

TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			GSW		GAW	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Seattle	3	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	7		2	
Phoenix	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0		0	
Portland	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2		3	
Salt Lake	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	2		1	
Vancouver	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1		3	
Denver	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1		3	
San Diego	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0		1	

GAMES PLAYED 7, HOME TEAM WON 3, VISITING TEAM 4, TIED 0. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 4 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 3. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 4 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 3.

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TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH OCTOBER 12, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Seattle	3	13	20	33	24	12	0	0	85
Portland	2	10	13	23	18	9	0	0	74
Vancouver	2	6	10	16	18	9	0	0	85
Salt Lake	2	7	6	13	47	16	3	0	59
Denver	2	5	7	12	18	9	0	0	75
Phoenix	1	4	6	10	8	4	0	0	33
San Diego	2	4	5	9	26	8	2	0	26

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The Phoenix Roadrunners, unbeaten in their only outing of the 1969-70 Western Hockey League season, will make their debut in Veterans Memorial Coliseum to kickoff a nine game schedule this week.

The Roadrunners will be the final WHL team to open at home and the opposition will be the newest entry, Salt Lake's Golden Eagles.

Other action Wednesday will match the Denver Spurs against the Portland Buckaroos. Thursday, Vancouver will invade Seattle to test the Totems who spoiled the Canucks' opener last Friday with a 4-1 decision.

There's a full schedule on tap Friday. Seattle and Portland go on the road with the Totems at Salt Lake and Portland in Phoenix while Denver continues its road trip in Vancouver.

Saturday, the Buckaroos move onto San Diego with the Totems and Golden Eagles rematched in the Salt Palace. In Sunday's finale for the week, the Roadrunners meet Portland in the Rose City.

TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	24	MOST POINTS	Bill Saunders - Portland	11
				Art Jones - Portland	11
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	36	MOST GOALS	Jack Michie - Seattle	5
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	60	MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	8
MOST FIRST GOALS OF GAME	Salt Lake	4	MOST FIRST GOALS	Art Stratton - Seattle	2
MOST HAT TRICKS	Salt Lake, Portland Vancouver, San Diego	1 each	MOST GAME-WINNING GOALS	16 players tied	1
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	9	MOST GOALS SCORED WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Jack Michie - Seattle	3
MOST GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Portland, Salt Lake	5 each	MOST GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Gary Kilpatrick - Seattle	2
				Bob Heaney - Salt Lake	2
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Salt Lake	114	MOST HAT TRICKS	Four Players Tied	1 each
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Salt Lake	36	MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	Rick Pagnutti - Salt Lake	22
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Salt Lake	4	MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Rick Pagnutti - Salt Lake	6
				Don Ward - Seattle	6
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Salt Lake	2	MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Eight Players Tied	1 each

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	5	MOST SHUTOUTS	George Gardner - Vancouver	1
MOST GOALS	Ted Hodgson - Salt Lake	3	LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.50
	Cliff Schmautz - Portland	3			
	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	3			
	Len Ronson - San Diego	3			
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5			
MOST PENALTIES	Rick Pagnutti - Salt Lake	3			
	Bill Hicke - Salt Lake	3			
	Howie Young - Vancouver	3			
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Pagnutti - Salt Lake	14			

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Bill Saunders - Portland	5 games
ASSISTS	Ted Taylor - Vancouver	5 games
GOALS	Rollie Wilcox - Salt Lake	4 games
PENALTIES	Bob Heaney - Salt Lake	3 games
	Chuck Holmes - Seattle	3 games
	John Arbour - Vancouver	3 games
	Brad Selwood - Vancouver	3 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
DENVER	4	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	1			4
SALT LAKE	5	4	3	0	0	0	2	0	3			5
Phoenix	4	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	4			2
Portland	6	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	4			5
Seattle	6	3	1	2	0	1	2	0	9			4
Vancouver	4	2	0	2	0	2	0	0	3			3
San Diego	3	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0			1

GAMES PLAYED 16, HOME TEAM WON 7, VISITING TEAM 8, TIED 1. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 11 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 4. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 9 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 7.

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TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH OCTOBER 19, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Portland	6	24	36	60	56		28	0	0	183
Salt Lake	5	22	29	51	114		36	4	2	151
Seattle	6	19	30	49	66		28	2	0	161
Vancouver	4	13	25	37	42		21	0	0	143
Phoenix	4	17	25	42	40		20	0	0	151
Denver	4	13	17	30	34		17	0	0	137
San Diego	3	9	13	22	34		12	2	0	106

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The Denver Spurs and San Diego Gulls each have four games as the Western Hockey League opens an 11 game schedule this week. The Gulls invade Salt Lake Tuesday while Phoenix continues its road swing into Vancouver.

On Wednesday, San Diego is at Denver while Portland is home against Seattle. The Gulls make it three-games-in three-nights with a Thursday stop in Phoenix.

Two games are scheduled on each of the three weekend nights. Denver plays at Salt Lake and Portland is at Vancouver on Friday. The Buckaroos return home to face Denver on Saturday while Vancouver is making the big jump into Phoenix.

Sunday's pairings pit the Canucks of Vancouver against the Gulls in San Diego with the Spurs making their second appearance of the season in Seattle.

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TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	37	MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	16
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	60	MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	9
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	97	MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	12
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Salt Lake	6	MOST FIRST GOALS	Art Stratton - Seattle	2
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego	2	MOST FIRST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	2
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	11	MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	2
MOST GOALS WHILE SHOR PENALTY	Salt Lake	8	MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Germain Gagnon - Vancouver	2
MOST GOALS WHILE SHOR PENALTY	Vancouver	8	MOST GOALS WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger LaFreniere - Denver	3
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Salt Lake	136	MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	2
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Salt Lake	48	MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	Rick Pagnutti - Salt Lake	24
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Salt Lake, San Diego	4 each	MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	8
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Salt Lake	2	MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Dennis Huculak - San Diego	2
MOST SHOTS ON GOALS	Portland	278	MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Murray Hall - Vancouver	2

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Pagnutti - Salt Lake	14
MOST PENALTIES	Many players tied with 3 each	

LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.40
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LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Ted Taylor - Vancouver	6 games
	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
ASSISTS	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
GOALS	Warren Hynes - San Diego	4 games
	Rollie Wilcox - Salt Lake	4 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	4 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Portland	9	2	2	2	1	2	2	0	7		6	
Vancouver	8	4	1	2	1	3	1	0	5		8	
Salt Lake	7	6	3	0	2	0	2	0	4		8	
San Diego	7	4	2	1	0	1	1	2	1		3	
Denver	8	3	1	1	0	2	3	1	7		7	
Phoenix	7	4	1	2	1	1	0	2	7		4	
Seattle	8	4	2	2	0	1	3	0	11		6	

GAMES PLAYED 27, HOME TEAM WON 12, VISITING TEAM 10, TIED 5. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 17 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 5. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 17 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 10.

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TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH OCTOBER 26, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Portland	9	37	60	97	100	45	0	1	278	
Salt Lake	7	31	43	74	136	48	4	2	206	
Seattle	8	27	46	73	87	36	3	0	223	
Vancouver	8	24	43	67	93	39	3	0	263	
Denver	8	26	39	65	63	29	1	0	250	
San Diego	7	23	38	61	78	29	4	0	211	
Phoenix	7	24	36	60	54	27	0	0	242	

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The Seattle Totems will face the toughest schedule as the Western Hockey League swings into its second full week of action.

There are 10 games on the schedule and the Totems are listed to participate in half of them starting Tuesday in San Diego. That's the first of three straight road tests that includes stops in Phoenix and Vancouver before the Totems return for back-to-back games on home ice Saturday and Sunday.

Phoenix, Portland and Vancouver each have three games, two apiece on the road. Portland is at Denver Wednesday while Seattle moves into Phoenix against the Roadrunners. Thursday, the Buckaroos will invade Salt Lake for the first encounter between the five-time champions and the newest WHL entry.

Friday, Seattle is at Vancouver in the only game and Saturday the pair plays on Totem ice. Salt Lake is at Denver and Phoenix at San Diego on Saturday's full slate. Vancouver at Portland and Phoenix at Seattle wind up the week Sunday.

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TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	49	MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	22
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	78	MOST GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	11
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	127	MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	15
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Phoenix	7	MOST FIRST GOALS	Art Stratton - Seattle	3
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego	2	MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Six Players Tied	2
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	14	MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Art Stratton - Seattle	3
MOST GOALS WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Vancouver	12	MOST GOALS WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger LaFreniere - Denver	3
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	168	MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	2
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	64	MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	41
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Salt Lake, San Diego, Vancouver	4	MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	13
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Salt Lake	3	MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Dennis Huculak - San Diego	2
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Seattle	383	MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Murray Hall - Vancouver	2
<u>SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)</u>			MOST SHUTOUTS	George Gardner - Vancouver	1
MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	5	LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.63
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4	LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.63
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5	<u>LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)</u>		
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Dennis Huculak - San Diego	20	POINTS	Ted Taylor - Vancouver	6 games
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Murray Hall - Vancouver	20	POINTS	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5	GOALS	Four Players Tied	4 games
			ASSISTS	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
			PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	7 games*

*Indicates string still going

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Portland	12	4	2	2	2	4	2	0	9		8	
Vancouver	11	5	1	3	1	4	1	1	8		12	
Phoenix	10	7	2	2	1	2	1	2	8		4	
Seattle	13	5	3	3	0	2	5	0	14		9	
San Diego	9	5	3	2	0	1	1	2	1		3	
Salt Lake	9	6	3	1	2	0	2	1	5		9	
Denver	10	5	1	2	1	2	3	1	7		7	

GAMES PLAYED 37, HOME TEAM WON 15, VISITING TEAM 15, TIED 7. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 23 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 7. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 22 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 15.

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TEAM PENALTY AND SCORING RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH NOVEMBER 2, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Portland	12	49	78	127	131	58	1	1	373
Seattle	13	44	74	118	137	56	3	1	383
Phoenix	10	36	56	92	77	36	1	0	337
Vancouver	11	33	58	91	168	64	4	2	378
Salt Lake	9	35	48	83	160	55	4	3	264
San Diego	9	29	46	75	88	29	4	1	283
Denver	10	29	45	74	73	34	1	0	312

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It's another hectic week of action in the Western Hockey League with 11 games scheduled from Tuesday through Sunday night. Denver, Phoenix, Portland and San Diego each have three games with Seattle and Vancouver billed in four contests. Salt Lake will see action only twice with games on home ice Wednesday and Friday.

Vancouver will be home against Phoenix in Tuesday nights only action. The Roadrunners will move into Portland for a Wednesday night game while Seattle goes against Salt Lake and Denver hits the road for San Diego.

Portland will play at Vancouver in a rare Thursday night encounter on Canuck ice. On Friday, the Roadrunners will wrap up their road swing on Salt Lake ice at the same time the Totems go against Denver.

Seattle and Denver will complete their two-game series in Denver in one of Saturday's two contests while the Canucks make their second appearance of the season in San D.

The Canucks and Gulls will square off in a rematch Sunday night with Seattle going against the Portland Buckaroos in the weeks' final tilt.

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TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	62	MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	27
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	101	MOST GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	12
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	163	MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	19
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Phoenix	9	MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Art Stratton - Seattle	3
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle	2	MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Seven Players Tied	2
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	16	MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	4
MOST GOALS WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	13	MOST GOALS WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger LaFreniere - Denver	4
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	256	MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	2
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	88	MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	47
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	6	MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	16
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES**	Vancouver	5	MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Dennis Huculak - San Diego	2
(**Includes Game Misconducts)			Murray Hall - Vancouver	2	
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	527	MOST SHUTOUTS	George Gardner - Vancouver	1
			Rocky Farr - Denver	1	
<u>SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)</u>			<u>LEADING GOALKEEPER</u>		
MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	5	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.52	
	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5	<u>LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)</u>		
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4	POINTS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	8 games
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5	GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5 games
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Howie Young - Vancouver	24	ASSISTS	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5	PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	10 games*
				(* Indicates string still alive.)	

TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Portland	15	5	4	2	2	5	2	0	12		9	
Vancouver	15	7	2	4	1	4	2	2	8		12	
San Diego	12	8	4	3	1	1	1	2	2		3	
Seattle	17	6	3	3	0	3	8	0	16		11	
Phoenix	13	9	2	2	1	2	3	3	11		5	
Salt Lake	11	6	4	1	3	0	2	1	7		13	
Denver	13	7	2	3	1	3	3	1	7		8	

GAMES PLAYED 48, HOME TEAM WON 21, VISITING TEAM 18, TIED 9. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 27 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 12. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 30 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 18.

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TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH NOVEMBER 9, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Portland	15	62	101	163	161	68	1	2	482	
Seattle	17	53	88	141	164	61	4	1	506	
Phoenix	13	45	69	114	97	46	1	0	435	
Vancouver	15	42	71	113	256	88	6	5**	527	
Salt Lake	11	43	62	105	186	68	4	3	322	
Denver	13	37	56	93	93	44	1	0	413	
San Diego	12	36	57	93	139	47	5	2	385	

** Includes two game misconducts.

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There are only nine games on this week's schedule in the Western Hockey League. But it's still a tough week on the San Diego Gulls.

The Gulls, picked to finish among the top three teams, are involved in four of the games, all on the road. San Diego will open Tuesday at Denver and then jump into Portland for the first of two games this week against the league-leading Buckaroos on Wednesday. Friday, the Gulls are at Seattle before returning to Portland for a rematch on Saturday.

In other Tuesday action, Phoenix is at Salt Lake against the surprising Golden Eagles before returning home Wednesday for the first of two games against the Vanc. Canucks.

There's a full schedule on Friday with the Roadrunners-Canucks rematched and Salt Lake playing at Denver.

On Saturday, the Vancouver Canucks will wind up their five-game road swing in Salt Lake. No games are scheduled for Sunday.

TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	65
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	106
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	171
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Phoenix	11
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle, Salt Lake	2
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	16
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake, Vancouver	15
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	310
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	105
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver, Salt Lake, San Diego	6
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver (* Includes 3 game misconducts)	7*
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	628

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Howie Young - Vancouver	24
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	27
MOST GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	12
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	19
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Art Stratton - Seattle	4
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Eight Players Tied	2
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	4
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger LaFreniere - Denver	4
	Gary Kilpatrick - Seattle	4
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	2
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	66
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	19
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Dennis Huculak - San Diego	2
	Murray Hall - Vancouver	2
	John Arbour - Vancouver	2
MOST SHUTOUTS	George Gardner - Vancouver	1
	Rocky Farr - Denver	1
	Rick Charron - Phoenix	1
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.47
<u>LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)</u>		
POINTS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	8 games
GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5 games
ASSISTS (** Indicates string still alive)	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
	Warren Hynes - San Diego	** 6 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Portland	17	7	4	3	3	5	2	0	12		9	
San Diego	16	9	4	3	1	3	1	4	4		3	
Phoenix	16	11	4	2	1	3	3	3	12		5	
Vancouver	18	9	2	4	1	5	4	2	9		15	
Denver	15	7	2	3	3	3	3	1	8		9	
Salt Lake	14	7	4	3	3	0	2	2	7		15	
Seattle	18	7	3	4	0	3	8	0	16		12	

GAMES PLAYED 57, HOME TEAM WON 23, VISITING TEAM 22, TIED 12. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 30 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 15. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 34 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 23.

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TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH NOVEMBER 16, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.			MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN	MIN			
Portland	17	65	106	171	180	75	2	2	556	
Phoenix	16	57	92	149	119	57	3	0	537	
Seattle	18	54	90	144	172	65	4	1	541	
Vancouver	18	50	81	131	310	105	6	7**	628	
San Diego	16	48	80	128	182	66	6	2	471	
Salt Lake	14	49	70	119	224	77	6	4	413	
Denver	15	44	69	113	107	51	1	0	489	

** Includes three game misconduct penalties.

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Action starts Tuesday night in the Western Hockey League and continues through Sunday with 19 games scheduled. Denver, Salt Lake and Vancouver will each see action four times but the Golder Eagles will face four games on the road.

Salt Lake opens at Vancouver on Tuesday and will return for a rematch on Friday. On Thursday, the Eagles are in Seattle and Friday invade Portland.

Denver, all even with San Diego after three matches, plays at San Diego on Wednesday and Friday. The Gulls, currently the hottest team in the league, are unbeaten (3-0-3) in their last six starts.

Seattle, which has lost its last three games, is 0-3 against the Eagles going into Thursday's contest that marks the return of Guyle Fielder in his first appearance against the team for which he played 15 seasons.

Saturday, Vancouver goes against the Spurs in Denver while Phoenix, which hasn't lost in its last four games, is at Seattle. The Roadrunners move into Portland for half of Sunday's games with the Vancouver Canucks winding up their two game series in Denver.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	82
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	136
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	218
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	13
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle	4
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	20
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	21
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	358
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	129
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver, Salt Lake, San Diego	6
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver (Includes 2 game Misconducts)	7 *
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	787

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Six Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Howie Young - Vancouver	24
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	34
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	17
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	22
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Art Stratton - Seattle	4
	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Norm Johnson - Portland	3
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	5
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger Lafreniere - Denver	4
	Gary Kilpatrick - Seattle	4
	Bob Heaney - Salt Lake	4
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	80
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	25
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Dennis Huculak - San Diego	2
	Murray Hall - Vancouver	2
	John Arbour - Vancouver	2

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

MOST SHUTOUTS	Five Players Tied	1
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.39
POINTS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	8 games
GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5 games
ASSISTS	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
	Warren Hynes - San Diego	6 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W	G A W
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M ADV	S PEN
Portland	19	9	6	3	3	5	2	0	17	10
Vancouver	22	13	4	4	1	6	5	2	14	15
San Diego	18	11	5	3	2	3	1	4	5	4
Phoenix	18	11	4	2	1	3	5	3	13	12
Denver	19	7	3	4	3	3	4	2	9	11
Seattle	20	9	5	4	0	3	8	0	20	14

GAMES PLAYED 67, HOME TEAM WON 31, VISITING TEAM WON 23, TIED 13. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 38 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 16. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 42 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 25.

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TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH NOVEMBER 23, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Portland	19	82	136	218	207	86	3	2	642
Vancouver	22	72	115	187	358	129	6	7**	787
Seattle	20	67	114	181	188	73	4	1	606
San Diego	18	58	96	154	196	73	6	2	549
Phoenix	18	59	94	153	152	66	4	0	584
Denver	19	55	88	143	135	65	1	0	628
Salt Lake	18	56	81	137	256	93	6	4	520

**Includes 2 game misconducts

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San Diego's surging Gulls take an eight game unbeaten mark into Vancouver Tuesday night to kick off a week of 10 games in the Western Hockey League. The Gulls, with four wins and four ties in their last eight games, will be making their first appearance of the season in Vancouver after posting a 2-0-1 mark against the Canucks in three meetings in S.D.

Wednesday, the Gulls move into Seattle for their first game on Totem ice while Denver travels to Phoenix for the first meeting of the season between the Spurs and R'runners.

Friday, there's a full slate of three games. Salt Lake will tangle with the Roadrunners in Phoenix, Portland invades Seattle and the Gulls wind up their three-game road swing with a return trip to Pacific Coliseum in Vancouver.

Another three-game slate is on tap Saturday. Seattle will be at Denver, Portland goes against the Golden Eagles in Salt Lake while Phoenix is at San Diego to wrap up a four-game week for the Gulls.

In Sunday's only game, Portland is at Denver as the league-leading Buckaroos pass the half-way point in a five-game road trip.

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TEAM LEADERS

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	97
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	162
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	259
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	15
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle	4
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	22
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	22
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	387
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	136
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	7
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	8**
(**Inc. 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	868

MOST POINTS	Art Jones	41
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	20
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	27
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Four Players Tied	4
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Norm Johnson - Portland	3
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	5
	Wilf Martin - Denver	5
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Five Players Tied	4
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	82
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	26
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Dennis Huculak - San Diego	2
	Murray Hall - Vancouver	2
	John Arbour - Vancouver	2

SINGLE GAME RECORDS(1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Six Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Howie Young - Vancouver	24
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5

MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	2
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LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.43
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LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	8 games
GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5 games
ASSISTS	John MacMillan - San Diego	6 games
	Warren Hynes - San Diego	6 games

PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games
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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Portland	22	10	6	3	3	6	3	1		18		15
Vancouver	24	15	6	4	1	6	5	2		15		16
San Diego	22	13	6	3	2	3	4	4		5		5
Denver	22	9	4	5	3	4	4	2		14		13
Seattle	23	10	6	5	0	4	8	0		22		15
Phoenix	21	12	5	3	1	3	6	3		14		13
Salt Lake	20	8	4	3	4	0	7	2		11		22

GAMES PLAYED 77, HOME TEAM WON 37, VISITING TEAM WON 26, TIED 14. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 46 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 17. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 48 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 29.

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TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN. IN PEN	MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
Portland	22	97	162	259	241	103	3	2	732
Seattle	23	81	141	222	206	88	4	1	709
Vancouver	24	80	131	211	387	136	7	8**	868
Denver	22	69	109	178	166	73	2	1	711
San Diego	22	66	109	175	222	86	6	2	642
Phoenix	21	66	107	173	170	75	4	0	672
Salt Lake	20	62	91	153	276	103	6	4	574

**Includes 2 game misconducts

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League-leading Portland and Seattle will bear the brunt of the week's action in the Western Hockey League. Both the Buckaroos and Totems will see action four times as another 10-game week unfolds in the WHL.

Both Portland and Seattle are on the road in Wednesday's scheduled action. Portland will be at Phoenix while Seattle will play the first of its four road games against the Denver Spurs.

Three games are scheduled Friday. Seattle tangles with the Salt Lake Golden Eagles in a series where the Totems trail 1-3. Portland, winless in three starts against San Diego, goes against the Gulls while Denver opens a two-game stand in Vancouver.

Saturday, Seattle is at Phoenix with a 2-1 record against the Roadrunners and Salt Lake is at Portland as the Buckaroos wind up a five game road swing.

Three games wind up the week's action on Sunday. Seattle is at San Diego, Denver completes its invasion of Vancouver with a 2:30 p.m. game, and Salt Lake and Portland cap the schedule on Buckaroo ice.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	112
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	190
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	302
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	15
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle	4
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	27
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	25
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	416
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	143
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	10
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	8**
(**Includes 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	945

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Six Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Howie Young - Vancouver	24
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	45
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	21
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	30
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	15
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Six Players Tied	3
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	5
	Wilf Martin - Denver	5
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger Lafreniere - Denver	6
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	84
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	27
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Four Players Tied	2
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	2
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.53

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	9 games**
GOALS	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5 games
ASSISTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	7 games**
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games
(**Indicates string still alive)		

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Portland	26	11	7	3	4	6	4	2	22		20	
Vancouver	26	15	8	4	1	6	5	2	18		19	
San Diego	24	14	7	3	3	3	4	4	8		6	
Seattle	27	11	6	5	0	6	9	1	27		17	
Phoenix	23	14	6	3	2	3	6	3	15		16	
Denver	25	12	4	6	3	4	6	2	14		13	
Salt Lake	23	10	4	4	4	0	8	3	15		25	

GAMES PLAYED 87, HOME TEAM WON 42, VISITING TEAM WON 28, TIED 17. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 48 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 22. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 54 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 33.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH DECEMBER 7, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN.		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Portland	26	112	190	302	294	127	4	2	879
Seattle	27	90	155	245	282	121	6	1	839
Vancouver	26	94	149	243	416	143	10	8**	945
Phoenix	23	77	128	205	195	85	5	0	779
Denver	25	78	121	199	196	83	4	1	792
San Diego	24	72	119	191	248	94	6	3	712
Salt Lake	23	69	104	173	341	123	7	5	574

Match Penalties: Salt Lake, 1.

**Includes 2 game misconducts.

All that stands between the Vancouver Canucks and first place in the Western Hockey League is the Salt Lake Golden Eagles. The Canucks, who have lost only once in their last nine games, play Salt Lake twice this week, Tuesday and Friday. Trailing the Portland Buckaroos by a single point, Vancouver needs only a single win to climb into first place ahead of the Bucks who are idle all week.

Only eight games are scheduled this week, the lightest of the WHL campaign.

After Salt Lake kicks off the action Tuesday in Vancouver, two games are scheduled for Wednesday. San Diego travels to Phoenix to face the Roadrunners in a two-game series that will conclude Friday. Phoenix, 2-1-1 in its last four games, has two wins and a tie in four games against the Gulls who are unbeaten in their last three starts. Denver winds up a three-game swing to the Northwest at Seattle with the Totems holding a 5-1-0 edge in six games.

Two games are on tap Saturday. Phoenix makes its first trip to Denver to meet the Spurs, victors in the only previous meeting between the pair. Seattle, which started the week 6-2-1 in its last nine games, is home against San Diego. The Gulls hold a 3-1 edge in the series. Phoenix, 3-0-1, is at Salt Lake in Sunday's only game.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	112
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	190
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	302
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	17
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle	4
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	29
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	28
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	438
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	149
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	10
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	8**
	(**Includes 2 game misconducts)	
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1045

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Six Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Howie Young - Vancouver	24
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	45
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	22
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	30
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5
	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	5
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Four Players Tied	5
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger Lafreniere - Denver	6
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	86
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	28
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Four Players Tied	2
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	5.43
	<u>LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)</u>	
POINTS	Art Stratton - Seattle	10 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games**
ASSISTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	7 games
	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	7 games**
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games
	(**Indicates string still alive)	

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W M ADV	G A W S PEN
			W	L	T	W	L	T		
Vancouver	28	17	10	4	1	6	5	2	20	21
Portland	26	11	7	3	4	6	4	2	22	20
San Diego	27	16	7	3	3	5	5	4	8	7
Seattle	29	13	8	5	0	6	9	1	29	19
Phoenix	27	16	6	5	2	4	7	3	17	17
Denver	27	12	5	6	3	4	7	2	18	18
Salt Lake	26	10	4	5	4	0	10	3	16	29

GAMES PLAYED 95, HOME TEAM WON 47, VISITING TEAM WON 31, TIED 17. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 55 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 23. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 58 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 37.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH DECEMBER 14, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Portland	26	112	190	302	294	127	4	2	879
Seattle	29	101	178	279	294	127	6	1	902
Vancouver	28	104	166	270	428	149	10	8**	1045
Phoenix	27	91	150	241	229	97	5	1	906
San Diego	27	82	138	220	274	107	6	3	804
Denver	27	85	133	218	210	90	4	1	847
Salt Lake	26	78	118	196	359	132	7	5**	739

**Includes game misconduct penalties.

The San Diego Gulls, half way through a six-game road trip, will provide the warm-up for both Vancouver and Portland as the league-leading Canucks and runner-up Buckaroos point toward a head-on collision on this week's Western Hockey League schedule.

The Gulls start a four-game week Tuesday in Vancouver before moving into Portland on Wednesday while Denver plays at Phoenix.

On Friday, the Roadrunners travel to Denver in their rematch while Portland invades Vancouver for a showdown with the Canucks who started the week with eight straight victories on home ice.

Saturday, Portland will be host to the Canucks while San Diego winds up its swing at Phoenix where the Gulls' trip started with two victories. Salt Lake opens a three-game road swing at Seattle against the Totems who are 8-2-1 in their last 11 games.

Sunday's only game will have Salt Lake playing at San Diego. It will be the Golden Eagles' first appearance of the season in San Diego.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Portland	124
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	211
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	335
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	20
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle	4
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	30
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	32
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	492
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	166
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	14
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	9**
(**Includes 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1150

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Six Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	50
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	24
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	32
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	5
	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	6
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Milan Marcetta - Phoenix	6
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger Lafreniere - Denver	
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	107
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	31
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Jerry Korab - Portland	4
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	2
	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.40

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	11 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	7 games
	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	7 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	31	20	12	4	1	6	5	3	21		23	
Portland	29	12	8	3	5	6	5	2	23		20	
San Diego	31	17	8	3	3	5	8	4	13		9	
Seattle	30	13	8	6	0	6	9	1	30		20	
Denver	29	14	6	6	3	5	7	2	20		19	
Phoenix	30	17	7	6	2	4	8	3	19		21	
Salt Lake	28	11	4	5	4	1	11	3	17		32	

GAMES PLAYED 104, HOME TEAM WON 53, VISITING TEAM WON 33, TIED 18. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 63 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 23. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 64 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 40.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH DECEMBER 21, 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Portland	29	124	211	335	389	147	9	5**	970	
Vancouver	31	118	190	308	492	166	14	9**	1150	
Seattle	30	106	187	293	323	129	9	2	931	
Phoenix	30	106	176	282	257	111	5	1	1029	
Denver	29	98	156	254	224	97	4	1	907	
San Diego	31	93	158	251	306	124	6	3	941	
Salt Lake	28	84	129	213	400	140	10	7**	792	

**Includes game misconducts

There's going to be a lot of excitement Christmas Night, too.

The Western Hockey League has a two-game package on tap Thursday that'll start a string of four consecutive nights' action, and they both promise to be explosive.

Vancouver, the Western Hockey League leader, will put a 10-game unbeaten string on the line in Portland when the Canucks and Buckaroos meet in their third consecutive game. In Seattle, meanwhile, Salt Lake's Golden Eagles will be back to face an aroused Totem team that was tipped 6-5 just last Saturday night.

A full schedule of three games marks Friday. San Diego, winless in two previous attempts in the Salt Palace, is at Salt Lake; Portland invades Phoenix and Vancouver opens a home-and-home series with Seattle in Pacific Coliseum.

Denver will be home against Salt Lake on Saturday for the fifth game of a series that has a string of three consecutive ties alive, and Phoenix and Portland are rematched.

Two Sunday games will wind up the week's schedule. Denver is at San Diego and the Canucks play at Seattle.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS		
Portland	135	
Vancouver	135	
MOST ASSISTS		
Portland	228	
MOST SCORING POINTS		
Portland	363	
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME		
Vancouver	22	
MOST HAT TRICKS		
San Diego, Seattle	4	
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE		
Seattle	34	
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY		
Salt Lake	35	
MOST PENALTY MINUTES		
Vancouver	524	
MOST MINOR PENALTIES		
Vancouver	182	
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES		
Vancouver	14	
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES		
Vancouver	9**	
(**Includes 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL		
Vancouver	1245	

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS		
Seven Players Tied	5	
MOST GOALS		
Len Lunde - Vancouver	5	
MOST ASSISTS		
Art Jones - Portland	5	
MOST PENALTY MINUTES		
Rick Foley - Portland	29	
MOST PENALTIES		
John Arbour - Vancouver	5	
Rick Foley - Portland	5	

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS		
Art Jones - Portland	51	
MOST GOALS		
Len Ronson - San Diego	24	
MOST ASSISTS		
Art Jones - Portland	33	
Art Stratton - Seattle	33	
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME		
Bob Courcy - Seattle	6	
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS		
Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	6	
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE		
Milan Marcetta - Phoenix	8	
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY		
Roger Lafreniere - Denver	6	
MOST HAT TRICKS		
Len Ronson - San Diego	4	
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES		
John Arbour - Vancouver	117	
MOST MINOR PENALTIES		
John Arbour - Vancouver	36	
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES		
Jerry Korab - Portland	4	
MOST SHUTOUTS		
Jack McCartan - San Diego	3	
LEADING GOALKEEPER		
Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.25	

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS		
Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	13 games**	
GOALS		
Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games	
ASSISTS		
Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games**	
PENALTIES		
Rick Foley - Portland	11 games	
(**Indicates string still alive)		

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TEAM	GP	SCORED	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
		FIRST	W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	34	22	13	4	1	7	6	3		22		25
Portland	32	14	8	4	5	7	6	2		24		25
San Diego	33	19	9	3	3	6	8	4		14		9
Seattle	33	15	10	6	0	6	10	1		34		22
Phoenix	32	17	8	7	2	4	8	3		25		24
Denver	31	15	6	7	3	5	8	2		20		19
Salt Lake	31	11	4	6	4	2	12	3		18		35

GAMES PLAYED 113, HOME TEAM WON 58, VISITING TEAM WON 37, TIED 18. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 70 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 25. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 69 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 44.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH DECEMBER 28 1969

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Portland	32	135	228	363	432	161	10	6**	1055
Vancouver	34	135	214	349	524	182	14	9**	1245
Seattle	33	121	215	336	341	128	9	2	1053
Phoenix	32	115	190	305	279	117	5	2	1095
San Diego	33	101	172	273	324	132	6	3	1010
Denver	31	102	165	267	242	106	4	1	965
Salt Lake	31	91	137	228	416	148	10	7**	879

**Includes game misconducts

The Western Hockey League will ring in the New Year with the busiest week of the season. Twelve games are scheduled for the week with the action beginning Tuesday with Portland at San Diego and Denver going against the Vancouver Canucks, the league-leaders.

On New Year's Eve (Wednesday), Salt Lake plays at Phoenix and Denver (which sees action five times during the week) is at Seattle. Only one game is scheduled on New Year's Day. Seattle makes its lone appearance on the road in a "traditional" battle against the Buckaroos in Portland.

On Friday, Denver winds up its road trip in Salt Lake City, while Vancouver caps a home stand against Phoenix as the Spurs and Canucks prepare for their weekend series in Denver.

A full schedule on Saturday has Salt Lake in San Diego where the Gulls play both their games this week and Phoenix at Portland in addition to the opener of the Vancouver-Denver series.

Sunday's finale has Portland at Seattle and Vancouver winding up its series against the Spurs in Denver.

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TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	153
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	252
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	403
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	25
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle, Portland	4
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	37
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	36
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	551
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	193
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	15
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	9**
	(**Includes 2 game misconducts)	
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1406

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Seven Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	59
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	24
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	37
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	6
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	6
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Milan Marcetta - Phoenix	8
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger Lafreniere - Denver	7
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	123
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	39
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Jerry Korab - Portland	4
MOST SHUTOUTS	Jack McCartan - San Diego	3
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.39

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	38	25	15	4	1	8	6	4	25		27	
Portland	36	17	10	4	5	8	7	2	29		27	
San Diego	35	20	10	4	3	6	8	4	16		11	
Seattle	36	15	12	6	0	6	11	1	37		22	
Phoenix	35	19	8	7	3	4	10	3	25		27	
Denver	36	17	6	8	4	5	11	2	23		25	
Salt Lake	34	12	5	6	4	2	13	4	19		36	

GAMES PLAYED 125, HOME TEAM WON 66, VISITING TEAM WON 39, TIED 20. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 77 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 28. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 76 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 49.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH JANUARY 4, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Portland	36	151	252	403	475	175	11	7**	1173
Vancouver	38	153	245	398	551	193	15	9**	1406
Seattle	36	129	230	359	379	152	11	2	1159
Phoenix	35	122	200	322	301	128	5	2	1239
Denver	36	114	185	299	299	127	5	2	1115
San Diego	35	109	187	296	344	142	6	3	1078
Salt Lake	34	100	151	251	420	150	10	7**	973

**Includes game misconducts

League leading Vancouver and the Seattle Totems provide the major part of the opposition during the 10-game Western Hockey League schedule this week with each playing four games on the road.

The Totems start a seven-game swing at Phoenix as the WHL schedule hits the halfway point Tuesday night. Wednesday night, the Canucks face Salt Lake in the third game of an eight-game southern swing for Vancouver. The Canucks are 5-0 in the series but this will be only the second game in Salt Lake.

Friday, Seattle moves into San Diego after a rematch Thursday against Phoenix, and Vancouver concludes its two-game stand at the Salt Palace. The Gulls, winners of four of their last five games, hold a 3-2-0 edge in the series.

Three games are scheduled for Saturday. Vancouver invades Phoenix where the Roadrunners hold a 2-1 edge over the Cancuks, Salt Lake travels to Denver with a two-game winning string alive against the Spurs, and Seattle is at Portland against the Bucks who lead the series 5-1.

On Sunday, Vancouver invades San Diego in search of its first win of the season on Gull ice, and Denver goes against Portland in a series deadlocked 2-2 with each team winning and losing on the other's ice.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	174
MOST ASSISTS	Vancouver	279
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	453
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	28
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Seattle Portland, Vancouver	4
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	39
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	38
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	612
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	216
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	16
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	10**
(**Includes 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1553

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Nine Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	62
MOST GOALS	Paul Andrea - Vancouver	27
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	40
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	6
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	6
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Milan Marcetta - Phoenix	8
	Bill Saunders - Portland	8
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Roger Lafreniere - Denver	7
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	137
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	46
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Jerry Korab - Portland	4
MOST SHUTOUTS	Jack McCartan - San Diego	3
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.49

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	42	28	15	4	1	11	6	5	25		34	
Portland	38	19	12	4	5	8	7	2	31		29	
Seattle	40	17	12	6	0	7	13	2	39		24	
San Diego	37	20	10	6	3	6	8	4	17		12	
Phoenix	38	21	9	8	4	4	10	3	28		29	
Denver	38	17	7	8	4	5	12	2	28		25	
Salt Lake	37	13	5	7	5	2	14	4	22		38	

GAMES PLAYED 135, HOME TEAM WON 70, VISITING TEAM WON 43, TIED 22. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 83 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 30. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 80 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 55.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH JANUARY 11, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Vancouver	42	174	279	453	612		216	16	10**	1553
Portland	38	161	272	433	489		182	11	7**	1240
Seattle	40	138	247	385	440		170	12	4	1263
Phoenix	38	133	219	352	334		142	6	2	1291
Denver	38	128	209	337	317		136	5	2	1177
San Diego	37	111	193	304	375		150	7	4	1143
Salt Lake	37	114	172	286	454		162	10	8**	1070

**Includes game misconducts

Vancouver's streaking Canucks threaten to turn the Western Hockey League chase into a rout with an unbelievable victory pace. The league leaders reached the three-quarter mark of an eight-game road trip with a 4-0-2 record and their 19th victory in the last 25 games marred only by two defeats and a tie.

The Canucks will have three chances to improve that record this week as only seven games are scheduled in the WHL.

Vancouver opens the action at Phoenix on Wednesday holding a 4-2-1 mark over the Roadrunners.

Thursday, the Canucks are back in San Diego to wind up the southern swing, and Seattle faces Salt Lake in the second half of a seven-game road trip.

The Totems continue Friday in Phoenix with the series between the two teams tied at 2-2-2. The Roadrunners, however, are 2-0-2 against Seattle in Phoenix. The week's featured match pits Portland against the Canucks in Vancouver. The Canucks have a string of 13 consecutive victories going in Pacific Coliseum since the Buckaroos scored a 2-1 decision on November 6.

Denver takes a 4-0-0 record against the Roadrunners into Phoenix in Saturday's only game, and Seattle caps the week's action at San Diego on Sunday.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	186
MOST ASSISTS	Vancouver	299
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	485
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	29
MOST HAT TRICKS	Vancouver	5
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	39
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	38
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	655
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	225
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	19
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	11**
(**Includes 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1648

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Nine Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	65
MOST GOALS	Paul Andrea - Vancouver	27
MOST ASSISTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	42
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	6
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	6
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	9
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	8
	John Arbour - Vancouver	8
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	153
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	49
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Jerry Korab - Portland	5
	John Arbour - Vancouver	
MOST SHUTOUTS	Jack McCartan - San Diego	3
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.56

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	45	29	16	4	1	13	6	5		26		36
Portland	39	20	12	4	5	8	8	2		33		30
Seattle	43	17	12	6	0	8	15	2		19		26
San Diego	39	22	11	7	3	6	8	4		18		12
Phoenix	40	22	9	10	4	4	10	3		28		29
Denver	39	17	7	8	4	6	12	2		28		28
Salt Lake	39	15	6	8	5	2	14	4		26		38

GAMES PLAYED 142, HOME TEAM WON 73, VISITING TEAM WON 47, TIED 22. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 86 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 34. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 85 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 57.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH JANUARY 18, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Vancouver	45	186	299	485	655	225	19	11**	1648
Portland	39	164	278	442	505	185	13	7**	1271
Seattle	43	142	254	396	454	177	12	4	1349
Phoenix	40	135	224	359	348	149	6	2	1364
Denver	39	131	215	346	330	140	6	2	1211
San Diego	39	121	212	333	381	153	7	4	1212
Salt Lake	39	118	182	300	469	167	11	8**	1133

**Includes game misconducts

The Vancouver Canucks, threatening to rewrite the Western Hockey League record book, have an opportunity to equal one record Tuesday night when they kick off a nine-game schedule this week against the San Diego Gulls.

The Canucks, 10-0-1 in their last 11 starts, can equal the record for consecutive victories at home by stopping the Gulls who are winless in three previous attempts in Vancouver. Vancouver has won 14 straight and a win over the Gulls would equal the record of 15 set by the Denver Invaders during the 1963-64 season.

On Wednesday, Portland opens a four-game road trip with the first of two games against Salt Lake, and Denver, unbeaten in four starts against Phoenix, will attempt to make it five straight with a game on the Roadrunners' ice.

In Thursday's only game, San Diego is at Seattle. Two games are scheduled Friday, Portland and Salt Lake wind up a two-game series and Seattle is at Vancouver. The Totems have two wins in Vancouver, accounting for one-third of the Canucks' defeats at home this season.

Denver has a return match in Phoenix in the only game Saturday. Sunday, Portland is at Phoenix and Denver is at Seattle with the Totems holding a 7-1 record in the series.

TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	198
MOST ASSISTS	Vancouver	320
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	518
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	31
MOST HAT TRICKS	Vancouver, San Diego, Seattle	5
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	43
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	38
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	671
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	233
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	19
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	11**
(**Includes 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1716

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Nine Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	68
MOST GOALS	Paul Andrea - Vancouver	29
MOST ASSISTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	44
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	7
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	6
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	9
	Milan Marcetta - Phoenix	9
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	12
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	159
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	52
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Jerry Korab - Portland	5
	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
MOST SHUTOUTS	Jack McCartan - San Diego	3
LEADING GOALKEEPER	Jack McCartan - San Diego	2.69

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	47	31	18	4	1	13	6	5	28		36	
Portland	42	21	12	4	5	9	10	2	33		33	
Seattle	46	19	14	6	0	8	16	2	43		27	
San Diego	41	22	11	7	3	6	10	4	18		14	
Phoenix	43	25	10	11	5	4	10	3	31		29	
Denver	42	17	7	8	4	6	14	3	28		33	
Salt Lake	41	16	8	8	5	2	14	4	28		38	

GAMES PLAYED 151, HOME TEAM WON 80, VISITING TEAM WON 48, TIED 23. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 92 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 36. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 93 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 58.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH JANUARY 25, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Vancouver	47	198	320	518	671	233	19	11**	1716
Portland	42	177	298	475	533	199	13	7**	1367
Seattle	46	154	277	431	470	185	12	4	1445
Phoenix	43	144	241	385	393	164	7	3**	1469
Denver	42	136	223	359	371	158	7	2	1285
San Diego	41	126	219	345	393	159	7	4	1263
Salt Lake	41	129	199	328	501	173	11	10**	1192

**Includes game misconducts

In the race for the 1969-70 Western Hockey League championship, this could be the most important week of the season for the Portland Buckaroos. The defending WHL champions are scheduled to play in five of the eleven games on the schedule. The Bucks play twice at home and three times on the road against three opponents who only have a 5-11-2 record in games with the current runner-up to league-leading Vancouver.

Portland is at San Diego Tuesday while Denver continues a five-game road trip in Vancouver. On Wednesday, the Spurs are at Portland (one of three meetings between the two teams this week) and San Diego travels to Salt Lake.

Three games are scheduled Friday with Portland and Denver playing on the Spurs' ice. San Diego moves into Phoenix and Salt Lake takes on the Totems in Seattle.

Saturday, Phoenix and San Diego change sites and collide at International Sports Arena while the Spurs are at home against the Buckaroos again.

Vancouver, which set a record of 16 consecutive victories at home by winning last Friday, will attempt to extend its Western Hockey League record this week. In addition to a Tuesday date with Denver, the Canucks have a 2:30 p.m. game Sunday against the Golden Eagles while Seattle is at Portland in a 7 p.m. contest.

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TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	211
MOST ASSISTS	Vancouver	337
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	548
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	33
MOST HAT TRICKS	Vancouver, San Diego, Seattle, Portland	5
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	44
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	41
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	695
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	245
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	19
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver (**Includes 2 game misconducts)	11**
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1799

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Twelve Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	78
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	31
MOST ASSISTS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	48
	Art Jones - Portland	48
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	7
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	6
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	9
	Milan Marcetta - Phoenix	9
	Bob Schmautz - Seattle	9
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	13
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	165
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	55
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Jerry Korab - Portland	5
	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
MOST SHUTOUTS	Jack McCartan - San Diego	3

LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.68
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LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	49	33	20	4	1	13	6	5	28		38	
Portland	47	22	13	5	5	11	11	2	38		35	
Seattle	48	21	14	6	1	9	16	2	44		27	
Phoenix	45	27	10	12	5	4	11	3	32		32	
Denver	46	19	8	9	4	6	16	3	29		36	
Salt Lake	44	17	8	9	5	2	15	5	29		41	

GAMES PLAYED 162, HOME TEAM WON 85, VISITING TEAM WON 53, TIED 24. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 97 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 41. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 102 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 60.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH FEBRUARY 1, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Vancouver	49	211	337	548	695		245	19	11**	1799
Portland	47	196	327	523	583		219	13	8**	1540
Seattle	48	163	291	454	487		191	13	4	1510
San Diego	45	154	263	417	421		173	7	4	1421
Phoenix	45	150	253	403	415		175	7	3**	1529
Denver	46	145	237	382	391		168	7	2	1394
Salt Lake	44	139	216	355	530		185	12	10**	1290

**Includes game misconducts

The Vancouver Canucks, all but a shoo-in to win the Western Hockey League championship, have a chance to get in the record book with four games this week. The Canucks are at home against San Diego Tuesday while Denver is at Salt Lake in a pair of games that launch a 12-game schedule.

Vancouver, with a record 18 straight victories at home, can equal the WHL mark of 16 consecutive games without defeat by beating or tying the suddenly sizzling Gulls. San Diego, winless in its last six games against Vancouver, has scored 27 goals in launching a three-game winning streak.

Three games are on tap for Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. Denver is at Phoenix and San Diego moves into Portland. Vancouver will move into Seattle already sharing the WHL mark of eight unbeaten games on the road with San Francisco (7-0-1). A Canuck win or tie would give the league leaders nine consecutive unbeaten games away from home.

Friday, the schedule has Phoenix at Denver, San Diego at Seattle, and Portland, still with a chance to catch the Canucks, in Vancouver. Saturday, Vancouver is at Portland, Phoenix at Salt Lake, and Denver at San Diego.

Sunday's only game is a 2 p.m. contest between San Diego and Denver on the Spurs' ice.

TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	232
MOST ASSISTS	Vancouver	371
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	603
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	36
MOST HAT TRICKS	Vancouver, San Diego Seattle, Portland	5
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	45
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	44
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	783
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	269
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	23
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver (**Includes 2 game misconducts)	13**
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1945

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Twelve Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	84
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	35
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	53
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	7
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	7
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	10
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	15
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	4
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	195
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	60
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Jack McCartan - San Diego	3
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.70

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	53	36	22	4	1	14	7	5	31		42	
Portland	50	24	15	5	5	11	12	2	42		36	
San Diego	50	25	13	8	3	9	13	4	30		19	
Seattle	50	21	14	8	1	9	16	3	45		31	
Denver	51	22	10	9	4	7	18	3	32		38	
Phoenix	48	28	11	12	5	4	13	3	33		35	
Salt Lake	46	18	9	10	5	2	15	5	31		44	

GAMES PLAYED 174, HOME TEAM WON 94, VISITING TEAM WON 56, TIED 24. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 109 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 41. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 111 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 63.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH FEBRUARY 8, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Vancouver	53	232	371	603	783	269	23	13**	1945	
Portland	50	206	345	551	660	225	16	11**	1638	
Seattle	50	169	303	472	528	204	14	5	1578	
San Diego	50	171	290	461	504	207	8	5	1565	
Denver	51	163	270	433	478	199	10	3	1554	
Phoenix	48	158	263	421	448	189	8	3**	1655	
Salt Lake	46	147	230	277	580	205	12	11**	1343	

**Includes game misconducts

With the Vancouver Canucks playing only a single game this week, the Western Hockey League field may be able to close ground on the front runners. The Canucks started the week with a 19-point edge over second-place Portland and have only a Friday night game against the Phoenix Roadrunners on the 10-game schedule.

Denver, which vaulted into fifth place in last week's action, invades Seattle in Tuesday's only game against a Totem team smarting from consecutive losses on home ice. The Totems have an 8-1 edge in the series this season.

Wednesday, San Diego is at Salt Lake in the opener of a home-and-home series, and the Denver Spurs are at Portland in a similar schedule. The third-place Gulls are 5-3 in their last eight games.

The Roadrunners launch a five-game road trip at Vancouver Friday where the Canucks have now won 20 straight. Phoenix has won once and tied once in its last seven games. In other Friday games, the Golden Eagles fly into San Diego and the Spurs are at home against Portland.

The Buckaroos, who could edge closer to the Canucks, are at Salt Lake on Saturday and Phoenix is at Seattle. The Roadrunners move into Portland for a Sunday game after San Diego and Denver collide in a 2 p.m. game on Spur ice.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	237
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	391
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	624
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	37
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Portland	7
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Portland	49
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	46
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	795
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	275
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	23
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	13**
(**Includes 2 game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	1978

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Fourteen Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	94
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	38
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	62
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	7
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	8
	Warren Hynes - San Diego	8
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	11
MOST GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	17
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	195
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	60
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Jack McCartan - San Diego	3
	Rick Charron - Phoenix	3

LEADING GOALKEEPER

George Gardner - Vancouver 2.68

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

NOTE: Ronson tied WHL record for most hat tricks in season. Record of five (5) set by Bronco Horvath of Edmonton (1954-55) and tied by Fred Hiltz of San Diego (1966-67).

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	54	37	23	4	1	14	7	5	32		42	
Portland	54	26	17	5	5	13	12	2	49		37	
San Diego	53	28	14	8	3	11	13	4	31		21	
Seattle	52	21	14	9	2	9	16	2	46		33	
Denver	55	23	10	11	4	7	19	4	35		44	
Phoenix	51	30	11	12	5	5	15	3	34		37	
Salt Lake	49	19	9	12	5	2	16	5	32		46	

GAMES PLAYER 184, HOME TEAM WON 98, VISITING TEAM WON 61, TIED 25. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 116 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 43. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 115 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 69.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH FEBRUARY 15, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Vancouver	54	237	378	615	795	275	23	13**	1978
Portland	54	233	391	624	686	248	16	11**	1799
San Diego	53	194	328	523	522	216	8	5	1701
Seattle	52	171	307	478	552	216	14	5	1641
Denver	55	174	289	463	514	217	10	3	1683
Phoenix	51	169	279	448	480	205	8	3**	1749
Salt Lake	49	162	258	320	594	212	12	11**	1436

**Includes game misconducts

The Vancouver Canucks need only a win over San Diego Tuesday to clinch a tie for a berth in the Lester Patrick Cup playoffs in half of the opening action on this week's Western Hockey League 12-game schedule.

A loss by Phoenix, which plays Tuesday at Salt Lake, would give the Canucks a sure berth in the post-season action as the league-leaders launch a five-game week.

On Wednesday, the Canucks are at Seattle where the Totems are winless in their last five games as part of a three-game agenda. Phoenix moves into Denver in a struggle for fifth place in the standings and Portland, winner of five straight, is at home against the San Diego Gulls, who had won five of their last six games as the week got under way.

Thursday's only game has Salt Lake at Phoenix with the Golden Eagles holding a 5-2-1 edge in the series.

San Diego is at Denver on Friday while the Totems of Seattle invade Vancouver in the only two games scheduled. Saturday, the Canucks open a two-game road swing at Phoenix and Salt Lake is in Seattle.

The Golden Eagles move into Portland to face the Buckaroos on Sunday while Vancouver winds up the week at San Diego.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	261
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	421
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	675
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	40
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Portland, Vancouver	7
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Portland	51
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	49
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	867
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	301
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	25
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver	13**
	(**Includes 2 game misconducts)	
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	2186

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Fifteen Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	100
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	38
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	65
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	7
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	9
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	11
MOST GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	17
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	209
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	67
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	4
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.70

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	59	40	25	4	1	15	9	5	36		48	
Portland	56	28	19	5	5	13	12	2	51		38	
San Diego	57	29	15	8	3	11	16	4	35		24	
Seattle	55	21	14	10	3	9	17	2	48		35	
Phoenix	55	34	13	12	5	6	15	4	37		37	
Denver	57	24	11	11	5	7	19	4	35		45	
Salt Lake	53	20	9	13	5	2	18	6	32		49	

GAMES PLAYED 196, HOME TEAM WON 106, VISITING TEAM WON 63, TIED 27. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 126 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 43. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 123 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 73.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH FEBRUARY 22, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Vancouver	59	261	414	675	867	301	25	14**	2186
Portland	56	248	421	669	713	254	17	12**	1891
San Diego	57	206	352	558	550	230	8	5	1831
Seattle	55	182	325	507	581	223	15	6	1750
Phoenix	55	184	305	489	516	218	10	3**	1897
Denver	57	181	300	481	539	222	11	4	1759
Salt Lake	53	170	270	340	625	225	13	11**	1540

**Includes game misconducts

A torrid battle for fourth place and a "special" Monday night doubleheader in honor of George Washington's birthday mark the eight-game Western Hockey League schedule this week.

Phoenix plays at Vancouver Tuesday after a Monday game between the Roadrunners and Salt Lake. In the other Monday game, Portland is at Seattle.

A pair of wins for Phoenix and a Buckaroo triumph over Seattle would match Phoenix and Seattle Thursday deadlocked at 51 points in the standings, after a Wednesday contest between Salt Lake and San Diego on the Gulls' ice.

Also Thursday, Denver is at Salt Lake. Only one game is scheduled for Friday and Sunday and none on Saturday.

Friday, San Diego moves into Colorado Springs for a game against the Denver Spurs and Sunday's only game has Salt Lake going against the Totems in Seattle.

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TEAM LEADERSINDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	265
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	422
	Vancouver	422
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	687
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	40
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Portland, Vancouver	7
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	52
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	51
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	877
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	306
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	25
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Vancouver, Salt Lake	14**
	(**Includes game misconducts)	
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	2231

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Fifteen Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	101
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	42
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	65
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	7
	Len Ronson - San Diego	7
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	9
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	13
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	19
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	209
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	67
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	4
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.79

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	60	40	25	5	1	15	9	5	39		48	
Portland	57	29	19	5	5	13	13	2	51		39	
San Diego	59	30	15	8	4	12	16	4	39		26	
Seattle	58	22	16	11	3	9	17	2	52		35	
Phoenix	58	36	13	12	5	7	16	5	38		42	
Denver	59	26	11	12	5	8	19	4	38		50	
Salt Lake	57	21	9	14	6	3	18	7	34		53	

GAMES PLAYED 204, HOME TEAM WON 108, VISITING TEAM WON 67, TIED 29. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 130 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 45. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 126 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 78.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH MARCH 1, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Vancouver	60	265	422	687	877	306	25	14**	2231	
Portland	57	249	422	671	723	259	17	12**	1910	
San Diego	59	215	368	583	574	242	8	5	1909	
Seattle	58	197	355	552	599	230	15	6	1851	
Phoenix	58	196	323	519	546	233	10	3**	1995	
Denver	59	194	319	513	575	240	11	4	1832	
Salt Lake	57	188	303	491	685	240	13	14**	1648	

**Includes game misconducts

Only eight games are on the Western Hockey League schedule this week, but two key series--Portland at San Diego and Phoenix at Seattle for two games each, could help who and how the playoff pairings will shape up.

Portland and Salt Lake open the week's action Wednesday on Buckaroo ice. The Bucks are 8-2-0 in their last 10 games while the Eagles have gone 0-8-2 over the same span of games.

Friday, Phoenix meets Denver at Colorado Springs where the Spurs are 1-1 in two previous games this season. Coach Bill Dineen is 2-1-1 for the Spurs in his first four games, while Sandy Hucul has guided the Roadrunners to a 5-3-2 mark in his first 10. In the other game, Portland is at San Diego with a five-game victory string alive against the Gulls, including two wins in San Diego. The Gulls, meanwhile, are building on a three-game unbeaten string.

Three games on Saturday include the rematch at San Diego against Portland. Phoenix, trailing Seattle by five points as the week started, opens a two-game stand at Seattle, and Vancouver, holding a 7-0-1 mark in the series, is at Salt Lake. Sunday's schedule has rematches slated at Salt Lake and Seattle.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	279
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	445
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	722
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	41
MOST HAT TRICKS	San Diego, Portland, Vancouver	7
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle, Portland	53
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	56
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	901
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	318
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	25
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Salt Lake (**Includes game misconducts)	15**
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	2307

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Fifteen Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	105
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	43
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	68
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Bob Courcy - Seattle	7
	Len Ronson - San Diego	7
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	9
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	13
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	18
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	219
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	72
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	4
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.83

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games*
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

(*Indicates string alive)

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	62	41	25	5	1	17	9	5	41		50	
Portland	60	30	20	5	5	14	14	2	53		39	
San Diego	61	32	16	9	4	12	16	4	39		26	
Phoenix	61	39	13	12	5	10	16	5	40		43	
Seattle	60	22	16	13	3	9	17	2	53		37	
Denver	60	26	11	13	5	8	19	4	38		50	
Salt Lake	60	22	9	16	6	3	19	7	36		56	

GAMES PLAYED 212, HOME TEAM WON 110, VISITING TEAM WON 73, TIED 29. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 136 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 47. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 130 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 82.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH MARCH 8, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN			
Vancouver	62	279	443	722	901	318	25	14**	2307
Portland	60	263	445	708	751	273	17	12**	2027
San Diego	61	221	380	601	592	251	8	5	1983
Phoenix	61	212	350	562	583	249	11	3**	2107
Seattle	60	200	361	561	630	245	16	6	1902
Denver	60	195	323	518	592	246	12	4	1851
Salt Lake	60	200	322	522	719	252	13	15**	1737

Phoenix, Seattle--1 match penalty each

**Includes game misconducts

The Western Hockey League season is far from over. Although only seven games are on the schedule this week, they are loaded with significance.

The week's action opens Wednesday with three games. Fourth-place Phoenix is at Portland, Seattle opens a seven-game road swing at Vancouver, and Salt Lake opens a two-game series at San Diego.

Phoenix, with a record of 6-3-2 in its last 11 road games, faces the Buckaroos who are unbeaten in their last seven starts at home and the only team which holds a decisive edge (7-2-1) over the Roadrunners this season.

The two Friday games match Salt Lake and San Diego while Phoenix travels to Vancouver. Phoenix is 1-3-1 on the Canucks' ice with their lone win in the last meeting. The game will also conclude a seven-game swing for the 'Runners who have posted an 8-3-2 mark in 13 games since Sandy Hucul took over as coach.

Only two games are on Saturday's schedule. Salt Lake, after two games at San Diego, will be at home against the traveling Totems who are 1-4 in the Salt Palace this season. The Golden Eagles lead the season series 6-3-2.

In the final game of the week, Denver is at Portland where the Spurs are 1-4 and winless in their last four starts.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	297
MOST ASSISTS	Vancouver	471
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	768
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver	43
MOST HAT TRICKS	Vancouver	9
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle	56
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	58
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	917
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	326
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	25
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Salt Lake	16**
(** Includes game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	2404

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Seventeen Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
	Guyle Fielder - Salt Lake	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	110
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	43
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	72
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Al Nicholson - San Diego	8
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	9
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	13
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	18
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST MINUTES IN PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	221
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	73
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	4
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.83

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Wilf Martin - Denver	7 games
	Ernie Hicke - Salt Lake	7 games*
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games
(*Indicates string alive)		

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W			G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN	
Vancouver	64	43	26	5	2	17	9	5	43			52	
Portland	62	32	22	5	5	14	14	2	53			39	
San Diego	63	32	16	10	5	12	16	4	40			31	
Seattle	62	24	16	13	3	10	17	3	56			39	
Phoenix	63	40	13	12	5	10	18	5	40			43	
Denver	61	26	11	13	5	8	20	4	38			50	
Salt Lake	63	24	9	17	6	4	19	8	40			58	

GAMES PLAYED 219, HOME TEAM WON 113, VISITING TEAM WON 75, TIED 31. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 140 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 48. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 132 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 87.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH MARCH 15, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN			MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN	MIN			
Vancouver	64	297	471	768	917 937		326 336	25	14**	2404
Portland	62	274	467	741	787		291	17	12**	2100
San Diego	63	227	393	620	612		261	8	5	2071
Seattle	62	209	373	582	653		258	15	6	1965
Phoenix	63	218	362	580	604		252	10	4**	2169
Salt Lake	63	211	341	552	757		266	13	16**	1826
Denver	61	198	327	525	606		253	12	4	1888

Phoenix, Seattle--1 match penalty each

**Includes game misconducts

Phoenix, San Diego and Seattle face a week of show-down battles in a three-way scramble to claim the two remaining berths in the Lester Patrick Cup playoffs. And it's the Totems who face the toughest task as they attempt to extend their string of playoff performances to 13 consecutive seasons.

Portland, after clinching a playoff berth, opens the week's 11-game schedule at Salt Lake while Denver faces the Vancouver Canucks on Tuesday.

Wednesday, Portland moves into Denver while Seattle and Phoenix meet in a four-point contest that starts a four-game-in-five-night jaunt for the Totems. Seattle moves into San Diego on Friday for the opener of a two-game series against the Gulls; Phoenix is at Denver and Salt Lake in Vancouver.

Saturday, Portland is at Phoenix while Seattle wraps up its two-game stop in San Diego. Denver will be home against Seattle in a 2 p.m. contest Sunday and Salt Lake goes against Portland in the Rose City in the week's final contest.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	315
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	505
MOST SCORING POINTS	Vancouver	810
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Vancouver, Phoenix	42
MOST HAT TRICKS	Vancouver	10
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Seattle, Portland	55
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	58
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	937
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	336
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	25
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Salt Lake	16**
(**Includes games misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	2512

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Seventeen Players Tied	5
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	5
	Guyle Fielder - Salt Lake	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	115
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	43
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	75
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Al Nicholson - San Diego	8
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	9
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	14
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	18
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	John Arbour - Vancouver	229
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	77
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
	Jerry Korab - Portland	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	4
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.82

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Ernie Hicke - Salt Lake	9 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W M ADV	G A W S PEN
			W	L	T	W	L	T		
Vancouver	66	42	28	5	2	17	9	5	43	54
Portland	66	35	23	5	5	16	15	2	55	45
San Diego	65	32	18	10	5	12	16	4	41	31
Seattle	66	27	16	13	3	10	20	4	55	40
Phoenix	66	42	14	12	6	10	19	5	41	44
Denver	65	27	13	14	5	8	21	4	42	51
Salt Lake	66	25	9	18	6	4	21	8	44	58

GAMES PLAYED 230, HOME TEAM WON 121, VISITING TEAM WON 77, TIED 32. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 146 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 52. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 137 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 93.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH MARCH 22, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
Vancouver	1.57 66	315	495	810	937	336	25	14**	2512	
Portland	1.72 66	294	505	799	825	305	19	12**	2242	
San Diego	1.74 65	235	409	644	637	271	9	5	2135	
Phoenix	1.67 66	228	380	608	626	263	10	4**	2264	
Seattle	1.78 66	217	387	604	694	267	16	6	2076	
Denver	1.67 65	217	363	580	645	270	13	4	2026	
Salt Lake	1.62 66	219	354	573	779	277	13	16**	1914	

Phoenix, Seattle--1 match penalty each

**Includes game misconducts

The Vancouver Canucks can clinch the 1969-70 Western Hockey League championship Wednesday when Coach Hal Laycoe leads the Canucks into Portland to face the defending champion Buckaroos.

That's the feature match among the 13 scheduled this week in the Western Hockey League. Action gets under way Tuesday with a pair of matches. Seattle ends a seven-game road swing against the Denver Spurs while San Diego faces the Golden Eagles in Salt Lake.

In addition to Wednesday's title match, Salt Lake faces the Phoenix Roadrunners in the Valley of the Sun. Thursday, Denver is at San Diego with the Gulls needing only a win to clinch no worse than a tie for third in their four outings this week and Vancouver is at Seattle.

Portland will battle Vancouver on the Canucks' ice in half of Friday's schedule with Denver at Salt Lake completing the pairings. Saturday's full three-game schedule has a rematch between the Spurs and Golden Eagles in Denver, Phoenix at home against San Diego and the Buckaroos in Seattle.

Sunday, the Totems are at Portland and Phoenix is at San Diego to complete the week's schedule.

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TEAM LEADERS

MOST GOALS	Vancouver	334
MOST ASSISTS	Portland	556
MOST SCORING POINTS	Portland	878
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Phoenix	46
MOST HAT TRICKS	Vancouver	11
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Portland	63
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	Salt Lake	62
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Vancouver	1030
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	365
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	Vancouver	26
MOST MISCONDUCT PENALTIES	Salt Lake	16**
	Vancouver	16**
(**Includes game misconducts)		
MOST SHOTS ON GOAL	Vancouver	2760

SINGLE GAME RECORDS (1969-70)

MOST POINTS	Dennis Kearns - Portland	7
MOST GOALS	Len Lunde - Vancouver	5
MOST ASSISTS	Dennis Kearns - Portland	5
	Art Jones - Portland	5
	Guyle Fielder - Salt Lake	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	Rick Foley - Portland	29
MOST PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	5
	Rick Foley - Portland	5

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

MOST POINTS	Art Jones - Portland	127
MOST GOALS	Len Ronson - San Diego	51
MOST ASSISTS	Art Jones - Portland	84
MOST FIRST GOAL OF GAME	Al Nicholson - San Diego	9
	Bob Courcy - Seattle	9
MOST GAME WINNING GOALS	Andy Bathgate - Vancouver	9
MOST GOALS WITH MAN ADVANTAGE	Bill Saunders - Portland	14
GOALS AGAINST WHILE SHORT PENALTY	John Schella - Denver	20
MOST HAT TRICKS	Len Ronson - San Diego	5
MOST PENALTY MINUTES	John Arbour - Vancouver	251
MOST MINOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	83
MOST MAJOR PENALTIES	John Arbour - Vancouver	7
	Jerry Korab - Portland	7
MOST SHUTOUTS	Rick Charron - Phoenix	4
LEADING GOALKEEPER	George Gardner - Vancouver	2.88

LONGEST STRINGS (1969-70)

POINTS	Gerry Goyer - Vancouver	14 games
GOALS	Ernie Hicke - Salt Lake	9 games
ASSISTS	Bob Cunningham - Denver	8 games
	Bob Charlebois - Phoenix	8 games
PENALTIES	Rick Foley - Portland	11 games

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TEAM	GP	SCORED FIRST	HOME GAMES			AWAY GAMES			G S W		G A W	
			W	L	T	W	L	T	M	ADV	S	PEN
Vancouver	72	44	29	5	2	60	18	12	6	42	45	60
Portland	72	38	25	6	5	55	17	17	2	36	63	50
San Diego	72	37	19	11	6	44	14	18	4	32	45	34
Seattle	73	30	18	15	4	40	12	20	4	28	59	42
Phoenix	73	46	16	13	7	39	11	21	5	27	45	46
Denver	72	31	16	15	5	37	8	22	6	22	46	56
Salt Lake	72	27	11	19	6	28	4	24	8	16	47	62

GAMES PLAYED 253, HOME TEAM WON 135, VISITING TEAM WON 83, TIED 35. WINNING TEAM SCORED FIRST 161 TIMES, LOSING TEAM 57. HOME TEAM SCORED FIRST 149 TIMES, VISITING TEAM 104.

TEAM SCORING AND PENALTY RECORDS FOR GAMES PLAYED THROUGH APRIL 6, 1970

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	MIN		MIN	MAJ	MISC	SHOTS ON GOAL
					IN	PEN				
1.73 Portland	72	322	556	878	911	338	19	14**	2403	
Vancouver	72	334	523	857	1030	365	26	16**	2760	
1.73 San Diego	72	263	454	717	697	301	9	5	2390	
Phoenix	73	252	427	679	690	290	10	5**	2536	
Denver	72	250	420	670	732	288	14	6**	2257	
1.78 Seattle	73	240	427	667	746	293	16	6	2307	
Salt Lake	72	240	390	630	826	298	14	16**	2107	

Denver, Phoenix, Seattle, Vancouver--1 match penalty each. **Includes game misconducts.

The Lester Patrick Cup Playoffs got under way Tuesday night with the San Diego Gulls playing at Vancouver, the Western Hockey League champions. Portland, after its string of championships ended at five, will be at home against the Seattle Totems Wednesday. The Totems claimed the fourth and final playoff berth in the Patrick Cup playoffs by beating Phoenix, 3-1, Monday in a playoff game.

Vancouver holds an 8-3-1 edge over the Gulls in regular season play. The series is the first ever between San Diego and Vancouver in the playoffs.

This will be the third Patrick Cup playoffs between the Buckaroos and Totems. The first two series were split. Portland won a 1960-61 finals, 4 games to 2. The Totems, enroute to a Patrick Cup victory, won in 1967-68, 4 games to 1, giving the Seattle team a 6-5 edge in victories.

During the regular season, Portland held a 7-5 edge over Seattle, but the Totems won five of the last seven meetings.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Defenseman Dennis Kearns of Portland was voted the final Player of the Week honors after he scored a season high seven points (two goals, five assists) to claim two WHL records.

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