

ICEHOGS GAMEDAY

BMO HARRIS BANK CENTER • ICEHOGS VS RAMPAGE • REGULAR SEASON GAME 49 (HOME GAME 27)
 FEBRUARY 7, 2020 • TIME: 7 PM • RADIO: FACEBOOK, SPORTSFAN1330.COM

GAME NOTES

- **QUIETING THE RAMPAGE:** The Rockford IceHogs look for revenge against the San Antonio Rampage after the latter defeated the former 3-2 in regulation during the last meeting between the two clubs on Nov. 26. Only one time since Nov. 11-12 of 2010 has Rockford lost two consecutive games against San Antonio in regulation. That sole instance came on Jan. 12-15 of 2019, and now the IceHogs look to avoid dropping their second straight contest in regulation to their divisional rival.
- **A TALE OF TWO SEASONS:** From the IceHogs' season-opener on Oct. 4 through Dec. 20, the IceHogs held an overall record of 17-10-0-1 and reached as high as second place in the Central Division. However, since Dec. 21, Rockford has won just four matchups, going 4-14-1-1 in that span and falling to sixth place in the Central.
- **MAKE IT COUNT:** The IceHogs sat dead last in the AHL with a power-play rate of 10.3% after going five straight games without a goal on the man-advantage from Jan. 15-Jan. 22. However, Rockford is now 6-for-22 (27.3%) with the extra man across their last five and has jumped to 29th in the league with an 12.2% success rate on the season.
- **DYL PICKLE:** Dylan Sikura netted a goal and dished an assist Tuesday to increase his point streak to five games in which he's deposited eight points (3g, 5a). The streak sets the club's season-long point streak and Sikura is now just one game shy of tying a career-high six-game point streak he set from Feb. 2-April 4 of 2019 in which he contributed seven points (3g, 4a).
- **TODAY'S PROMOTION:** Friday is Blackhawks Night! Brandon Bolig, Jim Cornelison, Tommy Hawk and the Hawks Ice Crew will appear.

MATCHUP SNAPSHOT



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RECORD	21-24-1-2	16-19-6-5
GOALS/GAME	2.52	2.76
SHOTS/GAME	27.98	33.30
GOALS AGAINST/GAME	3.10	3.24
POWER PLAY PCT.	12.2%	21.6%
PENALTY KILL PCT.	76.3%	81.5%
STREAK	1-0-0-0	0-1-0-0
LEADING SCORER	T. Sikura (29)	D. Pouliot (32)

The San Antonio Rampage arrive at the BMO Harris Bank Center to take on the Rockford IceHogs on Friday with 43 points while the IceHogs sit in sixth place with 45. San Antonio currently occupies eighth place in the Central and has had more overtime and shootout losses than any other team in the division this season. The club is led by defenseman, Derrick Pouliot who has 32 points. For the IceHogs, Tyler Sikura leads the team in points with 29 points.

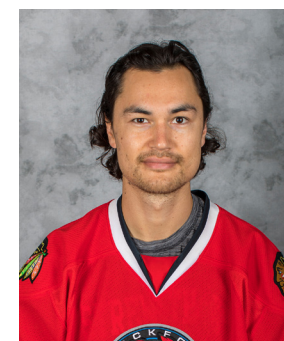
PLAYERS TO WATCH



**BRANDON
HAGEL**
#22

AGE	POS	GP	G	A	PIM	+/-
21	LW	45	17	8	30	-3

Brandon Hagel is entering tonight's contest with 17 goals and eight assists in 45 games played this season. The Saskatoon native has three goals in his last three games and four in his last five.



**TYLER
SIKURA**
#16

AGE	POS	GP	G	A	PIM	+/-
27	LW	48	12	17	8	+6

Tyler Sikura leads the entire IceHogs roster this season with 17 assists and 29 points and is tied for second on the club in goals with 12. The captain has four assists and five points across his last five outings.



**NATHAN
WALKER**
#12

AGE	POS	GP	G	A	PIM	+/-
25	LW	40	18	12	29	0

Nathan Walker is tied for top goal-scorer on this Rampage squad with Mike Vecchione; both have netted 18. Walker leads the team with 30 points, but hasn't collected a point since Jan. 25 against the Colorado Eagles.

NEXT HOME GAME



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BMO Harris Bank Center
Sat. Feb 8 | 6:00 PM