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Upcoming games for the Hartford Wolf Pack:

Sun. Jan. 22	@ Providence Bruins	4:05 p.m.	@ Amica Mutual Pavilion
Wed. Jan. 25	Vs. Bridgeport Islanders	7:00 p.m.	@ XL Center
Fri. Jan. 27	@ Providence Bruins	7:05 p.m.	@ Amica Mutual Pavilion
Sat. Jan. 28	Vs. Syracuse Crunch	7:00 p.m.	@ XL Center
Wed. Feb. 1	Vs. Providence Bruins	7:00 p.m.	@ XL Center

Head-to-head:

This is the first of two meetings between the Wolf Pack and Americans this season, and the lone showdown in Hartford. The sides will conclude their season series on March 10th when the Pack head to Rochester for the only time this season. The Americans won three of four meetings a season ago, taking seven of a possible eight points. The Amerks scored a 2-1 decision in the last meeting of the 2021-22 series on April 16th in Rochester. **Michael Mersch** opened the scoring with his 25th goal of the season 6:31 into the game, then **Mark Jankowski** added the insurance 19:37 into the second. **Nick Merkley** got the Wolf Pack within one at 12:59, but the Americans would hang on for the victory. Hartford's lone win in the season series last year was a 2-1 overtime decision on February 12th at the XL Center. That was the last meeting between the teams in Hartford.

Wolf Pack Notebook:

The Wolf Pack saw their seven-game point streak snapped last night at the hands of the Bruins, as they dropped a 5-3 decision in Hartford. **Karl Henriksson** gave the Pack a 3-2 lead early in the third period, but the Bruins would score three unanswered goals to pull away. **Luke Toporowski** tied the game 3-3 on a penalty shot just 4:56 into the final frame. **Marc McLaughlin** would then find twine at 16:46 on the powerplay, breaking the tie and putting the B's ahead for good. **Oskar Steen's** empty-net tally would end the intrigue. **Turner Elson** leads the club in scoring with 21 points (7 g, 14 a) on the year. **Will Cuyllle**, meanwhile, leads the club in goals with 12.

Americans Notebook:

Despite a 40-27 advantage in shots, the Americans dropped a 1-0 overtime decision to the Bridgeport Islanders on Friday night in Bridgeport. **Cory Schneider** made 40 saves to collect the shutout victory, while **William Dufour** scored the game's only goal 1:35 into overtime. **Malcolm Subban** made 26 saves in defeat and was named the game's third star. The Americans saw a roster shuffle upfront earlier this week, as F's **Peyton Krebs** and **JJ Peterka** were recalled to NHL Buffalo, while F **Vinnie Hinostroza** was assigned to Rochester. **Brandon Biro** leads the Americans in scoring with 29 points (9 g, 20 a) on the season. **Linus Weissbach** and **Brett Murray** are tied for the team lead in goals with 13 each on the campaign.

Yesterday/Last Night in the AHL:

Rochester (0) @ Bridgeport (1) OT	Hershey (2) @ Laval (3) OT	Syracuse (2) @ Utica (0)
Toronto (4) @ Belleville (3)	Lehigh Valley (5) @ Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (2)	Milwaukee (2) @ Iowa (3) OT
Springfield (7) @ Rockford (2)	Bakersfield (2) @ Tucson (6)	Calgary (5) @ Abbotsford (4) SO
San Diego (0) @ San Jose (6)	Providence (5) @ Hartford (3)	

Tonight in the AHL (all times Eastern):

Toronto @ Laval (3:00)	Texas @ Manitoba (3:00)	Cleveland @ Charlotte (4:00)
Wilkes-Barre/Scranton @ Bridgeport (7:00)	Springfield @ Grand Rapids (7:00)	Milwaukee @ Iowa (7:00)
Utica @ Syracuse (7:00)	Hershey @ Belleville (7:05)	Chicago @ Rockford (8:00)
Coachella Valley @ Ontario (9:00)	Bakersfield @ Tucson (9:00)	Henderson @ Colorado (9:05)
Calgary @ Abbotsford (10:00)		

New York Rangers Notebook:

The Rangers dropped a 3-1 decision to the Boston Bruins at Madison Square Garden on Thursday night. Defenseman **Ben Harpur**, who started the season with the Wolf Pack, scored his first goal with the Rangers in the loss. The Rangers are now 25-14-7 and will host the Florida Panthers at the Garden on Monday night.

Tonight in the NHL (all times Eastern):

Anaheim @ Buffalo (12:30)	Tampa Bay @ Calgary (3:00)	Minnesota @ Florida (6:00)
Philadelphia @ Detroit (7:00)	San Jose @ Columbus (7:00)	Toronto @ Montréal (7:00)
Winnipeg @ Ottawa (7:00)	Carolina @ Islanders (7:30)	Arizona @ Dallas (8:00)
Chicago @ St. Louis (8:00)	Los Angeles @ Nashville (8:00)	Colorado @ Seattle (10:00)
Edmonton @ Vancouver (10:00)	Washington @ Vegas (10:00)	