VAN ANDEL ARENA • ICEHOGS AT GRIFFINS • REGULAR SEASON GAME 22 (ROAD GAME 10)
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## **GAME NOTES**

- CARL, GOOD TO SEE YOU!: Along with leading the leading the team in scoring against Grand Rapids this season, Lucas Carlsson also enters Friday's game with the most career points (11) against the Griffins of any current IceHogs skater. Carlsson has tallied points in four of his last six games against Grand Rapids with six total assists over that stretch.
- **HOT HOGS:** Rockford has won 10 of its last 14 games and boast points in 11 of those 14 contests dating to Oct. 30. The IceHogs have also notched points in six of their last seven appearances and are currently on a four-game home winning streak and a three-game overall winning streak.
- **3 FOR ME:** The IceHogs boast a 12-0-0-1 clip when scoring at least three goals, with the lone defeat a shootout loss at Texas. Dating back to the beginning of the 2018-19 season, the IceHogs have won 42 of 47 games when scoring at least three goals (42-2-1-2).
- ON BRAND: Brandon Hagel has gone 14 contests without being held pointless in back-to-back appearances. He has collected 10 points (6g, 4a) in that 14-game span and is the only rookie in the Western Conference to not go pointless in back-to-back games in that stretch.
- **SIKURA SQUARED:** Dylan and Tyler Sikura each tallied an assist in Tuesday's win and share the team lead with each other in scoring. They have eight goals and six assists apiece and have each assisted on two of each other's goals on the year. The duo has combined to produce 18 of Rockford's 64 goals (28%).

## MATCHUP Snapshot

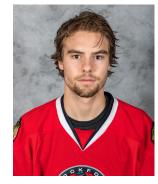




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RECORD	12-8-0-1	9-13-1-1
GOALS/GAME	3.05	3.00
SHOTS/GAME	29.62	29.67
GOALS AGAINST/GAME	3.05	3.63
POWER PLAY PCT.	10.8%	21.8%
PENALTY KILL PCT.	75.6%	76.9%
STREAK	3-0-0-0	0-6-0-0
LEADING SCORER	Two Tied (14)	Terry (27)

The Grand Rapids Griffins won two of three games during the middle stretch of November but have since lost each of their last six contests dating to Nov. 22. Grand Rapids has scored two or fewer goals in each of those six contests while falling into seventh place in the Central Division. The team is led in scoring by Chris Terry, who has posted nine multi-point efforts through 24 games entering Friday's showdown.

## **PLAYERS TO WATCH**



BRANDON HAGEL #22

AGE	POS	GP	G	Α	PIM	+/-
21	F	20	6	5	16	+4

Hagel has tallied points in nine of this last 14 games and combined for six goals and four assists over that stretch since Oct. 30. The rookie forward has also posted an even-orbetter plus/minus rating in 13 straight games.



JONI TUULOLA #36

AGE POS GP G A PIM +/23 D 20 2 3 8 +7

Tuulola has scored goals in back-to-back games after opening the season without a goal through his first 18 contests. The blueliner shares the team lead in plus/minus on the year and is +5 over his last six games.



MORITZ
SEIDER
#53

**AGE POS GP G A PIM +/-** 18 D 24 1 11 14 -7

Rookie blueliner Seider leads the team in scoring over the last seven contests with four points on one goal and three assists. He also enters Friday ranked second among AHL rookie defensemen with 11 assists this year.

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