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UND'S LAMOUREUXS, UM'S BOZEK & BRANDT NAMED WCHA WOMEN'S PLAYERS OF THE WEEK FOR NOVEMBER 20

WCHA OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

JOCELYNE LAMOUREUX • SENIOR, FORWARD, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

MADISON, Wis. – University of North Dakota forward Jocelyne Lamoureux, who amassed seven scoring points and factored in on both game-winning goals to help her club to a two-game conference road sweep at Bemidji State last weekend, has been named the WCHA Women's Offensive Player of the Week for Nov. 20.

A senior right winger from Grand Forks, N.D., Lamoureux had a seven point weekend at Bemidji State, scoring three goals and setting up four others, firing six shots on goal and earning a +6 plus/minus rating. A finalist for the Patty Kazmaier Memorial Award last season, she assisted on two goals in North Dakota's 3-1 win over the Beavers in the series opener last Saturday (Nov. 17) to earn Second Star of the Game honors, setting up teammate Michelle Karvinen's second period game-winner. Lamoureux then had a five-point outing and earned First Star of the Game accolades on Sunday (Nov. 18), notching a three-goal hat trick that included the game-winner and adding two assists as UND won 7-3. Through 12 games played this season, Lamoureux is tied for fourth in scoring overall among WCHA players with 20 points (14g, 6a) while over her 122 game collegiate career, she has 224 points (104g, 120a).

Also nominated: Amanda Kessel, F, UM; Jenna McParland, F, UMD; Taylor Kuehl, F, OSU; Alev Kelter, F, UW.

WCHA CO-DEFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

MEGAN BOZEK • SENIOR, DEFENSEMAN, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

MONIQUE LAMOUREUX • SENIOR, DEFENSEMAN, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

MADISON, Wis. – A pair of veteran defensemen – Megan Bozek of the University of Minnesota and Monique Lamoureux of the University of North Dakota – have been named the WCHA Women's co-Defensive Players of the Week for Nov. 20.

Bozek, a senior from Buffalo Grove, Ill., scored five points on two goals and three assists in the unbeaten and top-ranked Golden Gophers' 3-0 and 9-1 home-ice victories over Minnesota State last weekend while also leading a defensive group that allowed only one goal, which came when Minnesota was two players down. She assisted on each of Hannah Brandt's goals in the Gophers' 3-0 win over MSU last Friday (Nov. 16) while in game two of the series last Saturday (Nov. 17), Bozek added two goals with one coming on a power-play and was the Third Star of the Game. Bozek also posted a plus/minus of +6 in the series at Ridder Arena and is the WCHA's top scoring blueliner with 23 points (8g, 15a) in 14 games this season.

Lamoureux, a senior from Grand Forks, N.D., led the North Dakota defense with a four-point weekend in two WCHA victories over Bemidji State on Nov. 17-18. She topped the team with a +7 plus/minus rating, placed nine shots on goal, and scored three goals, including a power-play tally, and one assist in the 3-1 and 7-3 victories at BSU. She was named the Second Star of the Game last Sunday and now has collegiate career totals of 91 goals, 123 assists and 214 points in 122 games played.

Also nominated: Jessica Wong, D; UMD; Kari Schmitt, D, OSU.

WCHA ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

HANNAH BRANDT • FRESHMAN, FORWARD, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

MADISON, Wis. – University of Minnesota forward Hannah Brandt, who produced five scoring points as the Golden Gophers stretched their season-opening winning streak to 14 with a two-game conference sweep of Minnesota State last weekend, is the WCHA Women's Rookie of the Week for Nov. 20. Brandt was also so honored on Oct. 3, Oct. 24 and Nov. 7.

A freshman from Vadnais Heights, Minn., Brandt scored three goals and drew two assists in the two wins over the visiting Mavericks while firing 10 shots on goal and earning a +6 plus/minus rating. In the opening game of the series last Friday (Nov. 16), she had a hand in all three of the Gophers' goals, scoring the first two and then assisting on the final tally in a 3-0 victory. She followed up with another game-winner and one assist last Saturday (Nov. 17) as she started the Gophers' scoring spree in a 9-1 triumph.

In 14 games played this season, Brandt is the top scoring rookie in Div. 1 women's ice hockey, showing 38 points (15g, 23a) and a 2.71 points per game average.

Also nominated: Julia McKinnon, F, OSU.