

# KNIGHTHAWKS ROCHESTER

Saturday | December 7, 2024 | **KNIGHTHAWKS POST-GAME REPORT** | NLL 2024-25 Regular Season | Week 2



ROCHESTER KNIGHTHAWKS

## POSTGAME REPORT

Segar & Sciortino Field at the Blue Cross Arena | 1 War Memorial Square | Rochester, NY 14614  
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**BUFFALO BANDITS**  
1-0 | 1.000 PCT

**Season Series**  
2024-25 | 1-0

**All-Time vs. ROC**  
8-1

**2024-25**  
Road 1-0  
Last 5 Games 1-0

**ROCHESTER KNIGHTHAWKS**  
1-1 | .500 PCT

**Season Series**  
2024-25 | 0-1

**All-Time vs. BUF**  
1-8

**2024-25**  
Home 1-1  
Last 5 Games 1-1

### SCORING SUMMARY

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Final
<b>BANDITS</b>	1	3	3	8	--	15
<b>KNIGHTHAWKS</b>	0	1	5	1	--	7

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### TOP NOTES & STORYLINES

**Ryan Lanchbury** recorded a team-high four points, including scoring Rochester's lone goal of the opening half.

**Connor Fields** scored twice, the first of which came shorthanded and capped a four-goal run for the Knighthawks to begin the second half. Fields, who's coming off his second straight 100-point season, has now scored two or more goals in 33 of his 37 career games as a Knighthawk dating back to the start of the 2022-23 regular season.

**Fields** also led all Knighthawks in shots on goal (16) and loose ball recoveries (12) for the second straight week.

Newcomer **Brandon Slade** made his Knighthawks debut tonight after being a healthy scratch in Week 1. Slade, who was acquired by Rochester in the offseason after six seasons with the Toronto Rock, finished with three loose ball recoveries and one caused turnover.

**Thomas McConvey** and **Turner Evans** each scored once and added two assists for three points.

Following his 47-save performance tonight, **Riley Hutchcraft** has totaled 97 saves in back-to-back starts to begin the 2024-25 season.

Tonight's game featured two different sets of siblings facing each other on opposite sides of the floor. Rochester goaltender **Kevin Orleman** is the older brother of Bandits goaltender Steve Orleman while Knighthawks defenseman **Taylor Jensen** is the half-brother of Bandits forward and reigning NLL MVP Josh Byrne.

### TONIGHT'S THREE STARS OF THE GAME

**1st Dhane Smith - Buffalo Bandits**  
3 G | 8 A | 6 SOG | 7 LB

**2nd Josh Byrne - Buffalo Bandits**  
2 G | 3 A | 12 SOG | 8 LB

**3rd Kyle Buchanan - Buffalo Bandits**  
3 G | 0 A | 5 SOG | 0 LB

### BY THE NUMBERS

**Buffalo Bandits** ..... **Rochester Knighthawks**

0-for-5 (00.0%) ..... **Power-Play** ..... 0-for-4 (00.01%)

4-for-4 (00.0%) ..... **Penalty Kill** ..... 5-for-5 (100.0%)

62 ..... **Shots on Goal** ..... 61

54 ..... **Goaltender Saves** ..... 47

16-for-26 (61.6%) ..... **Face-Offs** ..... 10-for-26 (38.4%)



### NEXT THREE GAMES

**Friday, Dec. 13**  
Knighthawks at Vancouver | 10 p.m. ET | Rogers Arena

**Saturday, Dec. 21**  
Knighthawks vs. Saskatchewan | 7 p.m. | Segar & Sciortino Field at Blue Cross Arena

**Friday, Dec. 28**  
Knighthawks at Buffalo | 6:30 p.m. | KeyBank Center



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