



## IOWA WILD REPORT – JANUARY 1, 2025

The Wild went 1-4-0 in its most recent five-game stretch, with two games coming against the Chicago Wolves and three against the Rockford IceHogs. In the first meeting against Chicago on Friday, December 20, the Wild fell to the Wolves, 3-2. **Ryan Sandelin** and **Caedan Bankier** were the goal scorers for Iowa, and **Samuel Hlavaj** stopped 34-of-36 shots faced. The two teams met again the following night, with Iowa falling, 4-1. **David Spacek** scored the lone goal for Iowa, while **Dylan Ferguson** stopped 37-of-41 shots faced. Iowa opened its three-game set with Rockford on Friday, December 27, falling to the IceHogs, 5-0. The Wild and IceHogs played again the next night, where Iowa suffered a 4-2 loss. **Graeme Clarke** and **Carson Lambos** were the goal scorers, Hlavaj stopped 26-of-29 shots faced. Iowa got back into the win column last night with a 5-4 win in its final game against Rockford. **Brendan Gaunce** paced the Wild by recording a hat trick, Bankier scored his fifth goal of the season and **David Jiricek** scored his first goal as a member of the Iowa Wild. Hlavaj stopped 28-of-32 shots in the win. Through 29 games, **Travis Boyd** leads all Iowa skaters with 20 points (3-17=20). Gaunce owns 17 points (11-6=17) and **Liam Ohgren** has 16 points (10-6=16). **Jesper Wallstedt** is 5-7-1 with a 3.89 GAA, a .868 SV% and one shutout in 13 games, Ferguson owns a 3-4-0 record with a 3.30 GAA and a .900 SV% in his seven starts and Hlavaj is 3-5-0 with a 2.92 GAA and a .897 SV% in 10 games. The Wild travels to Chicago for one game against the Wolves on Thursday, January 2 at 7:00 p.m., before heading to Milwaukee for one game against the Admirals on Friday, January 3 at 7:00 p.m.

### 2024-25 IOWA WILD STATISTICS

No.	PLAYER	POS	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM	PPG	SHG	SH	PPA	GWG
72	Travis Boyd	F	20	3	17	20	-3	8	1	0	34	5	0
16	Brendan Gaunce	C	22	11	6	17	-10	12	4	0	66	1	2
28	Liam Ohgren	F	19	10	6	16	0	4	3	0	55	1	0
43	Hunter Haight	F	28	8	6	14	-4	14	2	0	61	1	0
21	David Spacek	D	29	3	11	14	-9	17	0	0	46	8	0
50	Michael Milne	F	25	5	8	13	-4	22	1	1	60	0	2
18	Ben Jones	C	14	4	8	12	-3	10	0	1	41	4	0
19	Caedan Bankier	C	29	5	7	12	-13	16	0	0	64	4	0
27	Luke Toporowski	F	16	6	5	11	2	10	2	0	28	1	2
24	Devin Shore	F	14	2	8	10	-11	6	0	0	34	5	0
17	Reese Johnson	F	24	3	7	10	3	29	0	0	31	0	0
25	Sammy Walker	F	20	2	7	9	5	19	1	0	21	0	0
55	Joseph Cecconi	C	29	0	9	9	8	29	0	0	28	0	0
10	Bradley Marek	F	28	6	2	8	2	38	0	0	38	0	1
92	Graeme Clarke	F	21	6	2	8	-10	16	3	0	53	0	1
13	Ryan Sandelin	F	19	4	3	7	0	2	0	0	31	0	0
5	Cameron Crotty	D	26	0	6	6	3	12	0	0	38	0	0
74	Adam Raska	F	15	0	5	5	1	40	0	0	12	0	0
7	Carson Lambos	D	27	2	3	5	2	7	0	0	26	0	0
9	Matthew Sop	F	11	1	4	5	5	4	0	0	12	0	0
22	Ryan O'Rourke	D	23	1	3	4	-2	17	0	0	19	0	0
14	Gavin Hain	C	13	1	2	3	-2	11	0	0	13	0	0
49	Kyle Masters	D	9	1	1	2	-2	0	0	0	9	1	1
11	Davis Jiricek	D	9	1	1	2	-4	11	0	0	12	0	0
3	Jack Peart	D	16	0	0	0	-3	6	0	0	17	0	0

No.	GOALIE	GP	MINS	W	L	OT	SO	GA	GAA	SA	SVS	SV%
30	Jesper Wallstedt	13	740:07	5	7	1	1	48	3.89	365	317	.868
31	Samuel Hlavaj	10	513:09	3	5	0	0	25	2.92	242	217	.897
35	Dylan Ferguson	7	417:37	3	4	0	0	23	3.30	230	207	.900

## FUTURE MINNESOTA WILD STATISTICS – JANUARY 1, 2025

COLLEGE/USHL	TEAM	HT. / WT.	D.O.B	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
<b>D Nate Benoit</b>	<b>Quinnipiac U. (NCAA)</b>	<b>6-0 / 168</b>	<b>11/26/02</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>
Tallied first point of season with an assist vs. Colgate on Nov. 23...First season with Quinnipiac, transferred from North Dakota on Apr. 19...Quinnipiac is ranked 18th in USCHO rankings...2021 sixth-round selection.									
<b>D Zeev Buium</b>	<b>Denver U. (NCHC)</b>	<b>6-0 / 185</b>	<b>12/7/05</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>16</b>
Has two points (1-1=2), three shots and a plus-5 rating in four games with Team USA in the IIHF World Junior Championship (alternate captain)...The United States plays Switzerland in the quarterfinals on Thursday...Ranks second on Denver in assists (second in NCHC), third in points (first among NCHC defensemen), fourth in blocked shots (13), and T-6th in shots (38)...Has a point in 13-of-18 games this season, including 10 points (4-6=10) in last eight games...Named NCHC Defenseman of the Week on Nov. 18... <b>Recorded a hat trick on Nov. 15 vs. North Dakota, 12th defensemen in Denver history to do so, first since 2004</b> ...Had three assists vs. Alaska Anchorage on Oct. 5...Denver is ranked fifth in USCHO rankings...2024 first-round selection.									
<b>LW Jimmy Clark</b>	<b>Univ. of Minnesota (B10)</b>	<b>6-0 / 179</b>	<b>9/24/04</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>
Ranks T-3rd on team in plus/minus, sixth in assists and seventh in points...Has six points (3-3=6) in last 15 games...Recorded three assist game vs. Minnesota Duluth on Oct. 18...Had two assists vs. Air Force on Oct. 11...Minnesota is ranked third in USCHO rankings...2023 seventh-round selection.									
<b>D Ryan Healey</b>	<b>Harvard U. (ECAC)</b>	<b>6-0 / 172</b>	<b>5/19/04</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>
Ranks second among team defensemen in shots (20), T-4th overall...Recorded two assists on Nov. 30 vs. Merrimack...Tallied first point of season with an assist on Nov. 9...2022 fourth-round selection.									
<b>LW Rieger Lorenz</b>	<b>Denver U. (NCHC)</b>	<b>6-2 / 184</b>	<b>3/30/04</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>
Ranks T-6th on team in shots (38)...Scored a goal in consecutive games (Nov. 8-9)...Had two assists vs. Alaska Anchorage on Oct. 5...2022 second-round selection.									
<b>D Aaron Pionk</b>	<b>Minnesota-Duluth (NCHC)</b>	<b>6-1 / 170</b>	<b>1/16/03</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>
Ranks first on team in assists (T-3rd in NCHC), T-2nd in points, sixth in blocked shots (12) and seventh in shots (29)...Tallied four assists and four blocked shots vs. Univ. of Minnesota on Oct. 18...2023 fifth-round selection.									
<b>C Charlie Stramel</b>	<b>Michigan St. (B10)</b>	<b>6-1 / 223</b>	<b>10/15/04</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
Ranks T-2nd on team in points, third in shots (47) and T-4th in goals and assists...Has won 52.8% of his faceoffs this season (172/326)...Scored game-winning goal vs. Minnesota on Dec. 14...Had two points (1-1=2) on Dec. 7 at Wisconsin, third multi-point game of season...Named Big Ten Third Star of the Week on Oct. 15 after posting two goals in two games against Boston College (Oct. 11-12)...Michigan St. is ranked first in USCHO rankings...2023 first-round selection.									
CHL	TEAM	HT. / WT.	D.O.B	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
<b>C Riley Heidt</b>	<b>Prince George (WHL)</b>	<b>5-11 / 182</b>	<b>3/25/05</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>19</b>
Ranks second on team in PPG (5), T-2nd in goals, third in points and T-3rd in assists...Has 23 points (9-14=23) in last 15 games...With two goals on Oct. 26, became first player in Prince George history to reach 300 career points...Tallied five points (1-4=5) on Oct. 25...Recorded a hat trick on Oct. 12...Owns 14 multi-point games...Named team Captain on Oct. 2...2023 second-round selection.									
<b>D Stevie Leskovar</b>	<b>Brampton (OHL)</b>	<b>6-4 / 207</b>	<b>9/9/04</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>10</b>
Has not appeared in a game since Oct. 18 due to injury...2024 sixth-round selection.									
<b>D Kalem Parker</b>	<b>Calgary (WHL)</b>	<b>6-0 / 184</b>	<b>10/12/04</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>28</b>
Ranks sixth on team in assists and seventh in points...Had a point (4-5=9) in six consecutive games (12/1-12/18)...Had two assists and a plus-6 rating on Dec. 1 vs. Moose Jaw...Traded to Calgary from Moose Jaw on Nov. 17 ...Had a three-game point-streak (1-3=4) Oct. 15-19...Recorded an assist and four shots on Sept. 29...2023 sixth-round selection.									
<b>F Ryder Ritchie</b>	<b>Medicine Hat (WHL)</b>	<b>6-1 / 176</b>	<b>8/3/06</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>13</b>
On a three-game multi-point streak (2-4=6)...Has a point (8-13=21) in 16 of his last 18 games, including a goal in three consecutive games (Nov. 22-29)...Scored first goal of season on Nov. 15...Recorded first point of season with an assist on Oct. 9...2024 second-round selection.									
<b>Chase Wutzke (Goalie)</b>	<b>Red Deer (WHL)</b>	<b>6-2 / 161</b>	<b>7/26/06</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>3.39</b>	<b>12-14-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>.900</b>
Ranks first in WHL in saves and shots faced (940) and T-9th in wins...Made 41 saves on 44 shots to earn a win over Victoria on Nov. 23...Stopped 46-of-49 shots faced to earn a win vs. Medicine Hat on Oct. 4...Won first two starts of season, stopping 61-of-66 shots faced...2014 fifth-round selection.									
INTERNATIONAL	TEAM	HT. / WT.	D.O.B	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
<b>C Matvey Guskov</b>	<b>Dynamo (KHL)</b>	<b>6-2 / 183</b>	<b>1/30/01</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>2</b>
2019 fifth-round selection.									
<b>D Aron Kiviharju</b>	<b>HIFK (Liiga)</b>	<b>5-10 / 185</b>	<b>1/25/06</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>
Has two assists and two PIM in four games with team Finland in the IIHF World Junior Championship (team captain)...Finland plays Slovakia in the quarterfinals on Thursday...Ranks ninth on HIFK in points and T-9th in goals...Scored first goal of season on Sept. 27...2024 fourth-round selection.									
<b>C Rasmus Kumpulainen</b>	<b>Lahti (Liiga)</b>	<b>6-2 / 201</b>	<b>8/8/05</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-8</b>	<b>18</b>
Has one assist and five shots in three games with team Finland in the IIHF World Junior Championship (alternate captain)...Ranks T-7th on Lahti in assists, T-8th in points and T-9th in goals...Scored two goals on Sept. 11, becoming fifth-youngest player in Liiga history to score two goals in first career game...2023 second-round selection.									
<b>D Sabastian Soini</b>	<b>Ilves (Liiga)</b>	<b>6-2 / 187</b>	<b>6/10/06</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
Has a plus-1 rating in two games with team Finland in the IIHF World Junior Championship...Scored first goal of season with Ilves on Oct. 12...Has three points (2-1=3) in seven games with Finland's U20 team...2024 fifth-round selection.									
<b>RW Danila Yurov</b>	<b>Metallurg (KHL)</b>	<b>6-1 / 178</b>	<b>12/22/03</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>
Ranks T-3rd on team in goals and T-7th in points...Has four points (3-1=4) in last 10 games...Tallied two assists on Oct. 12...Recorded two points (1-1=2) on Sept. 27...2022 first-round selection.									