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Lacrosse club loses to Chicago

By Peter Anderson

The Hawkeye Lacrosse Club lost a heartbreaker to the University of Chicago, 10-9,oneday before the Midwest Collegiate League tourney begins. The Hawkeyes, leading 5-2 at halftime, were unable to hold off the visitors in the second half when scoring only three goals in the final period.

Soccer: Championships

Hawkeye men's soccer fell to Ohio State University, 2-1, in the first game of their six-team Big Ten round-robin tournament. The Hawkeyes and Ohio State are the only undefeated teams in the league.

Iowa, the Big Ten's top-ranked team, has won its last three games, including a 3-0 victory over Penn State on Saturday at Kinnick Stadium.

With the win, the Hawkeyes improved to 6-1-2 on the season and are now tied with Ohio State for first place in the Big Ten standings. Iowa's next home game is scheduled for April 23 against Michigan State.

Soccer: Women's

The Hawkeye women's soccer team lost to Creighton University, 2-0, on Sunday afternoon at Kinnick Stadium.

With the loss, the Hawkeyes fell to 2-4-1 on the season and are now tied with Creighton for second place in the Big East standings. Iowa's next home game is scheduled for April 20 against Marquette University.

Katzulas finds luck as a sub

By Mike Kent

There are various kinds of lucky charms. Most people are familiar with the rabbit's foot and the four-leaf clover. However, Katzulas' lucky charm has come in handy more than once during his time at the University of Iowa.

Katzulas, a 23-year-old senior from Des Moines, has been a valuable member of the Hawkeye basketball team for the past four years. He has been known to wear a certain amulet around his neck during games, which he believes brings him good luck.

As Katzulas reflects on his time at Iowa, he says, "I've been lucky enough to have a few special moments. One of the highlights was winning the Big Ten championship last season. It was a moment I'll never forget."

Katzulas' lucky charm has also helped him through some tough times. "I've had some rough moments during my career, but with this charm, I've always been able to find my way back on the court," he adds.

While Katzulas believes there's a positive change coming for the team, "I definitely think we're finally improving."

Katzulas' game isn't as fast as the one that has been successful in the past, but his dedication and hard work have not gone unnoticed. "I work hard every day to be the best player I can be," he says.

Katzulas' lucky charm has been a source of inspiration for him and his teammates. "It's a reminder that we're all human and things can go wrong at any time," he says.

Katzulas is one of many Hawkeye players who have relied on lucky charms, amulets, or other superstitious practices throughout their careers. "I'm not going to lie, I still have my charm," he admits.

Katzulas' lucky charm is a small piece of wood that he carves after each game. "I like to have something that reminds me of the team and the people who support us," he says.

Katzulas' charm has also become a symbol of his commitment to the team. "I'm proud to be a part of such a great group of people," he says.

In conclusion, Katzulas' lucky charm is just one of many superstitious practices that have become a part of the Hawkeye basketball team's history. While it may not bring them victory every time, it certainly brings them some positive vibes and keeps them as lucky as can be!