

ROCHESTER AMERICANS POSTGAME REPORT

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CHARLOTTE CHECKERS

32-17-3-3 | 70 PTS

Season Series

2024-25 | 2-1-0-0
2023-24 | 1-1-0-0

2024-25

Road 15-6-1-3
Last 10 Games 6-3-0-1

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34-17-3-3 | 74 PTS

Season Series

2024-25 | 1-2-0-0
2023-24 | 1-1-0-0

2024-25

Home 14-9-2-1
Last 10 Games 4-4-0-2

SCORING SUMMARY

	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	SO	Final
CHECKERS	1	1	2	--	--	4
AMERKS	1	1	1	--	--	3

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TOP NOTES

In his first game and first shift as an Amerk, defenseman **Erik Brännström** scored his first goal with his new team just 1:07 into the game. The goal was **Brännström's** fourth overall this season in the AHL as the veteran defenseman has now played at least one game with three different AHL organizations. **Brännström** also has 28 NHL games played this season with Vancouver.

The newly acquired blueliner later tacked on his second as an Amerk with the net empty late in the third period, getting Rochester back within a goal. **Brännström's** multi-goal performance is his first in the AHL since his debut in the league back on Oct. 5, 2018 as a member of the Chicago Wolves.

In the second period, **Brett Murray** dropped the gloves against Charlotte's Mikulas Hovorka. The veteran Amerks forward picked up his first fighting major of the season and 13th overall since turning pro in 2018.

Kale Clague reached double-digits with his 10th goal of the season with a power-play conversion in the second period. The seventh-year defenseman becomes only the ninth AHL blueliner this season to score 10 or more goals.

Devon Levi recorded 19 saves in the loss, falling to 19-9-3 on the season. The 23-year-old is one of 14 AHL goaltenders to have appeared in at least 30 games so far this season and is the youngest of them. Despite dropping his fourth straight start, the second-year netminder still ranks sixth in the league with a 2.27 goals-against average and a .916 save percentage in 31 appearances.

TONIGHT'S THREE STARS

1st John Leonard - Charlotte Checkers
2 G | 1 A | 2 SOG | +2

2nd Erik Brännström - Rochester Americans
2 G | 0 A | 3 SOG | +1

3rd Tobias Bjornfot - Charlotte Checkers
0 G | 2 A | 0 SOG | even

BY THE NUMBERS

Charlotte Checkers	Rochester Americans
2-for-4 (50.0%)	Power-Play 1-for-4 (25.0%)
3-for-4 (75.0%)	Penalty Kill 2-for-4 (50.0%)
23	Shots on Goal 24
21	Goaltender Saves 19



UP NEXT

Thursday, March 13
Practice | 11:00 a.m. | Blue Cross Arena

Friday, March 14
Amerks vs. Providence | 7:05 p.m. | Blue Cross Arena

Saturday, March 15
Off Day



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