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## Marlies Finish off Homestand with Two Games this Weekend against Division Rivals

*Toronto Looks to end Homestand on a High Note and Take a Commanding Lead in the North Division*

### Last Week:

Toronto went 3-1-0-0 in their four games last week. The Marlies opened the week on Tuesday night with a 2-1 overtime win over the Adirondack Phantoms. Mike Zigomanis scored the overtime winner. Mark Owuya made 20 saves in the win.

On Friday, the Marlies skated to a 4-3 overtime win against the Rockford Ice Hogs. Marcel Mueller scored mid-way through the first period and Matt Frattin and Ryan Hamilton each added a goal in the second period. Joe Colborne's tally in overtime ended the game.

The Marlies dropped a 2-1 decision to the St. John's IceCaps on Saturday at Ricoh Coliseum. Ryan Hamilton had the lone Marlie goal.

On Monday afternoon, the Marlies beat the Lake Erie Monsters 4-1. Jerry D'Amigo netted two goals in the win while Greg Scott and Ryan Hamilton also scored for the Marlies. Ben Scrivens made 28 saves in the win.

### Reading Report:

The Reading Royals rank third in the Atlantic Division with a 24-22-3-4 record. Dale Mitchell has recorded 27 points (15 goals, 12 assists) in 31 games. In 14 games, Kenny Ryan has tallied 16 points (eight goals, eight assists).

### Practice Schedule:

Wednesday: Bradford Skills Comp  
Thursday: Practice at 10am MCC  
Friday: Practice at 10am Ricoh  
Saturday: Game vs. GR 5pm  
Sunday: Game vs. HAM 5pm



The Marlies finish off their 10 game homestand on Sunday with a game against the Bulldogs. Toronto will travel to Hamilton to play on the road for only the second time this month.

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### What You Need To Know About The Toronto Marlies...

- The Marlies are currently first in the North Division and second in the Western Conference with a record of 30-18-4-2 for 66 points. The Marlies won't play on the road again until February 29 in Hamilton.
- Mike Zigomanis has notched nine points (five goals, four assists) over his last 10 games. Zigomanis ranks seventh (tie) in the AHL in assists and power play assists (17). He is also ninth (tie) in the AHL in points.
- Ryan Hamilton is seventh (tie) in the AHL in goals (21). He is also second in goals (60) all time in Marlies history.
- Matt Frattin has registered 12 goals and four assists in 21 games with the Marlies.
- Will Acton leads all Marlies in plus/minus with +11.
- Jerry D'Amigo and Joe Colborne are tied for the team lead with four game winning goals this season.
- The Marlies penalty killing unit ranks first overall in the AHL with an 87.2% success rate.
- The Marlies home power play ranks 17th in the AHL with a 17.1% success rate.
- Coach Dallas Eakins picked up his 100th career win on Monday vs. Lake Erie.
- Ben Scrivens ranks third with 26 wins in all time Marlies history.
- The Marlies are 22-0-1-0 when leading after 40 minutes.
- The Marlies are 20-8-2-2 when they score first.

### North Division Standings

TEAM	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	PTS
Toronto	54	30	18	4	2	66
Lake Erie	54	26	24	2	2	56
Rochester	53	23	21	6	3	55
Hamilton	52	24	23	1	4	53
Grand Rapids	50	20	21	5	4	49

### MARLIES LEADERS

PLAYER	GP	G	A	PTS
Mike Zigomanis	51	15	33	48
Ryan Hamilton	43	21	19	40
Joe Colborne	43	16	19	35
Marcel Mueller	51	12	22	34
Jerry D'Amigo	54	12	20	32
Greg Scott	53	13	16	29
Nazem Kadri	31	9	16	25

### UPCOMING OPPONENTS



On Saturday, the Marlies host the Grand Rapids Griffins at 5 pm. This will be the fourth meeting between the two clubs. Grand Rapids are 17 points behind Toronto in the North Division and are 4-5-1-0 over their past 10 games. Gustav Nyquist leads all skaters with 47 points (16 goals, 31 assists). Tom McCollum has posted 3.59 goals against average and a 0.883 save percentage.



On Sunday, Toronto will close out their 10 game homestand against the Hamilton Bulldogs. This will be the eighth time this season these two clubs have met. The Bulldogs hold a 4-3-0-0 advantage over the Marlies. The Marlies won 5-1 in the last meeting between these two teams. Andreas Engqvist leads all Hamilton skaters with 30 points (16 goals, 14 assists). He also ranks third in the AHL (tie) with 4 game winning goals. Garrett Stafford leads all Hamilton defencemen with 23 points (five goals, 18 assists).