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March 25, 2025
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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

Kulich, Jiri: (koo-LEEK, YIH-ree)
Lafferty, Sam: (LA-fuhr-tee)
Luukkonen, Ukko-Pekka: (LOO-koh-nehn, OO-koh-PEH-ka)
Malenstyn, Beck: (MAL-ehn-stighn, BEHK)
McLeod, Ryan: (muh-KLOWD)
Peterka, JJ: (peh-TUHR-ka)
Rosen, Isak: (ROH-say-ehn, IH-sak)
Samuelsson, Mattias: (SAM-yew-uhsuhn, ma-TEE-uhs)
Tuch, Alex: (TUHK)
Zucker, Jason: (ZUK-uhr)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
36-for-200 (18.0%) -- 26th
Penalty Kill
160-for-208 (76.9%) -- 20th

LEADING SCORERS

Tage Thompson:
63 GP, 34 G, 26 A, 60 PTS
Rasmus Dahlin:
61 GP, 13 G, 41 A, 54 PTS
JJ Peterka:
64 GP, 22 G, 32 A, 54 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. OTT

Alex Tuch:
18 GP, 5 G, 9 A, 14 PTS
Rasmus Dahlin:
21 GP, 1 G, 13 A, 14 PTS
Tage Thompson:
15 GP, 8 G, 2 A, 10 PTS

LAST 5 GAMES VS. OTT

01/09/25: BUF 4 at OTT 0
11/05/24: OTT 1 at BUF 5
03/27/24: OTT 6 at BUF 2
01/11/24: OTT 3 at BUF 5
12/31/23: BUF 1 at OTT 5

FORWARDS

9 ZACH BENSON

5'10", 170 lbs. • Chilliwack, BC
2024-25:
62 GP, 10 G, 13 A, 23 PTS, 54 PIM
Career:
133 GP, 21 G, 32 A, 53 PTS, 90 PIM

20 JIRI KULICH

6'1", 190 lbs. • Kadan, CZE
2024-25:
49 GP, 12 G, 7 A, 19 PTS, 14 PIM
Career:
50 GP, 12 G, 7 A, 19 PTS, 14 PIM

72 TAGE THOMPSON

6'6", 220 lbs. • Phoenix, AZ
2024-25:
63 GP, 34 G, 26 A, 60 PTS, 31 PIM
Career:
435 GP, 166 G, 147 A, 313 PTS, 199 PIM

77 JJ PETERKA

6'0", 189 lbs. • Munich, DEU
2024-25:
64 GP, 22 G, 32 A, 54 PTS, 26 PIM
Career:
225 GP, 62 G, 74 A, 136 PTS, 80 PIM

71 RYAN MCLEOD

6'3", 188 lbs. • Mississauga, ON
2024-25:
66 GP, 17 G, 25 A, 42 PTS, 14 PIM
Career:
285 GP, 49 G, 68 A, 117 PTS, 54 PIM

22 JACK QUINN

6'1", 185 lbs. • Ottawa, ON
2024-25:
61 GP, 10 G, 16 A, 26 PTS, 14 PIM
Career:
165 GP, 34 G, 50 A, 84 PTS, 37 PIM

17 JASON ZUCKER

5'11", 195 lbs. • Newport Beach, CA
2024-25:
61 GP, 19 G, 27 A, 46 PTS, 55 PIM
Career:
758 GP, 215 G, 201 A, 416 PTS, 392 PIM

19 PEYTON KREBS

6'0", 186 lbs. • Calgary, AB
2024-25:
68 GP, 6 G, 12 A, 18 PTS, 56 PIM
Career:
283 GP, 26 G, 58 A, 84 PTS, 195 PIM

89 ALEX TUCH

6'4", 219 lbs. • Syracuse, NY
2024-25:
69 GP, 27 G, 24 A, 51 PTS, 38 PIM
Career:
523 GP, 158 G, 208 A, 366 PTS, 197 PIM

29 BECK MALENSTYN

6'3", 209 lbs. • Delta, BC
2024-25:
65 GP, 4 G, 5 A, 9 PTS, 25 PIM
Career:
170 GP, 12 G, 21 A, 33 PTS, 61 PIM

48 TYSON KOZAK

5'11", 185 lbs. • Souris, MB
2024-25:
16 GP, 2 G, 0 A, 2 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
16 GP, 2 G, 0 A, 2 PTS, 2 PIM

63 ISAK ROSEN

6'0", 173 lbs. • Solna, SWE
2024-25:
3 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
10 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

23 MATTIAS SAMUELSSON

6'4", 227 lbs. • Philadelphia, PA
2024-25:
49 GP, 3 G, 7 A, 10 PTS, 22 PIM
Career:
199 GP, 6 G, 33 A, 39 PTS, 88 PIM

26 RASMUS DAHLIN

6'3", 204 lbs. • Lidköping, SWE
2024-25:
61 GP, 13 G, 41 A, 54 PTS, 48 PIM
Career:
497 GP, 79 G, 267 A, 346 PTS, 372 PIM

4 BOWEN BYRAM

6'1", 205 lbs. • Cranbrook, BC
2024-25:
69 GP, 7 G, 26 A, 33 PTS, 38 PIM
Career:
233 GP, 33 G, 72 A, 105 PTS, 164 PIM

75 CONNOR CLIFTON

5'11", 195 lbs. • Matawan, NJ
2024-25:
60 GP, 0 G, 10 A, 10 PTS, 37 PIM
Career:
371 GP, 14 G, 57 A, 71 PTS, 282 PIM

25 OWEN POWER

6'6", 226 lbs. • Mississauga, ON
2024-25:
69 GP, 7 G, 29 A, 36 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
232 GP, 19 G, 88 A, 107 PTS, 66 PIM

24 JACOB BERNARD-DOCKER

6'1", 198 lbs. • Canmore, AB
2024-25:
27 GP, 1 G, 5 A, 6 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
131 GP, 5 G, 17 A, 22 PTS, 46 PIM

GOALTENDERS

47 JAMES REIMER

6'2", 200 lbs. • Morweena, MB

2024-25 (NHL):
15 GP, 3-8-2, .897 SV%, 3.00 GAA
Career (NHL):
516 GP, 218-185-65, .910 SV%, 2.88 GAA
vs. OTT:
30 GP, 17-6-4, .924 SV%, 2.56 GAA

1 UKKO-PEKKA LUUKKONEN

6'5", 223 lbs. • Espoo, FIN

2024-25 (NHL):
51 GP, 23-22-4, .888 SV%, 3.16 GAA
Career (NHL):
151 GP, 70-63-14, .899 SV%, 3.04 GAA
vs. OTT:
5 GP, 4-1-0, .919 SV%, 2.90 GAA

SCRATCHES

12 JORDAN GREENWAY

78 JACOB BRYSON

13 JOSH NORRIS

81 SAM LAFFERTY

44 JOSH DUNNE



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PRONUNCIATIONS

Amadio, Michael: (uh-MA-dee-oh)
Batherson, Drake: (BATH-uh-r-suhn)
Chabot, Thomas: (shuh-BAWT)
Gaudette, Adam: (gah-DEHT)
Giroux, Claude: (zhuh-ROO, KLOHD)
Greig, Ridly: (GREEG, RIHD-lee)
Hamonic, Travis: (HA-mohn-ihk)
Kleven, Tyler: (KLEH-vehn)
Matinpalo, Nikolas: (ma-tihn-PAL-oh, NIH-koh-las)
Perron, David: (peh-RAWN)
Stützle, Tim: (STOOTZ-luh)
Tkachuk, Brady: (kuh-CHUHK)
Zetterlund, Fabian: (ZEH-uh-r-luhnd, FAB-ee-uhn)
Zub, Artem: (ZOOB, AR-tehm)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
53-for-223 (23.8%) -- 12th
Penalty Kill
154-for-200 (77.0%) -- 19th

LEADING SCORERS

Tim Stützle:
69 GP, 20 G, 50 A, 70 PTS
Drake Batherson:
69 GP, 20 G, 36 A, 56 PTS
Brady Tkachuk:
67 GP, 28 G, 26 A, 54 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. BUF

Claude Giroux:
59 GP, 18 G, 36 A, 54 PTS
David Perron:
27 GP, 10 G, 14 A, 24 PTS
Brady Tkachuk:
19 GP, 5 G, 9 A, 14 PTS

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FORWARDS

7 BRADY TKACHUK

6'4", 225 lbs. • Scottsdale, AZ
2024-25:
67 GP, 28 G, 26 A, 54 PTS, 114 PIM
Career:
507 GP, 190 G, 213 A, 403 PTS, 741 PIM

18 TIM STÜTZLE

6'0", 192 lbs. • Viersen, DEU
2024-25:
69 GP, 20 G, 50 A, 70 PTS, 34 PIM
Career:
354 GP, 111 G, 206 A, 317 PTS, 167 PIM

20 FABIAN ZETTERLUND

5'11", 220 lbs. • Karlstad, SWE
2024-25:
71 GP, 17 G, 19 A, 36 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
234 GP, 50 G, 61 A, 111 PTS, 59 PIM

57 DAVID PERRON

6'0", 198 lbs. • Sherbrooke, QC
2024-25:
31 GP, 6 G, 6 A, 12 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
1162 GP, 316 G, 464 A, 780 PTS, 831 PIM

24 DYLAN COZENS

6'3", 207 lbs. • Whitehorse, YT
2024-25:
69 GP, 14 G, 24 A, 38 PTS, 64 PIM
Career:
349 GP, 80 G, 124 A, 204 PTS, 218 PIM

19 DRAKE BATHERSON

6'3", 200 lbs. • Fort Wayne, IN
2024-25:
69 GP, 20 G, 36 A, 56 PTS, 20 PIM
Career:
378 GP, 110 G, 171 A, 281 PTS, 154 PIM

71 RIDLY GREIG

6'0", 188 lbs. • Lethbridge, AB
2024-25:
66 GP, 11 G, 14 A, 25 PTS, 54 PIM
Career:
158 GP, 26 G, 34 A, 60 PTS, 132 PIM

12 SHANE PINTO

6'3", 204 lbs. • Franklin Square, NY
2024-25:
57 GP, 16 G, 12 A, 28 PTS, 22 PIM
Career:
197 GP, 46 G, 52 A, 98 PTS, 66 PIM

28 CLAUDE GIROUX

5'11", 188 lbs. • Hearst, ON
2024-25:
69 GP, 14 G, 31 A, 45 PTS, 16 PIM
Career:
1251 GP, 364 G, 747 A, 1111 PTS, 494 PIM

15 MATTHEW HIGHMORE

5'11", 186 lbs. • Halifax, NS
2024-25:
29 GP, 1 G, 3 A, 4 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
175 GP, 13 G, 20 A, 33 PTS, 34 PIM

81 ADAM GAUDETTE

6'1", 187 lbs. • Braintree, MA
2024-25:
68 GP, 16 G, 7 A, 23 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
288 GP, 43 G, 50 A, 93 PTS, 98 PIM

22 MICHAEL AMADIO

6'1", 199 lbs. • Sault Ste. Marie, ON
2024-25:
59 GP, 10 G, 12 A, 22 PTS, 16 PIM
Career:
428 GP, 67 G, 67 A, 134 PTS, 87 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

85 JAKE SANDERSON

6'2", 204 lbs. • Whitefish, MT
2024-25:
68 GP, 7 G, 41 A, 48 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
224 GP, 21 G, 97 A, 118 PTS, 47 PIM

2 ARTEM ZUB

6'3", 200 lbs. • Khabarovsk, RUS
2024-25:
44 GP, 2 G, 8 A, 10 PTS, 26 PIM
Career:
294 GP, 19 G, 62 A, 81 PTS, 183 PIM

72 THOMAS CHABOT

6'1", 203 lbs. • Sainte-Marie, QC
2024-25:
68 GP, 5 G, 28 A, 33 PTS, 22 PIM
Career:
500 GP, 67 G, 225 A, 292 PTS, 246 PIM

3 NICK JENSEN

6'0", 196 lbs. • Rogers, MN
2024-25:
60 GP, 3 G, 16 A, 19 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
622 GP, 22 G, 131 A, 153 PTS, 142 PIM

43 TYLER KLEVEN

6'5", 221 lbs. • Fargo, ND
2024-25:
66 GP, 4 G, 3 A, 7 PTS, 23 PIM
Career:
83 GP, 4 G, 6 A, 10 PTS, 27 PIM

23 TRAVIS HAMONIC

6'0", 195 lbs. • St. Malo, MB
2024-25:
55 GP, 1 G, 5 A, 6 PTS, 17 PIM
Career:
896 GP, 53 G, 188 A, 241 PTS, 772 PIM

SCRATCHES

6 DENNIS GILBERT

6'2", 216 lbs. • Buffalo, NY
2024-25:
26 GP, 0 G, 5 A, 5 PTS, 50 PIM
Career:
108 GP, 3 G, 16 A, 19 PTS, 138 PIM

33 NIKOLAS MATINPALO

6'3", 211 lbs. • Espoo, FIN
2024-25:
30 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 14 PIM
Career:
34 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 14 PIM

Projected lines are unofficial and subject to change.