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COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Phil Housley
Associate Coach: Davis Payne
Assistant Coach: Chris Hajt
Assistant Coach: Tom Ward
Goaltending Coach: Andrew Allen

PRONUNCIATIONS

Antipin, Victor: (an-TEE-pihn)
Baptiste, Nicholas: (bap-TEEST)
Beaulieu, Nathan: (BOH-I'yew)
Criscuolo, Kyle: (krihs-KOH-loh)
Girgensons, Zemgus: (GEER-gehn-suhnz, ZEHM-guhz)
Gorges, Josh: (JOHR-juhzh)
Guhle, Brendan: (GOO-lee)
Josefson, Jacob: (JOH-sehf-suhn, JAY-kuhb)
Lehner, Robin: (LEH-nuhr)
Okposo, Kyle: (oh-POH-soh)
O'Regan, Danny: (oh-REE-gehn)
Pouliot, Benoit: (POO-lee-aht, BEHN-wah)
Ristolainen, Rasmus: (rihs-toh-LIGH-nehn, RAS-muhs)
Rodrigues, Evan: (rahd-REE-gehzh)
Scandella, Marco: (skan-DEHL-uh)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
35-for-206 (17.0%) -- 25th
Penalty Kill
158-for-200 (79.0%) -- 21st

LEADING SCORERS

Jack Eichel:
55 GP, 22 G, 31 A, 53 PTS
Ryan O'Reilly:
67 GP, 19 G, 31 A, 50 PTS
Sam Reinhart:
68 GP, 17 G, 21 A, 38 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. VGK

Ryan O'Reilly:
1 GP, 2 G, 0 A, 2 PTS
Jason Pominville:
1 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS
Sam Reinhart:
1 GP, 1 G, 0 A, 1 PTS

LAST 5 GAMES VS. VGK

10/17/17: VGK 5 at BUF 4

FORWARDS

20 SCOTT WILSON

5'11", 210 lbs. • Oakville, Ontario
2017-18:
55 GP, 6 G, 6 A, 12 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
158 GP, 19 G, 25 A, 44 PTS, 50 PIM

90 RYAN O'REILLY

6'1", 216 lbs. • Clinton, Ontario
2017-18:
67 GP, 19 G, 31 A, 50 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
637 GP, 150 G, 261 A, 411 PTS, 84 PIM

23 SAM REINHART

6'1", 192 lbs. • West Vancouver, B.C.
2017-18:
68 GP, 17 G, 21 A, 38 PTS, 26 PIM
Career:
235 GP, 57 G, 71 A, 128 PTS, 44 PIM

28 ZEMGUS GIRGENSONS

6'2", 207 lbs. • Riga, Latvia
2017-18:
62 GP, 7 G, 5 A, 12 PTS, 24 PIM
Career:
339 GP, 44 G, 54 A, 98 PTS, 101 PIM

22 JOHAN LARSSON

5'11", 198 lbs. • Lau, Sweden
2017-18:
66 GP, 4 G, 10 A, 14 PTS, 45 PIM
Career:
244 GP, 26 G, 36 A, 62 PTS, 123 PIM

29 JASON POMINVILLE

6'0", 180 lbs. • Repentigny, Quebec
2017-18:
68 GP, 11 G, 16 A, 27 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
973 GP, 272 G, 417 A, 689 PTS, 193 PIM

17 JORDAN NOLAN

6'3", 219 lbs. • First Nations, Ontario
2017-18:
57 GP, 2 G, 4 A, 6 PTS, 61 PIM
Career:
349 GP, 22 G, 26 A, 48 PTS, 325 PIM

10 JACOB JOSEFSON

6'0", 196 lbs. • Stockholm, Sweden
2017-18:
37 GP, 2 G, 2 A, 4 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
313 GP, 20 G, 44 A, 64 PTS, 84 PIM

13 NICHOLAS BAPTISTE

6'1", 205 lbs. • Ottawa, Ontario
2017-18:
19 GP, 2 G, 1 A, 3 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
33 GP, 5 G, 2 A, 7 PTS, 16 PIM

67 BENOIT POULIOT

6'3", 200 lbs. • Alfred, Ontario
2017-18:
64 GP, 12 G, 5 A, 17 PTS, 20 PIM
Career:
615 GP, 129 G, 132 A, 260 PTS, 369 PIM

65 DANNY O'REGAN

5'10", 185 lbs. • Berlin, Germany
2017-18:
20 GP, 0 G, 4 A, 4 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
23 GP, 1 G, 4 A, 5 PTS, 2 PIM

95 JUSTIN BAILEY

6'2", 214 lbs. • Buffalo, N.Y.
2017-18:
7 GP, 2 G, 1 A, 3 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
47 GP, 4 G, 3 A, 7 PTS, 8 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

6 MARCO SCANDELLA

6'3", 208 lbs. • Montreal, Quebec
2017-18:
68 GP, 5 G, 14 A, 19 PTS, 22 PIM
Career:
441 GP, 32 G, 76 A, 108 PTS, 170 PIM

55 RASMUS RISTOLAINEN

6'4", 218 lbs. • Turku, Finland
2017-18:
59 GP, 6 G, 27 A, 33 PTS, 44 PIM
Career:
332 GP, 31 G, 112 A, 143 PTS, 167 PIM

45 BRENDAN GUHLE

6'2", 196 lbs. • Edmonton, Alberta
2017-18:
5 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
8 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 2 PIM

8 CASEY NELSON

6'1", 185 lbs. • Wisconsin Rapids, Wisc.
2017-18:
24 GP, 2 G, 5 A, 7 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
42 GP, 2 G, 9 A, 11 PTS, 18 PIM

4 JOSH GORGES

6'1", 204 lbs. • Kelowna, B.C.
2017-18:
29 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 15 PIM
Career:
778 GP, 17 G, 107 A, 124 PTS, 402 PIM

82 NATHAN BEAULIEU

6'2", 200 lbs. • Strathroy, Ontario
2017-18:
49 GP, 1 G, 6 A, 7 PTS, 29 PIM
Career:
274 GP, 8 G, 59 A, 67 PTS, 181 PIM

GOALTENDERS

40 ROBIN LEHNER

6'4", 245 lbs. • Gothenburg, Sweden
2017-18:
49 GP, 14-24-8, .910 SV%, 2.95 GAA
Career:
215 GP, 72-95-34, .916 SV%, 2.80 GAA
vs. VGK:
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA

31 CHAD JOHNSON

6'3", 197 lbs. • Saskatoon, Sask.
2017-18:
27 GP, 7-11-3, .896 SV%, 3.28 GAA
Career:
164 GP, 75-56-15, .912 SV%, 2.57 GAA
vs. VGK:
1 GP, 0-0-1, .839 SV%, 4.96 GAA

SCRATCHES

21 KYLE OKPOSO

25 SETH GRIFFITH

41 JUSTIN FALK

51 KYLE CRISCUOLO

71 EVAN RODRIGUES

93 VICTOR ANTIPIIN

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PRONUNCIATIONS

Bellemare, Pierre-Edouard: (BEHL-mahr, PEE-air-EHD-wawrd)
Engelland, Deryk: (ehh-GUHL-uhnd)
Hyka, Thomas: (HEE-kuh)
Lagace, Maxime: (luh-ga-SEE, max-EEM)
Marchessault, Jonathan: (mahr-SHUH-sohn)
Nosek, Tomas: (NOH-shehk, TAW-muhs)
Perron, David: (peh-RAWN)
Sbisa, Luca: (S'BEE-za)
Tatar, Tomas: (TAH-tahr)
Tuch, Alex: (TUHK)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
43-for-205 (21.0%) -- T-9th
Penalty Kill
155-for-193 (80.3%) -- 17th

LEADING SCORERS

Jonathan Marchessault:
64 GP, 22 G, 43 A, 65 PTS
William Karlsson:
67 GP, 35 G, 25 A, 60 PTS
Reilly Smith:
66 GP, 22 G, 38 A, 60 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. BUF

James Neal:
18 GP, 7 G, 7 A, 14 PTS
Reilly Smith:
18 GP, 5 G, 7 A, 12 PTS
Tomas Tatar:
19 GP, 9 G, 2 A, 11 PTS

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FORWARDS

81 JONATHAN MARCHESSAULT

5'9", 174 lbs. • Cap-Rouge, Quebec
2017-18:
64 GP, 22 G, 43 A, 65 PTS, 32 PIM
Career:
188 GP, 60 G, 75 A, 135 PTS, 87 PIM

71 WILLIAM KARLSSON

6'1", 189 lbs. • Marsta, Sweden
2017-18:
67 GP, 35 G, 25 A, 60 PTS, 8 PIM
Career:
250 GP, 53 G, 57 A, 110 PTS, 26 PIM

90 TOMAS TATAR

5'10", 185 lbs. • Ilava, Slovakia
2017-18:
67 GP, 17 G, 12 A, 29 PTS, 28 PIM
Career:
412 GP, 116 G, 107 A, 223 PTS, 140 PIM

57 DAVID PERRON

6'0", 200 lbs. • Sherbrooke, Quebec
2017-18:
61 GP, 16 G, 44 A, 60 PTS, 46 PIM
Career:
713 GP, 175 G, 263 A, 438 PTS, 546 PIM

56 ERIK HAULA

6'0", 193 lbs. • Pori, Finland
2017-18:
62 GP, 24 G, 22 A, 46 PTS, 25 PIM
Career:
328 GP, 66 G, 69 A, 135 PTS, 138 PIM

38 THOMAS HYKA

5'11", 160 lbs. • Mlada Boleslav, Czech Rep.
2017-18:
7 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
7 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM

40 RYAN CARPENTER

6'0", 200 lbs. • Oviedo, Florida
2017-18:
37 GP, 7 G, 5 A, 12 PTS, 9 PIM
Career:
49 GP, 9 G, 7 A, 16 PTS, 13 PIM

21 CODY EAKIN

6'0", 190 lbs. • Winnipeg, Manitoba
2017-18:
66 GP, 9 G, 14 A, 23 PTS, 20 PIM
Career:
445 GP, 74 G, 103 A, 177 PTS, 208 PIM

89 ALEX TUCH

6'4", 222 lbs. • Syracuse, New York
2017-18:
63 GP, 13 G, 17 A, 30 PTS, 23 PIM
Career:
69 GP, 13 G, 17 A, 30 PTS, 23 PIM

41 PIERRE-EDOUARD BELLEMARE

6'0", 198 lbs. • Le Blanc-Mesnil, France
2017-18:
58 GP, 5 G, 8 A, 13 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
295 GP, 22 G, 25 A, 47 PTS, 75 PIM

92 TOMAS NOSEK

6'3", 210 lbs. • Pardubice, Czech Republic
2017-18:
53 GP, 7 G, 7 A, 14 PTS, 14 PIM
Career:
70 GP, 8 G, 7 A, 15 PTS, 18 PIM

75 RYAN REAVES

6'1", 225 lbs. • Winnipeg, Manitoba
2017-18:
64 GP, 4 G, 5 A, 9 PTS, 90 PIM
Career:
483 GP, 31 G, 29 A, 60 PTS, 785 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

77 BRAD HUNT

5'9", 187 lbs. • Maple Ridge, B.C.
2017-18:
39 GP, 3 G, 15 A, 18 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
72 GP, 5 G, 22 A, 27 PTS, 10 PIM

6 COLIN MILLER

6'1", 196 lbs. • Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario
2017-18:
67 GP, 8 G, 27 A, 35 PTS, 43 PIM
Career:
170 GP, 17 G, 47 A, 64 PTS, 137 PIM

27 SHEA THEODORE

6'2", 195 lbs. • Langley, B.C.
2017-18:
46 GP, 4 G, 15 A, 19 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
99 GP, 9 G, 27 A, 36 PTS, 42 PIM

5 DERYK ENGELLAND

6'2", 214 lbs. • Edmonton, Alberta
2017-18:
66 GP, 4 G, 17 A, 21 PTS, 22 PIM
Career:
535 GP, 26 G, 81 A, 107 PTS, 522 PIM

3 BRAYDEN McNABB

6'4", 212 lbs. • Davidson, Saskatchewan
2017-18:
61 GP, 4 G, 9 A, 13 PTS, 46 PIM
Career:
299 GP, 11 G, 52 A, 63 PTS, 265 PIM

88 NATE SCHMIDT

6'1", 194 lbs. • St. Cloud, Minnesota
2017-18:
63 GP, 5 G, 25 A, 30 PTS, 16 PIM
Career:
263 GP, 13 G, 60 A, 73 PTS, 64 PIM

GOALTENDERS

29 MARC-ANDRE FLEURY

6'2", 180 lbs. • Sorel, Quebec
2017-18:
35 GP, 23-9-3, .928 SV%, 2.19 GAA
Career:
726 GP, 398-225-69, .913 SV%, 2.56 GAA
vs. BUF:
30 GP, 20-5-3, .925 SV%, 2.09 GAA

33 MAXIME LAGACE

6'2", 190 lbs. • Saint-Augustin, Quebec
2017-18:
15 GP, 6-7-1, .872 SV%, 3.80 GAA
Career:
15 GP, 6-7-1, .872 SV%, 3.80 GAA
vs. BUF:
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA

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