

# Darkhorse Urbandale opens hockey tourney

Roosevelt-Hoover and Ames faced off Wednesday afternoon for the final berth in the state high school hockey tournament that begins Thursday night at the Des Moines Ice Arena.

The seventh berth in the eight-team field was decided Tuesday night at Sioux City when the Junior Muskateers eliminated Lincoln-East, 10-4.

Urbandale opens the tournament at 7 p.m. Thursday against Columbus of Waterloo. The Sailors, who tied Urbandale with a 7-7 record in the Iowa League season, won the previous three tournaments.

But Urbandale took both regular-season games from the Sailors and last beat them, 6-5, in overtime here Saturday night.

The winner of the Roosevelt-Hoover and Ames playoff meets Metropolitan Conference champion Valley (15-0 in the Metro and 11-3 in the state league) at 9 p.m. Thursday.

Friday night, Iowa League winner Waterloo (12-2) goes against Ankeny (1-12-1) at 7 o'clock and Dowling (11-3) clashes with Sioux City (4-10) at 9.

Opening-round winners meet in the semifinals Saturday night. First-round losers play Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning.

The championship game begins at 4:30 p.m. Sunday following the consolation game at 2.

Valley, with the highest-scoring forward line and the top goalie during the regular Metro season, is a tourney favorite along with Waterloo and Dowling.

Urbandale, which had good goal-

## Final Metro Conference Standings

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	GF	GA
Valley .....	15	0	0	30	114	25
Dowling .....	12	3	0	24	92	38
Urbandale .....	9	6	0	18	77	51
Roosevelt-Hoover .....	4	10	1	9	34	66
Ankeny .....	3	11	1	7	54	83
Lincoln-East .....	1	14	0	2	42	150

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Waterloo .....	12	2	0	24	82	42
Valley .....	11	3	0	22	77	27
Dowling .....	11	3	0	22	84	45
Urbandale .....	7	7	0	14	52	58
Columbus (Waterloo) .....	7	7	0	14	65	65
Sioux City .....	4	10	0	8	73	82
Roosevelt-Hoover .....	2	11	1	5	16	71
Ankeny .....	1	12	1	3	40	90

tending and won four in a row until a 3-2 loss Sunday to Dowling in the regular-season finale, is a dark horse.

Valley's first line, which accounted for 61 of the team's 114 goals in the Metro, finished one-two-three in league scoring. Senior winger Rick Radcliff won the title with 30 goals and 22 assists for 52 points in 15 games. Junior winger Mike Stanbrough had 19 goals and 18 assists for 37 points, while senior center David Foley was third with 12 goals and 19 assists for 31 points.

Dowling's Andy Lyons was fourth with 29 points on 19 goals and 10 assists and the Maroons' Barney Munro was next with 27 points on 17 goals and 10 assists.

Valley goaltenders, led by freshman Brad Parker, allowed only 1.66 goals a game in the Metro.

The Tigers turned in a 15-game winning streak — longest of the regular season — after losing their first two games of the season. Valley lost again Feb. 24 to Waterloo, 6-5, in overtime.

## Tonight's Games

### AT DES MOINES ICE ARENA FIRST ROUND

- 7 — Columbus vs. Urbandale
- 9 — Valley vs. Roosevelt-Hoover or Ames

## Friday Night's Games

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- 7 — Waterloo vs. Ankeny
- 9 — Dowling vs. Sioux City

## Reach Jr. Olympic cage quarterfinals

The Scarlets of Des Moines take on Breda and the Knicks of West Des Moines face Urbandale in tonight's quarterfinal games of the Iowa Junior Olympics basketball tournament for 13-14-year-old boys.

Breda, which plays at 7 p.m. at Urbandale High School, advanced Tuesday night with a 60-58 victory over Indianola. The Knicks, who follow at 8:15, advanced by beating Ankeny, 72-69, in overtime. Tuesday night's other winner was Marshalltown, which Dumped Villisca, 75-39.