

Metros finish 7th in Midwest tourney

AMES, Iowa - Colton Kramer recorded his 14th multiple goal game of the season Sunday morning while leading the Sioux City Metros to a 4-2 win over the Sioux Falls Flyers in the seventh-place game of the Midwest High School Hockey League Tournament.

Action at the Ames/ISU Ice Arena saw Kramer provide two goals and one assist for the Metros, which evened the season series against the Flyers at 2-2. Kramer, who assisted on Taylor White's first-period goal and added two third-period goals, finished the season with 45 goals and 27 assists.

Kramer, a sophomore at East High School, has 64 goals and 44 assists in two seasons with the Metros.

Adam Bornholtz had two assists for Sioux City, which entered the tournament as the seventh seed and finished the season with a 19-12-2-2 record. Bornholtz assisted on Alex Hinrichsen's first-period goal that gave Sioux City a 2-0 lead, then assisted, along with Mike Flynn, on Kramer's third-period goal.

Sioux Falls (23-12-0-0), which made its debut in the MHSHL this season, pulled within 2-1 on the first of Jason Helland's two goals, but came no closer.

Metros 4, Sioux Falls 2

First period: 1, Sioux City - Taylor White (Colton Kramer), shorthanded, 3:48. 2, Sioux City - Alex Hinrichsen (Adam Bornholtz), 9:02. Penalties: M. Flynn, SC, holding, 2:18; Miller, SF, slashing, 13:40.

Second period: 3, Sioux Falls - Jason Helland (Salge Toft, Chase Engdahl), 2:42. Penalties: Bornholtz, SC, tripping, 3:37; M. Flynn, SC, high sticking, 8:51; Harsma, SC, roughing, 4:28.

Third period: 4, Sioux City - Kramer (unassisted), shorthanded, :19. 5, Sioux Falls - Helland (Talon Flachman), power play, 7:06. 6, Sioux City - Kramer (M. Flynn, Bornholtz), 12:20. Penalties: Bingham, SF, roughing, 1:49; Dwyer, SC, hooking, 4:33; Harsma, SC, roughing, 6:55; Harsma, SC, 10-minute unsportsmanlike conduct, 6:55; Flachman, SF, 10-minute unsportsmanlike conduct, 7:06; White, SC, hooking, 14:28.

Score by periods:

Sioux Falls	0	1	1	-	2
Sioux City	2	0	2	-	4

Shots on goal:

Sioux Falls	12	11	14	-	37
Sioux City	6	7	5	-	18

Goaltenders: Keeghan Nelson, Sioux Falls (45:00, 18 shots, 14 saves); Lee Noel, Sioux City (22:27, 19 shots, 18 saves); Tyler Brinkerhoff, Sioux City (22:33, 18 shots, 17 saves)

Referee: Del Donaldson. Linesmen: Brian Cook, Tim Frazee.

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