



BUFFALO SABRES
vs.
COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

Tuesday, September 23, 2025, 7:00 p.m.



28	Ivan Fedotov	G	27	Devon Levi	G
36	Zach Sawchenko	G	34	Alex Lyon	G
2	Jake Christiansen	D	6	Zach Benson	LW
11	Miles Wood	LW	9	Josh Norris	C
14	Daemon Hunt	D	13	Jake Leschyshyn	C
16	Brendan Gaunce	C	17	Jason Zucker	LW
20	Hudson Fasching	RW	21	Conor Timmins	D
21	Isac Lundestrom	C	23	Mattias Samuelsson	D
27	Zach Aston-Reese	LW	26	Rasmus Dahlin	D
37	Dysin Mayo	D	28	Zac Jones	D
57	Charlie Elick	D	33	Ryan Johnson	D
62	Riley Bezeau	RW	41	Tyler Kopff	C
63	Ryland Mosley	LW	46	Noah Laaouan	D
65	Luca Del Bel Belluz	C	48	Tyson Kozak	C
81	Stanislav Svozil	D	55	Mason Geertsen	LW
82	Mikael Pyyhtia	LW	56	Peter Tischke	D
83	Oiva Keskinen	C	63	Isak Rosen	RW
88	Roman Ahcan	LW	71	Ryan McLeod	C
93	Max McCue	LW	72	Tage Thompson	C
94	Caleb MacDonald	D	78	Jacob Bryson	D
			79	Viktor Neuchev	LW
			94	Konsta Helenius	C

Referees: Brandon Blandina (39), Beau Halkidis (48)

Linespersons: Brad Kovachik (71), Tyson Baker (88)

Anthem Singer: Cami Clune

BUFFALO SABRES 2025-26 PRESEASON GAME NOTES

2025-26 PRESEASON SCHEDULE

DATE:	OPPONENT:	LOCATION:	TIME:	RESULT:
Mon., Sept. 22	at Columbus	Nationwide Arena	7 p.m.	W, 4-0
Tues., Sept. 23	COLUMBUS	KeyBank Center	7 p.m.	
Thurs., Sept. 25	at Detroit	Little Caesars Arena	7 p.m.	
Sat., Sept. 27	DETROIT	KeyBank Center	3 p.m.	
Wed., Oct. 1	PITTSBURGH	KeyBank Center	7 p.m.	
Fri., Oct. 3	at Pittsburgh	PPG Paints Arena	7 p.m.	

TONIGHT'S GAME – BUFFALO vs. COLUMBUS – TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2025

Tonight's game marks Buffalo's second of six preseason games after the Sabres opened their preseason with a 4-0 win last night in Columbus. Tonight's matchup is being broadcast on sabres.com and WGR 550 in Western New York.

After closing out their home-and-home series with Columbus tonight, the Sabres will begin their second of three preseason home-and-home series with a road contest in Detroit on Sept. 25 and finish it with a home matchup against the Red Wings on Sept. 27. The Sabres host the Pittsburgh Penguins on Oct. 1 and close out the preseason in Pittsburgh on Oct. 3.

Buffalo and Columbus have played 28 preseason games against each other all-time. The Sabres are 15-13-0 in preseason contests against the Blue Jackets. In their preseason history, the Sabres are 7-7-0 at Columbus and 6-4-0 against the Blue Jackets at home. Four of the 27 preseason games between the Sabres and Blue Jackets have been played at neutral-site venues, with the Sabres going 2-2-0 in those games.

The Sabres and Blue Jackets will meet three times in the regular season, with home matchups on Oct. 28 and April 9 and a road game in Columbus on Jan. 3.

The Sabres are 176-177-53 all-time in the preseason, including a 63-41-7 record since the 2005-06 season. These totals only include games against NHL opponents; the Sabres also defeated Adler Mannheim 8-3 in an exhibition game as part of the 2011 NHL Premiere Series.

The Sabres open the 2025-26 regular season with four home contests in their first five games, beginning on Thursday, Oct. 9 vs. the New York Rangers. That stretch includes games against Boston (Oct. 11), Colorado (Oct. 13), Ottawa (Oct. 15) and Florida (Oct. 18). Ten of Buffalo's first 14 games will come at home.

GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

2025-26 PRESEASON

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No.	Player	9/22 at CBJ	9/23 vs. CBJ	9/25 at DET	9/27 vs. DET	10/1 vs. PIT	10/3 at PIT
3	Rathbone, Jack	DND					
4	Byram, Bowen	1-0, +2					
6	Benson, Zach	DND					
8	Kesselring, Michael	0-1, +1					
9	Norris, Josh	DND					
12	Greenway, Jordan	DND					
13	Leschyshyn, Jake	DND					
15	Danforth, Justin	0-0, +1					
17	Zucker, Jason	DND					
19	Krebs, Peyton	0-0, +1					
20	Kulich, Jiri	0-1, +1					
21	Timmins, Conor	DND					
22	Quinn, Jack	1-0, +1					
23	Samuelsson, Mattias	DND					
25	Power, Owen	0-1, +1					
26	Dahlin, Rasmus	DND					
28	Jones, Zac	DND					
29	Malenstyn, Beck	1-0, +1					
33	Johnson, Ryan	DND					
36	Fulp, Aidan	DND					
37	Laberge, Noah	DND					
41	Kopff, Tyler	DND					
42	Warren, Brendan	DND					
43	Brunet, Simon-Pier	JR	JR	JR	JR	JR	JR
44	Dunne, Josh	0-0, +1					
45	Fiddler-Schultz, Riley	DNP					
46	Laaouan, Noah	DND					
48	Kozak, Tyson	0-1, +1					
49	Meyer, Carson	DND					
52	Kuntar, Trevor	DND					
54	Nadeau, Olivier	DND					
55	Geertsen, Mason	0-0, +1					
56	Tischke, Peter	DND					
57	Mrtka, Radim	0-1, +2					
59	Costantini, Matteo	DND					
63	Rosen, Isak	DND					
67	Slaggert, Graham	DND					
71	McLeod, Ryan	DND					
72	Thompson, Tage	DND					
73	Metsa, Zach	DND					
74	Novikov, Nikita	0-0, +1					
75	Belliveau, Isaac	DND					
76	Komarov, Vsevolod	0-1, +1					
78	Bryson, Jacob	DND					
79	Neuchev, Viktor	DND					
81	Savage, Redmond	DND					
86	Ostlund, Noah	0-0, +1					
89	Tuch, Alex	DND					
91	Doan, Josh	0-1, +1					
92	Wahlberg, Anton	0-1, +1					
93	Bedkowski, David	JR	JR	JR	JR	JR	JR
94	Helenius, Konsta	1-0, +1					
95	Joshua, Jagger	DND					

PLAYER STATS = Goals-Assists, +/-
JR = Returned to Junior

INJ = Missed Game Due to Injury
MIN = Assigned to Rochester (AHL)

DND = Did Not Dress
FA = Free Agent

No.	Player	9/22 at CBJ	9/23 vs. CBJ	9/25 at DET	9/27 vs. DET	10/1 vs. PIT	10/3 at PIT
1	Luukkonen, Ukko-Pekka	DND					
27	Levi, Devon	ND, 6-6, 20:00					
32	Ratzlaff, Scott	DND					
34	Lyon, Alex	DND					
35	Leenders, Ryerson	DND					
40	Georgiev, Alexandar	W, 16-16, 40:00					
47	Meloche, Samuel	JR	JR	JR	JR	JR	JR
50	Leinonen, Topias	DND					

GOALTENDER STATS = Decision, Saves-Shots, Minutes
DND = Did not Play

INJ = Missed Game Due to Injury
JR = Returned to Junior

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PRESEASON AT A GLANCE

2025-26 PRESEASON RECORD...							
	GP	W	L	OTL	GF	GA	PTS
HOME:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROAD:	1	1	0	0	4	0	2
OVERALL:	1	1	0	0	4	0	2

GOALS BY PERIOD...					
	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL
SABRES:	0	2	2	0	4
OPPONENTS:	0	0	0	0	0

SHOTS BY PERIOD...					
	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL
SABRES:	4	16	15	0	35
OPPONENTS:	8	8	6	0	22

SABRES POWER PLAY...			
	PPG	OPP	%
HOME:	--	--	--
ROAD:	0	2	0
OVERALL:	0	2	0

SABRES PENALTY KILLING...			
	PPGA	OPP	%
HOME:	--	--	--
ROAD:	--	--	--
OVERALL:	--	--	--

SABRES TRAINING CAMP TRANSACTIONS...	
Date	Transaction(s)
Sept. 19	Returned defensemen David Bedkowski and Simon-Pier Brunet and goaltender Samuel Meloche to their respective junior clubs.

NOTE: The Sabres have 58 players on their training camp roster (32 forwards, 19 defensemen and seven goaltenders).



BLUE JACKETS PRESEASON GAME NOTES

Sept. 23, 2025

at Buffalo Sabres, KeyBank Arena (7 pm ET)

Referees: Brandon Blandina (39), Beau Halkidis (48)

Preseason Game No. 3 (1-1-0, 2 pts.)

Preseason Road Game No. 1 (0-0-0, 0 pts.)

Linespersons: Brad Kovachik (71), Tyson Baker (88)

BLUE JACKETS CONTINUE SEVEN-GAME PRESEASON SCHEDULE: Columbus embarks on it's first road trip of the preseason while completing a back-to-back, home-and-home showdown at the Buffalo Sabres after falling 4-0 last night at Nationwide Arena. It's the third of four-straight days with contests. The Jackets play a pair of preseason games against the Sabres, Pittsburgh Penguins and Washington Capitals along with the solo tilt against the Blues (4-1 W). The club's seven exhibition contests occur in a span of 14 days and concludes with a home-and-home series against the Capitals on Sept. 30 (Nationwide Arena) and Oct. 4 (Capital One Arena). There are currently 52 players in camp – 28 forwards, 19 defensemen and five goaltenders. For a complete training camp roster and schedule, visit BlueJackets.com.

2025 COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS PRESEASON SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Opponent	Location	Time (ET)/Result
Sept. 21	Sunday	ST. LOUIS BLUES	Nationwide Arena	4-1, W
Sept. 22	Monday	BUFFALO SABRES	Nationwide Arena	0-4, L
Sept. 23	Tuesday	at Buffalo Sabres	KeyBank Center	7 p.m.
Sept. 24	Wednesday	PITTSBURGH PENGUINS	Nationwide Arena	7 p.m.
Sept. 27	Saturday	at Pittsburgh Penguins	PPG Paints Arena	7 p.m.
Sept. 30	Tuesday	WASHINGTON CAPITALS	Nationwide Arena	7 p.m.
Oct. 4	Saturday	at Washington Capitals	Capital One Arena	7 p.m.

2025 COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS PRESEASON GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

Gm	Date	Opponent	Result	Record	Score	Goal Scorers	GWG	PP	PK	SF-SA	W-L Goalie	Attn.
1.	Sept. 21	STL	W	1-0-0	4-1	16, 65, 10, 24	Del Bel Belluz	0-2	3-3	22-21	Fedotov/Hofer	12,066
2.	Sept. 22	BUF	L	1-1-0	0-4		Byram	0-0	2-2	22-35	Georgiev/Merzlikins	9,778
3.	Sept. 23	at BUF										
4.	Sept. 24	PIT										
5.	Sept. 27	at PIT										
6.	Sept. 30	WSH										
7.	Oct. 4	at WSH										

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS ALL-TIME PRESEASON RESULTS

	Overall	Home	Road	Neutral	Top Scorer	Top Goaltender
2000:	3-5-1	1-1-1	0-1-0	2-3-0	Maltais – 7 GP, 3-4-7	Denis – 1-1-0, 2.49, .899
2001:	2-3-2	2-0-1	0-1-1	0-2-0	Sanderson – 5 GP, 3-2-5	Denis – 0-2-2, 1.99, .930
2002:	6-3-0	2-2-0	3-1-0	1-0-0	Sanderson – 7 GP, 2-5-7	Labbe – 2-0-0, 1.51, .949
2003:	2-4-2	2-1-1	0-3-1	0-0-0	Spacek – 6 GP, 3-2-5	Denis – 2-2-0, 1.87, .930
2005:	3-6-0	3-2-0	0-4-0	0-0-0	Brule – 6 GP, 2-3-5	Leclaire – 2-1-0, 2.86, .905
2006:	4-3-0	3-1-0	1-1-0	0-1-0	Platt – 4 GP, 4-3-7	Leclaire – 3-0-0, 1.20, .957
2007:	3-3-2	0-3-1	3-0-1	0-0-0	Chimera – 6 GP, 2-4-6	Mason – 1-2-0, 1.78, .913
2008:	4-4-0	3-1-0	1-3-0	0-0-0	Nash – 4 GP, 3-5-8	Leclaire – 2-0-0, 2.64, .881
2009:	4-3-1	3-1-0	1-2-1	0-0-0	Voracek – 6 GP, 3-4-7	Garon – 2-0-0, 2.35, .913
2010:	5-4-0	2-2-0	3-2-0	0-0-0	Huselius – 4 GP, 1-6-7	Mason – 2-1-0, 3.65, .899
2011:	5-2-1	4-0-0	1-2-1	0-0-0	Tyutin – 4 GP, 2-5-7	Mason – 4-0-0, 1.98, .934
2012:	n/a					
2013:	4-3-1	1-2-1	3-1-0	0-0-0	Gaborik – 4 GP, 2-5-7	Bobrovsky – 1-2-1, 2.13, .925
2014:	7-1-0	4-0-0	3-1-0	0-0-0	Foligno – 5 GP, 3-4-7	Bobrovsky – 3-1-0, 1.92, .948
2015:	5-2-1	2-1-1	3-1-0	0-0-0	Johansen – 4 GP, 4-8-12	Bobrovsky – 4-0-0, 1.36, .959

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS ALL-TIME PRESEASON RESULTS (continued)

	Overall	Home	Road	Neutral	Top Scorer	Top Goaltender
2016:	4-4-0	1-3-0	3-1-0	0-0-0	Gagner – 5 GP, 1-4-5	Bobrovsky – 1-2-0, 2.39, .900
2017:	4-3-1	1-3-0	3-0-1	0-0-0	Panarin – 6 GP, 3-2-5	Bobrovsky – 2-1-0, 3.38, .906
2018:	3-5-0	2-2-0	0-3-0	1-0-0	Atkinson – 4 GP, 3-4-7	Berube – 1-0-0, 2.28, .875
2019:	2-3-1	2-1-0	0-2-1	0-0-0	Lilja – 4 GP, 2-1-3	Korpisalo – 1-1-0, 1.23, .953
2020:	n/a					
2021:	4-2-2	2-0-2	2-2-0	0-0-0	Voracek – 3 GP, 2-5-7	Berube – 1-0-0, 1.16, .969
2022:	4-2-2	4-0-0	0-2-2	0-0-0	Chinakhov – 6 GP, 6-1-7	Merzlikins – 2-0-1, 1.87, .943
2023:	4-3-1	3-1-0	1-2-1	0-0-0	Laine – 5 GP, 4-4-8	Merzlikins – 2-1-0, 3.31, .886
2024:	4-4-0	2-2-0	2-2-0	0-0-0	Fantilli – 6 GP, 4-2-6	Merzlikins – 2-1-0, 1.91, .932
2025:	1-1-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	Voronkov – 1 GP, 1-2-3	Fedotov – 1-0-0, 1.50, .933

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

- Sep. 14 Acquired G Ivan Fedotov from Philadelphia in exchange for the club's 2026 sixth-round pick.
- Sept. 23 Loaned G Evan Gardner to Saskatoon (WHL) and C Owen Griffin to Oshawa (OHL). Released F Nicholas Sima and D Marcus Kearsey from amateur tryout contracts.

RECENT OFF-SEASON TRANSACTIONS

- June 26 Acquired C Brendan Gaunce from Minnesota in exchange for F Cameron Butler.
- June 27 Signed C Hunter McKown to a one-year, two-way NHL/AHL extension.
- June 27 Acquired C Charlie Coyle and F Miles Wood from Colorado in exchange for F Gavin Brindley and a 2025 third round pick and a 2027 second round pick.
- June 28 Signed G Zach Sawchenko to a one-year, two-way NHL/AHL extension.
- June 29 Signed D Dante Fabbro to a four-year contract through the 2028-29 season.
- July 1 Signed D Ivan Provorov to a seven-year contract through the 2031-32 season.
- July 1 Signed G Zach Sawchenko to a one-year, two-way NHL/AHL contract.
- July 1 Signed C Owen Sillinger to a one-year, two-way NHL/AHL extension
- July 1 Signed D Christian Jaros to a one-year, two-way NHL/AHL contract.
- July 5 Signed F Dmitri Voronkov to a two-year contract through 2026-27.
- July 16 Signed D Dysin Mayo to a one-year, two-way NHL/AHL contract.
- Aug. 13 Signed LW Mikael Pyhtia to a one-year contract.
- Aug. 15 Signed D Daemon Hunt to a one-year contract.
- Aug. 18 Signed RW Hudson Fasching to a one-year contract.
- Aug. 19 Signed D Brendan Smith to a pro tryout contract.

BLUE JACKETS HEADLINES

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS CELEBRATE 25TH ANNIVERSARY: The Columbus Blue Jackets will celebrate their 25th season in the National Hockey League during the 2025-26 campaign. Throughout the entire season, the club will host multiple 25th anniversary theme nights that showcase the history of Blue Jackets hockey with alumni appearances as well as many other activities that capture the legacy of the franchise. To kick off the season, the team will host a special 25th anniversary concert featuring O.A.R. at Kemba Live! on Oct. 3 as well as O.A.R.'s Celebrity Crazy Game of Hockey at the OhioHealth Ice Haus on Oct. 5.

OFF-SEASON MOVES: Columbus was busy during the off-season, making multiple moves to bolster the roster with new faces while also resigning key contributors to contract extensions. The club acquired forwards **Charlie Coyle**, who has collected 189-296-485 in 950 career NHL games with the Avalanche, Boston Bruins and Minnesota Wild; and **Miles Woods**, with a career mark of 91-91-182 in 513 career outings with the Avalanche and New Jersey Devils, from Colorado on June 27. The Blue Jackets also signed **D Dante Fabbro** to a four-year contract extension through the 2028-29 season. Fabbro tallied single-season career highs in goals, points, plus/minus rating, and game-winning goals in his first season with Columbus in 2024-25 after posting 9-17-26, +20 plus/minus rating and three GWGs. Fellow blueliner **Ivan Provorov** signed a seven-year contract extension through the 2031-32 campaign after spending the previous two seasons with the club. Provorov has collected 12-53-65 in 164 career games with Columbus since being acquired on June 6, 2024 and skated in all 82 contests for the eighth time in his NHL career in 2024-25. The Blue Jackets also signed forwards **Dmitri Voronkov** and **Isac Lundestrom** to two-year contracts through the 2026-27 season.

AT THE DRAFT: The Blue Jackets selected six players in the 2025 NHL Draft held at The Peacock Theater in Los Angeles from June 27-28. The team had two first round selections, drafting **D Jackson Smith** 14th overall from the Western Hockey League's Tri-City Americans and **G Pyotr Andreyanov** from CSKA Jr's club. Smith led WHL draft eligible blueliners in assists and points after posting

11-43-54 with 48 penalty minutes in 68 games played with Tri-City during the 2024-25 campaign. Overall, the club selected two forwards, three defensemen and one goaltender.

BUFFALO PROSPECT CHALLENGE RECAP: Columbus took part in the Prospects Challenge in Buffalo, New York for the second-straight year from September 11-14. The club finished 2-1-0 after falling to New Jersey, 8-2, in its opening game on Sept. 11 before rallying to earn a 7-5 victory over the host Sabres on Sept. 13 and 5-4 overtime win over the Pittsburgh Penguins on Sept. 14. Invite RW **Nicholas Sima** led the club with three goals, including two with the OT game-winner in the win over Pittsburgh. 2025 fourth-rounder C **Owen Griffin** notched goals in two of the contests and C **Jack Williams** notched tallies against New Jersey and Pittsburgh. Netminders **Nolan Lalonde** (stopped 10-of-13 shots vs. New Jersey and 26-of-33 vs. Buffalo) and **Evan Gardner** (stopped 13-of-18 vs. New Jersey and 40-of-44 vs. Pittsburgh) each earned wins during the tournament.

2024-25 SEASON RECAP

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS COMPLETE 24th NHL SEASON: The Columbus Blue Jackets completed their 24th NHL season with a 40-33-9 record (89 pts./543 pct.), the club's best record in points percentage since the 2019-20 campaign (33-22-15, 81 pts./579 pct.)... The club finished fourth in the Metropolitan Division, ninth in the Eastern Conference and 19th-T in the NHL... Columbus was the league's most improved team with +13 wins and +23 points compared to the 2023-24 season and had the second-largest goals-for/goals-against differential improvement (+64)... Columbus won a season-high six-straight games twice, including in the final six contests of the regular season from Apr. 8-17 and from Jan. 4-16... Since the start of the 2012-13 season, the Blue Jackets have gone 465-419-110 (.523) with eight winning seasons and five Stanley Cup Playoffs berths during that span.

BLUE JACKETS AT HOME: The Blue Jackets finished 26-10-5 (57 pts./695) at home in 2024-25, tying the record for the highest home point total in team history (28-12-1, 2016-17)... Columbus ranked eighth-T in the league in total home points and points percentage... The Jackets set new franchise records as well as led the league in total home goals and goals-for per game after scoring 161 (3.93 per game)... Columbus allowed 124 goals (3.02 per contest) in 41 games... The Blue Jackets earned points in 15-of-17 home games from Dec. 19-Mar. 1 (12-2-3) with two six-game regulation unbeaten streaks during that span (4-0-2, Dec. 12-31; 5-0-1, Jan. 4-Feb. 6)... Columbus finished the campaign with points in seven of its last eight home games (6-1-1)... The club is 470-367-112 (.554) in 949 home contests in its first 24 seasons.

COLUMBUS ON THE ROAD: Columbus went 14-23-4 (32 pts./390) on the road in 2024-25,, scoring 106 goals (2.59 per game) and allowing 143 goals (3.49) in 41 games... The Jackets collected points in seven contests over a 10-game stretch from Dec. 21-Jan. 31 (5-3-2) and went 10-11-1 over their final 22 road games from Jan. 7-Apr. 15... In 24 NHL campaigns, the Blue Jackets are 337-493-102 (.418) in 947 road games.

GOALS FOR/GOALS AGAINST: Goals For: The Blue Jackets scored a club-record 267 goals (not including SO goals) in 82 games (258, 2021-22), averaging 3.26 goals per game (7th-T, NHL)... Columbus also set a franchise record and led the NHL in 5-on-5 goals with 201 (187, 2018-19)... The team scored a season-high eight goals on Apr. 1 vs. Nashville (8-4 W) and finished with a team record and league-leading 16 contests with six goals or more... **Goals Against:** The Blue Jackets allowed 267 goals in 82 games, averaging 3.26 goals-against per game (25th, NHL)... The team surrendered two goals or fewer in 30 games (25-1-4), one goal or fewer in 15 contests (13-0-2) and four shutouts in 2024-25.

2025 NHL STADIUM SERIES: The Blue Jackets competed in the franchise's first outdoor game at the 2025 Navy Federal Credit Union Stadium Series against the Detroit Red Wings at Ohio Stadium on March 1... Columbus beat Detroit, 5-3, in front of 94,571 fans, making it the second-highest attended outdoor game in NHL history (105,491 at the 2014 Winter Classic at Michigan Stadium)... F James van Riemsdyk competed in his league-high eighth outdoor contest, while D Ivan Provorov (fourth), D Dante Fabbro (third), LW Zach Aston-Reese (second) all competed in an outdoor game previously in their careers... RW Justin Danforth (1-1-2) notched the game-winning goal with 2:17 remaining... C Boone Jenner (0-2-2) and D Zach Werenski (0-2-2) also finished with two points apiece, while C Adam Fantilli, D Denton Mateychuk, RW Mathieu Olivier, and LW Dmitri Voronkov also scored goals for the club... G Elvis Merzlikins posted 43 saves to tie for the second-most in an outdoor game in NHL history, trailing only New Jersey's Nico Daws' 45 saves in the 2024 Stadium Series against Philadelphia.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS & NOTES: The Blue Jackets average age to start the campaign was 27.3, making the club the seventh-youngest team in the NHL... The club saw 12 players make their team debuts, including three skate in their first NHL contests... Columbus played 12 back-to-back sets during the 2024-25 season and posted an overall record of 8-14-2 with a 6-4-2 mark in first games and 2-10-0 in second contests... CBJ blueliners combined for 51-152-203 in the 82 games to set single-season club records in goals (tied), assists and points and ranked second in the league in goals, goal percentage (19.1 pct.) and point percentage (28.5 pct.), while also ranking third in points and fifth in assists... Columbus scored the first goal of the game 43 times, tied for the 10th-most in the NHL and finished with the fifth-most in a season in franchise history... The Blue Jackets averaged 29.0 shots on goal per game (10th, NHL) and allowed 29.9 shots-against (28th, NHL)... The club averaged 15.98 blocked shots per game (9th, NHL; 1,327 total);

19.95 hits (21st, NHL; 1,656 total); 14.78 giveaways (21st-fewest, NHL; 1,227 total); 4.71 takeaways (19th-T, NHL; 391 total); and won 47.8 percent of its faceoffs taken (26th-T, NHL).

2024-25 PLAYER RECAP

WERENSKI CONTINUES ASSAULT ON CLUB RECORD BOOK: D **Zach Werenski** posted 23-59-82, including 17-39-54 at even strength, five power play goals and 298 shots on goal on 26:45 of ice time in 2024-25, tying for the most assists (Artemi Panarin, 2018-19) and second-most points (Panarin, 2017-18) in a single season in franchise history... Named a finalist for the Norris Trophy (best defenseman) after leading the NHL in average ice time and ranking third in shots on goal and leading league blueliners in shots on goal, EV-strength goals and EV-strength points (tied), while also finishing second in goals, points, power play goals (tied), and fourth in assists... Set single-season franchise records for defensemen in goals, assists, points, shots on goal and TOI... Is the first U.S.-born blueliner to record 23-plus goals in a campaign since Brian Leetch (23-56-79, 84 GP with NY Rangers) in 1993-94 as well as 20 goals and 80 points since Gary Suter (23-58-81, 81 GP with Calgary) in 1992-93... Became the all-time franchise leader in assists on Mar. 9 at NY Rangers after passing Rick Nash (258) with his 259th and is the third active NHL blueliner to lead a franchise in assists (Nashville's Roman Josi, Vegas' Shea Theodore)... Ranked third-T in the NHL in points recorded at home and set a single-season franchise record with 16-40-56 in 41 games, surpassing Johnny Gaudreau (17-29-46, 41 GP in 2022-23)... Posted a franchise-best and tied for the third-longest home points streak among defensemen in NHL history (Phil Housley in 1991-92) with points in 22-straight home outings from Nov. 1-Feb. 22 (14-27-41)... Named the NHL's Third Star for the month of January after setting a single-month club record among blueliners in assists and tying for the most points by any skater in a January (Kristian Huselius, 5-12-17 in 2010) with 6-11-17 in 14 contests... Set a new club record for longest assist and points streak by a defenseman after collecting 5-11-16 in eight-straight games from Nov. 15-Dec. 1... Tied the franchise record for points in a game and set a new benchmark for club blueliners with 2-3-5 on Nov. 21 vs. Tampa Bay... Represented Team USA at the 4 Nations Face-Off from Feb. 12-20 and led the tournament in assists and points with 0-6-6 in four games to become the first defenseman in NHL International Tournament history to lead all players outright in points.

KIRILL THE THRILL: RW **Kirill Marchenko** set single-season career highs, led the team in goals (tied) and plus/minus rating and finished second in assists and points with 31-43-74 and +29 in 79 outings... Is the third CBJ skater to record 30 goals and 70 points in a campaign, joining Rick Nash (2008-09) and Nick Foligno (2014-15)... Is the first Blue Jacket in franchise history to start his NHL career with three-consecutive 20-goal seasons and the seventh player in club annals to post at least three 20-goal campaigns, joining Rick Nash (9), Cam Atkinson (6), Boone Jenner (4), R.J. Umberger (4), Oliver Bjorkstrand (3) and David Vyborny (3)... Scored his 70th career goal in his 204th game on Mar. 24 at NY Islanders to become the third-fastest skater in CBJ history to reach the goal tally (Rick Nash in 172 GP; Geoff Sanderson in 188 GP)... Recorded his third career hat trick - and first career four-point game - on Apr. 1 vs. Nashville (3-1-4), becoming the fourth player in franchise history with as many hat tricks (Atkinson-6, Nash-5, Tyler Wright-3)... Collected his 100th career point on Dec. 19 vs. New Jersey in his 170th career NHL game, becoming the fourth-fastest CBJ skater to reach the point plateau (Pierre-Luc Dubois, 142 GP; Nikolay Zherdev, 150 GP; Nash, 164 GP)... Leads the club in goals and ranks second in points as well as fourth in assists since his debut in the 2022-23 season with 75-66-141 in 216 contests.

FANTILLI'S FANTASTIC SOPHOMORE SEASON: C **Adam Fantilli** set single-season career highs with 31-23-54 in 82 games, tying for the team lead in goals... Posted 12-30-42 in 43 games after Jan. 1 to lead the team in goals and rank second in points... Became the sixth player, and the youngest, in CBJ history to collect two hat tricks in a season after netting the first of his career on Jan. 22 at Toronto and the second on Mar. 9 at NY Rangers. while also being the first player in the NHL age-20 or younger to record multiple in a single season since 2018-19 (Patrik Laine)... Collected his 70th career point in his 119th NHL game on Mar. 24 at NY Islanders, tying Rick Nash for the third-fewest games by a Blue Jackets skater to reach the mark (Dubois, 106 GP; Zherdev, 110 GP)... Scored his 33rd career goal with his third of the night on Mar. 9 at NY Rangers for the third-most tallies by a Blue Jackets player before age 21 (Nash, 58; Dubois, 47).

MONAHAN'S SUCCESSFUL FIRST SEASON WITH THE JACKETS: C **Sean Monahan** posted 19-38-57 in 54 games in his first season as a Blue Jacket and was named a finalist for the 2024-25 Bill Masterton Memorial Trophy (nominated by Columbus chapter of the Professional Hockey Writers Association)... Finished with a single-season career-high in points-per-game (1.06) and the second-most assists... Led the club in points-per-game and ranked third in assists and points... Led the NHL in 5-on-5 assists-per-60 minutes (2.18, min. 25 GP) and finished second in points-per-60 minutes (3.07, min. 25 GP)... Reached the 50-point mark on Apr. 8 vs. Ottawa for the second-straight campaign and for the seventh time in his NHL career... Posted 14-27-41 in 41 contests prior to injury on Jan. 7, becoming the first player to record as many points in their first 41 games with the club.

DYNAMIC DUOS: D **Zach Werenski** (23-59-82) and RW **Kirill Marchenko** (31-43-74) became the fifth set of Blue Jackets teammates to post 40-plus assists in a single season (Gaudreau-48 & Werenski-46 in 2023-24; Panarin-55 & Jones-41 in 2017-18; Johansen-45 & Foligno-42 in 2014-15; Whitney-52 & Cassels-48 in 2002-03)... The pair are also just the second set of teammates in franchise history to tally 70-plus points in a single season (Foligno-73 & Johansen-71 in 2014-15)... The duo became the first to each collect 60 points in the same season since the 2018-19 campaign (Panarin-87; Atkinson-69; Dubois-61)... Also, C Adam Fantilli (31-23-54) and

Marchenko are the second pair of teammates to each score 30-plus goals in a single season in franchise history, joining Brandon Saad (31) and Boone Jenner (30) in 2015-16.

MISCELLANEOUS PLAYER NEWS & NOTES: The Blue Jackets had five players who scored 20 goals this season (C Adam Fantilli, 31; RW Kirill Marchenko, 31; F Kent Johnson, 24; LW Dmitri Voronkov, 23; D Zach Werenski, 23), tied for the most in a campaign in club history (2018-19)... The team also tied the single-season franchise record with five 50-point scorers (D Zach Werenski, 82; RW Kirill Marchenko, 74; F Kent Johnson, 57; C Sean Monahan, 57; C Adam Fantilli, 54), matching the 2009-10 and 2016-17 campaigns... CBJ had four skaters play in all 82 games in 2024-25 (C Adam Fantilli, C Sean Kuraly, RW Mathieu Olivier, D Ivan Provorov), tying for the most in a season in CBJ history (2016-17, 2018-19)... **D Dante Fabbro** led the team in blocked shots and ranked second in plus/minus rating, while finishing second among club blueliners in goals with 9-17-26, 136 blocked shots and was +23 on 21:39 of ice time in 62 contests... **G Jet Greaves** recorded a 7-2-2 record in 11 contests and went 5-0-0 with two shutouts, a 0.80 GAA and .975 SV% in the club's final five games of the season from Apr. 10-17... **F Kent Johnson** set single-season career highs with 24-33-57 in 68 contests... Tallied his 100th career NHL point on Feb. 27 at Detroit with a 1-1-2 effort to also saw him hit the 20-goal mark for the first time... Became third skater in CBJ history to post an eight-game points streak at age 22 or younger with 4-5-9 from Jan. 20-Feb. 6... **D Denton Mateychuk** ranked second-T among NHL rookie blueliners in goals, assists and points with 4-9-13 in 45 contests... RW **Mathieu Olivier** skated in all 82 games for the first time and collected a career-high 18-14-32 and 139 PIM, while averaging 14:28 TOI... Set a new single-season franchise record for hits (306) and finished second in the NHL in hits and penalty minutes... **D Ivan Provorov** has skated in all 164 games the past two seasons as a Blue Jacket and finished second on the club in TOI in 2024-25 (23:21)... LW **Dmitri Voronkov** set single-season career highs and led the team in power play goals with 23-24-47 and 8 PP goals in 73 games in his second NHL campaign.

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS 2024-25 FINAL STATISTICS

No.	Player	Pos	GP	G	A	P	+/-	PIM	PP	SH	GW	OT	S	S%	TOI/G	FO%
8	Zach Werenski	D	81	23	59	82	12	31	5	1	5	0	298	7.7	26:45	--
86	Kirill Marchenko	R	79	31	43	74	29	29	2	0	2	1	207	15.0	18:35	31.7
23	Sean Monahan	C	54	19	38	57	19	20	7	0	2	0	128	14.8	19:01	52.6
91	Kent Johnson	C	68	24	33	57	2	16	4	1	4	0	123	19.5	17:18	0.0
19	Adam Fantilli	C	82	31	23	54	4	18	2	1	3	0	191	16.2	17:29	41.2
10	Dmitri Voronkov	L	73	23	24	47	17	55	8	0	1	0	154	14.9	16:47	41.6
22	James van Riemsdyk	L	71	16	20	36	-4	23	1	0	2	0	85	18.8	12:24	30.0
9	Ivan Provorov	D	82	7	26	33	11	31	1	1	0	0	100	7.0	23:21	--
4	Cole Sillinger	C	66	11	22	33	-11	35	2	1	2	1	129	8.5	16:55	46.2
24	Mathieu Olivier	R	82	18	14	32	-4	139	0	1	5	0	111	16.2	14:28	38.9
15	Dante Fabbro	D	62	9	17	26	23	40	0	0	3	0	82	11.0	21:39	--
78	Damon Severson	D	70	6	19	25	5	47	0	0	1	0	91	6.6	19:03	--
17	Justin Danforth	R	61	9	12	21	-6	18	0	1	1	0	94	9.6	14:23	49.5
38	Boone Jenner	C	26	7	12	19	3	4	2	1	1	0	70	10.0	17:59	51.2
7	Sean Kuraly	C	82	6	11	17	-4	40	0	0	0	0	88	6.8	11:46	54.3
27	Zach Aston-Reese	C	79	6	11	17	-15	27	0	0	1	0	101	5.9	13:27	22.2
59	Yegor Chinakhov	R	30	7	8	15	-6	4	2	0	1	0	68	10.3	15:43	--
5	Denton Mateychuk *	D	45	4	9	13	4	20	0	0	0	0	44	9.1	18:02	--
62	Kevin Labanc	R	34	2	10	12	1	12	0	0	0	0	35	5.7	10:30	0.0
2	Jake Christiansen	D	68	1	7	8	6	11	0	0	0	0	58	1.7	12:32	--
65	Luca Del Bel Belluz *	C	15	2	6	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	18	11.1	13:45	43.1
82	Mikael Pyhtia *	L	47	4	3	7	-11	6	0	1	0	0	32	12.5	12:06	66.7
3	Jack Johnson	D	41	0	6	6	-13	2	0	0	0	0	23	0.0	12:52	--
22	Jordan Harris	D	33	1	4	5	-1	6	0	0	0	0	15	6.7	11:23	--
44	Erik Gudbranson	D	16	0	4	4	1	6	0	0	0	0	12	0.0	17:46	--
55	David Jiricek +	D	6	0	1	1	-2	4	0	0	0	0	5	0.0	11:12	--
14	Joseph LaBate	C	6	0	1	1	1	10	0	0	0	0	3	0.0	9:06	0.0
11	Luke Kunin	C	12	0	0	0	-4	9	0	0	0	0	17	0.0	11:46	40.0
67	James Malatesta *	L	2	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	10:34	100.0
36	Christian Fischer	R	1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	9:39	--
12	Owen Sillinger	C	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	--	13:09	40.0
29	Jack Williams *	R	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	11:09	45.5

No.	Goaltender	GP	MIN	W	L	OT	SO	SA	SV	SV%	GA	GAA	G	A	PIM
90	Elvis Merzlikins	53	3,170	26	21	5	1	1,557	1,389	.892	168	3.18	0	1	8
73	Jet Greaves *	11	660	7	2	2	2	339	318	.938	21	1.91	0	0	0
40	Daniil Tarasov	20	1,100	7	10	2	1	544	479	.881	65	3.54	0	1	0

+ Traded or Claimed Player * Rookie

CLEVELAND MONSTERS 2024-25 FINAL STATISTICS

No.	Player	Team	Pos	GP	G	A	P	+/-	PIM	PP	SH	GW	OT	S	S%
64	Trey Fix-Wolansky	CLE	RW	65	26	34	60	-4	73	8	0	7	1	192	13.5
91	Rocco Grimaldi	CLE	RW	66	17	41	58	-6	20	6	0	3	1	181	9.4
10	Luca Del Bel Belluz	CLE	C	61	27	26	53	6	12	8	0	3	0	129	20.9
41	Hunter McKown	CLE	C	68	13	18	31	-8	34	1	0	2	0	126	10.3
37	Roman Ahcan	CLE	LW	67	18	11	29	4	36	1	3	1	0	104	17.3
12	Owen Sillinger	CLE	LW	44	11	18	29	-5	18	3	0	2	1	79	13.9
18	Dylan Gambrell	CLE	C	54	13	12	25	-6	32	2	1	0	0	107	12.2
17	Denton Mateychuk*	CLE	D	27	9	16	25	5	10	4	0	3	2	54	16.7
5	Stanislav Svozil	CLE	D	63	4	20	24	-3	42	0	0	1	0	96	4.2
14	Joseph LaBate	CLE	C	51	8	13	21	-4	81	5	0	0	0	68	11.8
24	Justin Pearson	CLE	LW	69	6	13	19	-1	27	0	1	1	0	94	6.4
45	Gavin Brindley*	CLE	RW	52	6	11	17	-10	24	2	0	2	0	78	7.7
20	Samuel Knazko	CLE	D	55	4	12	16	-6	14	0	0	0	0	48	8.3
82	Mikael Pyyhtiä	CLE	LW	28	3	13	16	4	2	1	0	1	0	46	6.5
6	Madison Bowey	CLE	D	60	3	12	15	0	70	0	0	0	0	57	5.3
34	Cole Clayton	CLE	D	63	1	14	15	5	37	0	0	0	0	58	1.7
22	Daemon Hunt	CLE	D	48	2	12	14	-8	16	1	0	0	0	56	3.6
11	James Malatesta	CLE	LW	41	8	6	14	-7	49	3	0	0	0	76	10.5
88	Jordan Dumais*	CLE	RW	21	4	7	11	0	4	0	0	1	0	23	17.4
93	Max McCue*	CLE	LW	46	2	6	8	-11	122	0	0	1	0	29	6.9
8	Ole Julian Bjørgvik-Holm	CLE	D	44	3	4	7	-3	50	0	0	0	0	38	7.9
25	Stefan Matteau	CLE	LW	15	2	5	7	0	8	0	0	1	0	28	7.1
4	Corson Ceulemans	CLE	D	33	2	5	7	1	29	0	0	1	1	59	3.4
19	Jake Gaudet+	CLE	C	41	1	5	6	-8	30	0	0	0	0	27	3.7
7	Drew Bavaro	CLE	D	15	1	4	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	23	4.3
26	Guillaume Richard*	CLE	D	8	2	2	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	12	16.7
55	David Jiricek+	CLE	D	4	2	1	3	3	2	0	0	1	1	8	25
42	Cameron Butler	CLE	RW	37	2	1	3	-5	74	0	0	0	0	29	6.9
22	Chris Wilkie+	CLE	RW	6	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	16.7
53	Luca Pinelli*	CLE	C	3	0	2	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	5	0
16	Curtis Hall	CLE	C	14	1	0	1	-7	2	0	0	0	0	16	6.3
3	Will MacKinnon	CLE	D	2	0	0	0	-4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
26	Mark Duarte+	CLE	RW	1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
3	Harrison Rees+*	CLE	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	Tristan Ashbrook+*	CLE	C	2	0	0	0	-2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
29	Ryland Mosley*	CLE	LW	4	0	0	0	-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Grant Gabriele+	CLE	D	15	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	15	0

No.	Goaltender	Team	GP	MIN	W	L	OT	SO	SA	SV	SV%	GA	GAA
73	Jet Greaves	CLE	40	2,340:20	21	11	6	3	1269	1167	0.92	102	2.62
40	Daniil Tarasov+	CLE	2	1,21:37	1	1	0	0	65	59	0.908	6	2.96
36	Zach Sawchenko	CLE	27	1,521:16	10	11	5	1	758	682	0.9	76	3
31	Evan Gardner*	CLE	1	57:23	0	1	0	0	19	16	0.842	3	3.14
30	Pavel Cajan	CLE	5	304:20	3	2	0	0	138	119	0.862	19	3.75

+ Inactive * Rookie

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

ROSTER AT BUFFALO SABRES - SEPT. 23, 2025

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	Birthplace	Shot	'24-25 Club	Lge.	GP	G	A	Pts.	+/-	PIM
2	Christiansen, Jake	D	6-0	197	09/12/99	West Vancouver, BC	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	68	1	7	8	6	11
11	Wood, Miles	LW	6-2	195	09/13/95	Buffalo, NY	Left	Colorado	NHL	37	4	4	8	-5	48
14	Hunt, Daemon	D	6-1	201	05/15/02	Brandon, MB	Left	Minnesota	NHL	1	0	0	0	0	0
								Iowa	AHL	9	0	4	4	-1	5
								Cleveland	AHL	48	2	12	14	-8	16
								Minnesota	NHL	12	0	1	1	-4	4
16	Gaunce, Brendan	C	6-3	219	03/25/94	Sudbury, ON	Left	Iowa	AHL	39	15	14	29	-16	20
								Minnesota	NHL	43	2	2	4	-4	6
20	Fasching, Hudson	RW	6-3	209	07/28/95	Apple Valley, MN	Right	NY Islanders	NHL	7	1	1	2	-2	4
								Bridgeport	AHL	79	4	11	15	-12	10
								Anaheim	NHL	79	6	11	17	-15	27
21	Lundestrom, Isac	C	6-0	191	11/06/99	Gallivare, SWE	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	58	8	11	19	-5	86
27	Aston-Reese, Zach	LW	6-1	200	08/10/94	Staten Island, NY	Left	Henderson	AHL	51	2	10	12	9	18
37	Mayo, Dysin	D	6-0	190	08/17/96	Victoria, BC	Right	CSKA Moskva	KHL	33	0	7	7	-4	35
48	Jaros, Christian	D	6-3	225	04/02/96	Kosice, SVK	Right	Brandon	WHL	33	2	6	8	-2	20
57	Elick, Charlie	D	6-4	205	01/17/06	Villach, AUT	Right	Tri-City	WHL	24	2	3	5	3	32
62	Bezeau, Riley	RW	6-0	187	05/04/02	Mansfield, MA	Right	Charlotte	AHL	5	3	2	5	3	0
								Savannah	ECHL	37	18	19	37	-2	21
63	Mosley, Ryland	LW	5-11	190	02/15/00	Arnprior, ON	Left	Wisconsin	Big Ten	4	0	0	0	-2	0
65	Del Bel Belluz, Luca	C	6-1	185	11/10/03	Woodbridge, ON	Left	Cleveland	AHL	61	27	26	53	6	12
								COLUMBUS	NHL	15	2	6	8	2	0
								Cleveland	AHL	63	4	20	24	-3	42
								Cleveland	NHL	47	4	3	7	-11	6
81	Svozil, Stanislav	D	6-0	181	01/17/03	Prerov, CZE	Left	Cleveland	AHL	28	3	13	16	4	2
								Columbus	NHL	28	3	13	16	4	2
82	Pyyhtia, Mikael	LW	6-0	176	12/17/01	Turku, FIN	Left	Cleveland	AHL	59	15	20	35	-4	26
83	Keskinen, Oiva	C	6-0	181	02/28/04	Ylojarvi, FIN	Left	Tappara	Liiga	67	18	11	29	4	36
								Cleveland	AHL	67	18	11	29	4	36
88	Ahcan, Roman	LW	5-9	170	03/24/99	Savage, MN	Left	Cleveland	AHL	46	2	6	8	-11	122
93	McCue, Max	LW	6-1	183	02/10/03	Sudbury, ON	Left	Cleveland	AHL						
No.	Goaltender	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	Birthplace	Catch	'24-25 Club	Lge.	GP	Min.	Record	GAA	SV%		
28	Fedotov, Ivan	6-7	214	11/28/96	Lappeenranta, FIN	Left	Philadelphia	NHL	26	1,429	6-13-4	3.15	.880		
36	Sawchenko, Zach	6-1	185	12/30/97	Calgary, AB	Left	Cleveland	AHL	27	1,521	10-11-5	3.00	.900		

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COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

2025 TRAINING CAMP ROSTER - SEPT. 22, 2025

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	Birthplace	Shot	'24-25 Club	Lge.	GP	G	A	Pts.	+/-	PIM
2	Christiansen, Jake	D	6-0	197	09/12/99	West Vancouver, BC	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	68	1	7	8	6	11
3	Coyle, Charlie	C	6-3	215	03/02/92	East Weymouth, MA	Right	Boston	NHL	64	15	7	22	-14	18
								Colorado	NHL	19	2	11	13	5	6
4	Sillinger, Cole	C	6-1	202	05/16/03	Columbus, OH	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	66	11	22	33	-11	35
5	Mateychuk, Denton	D	5-11	185	07/12/04	Winnipeg, MB	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	45	4	9	13	4	20
								Cleveland	AHL	27	9	16	25	5	10
7	Smith, Brendan	D	6-2	200	02/08/89	Mimico, ON	Left	Dallas	NHL	32	1	5	6	-9	33
8	Werenski, Zach	D	6-2	211	07/19/97	Grosse Pointe, MI	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	81	23	59	82	12	31
9	Provorov, Ivan	D	6-1	213	01/13/97	Yaroslavl, RUS	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	82	7	26	33	11	31
10	Voronkov, Dmitri	LW	6-5	227	09/10/00	Angarsk, RUS	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	73	23	24	47	17	55
11	Wood, Miles	LW	6-2	195	09/13/95	Buffalo, NY	Left	Colorado	NHL	37	4	4	8	-5	48
12	Sillinger, Owen	C	5-10	182	09/23/97	Regina, SK	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	1	0	0	0	0	2
								Cleveland	AHL	44	11	18	29	-5	18
14	Hunt, Daemon	D	6-1	201	05/15/02	Brandon, MB	Left	Minnesota	NHL	1	0	0	0	0	0
								Iowa	AHL	9	0	4	4	-1	5
								Cleveland	AHL	48	2	12	14	-8	16
15	Fabbro, Dante	D	6-0	189	06/20/98	Coquitlam, BC	Right	Nashville	NHL	6	0	0	0	-3	0
								COLUMBUS	NHL	62	9	17	26	23	40
16	Gaunce, Brendan	C	6-3	219	03/25/94	Sudbury, ON	Left	Minnesota	NHL	12	0	1	1	-4	4
								Iowa	AHL	39	15	14	29	-16	20
19	Fantilli, Adam	C	6-2	199	10/12/04	Nobleton, ON	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	82	31	23	54	4	18
20	Fasching, Hudson	RW	6-3	209	07/28/95	Apple Valley, MN	Right	NY Islanders	NHL	43	2	2	4	-4	6
								Bridgeport	AHL	7	1	1	2	-2	4
21	Lundestrom, Isac	C	6-0	191	11/06/99	Gallivare, SWE	Left	Anaheim	NHL	79	4	11	15	-12	10
22	Dumais, Jordan	RW	5-9	174	04/15/04	Montreal, QC	Right	Cleveland	AHL	21	4	7	11	0	4
23	Monahan, Sean	C	6-2	197	10/12/94	Brampton, ON	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	54	19	38	57	19	20
24	Olivier, Mathieu	RW	6-1	226	02/11/97	Biloxi, MS	Right	COLUMBUS	NHL	82	18	14	32	-4	139
27	Aston-Reese, Zach	LW	6-1	200	08/10/94	Staten Island, NY	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	79	6	11	17	-15	27
29	Williams, Jack	C	5-11	185	03/02/02	Biddeford, ME	Right	Northeastern	H-East	37	16	25	41	6	25
								COLUMBUS	NHL	1	0	0	0	1	0
37	Mayo, Dysin	D	6-0	190	08/17/96	Victoria, BC	Right	Henderson	AHL	58	8	11	19	-5	86
38	Jenner, Boone	C	6-2	203	06/15/93	Dorchester, ON	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	26	7	12	19	3	4
41	McKown, Hunter	C	6-1	192	08/18/02	San Jose, CA	Right	Cleveland	AHL	68	13	18	31	-8	34
44	Gudbranson, Erik	D	6-5	222	01/07/92	Ottawa, ON	Right	COLUMBUS	NHL	16	0	4	4	1	6
48	Jaros, Christian	D	6-3	225	04/02/96	Kosice, SVK	Right	CSKA Moskva	KHL	51	2	10	12	9	18
53	Pinelli, Luca	C	5-9	168	04/05/05	Stoney Creek, ON	Left	Ottawa	OHL	52	37	34	71	1	63
								Cleveland	AHL	3	0	2	2	2	4
54	Marrelli, Luca	D	6-2	185	10/04/05	Toronto, ON	Right	Oshawa	OHL	67	19	55	74	25	21
56	MacKinnon, Will	D	5-11	201	04/13/00	Plymouth, MI	Left	Utica	AHL	42	0	4	4	3	42
								Cleveland	AHL	2	0	0	0	-4	0
								Adirondack	ECHL	2	0	1	1	1	2
57	Elick, Charlie	D	6-4	205	01/17/06	Villach, AUT	Right	Brandon	WHL	33	0	7	7	-4	35
								Tri-City	WHL	33	2	6	8	-2	20
58	Bjorgvik-Holm, Ole	D	6-3	198	05/23/02	Oslo, NOR	Left	Cleveland	AHL	44	3	4	7	-3	50
59	Chinakhov, Yegor	RW	6-1	201	02/01/01	Omsk, RUS	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	30	7	8	15	-6	4
62	Bezeau, Riley	RW	6-0	187	05/04/02	Mansfield, MA	Right	Charlotte	AHL	24	2	3	5	3	32
								Savannah	ECHL	5	3	2	5	3	0
63	Mosley, Ryland	LW	5-11	190	02/15/00	Arnprior, ON	Left	Wisconsin	Big Ten	37	18	19	37	-2	21
								Cleveland	AHL	4	0	0	0	-2	0
65	Del Bel Belluz, Luca	C	6-1	185	11/10/03	Woodbridge, ON	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	15	2	6	8	2	0
								Cleveland	AHL	61	27	26	53	6	12
67	Malatesta, James	LW	5-9	193	05/31/03	Montreal, QC	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	2	0	0	0	-1	0
								Cleveland	AHL	41	8	6	14	-7	49

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No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	Birthplace	Shot	'24-25 Club	Lge.	GP	G	A	Pts.	+/-	PIM
74	Ceulemans, Corson	D	6-2	198	05/05/03	Regina, SK	Right	Cleveland	AHL	33	2	5	7	1	29
78	Severson, Damon	D	6-2	204	08/07/94	Melville, SK	Right	COLUMBUS	NHL	70	6	19	25	5	47
81	Svozil, Stanislav	D	6-0	181	01/17/03	Prerov, CZE	Left	Cleveland	AHL	63	4	20	24	-3	42
82	Pyyhtia, Mikael	LW	6-0	176	12/17/01	Turku, FIN	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	47	4	3	7	-11	6
								Cleveland	AHL	28	3	13	16	4	2
83	Keskinen, Oiva	C	6-0	181	02/28/04	Ylojarvi, FIN	Left	Tappara	Liiga	59	15	20	35	-4	26
84	Richard, Guillaume	D	6-2	187	02/10/03	Quebec, QC	Left	Providence	H-East	37	2	12	14	7	14
								Cleveland	AHL	8	2	2	4	0	4
86	Marchenko, Kirill	RW	6-3	197	07/21/00	Barnaul, RUS	Right	COLUMBUS	NHL	79	31	43	74	29	20
88	Ahcan, Roman	LW	5-9	170	03/24/99	Savage, MN	Left	Cleveland	AHL	67	18	11	29	4	36
91	Johnson, Kent	LW	6-0	180	10/18/02	Port Moody, BC	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	68	24	33	57	2	16
93	McCue, Max	LW	6-1	183	02/10/03	Sudbury, ON	Left	Cleveland	AHL	46	2	6	8	-11	122
94	MacDonald, Caleb	D	6-4	229	11/29/02	Cambridge, ON	Left	North Dakota	NCHC	35	3	7	10	7	42

No.	Goaltender	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	Birthplace	Catch	'24-25 Club	Lge.	GP	Min.	Record	GAA	SV%
28	Fedotov, Ivan	6-7	214	11/28/96	Lappeenranta, FIN	Left	Philadelphia	NHL	26	1,429	6-13-4	3.15	.880
31	Lalonde, Nolan	6-2	196	02/14/04	Kingston, ON	Left	Kingston	OHL	21	1,126	9-7-4	3.25	.884
							Soo	OHL	15	893	7-5-3	3.36	.893
36	Sawchenko, Zach	6-1	185	12/30/97	Calgary, AB	Left	Cleveland	AHL	27	1,521	10-11-5	3.00	.900
73	Greaves, Jet	6-0	190	03/30/01	Cambridge, ON	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	11	660	7-2-2	1.91	.938
							Cleveland	AHL	40	2,340	21-11-6	2.62	.920
90	Merzlikins, Elvis	6-3	190	04/13/94	Riga, LVA	Left	COLUMBUS	NHL	53	3,171	26-21-5	3.18	.892

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 Hudson Fasching
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 Brendan Gaunce
 Christian Jaros
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FORWARDS

* Birthday during camp

No.	Player	Age	Ht	Wt	NHL Yr/ CBJ Yr
11	Miles Wood	30	6-2	194	11th/1st

Acquired: In a trade from Colorado on June 27, 2025

Missed part of 2024-25 season with an injury... Has recorded double-digit goals in five of his seven full seasons... Set a single-season career high in assists with Colorado in 2023-24, tallying 9-17-26 in 74 games played... Ranked third on the Avalanche in hits after posting a career-high 107 in 2023-24... Registered a season-best in goals and points with New Jersey in 2017-18 after posting 19-13-32 in 76 outings... Skated for the United States at the 2016 IIHF World Championships and 2015 IIHF World Junior Championships... Played one season of college hockey at Boston College in 2015-16, recording 10-25-35 in 37 games.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Colorado (NHL)	37	4	4	8	-5	48
NHL TOTALS		513	91	91	182	-73	550

16 Brendan Gaunce 31 6-3 219 10th/4th

Acquired: In a trade from Minnesota on June 26, 2025

Split the 2024-25 campaign between the NHL's Minnesota (0-1-1, 12 GP) and AHL's Iowa Wild (15-14-29, 39 GP)... (Serving as team captain) Set AHL career-highs with Cleveland in goals, assists and points in 2023-24 after notching 19-20-39 in 46 contests... Collected 7-5-12 in 59 contests with CBJ from 2021-24... Skated with Vaxjo Lakers HC of the Swedish Hockey League in 2020-21, winning the league championship after posting 5-7-12 in 18 contests... Skated with Vancouver from 2015-16, posting 6-7-13 in 117 games played while also adding 48-63-111 in 189 contests with Utica (AHL) during the same span...

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Minnesota (NHL)	12	0	1	1	-4	4
	Iowa (AHL)	39	15	14	29	-16	20
NHL TOTALS		189	13	16	29	-17	71
AHL TOTALS		382	123	139	262	2	240
OHL TOTALS		258	103	133	236	8	211

20 Hudson Fasching 30 6-3 205 9th/1st

Acquired: Signed as a free agent with Columbus on Aug. 18, 2025

Registered 2-2-4 in 43 outings with the NY Islanders in 2024-25, while appearing in seven contests with AHL's Bridgeport... Set a single-season NHL best in goals, points and plus/minus rating with 10-9-19 and a +10 rating in 49 games for New York in 2022-23... Set AHL career highs in 2021-22 with 14-23-37 in 51 outings while serving as captain for the Tucson Roadrunners... Skated in 115 games (46-48-94) at the University of Minnesota, earning Big 10 Second All-Star Team honors in 2015-16 as well as being named to the Big 10 All-Rookie Team in 2013-14... Represented Team USA at the 2016 IIHF World Championships and 2015 & 2014 IIHF World Junior Championships.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	NY Islanders (NHL)	43	2	2	4	-4	6
	Bridgeport (AHL)	7	1	1	2	-2	4
NHL TOTALS		175	17	23	40	-7	30
AHL TOTALS		308	78	84	162	-18	105

21 Isac Lundestrom 25 6-0 191 8th/1st

Acquired: Signed as a free agent with Columbus on July 1, 2025

Registered 4-11-15 in 79 contests for Anaheim in 2024-25... Notched double-digit points in four-straight campaigns with the Ducks... Set single-season career-highs in 2021-22 after posting 16-13-29 in 80 games played with Anaheim... Added 6-21-27 in 55 career AHL games with the San Diego Gulls from 2015-20... Represented Sweden at three IIHF World Championships (2021, '24, '25), winning a bronze medal at the last two tournaments, and won silver medals at the 2016 and 2018 IIHF World Junior Championships.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Anaheim (NHL)	79	4	11	15	-12	10
NHL TOTALS		337	35	49	84	-41	38
AHL TOTALS		55	6	21	27	-12	6

27 Zach Aston-Reese 30 6-1 200 9th/2nd

Acquired: Claimed off waivers from Vegas on Oct. 7, 2024

Set single-season career highs in assists, points (tied), games played and blocked shots (58) with 6-11-17 in 79 games played with CBJ in 2024-25... Ranked second on Columbus in hits (179) in first season... Set an NHL career high in goals with Toronto in 2022-23 after posting 10-4-14 in 77 contests... Ranked 11th among NHL forwards in hits (231) during 2021-22, posting a combined 5-10-15 in 69 games played split between Pittsburgh and Anaheim... Has added 32-44-76 with a +30 plus/minus rating and 127 PIM in 123 career AHL games with Grand Rapids and Wilkes-Barre/Scranton... Skated at Northeastern University from 2013-17, collecting 66-82-148 in 145 career games, and was named Hockey East Player of the Year in 2016-17.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Columbus (AHL)	79	6	11	17	-15	27
NHL TOTALS		389	48	49	97	18	153

62 Riley Bezeau 23 6-0 187 1st/1st

Acquired: In camp on a tryout (AHL contract with Cleveland)

Split the 2024-25 season between Charlotte (AHL) and Savannah (ECHL), notching 2-3-5 in 24 games played and 3-2-5 in 5 contests respectively... Recorded an AHL career-high four assists with the Checkers in 2023-24 after posting 3-4-7 in 32 outings... Tallied single-season career bests in goals and points with Charlotte, notching 5-3-8 in 51 games played during his rookie campaign in 2022-23... Serving as an alternate captain, he set QMJHL career-highs with 11-16-27 and a +10 plus/minus rating in 56 outings for the Saint John Sea Dogs in 2021-22... Won the 2022 Memorial Cup with Saint John.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Charlotte (AHL)	24	2	3	5	3	32
	Savannah (ECHL)	5	3	2	5	3	0
AHL TOTALS		107	10	10	20	-3	170
ECHL TOTALS		5	3	2	5	3	0
QMJHL		93	17	21	38	-2	105

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FORWARDS

* Birthday during camp

No.	Player	Age	Ht	Wt	NHL Yr/ CBJ Yr
63	Ryland Mosley	25	5-11	190	1st/1st

Acquired: In camp on a tryout (AHL contract with Cleveland)

Made his pro debut with Cleveland in 2024-25, skating in four contests... Set NCAA career-highs with Wisconsin, posting 18-19-37 in 37 outings to rank second on the team in goals, points and power play goals (4)... Skated in 40 games for Michigan Tech (CCHA) in 2023-24, ranking first (tied) on the team in goals and second in points with 18-15-33... Led Michigan Tech in assists and points as a junior in 2022-23, posting 12-19-31 in 39 games played.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Wisconsin (BIG 10)	37	18	19	37	-2	21
	Cleveland (AHL)	4	0	0	0	-2	0
AHL TOTALS		4	0	0	0	-2	0
NCAA TOTALS		165	54	62	116	0	68

65	Luca Del Bel Belluz	21	6-1	185	3rd/3rd
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Acquired: Columbus' 2nd round pick, 44th overall, at the 2022 NHL Draft

Tallied the second-most points by a CBJ player in their first 10 career games (3-5-8)... Led Cleveland (AHL) in goals and power play goals (tied, 8) while ranking third in assists and points with 17-20-37 in 61 games played in 2024-25... Invited to the 2025 AHL All-Star Classic... Became eighth player in franchise history to score a goal in his NHL debut in the club's 2023-24 season finale on Apr. 16 vs. Carolina... Recorded 9-22-31 in 58 contests with Cleveland (AHL) in 2023-24, leading team rookies in assists and points... Set OHL career highs with 40-47-87 in 66 contests split between Mississauga and Sarnia in 2022-23... Totaled 30-46-76 with 28 PIM and was +23 in 68 games with Mississauga (OHL) in 2021-22... Was named the OHL (East) Most Improved Player in 2021-22.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Columbus (NHL)	15	2	6	8	2	0
	Cleveland (AHL)	61	27	26	53	6	12
NHL TOTALS		16	3	6	9	3	0
AHL TOTALS		119	36	48	84	4	24
OHL TOTALS		192	71	98	169	20	50

82	Mikael Pyyhtia	23	6-0	176	4th/4th
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Acquired: Columbus' 4th round pick, 114th overall, at the 2020 NHL Draft

Set NHL career-highs with CBJ in 2024-25, posting 4-3-7 in 47 games played... Added 3-13-16 in 28 games with Cleveland (AHL)... Skated for Finland at the 2025 IIHF World Championships... Split 2023-24 between Columbus and Cleveland (AHL), combining for 7-23-30 in 77 contests... Played for three different teams in 2022-23, totaling 10-14-24 in 56 games... Made his NHL debut and tallied an assist on Apr. 13, 2023 vs. Pittsburgh... Played for TPS (Liiga) in 2021-22 and had 21-14-35, 7 PPG and 4 GWG in 56 contests... Finished fifth-T in the Liiga in goals, ninth-T in PPG and 11th-T in GWG... Led players 20-years-old or younger in goals and ranked second in points and GWG (tied)... Had 8-5-13 in 18 playoff outings to help the club to the Liiga final.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Columbus (NHL)	47	4	3	7	-11	6
	Cleveland (AHL)	28	3	13	16	4	2
NHL TOTALS		66	4	6	10	-18	8
AHL TOTALS		95	13	34	47	3	8
LIIGA TOTALS		140	31	32	63	1	26

83	Oiva Keskinen	21	6-0	181	1st/1st
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Acquired: Columbus' 7th round pick, 194th overall, at the 2023 NHL Draft

Notched Liiga career-bests with 15-20-35 in 59 outings for Tappara, ranking second on the team in goals and fifth in points in 2024-25... Ranked second among Liiga players 22-years-old or younger in goals and fifth-T in points in 2024-25... Tallied 7-20-27 with a +20 plus/minus rating with Tappara during his inaugural season in 2023-24 and was a finalist for the Wasama Award (Rookie of the Year) after ranking second among league rookies in assists and fourth in points... Skated with Finland at the 2024 IIHF World Junior Championships... Combined for 21-21-42 in 45 contests with Tappara's U20 team from 2021-23 and was named to the Liiga U20 SM-sarja Second All-Star team in 2022-23.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Tappara (Liiga)	59	15	20	35	-4	26
LIIGA TOTALS		113	22	40	62	16	32
U20 LIIGA TOTALS		45	21	21	42	12	10

88	Roman Ahcan	26	5-9	170	1st/1st
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Acquired: In camp on a tryout (AHL contract with Cleveland)

Posted AHL career-highs with Cleveland in 2024-25 after notching 18-11-29 in 67 games played... Ranked third on the team in goals and fifth in points... Split the 2023-24 campaign between Cleveland (AHL) and Cincinnati (ECHL), combining for 15-15-30 in 61 contests... Serving as an alternate captain at the University of Wisconsin during his senior season in 2021-22, he notched 5-7-12 in 34 games played... Won the Big Ten Regular Season Championship with the Badgers in 2020-21... Named to the Big Ten Honorable Mention All-Star Team in 2019-20 after recording 14-11-25 in 33 outings as a sophomore.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Cleveland (AHL)	67	18	11	29	4	36
AHL TOTALS		213	38	34	72	-17	131
NCAA TOTALS		130	34	40	74	3	243

93	Max McCue	22	6-1	183	1st/1st
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Acquired: Signed an entry level contract with Columbus on Mar. 1, 2024

Made his pro debut with Cleveland, posting 2-6-8 in 46 AHL outings in 2024-25... Recorded 27-34-61 with 8 PPG and 110 PIM in 62 games with the OHL's London Knights in 2023-24... Led the club in PIM... Helped the Knights win the 2024 OHL championship with 3-19-22 in 18 playoff appearances... Recorded 13-26-39 with 69 PIM in 58 outings with the Knights in 2022-23... Tied for the London lead in shorthanded goals (4)... Did not play the 2020-21 season due to COVID-19... Made his OHL debut with London in 2019-20, collecting 2-4-6 in 34 games.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Cleveland (AHL)	46	2	6	8	-11	122
AHL TOTALS		46	2	6	8	-11	122
OHL TOTALS		218	51	90	141	47	252

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DEFENSE		* Birthday during camp			NHL Yr/ CBJ Yr	
No.	Player	Age	Ht	Wt		
2	Jake Christiansen	26	6-0	197	5th/5th	

Acquired: Signed an entry level contract with Columbus on Mar. 4, 2020

Set NHL career highs in assists, points and penalty minutes with 1-7-8 in 68 games with Columbus in 2024-25... Collected 0-2-2 in 12 games with Columbus in 2023-24... Ranked fourth-T among AHL blueliners in points and fifth in goals with 13-33-46 in 62 games with Cleveland in 2023-24... Selected to the AHL's 2023-24 Second All-Star Team and played in the 2024 AHL All-Star Classic... Split the 2022-23 season between Columbus and Cleveland (AHL), combining for 11-27-38 in 74 contests... Made his NHL debut with the Blue Jackets during the 2021-22 season, collecting 1-0-1 in eight games... Named to the AHL's Second All-Star Team in 2021-22 after posting 13-32-45 in 62 contests... Spent five seasons with the Everett Silvertips, registering 50-102-152 with 114 PIM in 297 career WHL games from 2015-20.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Columbus (NHL)	68	1	7	8	6	11
NHL TOTALS		112	2	13	15	-5	17

14 Daemon Hunt 23 6-1 201 3rd/1st

Acquired: In a trade from Minnesota on Nov. 30, 2024

Split the 2024-25 season with Iowa and Cleveland in the AHL, recording a combined 2-16-18 and 21 PIM in 57 outings... Recorded an assist in 12 NHL games with Minnesota and added career highs with 2-26-29-2 and 29 PIM in 51 contests with Iowa (AHL) in 2023-24... Ranked first on Iowa in assists and points by a defenseman... Tallied 2-9-11, 14 PIM and 64 shots on goal in 59 games with Iowa in 2022-23... Made his AHL debut at the end of the 2020-21 campaign, collecting 1-0-1 in six outings... Recorded 33-61-95 in 163 games over five seasons with Moose Jaw of the WHL from 2017-22... Served as Captain for Moose Jaw in 2020-21 and 2021-22.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Minnesota (NHL)	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Iowa (AHL)	9	0	4	4	-1	5
	Cleveland (AHL)	48	2	12	14	-8	16
NHL TOTALS		13	0	1	1	-1	0
AHL TOTALS		173	8	51	59	-11	64

37 Dysin Mayo 29 6-0 190 3rd/1st

Acquired: Signed as a free agent with Columbus on July 16, 2025

Set an AHL career high and led Henderson defensemen in goals in 2024-25... Recorded AHL career best in assists and points with 5-20-25 and 79 penalty minutes in 67 games for Henderson in 2023-24... Skated in 15 games for Arizona and totaled 3-8-11 and 28 PIM in 43 AHL contests with Henderson and Tucson in 2022-23... Scored in his NHL debut for Arizona on Oct. 21, 2021... Finished his NHL rookie season with 4-8-12 and 20:55 time on ice in 67 contests for the Coyotes in 2021-22... Tallied 14-44-58 with 153 PIM in 281 AHL Games from 2016-21 with Springfield and Tucson... Totaled 28-106-134 with 223 PIM in 248 WHL contests for Edmonton from 2012-16... Helped Edmonton to WHL and CHL Memorial Cup championship in 2014.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Henderson (AHL)	58	8	11	19	-5	86
NHL TOTALS		82	4	8	12	-30	35
AHL TOTALS		426	29	68	97	-15	344

48 Christian Jaros 29 6-3 225 6th/1st

Acquired: Signed as a free agent with Columbus on July 1, 2025

Recorded 2-10-12 with 18 penalty minutes and 78 shots in 51 games for CSKA (KHL) in 2024-25... Set KHL career highs in assists and points in 2023-24 with 3-15-18 in 41 appearances for Severstal... Split the 2022-23 season between Avangard and CSKA, recording a combined 3-9-12 in 40 contests... Won a KHL Gagarin Cup Championship with CSKA in 2023... Totaled 1-13-14 with 37 PIM and 13:04 time on ice in 94 NHL games from 2017-22 with Ottawa, San Jose, and New Jersey... Made his NHL debut on Oct. 10, 2017 for Ottawa... Recorded AHL career highs with 3-13-16 and 43 penalty minutes in 44 games for Belleville in 2017-18... Registered 5-29-34 with 59 PIM in 90 AHL contests across four seasons from 2017-21 with Belleville and San Jose... Tallied 5-14-19 and 73 PIM in 86 outings for Lulea HF in the SHL from 2014-18.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	CSKA (KHL)	51	2	10	12	9	18
NHL TOTALS		94	1	13	14	-24	37
AHL TOTALS		90	5	29	34	16	59
KHL TOTALS		132	8	34	42	16	48

57 Charlie Elick 19 6-4 205 1st/1st

Acquired: Columbus' 2nd round pick, 36th overall, at the 2024 NHL Draft

Combined for 2-13-15 with 55 PIM in 66 WHL games for Brandon and Tri-City in 2024-25... Added 0-2-2 in five postseason outings for Tri-City... Recorded 4-23-27 and 71 PIM in 65 outings for Brandon (WHL) in 2023-24... Ranked third among blueliners in assists, points and PIM... Collected 0-3-3 in seven contests to help Canada win a gold medal at the 2024 IIHF U18 World Championships... Also won a gold medal with Hockey Canada at the 2023 Hlinka Gretzky Cup (0-2-2, 6 GP)... Posted 3-8-11 and 38 PIM in 56 contests with Brandon in 2022-23... Made his WHL debut in 2021-22, recording 1-1-2 in nine outings with the Wheat Kings.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Brandon (WHL)	33	0	7	7	-4	35
	Tri-City (WHL)	33	2	6	8	-2	20
WHL TOTALS		196	10	45	55	-11	164

81 Stanislav Svozil 22 6-0 181 2nd/2nd

Acquired: Columbus' 3rd round pick, 69th overall, at the 2021 NHL Draft

Recorded AHL career bests in assists, points, and penalty minutes with 4-20-24 and 42 PIM in 63 contests for Cleveland in 2024-25... Ranked first among Monsters defensemen in games played (tied) and assists as well as second in points... Played in his first full pro season with Cleveland (AHL), recording 5-18-23 in 57 games in 2023-24... Played for four different teams in 2022-23, including skating in the final two games of Columbus' season... Named to the CHL Third All-Star Team and WHL (East) First All-Star Team in 2022-23 after posting 11-67-78 in 56 contests with Regina... Helped Czechia capture a silver medal at the 2023 IIHF World Junior Championships... Spent the 2021-22 campaign with Regina (WHL), where he totaled 10-31-41 in 59 games... Awarded the 2019-20 Czech Extraliga Rookie of the Year.

Year	Team	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2024-25	Cleveland (AHL)	63	4	20	24	-3	42
NHL TOTALS		2	0	1	1	-3	2
AHL TOTALS		121	9	40	49	0	66
WHL TOTALS		115	21	98	119	13	47

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GOALTENDERS		* Birthday during camp			NHL Yr/ CBJ Yr
No.	Player	Age	Ht	Wt	
28	Ivan Fedotov	28	6-7	214	3rd/1st

Acquired: In a trade from Philadelphia on Sept. 14, 2025

Went 6-13-4 with a 3.15 GAA and .880 SV% in 26 contests in first full NHL campaign with Philadelphia in 2024-25... Stopped 22-of-23 shots faced in 2-1 SO win for first career NHL victory on Nov. 7, 2024 at Tampa Bay... Made NHL debut at end of 2023-24... Posted a 21-22-1 record with a 2.37 GAA, .914 SV% and a career-high four shutouts in his final KHL season with CSKA Moskva in 2023-24... Named KHL's Best Goaltender and to First All-Star Team in 2021-22 after registering a 14-10-2 record, 2.00 GAA and .919 SV% in 26 contests with CSKA Moskva... Led the club to the 2022 Gagarin Cup championship, finishing with a 16-6 record, 1.85 GAA and playoff-best .937 SV% in 22 outings... Went 4-2-0 with a 1.61 GAA and .943 SV% in six contests to help the Russian Olympic Committee capture a silver medal at the 2022 Olympic Games.

Year	Team	GP	W-L-O	GAA	SV%	SO	MIN
2024-25	Philadelphia (NHL)	26	6-13-4	3.15	.880	0	1,429
NHL TOTALS		29	6-14-5	3.29	.874	0	1,550
KHL TOTALS		133	61-55-8	2.22	.921	10	7,420

36	Zach Sawchenko	27	6-1	185	2nd/1st
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Acquired: Signed as a free agent with Columbus on July 7, 2024

Posted a 10-11-5 record with one shutout and a .900 SV% in 27 appearances for Cleveland in the AHL in 2024-25... Went 4-1-0 with a 2.12 GAA and .924 SV% in six contests for the Abbotsford Canucks (AHL) in 2023-24... Made his first AHL postseason appearance, posting a 2.96 GAA in six games in 2024... Spent the 2022-23 campaign in the AHL with Chicago, finishing with a 17-18-3 record in 41 games... Made his NHL debut for San Jose in 2021-22, going 1-2-1 with a .901 SV% in seven games... Ranked third among AHL rookie goaltenders in save percentage (min. 10 games played) with a 6-4-2 record and 2.87 GAA and .911 SV% in 2019-20... Played for Moose Jaw (WHL) from 2013-17 and the University of Alberta from 2017-19.

Year	Team	GP	W-L-O	GAA	SV%	SO	MIN
2024-25	Cleveland (AHL)	27	10-11-7	3.00	.900	1	1,521
NHL TOTALS		7	1-2-1	3.35	.901	0	269
AHL TOTALS		106	42-47-12	3.08	.898	3	5,818