

Metros finish seventh in state hockey tourney

DES MOINES — The Sioux City Metros wrapped up a long season on a losing note Saturday, dropping a 7-1 game to Mason City and finishing seventh in the state high school hockey tournament.

The Metros won one of three games at state and finished 3-16 overall.

The Metros, outshot by a 41-18 margin, trailed 1-0 after the first period and 5-0 after two, before getting on the scoreboard on Brad Hanson's close-in shot at 7:18 of the third. It came after an assist from Bobby Batcheller.

Jay Bloomfield and Bill Johann each scored twice for Mason City, while John Brandt contributed five assists.

The Mohawks opened the scoring 4:32 into the game on a goal by Bloomfield, then followed with four more in the second on shots by Bloomfield, Johann, David Beard and Jeff Kleven.

Hanson then broke the ice for the

Sioux Cityans, before Tom Bennett and Johann completed the scoring for Mason City.

Hanson was one of the few Metro bright spots during the tournament. He finished with six points — three goals and three assists — in the three games, including the winning goal in the 4-3 overtime victory over Ames Friday.

Summary

First period 1, Mason City—Jay Bloomfield (John Brandt) 4:32. Penalties: Beard, MC, 13:17; Bloomfield, MC, 14:49; Adam, SC, 14:49.

Second period: 2, Mason City—Bloomfield (Brandt) 4:48. 3, Mason City—Bill Johann, 10:21. 4, Mason City—David Beard (Brandt, Eric Thompson) 12:43. 5, Mason City—Jeff Kleven, 14:31. Penalties: Bloomfield, MC, 2:00; Adam, SC, 4:04; Brandt, MC, 5:50; Kentner, SC, 5:50; E. Thompson, MC, 9:16.

Third period: 6, Sioux City—Brad Hanson (Bobby Batcheller) 7:18. 7, Mason City—Tom Bennett (Brandt) 8:08. 8, Mason City—Johann (Brandt) 12:16. Penalties: Richou, SC, 9:01; C. Thompson, SC, 10:08; M. Emerick, SC, 13:53; Matson, MC, 14:49; Logsdon, SC, 14:49.

Score by periods:
 Sioux City 0 0 1 — 1
 Mason City 1 4 2 — 7
 Shots on goal:
 Sioux City 5 6 7 — 18
 Mason City 11 11 19 — 41
 Goalies: Craig Patrick, Sioux City; Dana Deapenas, Mason City.