

BEN HARPUR



SHOOTS: LEFT

HEIGHT: 6'6"

WEIGHT: 231

BORN: JANUARY 12, 1995

BIRTHPLACE: HAMILTON, ONTARIO

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DEFENSEMAN

Signed by the Rangers as a free agent on October 27, 2022, Harpur finished his first season with the organization in 2022-23, recording six points (1G, 5A) in 42 games. He made his Rangers debut on Dec. 15, 2022 against Toronto and recorded his first point with the team on Dec. 22 against the Islanders. Originally selected by the Ottawa Senators in the fourth round (108th overall) of the 2013 NHL Draft, Harpur has skated in 198 career NHL games with Ottawa (2015-19), Nashville (2020-22) and New York.

ONE TIMERS

Nickname: Harps

Greatest passion besides hockey: Real Estate

What he'd be doing for a career if not playing hockey: Real Estate

Actor that would play him in a movie: Vince Vaughn

On his bucket list: Traveling to the Mediterranean

Most listened to artist/band: Old Dominion

Other sport he'd like to play professionally: Golf

Favorite meal: Pad Thai

Favorite TV show: Prison Break

Favorite movie: The Longest Yard

Best moment in hockey: Winning the OHL championship in Guelph or playing first NHL game

Hockey idol growing up: Mats Sundin

LOOSE PUCKS

- Parents are Margery and George. Margery was born in Australia and George was born in Northern Ireland. His dad is a general surgeon at Greater Niagara General Hospital
- Has two siblings: sister Kate and brother Chris
- In March 2020, partnered with Dillon's Distillery to bring relief to health professionals and aid in the production and delivery of hand sanitizer during the pandemic.
- Hosted an all-day children's charity ball hockey tournament in Niagara Falls in 2019— The Ben Harpur Big Game — to raise money for the Canadian Tire Jumpstart program. The program is targeted to kids who don't have access to equipment