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2002-03 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
10/5	Western Ontario#	W 9-5
10/11	St. Cloud State	L 1-2
10/12	St. Cloud State	W 6-3
10/18	Bowling Green State*	W 10-1
10/19	Bowling Green State*	W 5-1
10/25	at Notre Dame*	W 5-2
10/26	at Notre Dame*	W 4-1
11/1	at Alaska Fairbanks*	W 5-0
11/2	at Alaska Fairbanks*	W 5-1
11/8	Wayne State	W 4-1
11/9	Wayne State	L 4-5
11/15	Western Michigan*	W 6-3
11/16	at Western Michigan*	L 1-4
11/22	Ohio State*	W 4-2
11/23	Ohio State*	W 2-1 OT
12/6	Michigan State*	L 2-6
12/7	at Michigan State*	W 5-3
12/29	Alabama-Huntsville◆	L 4-5 OT
12/30	Connecticut◆	W 5-0
1/3	at Niagara	W 7-1
1/4	at Niagara	W 8-1
1/10	Notre Dame*	W 6-3
1/11	Notre Dame*	T 4-4 OT
1/17	Northern Michigan*	L 1-3
1/18	Northern Michigan*	W 5-1
1/24	at Miami (Ohio)*	L 3-6
1/25	at Miami (Ohio)*	W 4-2
1/31	at Michigan*	L 4-6
2/1	Michigan*	W 4-3
2/7	at Lake Superior State*	7:05 p.m.
2/8	at Lake Superior State*	7:05 p.m.
2/15	Western Michigan*	7:05 p.m.
2/16	at Western Michigan*	4 p.m.
2/28	Nebraska-Omaha*	7:35 p.m.
3/1	Nebraska-Omaha*	7:05 p.m.
3/7	at Bowling Green State*	7:05 p.m.
3/8	at Bowling Green State*	7:05 p.m.
3/14-16	CCHA Tournament First Round	TBA
3/20	CCHA Tournament Quarterfinals	TBA
3/21	CCHA Super 6 Semifinals	5:05/8:35 p.m.
3/22	CCHA Super 6 Championships	7:35 p.m.
3/28-29	NCAA West Regional	TBA
3/28-29	NCAA Northeast Regional	TBA
3/29-30	NCAA East Regional	TBA
3/29-30	NCAA Midwest Regional	TBA
4/10	NCAA Frozen Four Semifinals	TBA
4/12	NCAA Frozen Four Championships	7 p.m.

All times Eastern; home games in **bold**

* – Central Collegiate Hockey Association game

– Exhibition

◆ – UConn Classic (Storrs, Conn.)

❖ – Detroit, Mich. (Joe Louis Arena)

♣ – Worcester, Mass. (Centrum Centre)

▶ – Providence, R.I. (Dunkin' Donuts Center)

♦ – Minneapolis, Minn. (Mariucci Arena)

♣ – Ann Arbor, Mich. (Yost Ice Arena)

★ – Buffalo, N.Y. (HSBC Arena)

FERRIS SPLITS KEY SERIES WITH MICHIGAN; LAKE SUPERIOR STATE UP NEXT

THIS WEEK: The nationally-ranked Ferris State University men's ice hockey team will travel to Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., this weekend (Feb. 7-8) for a two-game Central Collegiate Hockey Association (CCHA) series against the Lake Superior State University Lakers.

FACEOFF/ARENA: Friday and Saturday – 7:05 p.m. (EST)/Taffy Abel Arena (4,000).

FSU TICKET INFORMATION: Tickets for the remaining 2002-03 regular-season home games are available by contacting the Ewigleben Arena Ticket Office at (231) 591-2888. Hours are Monday thru Friday – 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (EST) and Saturday (home games only) – 12 to 5 p.m.

THE RECORDS: Ferris State is 19-8-1 overall and 14-5-1 in the CCHA after gaining a home-and-home CCHA series split against the nationally-ranked Michigan Wolverines last weekend (Jan. 31-Feb. 1). The Bulldogs lost a 6-4 decision to UM last Friday (Jan. 31) in the televised CCHA Game of the Week at UM's Yost Ice Arena in Ann Arbor, Mich. However, Ferris rebounded to register a 4-3 victory over the Wolverines Saturday (Feb. 1) at FSU's Ewigleben Ice Arena in Big Rapids, Mich. FSU is ranked ninth again in both the *Inside College Hockey.com* and *U.S. College Hockey Online* polls while remaining 11th in the *USA Today/American Hockey Magazine* poll. Ferris, which is 7-3-1 in its last 11 outings, is 9-3-0 on the road, 10-4-1 at home, and 0-1-0 at neutral sites this season.

➤ A season ago, Ferris State was 15-20-1 overall with a ninth-place 12-15-1 CCHA record. FSU was 10-6-0 at home, 5-13-1 on the road, and 0-1-0 at neutral sites.

Lake Superior State, who was idle last week, is 4-18-4 overall and 1-16-1 in the CCHA after suffering a pair of league setbacks to Michigan two weeks ago (Jan. 23 & 25). The Lakers dropped a 4-1 decision to the Wolverines (Jan. 23) at LSSU's Taffy Abel Arena in Sault Ste. Marie. LSSU then was dealt a 5-0 loss by UM (Jan. 25) at Joe Louis Arena in Detroit, Mich. The Lakers, who are midst a three-game losing streak and are 1-4-3 in their last eight outings, are 3-7-2 at home, 0-10-2 on the road, and 1-1-0 at neutral sites this season.

➤ Lake Superior State was 8-27-2 overall and

4-22-2 (12th place) in the CCHA last season.

BOB DANIELS: The sixth head coach in the program's history, Daniels became FSU's winningest coach following a 7-0 regular-season finale (3/4/00) win at Western Michigan to surpass the program's inaugural coach Rick Duffett (1975-82; 119-83-7). Daniels is first among Ferris' all-time coaches in CCHA wins with a 124-154-30 (.451) league mark.

THE COACHES: Ferris State – **Bob Daniels** (Michigan State, 1982), 11th season, 168-205-33 (.454) – (8-19-3 – Away 4-9-1, Home 4-9-2; Neutral 0-1-0). **Lake Superior State – Frank Anzalone** (SUNY-Buffalo, 1978), 10th season, 203-153-28 (.565) – (20-13-3 vs. Ferris State).

ABOUT LAKE SUPERIOR STATE: Senior forward Jeremy Bachusz (6-8-14) is the only Lakers' skater with a double-figure point total. Freshman forward Jon Booras (5-4-9), sophomore forward Bo Cheesman (5-4-9) and junior forward Chris Peterson (4-5-9) are other leading point getters. Sophomore Matt Violin (2-14-3, 3.60 GAA, .902sv%) has been LSSU's primary goaltender this season. First-year assistant coach Tim Christian played at Ferris State (1991-95).

SERIES INFORMATION: FSU trails 55-32-7

In Sault Ste. Marie: 15-28-3;

In Big Rapids: 16-26-3; **Neutral:** 1-1-1

Goals For/Against: 321 (3.41 gpg.)/414 (4.40 gpg.)

First Meeting: LSSU 8, FSU 2* (12/15/77)

Last Meeting: FSU 6, LSSU 2* (11/3/01)

Current Win Streak: FSU 2 (11/2-3/01)

Longest Win Streak: FSU 6 (1/18/80-12/6/80)
LSSU 10 (12/9/94-2/14/97)

Last Season: FSU 2, LSSU 0* (11/2/01); FSU 6, LSSU 2* (11/3/01)

Top FSU Scorer: Chris Kunitz (7-3-10, 8 GP)

Series Note: 11 of the last 13 meetings have been decided by two goals or less. FSU sports a 5-5-1 record in those 11 outings, including a 2-2-0 road mark.

* – Denotes home game

MONTH	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	TOTAL
OCTOBER	2-5-0	3-4-0	1-0-0	6-9-0
NOVEMBER	7-8-3	3-4-0	0-0-0	10-12-3
DECEMBER	2-4-0	0-2-0	0-0-1	2-6-1
JANUARY	3-4-0	3-8-1	0-0-0	6-12-1
FEBRUARY	2-5-0	5-8-2	0-0-0	7-13-2
MARCH	0-0-0	1-2-0	0-1-0	1-3-0
TOTALS	16-26-3	15-28-3	1-1-1	32-55-7

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2002-03 CCHA STANDINGS



	CONFERENCE					OVERALL						
	GP	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	W	L	T	GF	GA
1. Ferris State	20	14	5	1	29	85	53	19	8	1	124	71
2. Ohio State	18	12	4	2	26	62	35	18	6	3	90	55
3. Michigan	18	12	5	1	25	74	45	18	7	1	106	62
4. Michigan State	19	11	7	1	23	72	56	15	10	2	94	82
5. Miami (Ohio)	22	10	10	2	22	71	58	16	12	2	110	82
Western Michigan	18	11	7	0	22	66	64	13	12	1	89	96
7. Northern Michigan	18	10	7	1	21	65	51	14	10	2	91	71
8. Nebraska-Omaha	22	9	12	1	19	54	70	11	14	3	76	92
9. Notre Dame	20	7	10	3	17	64	69	9	13	6	86	95
Alaska Fairbanks	22	6	11	5	17	59	91	9	12	5	79	99
11. Bowling Green State	19	4	13	2	10	51	85	7	16	2	70	105
12. Lake Superior State	18	1	16	1	3	23	69	4	18	4	41	95

RESULTS LAST WEEK

Friday, January 31

at Michigan 6, Ferris State 4*

at Northern Michigan 8, Alaska Fairbanks 2*

Bowling Green State 5, at Nebraska-Omaha 0*

Miami (Ohio) 5, at Michigan State 3*

Ohio State 3, at Notre Dame 3 OT*

Saturday, February 1

at Ferris State 4, Michigan 3*

at Northern Michigan 2, Alaska Fairbanks 2 OT*

at Nebraska-Omaha 6, Bowling Green State 3*

at Michigan State 3, Miami (Ohio) 2*

Ohio State 2, at Notre Dame 0*

GAMES THIS WEEK

BULLDOG BITES: Ferris State's 4-3 home-ice win over Michigan Saturday snapped a five-game series losing skid to the Wolverines . . . The Bulldogs are two wins shy of matching their 21 overall victories recorded in both the 1999-00 and 1992-93 seasons. FSU finished in sixth place with a .500 league mark in each of those campaigns . . . Sophomore center **Jeff Legue (Cornwall, Ont.)** has garnered a point in 23 of his 28 games this season and has a current five-game point string (2-6-8). Legue's 18 goals this season are 12 more than he had as a freshman when he recorded 6-19-25 in 36 contests . . . Junior defenseman **Simon Mangos (Caldeon, Ont.)**, who had a three-point (1-2-3) series against Michigan, has established career highs in points (12) and goals (seven) in 28 outings this campaign while matching his assist total (five). Mangos compiled 10 points (5-5-10) in 36 encounters a season ago . . . Senior left wing **Chris Kunitz (Regina, Sask.)** has registered 10 points (8-2-10) during a five-game point streak and has accumulated 28 points (14-14-28) in his last 14 games . . . Ferris' five victories in January (5-3-1) represented its most since 1997-98 when the Bulldogs posted a 5-3-0 record . . . Sophomore goaltender **Mike Brown (Calgary, Alta.)** notched his 29th career win Saturday versus Michigan to move into

sole possession of sixth place on the school's career victories list. Brown, who's 29-21-1 in 53 career appearances, is one victory away from tying Mike Williams (1986-90) and Craig Lisko (1990-94) for fourth place . . . FSU's remaining four regular-season opponents (Lake Superior State, Western Michigan, Nebraska-Omaha and Bowling Green State) have a combined .351 winning percentage (25-48-4) in CCHA contests this season . . . **Chris Kunitz's** nine multi-goal games this campaign matches his team-leading efforts in 35 games last season . . . **Kunitz** moved into a tie with Rod Schluter (1986-87) and John DePourcq (1987-88) for 13th place among FSU's all-time single-season scoring leaders with his 53rd point (24-29-53) of the season Saturday against UM. He's a point shy of tying Jim Baker (1978-79) for 12th place and his 24 goals this season ties Brian McCullough (1999-00) for 10th place on the school's single-season goal scorers list.

KUNITZ RECEIVES WEEKLY HONOR: For the third time this season, **Chris Kunitz** is the CCHA's Offensive Player of the Week. He had five points (4-1-5) in the Michigan series, including a pair of two-goal performances.

HOBEBY BAKER AWARD CANDIDATE: **Chris Kunitz**, a CCHA First-Teamer last season as a result of scoring a league-high 25 goals, is a 2002-03 Hobey Baker Memorial Award candidate. A season ago, he totaled 38 points on a career-best 28 goals and 10 assists in 35 games. He has a league-best 53 points with 24 goals and 29 assists in 28 contests this season. Kunitz currently ranks third with 11,064 points in phase two of the voting for the Hobey Baker Award. Once the nominating phase is completed, fans will be casting ballots along with the 60 NCAA Division I college hockey head coaches to determine the Top 10 Finalists, which will be announced in March. Fans can log on to www.voteforhobey.com and follow the prompts to nominate their choice.

MOST RECENT SUMMARIES:

Game 27 ♦ at Michigan
January 31, 2003 – at Yost Ice Arena (6,917)

1	2	3	FINAL
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Friday, February 7

Ferris State at Lake Superior State*, 7:05 p.m.

Western Michigan at Ohio State*

Northern Michigan at Michigan*, 7:35 p.m.

Nebraska-Omaha at Alaska Fairbanks*, 11:05 p.m.

Saturday, February 8

Ferris State at Lake Superior State*, 7:05 p.m.

Western Michigan at Ohio State*

Michigan State at Bowling Green State*, 7:30 p.m.

Northern Michigan at Michigan*, 7:35 p.m.

Nebraska-Omaha at Alaska Fairbanks*, 11:05 p.m.

* – CCHA Game

All starting times are Eastern
and 7:05 p.m. unless noted

BULLDOGS OF THE GAME: After each contest, a Ferris State player will be selected the Bulldog of the Game. Below is a compilation of the recipients to date.

DATE/OPP.	PLAYER	NOTES
Oct. 11 vs. SCSU	Mike Brown	39 saves
Oct. 12 vs. SCSU	Mike Kinnie	1-1-2
Oct. 18 vs. BGSU	Chris Kunitz	2-4-6
Oct. 19 vs. BGSU	Chris Kunitz	2-0-2
Oct. 25 at N. Dame	Chris Kunitz	2-2-4, +3
Oct. 26 at N. Dame	Chris Kunitz	2-2-4, +2
Nov. 1 at UAF	Jamie Dunlap	2-0-2, +2
Nov. 2 at UAF	Mike Brown	26 saves
Nov. 8 vs. Wayne St.	Mike Kinnie	2-0-2, +2
Nov. 9 vs. Wayne St.	Troy Milam	2-0-2
Nov. 15 vs. WMU	Phil Lewandowski	2-1-3, +3
Nov. 16 at WMU	Derek Nesbitt	1-0-1
Nov. 22 vs. Ohio St.	Derek Nesbitt	2-0-2, +2
Nov. 23 vs. Ohio St.	Derrick McIver	1-0-1, +1
Dec. 6 vs. MSU	Mike Kinnie	1-0-1, +1
Dec. 7 at MSU	Brett Smith	1-1-2, +1
Dec. 29 vs. UAH	Troy Milam	1-1-2
Dec. 30 vs. UConn	Chris Kunitz	2-2-4, +3
Jan. 3 at Niagara	Chris Kunitz	1-3-4, +4
Jan. 4 at Niagara	Jeff Legue	2-0-2, +2
Jan. 10 vs. N. Dame	Simon Mangos	2-0-2, +1
Jan. 11 vs. N. Dame	Jeff Legue	2-0-2, +1
Jan. 17 vs. NMU	Mike Brown	30 saves
Jan. 18 vs. NMU	Greg Rallo	2-1-3, +2
Jan. 24 at Miami	Chris Kunitz	2-0-2
Jan. 25 at Miami	Brett Smith	1-0-1
Jan. 31 at Michigan	Chris Kunitz	2-0-2, +1
Feb. 1 vs. Michigan	Chris Kunitz	2-1-3, +3
Feb. 7 at LSSU		
Feb. 8 at LSSU		
Feb. 15 vs. WMU		
Feb. 16 at WMU		
Feb. 28 vs. UNO		
Mar. 1 vs. UNO		
Mar. 7 at BGSU		
Mar. 8 at BGSU		

All times are Eastern
▲ – Championship

* – CCHA Game
▼ – Third-Place Game

Ferris State	3	1	0	—	4
Michigan	2	3	1	—	6
1st:	FSU-Trevor Large/3 (Carter Thomson); 1:31				
	FSU-Chris Kunitz/21 (Jeff Legue); 3:20				
	UM-Andy Burnes/1 (Milan Gajic, Jason Ryznar); 7:54				
	UM-Jeff Tambellini/16 (Mark Mink); 11:28				
	FSU-Chris Kunitz/22 (unassisted); 14:46				
2nd:	UM-Milan Gajic/6 (Brandon Rogers, David Moss); 5:21				
	UM-Danny Richmond/3 (Andrew Ebbett, Dwight Helminen); 12:57				
	UM-Milan Gajic/7 (David Moss, Nick Martens); 14:14				
	FSU-Simon Mangos/6 (Carter Thomson, Nick Scheible); 14:37				
3rd:	UM-Jeff Tambellini/17 (Jed Ortmeier); 7:27				
Shots On Goal:	FSU 11-5-6-22, UM 12-17-8-37				
Penalties:	FSU 11-22, UM 10-20				
Power Plays:	FSU 0-4, UM 0-5				
Saves:	FSU-Mike Brown, L (18-8-1) (10-14-7-31); 59:10				
	UM-Al Montoya, W (18-6-1) (8-4-6-18); 60:00				
Officials:	Referee-Steve Piotrowski; Asst. Refs-John LaDuke, Bruce Vida				

Game 28 ♦ vs. Michigan
February 1, 2003 – at Ewiggle Ice Arena (2,493)

Michigan	1	2	3	—	FINAL
Ferris State	0	2	1	—	3
	3	1	0	—	4
1st:	FSU-Chris Kunitz/23 (Jeff Legue, Derek Nesbitt); 1:19				
	FSU-Jeff Legue/18 (Chris Kunitz, Derek Nesbitt); 3:50				
	FSU-Chris Kunitz/24 (Simon Mangos, Jeff Legue); 11:44				
2nd:	FSU-Simon Mangos/7 (Brett Smith); 4-4; 1:36				
	UM-Brandon Kaleniecki/11 (Jeff Tambellini, Andrew Ebbett)				
	UM-Jed Ortmeier/5 (Brandon Rogers, Danny Richmond); PPG; 11:59				
3rd:	UM-Jeff Tambellini/18 (Brandon Rogers); 5:25				
Shots On Goal:	UM 19-11-7-37, FSU 10-5-16-31				
Penalties:	UM 12-24, FSU 11-30				
Power Plays:	UM 1-4, FSU 0-6				
Saves:	UM-Al Montoya, L (18-7-1) (7-4-16-27); 59:52				
	FSU-Mike Brown, W (19-8-1) (19-9-6-34); 60:00				
Officials:	Referee-Steve Piotrowski; Asst. Refs-John LaDuke, Bruce Vida Jr.				

2002-03 FERRIS STATE ROSTER

No.	NAME	Pos.	Yr.
2	Nick Scheible Big Rapids, Mich.	F	RFr.
5	Brett Smith Guelph, Ontario	F	Jr.
6	Troy Milam (C) Lake Orion, Mich.	D	Sr.
7	Greg Rallo Gurnee, Ill.	F	Fr.
8	Skip Renauld Regina, Saskatchewan	D	So.
9	Derrick McIver (A) Thunder Bay, Ontario	F	Jr.
11	Jeff Legue Cornwall, Ontario	F	So.
12	Matt York Woodhaven, Mich.	D	So.
14	Chris Kunitz (A) Regina, Saskatchewan	F	Sr.
16	Jamie Dunlap Nepean, Ontario	F	Fr.
17	Derek Nesbitt Egmondville, Ontario	F	So.
19	Trevor Large Brampton, Ontario	F	Jr.
20	Kevin Caudill Tustin, Calif.	F	Sr.
21	Carter Thomson Milden, Saskatchewan	F	So.
22	Simon Mangos Caledon, Ontario	D	Jr.
24	Jeremy Scherlinck Grosse Pointe, Mich.	D	Fr.
25	Nick Field Jackson, Mich.	F	Sr.
26	Mike Kinnie Shelby Township, Mich.	F	So.
27	Phil Lewandowski Naperville, Ill.	F	Sr.
28	Phil Meyer Lansing, Mich.	D	Sr.
29	Tim Vokey Mississauga, Ontario	F	Fr.
30	Mike Brown Calgary, Alberta	G	So.
31	Matt Swanson Clinton Township, Mich.	G	Sr.
35	John DeCaro Marysville, Wash.	G	So.
41	Andrew Winnik Mississauga, Ontario	D	Fr.

Average Height: 6 feet, 0 inches

Average Weight: 184.7 pounds

Average Age: 21.3 years

Head Coach: Bob Daniels

Assistant Coach: Drew Famulak

Assistant Coach: Derek Lalonde

Volunteer Asst. Coach: Tim Blashill

Equipment Manager: Ben Mumah,
E.M.,C.

Athletics Trainer: Tim Glover, ATC

FSU's RECORD WHEN ...

Playing at home	10-4-1
Playing on the road	9-3-0
Playing at neutral site	0-1-0
On Olympic-sized ice	2-0-0
On regulation-sized ice	17-8-1
Game 1 of a weekend series	8-5-0
Game 2 of a weekend series	10-2-1
Game 1 of a CCHA weekend series	6-4-0
Game 2 of a CCHA weekend series	8-1-1
Games following a win	11-6-1
Games following a loss	8-0-0
Games following a tie	0-1-0
The margin of victory is one goal	2-0-0
The margin of victory is two goals	3-0-0
The margin of victory is three or more goals	14-0-0
In overtime games	1-1-1
In games decided by one goal	2-3-0
In games decided by two goals	3-2-0
In games decided by three or more goals	14-3-0
Scoring first	15-2-0
The opponent scores first	4-6-1
Leading after one period	9-2-0
Trailing after one period	1-2-1
Tied after one period	9-3-0
Leading after two periods	17-0-0
Trailing after two periods	0-7-1
Tied after two periods	2-1-0
Outshooting its opponent	11-1-1
Being outshot by an opponent	7-5-0
Shots on goal are even	1-2-0
With fewer than 20 shots on goal	0-0-0
With 20-29 shots on goal	4-4-0
With 30-39 shots on goal	9-1-1
With 40 or more shots on goal	6-3-0
Scoring a power-play goal	12-6-1
Not scoring a power-play goal	7-2-0
Allowing a power-play goal	11-5-1
Not allowing a power-play goal	8-3-0
Scoring a short-handed goal	1-1-0
Allowing a short-handed goal	1-3-1
When FSU goalie makes fewer than 30 saves	12-4-1
When FSU goalie makes 30-39 saves	6-4-0
When FSU goalie makes 40-49 saves	1-0-0
When taking less penalties than opp.	9-4-1
When taking more penalties than opp.	9-3-0
When penalties are equal	1-1-0
Playing in TV games	4-2-0
When Chris Kunitz gets a point	17-5-1
When Chris Kunitz scores a goal	13-2-0
Versus CCHA Teams	14-5-1
Versus WCHA Teams	1-1-0
Versus CHA Teams	3-2-0
Versus Hockey East Teams	0-0-0
Versus ECAC Teams	0-0-0
Versus MAAC Teams	1-0-0
When wearing white jerseys	10-5-1
When wearing dark jerseys	9-3-0

MONTH-BY-MONTH RECORD ...

	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	TOTAL
October	3-1-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	5-1-0
November	4-1-0	2-1-0	0-0-0	6-2-0
December	0-1-0	2-0-0	0-1-0	2-2-0
January	2-1-1	3-2-0	0-0-0	5-3-1
February	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0
March	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
TOTAL	10-4-1	9-3-0	0-1-0	19-8-1

NEXT OPPONENT: Ferris State takes on the Western Michigan Broncos in a CCHA home-and-home series next weekend, Feb. 15-16. The series commences Saturday, Feb. 15, with a 7:05 p.m. (EST) start time scheduled at FSU's Ewigleben Ice Arena in Big Rapids, Mich. The two teams will meet again Sunday, Feb. 16, at WMU's Lawson Ice Arena in Kalamazoo, Mich. Opening faceoff is set for 4 p.m. (EST). The regular-season series represents the second of this season between the teams.

CLUSTER STANDINGS ...

Under the CCHA's "rivalry pairing" cluster scheduling format, Ferris State, whose rivalry partner is Western Michigan, is joins Bowling Green State and Notre Dame for the 2002-03 campaign. Following are the standings in FSU's scheduling cluster:

TEAM	GP	W	L	T	Pts
1. Ferris State	8	6	1	1	13
2. Notre Dame	8	4	3	1	9
3. Western Michigan	6	3	3	0	6
4. Bowling Green St.	6	0	6	0	0



The 2002-03 season marks the third year of the Perani Cup Three Stars, which is awarded following the conclusion of each CCHA regular-season game. Players from each school earn points throughout the season each time they are named a "star of the game" (5 points for 1st star, 3 points for 2nd star, and 1 point for 3rd star). At the end of the season, the CCHA will crown a Perani Cup champion as well as honor individual winners from each school. Following are the Perani Cup standings for Ferris State:

CCHA GAMES ONLY

NAME (CCHA RANK)	1ST	2ND	3RD	POINTS
Chris Kunitz	5	3	1	35
Mike Brown	2	4	4	26
Jeff Legue	1	3	3	17
Brett Smith	2			10
Derek Nesbitt	1	1	1	9
Phil Lewandowski	1	1		8
Greg Rallo	1	1	1	8
Mike Kinnie		1	3	6
Derrick McIver	1			5
Jamie Dunlap		1		3

OVERALL GAMES

NAME	1ST	2ND	3RD	POINTS
Chris Kunitz	7	3	1	45
Mike Brown	2	5	6	31
Jeff Legue	2	4	3	25
Mike Kinnie	2	1	3	16
Brett Smith	2	1		13
Derek Nesbitt	1	1	1	9
Phil Lewandowski	1	1	1	9
Greg Rallo	1	1		8
Simon Mangos	1		1	6
Derrick McIver	1			5
Jamie Dunlap		1	1	4
Troy Milam		1	1	4
Andrew Winnik		1		3
Jeremy Scherlinck			1	1

CURRENT STREAKS ...

PLAYER	GAMES	G-A-P	STREAK
Chris Kunitz	5	8-2-10	Goals
Jeff Legue	5	2-6-8	Assists
Chris Kunitz	5	8-2-10	Points

NCAA STATISTICS ...

Following is where Ferris State ranks as a team and individually from the NCAA statistics, released on Monday (Feb. 3):

CATEGORY	RANK	No.	Avg.
Scoring Offense	3rd	124	4.43
Scoring Margin	4th	+1.08	
Winning Pct.	9th	19-8-1	.696
Scoring Defense	13th	71	2.54
Penalty Killing Pct.	17th	113-137	.825

NAME	CATEGORY	RANK	No.
Chris Kunitz	Points PG	3rd	1.89
	Assists PG	6th	1.04
	GWG	5thT	4
	Goals PG	3rd	0.86
Mike Brown	Win Pct.	14th	.696
	Save Pct.	15th	.917

