

**2025**  
**PROSPECTS**

**CHALLENGE**

LECOM HARBORCENTER



**SEPTEMBER 11-15, 2025**

**LECOM HARBORCENTER**

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**THURSDAY  
SEPT. 11**



VS.



7:00 P.M.

**FRIDAY  
SEPT. 12**



VS.



3:30 P.M.



VS.



7:00 P.M.

**SATURDAY  
SEPT. 13**



VS.



7:00 P.M.

**SUNDAY  
SEPT. 14**



VS.



12:00 P.M.



VS.



3:30 P.M.

**MONDAY  
SEPT. 15**



VS.



12:00 P.M.

ALL GAMES WILL BE PLAYED AT LECOM HARBORCENTER KEYBANK RINK 1.





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## SABRES PRACTICE SCHEDULE

### WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 10

PRACTICE WITH MEDIA AVAILABILITY TO FOLLOW  
3:00 P.M.

### THURSDAY, SEPT. 11

PRACTICE WITH MEDIA AVAILABILITY TO FOLLOW  
12:30 P.M.

### FRIDAY, SEPT. 12

MORNING SKATE WITH MEDIA AVAILABILITY TO FOLLOW  
10:00 A.M.

### SATURDAY, SEPT. 13

MORNING SKATE WITH NO MEDIA AVAILABILITY TO FOLLOW  
10:00 A.M.

### SUNDAY, SEPT. 14

PRACTICE WITH NO MEDIA AVAILABILITY TO FOLLOW  
10:00 A.M.

ALL PRACTICES WILL BE HELD AT LECOM HARBORCENTER.

## MEDIA INFORMATION

All on-ice sessions will take place at LECOM Harborcenter. Please make any interview requests to Warren Kosel or Ryan Harr before the end of each practice session and Sabres game.

Media may film and/or take photos from level six through the glass or from level seven.



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**DAVID  
BEDKOWSKI**

**DEFENSE**

6'5", 221 lbs  
Toronto, Ontario  
Dec. 7, 2006  
3rd round (71st overall), 2025



**RILEY  
FIDDLER-SCHULTZ**

**CENTER**

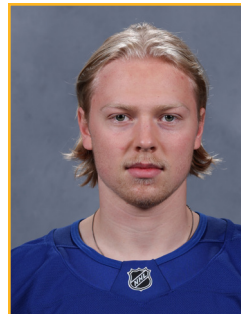
6'0", 200 lbs  
Edmonton, Alberta  
May 13, 2002  
Undrafted



**ISAAC  
BELLIVEAU**

**DEFENSE**

6'2", 190 lbs  
Fleurimont, Quebec  
Nov. 26, 2002  
5th round (154th overall), 2021



**KONSTA  
HELENIUS**

**CENTER**

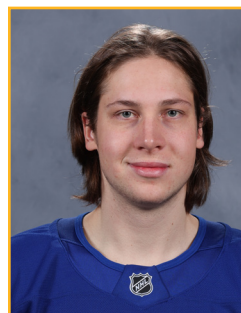
5'11", 180 lbs  
Ylojarvi, Finland  
May 11, 2006  
1st round (14th overall), 2024



**SIMON-PIER  
BRUNET**

**DEFENSE**

6'2", 199 lbs  
Gatineau, Quebec  
Oct. 24, 2005  
4th round (123rd overall), 2024



**VSEVOLOD  
KOMAROV**

**DEFENSE**

6'4", 208 lbs  
Chelyabinsk, Russia  
Jan. 11, 2004  
5th round (134th overall), 2022



**MATTEO  
COSTANTINI**

**CENTER**

6'0", 191 lbs  
St. Catharines, Ontario  
Aug. 16, 2002  
5th round (131st overall), 2020



**TYLER  
KOPFF**

**CENTER**

6'3", 210 lbs  
Ridgewood, New Jersey  
April 22, 2003  
Undrafted



**LUKE  
DRAGUSICA**

**DEFENSE**

6'1", 185 lbs  
Stoney Creek, Ontario  
Feb. 16, 2007  
Undrafted



**MATOUS  
KUCHARCIK**

**CENTER**

6'4", 180 lbs  
Vipiteno, Italy  
Feb. 3, 2007  
4th round (103rd overall), 2025





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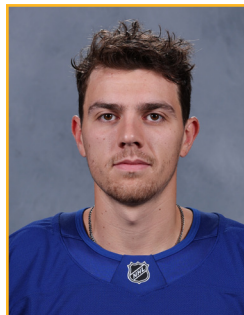
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**NOAH  
LABERGE**

**DEFENSE**

6'1", 187 lbs  
Saint-Bruno, Quebec  
Oct. 9, 2006  
5th round (135th overall), 2025



**OLIVIER  
NADEAU**

**RIGHT WING**

6'1", 197 lbs  
Lac-Etchemin, Quebec  
April 3, 2007  
4th round (97th overall), 2021



**RYERSON  
LEENDERS**

**GOALTENDER**

6'1", 180 lbs  
Hamilton, Ontario  
June 1, 2006  
7th round (219th overall), 2024



**VIKTOR  
NEUCHEV**

**LEFT WING**

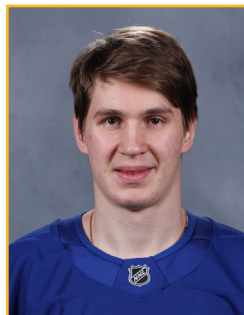
5'11", 180 lbs  
Chelyabinsk, Russia  
Oct. 25, 2003  
3rd round (74th overall), 2022



**TOPIAS  
LEINONEN**

**GOALTENDER**

6'5", 234 lbs  
Jyvaskyla, Finland  
Jan. 25, 2004  
2nd round (41st overall), 2022



**NIKITA  
NOVIKOV**

**DEFENSE**

6'4", 205 lbs  
Moscow, Russia  
July 25, 2003  
6th round (188th overall), 2021



**SAMUEL  
MELOCHE**

**GOALTENDER**

6'2", 197 lbs  
Salaberry-de-Valleyfield, Quebec  
July 22, 2007  
4th round (116th overall), 2025



**MELVIN  
NOVOTNY**

**LEFT WING**

6'2", 185 lbs  
Stockholm, Sweden  
April 3, 2007  
7th round (195th overall), 2025



**RADIM  
MRTKA**

**DEFENSE**

6'6", 218 lbs  
Havlickuv Brod, Czechia  
June 9, 2007  
1st round (9th overall), 2025



**NOAH  
OSTLUND**

**CENTER**

5'11", 180 lbs  
Stockholm, Sweden  
March 11, 2004  
1st round (16th overall), 2022



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**SCOTT  
RATZLAFF**  
GOALTENDER

6'1", 188 lbs  
Irma, Alberta  
March 9, 2005  
5th round (141st overall), 2023



**REDMOND  
SAVAGE**  
CENTER

5'11", 180 lbs  
Scottsdale, Arizona  
May 15, 2003  
4th round (114th overall), 2021



**ISAK  
ROSEN**  
RIGHT WING

6'0", 185 lbs  
Solna, Sweden  
March 15, 2003  
1st round (14th overall), 2021



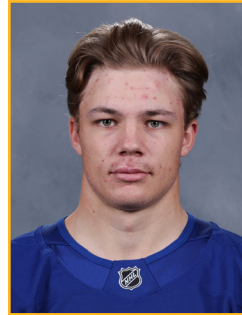
**ASHTON  
SCHULTZ**  
CENTER

5'11", 190 lbs  
Minnetonka, Minnesota  
Oct. 3, 2006  
6th round (167th overall), 2025



**RYAN  
RUCINSKI**  
CENTER

5'11", 180 lbs  
Broadview Heights, Ohio  
Dec. 1, 2006  
7th round (219th overall), 2025



**ANTON  
WAHLBERG**  
CENTER

6'4", 205 lbs  
Malmo, Sweden  
July 4, 2005  
2nd round (39th overall), 2023

## MEDIA RELATIONS CONTACTS



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### PROSPECTS CHALLENGE NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	POS	HT	WT	S/C	HOMETOWN
5	Dragusica, Luke	D	6'1"	185	L	Stoney Creek, Ontario
32	Ratzlaff, Scott	G	6'1"	188	L	Irma, Alberta
35	Leenders, Ryerson	G	6'1"	180	L	Hamilton, Ontario
37	Laberge, Noah	D	6'1"	187	L	Saint-Bruno, Quebec
40	Meloche, Samuel	G	6'2"	197	L	Salaberry-de-Valleyfield, Quebec
41	Kopff, Tyler	C	6'3"	210	L	Ridgewood, New Jersey
43	Brunet, Simon-Pier	D	6'2"	199	R	Gatineau, Quebec
45	Fiddler-Schultz, Riley	C	6'0"	200	L	Edmonton, Alberta
50	Leinonen, Topias	G	6'5"	234	L	Jyvaskyla, Finland
51	Kucharcik, Matous	C	6'4"	180	L	Vipiteno, Italy
54	Nadeau, Olivier	RW	6'1"	197	R	Lac-Etchemin, Quebec
57	Mrtka, Radim	D	6'6"	218	R	Havlickuv Brod, Czechia
58	Schultz, Ashton	C	5'11"	190	R	Minnetonka, Minnesota
59	Costantini, Matteo	C	6'0"	191	L	St. Catharines, Ontario
63	Rosen, Isak	RW	6'0"	185	L	Solna, Sweden
74	Novikov, Nikita	D	6'4"	205	L	Moscow, Russia
75	Belliveau, Isaac	D	6'2"	190	L	Fleurimont, Quebec
76	Komarov, Vsevolod	D	6'4"	208	R	Chelyabinsk, Russia
79	Neuchev, Viktor	LW	5'11"	180	L	Chelyabinsk, Russia
81	Savage, Redmond	C	5'11"	180	L	Scottsdale, Arizona
83	Novotny, Melvin	LW	6'2"	185	L	Stockholm, Sweden
85	Rucinski, Ryan	C	5'11"	180	R	Broadview Heights, Ohio
86	Ostlund, Noah	C	5'11"	180	L	Stockholm, Sweden
92	Wahlberg, Anton	C	6'4"	205	L	Malmo, Sweden
93	Bedkowski, David	D	6'5"	221	R	Toronto, Ontario
94	Helenius, Konsta	C	5'11"	190	R	Ylojarvi, Finland