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April 17, 2021
KeyBank Center
Buffalo, New York

COACHING STAFF

Interim Head Coach: Don Granato
Assistant Coach: Mike Bales
Interim Assistant Coach: Matt Ellis
Interim Assistant Coach: Dan Girardi

PRONUNCIATIONS

Asplund, Rasmus:
(AS-pluhnd, RAS-muhs)
Bjork, Anders:
(BYOHRK, AHN-dehrz) **Dahlin,**
Rasmus: (dah-LEEN)
Eakin, Cody: (EE-kihn)
Jokiharju, Henri:
(yoh-kee-HAHR-yoo, HEHN-ree)
Okposo, Kyle: (oh-POH-soh)
Rieder, Tobias:
(REE-duhr, toh-BIGH-uhs)
Ristolainen, Rasmus:
(rihs-toh-LIGH-neh)
Ruotsalainen, Arttu:
(roo-aht-sa-LIGH-neh, AR-too)
Sheahan, Riley: (SHAY-uhn)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
22-for-107 (20.6%) -- 14th
Penalty Kill
87-for-111 (78.4%) -- 20th

LEADING SCORERS

Sam Reinhart:
41 GP, 15 G, 12 A, 27 PTS
Victor Olofsson:
43 GP, 12 G, 13 A, 25 PTS
Rasmus Dahlin:
43 GP, 4 G, 14 A, 18 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. PIT

Jeff Skinner:
40 GP, 7 G, 7 A, 14 PTS
Sam Reinhart:
19 GP, 3 G, 7 A, 10 PTS
Riley Sheahan:
18 GP, 3 G, 6 A, 9 PTS

LAST 5 GAMES VS. PIT

3/25/21: BUF 0 at PIT 4
3/24/21: BUF 2 at PIT 5
3/13/21: PIT 3 at BUF 0
3/11/21: PIT 5 at BUF 2
3/5/20: PIT 4 at BUF 2

FORWARDS

53 JEFF SKINNER

5'11", 197 lbs. • Toronto, ON
2020-21:
40 GP, 5 G, 4 A, 9 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
760 GP, 263 G, 211 A, 474 PTS, 334 PIM

23 SAM REINHART

6'2", 193 lbs. • West Vancouver, BC
2020-21:
41 GP, 15 G, 12 A, 27 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
441 GP, 124 G, 158 A, 282 PTS, 86 PIM

68 VICTOR OLOFSSON

5'11", 182 lbs. • Ornskoldsvik, SWE
2020-21:
43 GP, 12 G, 13 A, 25 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
103 GP, 34 G, 37 A, 71 PTS, 12 PIM

96 ANDERS BJORK

6'0", 197 lbs. • Mequon, WI
2020-21:
32 GP, 3 G, 5 A, 8 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
140 GP, 17 G, 25 A, 42 PTS, 28 PIM

24 DYLAN COZENS

6'3", 188 lbs. • Whitehorse, YT
2020-21:
28 GP, 4 G, 6 A, 10 PTS, 7 PIM
Career:
28 GP, 4 G, 6 A, 10 PTS, 7 PIM

25 ARTTU RUOTSALAINEN

5'9", 185 lbs. • Oulu, FIN
2020-21:
4 GP, 1 G, 0 A, 1 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
4 GP, 1 G, 0 A, 1 PTS, 2 PIM

74 RASMUS ASPLUND

5'11", 189 lbs. • Filipstad, SWE
2020-21:
15 GP, 5 G, 2 A, 7 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
44 GP, 6 G, 4 A, 10 PTS, 6 PIM

37 CASEY MITTELSTADT

6'1", 196 lbs. • Eden Prairie, MN
2020-21:
28 GP, 7 G, 6 A, 13 PTS, 8 PIM
Career:
142 GP, 24 G, 28 A, 52 PTS, 22 PIM

72 TAGE THOMPSON

6'7", 219 lbs. • Phoenix, AZ
2020-21:
25 GP, 5 G, 3 A, 8 PTS, 15 PIM
Career:
132 GP, 15 G, 14 A, 29 PTS, 47 PIM

13 TOBIAS RIEDER

5'11", 189 lbs. • Landshut, DEU
2020-21:
35 GP, 5 G, 1 A, 6 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
469 GP, 64 G, 80 A, 144 PTS, 50 PIM

20 CODY EAKIN

6'0", 196 lbs. • Winnipeg, MB
2020-21:
42 GP, 7 G, 4 A, 6 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
628 GP, 105 G, 138 A, 243 PTS, 254 PIM

17 STEVEN FOGARTY

6'3", 204 lbs. • Chambersburg, PA
2020-21:
8 GP, 1 G, 2 A, 3 PTS, 8 PIM
Career:
26 GP, 1 G, 2 A, 3 PTS, 10 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

78 JACOB BRYSON

5'9", 175 lbs. • London, ON
2020-21:
25 GP, 1 G, 5 A, 6 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
25 GP, 1 G, 5 A, 6 PTS, 12 PIM

55 RASMUS RISTOLAINEN

6'4", 221 lbs. • Turku, FIN
2020-21:
36 GP, 4 G, 9 A, 13 PTS, 26 PIM
Career:
529 GP, 46 G, 194 A, 240 PTS, 281 PIM

26 RASMUS DAHLIN

6'3", 207 lbs. • Lidköping, SWE
2020-21:
43 GP, 4 G, 14 A, 18 PTS, 16 PIM
Career:
184 GP, 17 G, 85 A, 102 PTS, 88 PIM

10 HENRI JOKIHARJU

6'0", 199 lbs. • Oulu, FIN
2020-21:
33 GP, 3 G, 5 A, 8 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
140 GP, 7 G, 28 A, 35 PTS, 52 PIM

44 MATT IRWIN

6'2", 189 lbs. • Victoria, BC
2020-21:
23 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 19 PIM
Career:
382 GP, 22 G, 62 A, 84 PTS, 169 PIM

33 COLIN MILLER

6'1", 199 lbs. • Sault Ste. Marie, ON
2020-21:
41 GP, 4 G, 5 A, 9 PTS, 27 PIM
Career:
342 GP, 27 G, 92 A, 119 PTS, 240 PIM

GOALTENDERS

31 DUSTIN TOKARSKI

6'0", 198 lbs. • Watson, SK
2020-21:
7 GP, 1-4-2, .908 SV%, 3.32 GAA
Career:
41 GP, 11-16-7, .905 SV%, 2.93 GAA
vs. PIT:
2 GP, 0-2-0, .889 SV%, 4.05 GAA

32 MICHAEL HOUSER

6'1", 185 lbs. • Youngstown, OH
2020-21:
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA
Career:
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA
vs. PIT:
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA

SCRATCHES

21 KYLE OKPOSO

6'0", 220 lbs. • St. Paul, MN
2020-21:
35 GP, 2 G, 11 A, 13 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
835 GP, 198 G, 321 A, 519 PTS, 443 PIM

40 CARTER HUTTON

6'0", 208 lbs. • Thunder Bay, ON
2020-21:
13 GP, 1-10-1, .886 SV%, 3.47 GAA
Career:
232 GP, 94-88-27, .909 SV%, 2.71 GAA

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Goaltending Coach: Mike Buckley

PRONUNCIATIONS

Angello, Anthony: (AN-jehl-oh)
Blueger, Teddy: (BLOO-guhr)
Ceci, Cody: (SEE-SEE)
Dumoulin, Brian: (DOO-moh-lihn)
Guentzel, Jake: (GEHNT-zuhl)
Jarry, Tristan: (JAHR-ee)
Letang, Kris: (leh-TANG)
Pettersson, Marcus: (PEH-tuhr-suhn)
Riikola, Juuso: (rih-KOHL-ah, YOO-soh)
Ruhwedel, Chad: (roo-WEE-duhl)
Sceviour, Colton: (SEE-vee-yuhr)
Zohorna, Radim: (zoh-HOHR-nah, ra-DEEM)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Power Play
28-for-125 (22.4%) -- 10th
Penalty Kill
99-for-128 (77.3%) -- 22nd

LEADING SCORERS

Sidney Crosby:
42 GP, 17 G, 32 A, 49 PTS
Jake Guentzel:
43 GP, 20 G, 25 A, 45 PTS
Kris Letang:
42 GP, 7 G, 28 A, 35 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. BUF

Sidney Crosby:
46 GP, 23 G, 47 A, 70 PTS
Jeff Carter:
35 GP, 15 G, 13 A, 28 PTS
Kris Letang:
38 GP, 5 G, 22 A, 27 PTS

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3/11/21: PIT 5 at BUF 2
3/5/20: PIT 4 at BUF 2

FORWARDS

59 JAKE GUENTZEL

5'11", 180 lbs. • Omaha, NE
2020-21:
43 GP, 20 G, 25 A, 45 PTS, 24 PIM
Career:
286 GP, 118 G, 127 A, 245 PTS, 116 PIM

87 SIDNEY CROSBY

5'11", 200 lbs. • Cole Harbour, NS
2020-21:
42 GP, 17 G, 32 A, 49 PTS, 20 PIM
Career:
1026 GP, 479 G, 833 A, 1312 PTS, 693 PIM

17 BRYAN RUST

5'11", 192 lbs. • Pontiac, MI
2020-21:
43 GP, 16 G, 17 A, 33 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
351 GP, 94 G, 109 A, 203 PTS, 114 PIM

19 JARED McCANN

6'1", 185 lbs. • Stratford, ON
2020-21:
30 GP, 11 G, 10 A, 21 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
340 GP, 63 G, 81 A, 144 PTS, 118 PIM

77 JEFF CARTER

6'3", 219 lbs. • London, ON
2020-21:
41 GP, 8 G, 11 A, 19 PTS, 22 PIM
Career:
1081 GP, 390 G, 361 A, 751 PTS, 555 PIM

16 JASON ZUCKER

5'11", 192 lbs. • Newport Beach, CA
2020-21:
25 GP, 6 G, 4 A, 10 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
496 GP, 144 G, 121 A, 265 PTS, 183 PIM

12 ZACH ASTON-REESE

6'0", 204 lbs. • Staten Island, NY
2020-21:
32 GP, 8 G, 3 A, 11 PTS, 15 PIM
Career:
148 GP, 26 G, 21 A, 47 PTS, 71 PIM

53 TEDDY BLUEGER

6'0", 185 lbs. • Riga, LVA
2020-21:
30 GP, 4 G, 12 A, 16 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
127 GP, 19 G, 29 A, 48 PTS, 46 PIM

9 EVAN RODRIGUES

5'11", 184 lbs. • Toronto, ON
2020-21:
27 GP, 5 G, 5 A, 10 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
226 GP, 32 G, 50 A, 82 PTS, 59 PIM

67 RADIM ZOHORNA

6'6", 220 lbs. • Havlickuv, CZE
2020-21:
6 GP, 2 G, 2 A, 4 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
6 GP, 2 G, 2 A, 4 PTS, 4 PIM

14 MARK JANKOWSKI

6'4", 212 lbs. • Hamilton, ON
2020-21:
38 GP, 4 G, 7 A, 11 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
246 GP, 40 G, 35 A, 75 PTS, 63 PIM

7 COLTON SCEVIOUR

6'0", 190 lbs. • Red Deer, AB
2020-21:
33 GP, 5 G, 3 A, 8 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
487 GP, 64 G, 85 A, 149 PTS, 108 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

8 BRIAN DUMOULIN

6'4", 207 lbs. • Biddeford, ME
2020-21:
28 GP, 2 G, 8 A, 10 PTS, 8 PIM
Career:
375 GP, 13 G, 79 A, 92 PTS, 102 PIM

58 KRIS LETANG

6'0", 201 lbs. • Montreal, QC
2020-21:
42 GP, 7 G, 28 A, 35 PTS, 28 PIM
Career:
850 GP, 134 G, 438 A, 572 PTS, 608 PIM

5 MIKE MATHESON

6'2", 188 lbs. • Pointe-Claire, QC
2020-21:
35 GP, 4 G, 9 A, 13 PTS, 28 PIM
Career:
334 GP, 37 G, 67 A, 104 PTS, 185 PIM

4 CODY CECI

6'2", 210 lbs. • Ottawa, ON
2020-21:
40 GP, 3 G, 9 A, 12 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
536 GP, 36 G, 102 A, 138 PTS, 118 PIM

28 MARCUS PETTERSSON

6'3", 177 lbs. • SkellefteÅ, SWE
2020-21:
34 GP, 1 G, 5 A, 6 PTS, 14 PIM
Career:
209 GP, 6 G, 51 A, 57 PTS, 121 PIM

6 JOHN MARINO

6'1", 181 lbs. • North Easton, MA
2020-21:
39 GP, 2 G, 6 A, 8 PTS, 8 PIM
Career:
95 GP, 8 G, 26 A, 34 PTS, 28 PIM

GOALTENDERS

35 TRISTAN JARRY

6'2", 194 lbs. • Surrey, BC
2020-21:
29 GP, 17-8-3, .909 SV%, 2.77 GAA
Career:
91 GP, 51-28-7, .913 SV%, 2.66 GAA
vs. BUF:
5 GP, 4-1-0, .931 SV%, 2.00 GAA

1 CASEY DESMITH

6'0", 181 lbs. • Rochester, NH
2020-21:
17 GP, 10-5-0, .912 SV%, 2.40 GAA
Career:
67 GP, 31-20-6, .916 SV%, 2.59 GAA
vs. BUF:
4 GP, 3-0-1, .960 SV%, 1.25 GAA

SCRATCHES

11 FREDERICK GAUDREAU

6'0", 179 lbs. • Bromont, QC
2020-21:
13 GP, 1 G, 3 A, 4 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
97 GP, 4 G, 8 A, 12 PTS, 6 PIM

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