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### COACHING STAFF

**Head Coach:** Dan Bylsma  
**Assistant Coach:** Terry Murray  
**Assistant Coach:** Dave Barr  
**Assistant Coach:** Dan Lambert  
**Goaltending Coach:** Andrew Allen

### PRONUNCIATIONS

**Colaiacovo, Carlo:** (koh-lee-A-koh-voh)  
**Deslauriers, Nicolas:** (duh-LOHR-ree-AY)  
**Foligno, Marcus:** (foh-LEE-noh)  
**Franson, Cody:** (FRAN-suhn)  
**Girgensons, Zemgus:** (GEER-gehn-suhnz, ZEHM-guhz)  
**Gorges, Josh:** (JOHR-juhzh)  
**Larsson, Johan:** (YOH-hahn)  
**Ullmark, Linus:** (LEE-nuhs)  
**Reinhart, Sam:** (RIGHN-hahrt)  
**Ristolainen, Rasmus:** (rihs-toh-LIGH-nehnn, RAS-mus)

### LEADING SCORERS

**Ryan O'Reilly:**  
37 GP, 14 G, 18 A, 32 PTS  
**Rasmus Ristolainen:**  
37 GP, 7 G, 17 A, 24 PTS  
**Jack Eichel:**  
37 GP, 11 G, 11 A, 22 PTS

### LEADING SCORERS VS. NYI

**Brian Gionta:**  
58 GP, 14 G, 14 A, 28 PTS  
**David Legwand:**  
15 GP, 1 G, 9 A, 10 PTS  
**Tyler Ennis:**  
16 GP, 4 G, 5 A, 9 PTS

### LAST 10 GAMES VS. NYI

11/1/15: **BUF 2** at NYI 1  
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3/15/14: **BUF 1** at NYI 4  
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2/23/13: **NYI 4** at BUF 0  
2/9/13: **BUF 3** at NYI 2

### FORWARDS

## 88 JAMIE MCGINN

6'1", 205 lbs. • Fergus, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 8 G, 9 A, 17 PTS, 4 PIM  
**Career:**  
403 GP, 77 G, 68 A, 145 PTS, 176 PIM

## 90 RYAN O'REILLY

6'1", 210 lbs. • Clinton, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 14 G, 18 A, 32 PTS, 6 PIM  
**Career:**  
464 GP, 104 G, 174 A, 278 PTS, 70 PIM

## 23 SAM REINHART

6'1", 189 lbs. • North Vancouver, B.C.  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 8 G, 7 A, 15 PTS, 6 PIM  
**Career:**  
46 GP, 8 G, 8 A, 16 PTS, 8 PIM

## 9 EVANDER KANE

6'2", 204 lbs. • Vancouver, B.C.  
**2015-16:**  
27 GP, 8 G, 5 A, 13 PTS, 26 PIM  
**Career:**  
388 GP, 117 G, 118 A, 235 PTS, 411 PIM

## 22 JOHAN LARSSON

5'11", 200 lbs. • Lau, Sweden  
**2015-16:**  
34 GP, 1 G, 3 A, 4 PTS, 8 PIM  
**Career:**  
102 GP, 7 G, 17 A, 24 PTS, 39 PIM

## 26 MATT MOULSON

6'1", 212 lbs. • North York, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
36 GP, 4 G, 8 A, 12 PTS, 6 PIM  
**Career:**  
510 GP, 158 G, 170 A, 328 PTS, 100 PIM

## 28 ZEMGUS GIRGENSONS

6'1", 203 lbs. • Riga, Latvia  
**2015-16:**  
33 GP, 3 G, 4 A, 7 PTS, 10 PIM  
**Career:**  
164 GP, 26 G, 33 A, 59 PTS, 49 PIM

## 15 JACK EICHEL

6'2", 201 lbs. • N. Chelmsford, Mass.  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 11 G, 11 A, 22 PTS, 6 PIM  
**Career:**  
37 GP, 11 G, 11 A, 22 PTS, 6 PIM

## 12 BRIAN GIONTA

5'7", 178 lbs. • Rochester, N.Y.  
**2015-16:**  
34 GP, 4 G, 7 A, 11 PTS, 4 PIM  
**Career:**  
879 GP, 266 G, 265 A, 531 PTS, 345 PIM

## 44 NICOLAS DESLAURIERS

6'1", 212 lbs. • LaSalle, Quebec  
**2015-16:**  
36 GP, 3 G, 4 A, 7 PTS, 23 PIM  
**Career:**  
135 GP, 9 G, 14 A, 23 PTS, 112 PIM

## 17 DAVID LEGWAND

6'2", 207 lbs. • Detroit, Michigan  
**2015-16:**  
34 GP, 2 G, 6 A, 8 PTS, 8 PIM  
**Career:**  
1,091 GP, 225 G, 387 A, 612 PTS, 545 PIM

## 82 MARCUS FOLIGNO

6'3", 226 lbs. • Buffalo, N.Y.  
**2015-16:**  
31 GP, 2 G, 5 A, 7 PTS, 22 PIM  
**Career:**  
223 GP, 28 G, 49 A, 77 PTS, 204 PIM

### DEFENSEMEN

## 4 JOSH GORGES

6'1", 203 lbs. • Kelowna, B.C.  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 1 G, 5 A, 6 PTS, 44 PIM  
**Career:**  
643 GP, 15 G, 95 A, 110 PTS, 309 PIM

## 55 RASMUS RISTOLAINEN

6'4", 207 lbs. • Turku, Finland  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 7 G, 17 A, 24 PTS, 2 PIM  
**Career:**  
149 GP, 17 G, 31 A, 48 PTS, 34 PIM

## 29 JAKE MCCABE

6'0", 214 lbs. • Eau Claire, Wisconsin  
**2015-16:**  
34 GP, 3 G, 4 A, 7 PTS, 10 PIM  
**Career:**  
43 GP, 3 G, 5 A, 8 PTS, 25 PIM

## 47 ZACH BOGOSIAN

6'3", 219 lbs. • Massena, N.Y.  
**2015-16:**  
20 GP, 1 G, 4 A, 5 PTS, 8 PIM  
**Career:**  
434 GP, 41 G, 98 A, 139 PTS, 371 PIM

## 6 MIKE WEBER

6'2", 217 lbs. • Pittsburgh, Pa.  
**2015-16:**  
20 GP, 0 G, 3 A, 3 PTS, 17 PIM  
**Career:**  
326 GP, 8 G, 43 A, 51 PTS, 394 PIM

## 46 CODY FRANSON

6'5", 234 lbs. • Sicamous, B.C.  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 3 G, 10 A, 13 PTS, 16 PIM  
**Career:**  
437 GP, 38 G, 144 A, 182 PTS, 150 PIM

### SCRATCHES

## 25 CARLO COLAIACOVO

6'1", 202 lbs. • Toronto, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
19 GP, 0 G, 4 A, 4 PTS, 4 PIM  
**Career:**  
453 GP, 33 G, 123 A, 156 PTS, 225 PIM

## 63 TYLER ENNIS

5'9", 160 lbs. • Edmonton, Alberta  
**2015-16:**  
23 GP, 3 G, 8 A, 11 PTS, 11 PIM  
**Career:**  
368 GP, 92 G, 131 A, 223 PTS, 156 PIM

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**Bernier, Steve:** (BUHRN-yay)  
**Cizikas, Casey:** (sih-ZEE-kuhs)  
**de Haan, Calvin:** (DUH HAWN)  
**Greiss, Thomas:** (GRIGHS)  
**Hamonic, Travis:** (HA-mohn-ihk)  
**Kulemin, Nikolay:** (KOOL-ay-mihn, NIH-koh-ligh)  
**Lee, Anders:** (AN-duhrz)  
**Nielsen, Frans:** (NEEL-sehn, FRAHNZ)  
**Okposo, Kyle:** (OH-poh-soh)  
**Strome, Ryan:** (STROHM)  
**Tavares, John:** (tah-VEH-rihs)  
**Zidlicky, Marek:** (zihd-LIH-kee, MAIR-ehk)

### LEADING SCORERS

**John Tavares:**  
34 GP, 14 G, 13 A, 27 PTS  
**Kyle Okposo:**  
35 GP, 8 G, 18 A, 26 PTS  
**Frans Nielsen:**  
37 GP, 13 G, 11 A, 24 PTS

### LEADING SCORERS VS. BUF

**John Tavares:**  
19 GP, 10 G, 10 A, 20 PTS  
**Mikhail Grabovski:**  
33 GP, 9 G, 11 A, 20 PTS  
**Nikolay Kulemin:**  
35 GP, 9 G, 8 A, 17 PTS

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### FORWARDS

## 27 ANDERS LEE

6'3", 228 lbs. • Edina, Minnesota  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 5 G, 12 A, 17 PTS, 16 PIM  
**Career:**  
137 GP, 40 G, 34 A, 74 PTS, 63 PIM

## 91 JOHN TAVARES

6'1", 211 lbs. • Mississauga, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
34 GP, 14 G, 13 A, 27 PTS, 24 PIM  
**Career:**  
466 GP, 188 G, 240 A, 428 PTS, 229 PIM

## 12 JOSH BAILEY

6'1", 210 lbs. • Bowmanville, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
36 GP, 7 G, 11 A, 18 PTS, 12 PIM  
**Career:**  
512 GP, 88 G, 148 A, 236 PTS, 159 PIM

## 86 NIKOLAY KULEMIN

6'1", 225 lbs. • Magnitogorsk, Russia  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 4 G, 8 A, 12 PTS, 6 PIM  
**Career:**  
540 GP, 103 G, 135 A, 238 PTS, 139 PIM

## 51 FRANS NIELSEN

6'1", 188 lbs. • Herning, Denmark  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 13 G, 11 A, 24 PTS, 4 PIM  
**Career:**  
562 GP, 112 G, 209 A, 321 PTS, 104 PIM

## 21 KYLE OKPOSO

6'0", 217 lbs. • St. Paul, Minnesota  
**2015-16:**  
35 GP, 8 G, 18 A, 26 PTS, 27 PIM  
**Career:**  
485 GP, 125 G, 206 A, 331 PTS, 286 PIM

## 29 BROCK NELSON

6'3", 206 lbs. • Warroad, Minnesota  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 13 G, 8 A, 21 PTS, 10 PIM  
**Career:**  
191 GP, 47 G, 42 A, 89 PTS, 46 PIM

## 84 MIKHAIL GRABOVSKI

5'11", 186 lbs. • Potsdam, Germany  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 5 G, 12 A, 17 PTS, 12 PIM  
**Career:**  
513 GP, 121 G, 167 A, 288 PTS, 291 PIM

## 18 RYAN STROME

6'1", 199 lbs. • Mississauga, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
26 GP, 3 G, 10 A, 13 PTS, 2 PIM  
**Career:**  
144 GP, 27 G, 54 A, 81 PTS, 57 PIM

## 17 MATT MARTIN

6'3", 220 lbs. • Windsor, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 5 G, 3 A, 8 PTS, 49 PIM  
**Career:**  
395 GP, 37 G, 40 A, 77 PTS, 610 PIM

## 53 CASEY CIZIKAS

5'11", 201 lbs. • Toronto, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 4 G, 8 A, 12 PTS, 20 PIM  
**Career:**  
247 GP, 25 G, 40 A, 65 PTS, 94 PIM

## 15 CAL CLUTTERBUCK

5'11", 218 lbs. • Welland, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
36 GP, 7 G, 3 A, 10 PTS, 10 PIM  
**Career:**  
531 GP, 88 G, 67 A, 155 PTS, 457 PIM

### DEFENSEMEN

## 2 NICK LEDDY

6'0", 199 lbs. • Eden Prairie, Minn.  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 0 G, 11 A, 11 PTS, 15 PIM  
**Career:**  
373 GP, 30 G, 111 A, 141 PTS, 63 PIM

## 3 TRAVIS HAMONIC

6'2", 205 lbs. • St. Malo, Manitoba  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 2 G, 5 A, 7 PTS, 22 PIM  
**Career:**  
360 GP, 20 G, 98 A, 118 PTS, 379 PIM

## 44 CALVIN DE HAAN

6'1", 197 lbs. • Carp, Ontario  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 1 G, 5 A, 6 PTS, 14 PIM  
**Career:**  
154 GP, 5 G, 29 A, 34 PTS, 68 PIM

## 55 JOHNNY BOYCHUK

6'2", 227 lbs. • Edmonton, Alberta  
**2015-16:**  
37 GP, 3 G, 10 A, 13 PTS, 17 PIM  
**Career:**  
430 GP, 31 G, 91 A, 123 PTS, 229 PIM

## 14 THOMAS HICKEY

6'0", 189 lbs. • Calgary, Alberta  
**2015-16:**  
18 GP, 2 G, 3 A, 5 PTS, 10 PIM  
**Career:**  
220 GP, 9 G, 44 A, 53 PTS, 78 PIM

## 28 MAREK ZIDLICKY

5'11", 190 lbs. • Most, Czech Rep.  
**2015-16:**  
31 GP, 3 G, 9 A, 12 PTS, 12 PIM  
**Career:**  
814 GP, 88 G, 325 A, 413 PTS, 672 PIM

### GOALTENDERS

## 1 THOMAS GREISS

6'1", 228 lbs. • Fussen, Germany  
**2015-16:**  
17 GP, 10-5-2, .932 SV%, 2.09 GAA  
**Career:**  
106 GP, 46-35-13, .917 SV%, 2.40 GAA  
**vs. BUF:**  
2 GP, 0-2-0, .900 SV%, 2.56 GAA

## 33 CHRISTOPHER GIBSON

6'1", 188 lbs. • Karkkila, Finland  
**2015-16:**  
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA  
**Career:**  
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA  
**vs. BUF:**  
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA

### SCRATCHES

## 16 STEVE BERNIER

6'3", 220 lbs. • Quebec City, Quebec  
**2015-16:**  
15 GP, 1 G, 2 A, 3 PTS, 7 PIM  
**Career:**  
624 GP, 105 G, 122 A, 227 PTS, 298 PIM

## 36 ERIC BOULTON

6'0", 227 lbs. • Halifax, Nova Scotia  
**2015-16:**  
1 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM  
**Career:**  
649 GP, 31 G, 48 A, 79 PTS, 1,419 PIM

## 37 BRIAN STRAIT

6'1", 206 lbs. • Waltham, Mass.  
**2015-16:**  
23 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 12 PIM  
**Career:**  
153 GP, 5 G, 18 A, 23 PTS, 72 PIM

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