

2025-26 MASSACHUSETTS HOCKEY GAME NOTES UPDATE



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#13 MASSACHUSETTS MINUTEMEN (5-1-0, 0-1-0 HE)
AT OMAHA MAVERICKS (1-2-0, 0-0-0 NCHC)
OCTOBER 25, 2025 | OMAHA, NEB. | KEMP ICE AT BAXTER ARENA | 8:00 P.M. ET

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SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent (TV)	Res./Time
10/4	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	W, 5-3
10/5	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	W, 4-1
10/10	vs. Stonehill*	W, 4-1
10/17	NORTHEASTERN*	L, 2-4
10/18	BENTLEY	W, 5-4 (OT)
10/24	at Omaha	W, 5-4
10/25	at Omaha	8:00 p.m.
10/31	#19/18 CORNELL	7:00 PM
11/1	#19/18 CORNELL	6:00 PM
11/6	#10 MAINE*	7:00 PM
11/7	#10 MAINE*	7:00 PM
11/14	at #9 Boston College*	7:00 p.m.
11/15	#9 BOSTON COLLEGE*	7:00 PM
11/20	at #15/14 Providence*	7:00 p.m.
11/22	#15/14 PROVIDENCE*	7:00 PM
11/29	at Army	4:00 p.m.
12/6	at Northeastern*	7:00 p.m.
12/7	at Northeastern*	5:00 p.m.
1/2	SIMON FRASER (EX)	7:00 PM
1/9	#4 BOSTON UNIVERSITY*	7:00 PM
1/10	at #4 Boston University*	6:00 p.m.
1/16	at Merrimack*	7:00 p.m.
1/17	MERRIMACK*	7:00 PM
1/23	at Vermont*	7:00 p.m.
1/24	at Vermont*	7:00 p.m.
1/30	NORTHEASTERN*	7:00 PM
2/1	at UMass Lowell*	3:30 p.m.
2/6	at UMass Lowell*	7:15 p.m.
2/7	UMASS LOWELL*	7:00 PM
2/20	NEW HAMPSHIRE*	7:00 PM
2/21	at New Hampshire*	7:00 p.m.
2/27	at #11 UConn*	7:00 p.m.
2/28	#11 UCONN*	7:00 PM
3/5	#9 BOSTON COLLEGE*	7:00 PM
3/7	at New Hampshire*	7:00 PM

* - Denotes Hockey East game
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MASSACHUSETTS MINUTEMEN GAME NOTES

LAST NIGHT, BRIEFLY

- Junior Jack Musa netted his fifth goal of the season in the final minute of regulation to lift No. 13 University of Massachusetts hockey past Omaha, 5-4 on Friday night at Baxter Arena.

- The contest featured eight different goal scorers for nine goals between the two squads. There were three ties and three lead changes in the back-and-forth affair.

- It marked the third time this season UMass has put up five or more goals and the fifth time in seven games the Minutemen have scored four or more.

QUOTABLE

- "It was a strange game. That's quite a game that we can build off of to come back like that. I really liked our first period. We were in control of the game. We almost made it 4-1 and then I give Omaha credit, they kept playing hard. We kind of fell asleep. But the way we came back and then Jack Musa, the goal he scored, that's just unbelievable compete. Block the shot, win a race, and then, you know, find that puck. I'm really happy for the team. It's tough to win on the road. This team's learning how to win, and we did it in a fashion that most coaches don't want to win that way, but a win's a win. I'm happy for the guys. They found a way." - **UMass head coach Greg Carvel**

PERFORMANCES OF NOTE

- Owen Mehlenbacher picked up his first two points in a UMass uniform and posted second career multi-point game as he previously had two points vs. Notre Dame last February at Wisconsin.

- Cam O'Neill logged the first multi-point game of his career with a goal and an assist. The goal, which tied the score in the third period, marked his first since Oct. 19, 2024, breaking a 26-game scoring drought.

- With a goal and an assist, Jack Musa recorded his fourth multi-point game of the season and 20th of his career. He currently leads the Minutemen in scoring with 11 points (5g, 6a) in six games.

- Lukáš Klečka registered an assist, the first of his collegiate career.

- Larry Keenan scored for second straight game, his second goal of the season. The sophomore has three points (2g, 1a) in his last two contests.

- Mikey DeAngelo scored his second of the season and is one goal shy of matching his 2024-25 freshman year total of three goals in 33 games at Michigan State.

- Nick VanTassell registered two assists for the second straight game and the second time in his career. He has now equaled his single-season career high in points (4 in 37 games in 2024-25) through just six contests on the year.

- Francesco Dell'Elce notched his sixth point of the year with his fourth assist. He has at least one point in every game thus far and is tied for sixth in the nation in defensemen scoring, second in Hockey East.

GOING STREAKING

- Jack Musa - 6 game point streak (5g, 6a)
- Francesco Dell'Elce - 6 game point streak (2g, 4a)
- Larry Keenan - 2 game goal scoring streak (2g)

IN THE NATIONAL PICTURE

UMass is top-10 in the nation in....

- Scoring Offense (6th, 4.17)
- Assists (5th, 42)
- Points (5th, 67)
- Power-Play Goals (10th, 6)
- Winning % (6th, .833)

The Minutemen rank first in Hockey East in all of these categories.

Individuals among national stats leaders (top-10)

- Assists Per-Game - Jack Musa (10th, 1.00)
- Points Per-Game - Jack Musa (4th, 0.83)

TRENDING

- Through six games on the season the Minutemen are...

- 2-0-0 on the road
- 2-1-0 when the opponent scores first
- 2-0-0 when tied entering the third period
- 4-0-0 when outshooting their opponent
- 4-1-0 when scoring a power-play goal
- 5-0-0 when scoring four or more goals

ON THE HORIZON

- Following this weekend's trip to Omaha, UMass will return home to play six of its next eight games at the Mullins Center

- That stretch of eight games features four opponents currently ranked in the top-20 nationally.

- No. 19/18 Cornell visits the Mullins Center next weekend for the first time since 2009. The games will mark the third meeting between UMass and the Big Red in the past three seasons, with the previous two meetings occurring in Lake Placid and Tempe, Arizona.