

2026-27 MONSTERS SCHEDULE

10/2 GRAND RAPIDS
10/4 GRAND RAPIDS
10/10 at Lehigh Valley
10/11 at Lehigh Valley
10/16 W-B/SCRANTON
10/17 W-B/SCRANTON
10/23 at Grand Rapids
10/24 at Grand Rapids
10/30 MILWAUKEE
10/31 MILWAUKEE
11/4 at Rochester
11/6 at Laval
11/7 at Laval
11/14 at Belleville
11/15 at Belleville
11/17 HAMILTON
11/21 UTICA
11/22 UTICA
11/27 HAMILTON
11/28 HAMILTON
12/2 ROCHESTER
12/5 at Chicago
12/6 at Chicago
12/9 at Toronto
12/11 LAVAL
12/12 LAVAL
12/18 SYRACUSE
12/19 SYRACUSE
12/28 CHARLOTTE
12/29 CHARLOTTE
1/2 at Hershey
1/3 at Hershey
1/6 SYRACUSE
1/7 SYRACUSE
1/10 TORONTO
1/13 at Hamilton
1/16 at Charlotte
1/17 at Charlotte
1/20 at Grand Rapids
1/23 at Hamilton
1/24 GRAND RAPIDS
1/29 HERSHEY
1/31 HERSHEY
2/3 at Utica
2/5 at Syracuse
2/6 at Syracuse
2/12 at Utica
2/13 at Syracuse
2/15 GRAND RAPIDS
2/17 at Rochester
2/19 at W-B/Scranton
2/20 at W-B/Scranton
2/24 ROCHESTER
2/26 BELLEVILLE
2/27 BELLEVILLE
3/3 at Hamilton
3/5 TORONTO
3/6 at Toronto
3/10 at Grand Rapids
3/12 at Milwaukee
3/13 at Milwaukee
3/16 ROCHESTER
3/17 ROCHESTER
3/20 at Toronto
3/26 LEHIGH VALLEY
3/27 LEHIGH VALLEY
3/31 at Rochester
4/2 CHICAGO
4/3 CHICAGO
4/7 at Syracuse
4/9 at Rochester
4/10 TORONTO

CLEVELAND MONSTERS GAME NOTES



(0-0-0-0), 0 Pts., .000 PCT
T1st in North Division
T1st in Eastern Conference

2026-27 AHL Game #3

Friday, October 2, 2026, 7:00 PM
ROCKET ARENA
Cleveland, OH

Proud Affiliate:



(0-0-0-0), 0 Pts., .000 PCT
T1st in Central Division
T1st in Western Conference

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2026-27 MONSTERS LEADING SCORERS

PLAYER	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/–	PPG	SHG	GWG	OTG	SOG
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TONIGHT’S PROMOTION:

Home Opener featuring a 20th Anniversary Magnet Schedule & Car Magnet courtesy of University Hospitals (first 5,00 fans) / 1-2-3 Friday (\$1 Coca-Cola, \$2 hot dogs, \$3 Labatt Blue)

MONSTERS BROADCAST: Tony Brown
RADIO: SportsRadio 99.1 WMMS-HD2 FM // iHeartRadio App
STREAMING: AHLTV on FloHockey

MONSTERS PRE-SCOUT: Cleveland finished the 2025-26 regular season in third place in the North Division standings with 83 points and a record of 37-26-6-3. The Monsters defeated the Syracuse Crunch three games to one in the North Division Semi-Finals before falling three games to two to the eventual Calder Cup Champion Toronto Marlies in the North Division Finals. Cleveland went 3-5-0-0 vs. Grand Rapids last season.

GRIFFINS PRE-SCOUT: Grand Rapids finished the 2025-26 regular season in first place in the Central Division and Western Conference standings with 107 points and a record of 51-16-4-1. The Griffins defeated the Manitoba Moose three games to one in the Central Division Semi-Finals before falling three games to one to the eventual Western Conference Champion Chicago Wolves in the Central Division Finals. Grand Rapids went 5-3-0-0 vs. Cleveland last season.

REGULAR-SEASON SERIES: Friday marks the first of eight games between the Monsters and Griffins this season and the first of four games between the two clubs at Cleveland’s Rocket Arena this year.

MONSTERS GOALTENDERS:

29 Pheonix Copley

OVERALL:
LAST APP.:
HEAD-TO-HEAD:
AT HOME:

35 Evan Gardner

OVERALL:
LAST APP.:
HEAD-TO-HEAD:
AT HOME:

GRIFFINS GOALTENDERS:

31 Trey Augustine

OVERALL:
LAST APP.:
HEAD-TO-HEAD:
ON THE ROAD:

32 Carter Gylander

OVERALL:
LAST APP.:
HEAD-TO-HEAD:
ON THE ROAD:

35 Michal Postava

OVERALL:
LAST APP.:
HEAD-TO-HEAD:
ON THE ROAD:

HEAD COACH NICK BOOTLAND



1st AHL Season as a Head Coach

CAREER AHL RECORD:
(0-0-0-0), .000 PTS%**DOB:** July 21, 1978 (48 y/o)**HOMETOWN:** Shelburne, ON

CAREER RECORD VS.	HOME	AWAY	TOTAL
Belleville Senators	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Laval Rocket	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Hamilton Hammers	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Rochester Americans	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Syracuse Crunch	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Toronto Marlies	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Utica Comets	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
VS. NORTH DIVISION	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0

Charlotte Checkers	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Chicago Wolves	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Grand Rapids Griffins	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Hershey Bears	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Lehigh Valley Phantoms	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Milwaukee Admirals	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
W-B/Scranton Penguins	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
VS. NON-DIVISION	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0

BIO: The Cleveland Monsters announced on June 30, 2026 that **Nick Bootland**, assistant coach for the AHL's Hershey Bears for the previous four seasons, was hired by the NHL's Columbus Blue Jackets as the eighth head coach in Monsters franchise history. A Shelburne, ON native, Bootland, 48, helped secure playoff berths in each of his four seasons with the Bears, claiming back-to-back Calder Cup Championships in 2023 and 2024, and the Macgregor Kilpatrick Trophy as 2023-24 regular-season AHL champions.

Prior to his time in Hershey, Bootland served as Head Coach and Director of Hockey Operations for the Kalamazoo Wings in the IHL2 (2008-09) and ECHL (2009-22) for 13 seasons. During his 929 combined games behind the K-Wings' bench, Bootland secured nine playoff appearances, four division titles, and one trip to the ECHL's Kelly Cup Finals (2011). Bootland's 853 career ECHL games coached and 437 career ECHL coaching wins both rank among that league's top ten all-time.

Selected by the Dallas Stars in the ninth round (220th overall) of the 1996 NHL Entry Draft, Bootland, a left-shooting forward, posted 29-43-72 with 475 penalty minutes and a +3 rating in 329 career AHL appearances for Hershey and the Cleveland Barons spanning parts of seven seasons from 1998-2005. Bootland tallied 14-16-30 with 125 penalty minutes in 121 career games with Cleveland spanning four seasons from 2001-05.

Bootland added 44-54-98 with 216 penalty minutes and a +14 rating in 114 career ECHL appearances for the Cincinnati Cyclones spanning parts of two seasons from 2001-03. In 275 career UHL/IHL2 appearances for the Columbus Stars and Kalamazoo spanning parts of four seasons from 2003-04 and 2005-08, Bootland registered 152-146-298 with 368 penalty minutes and a +60 rating, serving as the K-Wings' captain for three seasons (2005-08) and helping claim the 2006 Colonial Cup as UHL Playoff Champions, earning Colonial Cup Playoff MVP honors along the way. Prior to his professional career, Bootland posted 66-67-133 with 335 penalty minutes and a +24 rating in 192 career OHL appearances for the Guelph Storm, helping claim the 1997-98 OHL Championship.

MONSTERS COACHING STAFF

Chris Bergeron, Associate Coach

A former centerman and native of Wallaceburg, ON, Bergeron, 55, spent five seasons as Miami (OH) University's Head Coach (2019-24) following a nine-year stint as Head Coach at Bowling Green State University from 2010-19. Bergeron began his coaching career with a decade spent as an Assistant Coach at Miami from 2000-10. Bergeron played college hockey at Miami from 1989-93, served as Miami's captain from 1991-93, and enjoyed a seven-year professional playing career in the IHL, ECHL, CHL, UHL, and AHL from 1993-2000. 2026-27 marks Bergeron's third season with the Monsters as Associate Coach.

Stefan Matteau, Assistant Coach

A Chicago native, Matteau, 32, enjoyed a 92-game NHL playing career spread across parts of eight seasons from 2012-13, 2014-16, 2017-18, and 2019-22 with the New Jersey Devils, Montreal Canadiens, Vegas Golden Knights, and Columbus. In 411 career AHL appearances for the Albany Devils, St. John's IceCaps, Chicago Wolves, Colorado Eagles, and Cleveland spanning parts of ten seasons from 2013-20, Matteau logged 76-93-169 with 477 penalty minutes. The 29th overall pick in the 2012 NHL Draft, Matteau retired in August 2025 at the conclusion of a 13-season pro career and immediately transitioned from serving as Cleveland's captain to serving as the club's newest assistant coach. Matteau enters his second season in the role in 2026-27.

CLE HOCKEY OPERATIONS STAFF

Chris Clark.....General Manager
Brad Thiessen.....Goaltending Coach
Ben Eaves.....Strength & Skills Coach
Mike Monti.....Video Coach
Jock Callander.....SVP, Operations/Team Services
Seth Campbell.....Athletic Trainer
Jeff Lambert-Shemo.....Assistant Athletic Trainer
Mike Murphy.....Equipment Manager
Chase Soltis.....Assistant Equipment Manager

MONSTERS NOTES

BOOTLAND'S BENCH: After four seasons as head coach and nearly a decade with the club spanning his playing and coaching careers, Trent Vogelhuber departed the Monsters this summer for an opportunity as assistant coach with the NHL's Columbus Blue Jackets. In his stead, longtime ECHL head coach Nick Bootland (Kalamazoo Wings, 2008-22) was named the Monsters' eighth head coach in club history in June, following four successful seasons as an assistant coach with the AHL's Hershey Bears.

VETERAN VALUE: The Monsters' 2026-27 opening night roster features five players considered veterans pertaining to the AHL's Development Rule: LW **Roman Ahcan**, D **Adam Clendening**, C **Steven Lorentz**, C **Owen Sillinger**, and D **Colton White**. While G **Pheonix Copley** has more than enough service time to qualify, goaltenders don't bear the veteran distinction in the AHL.

NEW RECRUITS: Cleveland's 2026-27 opening night roster features four players considered rookies by the AHL: D **Boston Buckberger**, RW **Josh Earnisse**, D **Charlie Elick**, and G **Evan Gardner**.

AHL INK: The Monsters' 2026-27 opening night roster features two players on AHL contracts: LW **Roman Ahcan** and RW **Tate Singleton**. Cleveland D **Robby Drazner**, currently loaned to the ECHL's Wheeling Nailers, is the Monsters' lone remaining 2026-27 AHL deal.

OIVA'S ARRIVAL: Cleveland C **Oiva Keskinen** launches his North American pro career in 2026-27, but his professional accolades are well established in his native Finland where the 20-year old pivot registered a career-high 20 goals and 37 points in 49 appearances for Tappara Tampere last season, helping the club claim the Liiga Championship for the second time in three years.

LATEST TRANSACTIONS

PLAYER, POS.	ACTION	DATE
Adam Clendening, D	Signed PTO w/ CLE	10/1/26

CLEVELAND MONSTERS GAME NOTES – Oct. 2, 2026 vs. Grand Rapids Griffins										Pg. 3		
2026-27 SCORING BY PERIOD							2026-27 MONSTERS RECORD WHEN...					
TEAM	1	2	3	OT	SO	TO	AT HOME			AHCAN HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
CLE							ON THE ROAD			BUCKBERGER HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
OPP							OVERTIME			CEULEMANS HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
2026-27 GOAL BREAKDOWN							SHOOTOUT			CLENDENING HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
SITUATION				CLE		OPP	SCORING FIRST GOAL			COPLEY HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
HOME							ALLOWING FIRST GOAL			DUMAIS HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
AWAY							LEAD AFTER ONE PERIOD			EERNISSE HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FIVE-ON-FIVE							LEAD AFTER TWO PERIODS			ELICK HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FIVE-ON-FOUR							TRAIL AFTER ONE PERIOD			GARDNER HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FIVE-ON-THREE							TRAIL AFTER TWO PERIODS			KESKINEN HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FOUR-ON-FOUR							TIED AFTER ONE PERIOD			LORENTZ HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FOUR-ON-THREE							TIED AFTER TWO PERIODS			MALATESTA HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
THREE-ON-THREE							ONE-GOAL GAMES			MARRELLI HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
THREE-ON-FOUR							TWO-GOAL GAMES			MCCUE HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
THREE-ON-FIVE							COMEBACK WINS			PINELLI HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FOUR-ON-FIVE							OUTSHOOTING OPPONENT			RICHARD HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
SIX-ON-FIVE							OUTSHOT BY OPPONENT			SILLINGER HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
SIX-ON-FOUR							SHOTS TIED			SINGLETON HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
SIX-ON-THREE							GAMES FOLLOWING A WIN			TUCH HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FOUR-ON-SIX							GAMES FOLLOWING A LOSS			WHITE HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
FIVE-ON-SIX							RECORD IN OCTOBER			WILLIAMS HAS A GOAL		0-0-0-0
POWER PLAY							RECORD IN NOVEMBER			-----		
SHORTHANDED							RECORD IN DECEMBER			AHCAN HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
PENALTY SHOT							RECORD IN JANUARY			BUCKBERGER HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
EMPTY NET							RECORD IN FEBRUARY			CEULEMANS HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
FIRST MINUTE							RECORD IN MARCH			CLENDENING HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
FIRST TEN MINUTES							RECORD IN APRIL			COPLEY HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
LAST TEN MINUTES							RECORD ON MONDAY			DUMAIS HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
LAST MINUTE							RECORD ON TUESDAY			EERNISSE HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
OVERTIME							RECORD ON WEDNESDAY			ELICK HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
SHOOTOUT							RECORD ON THURSDAY			GARDNER HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
UNASSISTED							RECORD ON FRIDAY			KESKINEN HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
ONE ASSIST							RECORD ON SATURDAY			LORENTZ HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
TWO ASSISTS							RECORD ON SUNDAY			MALATESTA HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
2026-27 GAME-WINNING GOALS							ZERO DAYS REST			MARRELLI HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
TEAM LEADER							ONE DAY’S REST			MCCUE HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
POWER PLAY							TWO-PLUS DAYS REST			PINELLI HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
EVEN-STRENGTH							WEARING WHITE JERSEYS			RICHARD HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
SHORTHANDED							WEARING BLUE JERSEYS			SILLINGER HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
EX. ATTACKER							WEARING BLACK JERSEYS			SINGLETON HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
EMPTY NET							WEARING CBJ JERSEYS			TUCH HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
PENALTY SHOT							WEARING SPECIALTY JERSEYS			WHITE HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
OVERTIME							IN FRONT OF 10,000-PLUS FANS			WILLIAMS HAS A POINT		0-0-0-0
SHOOTOUT							2026-27 MULTI-POINT GAMES					
							PLAYER	2P	3P	4+P		
2026-27 MULTI-GOAL GAMES												
PLAYER				2G	3G	4+G						

2026-27 SEASON HIGHS/LOWS

CLE GAME HIGHS

POINTS
GOALS
ASSISTS
SHOTS ON GOAL
SAVES
PENALTIES
PENALTY MINUTES

OPP. GAME HIGHS

POINTS
GOALS
ASSISTS
SHOTS ON GOAL
SAVES
PENALTIES
PENALTY MINUTES

CLE GAME LOWS

POINTS
GOALS
ASSISTS
SHOTS ON GOAL
SAVES
PENALTIES
PENALTY MINUTES

OPP. GAME LOWS

POINTS
GOALS
ASSISTS
SHOTS ON GOAL
SAVES
PENALTIES
PENALTY MINUTES

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED...

CLE EARNED SHUTOUT 4-0 W at TOR 5/20/26
CLE WERE SHUT OUT 0-5 L at PRO 1/17/26
PENALTY SHOT FOR 1-2 SOL vs BEL 2/23/25
(L. D.B.Belluz – No Goal)
PENALTY SHOT AGAINST 2-1 W at ROC 4/17/26
(A. Wahlberg – No Goal)
CLE WON IN OVERTIME 2-1 W (3OT) at SYR 5/3/26
CLE LOST IN OVERTIME 4-5 OTL at LAV 2/6/26
CLE WON IN SHOOTOUT 3-2 SOW vs TOR 2/21/26
CLE LOST IN SHOOTOUT 3-4 SOL at LV 4/12/26
CLE SCORED E.N. GOAL 4-0 W at TOR 5/20/26 (2)
CLE ALLOWED E.N. GOAL 2-5 L at TOR 5/22/26
CLE SCORED WITH E.A. 3-4 SOL vs ROC 4/6/26
OPP. SCORED WITH E.A. 3-2 SOW vs TOR 2/21/26
CLE SCORED 5+ GOALS 6-5 W vs MIL 4/4/26
CLE ALLOWED 5+ GOALS 2-5 L at TOR 5/22/26
CLE POSTED 40+ SHOTS 2-1 W (3OT) at SYR 5/3/26 (58)
CLE ALLOWED 40+ SHOTS 2-1 W (3OT) at SYR 5/3/26 (47)
CLE POSTED <20 SHOTS 3-2 W vs SYR 4/24/26 (15)
CLE ALLOWED <20 SHOTS 4-0 W at TOR 5/20/26 (16)
CLE WON 5+ STRAIGHT 3-2 W vs TOR 2/3/26 (6th)
CLE WON 10+ STRAIGHT 2-0 W vs TOR 11/29/24 (10th)
CLE LOST 5+ STRAIGHT 1-4 L vs UTC 3/29/26 (0-5-0-0)
CLE LOST 10+ STRAIGHT 1-2 OTL at GR 2/20/21 (10th)
CLE SCORED 3+ PPG 7-1 W vs WBS 4/4/25 (3)
CLE ALLOWED 3+ PPG 1-4 L vs TOR 4/12/25 (3)
OVERCAME 2G DEFICIT (W-REG) 6-4 W vs GR 4/19/26 (1-3)
OVERCAME 2G DEFICIT (W-OT/SO) 3-2 W vs TOR 2/3/26 (0-2)
CLE BLEW 2G LEAD (L-REG) 2-5 L vs TOR 5/14/26 (2-0)
CLE BLEW 2G LEAD (L-OT/SO) 3-4 SOL at LV 4/12/26 (2-0)
TALLIED <5 SHOTS IN A PERIOD 3-2 W vs SYR 4/24/26
(5 in 2nd, 4 in 3rd)
ALLOWED <5 SHOTS IN A PERIOD 2-5 L at TOR 5/22/26
(4 in 2nd)

ALL-TIME REGULAR SEASON TEAM RECORDS

Division Championships 1 (North, 2023-24)
Overall regular season point championships 0
Most points in one season 97 (2015-16)
Fewest points in one season 60 (2017-18)
Most wins in one season 44 (2010-11)
Fewest wins in one season 25 (2017-18)
Most losses in one season (L+OTL) 51 (2017-18)
Fewest losses in one season 31 (2010-11)
Most shootout losses in one season 10 (2013-14)
Fewest shootout losses in one season 5 (Three Times)
Most goals scored in one season 234 (2009-10)
Fewest goals scored in one season 189 (2011-12)
Most goals allowed in one season 276 (2007-08)
Fewest goals allowed in one season 188 (2015-16)
Most penalty minutes in one season 1,622 (2013-14)
Fewest penalty minutes in one season 994 (2017-18)
Longest winning streak overall 10 games (11/8/24 – 11/29/24)
Longest winning streak at home 7 games (Twice)
Longest winning streak away 8 games (3/11/11 – 4/2/11)
Longest losing streak (L+OTL) overall 9 games (1/24/22 – 2/11/22)
Longest losing streak (L+OTL) at home 7 games (10/6/07 – 11/11/07)
Longest losing streak (L+OTL) away 7 games (12/8/10 – 1/7/11)
Longest winless streak overall 8 games (Three Times)
Longest winless streak at home 7 games (Twice)
Longest winless streak away 8 games (Twice)
Most points (individual) in one season 71 (Trey Fix-Wolansky, 2022-23)
Most goals in one season 33 (Zac Dalpe, 2018-19)
Most assists in one season 50 (T.J. Hensick, 2009-10)
Most penalty minutes in one season 215 (Daniel Maggio, 2014-15)
Most appearances in one season (G) 51 (Anton Forsberg, 2016-17)
Most minutes played in one season (G) 2,977 (Anton Forsberg, 2016-17)
Most wins in one season (G) 30 (Jet Greaves, 2023-24)
Most shutouts in one season 8 (Tyler Weiman, 2008-09)

2026-27 REGULAR SEASON RECORD

RECORD VS.	HOME	AWAY	TOTAL
Belleville Senators	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Charlotte Checkers	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Chicago Wolves	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Grand Rapids Griffins	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Hamilton Hammers	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Hershey Bears	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Laval Rocket	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Lehigh Valley Phantoms	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Milwaukee Admirals	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Rochester Americans	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Syracuse Crunch	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Toronto Marlies	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Utica Comets	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
W-B/Scranton Penguins	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
2026-27 RECORD	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0

2026-27 MONSTERS GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>RESULT</u>	<u>GWG</u>	<u>RECORD</u>	<u>STANDINGS</u>	<u>CLE GOALIE</u>	<u>OPP GOALIE</u>	<u>SF</u>	<u>SA</u>	<u>ATTD.</u>
10/2	GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS									
10/4	GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS									
10/10	at Lehigh Valley Phantoms									
10/11	at Lehigh Valley Phantoms									
10/16	W-B/SCRANTON PENGUINS									
10/17	W-B/SCRANTON PENGUINS									
10/23	at Grand Rapids Griffins									
10/24	at Grand Rapids Griffins									
10/30	MILWAUKEE ADMIRALS									
10/31	MILWAUKEE ADMIRALS									
11/4	at Rochester Americans									
11/6	at Laval Rocket									
11/7	at Laval Rocket									
11/14	at Belleville Senators									
11/15	at Belleville Senators									
11/17	HAMILTON HAMMERS									
11/21	UTICA COMETS									
11/22	UTICA COMETS									
11/27	HAMILTON HAMMERS									
11/28	HAMILTON HAMMERS									
12/2	ROCHESTER AMERICANS									
12/5	at Chicago Wolves									
12/6	at Chicago Wolves									
12/9	at Toronto Marlies									
12/11	LAVAL ROCKET									
12/12	LAVAL ROCKET									
12/18	SYRACUSE CRUNCH									
12/19	SYRACUSE CRUNCH									
12/28	CHARLOTTE CHECKERS									
12/29	CHARLOTTE CHECKERS									
1/2	at Hershey Bears									
1/3	at Hershey Bears									
1/6	SYRACUSE CRUNCH									
1/7	SYRACUSE CRUNCH									
1/10	TORONTO MARLIES									
1/13	at Hamilton Hammers									
1/16	at Charlotte Checkers									
1/17	at Charlotte Checkers									
1/20	at Grand Rapids Griffins									
1/23	at Hamilton Hammers									
1/24	GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS									
1/29	HERSHEY BEARS									
1/31	HERSHEY BEARS									
2/3	at Utica Comets									
2/5	at Syracuse Crunch									
2/6	at Syracuse Crunch									
2/12	at Utica Comets									
2/13	at Syracuse Crunch									
2/15	GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS									
2/17	at Rochester Americans									
2/19	at W-B/Scranton Penguins									
2/20	at W-B/Scranton Penguins									
2/24	ROCHESTER AMERICANS									
2/26	BELLEVILLE SENATORS									
2/27	BELLEVILLE SENATORS									
3/3	at Hamilton Hammers									
3/5	TORONTO MARLIES									
3/6	at Toronto Marlies									
3/10	at Grand Rapids Griffins									
3/12	at Milwaukee Admirals									
3/13	at Milwaukee Admirals									
3/16	ROCHESTER AMERICANS									
3/17	ROCHESTER AMERICANS									
3/20	at Toronto Marlies									
3/26	LEHIGH VALLEY PHANTOMS									
3/27	LEHIGH VALLEY PHANTOMS									
3/31	at Rochester Americans									
4/2	CHICAGO WOLVES									
4/3	CHICAGO WOLVES									
4/7	at Syracuse Crunch									
4/9	at Rochester Americans									
4/10	TORONTO MARLIES									



2026-27 CLEVELAND MONSTERS NUMERICAL ROSTER



Updated: 10/1/26

* Rookie, ^ Veteran

Proud Affiliate: 

#	Name	Pronunciation	Pos.	Height	Neigh	S/C	DOB	Hometown	2025-26 Team(s)	NHL Draft	Contract	Notes
4	Corson Ceulemans	KOOL-minz	D	6-2	198	R	2003-05-05	Regina, SK	Cleveland (AHL)	2021 CBJ (1, 25)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/26/26.
6	Colton White ^	WIGHT	D	6-1	187	L	1997-05-03	London, ON	New Jersey (NHL)/Utica (AHL)	2015 NJD (4, 97)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/26/26.
7	Charlie Elick *	EL-ik	D	6-4	205	R	2006-01-17	Villach, Austria	Cleveland (AHL)/Tri-City (WHL)	2024 CBJ (2, 36)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/24/26.
8	Boston Buckberger *	BAW-stin BUK-bur-gur	D	5-11	172	L	2003-06-01	Saskatoon, SK	Denver (NCAA-NCHC)		NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/23/26.
11	James Malatesta	mal-uh-TEST-uh	LW	5-9	190	L	2003-05-31	Montreal, QC	Cleveland (AHL)	2021 CBJ (5, 133)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/24/26.
12	Owen Sillinger ^	SIL-in-jur	C	5-10	183	L	1997-09-23	Regina, SK	Cleveland (AHL)		NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/24/26.
14	Josh Eernisse *	UR-nuh-see	RW	6-3	216	R	2001-12-31	Apple Valley, MN	Cleveland (AHL)/Michigan (NCAA-BT)		NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/23/26.
16	Adam Clendening ^	klen-DEN-ing	D	6-0	194	R	1992-10-26	Niagara Falls, NY	Shanghai (KHL)	2011 CHI (2, 36)	PTO	Signed PTO with CLE (AHL) 10/1/26.
17	Luke Tuch	TUK	LW	6-2	203	L	2002-03-07	Syracuse, NY	Laval (AHL)	2020 MTL (2, 47)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/24/26.
18	Steven Lorentz ^	luh-RENTS	LW	6-4	218	L	1996-04-13	Waterloo, ON	Toronto (NHL)	2015 CAR (7, 186)	NHL-1	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 10/1/26.
20	Oiva Keskinen	OY-vuh KES-kuh-nin	C	6-0	181	L	2004-02-28	Ylojarvi, Finland	Tappara (Liiga)	2023 CBJ (7, 194)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/24/26.
26	Guillaume Richard	gee-YOHN rih-SHARD	D	6-2	187	L	2003-02-10	Quebec, QC	Cleveland (AHL)	2021 CBJ (4, 101)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/24/26.
29	Pheonix Copley	FEE-nix KOP-lee	G	6-4	201	L	1992-01-18	North Pole, AK	Los Angeles (NHL)/Ontario (AHL)		NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/26/26.
35	Evan Gardner *	GARD-nur	G	6-1	181	L	2006-01-25	Fort St. John, BC	Cleveland (AHL)/Saskatoon (WHL)	2024 CBJ (2, 60)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/23/26.
37	Roman Ahcan ^	uh-SHAHN	LW	5-9	170	L	1999-03-24	Savage, MN	Cleveland (AHL)		AHL	Released by CBJ (NHL) from PTO, returned to CLE (AHL) 9/22/26.
48	Tate Singleton	TAYT SIN-gul-tin	RW	5-9	176	L	1998-09-05	West Lebanon, NH	Cleveland (AHL)/Greenville (ECHL)		AHL	Released by CBJ (NHL) from PTO, returned to CLE (AHL) 9/22/26.
53	Luca Pinelli	LOO-kuh puh-NEL-lee	LW	5-9	168	L	2005-04-05	Stoney Creek, ON	Columbus (NHL)/Cleveland (AHL)	2023 CBJ (4, 114)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/23/26.
54	Luca Marrelli	LOO-kuh muh-REL-lee	D	6-2	185	R	2005-10-04	Toronto, ON	Cleveland (AHL)	2024 CBJ (3, 86)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/23/26.
88	Jordan Dumais	doo-MAY	RW	5-9	174	R	2004-04-15	Longueuil, QC	Cleveland (AHL)	2022 CBJ (3, 96)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/23/26.
92	Jack Williams	WILL-yumz	C	5-11	185	R	2002-03-02	Biddeford, ME	Cleveland (AHL)		NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/28/26.
93	Max McCue	muh-K'YOO	C	6-1	183	L	2003-02-10	Sudbury, ON	Cleveland (AHL)	2021 SJS (5, 156)	NHL-2	Loaned by CBJ (NHL) to CLE (AHL) 9/22/26.

MONSTERS HOCKEY OPERATIONS STAFF

Name	Pronunciation	Title	Name	Pronunciation	Title
Chris Clark	KLARK	General Manager	Tommy Cross, Anthony Donskov, Matthew Donskov		Development Coaches
Nick Bootland	BOOT-lind	Head Coach	Seth Campbell	KAM-bull	Head Athletic Trainer
Chris Bergeron	BUR-jur-ahn	Associate Coach	Jeff Lambert-Shemo	LAM-burt-SHEE-moh	Assistant Athletic Trainer
Stefan Matteau	steh-FON muh-TOH	Assistant Coach	Mike Murphy	MUR-fee	Head Equipment Manager
Brad Thiessen	TEE-sin	Goaltending Coach	Chase Soltis	SOUL-tis	Assistant Equipment Manager
Mike Monti	MON-tee	Video Coach	Jock Callander	KAL-in-der	Sr. Vice President of Operations/Team Services
Ben Eaves	EAVZ	Strength & Skills Coach	Tony Brown	BROWN	Dir. of Broadcasting/Team Communications/Play-by-Play Announcer

4 Corson Ceulemans – D [KOR-sin KOOL-minz]

BORN: 2003-05-05 (23 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Regina, SK, CAN
HEIGHT: 6-2
WEIGHT: 198
SHOOTS: R
NHL DRAFT: 2021 round 1 #25 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets
PRO EXPERIENCE: 5th Year
CONTRACT: 1-year, 2-way NHL contract extension with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 6/20/26
THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/26/26.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2021-22	Univ. of Wisconsin	NCAA-BT	34	7	15	22	33	-12	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	Univ. of Wisconsin	NCAA-BT	33	8	15	23	38	-5	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	13	1	1	2	6	-3	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	47	3	9	12	12	-11	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	33	2	5	7	29	+1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	64	8	16	24	43	-14	9	1	2	3	4	+4
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	AHL	157	14	31	45	90	-27	9	1	2	3	4	+4
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	157	14	31	45	90	-27	9	1	2	3	4	+4

[VETERAN]

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/26/26.

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7 Charlie Elick – D [EL-ik]

[ROOKIE]

BORN: 2006-01-17 (20 y/o)

HOMETOWN: Villach, AUT

HEIGHT: 6-3

WEIGHT: 205

SHOOTS: R

NHL DRAFT: 2024 round 2 #36 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets

PRO EXPERIENCE: 1st Year

CONTRACT: 3-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2028-29, signed 3/26/25

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/24/26.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2021-22	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	9	1	1	2	0	-1	4	0	0	0	0	+2
2022-23	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	56	3	8	11	38	-8	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	65	4	23	27	71	+4	4	0	3	3	0	-9
2024-25	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	33	0	7	7	35	-4	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Tri-City Americans	WHL	33	2	6	8	20	-2	5	0	2	2	2	0
2025-26	Tri-City Americans	WHL	63	6	14	20	46	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	2	0	1	1	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	AHL	2	0	1	1	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	2	0	1	1	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–

[ROOKIE]

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11 James Malatesta – LW [mal-uh-TESS-tuh]

BORN: 2003-05-31 (23 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Montreal, QC, CAN
HEIGHT: 5-9
WEIGHT: 192
SHOOTS: L

NHL DRAFT: 2021 round 5 #133 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets
PRO EXPERIENCE: 4th Year
CONTRACT: 1-year, 2-way NHL contract extension with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 6/13/26
THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/24/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2022-23: CHL Memorial Cup Champion, named to CHL Memorial Cup All-Star Team, claimed Stafford Smythe Trophy as CHL Memorial Cup MVP, QMJHL Champion, claimed Guy Lafleur Trophy as QMJHL MVP.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2019-20	Quebec Remparts	QMJHL	59	23	22	45	29	-9	–	–	–	–	–	–
2020-21	Quebec Remparts	QMJHL	32	10	13	23	12	-9	6	3	1	4	2	0
2021-22	Quebec Remparts	QMJHL	68	28	25	53	49	+25	12	5	3	8	14	+5
2022-23	Quebec Remparts	QMJHL	55	37	29	66	64	+34	18	14	6	20	16	+11
2023-24	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	11	2	2	4	5	-1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	56	12	10	22	79	-4	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	2	0	0	0	0	-1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	41	8	6	14	49	-7	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	57	10	8	18	87	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	NHL	13	2	2	4	5	-2	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	AHL	154	30	24	54	215	-11	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	154	30	24	54	215	-11	–	–	–	–	–	–

12 Owen Sillinger – C [SIL-in-jur]

[VETERAN]

BORN: 1997-09-23 (28 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Regina, SK, CAN
HEIGHT: 5-10
WEIGHT: 183
SHOOTS: L
NHL DRAFT: Undrafted
PRO EXPERIENCE: 6th Year

CONTRACT: 1-year, 2-way NHL contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 7/1/26
THIS SEASON: Named Monsters’ 2026-27 captain 10/2/26...Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/24/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2021-22: Named to CCHA 2nd All-Star Team, wore captain's 'C' for Bemidji State (NCAA-CCHA)...2019-20: Named to WCHA 3rd All-Star Team...2018-19: Named to WCHA All-Rookie Team...2017-18: Wore captain's 'C' for Penticton (BCHL)...2016-17: BCHL Champion.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2015-16	Penticton Vees	BCHL	58	16	29	45	18	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2016-17	Penticton Vees	BCHL	57	17	24	41	34	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2017-18	Penticton Vees	BCHL	56	33	34	67	36	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2018-19	Bemidji State Univ.	NCAA-WCHA	38	10	9	19	34	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2019-20	Bemidji State Univ.	NCAA-WCHA	37	14	20	34	36	+11	–	–	–	–	–	–
2020-21	Bemidji State Univ.	NCAA-WCHA	20	10	5	15	14	+3	–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	Bemidji State Univ.	NCAA-CCHA	39	17	30	47	41	+10	–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	17	3	6	9	4	-7	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	72	11	25	36	60	-15	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	69	11	29	40	66	0	14	3	3	6	2	+1
2024-25	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	1	0	0	0	2	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	44	11	18	29	18	-5	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	69	14	20	34	50	-14	9	1	3	4	7	-1
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	NHL	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
–	–	AHL	271	50	98	148	198	-41	23	4	6	10	9	0
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	271	50	98	148	198	-41	23	4	6	10	9	0

14 Josh Eernisse – RW [UR-nuh-see]

[ROOKIE]

BORN: 2001-12-31 (24 y/o)

HOMETOWN: Apple Valley, MN, USA

HEIGHT: 6-3

WEIGHT: 216

SHOOTS: R

NHL DRAFT: Undrafted

PRO EXPERIENCE: 1st Year

CONTRACT: 1-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 4/12/26

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/23/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2025-26: Big Ten Tournament Champion, claimed Big Ten Sportsmanship Award.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2020-21	Tri-City Storm	USHL	33	1	6	7	16	+3	1	0	0	0	4	0
2021-22	Tri-City Storm	USHL	52	9	8	17	57	+13	5	1	0	1	4	+1
2022-23	U. of St. Thomas	NCAA-CCHA	36	14	7	21	54	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	U. of Michigan	NCAA-BT	41	8	6	14	45	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	U. of Michigan	NCAA-BT	36	1	10	11	34	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	U. of Michigan	NCAA-BT	38	11	8	19	37	+17	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–

16 Adam Clendening – D [klen-DEN-ing]

[VETERAN]

BORN: 1992-10-26 (33 y/o)

HOMETOWN: Niagara Falls, NY, USA

HEIGHT: 6-0

WEIGHT: 194

SHOOTS: R

NHL DRAFT: 2011 round 2 #36 overall by Chicago Blackhawks

PRO EXPERIENCE: 15th Year

CONTRACT: PTO with Cleveland (AHL), signed 10/1/26

THIS SEASON: Signed PTO with Cleveland (AHL) 10/2/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: **2020-21:** World Championship Bronze Medal (Team USA). **2013-14:** Named to AHL First All-Star Team. **2012-13:** Named to AHL Second All-Star Team, AHL All-Star Game. **2011-12:** Named to NCAA (Hockey East) First All-Star Team. **2010-11:** Named to NCAA (Hockey East) All-Rookie Team. **2009-10:** U18 WJC Gold Medal (Team USA).

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2009-10	USNTDP Juniors	USHL	26	4	13	17	44	+16	–	–	–	–	–	–
2010-11	Boston Univ.	NCAA-HE	39	5	21	26	80	+8	–	–	–	–	–	–
2011-12	Boston Univ.	NCAA-HE	38	4	29	33	64	+11	–	–	–	–	–	–
2012-13	Rockford IceHogs	AHL	73	9	37	46	67	+17	–	–	–	–	–	–
2013-14	Rockford IceHogs	AHL	74	12	47	59	64	+5	–	–	–	–	–	–
2014-15	Chicago Blackhawks	NHL	4	1	1	2	2	+1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2014-15	Rockford IceHogs	AHL	38	1	12	13	20	-4	–	–	–	–	–	–
2014-15	Vancouver Canucks	NHL	17	0	2	2	8	+1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2014-15	Utica Comets	AHL	11	1	4	5	28	+5	23	3	5	8	26	+7
2015-16	Pittsburgh Penguins	NHL	9	0	1	1	3	+3	–	–	–	–	–	–
2015-16	Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins	AHL	6	0	3	3	0	+4	–	–	–	–	–	–
2015-16	Edmonton Oilers	NHL	20	1	5	6	10	+3	–	–	–	–	–	–
2016-17	New York Rangers	NHL	31	2	9	11	17	+3	–	–	–	–	–	–
2017-18	Arizona Coyotes	NHL	5	0	2	2	2	-1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2017-18	Tucson Roadrunners	AHL	21	1	4	5	40	+2	–	–	–	–	–	–
2017-18	Rockford IceHogs	AHL	38	4	26	30	48	+2	13	1	13	14	8	+4
2018-19	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	4	0	0	0	0	+1	7	0	1	1	2	+1
2018-19	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	45	4	33	37	98	+18	–	–	–	–	–	–
2019-20	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	55	7	34	41	75	-4	–	–	–	–	–	–
2020-21	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	9	1	3	4	6	+3	–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	Lehigh Valley Phantoms	AHL	74	5	37	42	78	-15	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	Rockford IceHogs	AHL	48	3	21	24	51	-17	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	Hartford Wolf Pack	AHL	20	1	8	9	16	+5	6	2	0	2	24	+1
2023-24	Ilves	Liiga	40	8	20	28	41	+9	5	0	3	3	10	0
2024-25	Kunlun Red Star	KHL	61	5	17	22	65	-13	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Shanghai Dragons	KHL	66	3	29	32	70	-18	–	–	–	–	–	–
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
		NHL	90	4	20	24	42	+11	7	0	1	1	2	+1
		AHL	512	49	269	318	591	+21	42	6	18	24	58	+12
	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	109	12	70	82	179	+17	–	–	–	–	–	–

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2022-23: Hockey East Tournament Champion, Hockey East Regular Season Champion...**2020-21:** Named to Hockey East All-Rookie Team.

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[VETERAN]

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2023-24: NHL Stanley Cup Champion...**2018-19:** AHL Calder Cup Champion...**2017-18:** ECHL Brabham Cup (Regular Season Champion).

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26 Guillaume Richard – D [gee-YOHM rih-SHARD]

BORN: 2003-02-10 (23 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Quebec, QC, CAN
HEIGHT: 6-2
WEIGHT: 187

SHOOTS: L

NHL DRAFT: 2021 round 4 #101 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets

PRO EXPERIENCE: 2nd Year

CONTRACT: 2-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 3/31/25

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/24/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2024-25: Named to Hockey East 2nd All-Star Team, named to NCAA (New England) All-Star Team.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2019-20	Tri-City Storm	USHL	5	0	0	0	0	-1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2020-21	Tri-City Storm	USHL	46	2	14	16	14	+10	–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	Providence College	NCAA-HE	36	3	11	14	26	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	Providence College	NCAA-HE	31	1	7	8	6	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	Providence College	NCAA-HE	35	3	15	18	27	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Providence College	NCAA-HE	37	2	12	14	14	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	8	2	2	4	4	0	6	1	1	2	0	0
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	70	7	11	18	20	+20	8	2	0	2	0	0
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	AHL	78	9	13	22	24	0	14	3	1	4	0	0
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	78	9	13	22	24	+20	14	3	1	4	0	0

BORN: 1992-01-18 (34 y/o)
HOMETOWN: North Pole, AK, USA
HEIGHT: 6-4
WEIGHT: 205
CATCHES: L

HOMETOWN: North Pole, AK, USA

HEIGHT: 6-4

WEIGHT: 205

CATCHES: L

NHL DRAFT: Undrafted

PRO EXPERIENCE: 13th Year

CONTRACT: 1-year, 1-way NHL contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 7/1/26

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/26/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2020-21: Claimed Harry “Hap” Holmes Memorial Award as part of AHL’s Top Goaltending Duo.

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35 Evan Gardner – G [GARD-nur]

[ROOKIE]

BORN: 2006-01-25 (20 y/o)

HOMETOWN: Fort St. John, BC, CAN

HEIGHT: 6-1

WEIGHT: 181

CATCHES: L

NHL DRAFT: 2024 round 2 #60 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets

PRO EXPERIENCE: 1st Year

CONTRACT: 3-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2027-28, signed 3/18/25

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/23/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2023-24: Led WHL in goals-against average (1.91) and save percentage (.927).

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON							PLAYOFFS						
			GP	W	L	OTL	SO	GAA	SV%	GP	W	L	OTL	SO	GAA	SV%
2023-24	Saskatoon Blades	WHL	30	21	5	0	4	1.91	0.927	15	10	1	3	1	2.33	.910
2024-25	Saskatoon Blades	WHL	44	23	13	5	3	2.82	0.911	4	0	4	0	0	4.80	.884
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	3.14	0.842	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Saskatoon Blades	WHL	52	25	16	6	3	2.96	0.902	11	4	5	2	0	3.04	.907
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	0	0	0	0	0.00	1.000
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)																
–	–	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	3.14	0.842	1	0	0	0	0	0.00	1.000
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	3.14	0.842	1	0	0	0	0	0.00	1.000

37 Roman Ahcan – LW [ROH-min uh-SHAHN]

[VETERAN]

BORN: 1999-03-24 (27 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Savage, MN, USA
HEIGHT: 5-9
WEIGHT: 170
SHOOTS: L
NHL DRAFT: Undrafted
PRO EXPERIENCE: 6th Year
CONTRACT: 2-year, AHL contract with Cleveland (AHL) through 2026-27, signed 6/29/25
THIS SEASON: Released from PTO by Columbus (NHL) and assigned to Cleveland (AHL) 9/22/26.
CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: **2020-21:** Big Ten Regular Season Champion...**2019-20:** Named to Big Ten (Honorable Mention) All-Star Team.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2017-18	Cedar Rapids RoughRiders	USHL	59	15	23	38	63	+13	–	–	–	–	–	–
2018-19	Univ. of Wisconsin	NCAA-BT	37	6	9	15	58	+1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2019-20	Univ. of Wisconsin	NCAA-BT	33	14	11	25	43	+7	–	–	–	–	–	–
2020-21	Univ. of Wisconsin	NCAA-BT	26	9	13	22	43	+7	–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	Univ. of Wisconsin	NCAA-BT	34	5	7	12	99	-12	–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	24	3	4	7	16	-8	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	70	8	9	17	33	-12	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	52	9	10	19	46	-1	14	2	0	2	4	+1
2023-24	Cincinnati Cyclones	ECHL	9	6	5	11	4	+5	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	67	18	11	29	36	+4	6	1	2	3	14	+2
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	67	16	9	25	81	+4	9	1	0	1	18	-5
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	AHL	280	54	43	97	212	-13	29	4	2	6	36	-2
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	280	54	43	97	212	-13	29	4	2	6	36	-2

48 Tate Singleton – RW [TAYT SIN-gul-tin]

BORN: 1998-09-05 (28 y/o)
HOMETOWN: West Lebanon, NH, USA
HEIGHT: 5-9
WEIGHT: 176
SHOOTS: L
NHL DRAFT: Undrafted
PRO EXPERIENCE: 4th Year
CONTRACT: 1-year, AHL contract with Cleveland (AHL) through 2026-27, signed 7/7/26
THIS SEASON: Released from PTO by Columbus (NHL) and assigned to Cleveland (AHL) 9/22/26.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2018-19	Central Illinois Flying Aces	USHL	53	22	15	37	71	-4	—	—	—	—	—	—
2019-20	Ohio State	NCAA-BT	36	6	11	17	18	+7	—	—	—	—	—	—
2020-21	Ohio State	NCAA-BT	27	6	5	11	10	-13	—	—	—	—	—	—
2021-22	Ohio State	NCAA-BT	37	10	5	15	28	-2	—	—	—	—	—	—
2022-23	Ohio State	NCAA-BT	40	11	16	27	50	+12	—	—	—	—	—	—
2023-24	Toronto Marlies	AHL	12	1	5	6	23	+5	—	—	—	—	—	—
2023-24	Newfoundland Growlers	ECHL	59	25	23	48	102	-12	—	—	—	—	—	—
2024-25	Ontario Reign	AHL	10	0	0	0	15	-7	1	0	0	0	0	0
2024-25	Greenville Swamp Rabbits	ECHL	51	18	19	37	107	-18	—	—	—	—	—	—
2025-26	Greenville Swamp Rabbits	ECHL	10	4	6	10	11	0	—	—	—	—	—	—
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	39	6	5	11	54	-2	2	0	1	1	0	0
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
—	—	AHL	61	7	10	17	92	-4	3	0	1	1	0	0
—	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	39	6	5	11	54	-2	2	0	1	1	0	0

53 Luca Pinelli – LW [LOO-kuh pih-NEL-lee]

BORN: 2005-04-05 (21 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Hamilton, ON, CAN
HEIGHT: 5-9
WEIGHT: 168
SHOOTS: L

NHL DRAFT: 2023 round 4 #114 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets

PRO EXPERIENCE: 2nd Year

CONTRACT: 3-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 4/24/24

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/23/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2024-25: Wore captain’s ‘C’ for Ottawa (OHL)...2023-24: Wore captain’s “C” for Ottawa (OHL).

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2021-22	Ottawa 67’s	OHL	59	14	22	36	42	-6	4	2	2	4	2	+1
2022-23	Ottawa 67's	OHL	67	29	34	63	60	+30	11	7	11	18	6	+10
2023-24	Ottawa 67's	OHL	68	48	34	82	44	+1	10	5	2	7	13	+2
2024-25	Ottawa 67's	OHL	52	37	34	71	63	+1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	3	0	2	2	4	+2	6	2	2	4	4	+3
2025-26	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	3	0	0	0	0	-1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	68	14	32	46	66	0	9	1	2	3	12	-1
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	NHL	3	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0
–	–	AHL	71	14	34	48	70	+2	15	3	4	7	16	+2
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	71	14	34	48	70	+2	15	3	4	7	16	+2

54 Luca Marrelli – D [LOO-kuh muh-REL-lee]

BORN: 2005-10-04 (20 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Toronto, ON, CAN
HEIGHT: 6-2

WEIGHT: 185

SHOOTS: R

NHL DRAFT: 2024 round 3 #86 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets

PRO EXPERIENCE: 2nd Year

CONTRACT: 3-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2028-29, signed 12/11/24

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/23/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2024-25: Named to CHL 2nd All-Star Team, named to OHL 3rd All-Star Team.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2021-22	Oshawa Generals	OHL	62	0	12	12	18	-6	6	0	0	0	2	-3
2022-23	Oshawa Generals	OHL	58	5	23	28	32	-13	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	Oshawa Generals	OHL	67	6	51	57	16	+28	21	2	11	13	4	-4
2024-25	Oshawa Generals	OHL	67	19	55	74	21	+25	21	6	30	36	9	-3
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	32	4	12	16	10	-14	9	1	2	3	0	-5
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	AHL	32	4	12	16	10	-14	9	1	2	3	0	-5
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	32	4	12	16	10	-14	9	1	2	3	0	-5

88 Jordan Dumais – RW [doo-MAY]

BORN: 2004-04-15 (22 y/o)
HOMETOWN: Longueuil, QC, CAN
HEIGHT: 5-9
WEIGHT: 174
SHOOTS: R

NHL DRAFT: 2022 round 3 #96 overall by Columbus Blue Jackets

PRO EXPERIENCE: 3rd Year

CONTRACT: 3-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 11/27/22

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/23/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2022-23: Named to CHL 1st All-Star Team, named to QMJHL 1st All-Star Team, claimed Jean Beliveau Trophy as QMJHL Leading Scorer, claimed Michel Briere Trophy as QMJHL MVP...2021-22: Named CHL Sportsman of the Year, claimed Frank J. Selke Trophy as QMJHL’s Most Sportsmanlike Player, named to QMJHL 2nd All-Star Team.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON							PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-		GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2020-21	Halifax Mooseheads	QMJHL	40	10	19	29	20	-8		–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	Halifax Mooseheads	QMJHL	68	39	70	109	6	+7		5	2	4	6	0	-5
2022-23	Halifax Mooseheads	QMJHL	64	54	86	140	0	0		15	5	16	21	2	+2
2023-24	Halifax Mooseheads	QMJHL	21	16	31	47	6	+25		–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	21	4	7	11	4	0		2	0	0	0	0	-1
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	46	7	11	18	8	-11		–	–	–	–	–	–
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)															
–	–	AHL	67	11	18	29	12	-11		2	0	0	0	0	-1
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	67	11	18	29	12	-11		2	0	0	0	0	-1

92 Jack Williams – C [WILL-yumz]

BORN: 2002-03-02 (24 y/o)

HOMETOWN: Biddeford, ME, USA

HEIGHT: 5-11

WEIGHT: 185

SHOOTS: R

NHL DRAFT: Undrafted

PRO EXPERIENCE: 2nd Year

CONTRACT: 2-year, 2-way NHL contract extension with Columbus (NHL) through 2027-28, signed 6/29/26

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/28/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2024-25: Wore captain’s ‘C’ for Northeastern (NCAA-HE)...2021-22: Wore captain’s ‘C’ for Muskegon (USHL).

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2023-24	Northeastern Univ.	NCAA-HE	34	17	19	36	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Northeastern Univ.	NCAA-HE	37	16	25	41	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	1	0	0	0	0	+1	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	72	15	23	38	0	0	9	1	4	5	0	0
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	NHL	1	0	0	0	0	+1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	AHL	72	15	23	38	0	0	9	1	4	5	0	0
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	72	15	23	38	0	0	9	1	4	5	0	0

93 Max McCue – C [mih-KYOO]

BORN: 2003-02-10 (23 y/o)

HOMETOWN: Sudbury, ON, CAN

HEIGHT: 6-1

WEIGHT: 183

SHOOTS: L

NHL DRAFT: 2021 round 5 #156 overall by San Jose Sharks

PRO EXPERIENCE: 3rd Year

CONTRACT: 3-year, 2-way NHL entry-level contract with Columbus (NHL) through 2026-27, signed 3/1/24

THIS SEASON: Loaned by Columbus (NHL) to Cleveland (AHL) 9/22/26.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: 2023-24: OHL Champion.

Season	Team	Lge	REGULAR SEASON						PLAYOFFS					
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-
2019-20	London Knights	OHL	34	2	4	6	22	+2	–	–	–	–	–	–
2020-21	London Knights	OHL	0	0	0	0	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–
2021-22	London Knights	OHL	64	9	26	35	51	+13	–	–	–	–	–	–
2022-23	London Knights	OHL	58	13	26	39	69	+5	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023-24	London Knights	OHL	62	27	34	61	110	+27	–	–	–	–	–	–
2024-25	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	46	2	6	8	122	-11	–	–	–	–	–	–
2025-26	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	26	2	6	8	39	-9	–	–	–	–	–	–
2026-27	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
CAREER TOTALS (NHL / AHL / Cleveland)														
–	–	AHL	72	4	12	16	161	-20	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	Cleveland Monsters	AHL	72	4	12	16	161	-20	–	–	–	–	–	–