

AREA ROUNDUP

Mohawks down Lincoln

DAVENPORT — The Mohawk Hockey Club showed they can recover from a tough loss with little time to prepare, downing Lincoln 5-0 in a state consolation semifinal round on Saturday.

The Mohawks fell to Quad City 3-2 in overtime late last night, then had to regroup for Saturday's 8:30 a.m. face off.

"It can be tough," Mason City coach Mark Hicks said. "But once they hit the ice, they realize they have a game to play."

The Mohawks wasted little time as Chris Jessen lit the lamp at the two minute, 45 second mark.

Ben Wagner and Ben Juhnke would each add second period goals.

Wagner would strike again in the third period, giving Mason City a 4-0 lead and Will Martin would ice the game with his goal.

"They weren't as physical as the Quad Cities so we had a little more space," Hicks said. "We capitalized on their mistakes and buried our chances."

Drake Lundeen was solid in net, earning a shut out.

The Mohawks are next in action today in Davenport, taking on Sioux City for fifth place at 9:30.

Sioux City topped the Des Moines Capitals 4-3 in a shootout.

"It'd be nice to go 2-1 at the state tournament," Hicks said.