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COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Phil Housley
Associate Coach: Davis Payne
Assistant Coach: Chris Hajt
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PRONUNCIATIONS

Antipin, Victor: (an-TEE-pihn)
Beaulieu, Nathan: (BOH-l'yew)
Fedun, Taylor: (fuh-DOON)
Girgensons, Zemgus: (GEER-gehn-suhnz, ZEHM-guhz)
Lehner, Robin: (LEH-nuhr)
Okposo, Kyle: (oh-POH-soh)
Pouliot, Benoit: (POO-lee-ahnt, BEHN-wah)
Ristolainen, Rasmus: (rihs-toh-LIGH-neh, RAS-muhs)
Scandella, Marco: (skan-DEHL-uh)
Tennyson, Matt: (TEHN-ihs-suhn)

LEADING SCORERS

Evander Kane:
11 GP, 6 G, 5 A, 11 PTS
Jason Pominville:
11 GP, 5 G, 6 A, 11 PTS
Jack Eichel:
11 GP, 4 G, 7 A, 11 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. SJS

Jason Pominville:
22 GP, 6 G, 11 A, 17 PTS
Kyle Okposo:
11 GP, 5 G, 8 A, 13 PTS
Ryan O'Reilly:
23 GP, 4 G, 9 A, 13 PTS

LAST 10 GAMES VS. SJS

10/12/17: BUF 2 at SJS 3
3/14/17: BUF 1 at SJS 4
2/7/17: SJS 4 at BUF 5 (OT)
2/26/16: BUF 3 at SJS 1
11/14/15: SJS 2 at BUF 1 (OT)
11/18/14: SJS 1 at BUF 4
10/25/14: BUF 2 at SJS 1
2/28/14: SJS 2 at BUF 4
11/5/13: BUF 5 at SJS 4 (SO)
3/1/12: BUF 1 at SJS 0

FORWARDS

9 EVANDER KANE

6'2", 212 lbs. • Vancouver, B.C.
2017-18:
11 GP, 6 G, 5 A, 11 PTS, 14 PIM
Career:
507 GP, 163 G, 148 A, 311 PTS, 603 PIM

15 JACK EICHEL

6'2", 206 lbs. • N. Chelmsford, Mass.
2017-18:
11 GP, 4 G, 7 A, 11 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
153 GP, 52 G, 72 A, 124 PTS, 54 PIM

29 JASON POMINVILLE

6'0", 180 lbs. • Repentigny, Quebec
2017-18:
11 GP, 5 G, 6 A, 11 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
916 GP, 266 G, 407 A, 673 PTS, 189 PIM

67 BENOIT POULIOT

6'3", 200 lbs. • Alfred, Ontario
2017-18:
11 GP, 2 G, 1 A, 3 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
562 GP, 119 G, 128 A, 247 PTS, 351 PIM

90 RYAN O'REILLY

6'1", 216 lbs. • Clinton, Ontario
2017-18:
11 GP, 3 G, 4 A, 7 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
581 GP, 134 G, 234 A, 368 PTS, 84 PIM

21 KYLE OKPOSO

6'0", 220 lbs. • St. Paul, Minnesota
2017-18:
9 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
603 GP, 158 G, 257 A, 415 PTS, 340 PIM

28 ZEMGUS GIRGENSONS

6'2", 207 lbs. • Riga, Latvia
2017-18:
8 GP, 1 G, 2 A, 3 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
285 GP, 38 G, 51 A, 89 PTS, 81 PIM

23 SAM REINHART

6'1", 192 lbs. • West Vancouver, B.C.
2017-18:
11 GP, 2 G, 1 A, 3 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
178 GP, 42 G, 51 A, 93 PTS, 18 PIM

95 JUSTIN BAILEY

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

17 JORDAN NOLAN

6'3", 219 lbs. • First Nations, Ontario
2017-18:
9 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
301 GP, 20 G, 23 A, 43 PTS, 264 PIM

22 JOHAN LARSSON

5'11", 198 lbs. • Lau, Sweden
2017-18:
11 GP, 1 G, 2 A, 3 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
189 GP, 23 G, 28 A, 51 PTS, 78 PIM

25 SETH GRIFFITH

5'9", 190 lbs. • Wallaceburg, Ontario
2017-18:
9 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
67 GP, 7 G, 11 A, 18 PTS, 20 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

6 MARCO SCANDELLA

6'3", 208 lbs. • Montreal, Quebec
2017-18:
11 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
384 GP, 27 G, 64 A, 91 PTS, 154 PIM

55 RASMUS RISTOLAINEN

6'4", 218 lbs. • Turku, Finland
2017-18:
11 GP, 0 G, 4 A, 4 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
284 GP, 25 G, 89 A, 114 PTS, 127 PIM

19 JAKE McCABE

6'1", 210 lbs. • Eau Claire, Wisconsin
2017-18:
11 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
173 GP, 7 G, 30 A, 37 PTS, 94 PIM

5 MATT TENNYSON

6'2", 205 lbs. • Minneapolis, Minn.
2017-18:
11 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
116 GP, 3 G, 17 A, 20 PTS, 28 PIM

93 VICTOR ANTIPIIN

5'11", 175 lbs. • Ust-Kamenogorsk, Kaz.
2017-18:
7 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
7 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 4 PIM

38 ZACH REDMOND

6'2", 212 lbs. • Traverse City, Michigan
2017-18:
1 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
131 GP, 9 G, 29 A, 38 PTS, 50 PIM

GOALTENDERS

40 ROBIN LEHNER

6'4", 245 lbs. • Gothenburg, Sweden
2017-18:
7 GP, 2-3-1, .913 SV%, 2.73 GAA
Career:
173 GP, 60-74-27, .917 SV%, 2.76 GAA
vs. SJS:
3 GP, 0-3-0, .914 SV%, 3.39 GAA

31 CHAD JOHNSON

6'3", 197 lbs. • Saskatoon, Sask.
2017-18:
6 GP, 1-3-1, .879 SV%, 4.06 GAA
Career:
143 GP, 69-48-13, .913 SV%, 2.50 GAA
vs. SJS:
5 GP, 3-1-1, .925 SV%, 2.18 GAA

SCRATCHES

26 MATT MOULSON

6'1", 203 lbs. • North York, Ontario
2017-18:
8 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
644 GP, 176 G, 193 A, 369 PTS, 120 PIM

27 TAYLOR FEDUN

6'1", 201 lbs. • Edmonton, Alberta
2017-18:
2 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
41 GP, 2 G, 13 A, 15 PTS, 20 PIM

82 NATHAN BEAULIEU

6'2", 200 lbs. • Strathroy, Ontario
2017-18:
8 GP, 0 G, 2 A, 2 PTS, 5 PIM
Career:
233 GP, 7 G, 55 A, 62 PTS, 157 PIM

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PRONUNCIATIONS

Boedker, Mikkel: (BAWD-kuhr, MIH-keh)
Couture, Logan: (kuh-CHURE)
Donskoi, Joonas:
(DAWN-skoj, YOH-nuhs)
Goodrow, Barclay:
(GUD-roh, BAHR-klee)
Hansen, Jannik: (HAHN-suhn, YAH-nihk)
Hertl, Tomas: (HUHR-tuhl, TAW-muhsh)
Labanc, Kevin: (luh-BAHNK)
Meier, Timo: (MIGH-uhr, TEE-moh)
Ryan, Joakim: (RIGHN, YOH-ah-kihm)
Vlasic, Marc-Edouard:
(vih-LASH-ihk, MAHRK-EHD-wahrd)

LEADING SCORERS

Logan Couture:
9 GP, 7 G, 3 A, 10 PTS
Joe Thornton:
9 GP, 2 G, 5 A, 7 PTS
Kevin Labanc:
9 GP, 3 G, 3 A, 6 PTS

LEADING SCORERS VS. BUF

Joe Thornton:
52 GP, 8 G, 30 A, 38 PTS
Brent Burns:
13 GP, 3 G, 7 A, 10 PTS
Joel Ward:
19 GP, 3 G, 7 A, 10 PTS

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62 KEVIN LABANC

5'11", 185 lbs. • Brooklyn, New York
2017-18:
9 GP, 3 G, 3 A, 6 PTS, 10 PIM
Career:
64 GP, 11 G, 15 A, 26 PTS, 32 PIM

19 JOE THORNTON

6'4", 220 lbs. • London, Ontario
2017-18:
9 GP, 2 G, 5 A, 7 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
1,455 GP, 386 G, 1,012 A, 1,398 PTS, 1,160 PIM

8 JOE PAVELSKI

5'11", 195 lbs. • Plover, Wisconsin
2017-18:
9 GP, 2 G, 3 A, 5 PTS, 12 PIM
Career:
815 GP, 297 G, 339 A, 636 PTS, 320 PIM

68 MELKER KARLSSON

6'0", 180 lbs. • Lycksele, Sweden
2017-18:
9 GP, 2 G, 0 A, 2 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
194 GP, 36 G, 31 A, 67 PTS, 64 PIM

39 LOGAN COUTURE

6'1", 205 lbs. • Guelph, Ontario
2017-18:
9 GP, 7 G, 3 A, 10 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
513 GP, 186 G, 200 A, 386 PTS, 133 PIM

48 TOMAS HERTL

6'2", 220 lbs. • Praha, Czech Republic
2017-18:
9 GP, 2 G, 3 A, 5 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
258 GP, 61 G, 68 A, 129 PTS, 66 PIM

89 MIKKEL BOEDKER

6'0", 210 lbs. • Brondby, Denmark
2017-18:
9 GP, 1 G, 3 A, 4 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
553 GP, 95 G, 160 A, 255 PTS, 102 PIM

50 CHRIS TIERNEY

6'1", 195 lbs. • Keswick, Ontario
2017-18:
9 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
211 GP, 25 G, 41 A, 66 PTS, 32 PIM

27 JOONAS DONSKOI

6'0", 190 lbs. • Raahe, Finland
2017-18:
9 GP, 2 G, 2 A, 4 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
146 GP, 19 G, 38 A, 57 PTS, 36 PIM

28 TIMO MEIER

6'0", 215 lbs. • Herisau, Switzerland
2017-18:
8 GP, 1 G, 1 A, 2 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
42 GP, 4 G, 4 A, 8 PTS, 10 PIM

40 RYAN CARPENTER

6'0", 200 lbs. • Oviedo, Florida
2017-18:
7 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
19 GP, 2 G, 2 A, 4 PTS, 4 PIM

42 JOEL WARD

6'1", 225 lbs. • North York, Ontario
2017-18:
4 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
678 GP, 128 G, 164 A, 292 PTS, 243 PIM

DEFENSEMEN

47 JOAKIM RYAN

5'11", 185 lbs. • Rumson, New Jersey
2017-18:
7 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
7 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 4 PIM

88 BRENT BURNS

6'5", 230 lbs. • Barrie, Ontario
2017-18:
9 GP, 0 G, 6 A, 6 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
888 GP, 170 G, 335 A, 505 PTS, 577 PIM

44 MARC-EDOUARD VLASIC

6'1", 205 lbs. • Montreal, Quebec
2017-18:
9 GP, 0 G, 3 A, 3 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
821 GP, 53 G, 204 A, 257 PTS, 348 PIM

61 JUSTIN BRAUN

6'2", 205 lbs. • Minneapolis, Minn.
2017-18:
9 GP, 0 G, 3 A, 3 PTS, 6 PIM
Career:
457 GP, 17 G, 91 A, 108 PTS, 169 PIM

4 BRENDEN DILLON

6'4", 225 lbs. • New Westminster, B.C.
2017-18:
9 GP, 0 G, 3 A, 3 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
375 GP, 15 G, 44 A, 59 PTS, 351 PIM

72 TIM HEED

6'0", 185 lbs. • Gothenburg, Sweden
2017-18:
7 GP, 1 G, 3 A, 4 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
8 GP, 1 G, 3 A, 4 PTS, 2 PIM

GOALTENDERS

30 AARON DELL

6'0", 200 lbs. • Airdrie, Alberta
2017-18:
3 GP, 0-2-0, .887 SV%, 2.59 GAA
Career:
23 GP, 11-8-1, .927 SV%, 2.06 GAA
vs. BUF:
0 GP, 0-0-0, .000 SV%, 0.00 GAA

31 MARTIN JONES

6'4", 195 lbs. • N. Vancouver, B.C.
2017-18:
7 GP, 4-3-0, .928 SV%, 2.31 GAA
Career:
171 GP, 92-60-12, .917 SV%, 2.27 GAA
vs. BUF:
5 GP, 3-1-1, .919 SV%, 2.18 GAA

SCRATCHES

23 BARCLAY GOODROW

6'2", 210 lbs. • Toronto, Ontario
2017-18:
1 GP, 0 G, 0 A, 0 PTS, 2 PIM
Career:
78 GP, 4 G, 12 A, 16 PTS, 53 PIM

36 JANNIK HANSEN

6'1", 198 lbs. • Rødovre, Denmark
2017-18:
7 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 4 PIM
Career:
587 GP, 107 G, 136 A, 243 PTS, 271 PIM

74 DYLAN DEMELO

6'1", 195 lbs. • London, Ontario
2017-18:
2 GP, 0 G, 1 A, 1 PTS, 0 PIM
Career:
72 GP, 3 G, 10 A, 13 PTS, 28 PIM

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