



JAROSLAV CHMELAR



STATS

Shoots: Right
Height: 6'4"
Weight: 198
Born: 7/20/2003
Birthplace: Nove Mesto nad Metuji, CZE

POSITION

RIGHT WING

BIO

Selected by the Rangers in the fifth round (144th overall) in the 2021 NHL Draft, Chmelar recorded 15 points (5G, 10A) in 26 games with Providence College in 2023-24, his second season of hockey in North America. The Nove Mesto nad Metuji, Czechia helped his country capture a silver medal at the IIHF World Junior Championship in 2023. He agreed to an entry-level contact with the Rangers on March 20, 2024.

ONE-TIMERS

Nickname: Jaro, Jaren, Jara
Favorite athletes growing up: Jaromir Jagr, Kobe Bryant
Superpower he'd like to have: Teleportation
Favorite movie: Rocky
Favorite TV show: Prison Break
Favorite sport besides hockey: Tennis
Celebrity you'd want to meet: Michael Jordan
Actor who would play you: Sylvester Stallone
Talent you'd like to have: F1 driver

LOOSE PUCKS

- Parents are Iva and Jaroslav and has a sister, Lucie
- Started playing soccer before hockey. "I got hit in the head with a ball and I cried, my dad took me out and one of his friends said to bring me to hockey so he did and I really liked it."
- Away from the rink, he loves cars and working on cars, also loves to cook
- Scored his first goal with Hartford on April 14, 2024 vs. Charlotte, which is lists as one of his most memorable goals