Warriors take first round win at state tournament

DES MOINES — The Waterloo Warriors advanced in the Iowa State High School Hockey Tournament with a 3-0 victory over the Des Moines Oak Leafs Friday.

The Warriors got a goal in each of the three periods and goalie Zach Goodsell was a wall in front of the net turning back all 27 Oak Leaf shots.

Bryan Brown, Josh Dicken and Matt Metcalf all found the back of the net for the Warriors who played a solid game from start to finish. Their biggest moment came in the second period when Waterloo was forced to kill off back-to-back five-on-three advantages for Des Moines. Both Goodsell and the Warriors defense were up to the task as they turned back 10 shots in the period and 23 shots through the first two frames.

The Warriors first goal came just 1 minute, 16 seconds into the contest as Jared Boller found Bryan Brown who sent a shot past Des Moines goalie Matt Barth.

SCORE BY PERIOD

Waterloo	1	1	1 – 3
Oak Leafs	0	0	0 – 0

FIRST PERIOD – 1. Waterloo, Bryan Brown (Jared Boller, Ryan Shaw) 1:16. Penalties – Mike Fritz, Wat. (hooking) 2:10. Ryan Shaw, Wat. (interference) :33.

SECOND PERIOD – 2. Waterloo, Josh Dicken (Zach Smith, Shane Metz) 6:19. Penalties – Boller, Wat. (elbowing) 14:24, Schade, oak (unsportsmanlike) :38, Metz, wat. (unsportsmanlike) :38.

THIRD PERIOD – 3. Waterloo, Matthew Metcalf (Jason Dobes, Mike Fritz) 14:01. Penalties – Norris, Des (holding) 4:15

SHOTS ON GOAL

Waterloo	6	11	9 – 26
Des Monies	13	10	4 – 27

Goalies – Waterloo, Zach Goodsell (27 saves); Des Moines, Matt Barth (23 saves).