



BUFFALO SABRES

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS



September 13, 2025
LECOM Harborcenter
Buffalo, N.Y.

DRAFT PICKS BY ROUND

1st Round:

Isak Rosen (2021)
Noah Ostlund (2022)
Konsta Helenius (2024)
Radim Mrtka (2025)

2nd Round:

Topias Leinonen (2022)
Anton Wahlberg (2023)

3rd Round:

Viktor Neuchev (2022)
David Bedkowski (2025)

4th Round:

Olivier Nadeau (2021)
Redmond Savage (2021)
Simon-Pier Brunet (2024)
Samuel Meloche (2025)
Matous Kucharcik (2025)

5th Round:

Matteo Costantini (2020)
Isaac Belliveau (2021)
Vsevolod Komarov (2022)
Scott Ratzlaff (2023)
Noah Laberge (2025)

6th Round:

Nikita Novikov (2021)
Ashton Schultz (2025)

7th Round:

Ryerson Leenders (2024)
Melvin Novotny (2025)
Ryan Rucinski (2025)

Undrafted:

Luke Dragusica
Riley Fiddler-Schultz

FORWARDS

92 ANTON WAHLBERG

2nd Round (39th overall) in 2023
6'4", 205 lbs. • Malmö, SWE
2024-25 stats:
Rochester (AHL):
63 GP, 11 G, 19 A, 30 PTS, 6 PIM

86 NOAH OSTLUND

1st Round (16th overall) in 2022
5'11", 175 lbs. • Stockholm, SWE
2024-25 stats:
Rochester (AHL):
45 GP, 19 G, 17 A, 36 PTS, 14 PIM

54 OLIVIER NADEAU

4th Round (97th overall) in 2021
6'1", 197 lbs. • Lac-Échemin, QC
2024-25 stats:
Jacksonville (ECHL):
48 GP, 28 G, 22 A, 50 PTS, 38 PIM

45 RILEY FIDDLER-SCHULTZ

Undrafted
6'0", 200 lbs. • Edmonton, AB
2024-25 stats:
Rochester (AHL):
51 GP, 13 G, 13 A, 26 PTS, 14 PIM

94 KONSTA HELENIUS

1st Round (14th overall) in 2024
5'11", 190 lbs. • Ylöjärvi, FIN
2024-25 stats:
Rochester (AHL):
65 GP, 14 G, 21 A, 35 PTS, 28 PIM

63 ISAK ROSEN

1st Round (14th overall) in 2021
6'0", 185 lbs. • Solna, SWE
2024-25 stats:
Rochester (AHL):
61 GP, 28 G, 27 A, 55 PTS, 10 PIM

41 TYLER KOPFF

Undrafted
6'3", 210 lbs. • Ridgewood, NJ
2024-25 stats:
Brown Univ. (NCAA):
32 GP, 9 G, 19 A, 28 PTS, 12 PIM

81 REDMOND SAVAGE

4th Round (114th overall) in 2021
5'11", 180 lbs. • Scottsdale, AR
2024-25 stats:
Michigan State Univ. (NCAA):
20 GP, 5 G, 6 A, 11 PTS, 6 PIM

59 MATTEO COSTANTINI

5th Round (131st overall) in 2020
6'0", 191 lbs. • St. Catharines, ON
2024-25 stats:
Western Michigan Univ. (NCAA):
40 GP, 8 G, 15 A, 23 PTS, 20 PIM

83 MELVIN NOVOTNY

7th Round (195th overall) in 2025
6'2", 185 lbs. • Stockholm, SWE
2024-25 stats:
Leksands (J20 Nationell):
41 GP, 12 G, 26 A, 38 PTS, 37 PIM

51 MATOUS KUCHARCİK

4th Round (103rd overall) in 2025
6'4", 180 lbs. • Vipiteno, ITA
2024-25 stats:
Slavia Praha (Czech U20):
25 GP, 6 G, 10 A, 16 PTS, 22 PIM

85 RYAN RUCINSKI

7th Round (219th overall) in 2025
5'11", 180 lbs. • Broadview Heights, OH
2024-25 stats:
Youngstown (USHL):
49 GP, 19 G, 23 A, 42 PTS, 48 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

74 NIKITA NOVIKOV

6th Round (188th overall) in 2021
6'4", 205 lbs. • Moscow, RUS
2024-25 stats:
Rochester (AHL):
68 GP, 6 G, 14 A, 20 PTS, 52 PIM

57 RADIM MRTKA

1st Round (9th overall) in 2025
6'6", 218 lbs. • Havlíčkův Brod, CZE
2024-25 stats:
Seattle (WHL):
43 GP, 3 G, 32 A, 35 PTS, 46 PIM

37 NOAH LABERGE

5th Round (135th overall) in 2025
6'1", 187 lbs. • Saint-Bruno, QC
2024-25 stats:
Acadie-Bathurst (QMJHL):
63 GP, 12 G, 23 A, 35 PTS, 50 PIM

76 VSEVOLOD KOMAROV

5th Round (134th overall) in 2022
6'4", 208 lbs. • Chelyabinsk, RUS
2024-25 stats:
Rochester (AHL):
69 GP, 2 G, 16 A, 18 PTS, 85 PIM

75 ISAAC BELLIVEAU

5th Round (154th overall) in 2021
6'2", 190 lbs. • Fleurimont, QC
2024-25 stats:
Wilkes-Barre Scranton (AHL):
22 GP, 1 G, 6 A, 7 PTS, 14 PIM

43 SIMON-PIER BRUNET

4th Round (123rd overall) in 2024
6'2", 199 lbs. • Gatineau, QC
2024-25 stats:
Drummondville (QMJHL):
60 GP, 8 G, 24 A, 32 PTS, 56 PIM

GOALTENDERS

35 RYERSON LEENDERS

7th Round (219th overall) in 2024
6'1", 180 lbs. • Hamilton, ON
2024-25 stats:
Brantford (OHL):
48 GP, 31-14-3, .910 SV%, 3.11 GAA

40 SAMUEL MELOCHE

4th Round (116th overall) in 2025
6'2", 197 lbs. • Salaberry-de-Valleyfield, QC
2024-25 stats:
Rouyn-Noranda (QMJHL):
51 GP, 30-14-6, .900 SV%, 2.90 GAA

SCRATCHES

5 LUKE DRAGUSICA

58 ASHTON SCHULTZ

32 SCOTT RATZLAFF

79 VIKTOR NEUCHEV

50 TOPIAS LEINONEN

93 DAVID BEDKOWSKI

Projected lines are unofficial and subject to change.



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DRAFT PICKS BY ROUND

1st Round:
N/A

2nd Round:
Evan Gardner (2024)
Charlie Elick (2024)

3rd Round:
Jordan Dumais (2022)

4th Round:
Guillaume Richard (2021)
Luca Pinelli (2023)

5th Round:
Max McCue (2021)
Owen Griffin (2025)

6th Round:
N/A

7th Round:
Oiva Keskinen (2023)
Tyler Peddle (2023)

Undrafted:
Josh Avery
Will Bishop
Ryder Boulton
Jakub Chromiak
P.J. Fagan
Brendan Hoffmann
Marcus Kearsey
Nolan Lalonde
Caleb MacDonald
Ryland Mosley
Nicholas Sima
Evan Van Gorp
Mason Vaccari
Jack Williams

FORWARDS**53 LUCA PINELLI**

4th Round (114th overall) in 2023
5'9", 168 lbs. • Stoney Creek, ON
2024-25 stats:
Ottawa (OHL):
52 GP, 37 G, 34 A, 71 PTS, 63 PIM

83 OIVA KESKINEN

7th Round (194th overall) in 2023
6'0", 180 lbs. • Ylojarvi, FIN
2024-25 stats:
Tappara (Liiga):
59 GP, 15 G, 20 A, 35 PTS, 26 PIM

22 JORDAN DUMAIS

3rd Round (96th overall) in 2022
5'9", 174 lbs. • Longueuil, QC
2024-25 stats:
Cleveland (AHL):
21 GP, 4 G, 7 A, 11 PTS, 4 PIM

93 MAX MCCUE

5th Round (156th overall) in 2021
6'1", 183 lbs. • Sudbury, ON
2024-25 stats:
Cleveland (AHL):
46 GP, 2 G, 6 A, 8 PTS, 122 PIM

29 JACK WILLIAMS

Undrafted
5'11", 185 lbs. • Biddeford, ME
2024-25 stats:
Northeastern Univ. (NCAA):
37 GP, 16 G, 25 A, 41 PTS, 25 PIM

63 RYLAND MOSLEY

Undrafted
5'11", 190 lbs. • Arnprior, ON
2024-25 stats:
Univ. of Wisconsin (NCAA):
37 GP, 18 G, 19 A, 37 PTS, 21 PIM

92 NICHOLAS SIMA

Undrafted
6'3", 194 lbs. • Mississauga, ON
2024-25 stats:
Saginaw (OHL):
62 GP, 18 G, 17 A, 35 PTS, 97 PIM

96 OWEN GRIFFIN

5th Round (160th overall) in 2025
5'10", 161 lbs. • Markham, ON
2024-25 stats:
Oshawa (OHL):
62 GP, 22 G, 29 A, 51 PTS, 33 PIM

95 BRENDAN HOFFMANN

Undrafted
6'3", 233 lbs. • Charlotte, NC
2024-25 stats:
Idaho (ECHL):
68 GP, 25 G, 25 A, 50 PTS, 63 PIM

72 TYLER PEDDLE

7th Round (224th overall) in 2023
6'1", 209 lbs. • Antigonish, NS
2024-25 stats:
Saint John (QMJHL):
54 GP, 15 G, 14 A, 29 PTS, 28 PIM

71 JOSH AVERY

Undrafted
6'1", 170 lbs. • Cavan, ON
2024-25 stats:
Brantford (OHL):
53 GP, 9 G, 12 A, 21 PTS, 18 PIM

89 RYDER BOULTON

Undrafted
5'10", 194 lbs. • Atlanta, GA
2024-25 stats:
London (OHL):
43 GP, 2 G, 4 A, 6 PTS, 85 PIM

DEFENSEMEN**84 GUILLAUME RICHARD**

4th Round (101st overall) in 2021
6'2", 187 lbs. • Quebec, QC
2024-25 stats:
Providence (NCAA):
37 GP, 2 G, 12 A, 14 PTS, 14 PIM

57 CHARLIE ELICK

2nd Round (36th overall) in 2024
6'4", 205 lbs. • Villach, AUT
2024-25 stats:
Brandon/Tri-City (WHL):
66 GP, 2 G, 13 A, 15 PTS, 55 PIM

94 CALEB MACDONALD

Undrafted
6'4", 229 lbs. • Cambridge, ON
2024-25 stats:
North Dakota (NCAA):
35 GP, 3 G, 7 A, 10 PTS, 42 PIM

49 MARCUS KEARSEY

Undrafted
5'11", 176 lbs. • Deer Lake, NL
2024-25 stats:
Charlottetown (QMJHL):
46 GP, 7 G, 21 A, 28 PTS, 28 PIM

85 P.J. FAGAN

Undrafted
6'0", 205 lbs. • Brampton, ON
2024-25 stats:
London (OHL):
44 GP, 2 G, 3 A, 5 PTS, 39 PIM

77 JAKUB CHROMIAK

Undrafted
6'0", 198 lbs. • Ilava, SVK
2024-25 stats:
Kitchener (OHL):
54 GP, 4 G, 28 A, 32 PTS, 20 PIM

GOALTENDERS**31 NOLAN LALONDE**

Undrafted
6'2", 196 lbs. • Kingston ON
2024-25 stats:
Kingston/Soo (OHL):
36 GP, 16-12-7, .888 SV%, 3.30 GAA

70 MASON VACCARI

Undrafted
5'10", 178 lbs. • Mississauga, ON
2024-25 stats:
Kingston (OHL):
25 GP, 11-4-4, .886 SV%, 3.13 GAA

SCRATCHES**35 EVAN GARDNER****75 EVAN VAN GORP****79 WILL BISHOP**