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Madison Square Garden

The World's Most Famous Arena

The Rangers images alone are endless, burning, unforgettable...Pete Stemkowski in triple overtime...Ed-die, Ed-die...Mark Messier, Cup in hand, wiping out 54 years of frustration...The Great One's farewell...

Those images just scratch the surface of this building, which also featured Hope and Crosby on Opening Night...

Willis Reed out of the tunnel for Game Seven...19 straight Knicks points against Milwaukee...Sinatra in The Main Event...Ali and Frazier in The Fight...The Dunk...

Patrick Ewing slam-dunking the Knicks into the Finals...

LJ's four-pointer...The Stones and The Dead and The King and The Pope and Streisand and Carter and Clinton and Bush...

It could all only happen in one place...Not a mere building but a state of mind...The greatest of the great in sports, arts and entertainment, summed up in three words...

Madison Square Garden ...

The World's Most Famous Arena...

BEGINNINGS

The current Garden - located between 31st and 33rd Streets and Seventh and Eighth Avenues on Manhattan's West Side - is the fourth building (third site) to be named Madison Square Garden.

Garden I was located at Madison Square: 26th Street and Madison Avenue. It was originally opened in 1874 (at a cost of \$35,000) by the legendary P.T. Barnum as "Barnum's Monster Classical and Geological Hippodrome." However, it was soon renamed "Gilmore's Garden" when the lease was auctioned off to bandmaster Patrick S. Gilmore (the term "Garden" was used often during this period to denote a place of public gathering and entertainment).

The building, which had 28-foot walls without a roof, hosted a varied schedule of social and fraternal meetings, flower shows and commercial exhibitions. When Gilmore's lease expired in 1878, it was

picked up briefly by W. M. Tileson. The following year, William Vanderbilt of the New York Central Railroad assumed control of the facility and officially renamed it "Madison Square Garden" on May 31, 1879. Featuring a sports and entertainment program that stressed such



events as boxing and the National Horse Show, Garden I stood until its demolition in 1889.

Garden II was constructed on the site of Garden I, opening on Jun. 16, 1890 at a cost of \$1.5 million. It contained an 8,000-seat main arena, 1,500-seat concert hall, 1,200-seat theatre and the world's largest indoor swimming pool. The Spanish Renaissance-style structure was topped by its most famous feature: a 32-story tower and roof garden atop which stood Augustus Saint-Gauden's gold statue of Diana, Goddess of the Hunt.

Stanford White, the renowned architect who designed Garden II, also figured in its most famous - and infamous - event. On the night of Jun. 25, 1906, White was gunned down in the Garden's rooftop garden by Pittsburgh millionaire Harry Thaw, allegedly in revenge for White's long-standing affair with Thaw's wife, showgirl Evelyn Nesbit. The White-Thaw-Nesbit

love triangle was ultimately immortalized in the 1955 film The Girl in the Red Velvet Swing - starring Ray Milland as White and Joan Collins as Nesbit - and in the best-seller American Eve by Paula Uruburu (Riverhead Books, 2008). Nesbit died in obscurity in California at age 81 in 1967.

Garden II hosted a sporting card heavy with boxing, wrestling, six-day bicycle races and horse shows, along with national events such as the 1924 Democratic National Convention, a marathon that lasted through 16 days and 103 ballots. Movie buffs will recall that in Orson Welles' 1941 classic Citizen Kane, Charles Foster Kane's acceptance of the 1916 New York gubernatorial nomination takes place at Garden II (although, obviously, it wasn't actually filmed there).

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Garden II closed with a boxing card on May 5, 1925, followed by a mournful eulogy by ring



announcer Joe Humphreys: "Farewell to thee, o temple of fistiana. Farewell to thee, o sweet Miss Diana...". The New York Life Insurance Building (51 Madison Avenue) occupies the former site of Gardens I and II, while Diana found a new home at the Philadelphia Museum of Art.

Garden III - the "Old Garden" - was built in just 249 days at 49th Street and Eighth Avenue under the watchful eyes of promoter Tex Rickard and architect Thomas Lamb. The fabled 18,000-seat arena, built at a cost of \$5.6 million, opened with a six-day bicycle race on Nov. 24, 1925, and for 43 years was America's premier sports and entertainment showplace. Ironically, Rickard did not live to see the blossoming of Garden III, suffering a fatal appendicitis attack on Jan. 6, 1929.

Anyone who ever set foot in the Old Garden remembers its unforgettable atmosphere...the sky-high balcony...the haze from decades of cigarette smoke...the main lobby, a schmoozer's paradise...the marquee...G.O. Cards...the organ (played first by Gladys Gooding, later by Virginia Thomas)...the unmistakable voice of John Condon...the Nedick's and Adam Hats stores that flanked the main entrance...

Sports - especially hockey, basketball, boxing and track - would be the lifeblood of the Old Garden. But it also hosted entertainment extravaganzas ranging from the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus and the Gene Autry Rodeo to star-studded spectacles like Mike Todd's 1957 anniversary party for his film Around the World in 80 Days and President John F. Kennedy's May 19, 1962 birthday party which featured Marilyn Monroe's breathless version of "Happy Birthday." On the screen, the Garden provided the inspiration, and title, for the 1932 Paramount epic Madison Square Garden, starring Jack Oakie and ZaSu Pitts, as well as the on-location backdrop for the harrowing final reel of John Frankenheimer's 1962 classic The Manchurian Candidate.

The first NHL team to play at Garden III was the New York Americans, who rented the building for the 1925-26 season. The Rangers played their first regular season NHL game there on Nov. 16, 1926, beating the Montreal Maroons 1-0. In the 42 years the Rangers played on 49th Street, they would win three Stanley Cup championships (1928, 1933,

and 1940) and develop a host of Hall of Famers. including Bill Cook, Bun Cook, Frank Boucher. Ching Johnson, Babe Pratt, Neil Colville. Chuck Rayner, Andy Bathgate, Harry Howell. Gump Worsley, Rod Gilbert, Iean Ratelle. and Eddie Giacomin.



The Rangers played their final game at the Old Garden on the afternoon of Feb. 11, 1968; a 3-3 tie with Detroit. The last event ever was the Westminster Dog Show, over Feb. 12-13, 1968. After the Old Garden was demolished, the site was used for years as a Kinney parking lot. The Worldwide Plaza office/apartment complex, which opened in 1989, now occupies the site.

Garden IV On Nov. 3, 1960, Garden president Irving Mitchell Felt announced plans for a new Madison Square Garden - Garden IV - to eventually be built at 33rd Street between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, atop Pennsylvania Station.

Prospective sites for a New Garden had been discussed throughout the mid- and late-'50s, especially the area at Columbus Circle which would eventually house the New York Coliseum and, ultimately, the Time Warner Center.

Then the Garden Corporation obtained the coveted "air rights" above Penn Station from the Pennsylvania Railroad in 1961. The Railroad had entertained the idea of selling Penn Station's air rights as far back as 1951, when faced with a \$72 million deficit. In 1955, Railroad president James Symes and famed real estate developer William Zeckendorf signed an agreement to option the Station's air rights for an industrial-commercial "Palace of Progress", with a new, renovated Penn Station below street level. When the project fell through, the Railroad sold the air rights to the Garden Corporation. Above-ground demolition of Penn Station began on Oct. 28, 1963, with new concrete poured starting on May 1, 1964.



Garden IV opened as a glittering sports and entertainment showplace, its distinctive circular, cable-suspended roof above the 19,000-seat arena, its 5,000-seat Felt Forum, 48-lane Bowling Center, 500-seat cinema, Fame Hall of Club. National Art Museum of Sport, 50,000-square foot Exposition Rotunda and 29-story office building

(Two Penn Plaza) attached by a pedestrian mall.

The first element of the New Garden complex to open its doors was the Bowling Center, on Oct. 30, 1967. On Nov. 26, 1967, the Felt Forum opened with a performance of the Welsh and Scots Guards.

The "New Garden" itself officially opened on Feb. 11, 1968, when Bob Hope and Bing Crosby hosted "The Night of the Century," a star-studded salute to the USO. One week later – Feb. 18, 1968 – the Rangers played their first game in their new home, a 3-1 victory over a Philadelphia Flyers team that had entered the NHL that season in what signaled the end of the NHL's Original Six era.

ODDS 'N ENDS

- Cost for design and construction of the present Garden was \$43 million.
- Garden IV was built by Turner Construction and the Del E.
 Webb Corporation. The building was designed by Charles
 Luckman, the fabled entrepreneur and architect who died in
 1999. Luckman also designed the Great Western Forum, the
 Los Angeles Convention Center, CBS Television City, the
 Prudential Center in Boston and the Johnson Space Center
 in Houston.
- The Garden arena is 425 feet in diameter, 13 stories high, and occupies 820,000-square feet of real estate.
- Each of the four entrance/exit towers is over 100 feet high and contains at least 10 escalators.

THROUGH THE YEARS

A look at the improvements/enhancements at Garden IV over the years:

1972: Garden IV becomes the first New York sports venue to install luxury boxes, formally named "Hall of Fame Lounges." The original deck of 11 luxury suites - each measuring 23 x 15 feet and accommodating 10 people - is installed above the mezzanine level on the 33rd Street side. Due to the ongoing luxury suite construction, basketball broadcast locations are moved to courtside and directly above center-court exit tunnels. Previously, they had been located in a two-level booth suspended from the roof.

1977: Original end zone scoreboards replaced by new 36-foot long scoreboards in each end zone, and smaller auxiliary boards on the facing of the mezzanine at center court. New boards feature tenth-of-a-second timing capabilities and black-and-white animated matrix boards.

1989-91: Over a three-year span, the Garden complex undergoes its most extensive renovation at the time, a multi-million dollar effort in which:

- Each of the original red, orange, yellow, green, and blue seats is removed and replaced. Primary color scheme is now purple and teal.
- Existing scoreboards are replaced by a computerized, state-of-theart system that features the eight-sided Center Display Board (37 feet wide at the top, 34 feet wide at the bottom), complete with "GardenVision" color replay screens and multi-colored end zone boards, by White Way Company of Chicago. It is the first eightsided scoreboard in a major U.S. arena. Original Garden sound system is also completely overhauled, including the replacement of the original center-hung "sound cluster" with four separate

speaker clusters affixed to the arena ceiling.

- Original Hall of Fame Lounges (luxury boxes) are removed and replaced by a completely new deck of 89 Club Suites that encircles the entire arena, including a double-deck of suites on the 7th Avenue end.
 - The Paramount, a state-of-the-art, 5,600-seat theatre, is constructed on the former site of the Felt Forum (which is now named The Theater at Madison Square Garden). Fronting the main entrance is the Garden Walk of Fame, which opens in 1992.
 - Two dining facilities The Club Restaurant and the Play-By-Play sports bar and restaurant - are constructed on the former site of the Bowling Center and the Hall of Fame Club.
 - Garden exterior renovated, including the installations of animated color matrix boards above the Seventh Avenue entrance to Penn Station and the Eighth Avenue facade.
 - Upgrades and improvements in other areas of the Garden, including concession stands (and all-new Food Courts), locker rooms, press room, box office, Garden Team Store and broadcast facilities.

1995: Knicks and Rangers locker room areas are further renovated and expanded, including increased player/locker space, expanded training and X-ray facilities and individual offices for all coaches.

2000: Ongoing improvement program in the new century features "GardenVision" upgraded to HD format, making it the first indoor arena to feature HD playback.

2007: LED and Matrix center scoreboard and side out-of-town boards installed.

THE GARDEN TRANSFORMED

On October 25, 2013, Madison Square Garden began a new chapter in its celebrated history, with the completion of its three-year Transformation. The unprecedented project, which required 2.6 million man hours of labor, touched every aspect of the Arena, significantly enhancing the experience of customers, athletes, entertainers, suite holders and marketing partners, from the first row to the last.

The Transformed Garden ensures that the World's Most Famous Arena will continue to attract the historic, unforgettable events for which it has been known throughout its history, while also elevating the total customer experience. Patrons now have access to a full list of amenities including: improved sightlines; additional entertainment and dining options; new concourses; upgraded hospitality areas; new technology; and a completely transformed interior, which was carefully planned to

maintain the unique intimacy of the Arena bowl and The Garden's world famous ceiling.

Specific highlights include:

- The Chase Square Seventh Avenue entrance, which is nearly double in size of the previous entrance and features interactive
- kiosks, retail space and a broadcast area, along with an area dedicated to celebrating the efforts of the Garden of Dreams Foundation, a non-profit charity supported by MSG;
- Public concourses that are double or triple in width, some with spectacular city views;
- A wide selection of food and beverage options, including exclusive food offerings featuring some of New York's top chefs;
- Improved upper bowl sightlines that put patrons more than 17 degrees closer to the action;
- Chase bridges that provide one-of-a-kind views of the arena floor and offer a unique perspective for fans;
- State of the art lighting, sound and LED video systems in high definition and new fiber-optic cabling throughout the building;
- Improved locker rooms, dressing rooms, green rooms and production offices;
- · Additional restrooms with 50 percent more capacity;
- Unique exhibits celebrating the Garden's stories history, including the Garden 366 visual retrospective and the Defining Moments Exhibit on the Madison and Concourse levels; and
- A whole new slate of suite and entertainment offerings, including:
 - 21 Event Level suites that offer a lounge/entertainment atmosphere
 - 58 Lexus Level suites that are 40 percent larger than our previous suites, and located as close as 23 rows above the arena floor
 - 18 transformed 9th Floor Signature Level suites; and
 - Three new club spaces: the J.P. Morgan Club; the Delta SKY360 Club on the Event Level; and the Madison Club on the 7th floor

Today's acclaim for Madison Square Garden is a testament to the careful planning and execution of the Transformation – and a signal that The Garden's future will be as bright as its celebrated past.

"New York is not a city. It is a set of cities, dozens of them, divided by caste, class, taste and blood. Most of us are welcome in a few of these cities, barred from others by tradition, or fear, or indifference, or income. But all of us hold safe conduct passes to The Garden. It is a center of experience for the same reason New York is: nothing is out of place there. Walk through a neighborhood of New York and you will find people who would never dream of setting foot in Carnegie Hall, the Empire State Building, the Fillmore East, Sunnyside Gardens, The Four Seasons, or the Bronx Zoo. Madison Square Garden is alien to none of us."



Entering the 98th year of operation,
the NEW YORK RANGERS have entertained
fans with some of the most memorable moments
in New York sporting history. Playing at Madison Square
Garden, the World's Most Famous Arena, the Rangers
have built a storied reputation on pride, passion, and
tradition.

It might seem hard to believe, but the New York Rangers were once an NHL expansion team.

The year was 1926, and hockey was already a popular sport at Madison Square Garden – only the team of choice was not yet the Blueshirts. Back then, another NHL squad, the old New York Americans, were drawing big crowds in their first season at The Garden

The Americans, who wore stars-and-stripes jerseys patterned after the American flag, proved that MSG was a perfect venue for hockey. Garden President George Lewis "Tex" Rickard came to realize that the time was ripe for a second New York hockey team – one owned and operated by The Garden itself. Working with the league, Rickard managed to secure a team for the 1926-27 season.

Rickard knew he had to put a strong team on the ice to compete with the Americans and win over the loyalty of New Yorkers just discovering hockey. To assemble this team, he convinced one of the brightest minds in hockey, Conn Smythe, to leave his post at the University of Toronto. Rickard encouraged Smythe to travel throughout North America in search of the most talented "undiscovered" players he could find.

Smythe ended up laying the groundwork for a team that was instantly a Stanley Cup contender. In the course of one summer, he found future Hall of Fame forwards Frank Boucher, Bill Cook, and Bun Cook, Hall of Fame defenseman Ivan 'Ching' Johnson, and winger Murray Murdoch, who would become hockey's first 'Iron Man' by playing 508 consecutive games.

As Smythe was out signing players, sportswriters back in New York began referring to the team as 'Tex's Rangers'. The name stuck, and Rickard formally adopted it – stripping the word "Rangers" diagonally across the front of a blue jersey to make his team stand out from the Americans, whose name was displayed horizontally on the players' jerseys.

Before the start of the 1926-27 season, Smythe left the team he had built as a result of disagreements with Garden management. Rickard looked west to British Columbia, where he found one of hockey's great pioneers in Lester Patrick. Although Smythe had put the majority of the roster together, it was Patrick who would mold it into a championship team.

Patrick, who would become nicknamed "The Silver Fox", was the face of the Rangers for the franchise's first two decades of existence. Serving as the team's

Head Coach and General Manager (as well as a player during the 1928 Stanley Cup Finals), Patrick not only guided the Rangers to an extended period of success, he introduced the game of ice hockey to New Yorkers. Through his relationship with prominent sportswriters, Patrick's chats and lessons on the game helped readers become accustomed to the new game, and the Rangers would soon be the favorite hockey team among New Yorkers.



With Patrick leading a group of future Hall of Fame players, the Rangers immediately established themselves as a formidable hockey team in New York, and as a result, they quickly surpassed the Americans in both the NHL standings and popularity. They finished their first season with the best record in the American Division, and team captain Bill Cook led the league with 33 goals and 37 points.

The following year, they won the first of the franchise's four Stanley Cup championships, defeating the Montreal Maroons, three-games-to-two. The series' defining moment came in Game 2. After the Rangers lost Game 1, goaltender Lorne Chabot suffered an injury that forced him to leave the contest. When the Maroons refused to let Patrick use their emergency goaltender to finish the game, the 44-year old Head Coach put on the goalie gear and inserted himself into the net. Patrick only allowed one goal for the rest of the game, helping the Rangers win the game in overtime and eventually the Stanley Cup.

Since the Rangers pulled off their remarkable feat in 1928, no other NHL team has ever won the Cup in its first two years of existence.

The Rangers earned the adoration of New Yorkers with a reputation for hard, clean play. Combined with Patrick's innovative tactics, the Rangers became known as 'the classiest team in hockey,' advancing to the Finals four times in their first seven years and winning two Stanley Cups.

The core of these early Rangers teams was the team's top offensive trio, center Frank Boucher, right wing Bill Cook, and left wing Bill Cook. The three players were nicknamed the "A Line" for the subway line that ran underneath Madison Square Garden on Eighth Avenue. Each player was an innovator in his own way and made his own mark on franchise history.

Boucher epitomized the club's style and grace, winning the Lady Byng Trophy so frequently (seven times in an eight-year span) that the league allowed him to keep the original silverware and struck a new award. Brothers Bill and Bun flanked Boucher and provided the bulk of the scoring for over a decade. Bill Cook, who was the Rangers captain for his entire 11-year career with he Blueshirts, still holds the franchise's all-time record for hat tricks with nine, and he led the NHL in goals in three different seasons. Bun Cook was a perfect complement to his brother and Boucher. Bun, whose real name was Fred, received the nickname for his penchant of hopping like a bunny while skating. He also is credited with being the first player in hockey to use a slap shot, a maneuver that is still used regularly in the NHL.

After advancing to the Stanley Cup Finals in 1931-32, the Rangers returned the following season. Bill Cook led the NHL with 28 goals and 50 points in 1932-33, and scored the Cup-clinching goal in overtime in Game 4 of the 1933 Stanley Cup Finals to give the Rangers their second Stanley Cup in franchise history.

"THE BEST TEAM I'D EVER SEEN"

By the late 1930s, as the Cook brothers and Boucher ended their playing careers, New York had a new group of stars. The team acquired goalie Davey Kerr from the Montreal Maroons in 1934 and defenseman Art Coulter from Chicago in 1936, and the duo formed the backbone of the next great Rangers team. Coulter succeeded Bill Cook as Rangers captain in 1937-38, and during that same year,



Kerr became the first hockey player to be featured on the cover of Time Magazine, adding to the Rangers' growing popularity.

Prior to the 1939-40 season, Boucher succeeded Patrick as Head Coach, with Patrick remaining as the team's General Manager. Boucher needed almost no time at all to bring the Cup back to New York. Led by Hall of Famers Neil Colville and Bryan Hextall, the Rangers won their third Stanley Cup title in 1940.

The 1939-40 squad established franchise records with a 10-game winning streak and a 19-game unbeaten streak, and Boucher referred to them as the best team he'd ever seen.

Two years later in 1941-42, the Rangers were Regular Season Champions, thanks largely to the "Powerhouse Line", the trio of Hextall, Lynn Patrick (Lester's son), and Phil Watson, who finished first, second, and fourth, respectively, in league scoring.

Over their first 16 seasons, the Rangers missed the playoffs only once, and only twice did they fall lower than third place. By the early 1940s, the Blueshirts'



popularity contributed to the decline of the Americans, who eventually folded in 1942. During the 16-year span in which they were one of two New York hockey teams, the Rangers won one regular season championship, two American Division championships, and finished second in the league three times. In the process, Rangers games at The Garden became popular, attracting a 'dinner-jacket' crowd that often included sports figures, Broadway entertainers, New York's society elite, and City Hall politicians.

THE ORIGINAL SIX ERA

In 1942, the Rangers became the only hockey team in the New York metropolitan area – a distinction they would hold for the next 30 years. The folding of the Americans had left just six NHL teams to compete for the Stanley Cup from the 1942-43 season all the way through the 1966-67 season – the final year before the modern NHL expansion began. The six teams that played during these golden years would forever be known as the Original Six, even though several of them, including the Rangers, were not part of the NHL when the league began operating in 1917.

Unfortunately, the Original Six Era wasn't good to New York. The club struggled throughout the 1940s, as several members of the Rangers' all-star lineup served in their country's armed forces during World War II. Between 1943 and 1955, the Rangers made the playoffs only twice, although the second trip in 1950 took the Blueshirts all the way to the Stanley Cup Finals. New York pushed Detroit to the second overtime of Game 7 despite having to play home games in Toronto because the circus was at MSG. The 1950 Rangers' team was the ultimate Cinderella squad; they finished with a losing record in the regular season, yet stunned Montreal in the opening round before giving the regular-season champion Red Wings a major scare by taking a three-games-to-two lead after five games.

While the 1940s and most of the 1950s were lean years for the organization, each Rangers team featured outstanding individual talents: Buddy O'Connor became the first Ranger to win the Hart Trophy as NHL MVP in 1947-48, and goaltender Chuck Rayner won it again in 1949-50 en route to his dramatic effort in the 1950 Stanley Cup Finals. Rayner, a Hall of Fame goaltender who played eight seasons with the Blueshirts, was so impressive in goal that the Rangers were sometimes dubbed the "Rayngers" due to his importance to the team's success.

A fertile farm system and deft trades would eventually improve the team's fortunes. Hall of Famers Andy Bathgate, Dean Prentice, Harry Howell, Bill Gadsby, and Gump Worsley boosted the team into the

playoffs for three consecutive years from 1955-56 to 1957-58.

Bathgate became the club's captain and all-time leading scorer, and he won the Hart Trophy in 1958-59. Howell was a steady presence on the blue line and became recognized as



one of the best defensemen in the NHL, receiving the Norris Trophy as the NHL's top blueliner in 1966-67. Worsley was the team's backbone, as he led the NHL in saves three times in a four-year span.

"WE DID IT ALL EXCEPT WIN IT ALL"

A Rangers Renaissance took hold in the 1960s under the leadership of Head Coach and General Manager Emile Francis. Beginning in the last season of the Original Six Era of 1966-67, the team made the playoffs nine consecutive seasons and was the only NHL team of the period to do so. Led by Rod Gilbert, who eclipsed Bathgate's all-time franchise records for goals and points, and linemates Jean Ratelle and Vic Hadfield, the Rangers became a perennial NHL powerhouse for the first time since World War II. In addition to their offensive firepower, the Rangers were boosted by a pair of future Hall of Famers who



became the backbone of the defense: goaltender Ed Giacomin and defenseman Brad Park.

The apex of that dominating stretch came in 1971-72. The Rangers finished the season with a 48-17-13 record, good enough for the second-best record in the NHL. Hadfield, Ratelle, and Gilbert, nicknamed the "G-A-G Line" (or Goal-A-Game Line), became the first linemates in NHL history to all score at least 40 goals

in the same season. Hadfield became the first Rangers player to record 50 goals in a season and Ratelle established a franchise record by tallying 109 points in just 63 games. The Blueshirts defeated Montreal and Chicago to advance to the Stanley Cup Finals, where they ultimately lost to Boston in six games.

At the end of the season, the Rangers learned they would not be New York's only hockey team any longer, as the NHL announced the formation of the New York Islanders, who would quickly emerge as the Blueshirts' most bitter local rival.

The Francis Era yielded four consecutive trips to the Semifinals from 1970-71 to 1973-74, which included the team's appearance in the Stanley Cup Finals in 1971-72. For all of the team's accomplishments during this stretch, bringing the Cup back to The Garden eluded their grasp. After losing the Islanders in the 1975 Stanley Cup Playoffs, Giacomin, Ratelle, and Park exited the organization early in the 1975-76 season, and Francis' departure soon followed. In looking back on his time with the Rangers, Francis said, "We did it all except win it all."

RETURN TO THE FINALS

Following a two-year absence from post-season play in the mid-1970s, a new core of Rangers led the team to another Stanley Cup Finals run. After hiring Fred Shero as Head Coach and General Manager in 1978, the Rangers quickly signed Swedish superstars Ulf Nilsson and Anders Hedberg, who had dominated the World Hockey Association. Hedberg and Nilsson were joined by future Hall of Famer Phil Esposito and a cast of young, homegrown talent that included Ron Greschner, Steve Vickers, brothers Dave and Don Maloney, Don Murdoch, and Ron Duguay. Esposito, who was acquired from the Boston Bruins in the trade that sent Ratelle and Park to Boston in 1975, was named captain after he arrived in New York and became the team's inspirational leader following Gilbert's retirement during the 1977-78 season.

This group of Rangers, anchored by goaltender John Davidson, led the team to series victories over Los Angeles and Philadelphia in the first two rounds of the 1979 Playoffs. In the Semifinals, the Blueshirts upset the top-seeded Islanders in six games to advance to the Stanley Cup Finals, thanks in large part to the goaltending of "JD". The Rangers' remarkable run ended in the Finals, however, as the Montreal Canadiens defeated the Blueshirts in five games.



The trip to the 1979 Stanley Cup Finals was the second of 10 straight playoff appearances for the Rangers, stretching from 1977-78 to 1986-87. During this time, the team added many colorful characters and fan favorites, including defensemen Barry Beck and Reijo Ruotsalainen, forwards Mike Rogers, Mark Pavelich, Pierre Larouche and Jan Erixon, and goaltender John Vanbiesbrouck.

THE WAITING IS OVER

In the mid-1980s, the Rangers drafted two players who would be instrumental in the team's success for the next two decades. First, the Rangers selected goaltender Mike Richter in the second round of the 1985 NHL Entry Draft. Then, in 1986, the Rangers used the ninth overall selection to draft a defenseman from Connecticut named Brian Leetch.

It was not, however, until 1991 that the Rangers truly took their first step down the road to a long-awaited Stanley Cup Championship. In September of that year, the team signed free agent forward Adam Graves, and one month later, acquired future Hall of Famer Mark Messier from the Edmonton Oilers. Messier, who was named captain prior to his first home game as a Ranger at MSG, led the Blueshirts to the Presidents' Trophy and won the Hart Trophy as the NHL's MVP in 1991-92. Despite the team's success during the regular season, the Rangers were eliminated by Pittsburgh in six games in the Patrick Division Finals.

In 1993-94, the Rangers once again finished with the NHL's top record and posted their best regular season record at the time with 52 wins and 112 points. After defeating the Islanders and Capitals in the first two rounds of the playoffs, the Blueshirts fell behind three-games-to-two to the New Jersey Devils in the Eastern Conference Finals. Facing elimination on the road in Game 6, Messier guaranteed that the Rangers would win the game, and then tallied a natural hat trick in the third period to lead the Rangers to a 4-2 victory. Two nights later, the Rangers advanced to the Finals with a 2-1 win in Game 7, as Stephane Matteau scored the game-winning goal in





After ousting New Jersey, the Rangers faced the Vancouver Canucks in the Finals. The series turned into another seven-game thriller for the Blueshirts, which ended with a 3-2 victory in Game 7 at MSG. The Rangers' fourth Cup and the numerous franchise records set that season continued a long, distinguished history marked by outstanding team

and individual performances. The emergence of superstars Leetch, Richter, and Graves, who broke Hadfield's team record with 52 goals in 1993-94, provided the organization with the on-ice skill and off-ice leadership in order to consistently have a Stanley Cup-caliber roster.

LEGENDARY BLUESHIRTS

Just two years after winning the Cup, the Rangers made headlines again in 1996 by signing the greatest player in NHL history. Wayne Gretzky would play a big part in the team's run to the 1997 Conference Finals during the first of his three seasons with the Blueshirts. "The Great One" played the final game of his NHL career with the Rangers on April 18, 1999. During the pre-game ceremony, the NHL announced that Gretzky's No. 99 would never be worn by another player.

In the years that followed, the Rangers would also say goodbye to the legends that graced The Garden ice in the 1990s. The first departure was the premature retirement of Richter, who was forced to hang up his skates due to injuries. For 14 seasons, he had provided Rangers fans with some of the team's most historic moments, including his performance in the 1994 Stanley Cup run. Richter's accomplishments were celebrated by the team when his No. 35 was raised to the

rafters of Madison Square Garden on February 4, 2004, becoming just the third player after Gilbert and Giacomin to have such an honor bestowed on him.

The 2003-04 season featured another great moment as Messier passed Gordie Howe for second on the NHL's all-time scoring list, trailing only his friend and former teammate Gretzky. It was one of the final great accomplishments of Messier's career, because following the lockout season of 2004-05, the man known as "The Captain" announced his retirement. Messier had played 10 of his 25 NHL seasons in New York, and was recognized as the difference-maker on the 1994 Cup team. On January 12, 2006, the Rangers honored Messier's legacy by retiring his No. 11 in a special on-ice ceremony prior to the Rangers – Edmonton Oilers game.

Two years after Messier's number went to the MSG rafters, the Rangers retired Leetch's No. 2. Perhaps the greatest defenseman in Rangers history, Leetch rewrote every scoring record by a blueliner in his sparkling 17-year career

in New York, netting 240 goals, 741 assists and 981 points. During his Rangers tenure, Leetch became the only NHL player other than Bobby Orr to win the Calder Trophy as Rookie of the Year, the Conn Smythe Trophy as playoff MVP, and the Norris Trophy as the league's top defenseman, which he did twice in his career.

In 2008-09, Graves was the fourth and final member of the 1994 Championship team to have his number raised to The Garden rafters.



Graves spent 10 years with the Rangers, and finished his career third on the Blueshirts' all-time goals list (280). The two-time Rangers' MVP (1992-93, 1993-94) will always be best known for his achievements and contributions to the Rangers magical 1994 Stanley Cup team, helping break a 54-year old championship drought.

That same year, the organization retired Howell's No. 3, and Bathgate's No. 9. Two of the classiest men to play for the Rangers, Howell and Bathgate were the premier Blueshirts during the 1950s and 1960s. Howell holds the team record for career games played (1,160), while Bathgate ranks fourth in team history in goals (272), assists (457), and points (729).

A decade later, the Rangers bestowed the highest honor a player can receive to two-thirds of the G-A-G Line. First Ratelle's No. 19 jersey was raised to The Garden rafters during the 2017-18 season. One of the best centers of his generation, Ratelle ranks second in franchise history in goals (336) and third on the Rangers' all-time list in assists (481) and points (817). Hadfield became the 10th player to have his jersey retired by the organization, as his No. 11 was immortalized in 2018-19.

RETURN TO EXCELLENCE

Following the lockout that cancelled the 2004-05 season, the Rangers built a team around a combination of young, homegrown players and skilled veterans. The mix produced instant results, as the 2005-06 Blueshirts won 44 games and posted the sixth 100-point campaign in team history to return to the playoffs.

The Rangers were led by two players who represented the blend of experience and youth on the roster. Jaromir Jagr, who was acquired in the middle of the 2003-04 season, established Rangers single-season records with 54 goals and 123 points and won the Lester B. Pearson Award for the NHL's Most Outstanding Player as chosen by fellow players. While Jagr led the team offensively, the Blueshirts were anchored in goal by a 24-year-old from Sweden named Henrik Lundqvist, who established a Rangers rookie record with 30 wins and was named a finalist for the Vezina Trophy as the NHL's top goaltender.

The 2005-06 season was the start of a magical, 15-year run for Lundqvist with the Rangers. He captivated the hearts and minds of Rangers fans with his tremendous skill and unparalleled intensity on the ice. During



his tenure in New York, he rewrote the Rangers' record book and established numerous franchise records. including career appearances, wins, and shutouts by a goaltender. During this stretch, he was named Team MVP in seven consecutive seasons (2006-07 - 2012-13), setting franchise records for most consecutive Team MVPs and most overall Team MVPs. Not only did Lundqvist set franchise records, he became the

only goaltender in NHL history who earned at least 30 wins in 11 of his first 12 seasons in the league.

Lundqvist's arrival in New York also marked the start of an extended period of success for the Rangers. Beginning in 2005-06, the Rangers made the playoffs 11 different times over a 12-season span. While the Rangers were one of four teams that made the playoffs in 11 different seasons over that time period, they were the only NHL team that was not mathematically eliminated from playoff contention in any game during the stretch.

This consistent run of success, which was highlighted by seven consecutive playoff appearances from 2010-11 - 2016-17 and three trips to the Eastern Conference Final in a four-year span, provided memorable experiences for Rangers fans and added to the franchise's storied history. Led by Lundqvist, who won the Vezina Trophy as the NHL's Top Goaltender, the blue-collar Blueshirts posted a 51-24-7 record during the 2011-12 season to finish in first place in both the Atlantic Division and Eastern Conference for the first time since 1993-94.

That season featured several memorable games, including a come-from-behind, 3-2 win in the 2012 Winter Classic against the Flyers at Citizens Bank Park in Philadelphia, and the Rangers advanced to the Eastern Conference Final for the first time since 1997.

The next chapter of the Rangers' successful run took place in 2013-14. After defeating Philadelphia in a seven-game series in the First Round of the playoffs, the Rangers

rallied from a three-games-to-one deficit against the Pittsburgh Penguins in the Second Round to win the series in seven games. The Rangers followed up their come-from-behind series win by securing their first appearance in the Stanley Cup Final in 20 years, defeating the Montreal Canadiens in six games in the Eastern Conference Final. The Rangers clinched the Eastern Conference Championship with a 1-0 win in Game 6 of the series at MSG. The Blueshirts' inspiring run was derailed in the Final, where they lost to the Los Angeles Kings in five games.



The Rangers were the class of the NHL during the 2014-15 season. Following their appearance in the Stanley Cup Final in 2013-14, the Blueshirts established single-season franchise records with 53 wins and 113 points and won the Presidents' Trophy for having the top record in the NHL. Once again, the Rangers faced a three-games-to-one deficit in the Second Round of the playoffs, but the Blueshirts were able to rally against the Washington Capitals. Trailing by a goal with less than two minutes remaining in Game 5, the Rangers tied the contest and extended the series by winning the game in overtime. Following a win in Game 6 in Washington, the Rangers returned to New York and won a memorable Game 7 in overtime. This run, however, ended in another Game 7, as the Rangers were defeated by the Tampa Bay Lightning in the Eastern Conference Final.

THE NEXT GENERATION

Lundqvist's tenure with the Rangers ended following the 2019-20 season, but as a new decade began, a new generation of stars began to emerge for the Blueshirts. Artemi Panarin was named a Hart Trophy finalist in his first season with the Rangers in 2019-20, Adam Fox won the Norris Trophy in 2020-21, becoming just the second defenseman in NHL history to accomplish the feat in one of his first two seasons in the league, and Igor Shesterkin won the Vezina Trophy in his second full season in the league in 2021-22.

During the 2021-22 season, the stars aligned for a memorable season in New York. Boosted by Shesterkin's goaltending and a 52-goal season from Chris Kreider, the "No Quit in New York" Rangers earned 52 wins during the regular season, including a single-season

franchise record 27 comeback wins. The "No Quit in New York" mantra carried over into the playoffs, as the Rangers rallied from a three-gamesto-one deficit in the First Round to defeat the Penguins in seven games, and then rallied from a three-games-to-two deficit in the Second Round against the Carolina Hurricanes to win the series and advance to the Eastern Conference Final.

From one generation to the next, the Rangers continue to build on their storied legacy.



ALL-TIME MANAGEMENT

RANGERS PRESIDENTS

 JOHN H. KRUMPE
 (1981-82 - December 31, 1986)

 RICHARD H. EVANS
 (January 1, 1987 - June 28, 1990)

 JOHN C. DILLER
 (June 29, 1990 - April 22, 1991)

 NEIL SMITH
 (June 19, 1992 - March 28, 2000)

 GLEN SATHER
 (June 1, 2000 - May 17, 2019)

 JOHN DAVIDSON
 (May 17, 2019 - May 5, 2021)

 CHRIS DRURY
 (May 5, 2021 - present)

RANGERS GENERAL MANAGERS

LESTER PATRICK (October 27, 1926 - February 21, 1946) FRANK BOUCHER (February 21, 1946 - April 22, 1955) MUZZ PATRICK (April 22, 1955 - October 30, 1964) EMILE FRANCIS (October 30, 1964 - January 6, 1976) IOHN FERGUSON (January 7, 1976 - June 2, 1978) (June 2, 1978 - November 21, 1980) FRED SHERO CRAIG PATRICK (November 21, 1980 - July 14, 1986) PHIL ESPOSITO (July 14, 1986 - May 24, 1989) NEIL SMITH (July 17, 1989 - March 28, 2000) GLEN SATHER (June 1, 2000 - July 1, 2015) JEFF GORTON (July 1, 2015 - May 5, 2021) CHRIS DRURY (May 5, 2021 - present)

ALL-TIME CAPTAINS

 BILL COOK
 (October 20, 1926 - July 7, 1937)

 ART COULTER
 (October 31, 1937 - September 30, 1942)

OTT HELLER (October 31, 1942 - 1944-45) NEIL COLVILLE (1945-46 - December 21, 1948)

BUDDY O'CONNOR (1949-50)

FRANK EDDOLLS (1950-51 - December 6, 1951)

ALLAN STANLEY (December 19, 1951 - November 3, 1953)
DON RALEIGH (November 4, 1953 - October 6, 1955)
HARRY HOWELL (October 7, 1955 - September 11, 1957)
GEORGE "RED" SULLIVAN (September 12, 1957 - September 26, 1961)
ANDY RATHIGATE (October 9, 1961 - Echypary 22, 1964)

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ANDY BATHGATE
(October 9, 1961 - February 22, 1964)
CAMILLE HENRY
(February 24, 1964 - February 4, 1965)
BOB NEVIN
(February 5, 1965 - May 26, 1971)
VIC HADFIELD
(June 9, 1971 - May 28, 1974)

 BRAD PARK
 (August 12, 1974 - November 7, 1975)

 PHIL ESPOSITO
 (November 8, 1975 - October 10, 1978)

 DAVE MALONEY
 (October 11, 1978 - December 6, 1980)

 WALT TKACZUK
 (December 7, 1980 - February 3, 1981)

 BARRY BECK
 (February 4, 1981 - August 12, 1986)

 RON GRESCHNER
 (October 9, 1986 - December 3, 1987)

 KELLY KISIO
 (December 24, 1987 - May 30, 1991)

 MARK MESSIER
 (October 7, 1991 - July 27, 1997)

 BRIAN LEETCH
 (October 3, 1997 - July 12, 2000)

 MARK MESSIER
 (July 13, 2000 - September 12, 2005)

 JAROMIR JAGR
 (October 5, 2006 - July 3, 2008)

 CHING DIVING
 (October 3, 2008)

 CHRIS DRURY
 (October 3, 2008 - June 29, 2011)

 RYAN CALLAHAN
 (September 12, 2011 - March 5, 2014)

 RYAN McDONAGH
 (October 6, 2014 - February 26, 2018)

JACOB TROUBA (August 9, 2022 - present)

Retired Numbers



ROD GILBERT

1960-61 - 1977-78

Rod Gilbert had his famous No. 7 retired on October 14, 1979.

A Rangers legend, Gilbert spent 15 full seasons with New York, skating in 1,065 career matches and tallying 406 goals and 615 assists for 1,021 points. His 406 career goals and 1,021 career points remain franchise records to this day, while his 615 assists are second only to Brian Leetch's 741. He also ranks third on the Rangers' all-time



games played list with 1,065. At the time of his retirement, his 1,021 points ranked second among right wingers in NHL history behind Gordie Howe. Having played in eight NHL All-Star games (1964, 1965, 1967, 1969, 1970, 1972, 1975, 1977), his finest season came in 1971-72 when he registered 43 goals and 54 assists for 97 points and was named to the First NHL All-Star Team. That season, he combined with Jean Ratelle and Vic Hadfield to form the renowned G-A-G

Line (Goal-A-Game). The three finished 3-4-5 in the NHL scoring race that season and helped the Rangers advance to the Stanley Cup Finals. He was also a Second All-Star Team selection in 1967-68. In 1976, Gilbert won the Bill Masterton Trophy for perseverance and dedication to hockey. Then, in 1982, he joined the immortals of the game upon his induction into the Hockey Hall of Fame. Later, he would be inducted into the Madison Square Garden Hall of Fame in 1984 and receive the Lester Patrick Trophy in 1991 for contributions to hockey in the United States. Gilbert passed away in August of 2021. In his honor, the Rangers started the Rod Gilbert "Mr. Ranger" Award, given out annually beginning with the 2021-22 season.

ED GIACOMIN

1965-66 - 1975-76

Ed Giacomin became the second player in team history to have his number retired when the Rangers honored his No. 1 on March 15, 1989.

Always a fan favorite in New York, Giacomin spent over 10 seasons with the Rangers, appearing in 539 matches and posting a 267-172-89 mark, along with a 2.73 goals against average and 49 shutouts. On the Rangers all-time goaltending list, he ranked first overall in career wins (267) and shutouts (49), and second in appearances (539) at the time of his departure in 1975. The legendary goalie also ranked at or near the top of several single season Ranger records at

the time of his departure, ranking first in wins for a season (38, 1968-69), tied for first in appearances for a season (70, 1968-69 and 1969-70) and tied for fourth in shutouts for a season (nine, 1966-67) at the time. Additionally, he is one of only two Ranger goalies in franchise history to reach the 30-win benchmark five times (1966-67, 1967-68,



1968-69, 1969-70, 1973-74). Giacomin played in six NHL All-Star Games (1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1973), including five straight appearances from 1967 to 1971. The netminder was selected as a First Team All-Star two times (1967, 1971), and was honored as a Second Team All-Star three times (1968, 1969, 1970). In 1970-71, he was awarded the Vezina Trophy as the NHL's top goaltender, sharing the honor with Gilles Villemure. In addition to his puckstopping ability, Giacomin made Rangers history on March 19, 1972 when he became the first Blueshirt goalie to register a multiple-point game with two assists against Toronto at Madison Square Garden. He was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 1987.

GIACONIN 1



MIKE RICHTER

1988-89 - 2002-03

Mike Richter's No. 35 was raised to the rafters of Madison Square Garden on February 4, 2004.

Drafted by the Rangerson June 15,1985 as their second round selection, 28th overall, Richter spent his entire NHL career with the Blueshirts, fashioning a place in history as one of the finest goaltenders the franchise has ever known. In 666 career appearances, Richter posted



a record of 301-258-73, along with a 2.89 goals against average and a .904 save percentage. At the time of his retirement in 2003, his 666 career appearances and 301 wins were franchise records, while his 24 shutouts were tied for the fourth-most in franchise history. A three-time NHL All-Star (1992, 1994, 2000), Richter was named the Most Valuable Player at the 1994 contest at MSG. Later that season, he would help provide Rangers

fans with their greatest triumph, backstopping the club to the 1994 Stanley Cup championship. During the championship run, he would establish a franchise record for playoff wins in one season (16) and tied a team record with four playoff shutouts. Richter's brilliance was not confined to the NHL, as he stepped onto the national stage with Team USA. A three-time United States Olympian (1988, 1998, 2002), Richter helped Team USA capture a silver medal at the 2002 Winter Olympics in Salt Lake City, Utah. He also led the U.S. to the 1996 World Cup of Hockey championship and was named the Most Valuable Player of the tournament. Richter was inducted into the United States Hockey Hall of Fame in 2008 and received the Lester Patrick Trophy in 2009.

MARK MESSIER

1991-92 - 1996-97, 2000-01 - 2003-04

Mark Messier became the fourth player in Rangers history to have his number retired when No. 11 was raised to the Madison Square Garden rafters on January 12, 2006.

Known simply as "The Captain," Messier's leadership skills and intangible qualities are as well-known and documented as his incredible list of on-ice accomplishments. At the time of his retirement in 2005, Messier ranked second in NHL history in points with 1,887 (only trailing Wayne Gretzky), seventh all-time in goals with 694, third in assists with

1,193, and second in games played with 1,756. The 16-time NHL All-Star joined the Rangers on October 4, 1991, and in his first season with the club, guided the team to the Presidents' Trophy. He led the team in scoring that season with 107 points and captured his second Hart Trophy as league MVP. He also set a Rangers record for most assists by a center, with 72. In 1993-94, Messier led



the Rangers to the team's second Presidents' Trophy in three seasons and carried the Rangers to their first Stanley Cup Championship in 54 years. He ranks second on the Rangers all-time playoff scoring list with 80 points and also places second in goals (29) and assists (51). A four-time NHL First Team All-Star and two-time winner of the Lester B. Pearson Award as the league MVP as voted by the players, Messier ranks fifth on the Rangers alltime scoring list with 691 points. Named the club's MVP in 1991-92, 1994-95, and 1995-96, he places seventh on the franchise's all-time list in goals with 250 and sixth in assists with 441. Messier, a two-time recipient of the Hart Trophy ('90, '92), has appeared in the third-most playoff contests in National Hockey League history (236) and ranks second in goals (109), assists (186), and points (295). The winner of the Conn Smythe Trophy in 1984 as the Most Valuable Player of the Stanley Cup Playoffs, Messier is a six-time Stanley Cup Champion and the only player in NHL history who has served as captain for two different teams that won the Stanley Cup (the 1990 Edmonton Oilers and the 1994 New York Rangers). He was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 2007.

MESSIER 11

LEETCH 2

BRIAN LEETCH

1987-88 - 2003-04

Brian Leetch was honored on January 24, 2008 as the fifth Ranger and first defenseman to join the team's all-time legends when his No. 2 was retired at Madison Square Garden.

Simply the best defenseman to ever wear the Blueshirt, Brian Leetch was drafted by the Rangers as their first round selection, ninth overall, on June 21, 1986. After a sparkling 18-year career, 17 of which were with the Rangers, Leetch finished with 247 goals and 781 assists for 1,028 points while skating in 1,205 games. As a Ranger, Leetch rewrote



every scoring record by a defenseman with 240 goals, 741 assists and 981 points. Additionally, his 741 assists rank first all-time amongst all skaters and only fellow Ranger great, Rod Gilbert, sits ahead of him on the Blueshirts' all-time scoring list. In 1988-89, he capped off an impressive rookie season by winning the Calder Memorial Trophy as the league's top rookie, becoming the first Ranger to win the award since Steve Vickers in 1972-73. In his playoff

career, the defenseman ranks first all-time in assists (61) and points (89) in 82 postseason contests with the Rangers. During the storied 1993-94 season, Leetch helped the Rangers capture the team's second Presidents' Trophy in three seasons and was honored with the Conn Smythe Trophy as the Most Valuable Player during the playoffs on his way to leading the Rangers to their first Stanley Cup Championship in 54 years. The Corpus Christi, Texas native is written into the NHL record books as one of the greatest American-born players ever to lace up the skates, placing second only to Phil Housley on the alltime defenseman scoring list. A two-time Norris Trophy winner as the league's top defenseman and a two-time NHL First Team All-Star ('92, '97), Leetch also enjoyed international success, capturing a silver medal with Team USA at the 2002 Winter Olympics in Salt Lake City, Utah. In June of 1997, he was honored as one of 12 players voted to the All-Time USA Hockey Team, and he was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 2009.

ADAM GRAVES

1991-92 - 2000-01

Adam Graves became the sixth player in Rangers history to have his number retired when his No. 9 jersey was raised to the Madison Square Garden rafters on February 3, 2009.

One of the most popular figures to ever wear the Blueshirt, Adam Graves spent 10 years with the Rangers, setting a benchmark in professional sports for excellence both on and off the ice. Graves retired as a player in 2003 following a 16-year career, finishing with 329 goals and 287 assists for 616 points. The two-time Rangers' MVP ('93, '94) will always be best known for his achievements and contributions to the Rangers' magical

1994 Stanley Cup team, helping break a 54-year championship drought. Graves set the Rangers' single-season record for goals in the 1993-94 season, tallying 52 goals to break Vic Hadfield's 22-year mark of 50. His remarkable achievements during that storied season earned him an appearance in the NHL All-Star Game, and he was named as a NHL Second Team All-Star. Graves'



accomplishments on the ice were matched only by his contributions off the ice, as is evident by his numerous awards and accolades celebrating his work in the community. He was recognized by the NHL with its King Clancy Memorial Trophy in 1994, as well as the NHL Player Foundation award in 2000. In 2001, the Professional Hockey Writers Association honored Graves with the Bill Masterton Trophy. Outside his numerous league and team awards, Graves has been recognized with honors from countless organizations and publications for his achievements in the community, including USA Weekend's "Most Caring Athlete" Award, Sports Illustrated for Kids' "Good Sport" Award and The Sporting News' "Good Guy" Award. Graves returned to the Rangers on July 19, 2005, in a unique dual role that uses his myriad of abilities in both the on-ice and off-ice areas of the organization. In this multi-faceted capacity, Graves is a key element in the development of the team's prospects while continuing to develop and execute the organization's many community outreach initiatives.

GRAVES



ANDY BATHGATE

1952-53 - 1963-64

Andy Bathgate joined the team's all-time legends when his No. 9 was raised to the rafters of Madison Square Garden on February 22, 2009.

Hall of Famer Andy Bathgate did it all for the Rangers in a remarkable 12-year span that saw him captain the team, win the NHL's Hart Trophy as league MVP, play in eight NHL All-Star



Games, and tie for the league scoring lead. In 1,069 career games, he recorded 349 goals and 624 assists for 973 points in 17 NHL seasons. Bathgate joined the Rangers organization as a 17-year-old in 1949 and got his first call-up to the Blueshirts early in the 1952-53 season. The four-time Rangers' MVP ('57, '58, '59, '62) led the team in scoring eight times (1955-56, 1956-57, 1957-58, 1958-59, 1959-60, 1960-61, 1961-62, 1962-63). His finest season came

in 1958-59, when he became the first Rangers player to net 40 goals in a single season and was awarded the Hart Trophy as the league's MVP. A two-time NHL First Team All-Star ('59, '62) and two-time NHL Second Team All-Star ('58, '63), Bathgate tied for the NHL scoring title during the 1961-62 season, only to lose the Art Ross Trophy to Bobby Hull because he had fewer goals. Named team captain in 1961-62, Bathgate helped the Rangers snap a four-year playoff drought that season. He remained captain right up until he left the Rangers in February 22, 1964. Upon his departure from the Blueshirts, Bathgate was the owner of every major team scoring record. His record-setting stretch of goals in 10 straight games (11 goals) during the 1962-63 season still stands today. He joined the immortals in the game of hockey when he was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 1978. Bathgate passed away on February 26, 2016.

HARRY HOWELL

1952-53 - 1968-69

Harry Howell became the second defenseman in Rangers history to have his number retired when his No. 3 was honored on February 22, 2009 at Madison Square Garden.

The benchmark for consistency and longevity, Harry Howell's NHL career spanned 21 seasons, including an amazing 17 consecutive seasons in a Rangers uniform. Howell skated in 1,411 career games,

registering 94 goals and 324 assists for 418 points. His franchise record of 1,160 regular season games as a Ranger might never be broken. Inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 1979, Howell joined the team as a 19-year-old on October 18, 1952, recording a goal in his first NHL game. Over the next 17 years, he became a fixture on defense for the Blueshirts, missing only 40 out of 1,200 regular-season games.

Having played in six NHL All-Star Games as a member of the Rangers ('54, '63 – '65, '67, '68), his finest season came in 1966-67 when he registered 12 goals and 28 assists for 40 points to capture the Norris Trophy as the league's top defenseman and was selected to the NHL First All-Star Team. Howell was the last player to win the Norris Trophy before Bobby Orr won the award in each of the next eight seasons. The former team Captain ('55 – '57) was also honored as Rangers' MVP in 1964, and is one of only four Rangers – along with Andy Bathgate, Rod Gilbert, and Mark Messier – to have won the Frank Boucher Trophy in three consecutive seasons ('65 – '67). Howell passed away on March 10, 2019.





RATELLE 19

JEAN RATELLE

1960-61 - 1975-76

Jean Ratelle became the ninth player in Rangers history to have his number retired when his No. 19 jersey was raised to the Madison Square Garden rafters on February 25, 2018.

One of the greatest centers of his generation, Jean Ratelle was the offensive catalyst for the Rangers for parts of 16 seasons. During his tenure with the Blueshirts, he tallied 336 goals and 481 assists



for 817 points, along with a plus-167 rating in 861 games. He ranks second on the Rangers' all-time goals list, ranks third on the franchise's all-time assists list and all-time points list, and ranks sixth in career games played with the Blueshirts. As a member of the Rangers, Ratelle was the recipient of the team's Most Valuable Player Award twice (1971-72 and 1972-73), the Players' Player Award five times (1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70, 1970-71, 1974-75), and the

Frank Boucher Trophy as the team's most popular player on and off the ice (as selected by the Rangers Fan Club) twice (1971-72 and 1972-73). He was the center on the Rangers' famous Goal-A-Game Line (G-A-G Line) with left wing Vic Hadfield and right wing Rod Gilbert, and during the 1971-72 season, Ratelle, Hadfield, and Gilbert ranked third, fourth, and fifth, respectively, in the NHL in points during the regular season. Ratelle tallied 109 points (46 goals, 63 assists) and posted a plus-61 rating in 63 games during the 1971-72 season, becoming the first Ranger to tally 100 points in a season (along with Hadfield) and establishing a single-season franchise record for points. Ratelle received the Lester B. Pearson Award as the NHL's Most Outstanding Player as selected by the National Hockey League Players' Association (NHLPA) in 1971-72, as well as the Lady Byng Trophy for being the player "adjudged to have exhibited the best type of sportsmanship and gentlemanly conduct combined with a high standard of playing ability". A fivetime NHL All-Star, Ratelle was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 1985, and in 2017, he was named one of the 100 Greatest NHL Players in league history.

VIC HADFIELD

1961-62 - 1973-74

Vic Hadfield became the 10th player in Rangers history to have his number retired when his No. 11 jersey was raised to the Madison Square Garden rafters on December 2, 2018.

A premier power forward in the NHL during his 16-year career, Vic Hadfield was the ultimate teammate who possessed a unique combination of

skill and toughness. He played 13 seasons with the Rangers, registering 262 goals and 310 assists for 572 points, along with 1,041 penalty minutes in 841 games. Hadfield is the only player who has recorded at least 200 goals and 1,000 or more penalty minutes as a member of the Rangers in franchise history. The left wing on the Rangers' Goal-A-Game Line (G-A-G Line) with center Jean Ratelle and right wing Rod Gilbert, Hadfield became the first Ranger



in franchise history to score 50 goals in a season when he reached the milestone in 1971-72. Hadfield, along with Ratelle, and Gilbert, became the first linemates to all register 40 or more goals in the same season in NHL history. In addition, he tied for the team lead in goals (seven) and registered 16 points in 16 games during the Rangers' run to the Stanley Cup Finals in 1971-72. Hadfield ranks fifth in franchise history in goals, power play goals (83), and penalty minutes, ranks eighth in games played, ranks ninth in points, and ranks 10th in assists. Hadfield played in two NHL All-Star Games and was named to the NHL's Second All-Star Team in 1971-72. He was named the 14th captain in franchise history on June 9, 1971, and he served as the team's captain for the final three seasons of his tenure with the Rangers (1971-72 – 1973-74).

HADFIELD 11



HENRIK LUNDQVIST

2005-06 - 2019-20

Henrik Lundqvist became the 11th player in Rangers history to have his number retired when his No. 30 jersey was raised to the Madison Square Garden rafters on January 28, 2022.

Henrik Lundqvist left the Rangers holding over 50 team records, including wins, appearances by a goaltender, shutouts, save percentage (min. 75 appearances), playoff appearances (by either a skater or goaltender - 130), playoff wins (61), playoff shutouts (10), and playoff save percentage (min. 10 appearances - 921). In 2011-12, Lundqvist won the Vezina Trophy as the NHL's



Best Goaltender and was named an NHL All-Star five times (2009, 2011, 2012, 2018, 2019). From his rookie season in 2005-06 to 2016-17, Lundqvist led the Rangers to an incredible 11 playoff appearances in a 12-year span. With him in net, the Blueshirts made a run to a Stanley Cup Final in 2013-14, advanced to the Eastern Conference Final three times in a four-year span (2011-12, 2013-14, 2014-15), and won 11 different playoff series. Along the way, Lundqvist earned six Game 7 wins, tied for the most in NHL history, and he is the only goaltender in NHL history to win six consecutive Game 7s. Lundqvist earned numerous team awards during his 15 seasons with the Rangers. He was named the team's Most Valuable Player in nine different seasons, including seven consecutive seasons from 2006-07 - 2012-13; his nine Rangers MVP awards and seven consecutive

Rangers MVP Awards are both the most in franchise history. Lundqvist was twice named the winner of the Steven McDonald Extra Effort Award (2005-06 and 2017-18), which is presented annually to the Ranger who, as chosen by the fans, "goes above and beyond the call of duty." Lundqvist also received the Lars-Erik Sjoberg Award as the Rangers' Best Rookie in Training Camp (2005), the John Halligan Good Guy Award for cooperation with the media (2007-08), the Rangers Fan Club Frank Boucher Trophy as the team's Most Popular Player on and off the ice (2006-07 and 2009-10), the Rangers Fan Club Rookie of the Year (2005-06), and the Rangers Fan Club Ceil Saidel Memorial Award for dedication to the organization on and off the ice (2005-06 and 2008-09) during his tenure with the Rangers. Lundqvist was also named a finalist for the King Clancy Memorial Trophy in both 2018-19 and 2019-20; the King Clancy Memorial Trophy is awarded annually "to the player who best exemplifies leadership qualities on and off the ice and has made a noteworthy humanitarian contribution in his community."Off the ice, Lundqvist made just as much of an impact on his adopted home. In April of 2014, Henrik and his wife, Therese, founded the Henrik Lundqvist Foundation (HLF). Through its fundraising efforts and community outreach, HLF strives to create positive change in the lives of children and adults throughout the world through education and health services. Since its inception, \$3.8 million has been raised to benefit HLF community partners and HLF's own program, the HLF Young Ambassador Program. In addition, HLF has directly given grants and made commitments of over \$1.8 million supporting children's health and education. Lundqvist also became the official spokesperson for the Garden of Dreams Foundation (GDF) in January of 2009. In 2012, he received the Garden of Dreams Hero Award, which annually honors a person or organization who embodies the spirit and commitment of the Foundation, with active, on-going dedication to children facing obstacles. Over his final six seasons with the Rangers, Lundqvist hosted approximately 1,450 children from various Garden of Dreams partner organizations and their families in "Henrik's Crease" for a Rangers game experience at MSG, courtesy of donations from HLF. On June 21, 2023, Lundqivst was elected to the Hockey Hall of Fame.

Rangers Jersey

The New York Rangers jersey has undergone several alterations throughout the team's history, but the original spirit has endured. Classic and timeless, representing the legacy of a storied franchise.

















1949-50 - 1962-63 HOME: 1950-51; 1955-56* - 1962-63 AWAY: 1951-52 - 1955-56*



1950-51 - 1962-63

AWAY: 1950-51; 1955-56* - 1962-63 HOME: 1951-52 - 1955-56* *In December of 1955, NHL teams switched from wearing color jerseys on the road to wearing them at home for the remainder of the 1955-56 season.

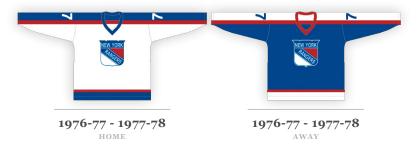
Prior to the 1958-59 season, the Rangers added jersey numbers to the sleeves of their jerseys for the first time in franchise history.



The Rangers added names to the back of their white jerseys when they became their home jerseys in 1970-71.

The Rangers had names added to the back of their blue road jerseys for Game 7 of the Semifinals in 1974 at Philadelphia.

The Rangers wore a patch on their jersey for the 1975-76 season to honor their 50th Anniversary.



The Rangers permanently added names to the back of their road jerseys in 1977-78.

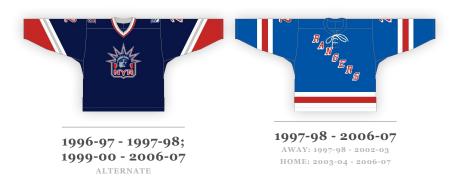




The Rangers wore a patch on their home, road, and alternate/throwback jersey in 1991-92 for the NHL's 75th Anniversary, a patch on their home and road jersey for the 100th Anniversary of the Stanley Cup in 1992-93, and a patch on their road jersey in 1993-94 for the 1994 NHL All-Star Game, which was held at MSG.

For the second half of the 1991-92 season, NHL teams were their home uniforms on the road and their road uniforms at home as part of the league's 75th Anniversary Celebration.

Beginning with the 1990-91 season, the names on the back of jerseys were arched instead of straight across.



The Rangers wore a patch on all of their jerseys during the 1999-00 season, signifying the 1999-00 season.

 $The \ Rangers \ wore \ a \ special \ patch \ on \ all \ of \ their \ jerseys \ in \ 2000-01 \ to \ recognize \ their \ 75 th \ Anniversary.$

The Rangers wore a special ribbon on all of their jerseys during the 2001-02 season following the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks.

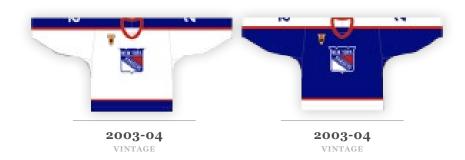
The Rangers wore a special patch on their jersey when the organization retired Mark Messier's jersey No. 11 on January 12, 2006.





On October 7, 2001, the Rangers played their first regular season home game following the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks. The Rangers and their opponent, the Buffalo Sabres, wore commemorative jerseys with "New York" on the front.

COMMEMORATIVE 9/11 JERSEY



The Rangers, along with several NHL teams, wore vintage jerseys for select games during the 2003-04 season. The Rangers, whose vintage jerseys were based off of the jerseys they wore for the 1976-77 and 1977-78 seasons, were these jerseys for five games in 2003-04 (blue jersey for three games and white jersey for two games).



The Rangers wore a special patch on all of their jerseys in 2010-11 to recognize their 85th Anniversary.

The Rangers wore a special patch on all of their jerseys in 2016-17 to recognize their 90th Season.

The Rangers wore a special patch on their jersey when the organization retired Brian Leetch's jersey No. 2 on January 24, 2008, Adam Graves' jersey No. 9 on February 3, 2009, and Harry Howell's jersey No. 3 and Andy Bathgate's jersey No. 9 on February 22, 2009.

The Rangers wore a special patch when they opened the 2008-09 regular season in Prague, Czech Republic and when they opened the 2011-12 regular season in Stockholm, Sweden.

The Rangers were a special patch on all of their jerseys in 2017 to commemorate the NHL's 100th Anniversary.



2010-11 - 2016-17

ALTERNATE



2011-12

NHL WINTER CLASSIC JERSEY



2013-14

NHL STADIUM SERIES JERSEY



2017-18 - Present

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2017-18 - Present

AWAY

2017-18

NHL WINTER CLASSIC JERSEY

The Rangers wore a special patch on their jersey when the organization retired Jean Ratelle's jersey No. 19 on February 25, 2018 and Vie Hadfield's jersey No. 11 on December 2, 2018.

The Rangers wore a special patch on all of their jerseys in 2017 to commemorate the NHL's 100th Anniversary.



2020-21

REVERSE RETRO

2022-23 REVERSE RETRO

Rangers Jersey Patches

Patches the Rangers have worn on their jersey in either regular season or playoff games



RANGERS 25TH ANNIVERSARY 1950-51



RANGERS 50TH ANNIVERSARY 1975-76



NHL 75TH ANNIVERSARY 1991-92



STANLEY CUP 100TH ANNIVERSARY 1992-93



1994 NHL ALL-STAR GAME FIRST HALF OF 1993-94



1994 STANLEY CUP FINALS



NHL 1999-00 SEASON



HALL OF FAME GAME NOV. 20, 1999



RANGERS 75TH ANNIVERSARY 2000-01



9/11 MEMORIAL RIBBON 2001-02



KATRINA RELIEF FUND OCT. 6, 2005



MARK MESSIER NIGHT JAN. 12, 2006



GARTH BROOKS TEAMMATES FOR KIDS JAN. 4, 2007



HALL OF FAME GAME NOV. 10, 2007



BRIAN LEETCH NIGHT JAN. 24, 2008



NHL PREMIERE 2008 - PRAGUE OCT. 4-5, 2008

Rangers Jersey Patches

Patches the Rangers have worn on their jersey in either regular season or playoff games



ADAM GRAVES NIGHT FEB. 3, 2009



BATHGATE/HOWELL NIGHT FEB. 22, 2009



RANGERS 85TH ANNIVERSARY



NHL PREMIERE 2011 - STOCKHOLM OCT. 7-8, 2011



2012 NHL WINTER CLASSIC



2014 NHL STADIUM SERIES



2014 STANLEY CUP FINAL



RANGERS 90TH SEASON 2016-17



NHL 100TH ANNIVERSARY 2017 CALENDAR YEAR



2018 NHL WINTER CLASSIC



JEAN RATELLE NIGHT FEB. 25, 2018



VIC HADFIELD NIGHT DEC. 2, 2018





HENRIK LUNDQVIST NIGHT JAN. 28, 2022

Rangers Crest

The New York Rangers crest has remained largely unchanged since its inception in 1926 - "New York" across the top complements "Rangers" stretching diagonally from top left to bottom right in classic blue, red and white - reflecting both the tradition and nostalgia of a time-honored Original Six club.



1926-35



1948-53



1962-68



1936-47



1954-62



1969-76



2012 NHL Winter Classic



2018 NHL Winter Classic



1976-78



2014 NHL Stadium Series



1978-Present

Liberty Jersey/Logo

In January of 1997, the Rangers unveiled a new alternate jersey featuring the Statue of Liberty. The iconic Liberty jersey and logo added to the storied history and tradition of the Broadway Blueshirts and resonated with a new generation of Rangers fans.



"(Lady Liberty) is not only a strong New York icon, but also a human form with patriotic nuances. (The Rangers) could be America's Team - on another level."

-Ed O'Hara, who helped design the jersey, in 1997



Mike Richter's iconic Statue of Liberty mask, which he wore from the start of the 1992-93 season through his retirement following the 2002-03 season.

A Tradition of Rangers

NHL TEAM AWARDS WON BY THE RANGERS

STANLEY CUP (NHL CHAMPION)
1927-28
1932-33
1939-40
1993-94
PRINCE OF WALES TROPHY* (EASTERN CONFERENCE PLAYOFF CHAMPION)
1993-94
2013-14
PRESIDENTS' TROPHY** (BEST OVERALL REGULAR SEASON RECORD IN NHL)
1941-42
1991-92
1993-94
2014-15

^{*} The Prince of Wales Trophy was first awarded annually to the Wales/Eastern Conference playoff champion in 1981-82.

^{**} The Presidents' Trophy was first awarded annually for the 1985-86 season.

INDIVIDUAL NHL AWARDS WON BY RANGERS PLAYERS

INDIVIDUALIN	IIL AWAKDS	WONDI
HART MEMORIA	L TROPHY	LADY B
PLAYER	YEAR WON	PLAYER
Buddy O'Connor	1947-48	Frank Boucher
Chuck Rayner	1949-50	Frank Boucher
Andy Bathgate	1958-59	Frank Boucher
Mark Messier	1991-92	Frank Boucher
TED LINDSAY	AWARD	Frank Boucher
(FORMERLY LESTER B. F	PEARSON AWARD)	Frank Boucher
PLAYER	YEAR WON	Frank Boucher
ean Ratelle	1971-72	Clint Smith
Mark Messier	1991-92	Buddy O'Connor
aromir Jagr	2005-06	Edgar Laprade
VEZINA TRO		Andy Hebenton
PLAYER	YEAR WON	Camille Henry
ave Kerr	1939-40	Jean Ratelle
ill@incornin/Gilles	1939-40	Wavne Gretzky
ohn Vanbiesbrouck	1970-71	BILL MASTERT
Jenrik Lundgvist	2011-12	PLAYER
•		
gor Shesterkin	2021-22	Jean Ratelle
JAMES NORRIS MEMO		Rod Gilbert
PLAYER	YEAR WON	Anders Hedberg
Ooug Harvey	1961-62	Adam Graves
Harry Howell	1966-67	Dominic Moore
Brian Leetch	1991-92	KING CLANCY
Brian Leetch	1996-97	PLAYER
Adam Fox	2020-21	Adam Graves
CALDER MEMORI	AL TROPHY	LESTER I
LAYER	YEAR WON	PERSON
ilby MacDonald	1939-40	William Jennings
Frant Warwick	1941-42	Terry Sawchuk
dgar Laprade	1945-46	Murray Murdoch
entti Lund	1948-49	Bill Chadwick
orne "Gump" Worsley	1952-53	Phil Esposito
amille Henry	1953-54	Fred Shero
eve Vickers	1972-73	Emile Francis
rian Leetch	1988-89	Lynn Patrick
ART ROSS TRO		Rod Gilbert
LAYER	YEAR WON	Frank Boucher
ill Cook	1926-27	Wavne Gretzky
ill Cook	1932-33	Brian Mullen
	1932-33	Pat LaFontaine
ryan Hextall		
MAURICE "ROCKET" RIC		Craig Patrick
LAYER	YEAR WON	Herb Brooks
ill Cook	1926-27	Larry Pleau
ill Cook	1931-32	John Davidson
ill Cook	1932-33	Marcel Dionne
ryan Hextall	1939-40	Brian Leetch
ryan Hextall	1940-41	John Halligan
ynn Patrick	1941-42	Mark Messier
CONN SMYTHE	TROPHY	Mike Richter
LAYER	YEAR WON	Bob Crocker
Brian Leetch	1993-94	Dr. Jack Blatherwick
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^{***} The Art Ross Trophy was first awarded annually for the 1947-48 season. The players listed prior to 1947-48 were the NHL's leaders in points for a given season.

^{****} The Maurice "Rocket" Richard Trophy was first awarded annually for the 1998-99 season. The players listed prior to 1998-99 were the NHL's leaders in goals for a given season.

Hall of Fame Selections

RANGERS IN THE HOCKEY HALL OF FAME

PLAYERS (55)	YEAR INDUCTED	PLAYERS (CONT'D)	YEAR INDUCTED
Howie Morenz	1945	Bobby Hull	1983
Lester Patrick	1947	Phil Esposito	1984
Bill Cook	1952	Jean Ratelle	1985
Frank Boucher	1958	Ed Giacomin	1987
Ching Johnson	1958	Guy Lafleur	1988
Earl Seibert	1963	Buddy O'Connor	1988
Doug Bentley	1964	Brad Park	1988
Babe Siebert	1964	Clint Smith	1991
Max Bentley	1966	Marcel Dionne	1992
Babe Pratt	1966	Edgar Laprade	1993
Neil Colville	1967	Fred "Bun" Cook	1995
Bryan Hextall	1969	Wayne Gretzky	1999
Bill Gadsby	1970	Mike Gartner	2001
Terry Sawchuk	1971	Jari Kurri	2001
Bernie Geoffrion	1972	Pat LaFontaine	2003
Doug Harvey	1973	Dick Duff	2006
Chuck Rayner	1973	Mark Messier	2007
Art Coulter	1974	Glenn Anderson	2008
Johnny Bower	1976	Brian Leetch	2009
Tim Horton	1977	Luc Robitaille	2009
Andy Bathgate	1978	Pavel Bure	2012
Jacques Plante	1978	Brendan Shanahan	2013
Harry Howell	1979	Eric Lindros	2016
Harry Lumley	1980	Martin St. Louis	2018
Lynn Patrick	1980	Vaclav Nedomansky	2019
Gump Worsley	1980	Sergei Zubov	2019
Allan Stanley	1981	Kevin Lowe	2020
Rod Gilbert	1982	Henrik Lundqvist	2023
BUILDERS (9)	YEAR INDUCTED	BUILDERS (CONT'D)	YEAR INDUCTED
John Kilpatrick	1960	Craig Patrick	2001
William Jennings	1975	Roger Neilson	2002
Emile Francis	1982	Herb Brooks	2006
Bud Poile	1990	Fred Shero	2013
Glen Sather	1997		

RANGERS IN THE U.S. HOCKEY HALL OF FAME

PLAYERS (20)	YEAR INDUCTED	PLAYERS (CONT'D)	YEAR INDUCTED
Taffy Abel	1973	Brian Leetch	2008
Myles Lane	1973	Mike Richter	2008
Victor Desjardins	1974	Tony Amonte	2009
Bill Moe	1974	Kevin Hatcher	2010
Robert E. Dill	1979	Eddie Olczyk	2012
John W. McCartan	1983	Doug Weight	2013
Robbie Ftorek	1991	Chris Drury	2015
Pat LaFontaine	2003	Mathieu Schneider	2015
Bobby Carpenter	2007	Gordon "Red" Berenson	2018
John Vanbiesbrouck	2007	Tony Granato	2020
COACHES (I)	YEAR INDUCTED	ADMINISTRATORS (3)	
Herb Brooks	1990	William M. Jennings	1981
		Craig Patrick	1996
		Larry Pleau	2000

NHL ALL-STAR AND ALL-ROOKIE TEAM SELECTIONS

NIIL ALL-STAR	AND ALL
FIRST TEAM	
PLAYER, POSITION	YEAR
Bill Cook, right wing	1930-31
Lester Patrick, coach	1930-31
Bill Cook, right wing	1931-32
Ching Johnson, defense	1931-32
Lester Patrick, coach	1931-32
Frank Boucher, center	1932-33
Bill Cook, right wing	1932-33
Ching Johnson, defense	1932-33
Lester Patrick, coach	1932-33
Frank Boucher, center	1933-34
Lester Patrick, coach	1933-34
Frank Boucher, center	1934-35
Earl Seibert, defense	1934-35
Lester Patrick, coach	1934-35
Lester Patrick, coach	1935-36
Cecil Dillon, right wing	1937-38
Lester Patrick, coach	1937-38
Bryan Hextall, right wing	1939-40
Dave Kerr, goaltender	1939-40
Bryan Hextall, right wing	1940-41
Bryan Hextall, right wing	1941-42
Lynn Patrick, left wing	1941-42
Frank Boucher, coach	1941-42
Bill Gadsby, defense	1955-56
Bill Gadsby, defense	1957-58
Bill Gadsby, defense	1958-59
Andy Bathgate, right wing	1958-59
Andy Bathgate, right wing	1961-62
Doug Harvey, defense	1961-62
Ed Giacomin, goaltender	1966-67
Harry Howell, defense	1966-67
Brad Park, defense	1969-70
Ed Giacomin, goaltender	1970-71
Brad Park, defense	1971-72
Rod Gilbert, right wing	1971-72
Brad Park, defense	1973-74
John Vanbiesbrouck, goaltender	1985-86
Mark Messier, center	1991-92
Brian Leetch, defense	1991-92
Brian Leetch, defense	
	1996-97
Jaromir Jagr, right wing	2005-06
Henrik Lundqvist, goaltender	2011-12
Artemi Panarin, left wing	2019-20
Adam Fox, defense	2020-21
Igor Shesterkin, goaltender	2021-22
Adam Fox, defense	2022-23

ALL-ROOKIE TEAM					
PLAYER, POSITION	YEAR				
Tomas Sandstrom, right wing	1984-85				
Mike Ridley, center	1985-86				
Tony Granato, right wing	1988-89				
Brian Leetch, defense	1988-89				
Tony Amonte, right wing	1991-92				
Mike York, center	1999-00				
Dan Blackburn, goaltender	2001-02				
Henrik Lundqvist, goaltender	2005-06				
Michael Del Zotto, defense	2009-10				

Brady Skjei, defense	2016-17
K'Andre Miller, defense	2020-21
SECOND TEAM	
PLAYER, POSITION	YEAR
Ching Johnson, defense	1930-31
Frank Boucher, center	1930-31
Bun Cook, left wing	1930-31
Ching Johnson, defense	1933-34
Bill Cook, right wing	1933-34
Cecil Dillon, right wing	1935-36
Cecil Dillon, right wing	1936-37
Dave Kerr, goaltender	1937-38
Art Coulter, defense	1937-38
Art Coulter, defense	1938-39
Neil Colville, center	1938-39
Art Coulter, defense	1939-40
Neil Colville, center	1939-40
Frank Boucher, coach	1939-40
Ott Heller, defense	1940-41
Phil Watson, center	1941-42
Bryan Hextall, right wing	1942-43
Lynn Patrick, left wing	1942-43
Buddy O'Connor, center	1947-48
Neil Colville, defense	1947-48
Chuck Rayner, goaltender	1948-49
Chuck Rayner, goaltender	1949-50
Tony Leswick, left wing	1949-50
Chuck Rayner, goaltender	1950-51
Hy Buller, defense	1951-52
Danny Lewicki, left wing	1954-55
Bill Gadsby, defense	1956-57
Andy Bathgate, right wing	1957-58
Camille Henry, left wing	1957-58
Dean Prentice, left wing	1959-60
Andy Bathgate, right wing	1962-63
Don Marshall, left wing	1966-67
Ed Giacomin, goaltender	1967-68
Jim Neilson, defense	1967-68
Rod Gilbert, right wing	1967-68
Ed Giacomin, goaltender	1968-69
Ed Giacomin, goaltender	1969-70
Brad Park, defense	1970-71
Vic Hadfield, left wing	1971-72
Jean Ratelle, center	1971-72
Brad Park, defense	1972-73
Steve Vickers, left wing	1974-75
Brian Leetch, defense	1990-91
Adam Graves, left wing	1993-94
Brian Leetch, defense	1993-94
Brian Leetch, defense	1995-96
Wayne Gretzky, center	1996-97
Wayne Gretzky, center	1997-98
Marian Gaborik, right wing	2011-12
Henrik Lundqvist, goaltender	2012-13
Artemi Panarin, left wing	2022-23

1947-48	SEASON	TEAM	PLAYER	G	A	PTS
NHL All-Stars						
NHL All-Stars	1747-40		. ·	~	_	•
1948-49						
NHL All-Stars	10/18/10			=	-	=
NHL All-Stars	1740-47					
1949-50						
NHL All-Stars	1949-50					
NHL All-Stars	1747 30		0			
NHL All-Stars				-		-
NHL All-Stars Chuck Rayner 31:30, 0 GA 0 0			2			
1950-51			-	-		
NHL All-Stars	1950 51		3	,		
NHL All-Stars Edgar Laprade 0	1730-31			~		-
1951-52			•	,		
First Team Second Team Chuck Rayner 29:28,1 GA 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1051 52					
Second Team	1731-32					
First Team				~		
First Team Gaye Stewart 0			•	,	-	-
1952-53 Second Team						
First Team	1052 53		-	~		
First Team Leo Reise, Jr. 0 0 0 0	1732-33		· ·		1	1
1953-54			3 (3 ,		-	0
NHL All-Stars Leo Reise, Jr. 0 0 0 0	1053 54		, ,			
NHL All-Stars Paul Ronty 0	1733-34					
1954-55						
NHL All-Stars Don Raleigh O O O O	1054 55			~	_	
NHL All-Stars Paul Ronty 0 0 0 0	1734-33		3	-		-
1955-56						
1956-57	1055 56		3	~	-	
NHL All-Stars Bill Gadsby 0 0 0 0			2			
NHL All-Stars	1730 37			-		-
1957-58						
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NHL All-Stars Dean Prentice 1 2 3	1757 50		3 8	-		
1958-59						
NHL All-Stars Bill Gadsby 0 0 0 0 NHL All-Stars Camille Henry 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1958-59			-	_	-
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NHL All-Stars Red Sullivan 0 1 1 1959-60 NHL All-Stars Andy Bathgate 0 0 0 NHL All-Stars Bill Gadsby 0 0 0			-			
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NHL All-Stars Bill Gadsby 0 0 0	1959-60					
	1737 00		-			
		NHL All-Stars	Red Sullivan	0	0	0

SEASON	TEAM	PLAYER	G	A	PTS
1960-61	NHL All-Stars	Andy Bathgate	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Bill Gadsby	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Andy Hebenton	1	0	1
	NHL All-Stars	Red Sullivan	0	1	1
1961-62	NHL All-Stars	Andy Bathgate	0	1	1
	NHL All-Stars	Doug Harvey	0	O	0
	NHL All-Stars	Gump Worsley	30:00, 0 GA	0	0
1962-63	NHL All-Stars	Andy Bathgate	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Doug Harvey	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Dean Prentice	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Gump Worsley	20:00, 0 GA	0	0
1963-64	NHL All-Stars	Andy Bathgate	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Camille Henry	0	1	1
	NHL All-Stars	Harry Howell	0	0	0
1964-65	NHL All-Stars	Rod Gilbert	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Camille Henry	0	O	0
	NHL All-Stars	Harry Howell	0	1	1
1965-66	NHL All-Stars	Rod Gilbert	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Vic Hadfield	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Harry Howell	0	O	0
1966-67	NHL All-Stars	Ed Giacomin	30:00, 1 GA	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Rod Gilbert	0	O	0
	NHL All-Stars	Harry Howell	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Jim Neilson	0	О	0
	NHL All-Stars	Bob Nevin	0	0	0
1967-68	NHL All-Stars	Ed Giacomin	20:00, 1 GA	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Harry Howell	0	0	0
	NHL All-Stars	Don Marshall	0	O	0
1968-69	East	Ed Giacomin	40:00, 2 GA	0	0
	East	Rod Gilbert	0	1	1
	East	Bob Nevin	1	0	1
1969-70	East	Ed Giacomin	30:00, 1 GA	0	0
	East	Rod Gilbert	0	0	0
	East	Jim Neilson	0	О	0
	East	Brad Park	0	0	0
	East	Jean Ratelle	0	0	0
	East	Walt Tkaczuk	1	0	1
1970-71	East	Dave Balon	0	1	1
	East	Ed Giacomin	31:00, 2 GA	0	0
	East	Jim Neilson	0	0	0
	East	Brad Park	0	0	0
	East	Jean Ratelle	0	0	0
	East	Gilles Villemure	29:00, 0 GA	0	0

SEASON	TEAM	PLAYER	G	A	PTS
1971-72	East	Rod Gilbert	0	1	1
	East	Vic Hadfield	0	0	0
	East	Brad Park	0	1	1
	East	Jean Ratelle	1	0	1
	East	Rod Seiling	0	1	1
	East	Gilles Villemure	29:26, 0 GA	0	0
1972-73	East	Ed Giacomin	30:44, 3 GA	0	0
	East	Brad Park	0	1	1
	East	Jean Ratelle	0	0	0
	East	Gilles Villemure	29:16, 1 GA	0	0
1973-74	East	Brad Park	0	0	0
1974-75	Campbell	Rod Gilbert	0	0	0
	Campbell	Brad Park	0	0	0
	Campbell	Steve Vickers	0	0	0
1975-76	Campbell	Carol Vadnais	0	0	0
	Campbell	Steve Vickers	1	0	1
1976-77	Campbell	Phil Esposito	1	0	1
	Campbell	Rod Gilbert	0	1	1
	Campbell	Don Murdoch	0	0	0
1977-78	Campbell	Phil Esposito	0	0	0
	Campbell	Carol Vadnais	0	0	0
1978-79	NHL (vs. USSR)	Anders Hedberg	0	0	0
	NHL (vs. USSR)	Ulf Nilsson	0	0	0
1979-80	Campbell	Phil Esposito	0	1	1
	Campbell	Ron Greschner	0	0	0
1980-81	Campbell	Ed Johnstone	0	2	2
1981-82	Wales	Barry Beck	0	1	1
	Wales	Ron Duguay	0	0	0
1982-83	Wales	Don Maloney	1	0	1
1983-84	Wales	Pierre Larouche	2	0	2
	Wales	Don Maloney (MVP)	1	3	4
1984-85	Wales	Anders Hedberg	1	0	1
1985-86	Wales	Reijo Ruotsalainen	0	0	0
1986-87	NHL (vs. USSR)	Tomas Sandstrom	0	0	0
1987-88	Wales	Tomas Sandstrom	1	0	1
1988-89	Wales	Brian Mullen	0	1	1
1989-90	Wales	Brian Leetch	0	0	0
1990-91	Wales	Brian Leetch	0	0	0
	Wales	Darren Turcotte	0	1	1
1991-92	Wales	Brian Leetch	0	0	0
	Wales	Mark Messier	0	1	1
	Wales	Mike Richter	20:00, 2 GA	0	0

SEASON	TEAM	PLAYER	G	A	PTS
1992-93	Wales	Mike Gartner (MVP)	4	A	5
1772 75	Wales	Kevin Lowe	0	1	1
	Wales	Brian Leetch (Injured)	-		
	Wales	Mark Messier (Injured)	_	_	_
1993-94	Eastern	Adam Graves	0	2	2
1775 71	Eastern	Brian Leetch	0	0	0
	Eastern	Mark Messier	1	2	3
	Eastern	Mike Richter (MVP)	20:00, 2 GA	0	0
1995-96	Eastern	Brian Leetch	0	1	1
1773 70	Eastern	Mark Messier	0	1	1
	Eastern	Pat Verbeek	1	1	2
1996-97	Eastern	Wayne Gretzky	0	1	1
1770 71	Eastern	Brian Leetch	0	0	0
	Eastern	Mark Messier	1	2	3
1997-98	North America	Wayne Gretzky	0	2	2
1771-76	North America	Brian Leetch	0	0	0
1998-99	North America	Wayne Gretzky (MVP)	1	2	3
1999-00	North America	Mike Richter	20:00, 4 GA	0	0
2000-01	North America	Theoren Fleury	20.00, 4 GA	1	3
2000 01	North America	Brian Leetch	0	1	1
2001-02	North America	Brian Leetch	0	0	0
2001 02	North America	Eric Lindros (Injured)	O	U	O
	North America	Mike York	0	0	0
2002-03	Eastern	Brian Leetch (Injured)	-	-	-
2002 03	Eastern	Tom Poti	0	0	0
2003-04	Eastern	Mark Messier	1	1	2
2003-04	Eastern	Jaromir Jagr	0	1	1
2006-07	Eastern	Brendan Shanahan	0	0	0
2007-08	Eastern	Scott Gomez	0	1	1
2008-09	Eastern	Henrik Lundqvist	20:00, 6 GA	0	0
2010-11	Team Staal	Henrik Lundqvist	18:36, 3 GA	0	0
2010-11	Team Staal	Marc Staal	0	0	0
2011-12	Team Alfreds-	Henrik Lundqvist	19:49, 3GA	0	0
2011-12	Team Alfreds-	Dan Girardi	0	1	1
	Team Chara	Marian Gaborik (MVP)	3	1	4
2014-15	Team Toews	Rick Nash	2	0	2
2015-16	Metropolitan	Ryan McDonagh	0	0	0
2016-17	Metropolitan	Ryan McDonagh	0	0	0
2017-18	Metropolitan	Henrik Lundqvist	10:00, 2 GA	0	0
2017-18	Metropolitan	Henrik Lundqvist	20:00, 2 GA	0	0
2019-20	Metropolitan	Artemi Panarin (Injured)	20.00, 2 GA	-	-
2017 20	Metropolitan	Chris Kreider	0	0	0
2021-22	Metropolitan	Chris Kreider	1	1	2
2021 22	Metropolitan	Adam Fox (Injured)	-	_	
	Metropolitan	Mika Zibanejad (DNP)	-	-	-
2022-23	Metropolitan	Adam Fox	0	1	1
2022-23	Metropolitan	Artemi Panarin	0	3	3
	Metropolitan	Igor Shesterkin	10:00, 4 GA	0	0
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		500TH CAREEL	R NHL GOAL
Mike Gartner	10/14/91	WSH	16th
Mark Messier	11/6/95	CGY	21st
		600TH CAREEL	R NHL GOAL
Phil Esposito	11/4/77	at VAN	3rd
Mike Gartner	12/26/93	NJD	6th
Brendan Shanahan	10/5/06	WSH	15th
Jaromir Jagr	11/19/06	TBL	16th
		700TH CAREEL	R NHL GOAL
Phil Esposito	2/2/80	at WSH	2nd
Marcel Dionne	10/31/87	at NYI	3rd
		700TH CAREER	NHL ASSIST
Phil Esposito	10/26/76	at CLE	7th
Mark Messier	3/2/92	at NJD	22nd
Brian Leetch*	4/13/02	at PHI	T-37th**
		800TH CAREER	
Phil Esposito	1/17/79	NYI	5th
Mark Messier	12/4/93	at TOR	13th
Jaromir Jagr	12/18/05	COL	25th
		900TH CAREER	
Mark Messier	12/15/95	at BUF	8th
Jaromir Jagr	3/17/07	BOS	17th
		1,000TH CAREE	
Marcel Dionne	11/7/87	at LAK	3rd
		1,100TH CAREEI	
Mark Messier	11/18/00	at CGY	4th
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Wayne Gretzky	12/13/96	at BUF	1st
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Wayne Gretzky	3/21/98	DET	1st

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** Leetch and Chris Chelios reached the milestone on the same day

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Rod Gilbert*	2/19/77	at NYI	11th
Mike Gartner	1/4/92	at NJD	33rd
Steve Larmer	3/8/95	NJD	43rd
Pat LaFontaine	1/22/98	PHI	50th
Theo Fleury	10/29/01	DAL	61st
Martin St. Louis	11/28/14	at PHI	81st
		1,100TH CAREER NHI	
Mark Messier	1/23/92	at EDM	22nd
Mike Gartner	3/9/93	LAK	28th
		1,200TH CAREER NH	
Phil Esposito	12/11/75	at BOS	7th
Mark Messier	1/13/93	WSH	16th
		1,300TH CAREER NH	LPOINT
Phil Esposito	1/9/77	LAK	4th
Mark Messier	2/24/94	at NJD	10th
Jaromir Jagr	3/5/04	WSH	26th
Brendan Shanahan	10/29/07	TBL	29th
		1,400TH CAREER NH	LPOINT
Phil Esposito	3/19/78	at MNS	2nd
Mark Messier	12/4/95	ANA	7th
Jaromir Jagr	3/2/06	at PHI	17th
		1,500TH CAREER NH	L POINT
Phil Esposito	10/21/79	PIT	2nd
Mark Messier	12/22/96	FLA	5th
Jaromir Jagr	2/10/07	at WSH	12th
		1,700TH CAREER NHI	POINT
Marcel Dionne	11/3/87	at CGY	2nd
		1,800TH CAREER NH	L POINT
Mark Messier	12/15/01	BUF	3rd
		2,700TH CAREER NH	L POINT
Wayne Gretzky	4/3/97	BOS	1st
		2,800TH CAREER NH	L POINT
Wayne Gretzky	10/17/98	at PIT	1st

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1,000TH CAREER NHL GAME	PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	# PLAYER TO REACH MILESTONE IN NHL HISTORY
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^{*} recorded all totals with the Rangers at the time he reached the milestone

^{***} Stewart and George Armstrong reached the milestone on the same day

**** Boyle and Alex Tanguay reached the milestone on the same day

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT # PLAYE	ER TO REACH MILESTONE IN NHL HISTORY
I DATEN	DAIL	1,300TH CAREER NHL G	
Marcel Dionne	3/12/88	at WSH	12th
Wayne Gretzky	1/12/97	NJD	15th
		1,400TH CAREER NHL G	AME
Wayne Gretzky	3/12/98	at MTL	8th
Brendan Shanahan	1/29/07	at BOS	25th
		4 FOOTH CAREER NIII O	AME
Mark Messier	11/22/00	1,500TH CAREER NHL G	AME 6th
Mark Messier	11/22/00	at NYI	6tH
		1,600TH CAREER NHL G	AME
Mark Messier	2/8/02	at ATL	4th
		1,700TH CAREER NHL GA	AME
Mark Messier	11/23/03	OTT	2nd
		300TH CAREER NHL W	
Mike Richter*	10/28/02	PHX	19th
Henrik Lundqvist*	3/9/14	DET	29th
		400TH CAREER NHL W	/IN
Henrik Lundqvist*	2/11/17	COL	12th
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		50TH CAREER NHL SHUT	TOUT
Dave Kerr	2/25/41	at BOS	8th
Henrik Lundqvist*	3/22/14	at NJD	27th
		OOTH CAREER NHL APPEA	
Gump Worsley* Ed Giacomin*	2/3/62	at TOR at TOR	5th 10th
Mike Richter*	10/12/74 10/30/99	at IOR at MTL	40th
Martin Biron	4/5/12	at PIT	60th
Henrik Lundqvist*	4/5/13	at PIT	61st
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	6	OOTH CAREER NHL APPEA	ARANCE
Jacques Plante	2/2/64	MTL	5th
Kirk McLean	12/27/00	at CAR	28th
Mike Richter*	10/7/01	BUF	30th
Henrik Lundqvist*	12/27/14	NJD	43rd
	7	OOTH CAREER NHL APPEA	DANCE
Henrik Lundqvist*	11/20/16	FLA	25th
Hemrik Eunuqvist"	11/20/10	LLA	2301
	8	OOTH CAREER NHL APPEA	ARANCE
Henrik Lundqvist*	3/10/18	at FLA	15th

^{*} recorded all totals with the Rangers at the time he reached the milestone

RANGERS WHO PLAYED IN INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION

OLYMPICS

PLAYER	COUNTRY	YEAR	MEDAL
Wayne Gretzky	Canada	1998	-
Pat LaFontaine	United States	1998	-
Brian Leetch	United States	1998	=
Mike Richter	United States	1998	-
Ulf Samuelsson	Sweden	1998	-
Niklas Sundstrom	Sweden	1998	-
Radek Dvorak	Czech Republic	2002	-
Theo Fleury	Canada	2002	Gold
Brian Leetch	United States	2002	Silver
Eric Lindros	Canada	2002	Gold
Vladimir Malakhov	Russia	2002	Bronze
Mike Richter	United States	2002	Silver
Mike York	United States	2002	Silver
Marcel Hossa	Slovakia	2006	-
Jaromir Jagr	Czech Republic	2006	Bronze
Darius Kasparaitis	Russia	2006	-
Henrik Lundqvist	Sweden	2006	Gold
Marek Malik	Czech Republic	2006	Bronze
Ville Nieminen	Finland	2006	Silver
Martin Rucinsky	Czech Republic	2006	Bronze
Martin Straka	Czech Republic	2006	Bronze
Fedor Tyutin	Russia	2006	-
Ryan Callahan	United States	2010	Silver
Chris Drury	United States	2010	Silver
Marian Gaborik	Slovakia	2010	-
Olli Jokinen	Finland	2010	Bronze
Henrik Lundqvist	Sweden	2010	-
Ryan Callahan	United States	2014	-
Carl Hagelin	Sweden	2014	Silver
Henrik Lundqvist	Sweden	2014	Silver
Ryan McDonagh	United States	2014	-
Rick Nash	Canada	2014	Gold
Derek Stepan	United States	2014	-
Mats Zuccarello	Norway	2014	-

Note - in 2006, Petr Prucha was named to the Czech Republic roster but missed the tournament due to injury

The list above only includes players who played in the Olympics while also on the Rangers' roster (does not include players whose rights belonged to the Rangers but were not on the team at the time - ex: Brian Leetch and Mike Richter in 1988 Olympics)

RANGERS WHO PLAYED IN INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION

CANADA CUP / WORLD CUP OF HOCKEY

PLAYER	COUNTRY/TEAM	TOURNAMENT	WINNER/RUNNER-UP
Phil Esposito	Canada	1976 Canada Cup	Winner
Steve Baker	United States	1981 Canada Cup	=
Barry Beck	Canada	1981 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
Ron Duguay	Canada	1981 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
Anders Hedberg	Sweden	1981 Canada Cup	Ē
Mikko Leinonen	Finland	1981 Canada Cup	=
Ulf Nilsson	Sweden	1981 Canada Cup	=
Reijo Ruotsalainen	Finland	1981 Canada Cup	=
Dean Talafous	United States	1981 Canada Cup	=
Bob Brooke	United States	1984 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
Tomas Sandstrom	Sweden	1984 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
Peter Sundstrom	Sweden	1984 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
James Patrick	Canada	1987 Canada Cup	Winner
John Vanbiesbrouck	United States	1987 Canada Cup	-
Brian Leetch	United States	1991 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
Mike Richter	United States	1991 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
John Vanbiesbrouck	United States	1991 Canada Cup	Runner-Up
Adam Graves	Canada	1996 World Cup of Hockey	Runner-Up
Wayne Gretzky	Canada	1996 World Cup of Hockey	Runner-Up
Alexander Karpovtsev	Russia	1996 World Cup of Hockey	=
Alexei Kovalev	Russia	1996 World Cup of Hockey	Ē
Brian Leetch	United States	1996 World Cup of Hockey	Winner
Mark Messier	Canada	1996 World Cup of Hockey	Runner-Up
Sergei Nemchinov	Russia	1996 World Cup of Hockey	=
Mike Richter	United States	1996 World Cup of Hockey	Winner
Niklas Sundstrom	Sweden	1996 World Cup of Hockey	=
Jaromir Jagr	Czech Republic	2004 World Cup of Hockey	=
Darius Kasparaitis	Russia	2004 World Cup of Hockey	=
Henrik Lundqvist	Sweden	2016 World Cup of Hockey	=
Ryan McDonagh	United States	2016 World Cup of Hockey	-
J.T. Miller	Team North America	2016 World Cup of Hockey	=
Derek Stepan	United States	2016 World Cup of Hockey	=
Mats Zuccarello	Team Europe	2016 World Cup of Hockey	Runner-Up

TEAM AWARD WINNERS

RANGERS MVP (AS VOTED BY THE PROFESSIONAL

HOCKEYWRITERS ASSOCIATION)	
Lynn Patrick	1941-42
Lynn Patrick Ott Heller and Bryan Hextall	1942-43 1943-44
Ab DeMarco	1943-44
Chuck Rayner	1945-46
Chuck Rayner	1946-47
Buddy O'Connor Edgar Laprade and Chuck Rayner	1947-48 1948-49
Edgar Laprade	1949-50
Don Raleigh	1950-51
Hy Buller	1951-52 1952-53
Paul Ronty Wally Hergesheimer	1952-53
Danny Lewicki	1954-55
Bill Gadsby	1955-56
Andy Bathgate Andy Bathgate	1956-57 1957-58
Andy Bathgate	1958-59
Dean Prentice	1959-60
Gump Worsley	1960-61 1961-62
Andy Bathgate Gump Worsley	1962-63
Harry Howell	1963-64
Don Marshall	1964-65
Bob Nevin Ed Giacomin	1965-66 1966-67
Rod Gilbert	1967-68
Ed Giacomin	1968-69
Walter Tkaczuk Ed Giacomin	1969-70 1970-71
Jean Ratelle	1970-71
Jean Ratelle	1972-73
Brad Park	1973-74
Rod Gilbert Rod Gilbert	1974-75 1975-76
Dave Maloney	1976-77
Walter Tkaczuk	1977-78
Phil Esposito Anders Hedberg	1978-79 1979-80
Eddie Johnstone	1980-81
Barry Beck and Mike Rogers	1981-82
Mark Pavelich Barry Beck	1982-83 1983-84
Tomas Sandstrom	1984-85
John Vanbiesbrouck	1985-86
Walt Poddubny	1986-87
James Patrick Brian Leetch	1987-88 1988-89
John Ogrodnick	1989-90
Brian Leetch	1990-91
Mark Messier Adam Graves	1991-92 1992-93
Adam Graves	1993-94
Mark Messier	1994-95
Mark Messier Brian Leetch	1995-96 1996-97
Wayne Gretzky	1997-98
Brian Leetch	1998-99
Mike Richter Brian Leetch	1999-00 2000-0
Mike Richter	2000-0
Brian Leetch	2002-03
Bobby Holik	2003-04
Jaromir Jagr Henrik Lundqvist	2005-06
Henrik Lundqvist	2007-08
Henrik Lundqvist	2008-09
Henrik Lundqvist Henrik Lundqvist	2009-10 2010-11
Henrik Lundqvist	2011-12
Henrik Lundqvist	2012-13
Ryan McDonagh Rick Nash	2013-14 2014-15
Henrik Lundqvist	2014-15
Ryan McDonagh	2016-17
Henrik Lundqvist	2017-18
Mika Zibanejad Artemi Panarin	2018-19 2019-20
Adam Fox	2020-21
Igor Shesterkin	2021-22
Mika Zibanejad	2022-23

PLAYERS' PLAYER AWARD	
Andy Hebenton	1958-59
Red Sullivan and Andy Hebenton	1959-60
Andy Hebenton	1960-61
Earl Ingarfield	1961-62
Andy Bathgate Rod Gilbert and Phil Goyette	1962-63 1963-64
Harry Howell	1964-65
Wayne Hillman and Don Marshall	1965-66
Harry Howell	1966-67
Jean Ratelle	1967-68
Jean Ratelle	1968-69
Jean Ratelle	1969-70
Jean Ratelle	1970-71
Vic Hadfield Walter Tkaczuk	1971-72 1972-73
Ted Irvine	1973-74
Jean Ratelle	1974-75
John Davidson	1975-76
John Davidson and Phil Esposito	1976-77
John Davidson and Ron Greschner	1977-78
Ulf Nilsson	1978-79
Don Maloney	1979-80
Don Maloney	1980-81
Tom Laidlaw and Mark Pavelich Tom Laidlaw	1981-82 1982-83
Glen Hanlon	1983-84
Reijo Ruotsalainen	1984-85
John Vanbiesbrouck	1985-86
Don Maloney	1986-87
James Patrick	1987-88
Guy Lafleur	1988-89
Kelly Kisio	1989-90
Mike Richter Adam Graves	1990-91 1991-92
Adam Graves	1992-93
Eddie Olczyk	1993-94
Adam Graves	1994-95
Mark Messier	1995-96
Darren Langdon	1996-97
Darren Langdon	1997-98
Adam Graves	1998-99
Mike Richter	1999-00
Brian Leetch Brian Leetch	2000-01 2001-02
Brian Leetch	2002-03
Brian Leetch	2003-04
Jed Ortmeyer and Kevin Weekes	2005-06
Brendan Shanahan	2006-07
Colton Orr and Jason Strudwick	2007-08
Chris Drury and Blair Betts	2008-09
Chris Drury	2009-10
Ryan Callahan	2010-11
Ryan Callahan	2011-12 2012-13
Ryan Callahan Ryan McDonagh	2012-13
Rick Nash	2014-15
Jesper Fast	2015-16
Jesper Fast	2016-17
Jesper Fast	2017-18
Jesper Fast	2018-19
Jesper Fast	2019-20
Ryan Lindgren	2020-21
Jacob Trouba and Barclay Goodrow Ryan Lindgren	2021-22 2022-23
Nyan Emiagren	2022-23

STEVEN MCDONALD EXTRA EFFORT AWARD

The Steven McDonald Extra Effort Award is presented annually to the player who, as chosen by the fans, "goes above and beyond the call of duty". The award, which has been given annually since the 1987-88 season, bears the name of New York City Police Detective Steven McDonald, who was shot and injured in the line of duty on July 12, 1986 and passed away on January 10, 2017.

Jan Erixon	1987-88
Tony Granato	1988-89
John Vanbiesbrouck and Kelly Kisio	1989-90
Jan Erixon	1990-91
Adam Graves	1991-92
Adam Graves	1992-93
Adam Graves	1993-94
Mark Messier	1994-95
Mark Messier	1995-96
Brian Leetch	1996-97

TEAM AWARD WINNERS

Wayne Gretzky	1997-98
Adam Graves	1998-99
Adam Graves	1999-00
Sandy McCarthy	2000-01
Sandy McCarthy	2001-02
Matthew Barnaby	2002-03
Jed Ortmeyer	2003-04
Henrik Lundqvist	2005-06
Jed Ortmeyer	2006-07
Brandon Dubinsky	2007-08
Ryan Callahan	2008-09
Ryan Callahan	2009-10
Brandon Prust	2010-11
Ryan Callahan	2011-12
Ryan Callahan	2012-13
Mats Zuccarello	2013-14
Cam Talbot	2014-15
Mats Zuccarello	2015-16
Mats Zuccarello	2016-17
Henrik Lundqvist	2017-18
Mika Zibanejad	2018-19
Mika Zibanejad	2019-20
Adam Fox	2020-21
Chris Kreider	2021-22
Ryan Lindgren	2022-23

JOHN HALLIGAN GOOD GUY AWARD (COOPERATION WITH MEDIA)

The John Halligan Good Guy Award recognizes

a player for their cooperation with the media throughout the season. The award has been presented annually since the 1974-75 season, and was renamed in 2009-10 to honor the team's late public relations director. Halligan joined the Rangers organization in 1963, and served a number of roles in his 24 years with the Rangers, including Public Relations Director and Business Manager, Vice President of Communications, and Director of Community Relations and Special

Projects. Following his distinguished 53-year career with the Rangers and the National Hockey League, Halligan was honored by USA Hockey and the NHL with the Lester Patrick Award in 2007 for his service to hockey in the United States. Halligan passed away on January 20, 2010.

John Davidson	1976-77
Rod Gilbert	1977-78
Dave Maloney	1978-79
Anders Hedberg	1979-80
Don Maloney	1980-81
Barry Beck	1981-82
Rob McClanahan	1982-83
Pierre Larouche	1983-84
John Vanbiesbrouck	1984-85
Ron Greschner	1985-86
James Patrick	1986-87
Bob Froese	1987-88
Tony Granato	1988-89
Kelly Kisio	1989-90
Mike Richter	1990-91
Ted Irvine	1974-75
Ron Harris	1975-76
Mark Messier	1991-92
Adam Graves	1992-93
Neil Smith	1993-94
Kevin Lowe	1994-95
Glenn Healy	1995-96
Wayne Gretzky	1996-97
Alex Kovalev	1997-98
Kevin Stevens	1998-99
Tim Taylor	1999-00
Petr Nedved	2000-01
Brian Leetch	2001-02
Bobby Holik	2002-03
Eric Lindros	2003-04
Jaromir Jagr	2005-06
Brendan Shanahan	2006-07
Henrik Lundqvist	2007-08
Tom Renney	2008-09
Vinny Prospal and Erik Christensen	2009-10
Ryan Callahan	2010-11
Brian Boyle	2011-12
Dan Girardi	2012-13
Marc Staal	2013-14
Derek Stepan	2014-15
Ryan McDonagh	2015-16
Rick Nash	2016-17
Brady Skjei	2017-18

Mika Zibanejad	2018-19
Chris Kreider	2019-20
Brendan Smith	2020-21
Ryan Strome	2021-22
Filip Chytil	2022-23

LARS-ERIK SJOBERG AWARD (BEST ROOKIE OF TRAINING CAMP)

The Lars-Erik Sjoberg Award is presented annually to the top Rangers rookie during training camp. The award, which was first presented in 1988, bears the name of Lars-Erik Sjoberg, who was the Rangers chief European scout for eight years. During his time with the Blueshirts, Sjoberg played a prominent role in the team's decision to draft Europeans such as Tomas Sandstrom, Jan Erixon, and Ulf Dahlen. Prior to joining the Rangers as a scout, Sjoberg played five seasons with the Winnipeg Jets during their time in the World

Hockey Association (WHA), and he also skated with Winnipeg in its inaugural NHL season in 1979-80. He passed away on October 20, 1987 at the age of 43.

Mike Richter	1988
Troy Mallette	1989
Steven Rice	1990
Tony Amonte	1991
Peter Andersson	1992
Mattias Norstrom	1993
Mattias Norstrom	1994
Niklas Sundstrom	1995
Eric Cairns	1996
Marc Savard	1997
Manny Malhotra	1998
Kim Johnsson	1999
Filip Novak	2000
Dan Blackburn	2001
Jamie Lundmark	2002
Dominic Moore	2003
Henrik Lundqvist	2005
Nigel Dawes and Brandon Dubinsky	2006
Marc Staal	2007
Lauri Korpikoski	2008
Matt Gilroy	2009
Derek Stepan	2010
Carl Hagelin	2011
Jesper Fast	2013
Anthony Duclair	2014
Oscar Lindberg	2015
Jimmy Vesey	2016
Filip Chytil	2017
Lias Andersson	2018
Adam Fox	2019
Nils Lundkvist	2021
Brennan Othmann	2022

RANGERS FAN CLUB FRANK BOUCHER TROPHY (MOST POPULAR PLAYER ON AND OFF THE ICE)

The Frank Boucher Trophy was awarded annually to the Ranger who was considered the most popular player on and off the ice, as chosen by members of the Rangers Fan Club. The trophy bears the name of Rangers legend and Hall of Famer Frank Boucher, who was a member of the organization for 31 years as a player, coach, and general manager. During his 13-year playing career with the team, he won the Lady Byng Trophy seven times, the most of any player

in NHL history, and captured the Stanley Cup in 1927-28 and 1932-33. He also led the Rangers to the franchise's third Stanley Cup in his first season as head coach in 1939-40. He is one of only two men, along with Lester Patrick, who have won three Stanley Cups with the Rangers.

Don Raleigh	1951-52
Wally Hergesheimer	1952-53
Johnny Bower	1953-54
Edgar Laprade	1954-55
Gump Worsley	1955-56
Andy Bathgate	1956-57
Andy Bathgate	1957-58
Andy Bathgate	1958-59
Dean Prentice	1959-60
Gump Worsley	1960-61
Andy Bathgate	1961-62
Gump Worsley	1962-63

TEAM AWARD WINNERS

Rod Gilbert	1963-64
Harry Howell	1964-65
Harry Howell	1965-66
Harry Howell	1966-67
Rod Gilbert	1967-68
Ed Giacomin	1968-69
Walter Tkaczuk	1969-70
Dave Balon	1970-71
Jean Ratelle	1971-72
Jean Ratelle	1972-73
Brad Park	1973-74
Rod Gilbert	1974-75
Rod Gilbert	1975-76
Rod Gilbert	1976-77
Pat Hickey	1977-78
Phil Esposito	1978-79
Phil Esposito	1979-80
Eddie Johnstone	1980-81
Nick Fotiu	1981-82
Mark Pavelich	1982-83
Barry Beck and Nick Fotiu	1983-84
Anders Hedberg and Mike Rogers	1984-85
John Vanbiesbrouck	1985-86
Walt Poddubny	1986-87
Walt Poddubny	1987-88
Guy Lafleur	1988-89
Brian Mullen	1989-90
Mike Richter	1990-91
Mark Messier	1991-92
Mike Gartner	1992-93
Adam Graves	1993-94
Mark Messier	1994-95
Mark Messier	1995-96
Mark Messier	1996-97
Wayne Gretzky	1997-98
Mike Richter	1998-99
Mike Richter	1999-00
Brian Leetch	2000-01
Mike Richter	2001-02
Mike Dunham	2002-03
Eric Lindros	2003-04
Jaromir Jagr	2005-06
Henrik Lundqvist	2006-07
Sean Avery	2007-08
Blair Betts	2008-09
Henrik Lundqvist	2009-10

RANGERS FAN CLUB	
ROOKIE OF THE YEAR	

John Vanbiesbrouck	1984-85
Mike Ridley	1985-86
Terry Carkner	1986-87
Ulf Dahlen	1987-88
Brian Leetch and Tony Granato	1988-89
Darren Turcotte	1989-90
Mike Richter	1990-91
Tony Amonte	1991-92
Sergei Zubov	1992-93
Alexander Karpovtsev	1993-94
Mike York	1999-00
Tomas Kloucek	2000-01
Dan Blackburn	2001-02
Jamie Lundmark	2002-03
Jed Ortmeyer	2003-04
Henrik Lundqvist	2005-06
Dan Girardi	2006-07
Brandon Dubinsky	2007-08
Lauri Korpikoski	2008-09
Michael Del Zotto	2009-10

RANGERS FAN CLUB CEIL SAIDEL MEMORIAL AWARD (FOR DEDICATION TO THE ORGANIZATION ON AND OFF THE ICE)

The Ceil Saidel Memorial Award was given annually to recognize a player, as chosen by members of the Rangers Fan Club, for their dedication to the organization on and off the ice. The award, which was first presented in 1994-95, bears the name of

Ceil Saidel, who was a longtime Rangers season ticket holder and member of the Fan Club since its inception in 1951. During the 1994 Stanley Cup Playoffs, Saidel's life was taken suddenly in an attempted robbery.

Adam Graves	1994-95
Adam Graves and Glenn Healy	1995-96
Adam Graves	1996-97
Adam Graves	1997-98
Adam Graves	1998-99
Adam Graves	1999-00
Adam Graves	2000-01
Brian Leetch	2001-02
Brian Leetch	2002-03
Mark Messier	2003-04
Henrik Lundqvist	2005-06
Brendan Shanahan	2006-07
Brendan Shanahan	2007-08
Henrik Lundqvist	2008-09
Erik Christensen	2009-10

"CRUMB BUM" AWARD (FOR SERVICE TO NEW YORK YOUNGSTERS)

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Ed Hospodar	1981
Barry Beck	1982
Nick Fotiu	1983
Dave and Don Maloney	1984
Ron Greschner	1985
John Vanbiesbrouck	1987
Pierre Larouche	1988
Guy Lafleur	1989
Carey Wilson	1990
Mike Gartner	1991
Kris King	1992
Adam Graves	1993
Brian Leetch	1994
Mark Messier	1995
Jeff Beukeboom	1996
Mike Richter	1997
Rod Gilbert	1999
Matthew Barnaby	2004

ROD GILBERT "MR. RANGER" AWARD

Beginning with the 2021-22 season, the Rod Gilbert "Mr. Ranger" Award recognizes the Rangers player "who best honors Rod's legacy by exemplifying leadership qualities both on and off the ice and making a significant humanitarian contribution to his community."

Chris Kreider	2021-22
Jacob Trouba	2022-23

The 50 Greatest Moments at Madison Square Garden

In 2006, Madison Square Garden unveiled the list of the 50 greatest moments that took place at The World's Most Famous Arena. The list not only features defining moments and events in the history of MSG, but some of the greatest moments in sports and entertainment history.

Ten of the 50 moments that were included were related to the Rangers. These 10 moments defined a franchise, honored some of the best players to ever play the game, and in turn, helped make Madison Square Garden the World's Most Famous Arena.

RANGERS MOMENTS INCLUDED IN THE 50 GREATEST MOMENTS AT MADISON SQUARE GARDEN

MOMENT#	MOMENT
2	Rangers Win the Stanley Cup in 1994
6	Stephane Matteau's Double OT Goal in 1994
10	Wayne Gretzky's Final NHL Game in 1999
11	Mark Messier Night in 2006
18	Pete Stemkowski's Triple OT Goal in 1971
28	Rangers Beat Islanders to Advance to 1979 Stanley Cup Finals
31	Rangers' First Home Game After 9/11
40	Mike Richter Named MVP of 1994 NHL All-Star Game
41	Ed Giacomin's Return to MSG in 1975
46	Wayne Gretzky's Hat Trick in 1997 Playoffs

#46 - Gretzky's Hat Trick

Throughout the history of the Rangers, several of the greatest players of all-time have donned the Blueshirt. In 1996, *the* greatest player of all-time became a Ranger.

Wayne Gretzky's arrival captivated the sports scene in New York. Reunited with his friend and former teammate with the Edmonton Oilers, Mark Messier, a rejuvenated Gretzky recorded 97 points in his first season with the Rangers in 1996-97, and he helped lead the team into the 1997 Stanley Cup Playoffs.

The Rangers' opponent in the Eastern Conference Quarterfinals was the Florida Panthers. After splitting the first two games of the series in Florida, the Rangers rallied to win Game 3 of the series in overtime at MSG. In Game 4, Gretzky delivered a virtuoso performance.

With the Blueshirts trailing the Panthers, 1-0, in the second period, Gretzky took a pass from Brian Leetch in the right circle and beat Panthers goalie John Vanbiesbrouck with a one-timer to tie the game. Just over three minutes later Gretzky scored again with a slapshot to give the Rangers a 2-1 lead. Near the midway point of the period, Gretzky completed his hat trick, as he initially faked a slapshot, held onto the puck to create a different angle, and then took a slapshot that went off the post and in the net.

With three goals in a span of 6:23, Gretzky's hat trick led the Rangers to a 3-2 win.



"I was so happy to see him do that - to play the way he did, score goals, and just give everyone in New York a glimpse of how great of a hockey player he was."

- Mark Messier

#41 - "Eddie! Eddie!"

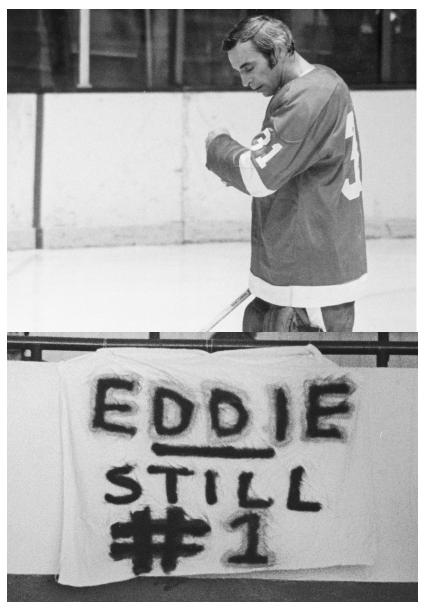
For 10 seasons, Ed Giacomin was the heart of the New York Rangers and captivated the hearts of Rangers fans.

A tough, tenacious goaltender, Giacomin was the backbone of the Rangers team that rose to prominence in the late 1960's and early 1970's and ultimately advanced to the Stanley Cup Finals in 1971-72. In addition, his style of play and personality made him popular with the fans, who filled MSG with chants of "Eddie! Eddie!" during his tenure.

With the team in transition early in the 1975-76 season, Giacomin was placed on waivers by the Rangers. On Oct. 31, 1975, Giacomin's Rangers career ended, as he was claimed by the Detroit Red Wings.

Two nights later, he was back at Madison Square Garden, making his Red Wings debut against his now former team.

It didn't matter that Giacomin was wearing a red uniform with No. 31 on it, as opposed to the No. 1 jersey he wore for so many games with the Blueshirts. Rangers fans chanted "Eddie! Eddie" the moment he stepped on the ice, and didn't stop rooting for him until he made 42 saves and led Detroit to a 6-4 win over the Rangers.



"So many things have happened on that stage (at MSG). But I think the uniqueness of this particular moment, the fact that he was coming back with another team and having 17,500 people root for him, we'll probably never see that again."

- John Halligan, former Rangers PR Director

#40 - Richter's All-Star Game MVP

The 1993-94 season featured several magical moments in Rangers history. One of those moments took place on January 22, 1994, when Madison Square Garden hosted the NHL All-Star Game for the second time in its history.

Four Rangers played for the Eastern Conference in the game – forwards Mark Messier and Adam Graves, defenseman Brian Leetch, and goaltender Mike Richter. Messier was the Rangers' captain (and the Eastern Conference captain), Graves was in the midst of a 52-goal season (a Rangers record at the time), and Leetch was a perennial All-Star who had already won a Norris Trophy as the NHL's Best Defenseman (and would win the Conn Smythe Trophy as Playoff MVP later that year).

But on that day, Richter was the star among all of the All-Stars.

Richter stopped 19 of 21 shots while playing the second period of the game, including five saves on the NHL's leading goal scorer, the Vancouver Canucks' Pavel Bure. One of those saves – a right pad save on a Bure breakaway – would prove to be prophetic several months later, when Richter made a near-identical save on Bure during a penalty shot in Game 4 of the 1994 Stanley Cup Finals.

Richter's performance earned him MVP honors at the 1994 All-Star Game, as the Eastern Conference defeated the Western Conference, 9-8.



"I think if a goalie plays as well as Mike did, it's pretty much a shoo-in (for MVP)."

- Mark Messier

"There's a truck in his driveway, and I gave it to him."

- Pavel Bure

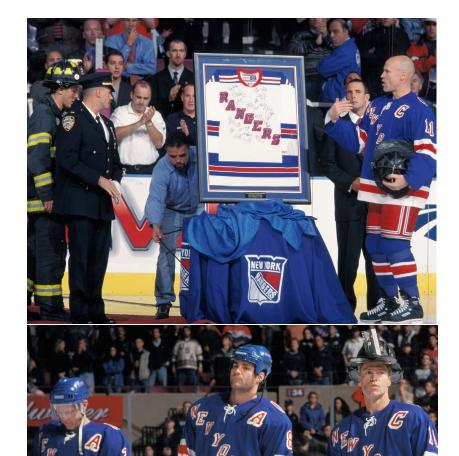
#31 - Rangers' 9/11 Tribute

Like everyone in New York and throughout the world, the Rangers were shocked and saddened by the terrorist attacks that took place on September 11, 2001.

Less than a month later, on October 7, the Rangers played their first regular season game at Madison Square Garden since the attacks. Before the puck dropped for their game against the Buffalo Sabres, the Rangers held an emotional pre-game ceremony.

The 2001-02 Rangers were joined on the ice by members of the FDNY and NYPD hockey teams. During the ceremony, Mark Messier was given the fire helmet of Chief Ray Downey, who passed away on September 11. Messier wore the helmet throughout the pre-game ceremony, and in his address to the crowd, the Rangers' captain said "To all of the firefighters, the police department, the rescue workers, and all of the volunteers who helped out so heroically, we dedicate this entire season, from the top of the organization on down, to you."

For that night's game, the Rangers and Sabres wore special jerseys with "New York" on the front. The Rangers capped off the emotional evening with a 5-4 win in overtime, as Brian Leetch scored the game-winning goal.



"When you come back for that first game, there's a lot of talk about when is it ok to resume life. Nobody has a great answer for that, but I think one of the things you have to think about in these situations is it's important to (resume life). I think that was a very proud moment at The Garden and a very powerful one."

- Mike Richter

#28 - Rangers Eliminate Islanders

The Rangers have had rivalries with several teams throughout their history. Since the New York Islanders entered the NHL in 1972, they have been the Rangers' biggest rival.

The apex of the Rangers-Islanders rivalry occurred in 1979, when the two teams met in the Semifinals with a trip to the Stanley Cup Finals at stake. The Rangers entered the series as the underdog; the Islanders had posted the best regular season record in the NHL and had the league's top goal scorer and top point scorer that season.

The Rangers' roster featured veteran leader Phil Esposito, several young players such as Dave Maloney, Ron Duguay, and Ron Greschner, and 26-year-old goaltender John Davidson. Davidson led the Rangers throughout the series, and after five games, the Rangers led the series three-games-to-two and had a chance to close out the series in Game 6 at MSG.

The Islanders took a 1-0 lead in the first period, but goals by Don Murdoch and Greschner in the second period gave the Rangers a 2-1 lead. Protecting a one-goal lead, Davidson and the Rangers' defense stood tall for the final half of the game. The MSG crowd roared as the clock ticked down and the Rangers eliminated the Islanders to advance to the Stanley Cup Finals. Once the buzzer sounded, the entire team mobbed Davidson in the crease, recognizing his outstanding performance in leading the Rangers to one of the greatest playoff series wins in franchise history.



"To see the explosion of emotion in Madison Square Garden was astonishing. It was just flat out crazy. ... That run was significant because of the feeling of what New York gave back to us."

- John Davidson

#18 - Stemkowski's Triple OT Winner

For everyone who attended Game 6 of the 1971 Semifinals between the Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks at MSG – and for those who weren't there but remember the game fondly as if they were in attendance – the marathon battle remains an indelible moment.

The Rangers entered the game facing elimination, trailing Chicago three-games-to-two in the series. When the Black Hawks took a 2-0 lead in the second period, the Garden Faithful feared the Rangers' outstanding 1970-71 season may be over. But the Blueshirts rallied, as Rod Gilbert scored in the second period to cut the deficit in half and Jean Ratelle scored 4:21 into in the third period to tie the game. From there, the marathon began.

The Rangers had dominated the majority of the game, including in overtime, but had difficulty beating Chicago goaltender Tony Esposito. Early in the third overtime period, Tim Horton shot the puck into the Chicago zone. Instead of carrying around the boards, the puck came right out to Ted Irvine at the left circle. Irvine took a shot that Esposito stopped, but Esposito kicked out the rebound onto the stick of Pete Stemkowski. Stemkowski, at 1:29 of the third overtime period and just before midnight, etched his name into Rangers lore by scoring a goal on the rebound to win the game and tie the series.

The Rangers' triple overtime win against Chicago remains the longest game that the Rangers have won at MSG in franchise history.



"It was the finest game I've ever seen the New York Rangers play."

- Emile Francis

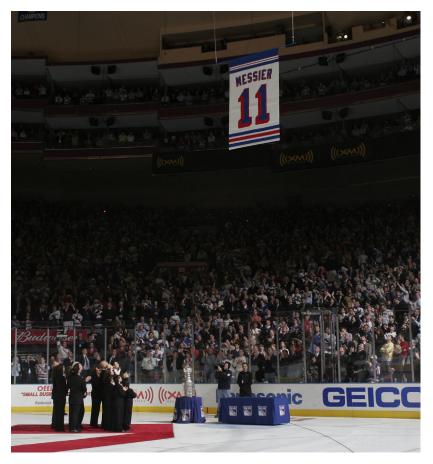
#11 - Mark Messier Night

Few players, if any, made as much of an impact on the New York Rangers as Mark Messier.

Known simply as "The Captain", Messier provided some of the most memorable individual and team performances in franchise history during his 10 seasons with the Blueshirts, such as his famous "Guarantee" in Game 6 of the 1994 Eastern Conference Finals and the team's Stanley Cup Championship in 1993-94.

Therefore, it came as no surprise that, upon announcing his retirement on September 12, 2005, the Rangers announced they would retire his No. 11 jersey on January 12, 2006.

The emotional ceremony included speeches from Messier, as well as his longtime teammates Adam Graves, Brian Leetch, and Mike Richter. Prior to seeing his banner going up to the rafters, Messier lifted the Stanley Cup at MSG one more time, to the delight of the MSG crowd. Messier and his family then watched his No. 11 jersey ascend to the Garden's famed ceiling, cementing his place in Rangers history.



"I remember (Knicks legend Dave) DeBusschere's retirement. I remember the night that they raised (Knicks legendary Head Coach Red) Holzman's number to the rafters. I remember (Knicks legend) Willis Reed's retirement. But I don't think anything has ever topped Messier's jersey going up to the rafters. That was a moment that your heart was in your throat. It was that special."

- Bruce Beck, longtime New York City sportscaster

#10 - The Great One Says Goodbye

For three seasons, Wayne Gretzky graced the Madison Square Garden ice as a member of the New York Rangers. But prior to the final game of the 1998-99 season, Gretzky announced that he would retire following the Rangers' game on April 18, 1999, ending the greatest career in NHL history.

In an on-ice ceremony prior to his final game, NHL Commissioner Gary Bettman announced that no NHL player would ever wear No. 99 again. With his family and several former teammates in attendance, Gretzky recorded the final point of his storied career, an assist on a Brian Leetch goal in the second period.

When the game ended, and he was named the game's First, Second, and Third Star, an emotional Gretzky skated around the Garden ice while the crowd gave him a standing ovation.

Years later, Gretzky said his last game was "one of the greatest days of my life. I wouldn't trade in the way I retired for anything ever in the world."



"The greatest place to play as a professional athlete is New York. ... Considering the Rangers' storied past and time-honored traditions, I felt it was appropriate that it was a Rangers jersey that I wore for that final game."

- Wayne Gretzky

#6 - "Matteau! Matteau!"

The Rangers have scored more than 20,000 regular season and playoff goals in franchise history, but none are as memorable as Stephane Matteau's goal at 4:24 of the second overtime in Game 7 of the 1994 Eastern Conference Finals against the New Jersey Devils.

With a trip to the Stanley Cup Finals on the line, the Rangers held a 1-0 lead in Game 7 until New Jersey tied the game with 7.7 seconds remaining in regulation. In 24 minutes and 24 seconds of tension-filled, sudden-death overtime, the Rangers and Devils traded scoring chances until Matteau picked up a loose puck and beat Devils goaltender Martin Brodeur with a wraparound shot that sent the Rangers to the Finals and MSG into a frenzy.

In addition, Matteau's iconic goal was cemented by the call from former Rangers radio announcer Howie Rose:

"Fetisov for the Devils plays it cross-ice, into the far corner. Matteau swoops in to intercept. Matteau behind the net. Swings it in front ... He scores! Matteau! Matteau! Stephane Matteau! And the Rangers have one more hill to climb, baby, but it's Mount Vancouver. The Rangers are headed to the Finals!"





"I had the best seat in the house (for the goal); I was over (the net). ... I was embarrassed at first (about the Matteau! Matteau! Matteau! call), but today I cherish it and I can share it with the fans."

- Stephane Matteau

#2 - The Waiting Is Over

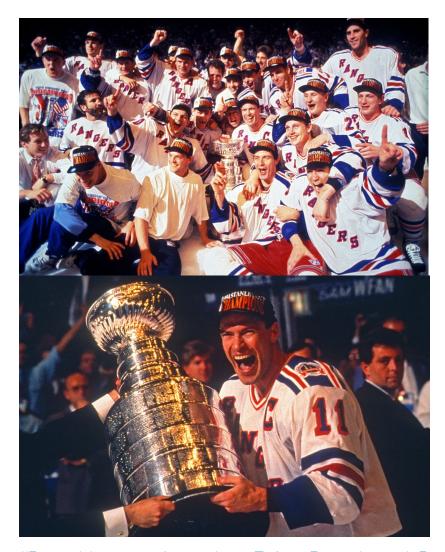
In the most iconic game in franchise history, the Rangers faced the Vancouver Canucks in Game 7 of the 1994 Stanley Cup Finals with a chance to win the franchise's first Stanley Cup in 54 years.

The Rangers jumped out to a 2-0 lead on goals by Brian Leetch and Adam Graves in the first period. Vancouver cut the lead to one in the second period, but Mark Messier's power play goal at 13:29 of the second period gave the Rangers a 3-1 lead entering the third period.

The Canucks scored in the third period to cut the Rangers' lead to 3-2. As the MSG crowd held its collective breath, the Rangers were able to hold the lead. After a final faceoff with 1.6 seconds remaining, the Rangers and their fans erupted with joy, setting off a celebration that hadn't previously been known at The Garden.

The joy of winning the Stanley Cup and ending a 54-year drought was illustrated by MSG Network's Sam Rosen in his call at the end of Game 7:

"The waiting is over! The New York Rangers are the Stanley Cup Champions! And this one will last a lifetime!"



"I could remember when Brian Leetch and I were both young, we'd be walking through the city saying, 'Could you imagine winning here? Could you imagine what it would be like?' I've got a pretty vivid imagination, but it was better than anything I anticipated. It was more special than I ever could have dreamed."

- Mike Richter