

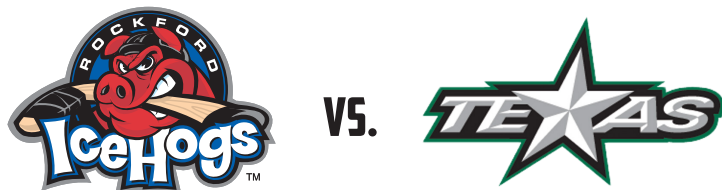
ICEHOGS GAMEDAY

H-E-B CENTER • **ICEHOGS VS STARS** • REGULAR SEASON GAME 17 (ROAD GAME 10)
 NOV. 16 2018 • **TV:** WIFR 23.2 • **RADIO:** FACEBOOK, SPORTSFAN1330.COM

GAME NOTES

- **TODAY'S MATCHUP:** The IceHogs enter Friday with victories in 14 of the last 19 games against the Stars since 2013-14. Rockford is 14-4-0-1 during the regular season against Texas in that span. In addition, the Hogs have wins in eight of the last 11 road games in the series with a 8-2-0-1 clip at the H-E-B Center since the beginning of 2012-13.
- **TRIPLE-THREAT IN NET:** Collin Delia remained unbeaten against the Texas Stars through three career regular-season starts against the team with 34 saves on Oct. 13. Delia is 3-0-0 with a 1.96 GAA and .940 save percentage over those last three appearances against the Stars.
- **STREAK SNAPPED:** The IceHogs snapped both a season-high road win and point streak with Wednesday's loss at Grand Rapids. Rockford won five straight road games prior to the loss, and matched its longest road point streak of 2017-18 with points in six straight road games.
- **STRAIGHT KILLAS:** The IceHogs have yet to allow a power-play goal in more than two consecutive games this season, and their penalty-kill unit has only once allowed more than one PPG in a game in 2018-19 (Oct. 19 at TUC, 2 PPGs). Rockford enters Friday with the fifth-best PK in the AHL at 87.3%, and tied for the seventh-fewest PPGs allowed (9) this season.
- **NILSSON RATINGS:** Jacob Nilsson notched his second goal and sixth point of the season during Wednesday's game at Grand Rapids. The rookie forward has now posted five (2g, 3a) of his six points this season during road games (lone point at home was an assist Oct. 13 vs. Texas).

MATCHUP SNAPSHOT



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|---------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| RECORD | 8-5-1-2 | 6-6-1-1 |
| GOALS/GAME | 2.69 | 3.71 |
| SHOTS/GAME | 27.81 | 29.57 |
| GOALS AGAINST/GAME | 2.69 | 3.50 |
| POWER PLAY PCT. | 15.6% | 28.6% |
| PENALTY KILL PCT. | 87.3% | 83.3% |
| SAVE PCT. | .918 | .876 |
| LEADING SCORER | 2 players (12) | Gurianov (14) |

The Texas Stars dropped their most recent contest and enter Friday with a .500 record over their last 10 games since dropping the series opener to the IceHogs on Oct. 13. The Stars are led in scoring by forward Denis Gurianov, who has logged 14 points over his last 11 games with both seven goals and assists. The winger has posted four multi-point efforts, including one such game against the Hogs

WHO'S HOT?



ANTON FORSBERG
#31

| AGE | POS | GP | REC | GAA | SV% |
|-----|-----|----|-------|------|------|
| 25 | G | 4 | 3-1-0 | 1.75 | .933 |

Forsberg has won each of his last three starts and has yet to allow more than two goals through four appearances this season. He currently ranks third in the AHL in both GAA and save percentage.



LUCAS CARLSSON
#23

| AGE | POS | GP | G | A | PIM | +/- |
|-----|-----|----|---|---|-----|-----|
| 21 | D | 16 | 2 | 5 | 8 | -3 |

Carlsson enters Friday with points in a season-high three straight games, logging one goal and two assists in that span. The blueliner has also combined for five points (1g, 4a) over his last five games since Nov. 4.



DYLAN SIKURA
#15

| AGE | POS | GP | G | A | PIM | +/- |
|-----|-----|----|---|---|-----|-----|
| 23 | F | 16 | 5 | 7 | 2 | +4 |

Sikura continues to maintain his lead above the AHL rookie shot leaderboard with a team-high 59 shots on goal through 16 games. His 59 SOG also rank as three more than any AHL skater as of Friday.

NEXT HOME GAME



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Fri. Nov. 23 | 7:00 PM