



BUFFALO SABRES

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Next Game: October 25 at Toronto Maple Leafs



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS

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October 24, 2025
KeyBank Center
Buffalo, New York

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Lindy Ruff
Assistant Coach: Seth Appert
Assistant Coach: Mike Bales
Assistant Coach: Matt Ellis
Assistant Coach: Marty Wilford

PRONUNCIATIONS

Geertsen, Mason: (GUHRT-suhn)
Kozak, Tyson: (KOH-zak)
Kulich, Jiri: (koo-LEEK, YIH-ree)
Luukkonen, Ukko-Pekka:
(LOO-koh-nehn, OO-koh-PEH-ka)
Malenstyn, Beck:
(MAL-ehn-stighn, BEHK)
McLeod, Ryan: (muh-KLOWD)
Ostlund, Noah: (OHST-luhnd)
Samuelsson, Mattias:
(SAM-yew-uhlsuhn, ma-TEE-uhs)
Tuch, Alex: (TUHK)
Zucker, Jason: (ZUK-uhr)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
6-for-24 (25.0%) -- 9th
Penalty Kill
25-for-26 (96.2%) -- 2nd

LEADING SCORERS

Zach Benson:
4 GP, 0 G, 6 A, 6 PTS
Jack Quinn:
7 GP, 3 G, 3 A, 6 PTS
Josh Doan:
7 GP, 2 G, 4 A, 6 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. TOR

Alex Tuch:
18 GP, 7 G, 9 A, 16 PTS
Rasmus Dahlin:
19 GP, 4 G, 10 A, 14 PTS
Tage Thompson:
19 GP, 6 G, 7 A, 13 PTS

LAST 5 GAMES VS. TOR

04/15/25: **TOR 4** at BUF 0
12/20/24: **TOR 6** at BUF 3
12/15/24: BUF 3 at **TOR 5**
03/30/24: **TOR 3** at BUF 0
03/06/24: BUF 1 at **TOR 2** (OT)

FORWARDS

6 ZACH BENSON

5'10", 177 lbs. • Chilliwack, BC
2025-26:
4 GP, 0 G, 6 A, 6 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
150 GP, 21 G, 43 A, 64 PTS, 102 PIM

20 JIRI KULICH

6'1", 193 lbs. • Kadan, CZE
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 0 A, 2 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
70 GP, 17 G, 9 A, 26 PTS, 22 PIM

72 TAGE THOMPSON

6'6", 220 lbs. • Phoenix, AZ
2025-26:
7 GP, 1 G, 3 A, 4 PTS, 8 PIM
Career:
455 GP, 177 G, 152 A, 329 PTS, 211 PIM

91 JOSH DOAN

6'2", 198 lbs. • Scottsdale, AZ
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 4 A, 6 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
69 GP, 14 G, 20 A, 34 PTS, 10 PIM

71 RYAN MCLEOD

6'3", 204 lbs. • Mississauga, ON
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 2 A, 4 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
305 GP, 54 G, 78 A, 132 PTS, 56 PIM

89 ALEX TUCH

6'4", 219 lbs. • Syracuse, NY
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 3 A, 5 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
543 GP, 169 G, 218 A, 387 PTS, 212 PIM

17 JASON ZUCKER

5'11", 198 lbs. • Newport Beach, CA
2025-26:
7 GP, 4 G, 1 A, 5 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
777 GP, 221 G, 207 A, 428 PTS, 398 PIM

86 NOAH OSTLUND

5'11", 180 lbs. • Stockholm, SWE
2025-26:
1 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
9 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 2 PIM

22 JACK QUINN

6'1", 185 lbs. • Ottawa, ON
2025-26:
7 GP, 3 G, 3 A, 6 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
185 GP, 42 G, 61 A, 103 PTS, 41 PIM

19 PEYTON KREBS

6'0", 188 lbs. • Calgary, AB
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
303 GP, 30 G, 66 A, 96 PTS, 203 PIM

48 TYSON KOZAK

5'11", 185 lbs. • Souris, MB
2025-26:
6 GP, 2 G, 0 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
27 GP, 5 G, 2 A, 7 PTS, 2 PIM

29 BECK MALENSTYN

6'3", 209 lbs. • Delta, BC
2025-26:
6 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
187 GP, 12 G, 22 A, 34 PTS, 65 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

26 RASMUS DAHLIN

6'3", 204 lbs. • Lidköping, SWE
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 5 A, 5 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
516 GP, 83 G, 282 A, 365 PTS, 382 PIM

4 BOWEN BYRAM

6'1", 205 lbs. • Cranbrook, BC
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
253 GP, 33 G, 79 A, 112 PTS, 176 PIM

GOALTENDERS

34 ALEX LYON

6'1", 199 lbs. • Baudette, MN
2025-26 (NHL):
6 GP, 2-4-0, .924 SV%, 2.55 GAA
Career (NHL):
119 GP, 53-42-11, .904 SV%, 2.96 GAA
vs. TOR:
4 GP, 1-1-1, .927 SV%, 2.06 GAA

25 OWEN POWER

6'6", 226 lbs. • Mississauga, ON
2025-26:
6 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
248 GP, 20 G, 93 A, 113 PTS, 72 PIM

21 CONOR TIMMINS

6'3", 213 lbs. • St. Catharines, ON
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 8 PIM
Career:
166 GP, 6 G, 41 A, 47 PTS, 72 PIM

23 MATTIAS SAMUELSSON

6'4", 229 lbs. • Philadelphia, PA
2025-26:
5 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
217 GP, 7 G, 38 A, 45 PTS, 90 PIM

73 ZACH METSA

5'9", 198 lbs. • Delafield, WI
2025-26:
2 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
2 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 2 PIM

SCRATCHES

55 MASON GEERTSEN

6'4", 231 lbs. • Drayton Valley, AB
2025-26:
4 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
29 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 89 PIM

78 JACOB BRYSON

5'9", 177 lbs. • London, ON
2025-26:
5 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
259 GP, 4 G, 40 A, 44 PTS, 52 PIM

92 COLTEN ELLIS

6'1", 191 lbs. • Whycocomagh, NS
2025-26 (NHL):
1 GP, 1-0-0, .935 SV%, 2.00 GAA
Career (NHL):
1 GP, 1-0-0, .935 SV%, 2.00 GAA



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PRONUNCIATIONS

Benoit, Simon: (BEHN-wah, SIGH-muhn)
Blais, Samuel: (BLAY)
Cowan, Easton: (KOW-uhn)
Ekman-Larsson, Oliver: (EHK-man-LAHR-suhn, AW-lih-vuhr)
Jarnkrok, Calle: (YARN-krohk, KAL-ee)
Knies, Matthew: (NIGHZ)
Lorentz, Steven: (lohr-EHNTZ)
Maccelli, Matias: (mah-CHEHL-ee, ma-TEE-uhs)
Nylander, William: (NEE-lan-duhr)
Primeau, Cayden: (PREE-moh)
Roy, Nicolas: (WAH, NIH-koh-las)
Stolarz, Anthony: (STOHL-ahrz)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
2-for-16 (12.5%) -- T-28th
Penalty Kill
15-for-19 (79.0%) -- 14th

LEADING SCORERS

William Nylander:
7 GP, 2 G, 11 A, 13 PTS
John Tavares:
7 GP, 4 G, 5 A, 9 PTS
Matthew Knies:
7 GP, 2 G, 6 A, 8 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. BUF

John Tavares:
48 GP, 28 G, 28 A, 56 PTS
Auston Matthews:
29 GP, 21 G, 12 A, 33 PTS
William Nylander:
33 GP, 10 G, 18 A, 28 PTS

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FORWARDS

74 BOBBY MCMANN

6'2", 217 lbs. • Wainwright, AB
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 1 A, 3 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
147 GP, 37 G, 25 A, 62 PTS, 85 PIM

34 AUSTON MATTHEWS

6'3", 215 lbs. • San Ramon, CA
2025-26:
7 GP, 4 G, 2 A, 6 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
636 GP, 405 G, 328 A, 733 PTS, 138 PIM

88 WILLIAM NYLANDER

6'0", 200 lbs. • Calgary, AB
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 11 A, 13 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
692 GP, 264 G, 361 A, 625 PTS, 186 PIM

23 MATTHEW KNIES

6'3", 232 lbs. • Phoenix, AZ
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 6 A, 8 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
168 GP, 46 G, 56 A, 102 PTS, 96 PIM

91 JOHN TAVARES

6'1", 217 lbs. • Mississauga, ON
2025-26:
7 GP, 4 G, 5 A, 9 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
1191 GP, 498 G, 625 A, 1123 PTS, 521 PIM

63 MATIAS MACCELLI

5'11", 187 lbs. • Turku, FIN
2025-26:
7 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
231 GP, 38 G, 94 A, 132 PTS, 38 PIM

81 DAKOTA JOSHUA

6'3", 218 lbs. • Dearborn, MI
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
248 GP, 40 G, 39 A, 79 PTS, 183 PIM

55 NICOLAS ROY

6'4", 200 lbs. • Amos, QC
2025-26:
7 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
376 GP, 69 G, 99 A, 168 PTS, 175 PIM

53 EASTON COWAN

6'0", 190 lbs. • Mount Brydges, ON
2025-26:
4 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
4 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 0 PIM

18 STEVEN LORENTZ

6'4", 219 lbs. • Kitchener, ON
2025-26:
4 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
314 GP, 29 G, 35 A, 64 PTS, 51 PIM

11 MAX DOMI

5'10", 208 lbs. • Winnipeg, MB
2025-26:
7 GP, 1 G, 0 A, 1 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
742 GP, 139 G, 312 A, 451 PTS, 710 PIM

19 CALLE JARNKROK

6'0", 193 lbs. • Gavle, SWE
2025-26:
6 GP, 3 G, 0 A, 3 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
724 GP, 140 G, 171 A, 311 PTS, 155 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

95 OLIVER EKMAN-LARSSON

6'2", 190 lbs. • Karlskrona, SWE
2025-26:
7 GP, 1 G, 4 A, 5 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
1066 GP, 149 G, 356 A, 505 PTS, 688 PIM

25 BRANDON CARLO

6'5", 227 lbs. • Colorado Springs, CO
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
644 GP, 29 G, 83 A, 112 PTS, 348 PIM

2 SIMON BENOIT

6'4", 210 lbs. • Laval, QC
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 11 PIM
Career:
286 GP, 6 G, 25 A, 31 PTS, 210 PIM

22 JAKE MCCABE

6'1", 210 lbs. • Eau Claire, WI
2025-26:
7 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
650 GP, 36 G, 141 A, 177 PTS, 388 PIM

36 DAKOTA MERMIS

6'0", 197 lbs. • Alton, IL
2025-26:
0 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
78 GP, 4 G, 9 A, 13 PTS, 39 PIM

51 PHILIPPE MYERS

6'5", 221 lbs. • Moncton, NB
2025-26:
0 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
194 GP, 10 G, 31 A, 41 PTS, 87 PIM

GOALTENDERS

41 ANTHONY STOLARZ

6'6", 248 lbs. • Edison, NJ
2025-26 (NHL):
6 GP, 2-3-1, .894 SV%, 3.01 GAA
Career (NHL):
148 GP, 66-42-13, .917 SV%, 2.57 GAA
vs. BUF:
5 GP, 4-0-1, .963 SV%, 1.18 GAA

30 CAYDEN PRIMEAU

6'3", 205 lbs. • Farmington Hills, MI
2025-26 (NHL):
1 GP, 1-0-0, .867 SV%, 4.00 GAA
Career (NHL):
56 GP, 14-24-7, .884 SV%, 3.70 GAA
vs. BUF:
2 GP, 1-0-0, .887 SV%, 3.88 GAA

SCRATCHES

44 MORGAN RIELLY

6'1", 219 lbs. • Vancouver, BC
2025-26:
7 GP, 2 G, 4 A, 6 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
880 GP, 89 G, 430 A, 519 PTS, 252 PIM

79 SAMUEL BLAIS

6'2", 206 lbs. • Montmagny, QC
2025-26:
0 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
257 GP, 27 G, 44 A, 71 PTS, 122 PIM

89 NICHOLAS ROBERTSON

5'9", 180 lbs. • Pasadena, CA
2025-26:
7 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
163 GP, 32 G, 25 A, 57 PTS, 24 PIM

Projected lines are unofficial and subject to change.