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Upcoming games for the Hartford Wolf Pack:

Wed. Oct. 30	Vs. Grand Rapids Griffins	7:00 p.m.	@ XL Center
Fri. Nov. 1	@ Syracuse Crunch	7:00 p.m.	@ Upstate University Arena
Sat. Nov. 2	@ W-B/Scranton Penguins	6:05 p.m.	@ Mohegan Arena
Wed. Nov. 6	Vs. Syracuse Crunch	7:00 p.m.	@ XL Center
Fri. Nov. 8	@ Rochester Americans	7:05 p.m.	@ Blue Cross Arena

Head-to-head:

This is the second of ten meetings between the Wolf Pack and the Thunderbirds during the 2024-25 season. The sides will meet for the third straight time at the XL Center on Saturday, Nov. 23. The 'I-91 Rivalry' shifts to Western Massachusetts for the first time on Saturday, Nov. 30. The Wolf Pack took the first meeting, winning a wild 6-5 affair at the XL Center on Oct. 18. The Wolf Pack led 4-2 after the first period thanks to two goals each from **Brennan Othmann** and **Jaroslav Chmelař**. **Brandon Scanlin** extended the lead to 5-2 just 5:50 into the second period, but the Thunderbirds would push back and score three of the game's final four goals. **Dylan Peterson** lit the lamp at 6:27 and 10:36 of the middle stanza, cutting the score to 5-4 through 40 minutes. **Brett Berard** restored the two-goal lead 10:47 into the third period, converting on a pass to the front of the goal from **Chmelař**. **Dalibor Dvorsky** cut the lead to 6-5 at 12:32 of the third period on the power play, but **Louis Domingue** would slam the door shut from there to preserve his 95th career AHL victory. **Chmelař's** three points (2 g, 1 a) marked his first career multi-goal and three-point performance.

Wolf Pack Notebook:

The Wolf Pack won their third straight game at home on Friday night, 4-3 in overtime over the Lehigh Valley Phantoms. **Berard** opened the scoring 3:38 into the game, polishing off a pretty passing play for his fifth goal of the season. **Rodrigo Abols** evened the affair at 11:00 of the opening stanza, working his way to the front of the net and beating **Dylan Garand** by the glove. **Oscar Eklind** buried a loose puck 6:38 into the second period, giving the Phantoms their only lead of the night. After a few strong offensive zone shifts, **Matthew Robertson** tied the tilt at 15:44 with a shot from the point. **Jake Leschyshyn** regained the lead 49 seconds into the third period, converting on a shorthanded breakaway for his first goal of the season. 29 seconds later, at 1:18, **Samu Tuomaala's** shot from the right-wing circle beat **Garand** on the power play to tie the game 3-3. In overtime, **Berard's** partial breakaway attempt was forced wide of the goal. **Berard** regained possession and fed **Bo Groulx** in front, who went to the forehand and scored his third goal of the season at 39 seconds of overtime to give the Wolf Pack the victory. The Wolf Pack is 3-0-0-0 at home and now 3-1-0-1 on the season. **Berard** leads the Wolf Pack in both goals with five and points with eight (5 g, 3 a) on the season.

Thunderbirds Notebook:

The Thunderbirds dropped a 6-2 decision to Hershey Bears last night at the MassMutual Center. **Reece Newkirk** got the T-Birds on the board just 2:28 into the hockey game, while **Matthew Peca** followed it up with his second goal in as many games at 6:41. The Bears would score six unanswered goals from there, however. **Chase Priskie** tied the game 1:36 into the second period, notching his first goal of the season on the power play. **Priskie** would strike again at 4:30, also on the power play, to give the Bears the lead for good. **Aaron Ness**, **Alex Limoges**, and **Riley Sutter** would all tack on insurance markers in the final stanza. The loss was the third straight for the Thunderbirds, and their fourth in their last five outings. **Peterson** (4 g), **Dvorsky** (2 g, 2 a), and **Marcus Sylvegard** (1 g, 3 a) are tied for the team lead in points with four each. **Peterson's** four goals lead the club in that category.

Yesterday/Last Night in the AHL:

Rockford (5) @ Manitoba (3)	Bridgeport (2) @ Charlotte (5)	Syracuse (2) @ Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (3)
Toronto (1) @ Belleville (2) SO	Rochester (5) @ Cleveland (4) SO	Laval (4) @ Utica (3)
Grand Rapids (5) @ Lehigh Valley (2)	Hershey (6) @ Springfield (2)	Milwaukee (5) @ Chicago (1)
Iowa (2) @ Texas (3) OT	San Diego (4) @ Abbotsford (1)	Bakersfield (2) @ Tucson (3) OT

Tonight in the AHL (all times Eastern):

Colorado @ Calgary (3:00)	Rockford @ Manitoba (3:00)	Grand Rapids @ Lehigh Valley (3:05)
Hershey @ Providence (3:05)	Henderson @ Ontario (6:00)	

New York Rangers Notebook:

The Rangers got back into the win column with a 2-1 victory over the Anaheim Ducks on Saturday night at Madison Square Garden. **Ryan Lindgren** opened the scoring 4:13 into the third period, then **Will Cuylle** struck at 11:53 to make it a 2-0 spread. **Olen Zellweger's** goal at 12:38 got the Ducks within one, but it would not be enough. The Rangers, now 6-1-1, visit the Washington Capitals on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

Tonight in the NHL (all times Eastern):

Edmonton @ Detroit (6:00)	Anaheim @ New Jersey (7:00)	Montréal @ Philadelphia (7:00)
Ottawa @ Colorado (9:00)		

Springfield Thunderbirds (2-5-0-0) vs. Hartford Wolf Pack (3-1-0-1)

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GOALIES

#	Name	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
1	Vadim Zherenko	6-4	196	3	1	2	0	0	4.37	0.854
31	Colten Ellis	6-1	188	4	1	3	0	0	2.54	0.917

SKATERS

#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	GP	G	A	Pts.	PIM	+/-
5	Tyler Tucker	D	6-1	205	7	0	1	1	12	0
6	Corey Schueneman	D	6-0	196	7	1	2	3	4	-1
7	Leo Loof	D	6-1	179	5	0	1	1	15	1
8	Samuel Johannesson	D	5-11	176	7	0	2	2	0	-4
9	Michael Buchinger	D	6-0	185	7	0	0	0	6	-1
11	Hugh McGing	F	5-10	175	5	1	2	3	10	3
14	Zach Dean	F	5-11	185	3	0	1	1	2	1
15	Dalibor Dvorsky	F	6-1	203	7	2	2	4	2	-4
17	Nikita Alexandrov	C	6-0	185	6	2	1	3	2	3
18	Mathias Laferriere	RW	6-1	185	6	0	1	1	2	1
19	Mackenzie MacEachern	LW	6-3	205	5	1	1	2	12	-3
22	Dylan Peterson	F	6-4	195	7	4	0	4	12	-3
24	Tanner Dickinson	C	6-0	183	3	0	1	1	0	1
26	Simon Robertsson	F	6-0	190	2	0	0	0	2	-1
33	Anton Malmstrom	D	6-4	203	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	Sam Bitten	F	6-2	220	2	0	0	0	4	-2
37	Reece Newkirk	F	5-11	180	3	1	0	1	0	1
38	Tarun Fizer	RW	5-11	173	5	1	0	1	0	-4
41	Aleksanteri Kaskimaki	F	6-0	192	7	0	2	2	0	1
43	Greg Meireles	RW	5-11	195	2	0	1	1	0	-1
44	Scott Harrington	D	6-0	216	2	0	0	0	2	-1
45	Marc-Andre Gaudet	D	6-3	181	0	0	0	0	0	0
55	Hunter Skinner	D	6-3	190	7	0	2	2	12	1
63	Matthew Peca	C	5-10	182	7	2	1	3	0	-2
77	Drew Callin	F	6-2	200	7	0	3	3	0	-2
81	Marcus Sylvegard	F	6-0	190	7	1	3	4	0	0

Team Staff

Kevin Maxwell	General Manager
Steve Konowalchuk	Head Coach
Jaroslav Modry	Assistant Coach
Chad Wiseman	Assistant Coach
Dan Stewart	Goaltending Coach
Jeff Jordan	Video Coach

GOALIES

#	Name	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
31	Dylan Garand	6-1	176	2	2	0	0	0	3.45	0.889
70	Louis Domingue	6-3	210	3	1	1	1	0	3.93	0.892

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#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	GP	G	A	Pts.	PIM	+/-
4	Casey Fitzgerald	D	5-11	181	5	1	4	5	2	-3
5	Ben Harpur	D	6-6	231	3	0	0	0	9	-1
9	Brett Berard	F	5-9	165	5	5	3	8	4	0
10	Adam Sykora	F	5-10	179	5	1	2	3	0	2
14	Connor Mackey	D	6-2	195	5	0	2	2	2	-4
14	Chad Ruhwedel	D	5-11	182	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Jake Leschyshyn	F	5-11	199	5	1	2	3	0	-3
17	Blade Jenkins	F	6-2	195	1	0	0	0	0	0
18	Bryce McConnell-Barker	F	6-2	194	4	0	0	0	4	-1
21	Anton Blidh	F	6-0	195	5	1	2	3	6	1
24	Benoit-Olivier Groulx	C	6-2	198	5	3	4	7	2	5
25	Blake Hillman	D	6-1	200	5	0	0	0	2	-1
28	Dylan Roobroeck	F	6-7	205	5	0	0	0	2	-2
32	Matt Rempé	F	6-7	207	1	0	0	0	0	-2
37	Nathan Sucese	LW	5-9	174	2	0	1	1	0	0
38	Ryder Korczak	F	5-11	172	5	0	1	1	6	1
42	Jaroslav Chmelar	F	6-5	220	5	2	1	3	4	-5
44	Matthew Robertson	D	6-4	201	4	1	1	2	4	3
55	Alex Belzile	F	6-0	205	4	0	5	5	4	2
58	Brandon Scanlin	D	6-4	216	5	1	2	3	0	3
67	Isaac Dufort	F	6-2	190	0	0	0	0	0	0
78	Brennan Othmann	F	6-0	186	3	2	3	5	6	2
91	Adam Erne	F	6-1	212	5	0	1	1	6	-5

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OFFICIALS

Referee	Liam Maaskant (#45)
Referee	Mike Dietrich (#15)
Linesperson	Kevin Briganti (#39)
Linesperson	Nick Briganti (#58)