



**ANAHEIM STORM
News and Notes
Week 5, @ Minnesota
January 28, 2005**

Bolts of Information

- The Anaheim Storm (1-1) are looking for more wins this weekend as they face the new Minnesota Swarm (2-2) on Friday and the defending champion Calgary Roughnecks (2-2) on Saturday. Just four weeks into the season, the Storm are tied for second place in the Western Division. They opened the 2005 season with a home-turf win against the Philadelphia Wings, 10-13, but fell short to the Rochester Knighthawks last weekend, 15-11.
- This is the first ever meeting between Anaheim and Minnesota. The teams will face-off again on April 9 at the Arrowhead Pond of Anaheim.
- After two games, the Storm are led in points by Assistant Captain, and 2004 team points leader, Casey Powell (4g, 5a). Storm veteran Scott Stewart (4g, 4a) and newcomer Shawn Cable (3g, 5a) are tied with eight apiece. Forward Ryan Powell (3g, 3a), is also a dominant scorer as well as forward Peter Morgan (4g, 1a) who made his Storm debut against the Knighthawks. Due to injury, Morgan did not dress for the first game. Taking face-offs for the team is Captain Pat Jones; he has won 24 of 57 and has two assists and nine loose balls.
- Anaheim is the only Western Division team playing on Friday night. Saturday night will feature two division games when the Storm face Calgary and San Jose (2-2) is at home against Colorado (2-1).
- Prior to the start of the 2005 season, Anaheim and Minnesota participated in a trade that included defender Cam Bergman, goalie Matt King and forward Shawn Cable in exchange for Storm goaltender Matt Disher and defenseman Teddy Jenner. The Swarm had acquired Bergman from Anaheim just a week prior in the 2004 NLL Expansion Draft. King, previously with Calgary, was also selected in the Expansion Draft and Cable was received in a trade between Colorado and Minnesota.
- Last weekend, Minnesota played back-to-back games. On Friday, the Swarm were beaten by the Buffalo Bandits, 15-10, in their inaugural home opener. Saturday, the Swarm traveled to San Jose where they captured the victory, 9-8.

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Winds of Change

Trades, acquisitions and training camps have resulted in fifteen new Storm players. Players to watch include Team Captain Pat Jones, forward Ryan Powell and forward Raweras (pronounced "Law-way-las") Mitchell.

Powell will play his first year with the Storm after having been traded in 2004 from Buffalo. The brother of Assistant Captain Casey Powell, he was with the Bandits for three seasons totaling 62 points (30G, 32A) in 25 games played.

Mitchell, from the Akwesasne Mohawk Nation, walked into training camp after his summer league coach contacted Keenan. Keenan was impressed by the talent he saw and decided to sign Mitchell for his first season with the National Lacrosse League and the Anaheim Storm.

New faces also include four former Vancouver Ravens: defensemen Rory Graves, Bruce Murray, Matt Dwane and forward Peter Morgan, brother of Richard Morgan. Joining Roik as goaltender will be Matt King, formerly of the Calgary Roughnecks, and Michael McKay.

The eight returning players are forwards Richard Morgan, Casey Powell and Scott Stewart; defensemen Cam Bergman, Damien Davis, Chris Seller and Chad Wittman; goaltender Matt Roik.

Keenan designated two practice players from Southern California, Brad Reppert and Michael Watson. Scott Hochstadt will remain on the Storm's Injured Reserve list where he was placed after a knee injury during game two of last season.

Storm Forecast - Week 5 Continued

Jan. 29 vs. Calgary

The defending champion Calgary Roughnecks are 2-2 headed into this weekend. It was a one-point game last Saturday when the Roughnecks defeated the Buffalo Bandits 14-15. The Storm faced the Roughnecks twice in 2004, both times failing to claim a victory.

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The Storm Leadership

Derek Keenan, General Manager and Head Coach

Derek Keenan brings more than 35 years of experience as a player, coach and general manager to his new position with the Anaheim Storm. Prior to the Storm, Keenan served as interim general manager of the National Lacrosse League's Toronto Rock (Oct. 2003-Feb. 2004). As first a player and then assistant coach he helped the Rock win four NLL Championships in five years (1999, 2000, 2002, 2003).

An Oshawa, Ontario native, Keenan joined the indoor league as a player in 1992 after an already successful career in both field and box lacrosse. Under Head Coach Les Bartley, Keenan won two championships with the Buffalo Bandits (1992, 1993). In 1999, he signed with the Toronto Rock. A first-year team, they went on to win the Championship and Keenan made the transition from player to assistant coach.

His long list of accolades includes: World Field Lacrosse Silver Medalist (1986); Top 20 All Time Scoring in Mann Cup History; M.I.L.L. All Pro (1992, 1993) and three-time NCAA All-American at Ithaca College.

Keenan lives in Oshawa, Ontario, with his wife and two children. A Recreation Program Supervisor for the City of Oshawa, he also coaches Novice box and field lacrosse for the Whitby Minor Lacrosse Association.

Jeremy Tallevi, Assistant Coach

Ontario native **Jeremy Tallevi** has over four years of coaching experience. He is the head coach at the University of Western Ontario and for the Burlington Chiefs Junior "A" team in the Ontario Lacrosse Association (OLA). Tallevi also coached the OLA 2001 Founders Cup National Champions the Wallaceburg Red Devils Junior "B," and received the Wallaceburg Sports Hall of Fame Coach of the Year award that same year.

Tallevi played lacrosse at McMaster University where he was named Most Valuable Player in 1997. He started playing lacrosse at the age of six, and continues to play for the Burlington Lakers senior men's field lacrosse team. This is Tallevi's first coaching job in the league.

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Jeff McComb, Assistant Coach

Jeff McComb, another Ontario native, joins the Storm coaching staff this year for his first season. He previously worked in the league as an assistant coach for the Buffalo Bandits (2001). McComb has over thirty years of experience as a player and coach. He won a silver medal in the 1988 World Championships with his Canadian National team, and played for two years at Canisius College in Buffalo, NY.

McComb has coached players to eight provincial and five national U-19 field lacrosse championships in the Ontario Lacrosse Association (OLA). In addition to the Storm, he will start his 15th season as head coach for the Oshawa Blue Knights U-19 team this year. McComb is also the head coach of the OLA Whitby Warriors Junior "A" team in which he was recently named 2004 OLA Junior "A" Coach of the Year.

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#	PLAYERS	POS	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	SHOTS	PCT	
22	Powell, Casey	F	2	4	5	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	
8	Stewart, Scott	F	2	4	4	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	.000	
11	Cable, Shawn	F	2	3	5	8	0	2	0	0	1	0	.000	
1	Powell, Ryan	F	2	3	3	6	0	2	1	0	0	0	.000	
4	Morgan, Peter	F	1	4	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	.000	
33	Morgan, Richard	F	2	2	2	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	.000	
26	Mitchell, Raweras	F	2	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
17	Potter, B.J.	D	2	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	
12	Jones, Pat	D	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
14	Wittman, Chad	D	2	1	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	.000	
37	Roik, Matt	G	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	1.000	
24	Seller, Chris	D	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
7	Dwane, Matt	D	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	.000	
10	Murray, Bruce	D	2	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	.000	
20	Bysouth, Adam	D	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	.000	
21	Davis, Damien	D	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	.000	
43	Glaves, Rory	D	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	
28	Yuen, Athen	F	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
2	Vallone, Steve	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
6	Bergman, Cam	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
16	Logeman, Casey	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
27	McKay, Michael	G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
30	King, Matt	G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
TOTALS:			-	2	24	27	51	-	45	5	0	1	99	.242

#	GOALIES	GP	MIN	W	L	SO	GA	GAA	SV	SV%
37	Roik, Matt	2	120:00	1	1	0	25	12.50	60	.706
30	King, Matt	0	0:00	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.000
27	McKay, Michael	0	0:00	0	0	0	0	.00	0	.000
TOTALS:		2	-	1	1	0	25	12.50	60	.706