SERIES NOTES

CHARLOTTE CHECKERS

All-Time Iowa Wild Record: 9-25-1-2 (4-13-0-1 at Iowa, 5-11-1-1 at Charlotte)

Last Time: Charlotte distanced Iowa with two goals in the third period to take a 6-3 win at Casey's Center on Friday night... Justin Kirkland recorded three points for the Wild (2-1=3)... Mason Shaw scored his fourth goal of the season... Donovan Sebrango, John Beecher, and Brian Pinho each recorded a goal and an assist for the Checkers

2025-26: Charlotte swept a four-game season series in 2025-26... The Checkers outscored the Wild 16-6... Charlotte scored in the second and third period of all four games... Iowa went 3-for-23 (13%) on the power play against Charlotte... The Checkers finished 3-for-14 (21.4%) with the man advantage

TEAM NOTES

LIMITED CHANCES: Charlotte held Iowa to a season-low 17 shots on Friday night... The Wild's previous low (18) came on Oct. 16 at Rockford in a 2-0 win... The Checkers have allowed the fifth-fewest shots per game in the AHL this season (25.55)

PLAY BY PERIOD: Iowa has scored a first period goal in three of the last four games... The Wild have not scored a third period goal in three consecutive contests... Iowa has allowed a first period goal in five games in a row... Opponents have scored in three consecutive third periods

SEEKING A VICTORY: Iowa is currently mired in a six-game winless stretch (0-5-1-0)... The Wild's longest winless stretch of 2025-26 lasted six games (0-6-0-0, Nov. 22-Dec. 3, 2025)

2026-27 IOWA WILD LEADERS

GOALS: Justin Kirkland (5)
ASSISTS: Dylan Gambrell, Mason Shaw (6)
POINTS: Mason Shaw (10)
PLUS/MINUS: Rieger Lorenz, Tyler Pitlick (+3)
PIM: Jack Peart (14)
PPG: Justin Kirkland (2)
POINTS/GAME: Rieger Lorenz, Mason Shaw (1.00)
GAA: Riley Mercer (2.61)
SV%: Riley Mercer (0.896)

2026-27 CHARLOTTE CHECKERS LEADERS

GOALS: Jack Devine (7)
ASSISTS: Gracyn Sawchyn (5)
POINTS: Jack Devine (10)
PLUS/MINUS: Tobias Björnfot (+6)
PIM: Casey Fitzgerald (25)
PPG: Jack Devine (3)
POINTS/GAME: Jack Devine (0.91)
GAA: Kirill Gerasimyuk (1.98)
SV%: Cooper Black (0.919)

UPCOMING IOWA WILD GAMES

OPPONENT	DATE	TIME (CT)	BROADCAST
vs. Rockford	11/5	10:30 a.m.	AHLTV/KXnO
at Milwaukee	11/7	6 p.m.	AHLTV/KXnO
at Rockford	11/8	4 p.m.	AHLTV/KXnO
at Milwaukee	11/10	10:30 a.m.	AHLTV/KXnO
vs. Grand Rapids	11/13	7 p.m.	AHLTV/KXnO

CONNECTIONS

KALIYEV: Björnfot (Los Angeles)
LORENZ: Devine, Salminen (Denver)
BITTEN: 168 Iowa games

MINNESOTA WILD

Previous Game
10/29 vs. New York Islanders (3-2 OTL)
Eriksson Ek (5), Hughes (4), Boldy (6)

Next Game
11/1 at Washington Capitals

2026-27 Season Record
9-3-3

MILESTONES

BANKIER: Needs 4 games to reach 200 AHL games
MAYHEW: Needs 1 game to reach 300 Iowa games

THREE-POINT NIGHT

- Justin Kirkland recorded three points (2-1=3) in Friday's game against Charlotte
- Kirkland joined Rieger Lorenz and Gerry Mayhew as Iowa's third two-goal scorer of 2026-27
- Mason Shaw registered a three-point game (1-2=3) on Oct. 3 at Texas
- Kirkland's previous career high for points came on Nov. 4, 2023 vs. Chicago with Tucson (0-4=4)

KEPT IN CHECK

- Charlotte swept Iowa in the 2025-26 and 2026-27 season series
- The Checkers have won 11 games in a row over the Wild
- Iowa's last win in the all-time series came at Charlotte on Nov. 27, 2016

SHOT COUNT

- Iowa ranks ninth in the AHL in shots per game (29.55)
- Charlotte ranks seventh in shots (30.27)
- The Wild have allowed the sixth fewest shots per game (25.82)
- The Checkers rank fifth in shots allowed (25.55)

FAST FACTS

- Iowa went 18-11-3-1 when wearing wheat last season
- The Wild are 3-16-2-2 when wearing green
- Iowa went 3-5-0-0 when wearing white
- The Wild were 19-9-1-2 when scoring first
- Iowa was 7-27-4-1 when allowing the first goal
- The Wild were 13-13-3-3 when outshooting opponents
- Iowa was 13-22-3-0 when outshot

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

Oct. 20 - Oct. 31

- 10/20/2026: Hunter Haight - Reassigned to Iowa
- 10/22/2026: Carson Lambos - Reassigned to Iowa
- 10/22/2026: Reilly Webb - Reassigned to Jacksonville
- 10/24/2026: Mason Shaw - Recalled to Minnesota
- 10/29/2026: Carson Lambos - Recalled to Minnesota
- 10/29/2026: Arthur Kaliyev - Signed to PTO
- 10/29/2026: Reilly Webb - Recalled to Iowa
- 10/30/2026: Mason Shaw - Reassigned to Iowa
- 10/30/2026: Carson Lambos - Reassigned to Iowa
- 10/31/2026: Mason Shaw - Recalled to Minnesota

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

#2 - Mike Koster (KEHS-ter)
#3 - Matt Kiersted (KEER-stehd)
#7 - Carson Lambos (LAM-bohs)
#9 - Jack Peart (PEERT)
#15 - Charlie Stramel (STRAY-mul)
#19 - Caedan Bankier (KAY-duhn bayn-KEER)
#25 - Nick Rhéaume (ray-ohm)
#27 - Riley Heidt (HIGHT)
#35 - William Rousseau (ROO-soh)
#37 - Hunter Haight (HAYT)
#77 - Rieger Lorenz (REE-ger)
#95 - Rasmus Kumpulainen - (RAZ-muhs KOOM-poo-lye-nen)

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