

Bemidji State Beaver Hockey



Bemidji State

VS

Niagara Purple Eagles

December 5, 2009



	Pts	Conference Only					Overall				
		GP	Record	Win%	GF-	GA	GP	Record	Win%	GF-	GA
1 Bemidji State	14	7	7-0-0	1.00	32-	9	15	12-2-1	.821	61-	26
2 Niagara	3	4	1-2-1	.500	11-	8	12	2-8-2	.250	34-	39
Robert Morris	4	5	1-3-2	.300	9-	19	13	3-9-1	.269	33-	53
4 Alab-Huntsville	1	4	0-4-1	.000	6-	16	12	3-9-0	.250	21-	36

Friday: Huntsville at Robert Morris Niagara at Bemidji State
Saturday: Huntsville at Robert Morris Niagara at Bemidji State

LINE-UP CHANGES

BSU IN

Niagara IN

(R)

(AR)

BSU OUT

Niagara OUT

First Intermission Player

Second Intermission Player

OFFICIALS:

SERIES HISTORY	47th all-time meeting
OVERALL	Niagara 20 - 18 - 8
AT JOHN GLAS	BSU 10 - 6 - 5
ON ROAD	Niagara 13 - 7 - 3
NEUTRAL SITE	Tied 1 - 1 - 0
IN OVERTIME	Niagara 1 - 2 - 8
CHA ALL-TIME	115 - 62 - 23
LAST TEN	BSU 6 - 3 - 1
STREAK	BSU 4 - 0 - 0
LAST MEETING	February 15, 2009
	BSU 4 - 1
FIRST MEETING	November 5, 1999
	Niagara 4 - 2

BEMIDJI STATE WHEN ...			
Leading after 1 -	10 - 1 - 0	At Home	7 - 0 - 0
Trailing after 1 -	0 - 0 - 0	On Road	4 - 1 - 1
Tied after 1 -	2 - 1 - 1	Neutral Site	1 - 1 - 0
Leading after 2 -	10 - 0 - 0	By 1 Goal or less	3 - 1 - 1
Trailing after 2 -	0 - 1 - 1	By 2 Goals	2 - 0 - 0
Tied after 2 -	2 - 1 - 0	By 3 or More	7 - 1 - 0
First Game of series	6 - 2 - 1	BSU More Shots	7 - 0 - 0
Second Game	6 - 0 - 0	BSU Fewer Shots	5 - 2 - 1
Scoring 1st	10 - 2 - 0	Shots Even	0 - 0 - 0
Not Scoring 1st	2 - 0 - 1	BSU PP Goal	7 - 0 - 1
Overtime Games	2 - 1 - 1	No BSU PP Goal	5 - 2 - 0
Scoring 2 or less	3 - 2 - 0	Allowing 2 or less	10 - 1 - 0
Scoring 3 or more	9 - 0 - 1	Allowing 3 or more	2 - 1 - 1



Team Leaders

Goals: Matt Read (10)
Assists: Read, Hunt and George (11)
Points: Matt Read (21)
PP Goals: Brad Hunt (4)
SH Goals: Matt Read and Chris McKelvie (1)
GW Goals: Matt Read (3)

Current Team Streak: lost once
Last 10: 9 - 1 - 0 **Last 5:** 4 - 1 - 0
Conf 5: 5 - 0 - 0

Team Leaders

Goals: Ryan Olidis (7)
Assists: Chris Moran (12)
Points: Chris Moran (14)
PP Goals: Moran, Olidis and Mironov (2)
SH Goals: Olidis, Marc Zanette, Baco (1)
GW Goals: Chris Moran and Brent Vandenberg (1)

Current Team Streak: won twice
Last 10: 4 - 5 - 1 **Last 5:** 2 - 2 - 1
Conf 5: 1 - 1 - 1



Pregame @ 7:00:00

Tease Close @ 29:19

Hit the :60 @ 18:56

MY RINK PHONE NUMBER - xxx-xxx-xxxx

Upcoming Games on the Beaver Radio Network:

Friday, December 4	Men's Hockey vs Niagara 7:00pm / 7:35pm
Saturday, December 5	Men's Hockey vs Niagara 6:30pm / 7:05pm Women's Hockey at North Dakota 6:45pm / 7:07pm
Wednesday, December 9	Sports in the Round 6p - 8p at the Ground Round
Friday, December 11	Men's Hockey vs Niagara 7:00pm / 7:35pm
Saturday, December 12	Women's Hockey at Duluth 2:45pm / 3:07pm Men's Hockey vs Niagara 6:30pm / 7:05pm
Sunday, December 13	Women's Hockey at Duluth 2:45pm / 3:07pm

Bemidji State's 8-2 victory over Niagara Friday helped the Beavers improve to 12-2-1 on the season -- making BSU the second team in the nation to reach 12 wins--following Quinnipiac (12-2-0).

BSU's eight goals marked their highest scoring output of 2009-10 and was the first time BSU has scored eight or more goals in a game since the team put up eight Dec. 3, 2005. Ironically that 8-1 win came versus Niagara--nearly four years, to the day prior, to last night's rout.

Dan Bakala posted his ninth victory in net last night posting 27 saves. He improved to 9-1-1 on the season and recorded his third consecutive triumph. During that streak he has logged a .933 save percentage and a 1.67 goals against average. He is now tied for the nation's lead in goaltender victories (9) and is a perfect 6-0-0 in CHA play.

Darcy Findlay netted his third goal of the season last night stretching his consecutive games with a point streak to a team-best three. He has 2-1=3 points during that span.

Dating back to Jan. 24 of last season, BSU has posted a record of 24-5-2 (.839).

Since stepping on campus in the fall of 2007 Matt Read has a plus/minus rating of +44 and the Beavers are 26-5-1 when he scores a goal, which includes a 8-0-0 mark during the 2009-10 campaign.

With his 25 career multi-point game last night--his team-leading eighth of the season-- Matt Read, BSU leading scorer has 11-12=23 points in 2009-10 to rank sixth in the country. He now has 35-55=90 points in his career and moved into a tie with Ryan Huddy (2002-06) for seventh on BSU's Division I-era scoring chart. His 35 goals match Riley Riddell (2001-04) for seventh on BSU's D-I goals list and his 55 assists rank fifth.

Four of the CHA's top five scorers are members of the Bemidji State men's hockey team as the Beavers are averaging a league-leading 4.75 goals in seven CHA contests. Matt Read leads the contingent with 8-6=14 points in seven games followed by the CHA rookie scoring and overall assists leader Jordan George (3-9=12), Brad Hunt (3-5=8), who leads all league defensemen and Ian Lowe (4-3=7).

Fourteen different BSU players posted at least a point in last night's victory. Ian Lowe led all players with the first multi-goal effort of his collegiate career, while Jordan George, Matt Read, Dan MacIntyre, Ryan Cramer and Shea Walters each posted two points.

Dan MacIntyre recorded the first multi-point night of his career with a pair of assists last night, doubling his career point total in just 60 minutes. He came into the game with 0-2=2 career points.

Despite being held without a point in the last three games, Brad Hunt's 5-11=16 points has him ranked sixth among NCAA Division I defensemen.

Scoring first Friday, BSU is now 9-2-0 in 2009-10 when it is the first team on the scoreboard.

Toting a 4-1 lead over Niagara into the third period Friday, BSU is now 10-0-0 this season when leading after two.

This season BSU is 6-0-0 in the second game of a two-game set and looks for its fifth sweep of 2009-10. The Beavers completed five series sweeps in all of the 2008-09 campaign.

In 2009-10, the Beavers are out scoring their opponents 38-11 in seven home contests. They are averaging 5.4 goals per game to their opponents' 1.5 gpg.

Stretching their record to 7-0-0 in CHA games this season, the Beavers continue their quest to become the second CHA team ever to post an unbeaten conference schedule since the league's inception 1999-2000. Niagara was the first team to achieve the feat posting a 15-0-2 mark in 1999-00.

Through 15 games the BSU junior class leads the scoring race with 24-26=50 points and own the goal scoring lead followed closely by the sophomores, who have 18-31=49, the freshmen have 10-23=33 with the seniors bringing up the rear with 8-14=23 points.

BSU has allowed two-or-fewer goals in 11 of its 15 games and is 10-1-0 in those games. Giving up just 26 goals through 15 games (1.71 gpg) it leads in the nation for scoring defense. The Beavers have allowed just nine goals in its first seven CHA contests and leads the league allowing a meager 1.29 gpg.

BSU leads the country with 61 goals and is third in the nation in goals per game averaging 4.07. The team has managed to score five or more goals in seven of its 15 contests, including its last four home games.

Friday's 8-2 victory over Niagara marked the fourth straight over the Purple Eagles, the Beavers longest winning

streak in the all-time series history. BSU is now 18-20-8 versus NU all-time.

BSU has not swept a series from Niagara at the Glas since topping NU 7-4 and 3-2, Feb. 1-2, 2002--a streak spanning eight two-game sets.

With a 12-2-1 overall record (.833), only Quinnipiac possesses a better winning percentage (12-2-0 / .857).

BSU is 7-0-0 at home this season--its 43rd and final slate at the John Glas Fieldhouse. Since 1966-67, BSU has been dominant on its home ice, posting a 497-142-41 mark at home--that's a 76.1 winning percentage.