

NIKOLAS BROUILLARD



SHOOTS: LEFT
HEIGHT: 5'10"
WEIGHT: 172
BORN: FEBRUARY 7, 1995
BIRTHPLACE: ST-HYACINTHE QUEBEC

#27
DEFENSEMAN

Signed by the Rangers as a free agent on July 1, 2023, Brouillard spent the 2022-23 season with the American Hockey League's San Diego Gulls, where he recorded 39 points (6G, 33A) in 72 games to finish tied for first in assists among team defensemen and second in goals and points. The St-Hyacinthe, Quebec, native has totaled 92 points (22G, 70A) in 168 career AHL contests with San Diego and the Toronto Marlies. Prior to turning pro, Brouillard played 57 career contests with McGill University in Canada, registering 49 points (22G, 27A). He was named an Ontario University Athletics All-Star in each of his last two seasons and the best defenseman in Canada in his final season in university (2019-20).

ONE TIMERS

Nickname: Brou
Greatest passion outside of hockey: Golf
Superpower he'd most like to have: Teleportation
Favorite team growing up: Montreal Canadiens
Favorite musical artists: Travis Scott, Drake
Game show he'd most want to compete on: Family Feud
Favorite meal: Chicken-parmesan
Favorite movie: Inception or Interstellar (Anything by Christopher Nolan)
Favorite TV show: Dark
Favorite place to visit: Hawaii
Favorite video game: Call of Duty
Gameday meal: Chicken and pasta

LOOSE PUCKS

- Parents are Alain and Chantal. He and his older brother, Marc-Olivier, played two years together with the Drummondville Voltigeurs in the QMJHL from 2011-13
- Says his brother has been the biggest influence on his career. "I have always looked up to him."
- Has two cats: Blandine and Noirdun
- Has a degree in economics and management from McGill University
- Played forward until Pee Wee hockey before switching to defense and began his AHL career as a forward