# **ROCHESTER AMERICANS HOCKEY CLUB**

SIX-TIME CALDER CUP CHAMPIONS 1965 | 1966 | 1968 | 1983 | 1987 | 1996

#### Tuesday | March 21, 2023 | AMERKS POST-GAME REPORT | AHL Regular Season Game No. 438



# **POSTGAME REPORT**



# SYRACUSE CRUNCH

30-22-5-3 68 PTS

Season Series

2022-23 5-5-0-0 2021-22 8-3-1-0

2022-23 Road 15-13-0-2 Last 10 Games 6-3-1-0

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# **Season Series** 2022-23 5-3-1-1

2021-22 4-6-2-0

28-25-4-3 63 PTS

2022-23 Home 15-11-2-1 Last 10 Games 2-5-1-2

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AVAILABLE AT WWW.AMERKS.COM/MEDIA

#### **TOP NOTES**

Tonight was the second time in three games and the 14th overall this season that went beyond regulation. After tonight, Rochester is 6-4 in overtime and 1-3 shootouts.

Jiri Kulich scored his team-leading 19th goal of the season midway through the second period. Including tonight, he's recorded two goals in his last three outings and has 20 points (12+8) in his last 23 games dating back to Jan. 25.

With the lone assist on Kulich's second-period goal, Brett Murray extended his point streak to three games, showing four assists over that span. He also 12 points (3+9) over his last 16 games.

Michael Mersch scored his 15th goal in the third period to force overtime, his 30th point (14+16) over his last 35 games. The Amerks captain is within one point of reaching the 40-point mark for the sixth time in his nine-year pro career.

With an assist on the game-tying goal, Ethan Prow now has 27 assists this season, good for 17th amongst all AHL defensemen.

Mason Jobst scored Rochester's lone goal in the shootout. Coming into tonight, he had six goals and 10 points in his last 10 games.

Malcolm Subban made his sixth start in the last eight games and fifth against Syracuse this season. He's topped the 30-save mark in four of his five appearances opposite the Crunch and needs just one more win to match his previous career-high of 16 (2014-15).

# TONIGHT'S THREE STARS

Simon Ryfors- Syracuse Crunch 1st 1 G | 0 A | 3 SOG | +

Michael Mersch - Rochester Americans 2nd 1 G | 0 A | 4 SOG | +1

3rd Max Lagace - Syracuse Crunch 2 GA | 27 SVS | 1.85 GAA | .931 SV % | W

# **BY THE NUMBERS Syracuse Crunch Rochester Americans** 0-for-2 (00.0%)...... Power-Play...... 1-for-3 (33.3%) ......Goaltender Saves .



# **UP NEXT**

Wednesday, March 22 Off-Ice Workouts | Blue Cross Arena (select media availability at 11 a.m.)

Thursday, March 23 Practice 11 a.m. Blue Cross Arena (no media availability to follow)

Friday, March 24 Amerks vs. Hershey | 7:05 p.m. | Blue Cross Arena



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