

***** Team Roster Posted on Last Page *****

Team Midwest:

The following list is the list of the 25 players that have made our Chicago Showcase roster.

I first want to congratulate all of those who are on the list, and thank all of those who tried out. The decisions that our staff had to make were tough, and many things were taken into consideration in regards to who was on the final roster. The players truly made it a tough process, and to me that is the sign of a good competitive tryout, with good players across the board. So thank you again to all those who took the time and made the effort to be a part of this process.

As we move forward I want to talk about what lies a head for the team. As it stands right now the twenty players listed first are the players that will be making the trip to Chicago. However all 25 players are invited and encouraged/required to practice. There is always a chance that one or more of the alternates could go to Chicago, and if that were to happen we would want everyone to be at practice. Our staff will be taking some time over the next few nights to contact all 25 players via phone to talk to them and get an idea of what their intentions are as we move forward.

As far as practice goes, for the next two weeks we will practice in Ames, twice a day on Saturday's and once on Sunday's. In between the sessions on Saturday's we will be doing team building activities, and or holding team meetings. Those practice times will be similar to the times that we went by this last Saturday, and will be posted as well. The final weekend before the tournament, we will practice back in Des Moines twice on Saturday only.

Our staff expects that the 25 players chosen will make the commitment over the next three or four weeks to do what is asked of them, and represent themselves, their program's and our region in a first class manner. Part of our conversations this week with everyone will be to make sure that each player is on board with the things we are going to ask of them. As we get into practice and closer to the Showcase we will get into more detail in terms of what is expected, and how things are going to be run, and how things are going to go.

Once again I want to thank everyone for giving their time and effort to this process. Situations like this are never easy, and they are never perfect. Our staff tried to keep this process as open and as flexible as possible, and we feel good about this program moving forward.

Congratulations again to all those who participated and to all those who are a part of the final 25.

Best Regards,

Coach Schmale

Practice Schedule:

Ames Ice Arena / Saturday, March 28th / 1) 10:30am – 12:00pm; 2) 4:15pm –5:45pm.

Ames Ice Arena / Sunday, March 29th / 1) 9:00am – 11:00am.

Ames Ice Arena / Saturday, April 4th / 1) 10:30am – 12:00pm; 2) 4:15pm –5:45pm.

Ames Ice Arena / Sunday, April 5th / 1) 9:00am – 11:00am.

Metro Ice Arena / Des Moines / Saturday, April 11th / 1) 10:30am – 12:00pm; 2)
4:15pm –5:45pm.

Chicago Showcase Tournament Schedule:

Wednesday, April 15th / 10:00am / vs. Team Northwest

Thursday, April 16th / 3:00pm / vs. Arizona/New Mexico

Friday, April 17th / 9:00am / vs. Indiana

Saturday, April 18th / Time & Team determined by pool play..

Sunday, April 19th / TBD

Name	Team	Yr.
Forwards		
Tyler Belling	DM Oak Leafs	Sr
Cody Weaver	DM Oak Leafs	Sr
Jake Scebold	Ames	Sr
Austin Parle	Ames	Sr
Dawson Kuhlmann	Waterloo	Jr
Travis Vensky	Lincoln	Sr
Jorgan Kontor	Lincoln	Sr
Conner Hanlon	KC Stars	Jr
Alex Williamson	KC Stars	Jr
Justin Metli	Mason City	Jr
Andrew Burgmeier	Mason City	Jr
Will Martin	Mason City	Jr
Defensemen		
Matt Curry	KC Stars	Jr
John Buckley	KC Stars	Jr
Matt Stegemann	Quad Cities	Sr
Tommy Dowell	KC Jr. Outlaws	Jr
Kinsey Cornick	Mason City	Jr
Ryan Marrs	Ames	Sr
Goalies		
Matt Truninger	Quad Cities	Sr
Mike King	KC Outlaws	Sr
Alternates		
Kris Yelderman	KC Jr. Outlaws	Jr
Jared Rosendahl	Mason City	Sr
Trevor McClary	KC Jr. Outlaws	Sr
Kyle Lierman	Sioux City	Sr
Alex George	DM Oak Leafs	Jr