenteau	170	2.4	2-25
203	D	Jamie McBain	161	2.3	1-25
188	D	Tom Gilbert	157	2.5	1-25
158	G	Ondrej Pavelec	127	2.7	1-25
23	F	Jeff Carter	122	2.3	1-25
38	G	Jonas Hiller	116	2.2	1-25
233	F	Clarke MacArthur	115	1.9	1-25
128	F	Brandon Dubinsky	112	1.5	1-25
98	F	Matt Duchene	108	2.1	1-25
53	F	Chris Stewart	94	1.3	1-25
68	D	Mike Green	64	2.1	1-25
218	F	Ales Hemsky	2	1.0	1

BREAKDOWN



FRANCHISE FACTS

Short Bench The Lumberjacks employed just 17 players over the course of the 2011-12 season, the fewest of any IceHL franchise.

Repeating 43 The team amassed 1,343 points from Fwds, 843 from Defs and 243 from Gs.



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REGULAR SEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
1	at Boulder Beasts	L 147-189
2	vs New Orleans Gators	L 68-114
3	vs Dallas Outlaws	W 95-80
4	vs Seattle Aviators	W 94-92
5	vs Alaska Huskies	L 83-112
6	at Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 92-98
7	at Salt Lake City Scorpions	L 79-88
8	at Alaska Huskies	W 101-82
9	at Saskatoon Sharpshooters	L 80-157
10	vs Houston Hellcats	W 88-68
11	—BYE—	—
12	at California Wave	L 106-123
13	vs Winnipeg Winterhawks	L 97-149
14	vs Portland Pioneers	W 79-68
15	at Houston Hellcats	W 102-95
16	vs Edmonton Kodiaks	L 114-190
17	—BYE—	—
18	vs California Wave	L 121-157
19	vs Calgary Cavalry	L 122-133
20	at Seattle Aviators	W 121-87
21	at Regina Renegades	L 110-124
22	at Portland Pioneers	L 76-120

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POSTSEASON

WK	OPPONENT	RESULT
23	Regina Renegades	L 125-149
24	Dallas Outlaws	L 85-135
25	—BYE—	—

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

WEST OPPONENTS		EAST OPPONENTS	
Aviators	2-1	Archers	0-1
Beasts	0-1	Armada	0-1
Cavalry	2-1	Arsenal	0-0
Gators	0-1	Barracudas	0-0
Hellcats	3-0	Blue Crabs	0-0
Huskies	1-2	Colonials	1-0
Kodiaks	0-2	Guardians	0-0
Outlaws	1-1	Hitmen	1-0
Pioneers	2-1	Lagers	0-1
Renegades	1-2	Mammoths	0-0
Scorpions	1-3	Motorheads	0-0
Sharpshooters	0-2	Nighthawks	0-0
Wave	0-3	Olympiques	1-0
Winterhawks	1-2	Sentinels	1-0
		Steelcats	0-1

ICEHL WEST



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TEAM	TWITTER	GENERAL MANAGER	YEAR
ARCTIC DIVISION			
Alaska Huskies	–	Steve Sonricker	3rd
Northwest Narwhals	@NWNarwhals	Mathew Hyland	1st
Regina Renegades	@ReginaRenegades	Dan Roesch	1st
Saskatoon Sharpshooters	@SaskShrpshootrs	Tony Pomposelli	1st
CENTRAL DIVISION			
Dallas Outlaws	@DALOutlawsIceHL	Ryan Haslett	2nd
Houston Hellcats	@HoustonHellcats	James Leggett	3rd
New Orleans Gators	@NOLAGators	Tim Stoeckle	2nd
Winnipeg Winterhawks	@WPGWinterhawks	Daniel Raposo	3rd*
MOUNTAIN DIVISION			
Boulder Beasts	@Beasts71	Robert Brown	2nd
Calgary Cavalry	@CalgaryCavalry	Jason Field	1st
Edmonton Kodiaks	@Ed_Kodiaks	Ed Power	3rd
Salt Lake City Scorpions	@SLCScorpions	Kyle Grossman	3rd
PACIFIC DIVISION			
California Wave	@CaliforniaWave	Jon Wold	3rd
Portland Pioneers	@PioneerIceHL	Jonathan Bravard	2nd
Seattle Aviators	–	Dave White	2nd
Vancouver Lumberjacks	–	Jim Hayden	1st



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TEAM	TWITTER	GENERAL MANAGER	YEAR
ATLANTIC DIVISION			
Baltimore Blue Crabs	@BALBlueCrabs	Bobby Erlichman	2nd
Hamilton Steelcats	@IceHL_Steelcats	Aaron Diggle	2nd
New York Guardians	@NYGuardians	Rich Lunghino	2nd
Washington Sentinels	@IceHLSentinels	Simon Cable	3rd
MIDWEST DIVISION			
Chicago Hitmen	@ChiTownHitmen	Jason Usher	2nd**
Detroit Motorheads	@DETMotorheads	Mike Kelly	2nd
Milwaukee Lagers	–	Ted Enarson	1st
Minnesota Mammoths	@MattyMammoths	Matt Riegler	2nd
NORTHEAST DIVISION			
Boston Colonials	@BostonColonials	Marc Brown	2nd
Hartford Mariners	@HarMariners	Thomas Ogilvie	1st
Montreal Olympiques	@MTLOlympiques	Chris Stephens	3rd
Quebec Armada	@QuebecArmada	Curtis Lanton	3rd
SOUTHEAST DIVISION			
Atlanta Arsenal	@Atlanta_Arsenal	Brandon Hebert	1st
North Carolina Nighthawks	@NCNighthawks	Brendan Anderson	2nd
St. Louis Archers	@StLouisArchers	Ryan Laden	3rd
Tampa Bay Barracudas	@TBBarracudas	Chris Smith	2nd

*-Includes one season as Steelcats GM; **-Appointed GM at midseason (2011-12).

THE THIRD YEAR

The IceHL embarks on its third season of fantasy hockey in 2012 with a crew of 24 returning general managers and eight rookies.

Ten of the 24 veterans joined the league for its inaugural season in 2010. Now, following a successful sophomore run, the league looks to be in better shape than ever.

The GMs will take a starring role this year, not only keeping fans and each other updated via Twitter but also by posting regular updates to the Fantasy Blog at Icehetics. There's even a weekly podcast in the works!

LEAGUE EXPANSION

It's not just new faces joining the IceHL in 2012. Over the summer, a pair of new teams were added to the league through expansion.

The goal was to avoid bye weeks on the schedule for the two fantasy leagues by giving each an even number of teams.

The plan commenced as Icehetics readers were given their first decision to make. Which two cities would join the IceHL?

Voters selected Yellowknife and Hartford when polls closed on March 7. Six days later, the name nomination process began.

Many names were suggested. And 3,000 votes later, the names were officially announced. The community had opted for the Hartford Mariners and Northwest Narwhals.



The logo submission process and subsequent voting ran until the end of May when the winning designs were announced.

NEW GENERAL MANAGERS

Not only were the new expansion teams in need of management, but so were six other teams—whose GMs opted not to return.

More than 200 fantasy hockey hopefuls applied to fill the open slots, demonstrating the continued popularity of this one-of-a-kind league that's still growing.

The new GMs were selected in late August.

ROSTER & SCORING CHANGES

To improve balance in the league's scoring system, a few changes will be implemented in the 2012-13 fantasy season.

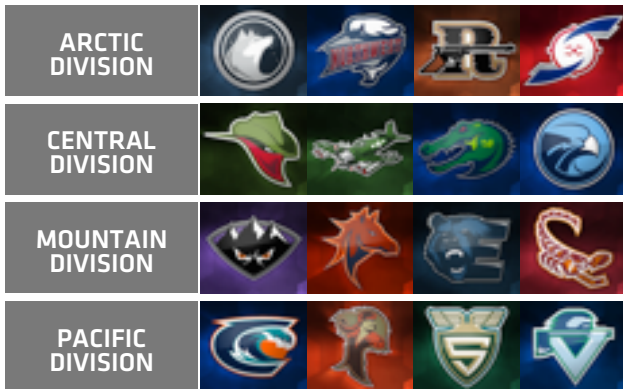
Rosters will shrink from 16 to 15 players while adding an IR slot to allow GMs to hold onto injured players without sacrificing a valuable roster position. Last season's Utility skater position has been removed.

Goalies will increase in value as wins and shutouts will both increase by a point. On the skaters side, goals increase to 4 points while short-handed and game-winning goals are reduced to one each. The extra point for a hat trick has been removed entirely.

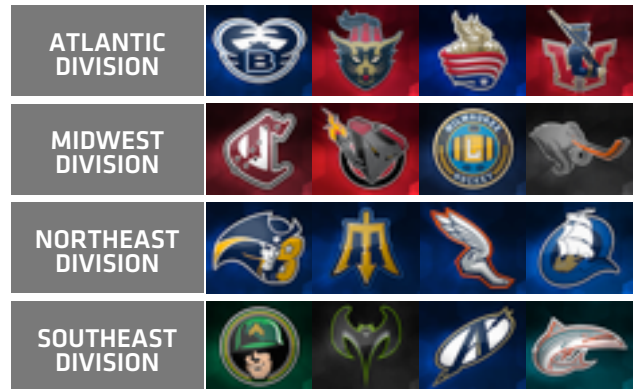


DIVISIONAL REALIGNMENT

THE ICEHL WEST



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To accommodate the two new expansion franchises, the IceHL was realigned from three divisions per conference to four. The new divisions were organized and named for the geographic regions which they represent.

SCORING SYSTEM

SKATERS (FORWARDS/ DEFENSEMEN)	GOALS	ASSISTS	POWER PLAY GOALS	SHORT- HANDED GOALS	GAME- WINNING GOALS	BLOCKED SHOTS
	4	2	1	1	1	1
GOALTENDERS	WINS		SHUTOUTS			
	6		4			

SEASON SCHEDULE

Each team will play a 22-game regular season schedule comprised of two games against all three divisional opponents and one or two against all 12 inter-divisional opponents.

The division champions will be the top four seeds heading into the playoffs. The bottom four will be determined by the individual records of the remaining 12.

Like last season, three rounds of playoffs will determine a league champion.

Teams that do not qualify for the playoffs will enter the Consolation Ladder.

ROSTER REQUIREMENTS



THE 2012 GM MAP

While The IceHL is confined to North America, its 32 general managers are not.

This map illustrates how the fantasy league's members are spread out geographically.

Not surprisingly, many GMs are clustered in the northeast, in traditional hockey markets.

But some GMs live as far west as Canada's Yukon Territory and as far east as the United Kingdom. The southernmost GM lives just outside of Houston.

And believe it or not, there's even one in the 2012 IceHL expansion city of Yellowknife.



GENERAL MANAGER
Thomas Ogilvie

LOGO DESIGNER
Eric Poole

UNIFORM DESIGNER
Ian Dyck



FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL EAST

NORTHEAST DIVISION

Hartford, Connecticut

NAME NOMINATED BY

Rich Lunghino

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Connecticut Clippers, Connecticut Union,
Hartford Hounds, Hartford Storm,
New England Brawlers

FANTASY LEAGUE DEBUT

2012-13 (IceHL's 3rd season)

TIMELINE

NAME SUBMITTED 03/13/2012

NAME ANNOUNCED 04/16/2012

LOGOS DESIGNED 04/30/2012

LOGOS UNVEILED 05/28/2012

UNIFORMS DESIGNED .. 08/17/2012

UNIFORMS UNVEILED .. 09/23/2012

MANAGEMENT

Thomas Ogilvie (2012—)



UNIFORM DESIGNER
Matt McElroy

LOGO DESIGNER
Slavomir Kiss

GENERAL MANAGER
Mathew Hyland

FRANCHISE HISTORY

THE ICEHL WEST

ARCTIC DIVISION

Yellowknife,
Northwest Territories

NAME NOMINATED BY
Ben M.

OTHER NAMES CONSIDERED

Arctic Rush, Northwest Freeze,
Yellowknife Aurora, Yellowknife Miners,
Yellowknife Vikings, Yellowknife Yetis

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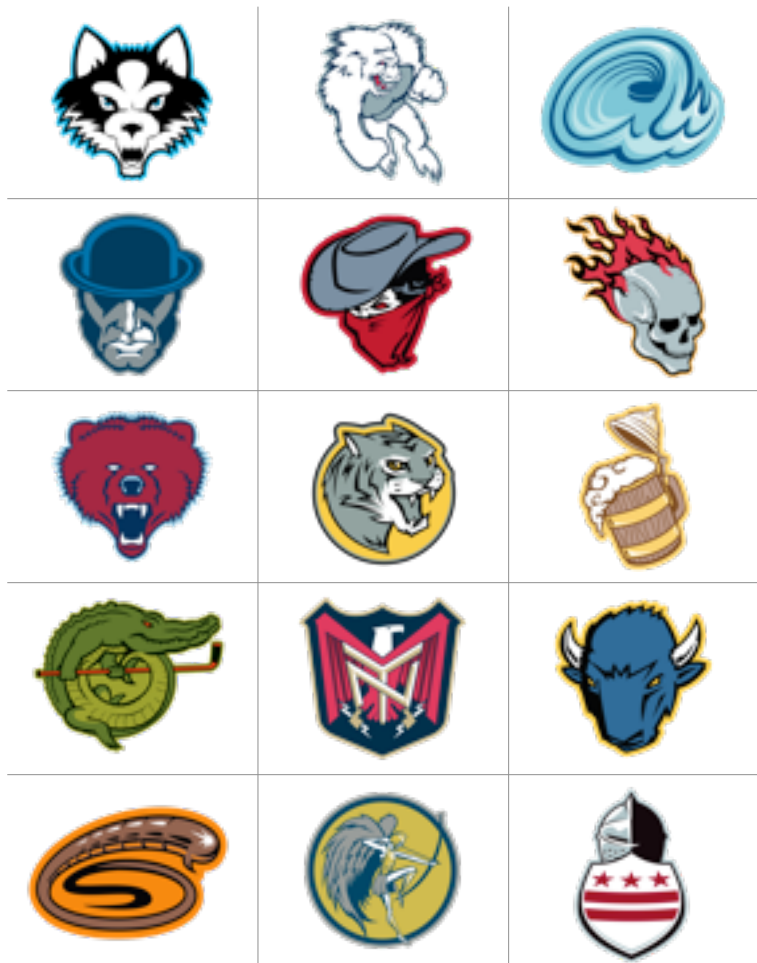
Mathew Hyland (2012—)



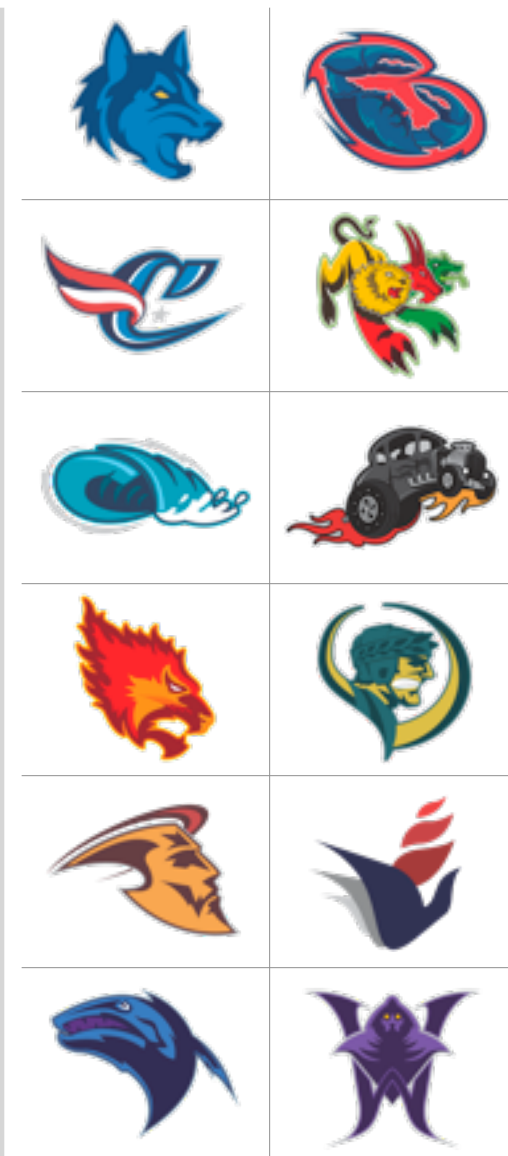
THE ICEHL CREATIVE SPOTLIGHT

In 2008, four talented designers were responsible for 16 of the 30 IceHL team logos. And between them, they submitted a total of 80 unique sets of artwork. If you think it sounds easy, sit down and try it some time. Craig C. Wheeler, Scott Robbins, Chris Smith (the other one) and Rik Oko each deserve a special place in the IceHL Hall of Fame—if only such a thing existed.

CRAIG C. WHEELER



CHRIS SMITH



DRAFT DAY FASHION

Prior to the 2011 IceHL drafts, Outlaws GM Ryan Haslett unveiled this hat, which would be “given to all draftees.”

He tweeted the design on Sept. 10 via @DALOutlawsIceHL.

Haslett's concept art frequently appears on Icethetics so it was no surprise to see the new GM working a little bit of that magic on his IceHL club.



FANTASY CLASSIC

Early in the season, Hitmen GM Joey Langdon proposed an imaginary bye-week “Winter Classic” between his team and Jonathan Bravard's Pioneers.

The inter-league outdoor “game” took place during Week 20 and saw Portland defeat Chicago, 106-83.

Wave GM Jon Wold provided the logo design for the Soldier Field game.



PAINTING THE ICE

On Sept. 8, Nighthawks GM Brendan Anderson tweeted this image and said, “final touches being done at center ice.”

The Nighthawks call Charlotte, N.C. home so we'll look past the fact that the RBC Center is actually in Raleigh.

Anderson is a regular contributor of concept art to Icethetics and submitted dozens of jersey designs for the IceHL.

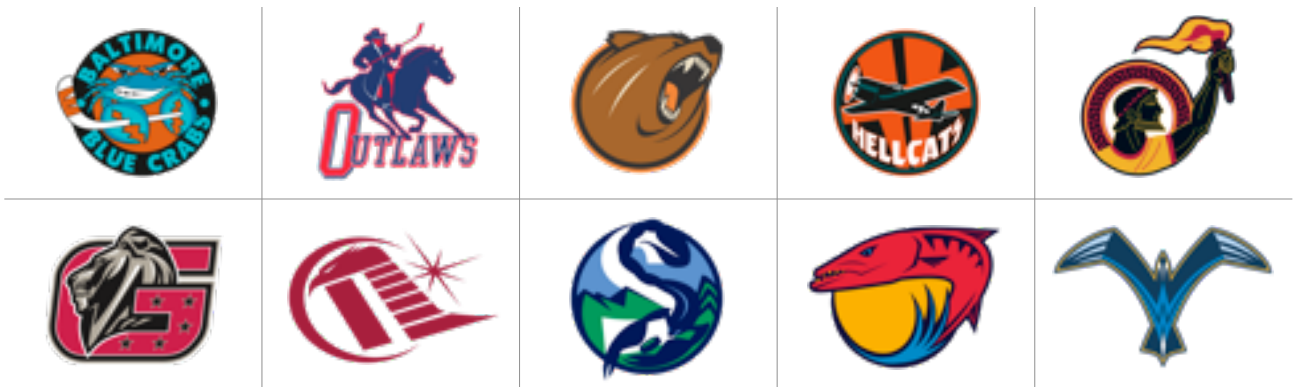


Think you know The IceHL? Play a game with these unused logos. See if you can match them to the teams they were designed for. Some are pretty obvious; others, no so much. Hint: Logos are listed alphabetically by city.

SCOTT ROBBINS (SIX ZERO BRANDING)



RIK OKO (TDOG)



COUNTING ARTISTS...

- who submitted logos 60
- with winning logos 13
- who submitted uniforms 70
- with winning uniforms 17

THE MOST...

- winning logos Chris Smith/6
- winning uniforms J. Nahhas/4
- submitted logos.. S. Robbins/24

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In the coming years, the goal is to see **The IceHL Project** continue to build on its unique history. As such, change is inevitable. Before we (literally) close the book on 2012, let's see what's in store for the future of the league in 2013 and beyond.

RELOCATION & REBRANDING

The Relocation and Rebranding Initiatives were both announced in 2011 as projects for the summer of 2012. However, when the Jersey Design Competition ended, it seemed far too soon to go back to the drawing board. So the plans were pushed back a year. Here's how it will work:

	RELOCATION	REBRANDING
<i>What is it?</i>	Teams are "moved" to new cities within North America and are then rebranded.	Teams get new identities (name, logos, uniforms) but remain in the same market.
<i>How will it work?</i>	Icehletics readers will vote to determine which teams will be relocated as well as every aspect of rebranding.	Icehletics readers will vote to determine which teams will be rebranded as well as every aspect of rebranding.
<i>Which teams are eligible?</i>	All non-playoff teams from 2012-13 season will be eligible. Individual GMs may also nominate their own teams.	
<i>How will teams be chosen?</i>	Readers will vote 'yes or no' on all eligible teams. Various factors will determine whether a logo requires 51%, 67% or 75% of the vote to move forward in the process. Details to come.	
<i>What's the schedule?</i>	Relocation will begin first, likely in the spring of 2013. Teams that are not selected for Relocation may still be put up for Rebranding.	Rebranding will begin after voters have determined which teams will be relocated, likely late spring 2013. The design process will then continue through the summer.
<i>Sum it up poetically.</i>	All relocated teams must be rebranded, but not all rebranded teams must be relocated.	

THIRD JERSEY PROGRAM

The IceHL will launch its Third Jersey Program following the completion of the Relocation and Rebranding Initiatives in 2013. This process will be conducted much like last year's Jersey Design Competition. Artists will submit alternate sweater designs which will be put to a vote of the Icehletics readership.

These new uniforms will join each team's growing brand which currently includes a series of logos as well as home and road uniforms.

GOING GLOBAL

The enthusiasm that propels The IceHL Project keeps gaining strength and numbers.

To accommodate the growing interest in the fantasy leagues and to recapture the excitement of building a hockey league from the ground up, the next phase of the project will introduce a whole new set of teams from nations and cities around the globe.

The IceHL WORLD Initiative is slated to launch in August 2013—as The IceHL marks its fifth anniversary—with the expectation that it will become Icehletics' third fantasy hockey league in time for the 2014-15 season.

The new league will not be restricted by oceans nor national borders and will start smaller than the original IceHL in order to allow it to expand organically over the years. As has become standard, Icehletics readers will make all the important decisions in creating this new league. And when it's complete, a new band of general managers will be welcomed into The IceHL family.

This is all just a taste of what's to come for The IceHL Project!



THE G.M. ZONE

Throughout this book, you've heard plenty from me. Now I'm turning the floor over to one of the IceHL's most active GMs to talk about his experience in the league. —Chris Smith

*by Matt Riegler
GM, Minnesota Mammoths*

My hockey dreams always ran the gamut: dynamic rookie, hometown hero, GM, and even champion.

Since my dreams never quite came true, fantasy hockey was always part of my life. As a sports journalist, I've learned how to live vicariously through others. And as a coach, I've learned how to analyze what the numbers are trying to tell us.

The IceHL represents a special and unique experience in fantasy sports as it's the only crowd-sourced hockey league around. The logos, uniforms and backstories are entirely generated by Icehletics readers.

It also draws upon real-world sentiment, imagination and value. Our players aren't interchangeable parts to succeed through; they're dynamic characters to succeed with.

What started as a small design project has grown into an intensely popular fantasy hockey league. There were more than 200 applicants this season for just two expansion teams. And countless more fans follow the progress of the league on Twitter, the blog and the upcoming podcast.



As GM of the Minnesota Mammoths, I've been afforded the unexpected opportunity to find the awesome intersection of fantasy and reality. Sure, my team's numbers are based on traditional fantasy hockey tenants and metrics, but how I build can now be based on an ideal, and maybe some extra favoritism. We all can and we all do, which in turn makes for an engaging, competitive and even at times a surreal experience.

I had grown tired of fantasy sports before I found the IceHL, and now I can't get enough.

Thank you to the artists for all of the hard work you put in, to my fellow GMs for your dedication, and to Icehletics' readers and fans. And of course, a big thanks to Chris Smith for his leadership and guidance.

Wouldn't have this joy without each and every one of you.



@MattRiegler
@MattyMammoths





What are the GMs saying about The IceHL?

...
“The IceHL has certainly been the most engaging fantasy league I’ve ever been a part of. The fantasy hockey and design elements are a perfect mix for this hockey nerd.”

—Ryan Laden, Archers GM

...
“Being the GM of the New York Guardians was an awesome experience and I look forward to continuing next year.”

—Rich Lunghino, Guardians GM

...
“There are high hopes in New Orleans for the 2012-13 season and here is a warning for the rest of the IceHL WEST: The Gators are coming.”

—Tim Stoeckle, Gators GM

...
“Big thank you to Chris Smith for his constant dedication to both leagues. They ran smoothly and effectively. I think I can safely speak for everyone in that we all had a blast and are looking forward to next year. The Olympiques will be ready!”

—Chris Stephens, Olympiques GM

...
“I’ve never been so invested in a pool. I want to thank Chris for the fantastic concept and the other GMs for making the league so entertaining. The trades, banter and competition through the site and Twitter were highlights nearly every day.”

—Mike Kelly, Motorheads GM

...
“I had honestly lost interest in fantasy sports but this league has reinvigorated me.”

—Matt Riegler, Mammoths GM

...
“Can’t wait for next year!”

—Simon Cable, Sentinels GM