PRÉP HOCKEY Mohawks shine in 6-2 win

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MASON CITY — In the final game on home ice this season, Mason City Hockey Club's four representatives in the Iowa High School Hockey League All-Star Game made it a memorable one.

The Mohawks' Ramyleo AbuJobarah, Jerry Springer, Ben Klocke and Jake Sorensen helped the Eastern Division All-Stars skate to a 6-2 victory over the Western Division All-Stars.

"People were telling me before the game that this would be the last time I would play at this arena," Springer, a senior forward, said. "So it felt really good to finish with a win."

"It's great to go out with a win," Sorensen said. "We're lucky to have it here. The crowd was great. It was a fun game."

Mason City returns to action again March 9-12 in Sioux City for the IHSHL state tournament.

"When we go to state," Klocke said, "we plan on winning it."

"We know we can beat every team," Sorensen said. "We have beaten every team. If we just play together as a team, and pull together, we should be able to contend."

AbuJobarah, a senior goaltender, started in goal for the Western All-Stars.

In the first period, AbuJobarah stopped 18 shots, including nine consecutive shots midway through the period before the Eastern All-Stars could clear the puck out of the zone. He also stopped a breakaway attempt early in the period.

"I thought he was going to cut across in front," he said about the breakaway, "but he came back the other way so I laid back my glove and kind of got lucky."

The Mohawks Springer began the scoring with a goal at 4:37 by Omaha Gladiators' goalie Nate Weiler.

"It was a 3-on-1," Springer said. "A guy on my line shot and I rebounded and I shot it in the net."

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