

# **Springfield Thunderbirds Player Bios**



**2017-18 Season**

## #33 Sam Montembeault

Drafted: FLA - 3rd rd., 77th overall, 2015 NHL Draft



Season Pct	Team	Lge	GP	Min	GA	EN	SO	GAA	W	L	T	Svs
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2013-14 0.898	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	14	714	28	0	0	2.35	9	1	1	246
2014-15 0.891	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	52	3104	134	3	3	2.59	33	11	7	1100
2015-16 0.901	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	47	2711	119	7	3	2.63	17	19	8	1083
2016-17 0.907	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	41	2226	89	0	6	2.40	28	9	0	873
2017-18 0.885	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	7	364	21	1	0	3.46	1	5	0	162

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2013-14	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	14	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
2014-15	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	52	0	1	1	2	6	0	0	0	0
2015-16	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	47	0	2	2	2	11	0	0	0	2
2016-17	Blainville-Boisbriand Arm	QMJHL	41	0	1	1	4	18	0	0	0	0
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	7	0	0	0	0					

## #35 Harri Sateri

Goalie -- shoots L

Born Dec 29 1989 – Toijala, Finland

[27 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 0" – Weight: 207

Drafted: SJ - 4th rd., 106th overall, 2008 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Started T-Birds opener on 10/7/17, his first AHL game since 4/18/14 w/ WOR...Selected by SJ in 2008 NHL Draft (4<sup>th</sup> round, 106<sup>th</sup> overall)... Spent previous three seasons in KHL with Vityaz Podolsk, logging 52 wins in that time... Prior to KHL, spent four seasons in the AHL with the Worcester Sharks... won career high 18 games in his final AHL season before KHL stint (2013-14)... Also played professionally in his native Finland, winning 21 games with Tappara Tampere in 2009-10...

Season	Team	Lge	GP	Min	GA	EN	SO	GAA	W	L	T	Svs	Pct
2008-09	Tappara Tampere	SM-liiga	22	1253	48	0	2	2.30	6	12	3	560	0.921
2009-10	Tappara Tampere	SM-liiga	49	2836	129	0	2	2.73	21	22	4	1393	0.915
2010-11	Worcester Sharks	AHL	7	351	15	2	0	2.56	1	3	1	167	0.918
2011-12	Worcester Sharks	AHL	38	2116	101	5	2	2.86	15	20	1	1002	0.908
2012-13	Worcester Sharks	AHL	39	2201	106	4	1	2.89	14	21	3	983	0.903
2013-14	Worcester Sharks	AHL	45	2646	130	4	1	2.95	18	24	2	1092	0.894
2014-15	Podolsk Vityaz	KHL	45	2603	128	0	3	2.95	17	21	5	1308	0.911
2015-16	Podolsk Vityaz	KHL	45	2565	104	0	4	2.43	15	23	6	1365	0.929
2016-17	Podolsk Vityaz	KHL	42	2424	101	0	2	2.50	20	16	5	1314	0.929
2017-18	Florida Panthers	NHL	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0.000
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	5	278	16	0	0	3.45	0	4	0	119	0.881

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2006-07	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2007-08	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2008-09	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	55	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2009-10	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	49	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Worcester Sharks	AHL	7	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Worcester Sharks	AHL	38	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Worcester Sharks	AHL	39	0	2	2	0	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Worcester Sharks	AHL	45	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Podolsk Vityaz	KHL	45	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Podolsk Vityaz	KHL	45	0	0	0	6	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Podolsk Vityaz	KHL	42	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
2017-18	Florida Panthers*	NHL	Statistics Unavailable									
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	4	0	0	0	0					

## SKATERS

### #3 Josh Brown

Defense -- shoots R

Born Jan 21 1994 – London, ON

[23 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 5" – Weight: 225

Drafted: FLA - 6th rd., 152nd overall,  
2013 NHL Draft



**Career Notes: 2017-18:** Picked up assists in each of Springfield's first two home games, 10/14 vs. HFD and 10/15 vs. TOR... **2016-17:** Spent full season with Thunderbirds, logging 96 PIMs and scoring 13 points (3-10-13) in 72 games played... 2015-2016 w/ Manchester Monarchs (ECHL): Appeared in 54 games recording 1 goal and 11 assists... Saw action in 5 playoff games... 2015-2016 w/ POR (AHL): Played in 10 games recording 1 assist... 2014-2015 w/ Oshawa Generals (OHL): Standout player in final year of junior hockey, won OHL Championship and Memorial Cup... Selected in 6th round (152 overall) by Florida Panthers in 2013 NHL Draft.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2010-11	Whitby Fury	OJHL	35	6	4	10	59	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Oshawa Generals	OHL	46	0	4	4	49	2	0	0	0	0
2012-13	Oshawa Generals	OHL	68	0	16	16	79	9	1	4	5	11
2013-14	Oshawa Generals	OHL	56	2	10	12	83	9	0	0	0	18
2014-15	Oshawa Generals	OHL	60	4	17	21	92	21	2	2	4	30
2015-16	Portland Pirates	AHL	10	0	1	1	7	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Manchester Monarchs	ECHL	54	1	11	12	80	5	0	0	0	4
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	72	3	10	13	96	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	0	2	2	4					

## #4 Tim Erixon

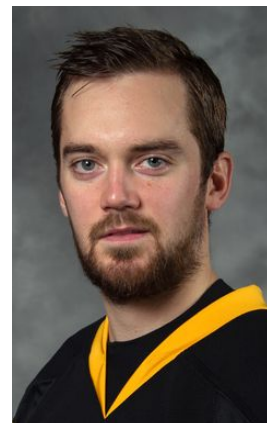
Defense -- shoots L

Born Feb 24 1991 - Port Chester, NY

[26 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 3" – Weight: 200

Drafted: CGY- 1st rd., 23rd overall, 2009 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2016-17:** recorded 17 points in 54 GP w/ WBS 2015-16: Had seven points (1G-6A) in the month of November... Recorded his 100th career AHL assist in a 2-assist performance against Lehigh Valley on Mar. 9, 2016... Led all WBS defensemen in points during the 2016 Calder Cup Playoffs with 6 (2G-4A). 2014-15: Played in 42 games between three different NHL clubs (Columbus, Chicago, and Toronto)... Scored his first career NHL goal on Oct. 26, 2014 for Columbus, a power play goal at Los Angeles... Traded from Columbus to Chicago on Dec. 14 in exchange for Jeremy Morin... Claimed off waivers by Toronto on Mar. 3, 2015... Scored his first goal as a member of the Maple Leafs on Mar. 21 at Ottawa. 2013-14: Finished 13th overall in the AHL in defenseman scoring, but tied for 2nd among defensemen in points per game (0.95)... Tied his career-best 4 points in one game with 1G-3A on Oct. 18, 2013 at Providence... Registered 9 points (2G-7A) in the first 3 games of the season... Captured a bronze medal with Sweden at the 2013 IIHF World Championship. 2012-13: Led all Springfield D-men with 0.73 points per game... Scored 1G-3A and posted an AHL season-high +6 rating on Nov. 4, 2012 in his first game against his former team, Connecticut; 4 points set a new personal record for points in one game... Played 2012-13 AHL All-Star Game. 2011-12: Led Connecticut defensemen with 30 assists, tied for 1st among team defensemen with 33 points... Registered his first AHL point in his first game with the Whale on Nov. 2, 2011 at Bridgeport... Scored his first AHL goal 10 days later on Nov. 12, a power play goal at St. John's... Recorded his first career NHL point on Mar. 23, 2012 for the NY Rangers against Buffalo. 2010-11: Posted a personal Elitserien career best 24 points (5G-19A) in 48 games with Skellefteå... Won silver medal with Sweden at 2011 IIHF World Championship... Participated in the IIHF World Junior Championship with Sweden for the third year in a row. 2009-10: Led Skellefteå defensemen with 7 goals at 18-years-old... Had his first multi-point and two-goal game when he notched 2 goals on Nov. 26, 2009 at Rögle... Scored his first Elitserien playoffs goal and only point of the postseason on Apr. 8, 2010 in the deciding game of a losing series at HV71... Won a bronze medal with Sweden at the 2010 IIHF World Junior Ice Hockey Championship. 2008-09: Earned 2 goals and 5 assists for 7 points with Skellefteå AIK and added 2 assists while on loan to Malmö in the HockeyAllsvenskan, giving him 9 total points (2G-7A) as a 17-year-old in his first year of professional hockey... Scored his first Elitserien goal in the first game of the season on Sept. 18, 2008 against Rögle... Won a silver medal with Sweden at the 2009 IIHF World Junior Championship... Scored the most goals by a defenseman (3) and most points by a defenseman (9) in 6 games and was named first team All-Star at the IIHF U18 World Juniors. OTHER: Made his Elitserien debut on Jan. 3, 2008 for Skellefteå... Son of former NHL forward Jan Erixon, who played 10 seasons with the New York Rangers (1983-1993)... Represented Sweden three years in a row at the IIHF World Junior Championships (2009, 2010, 2011).

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2007-08	Skelleftea AIK	SEL	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2008-09	Malmö Redhawks	Swe-1	3	0	2	2	0					
2008-09	Skelleftea AIK	SEL	45	2	5	7	12	9	0	0	0	4
2009-10	Skelleftea AIK	SEL	45	7	6	13	44	12	1	0	1	8
2010-11	Skelleftea AIK	SEL	48	5	19	24	40	18	3	5	8	12
2011-12	New York Rangers	NHL	18	0	2	2	8	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Connecticut Whale	AHL	52	3	30	33	42	9	0	4	4	8
2012-13	Springfield Falcons	AHL	40	5	24	29	38	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	31	0	5	5	14	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	2	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Springfield Falcons	AHL	40	5	33	38	16	5	1	1	2	4
2014-15	Columbus Blue Jackets	NHL	19	1	5	6	4	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Chicago Blackhawks	NHL	8	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Toronto Maple Leafs	NHL	15	1	0	1	6	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Pen	AHL	65	3	17	20	44	10	2	4	6	6

## #5 Mike Downing

Drafted: FLA - 4th rd., 97th overall, 2013 NHL Draft



All-Rookie Team in 2013-2014... Recorded an assist on college debut vs. BC... Played for U.S. National U17 team... Selected in 4th round (97th overall) in 2013 NHL draft by the Florida Panthers.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2011-12	Dubuque Fighting Saints	USHL	54	4	10	14	68	5	1	1	2	4
2012-13	Dubuque Fighting Saints	USHL	52	3	20	23	107	11	0	3	3	6
2013-14	U. of Michigan	Big-1	34	2	10	12	60					
2014-15	U. of Michigan	Big-1	36	6	16	22	76					
2015-16	U. of Michigan	Big-1	35	3	17	20	66					
2015-16	Portland Pirates	AHL	1	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	67	2	11	13	65	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	11	1	0	1	14					

## #7 Reece Scarlett

Defense -- shoots R

Born Mar 31 1991 – Sherwood Park, AB

[26 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 1" – Weight: 185

Drafted: NJ - 6th rd., 159th overall, 2011 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES:** 2017-18: Scored first goal of season in home opener 10/14 vs. HFD... 2016-17: Recorded 22 points (5-17-22) between ALB and SPR... scored goal in his first game with the Thunderbirds on 3/3 vs. LV, but was injured in the same game and missed the remainder of the season... Spent four seasons with Albany, racking up 20 points or more each season... Played 276 games with Swift Current (WHL), registering 25 goals and 107 assists for 132 points... Appeared in 2011 CHL Top Prospects Game... Made professional/AHL debut on October 12, 2013 against Utica; scored first professional/AHL goal on November 16, 2013 at Syracuse... Tied for third on team in 2013-14 with six power-play goals and a +11 rating... Registered a career-high 27 points (4g-23a) during 2015-16 season... Drafted in the 6<sup>th</sup> round (159<sup>th</sup> overall) by NJ in 2011 NHL Draft

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2008-09	Swift Current Broncos	WHL	1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2009-10	Swift Current Broncos	WHL	65	1	9	10	49	4	0	2	2	4
2010-11	Swift Current Broncos	WHL	72	6	18	24	59	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Swift Current Broncos	WHL	71	9	40	49	74	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Swift Current Broncos	WHL	67	9	40	49	66	5	0	3	3	10
2013-14	Albany Devils	AHL	48	6	14	20	18	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Albany Devils	AHL	57	2	23	25	27	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Albany Devils	AHL	60	4	22	26	64	10	0	0	0	0
2016-17	Albany Devils	AHL	50	4	17	21	53	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	1	1	0	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	1	1	2	20					

## #8 Jayce Hawryluk

Forward -- shoots R

Born Jan 1 1996 – Roblin, MB

[21 yrs. old]

Height: 5' 10" – Weight: 194

Drafted: FLA - 2nd rd., 32nd overall, 2014 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES:** 2017-18: Scored first goal of season in home opener loss to HFD 10/14... 2016-17: After sitting out due to injuries through early December, registered 9-17-26 during his rookie season, good for 6<sup>th</sup> on the team in points...Ended rookie campaign on four-game point streak... 2015-2016 w/ Brandon Wheat Kings (WHL) : Recorded 47 goals and 59 assists for 106... Won WHL championship, recording 7 goals and 23 assists in 21 playoff games... Recorded 1 goal and 1 assist in two games for the WHL all-stars against Russia... Hawryluk made his WHL debut with Brandon as a 16-year-old and skated for Canada Western in the 2013 U17 World Hockey Challenge... also helped Canada men's national under-18 ice hockey team secure a bronze medal at the 2014 IIHF World U18 Championships. Hawryluk signed a three-year -level contract with Florida in March 2016.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2012-13	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	61	18	25	43	46	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	59	24	40	64	44	8	5	7	12	14
2014-15	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	54	30	35	65	69	16	10	9	19	24
2015-16	Brandon Wheat Kings	WHL	58	47	59	106	101	21	7	22	29	39
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	47	9	17	26	47	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	2	3	5	16					



## #13 Chase Balisy

Forward -- shoots L

Born Feb 2 1992 – Rancho Santa Margarita, CA

[22 yrs. old]

Height: 5' 11" – Weight: 180

Drafted: NSH - 6th rd., 170th overall,  
2011 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Skated in 100th consecutive regular season AHL game 10/22 vs. BEL... Scored two goals (1 SH, 1 PP) in 3-2 L @ PRO 10/13/17... Entered 17-18 season having played in 93 straight AHL regular season games... **2016-17:** Named Thunderbirds team MVP and Good Sportsmanship award winner, leading the team in assists (28) and points (45)... **2015-2016 w/ POR (AHL):** Appeared in 69 games recording 9 goals and 17 assists for 26... Saw action in 2 playoff games recorded 1 assist... Signed a two-year contract with the Florida Panthers as a free agent in June 2015. **Career Notes 2014-15:** Made pro debut for St. John's IceCaps vs. Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins on 10/17/2014. Scored first pro goal and added first two pro assists on 10/21/2014 vs. Binghamton Senators. Ended season on a four-game goal scoring streak from 4/10-18/2015. **2013-14:** Served as Captain in final season at Western Michigan University. Named NCHC Offensive Player of the Week for 1/13/2014. **2012-13:** Appeared in all 38 games and tied for team lead in points. **2011-12:** Notched career-high three assists on 10/7/2012 vs. Alabama-Huntsville Chargers. **2010-11:** Named Freshman All-American by Inside College Hockey. Won Western Michigan's Suzanne Klopp Rookie of the Year Award. Named CCHA Rookie of the Week for 1/17/2011..... Member of U.S. National Under-17 and U.S. National Under-18 Team... Selected by Nashville in the 6th round (170th overall) in 2011 NHL Draft...

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2008-09	USNTDP Under-18 Team	NAHL	42	8	14	22	8					
2009-10	U.S. National Under-18 Te	USHL	26	5	5	10	6	--	--	--	--	--
2009-10	U.S. National Under-17 Te	USHL	2	0	1	1	2	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Western Michigan Universi	CCHA	42	12	18	30	12					
2011-12	Western Michigan Universi	CCHA	41	13	24	37	35					
2012-13	Western Michigan Universi	CCHA	38	11	14	25	12					
2013-14	Western Michigan Universi	NCHC	40	13	24	37	14					
2014-15	St. John's IceCaps	AHL	73	21	23	44	30	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Portland Pirates	AHL	69	9	17	26	12	2	0	1	1	0
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	76	17	28	45	26	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds*	AHL	9	2	1	3	29					
2017-18	Florida Panthers*	NHL	3	0	0	0	0					
NHL Totals			3	0	0	0	0					

## #16 Matt Buckles

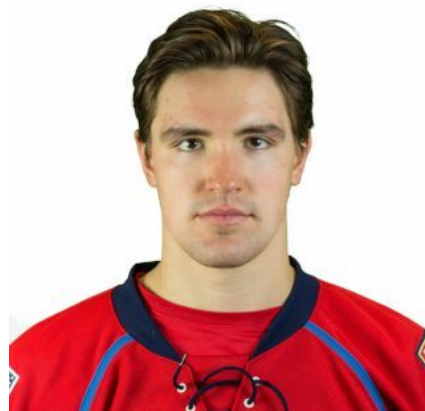
Forward -- shoots R

Born May 5 1995 – Toronto, ON

[22 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 2" – Weight: 218

Drafted: FLA - 4th rd., 98th overall, 2013 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES:** Scored first AHL goal in first game vs. BRI on 3/20/17... Scored 7 points in first 9 games to close 2016-17 season... Recorded collegiate career highs in goals, assists and points in 2016-17 season, leading Big Red to first NCAA Tournament appearance since 2012.... As a Junior (2015-16): tied for 3rd on Cornell with 8 goals, including 6 on the power play... Scored 3 goals, including the overtime game winner in Game 2 of an ECAC hockey championship 1st round series against Union... Selected by Florida Panthers round 4 #98 overall 2013 NHL Entry Draft

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2011-12	Toronto Lakeshore Patriot	OJHL	46	15	21	36	76	21	5	6	11	20
2012-13	St. Michael's Buzzers	OJHL	50	40	31	71	107	17	7	10	17	54
2013-14	Cornell University	ECAC	29	4	0	4	39					
2014-15	Cornell University	ECAC	29	8	3	11	33					
2015-16	Cornell University	ECAC	31	8	3	11	4					
2016-17	Cornell University	ECAC	29	9	9	18	22					
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	9	3	4	7	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	6	0	0	0	2					

## #18 Curtis Valk

Forward -- shoots L

Born Feb 8 1993 – Medicine Hat, AB

[24 yrs. old]

Height: 5' 9" – Weight: 170



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Picked up game-winning goal, tallied 2g in 5-3 W vs. HFD, 11/3/17... registered points in seven straight games from Oct. 13 to Oct. 25... tallied goal & assist in T-Birds first W vs. BEL, 10/22.... **2016-17**

**Season Notes:** Scored game winning shootout goal and added an assist on Apr. 2 at Wilkes-Barre/Scranton. Game winning goal on Feb. 11 at Springfield. Five-game point streak from Dec. 31 - Jan. 11 with two goals and four assists. Scored game winning goal in two consecutive games on Jan. 6 vs. Albany and Jan. 7 at Hershey. Five-game point streak from Nov. 12 - Nov. 23 registering nine points (4g, 5a). The streak included the first four games with a goal. Recorded first three-point night (1-2-3) of his AHL career on Nov. 12 vs Hartford. **2015-16:** Scored first AHL goal on Mar. 26 at Binghamton. Skated in 30 games with Kalamazoo scoring 16-17-33. **Career Notes:** Named ECHL Player of the Month in October 2014. Voted to 2015 ECHL All-Star Game to represent the Kalamazoo Wings. **Amateur Notes:** Dressed in 270 games with the Medicine Hat Tigers from 2010-2014. Amassed 125-130-255 with a plus-34 and 146 PIM. Led team in goals and points during 2012-13 season and 2013-14 season. Captained Tigers during the 2013-14 season. Named to the 2013 WHL East First All-Star Team.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2009-10	Brooks Bandits	AJHL	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2009-10	Medicine Hat Tigers	WHL	4	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Medicine Hat Tigers	WHL	56	8	9	17	19	15	1	4	5	6
2011-12	Medicine Hat Tigers	WHL	67	24	31	55	35	8	6	4	10	4
2012-13	Medicine Hat Tigers	WHL	71	46	45	91	54	8	3	2	5	4
2013-14	Medicine Hat Tigers	WHL	72	47	45	92	36	18	12	9	21	10
2014-15	Kalamazoo Wings	ECHL	31	11	19	30	12	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Utica Comets	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Utica Comets	AHL	12	2	4	6	2	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Kalamazoo Wings	ECHL	30	16	17	33	14	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Utica Comets	AHL	75	16	30	46	49	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	4	6	10	2					

## #20 Eddie Wittchow

Defense -- shoots L

Born Oct 31 1992 – Burnsville, MN

[25 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 4" – Weight: 215

Drafted: FLA - 6th rd., 154th overall, 2011 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Recorded first 3-point game in AHL career w/ 3a vs. BEL, 10/22... already eclipsed AHL career high in points with 5 in his first 7 games... Scored T-Birds first goal of 2017-18 season, just his 3rd AHL goal, @ PRO 10/7/17...  
**2016-17:** Began professional career with Manchester Monarchs, recording 1-8-9 in 14 games before being called up to Springfield (AHL)... logged his first AHL goal vs. ALB 3/17/17... 2015-16 w/ University of Wisconsin (NCAA): served as a team captain and played in 32 of 35 games as a senior... led the team with 79 blocks, tied for 13th most in the nation... Appeared in 122 games in career recording 1 goal and 15 assists... WCHA champions in 2012-2013 season... Selected in the 6th round (154 overall) by Florida Panthers in 2011 NHL Draft.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2011-12	Waterloo Black Hawks	USHL	60	5	13	18	74	12	0	4	4	6
2012-13	U. of Wisconsin	WCHA	29	0	3	3	28					
2013-14	U. of Wisconsin	Big-1	37	1	6	7	26					
2014-15	U. of Wisconsin	Big-1	25	0	0	0	43					
2015-16	U. of Wisconsin	Big-1	32	0	7	7	53					
2016-17	Manchester Monarchs	ECHL	14	1	8	9	17	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	38	2	2	4	58	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	1	4	5	11					

## #24 Ryan Horvat

Forward -- shoots L  
 Born Feb 9 1993 – Simcoe, ON  
 [24 yrs. old]  
 Height: 6' 0" – Weight: 195



**CAREER NOTES: 2016-17:** Served as alternate captain in first season with Thunderbirds... Recorded 3 assists vs. UTI on 2/17/17.... 2015-2016 w/ Ontario Reign (AHL): Appeared in 59 games recording 5 goals and 10 assists... Played in 5 playoff games... 2014-2015 w/ Manchester Monarchs (AHL): Won AHL Calder Cup... 2013-2014 w/ Guelph Storm (OHL): Won OHL championship...

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2009-10	Guelph Storm	OHL	4	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Guelph Storm	OHL	9	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Guelph Storm	OHL	55	7	18	25	63	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Guelph Storm	OHL	58	10	19	29	69	5	0	0	0	6
2013-14	Guelph Storm	OHL	59	15	14	29	50	20	3	4	7	19
2014-15	Manchester Monarchs	AHL	52	3	8	11	89	9	1	0	1	4
2015-16	Ontario Reign	AHL	59	5	10	15	91	5	0	0	0	2
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	47	5	12	17	73	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	1	0	1	12					

## #25 Anthony Greco

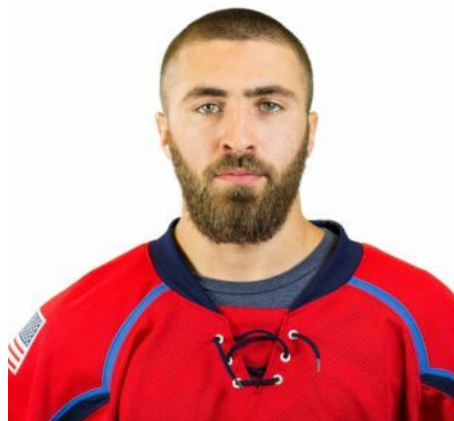
Forward -- shoots R

Born Sep 30 1993 – Faribault, MN

[23 yrs. old]

Height: 5' 10" – Weight: 172

**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Scored lone G for Springfield in 2-1 L @ BNG 10/28... Scored first G of season in SPR's 7-4 W vs. BEL, 10/22... **2016-17:** Scored first goal in Thunderbirds history on 10/15/16 @ LV... finished first full pro season with 16-15-31 in 74 games w/ SPR... tied for 4th on SPR in points.... **2015-2016 w/ Ohio State (NCAA):** Appeared in 36 games recording 12 goals and 11 assists for 23 points... 2015-16 Big Ten Preseason Player to Watch ... two-time Ohio State Scholar-Athlete and an Academic All-Big Ten choice ... 2015 Honorable Mention All-Big Ten ... received team's Most Improved Player award as a sophomore ... 7/25 career goals were GWG... Played for the Des Moines Buccaneers and Waterloo Black Hawks in the USHL ... led the Buccaneers with 24 assists and 46 points in 2011-12 ... scored 22 goals in 58 regular-season games in 2011-12 ... Drafted 2009, round 5 #59 overall by Sioux Falls Stampede in the USHL Futures Draft



Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2010-11	Waterloo Black Hawks	USHL	10	1	1	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Des Moines Buccaneers	USHL	32	7	6	13	0	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Des Moines Buccaneers	USHL	58	22	24	46	19	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Ohio State University	CCHA	20	5	6	11	2					
2013-14	Ohio State University	Big-1	33	5	10	15	4					
2014-15	Ohio State University	Big-1	36	15	8	23	6					
2015-16	Ohio State University	Big-1	36	12	11	23	4	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Bridgeport Sound Tigers	AHL	--	--	--	--	--	1	0	0	0	0
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	74	16	15	31	41	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	4	1	5	6					

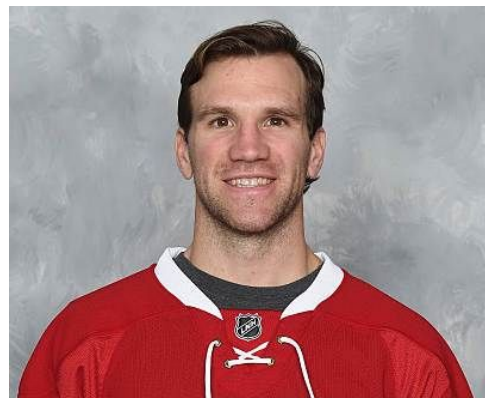
## #26 Bobby Farnham

Forward -- shoots L

Born Jan. 21 1989- N. Andover, MA

[28 yrs. old]

Height: 5' 10" - Weight: 190



**CAREER NOTES:** -Made NHL debut on December 11, 2014 for the Pittsburgh Penguins in a game against the Columbus Blue Jackets. Appeared in a total of 11 games for Pittsburgh that season.- In 64 games with the Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins in 2014-15, he tied his AHL career highs in goals (7), assists (7) and points (14)- Signed to PTO with Wilkes-Barre/Scranton on 11/7/12In 2012-13 and ranked first among AHL rookies and third overall in PIM (274).- In 2011-12 tied for second at Brown University in points (21) and ranked first in PIM (51).- Completed four-year career at Brown in 2012 with 23 goals, 31 assists and 126 PIM in 129 games.- After college Signed ATO with WOR on 4/12/12 and skated in three games....Released from ATO with PRO on 4/11/12...Signed ATO with PRO on 3/7/12, appearing in three games...

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2008-09	Brown University	ECAC	31	4	3	7	24					
2009-10	Brown University	ECAC	36	3	8	11	14					
2010-11	Brown University	ECAC	31	8	7	15	39					
2011-12	Brown University	ECAC	31	8	13	21	51					
2011-12	Providence Bruins	AHL	3	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Worcester Sharks	AHL	3	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Wheeling Nailers	ECHL	9	3	1	4	46	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Pen	AHL	65	3	8	11	274	6	0	0	0	4
2013-14	Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Pen	AHL	64	7	7	14	166	12	0	0	0	30
2014-15	Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Pen	AHL	62	7	7	14	226	8	0	0	0	14
2014-15	Pittsburgh Penguins	NHL	11	0	0	0	24	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Pittsburgh Penguins	NHL	3	0	0	0	5	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	New Jersey Devils	NHL	50	8	2	10	92	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	St. John's IceCaps	AHL	71	11	17	28	137	4	0	0	0	2
2016-17	Montreal Canadiens	NHL	3	0	0	0	17	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	5	0	0	0	7					
NHL Totals			67	8	2	10	138					

## #27 Thomas Schemitsch

Defense -- shoots R

Born Oct 26 1996 – Thornhill, ON

[21 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 4" – Weight: 205

Drafted: FLA - 3rd rd., 88th overall, 2015 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Picked up first G of season in 3-2 OTL @ LV, 10/25/17... **2016-17:** Picked up his first AHL goal with the Thunderbirds on 4/4/17 @ BRI.... 2015-2016 w/ Owen Sound (OHL): Appeared in 51 games recording 9 goals and 22 assists for 31 points... Recorded 4 assists in six playoff games... Played for the OHL all-stars in the Subway Series against Russia, finishing +1 with 1 assist in two games... Selected in the 3rd round (88th overall) in 2015 NHL draft by the Florida Panthers.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2012-13	Toronto Lakeshore Patriot	OJHL	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2013-14	Owen Sound Attack	OHL	63	6	11	17	26	5	1	0	1	2
2014-15	Owen Sound Attack	OHL	68	14	35	49	36	5	0	2	2	2
2015-16	Owen Sound Attack	OHL	51	9	22	31	22	6	0	4	4	2
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	37	1	3	4	4	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Manchester Monarchs	ECHL	17	1	7	8	6	16	0	6	6	8
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	9	1	0	1	6					



## #28 Alexandre Grenier

Forward -- shoots R  
 Born Sep 5 1991 – Laval, QC  
 [26 yrs. old]  
 Height: 6' 5" – Weight: 225  
 Drafted: VAN - 3rd rd., 90th overall, 2011 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Notched 1g & 2a in T-Birds first W vs. BEL 10/22... Recorded his first two points as a T-Bird in his first game with SPR @ PRO 10/7/17 (2a)... **2016-17 Season Notes:** Named to 2017 AHL All-Star Game on Jan. 19. Scored game winning on Jan. 14 at Bridgeport in two-point night with assist. career best five-game goal streak from Dec. 31 - Jan. 11 that totaled five goals with two assists. Five-game point streak from Dec. 3 - Dec. 14 with an assist in each game and one goal. Four-game point streak from Nov. 1 - Nov. 11 with 2-4-6. Recorded fifth three-point (1-2-3) night of his career on Nov. 2 at St. John's. **2015-16:** Recalled by Vancouver on Nov. 18 for first NHL call-up. Made NHL debut on Nov. 18 at Winnipeg. Led Comets with 32 assists and 48 points and one of seven different players to register three game-winning goals. Collected 10-19-29 in his final 28 games of the season. Put together a season-long seven-game point streak from March 26 to April 9. **Career Notes:** Finished the 2014-15 season tied for second on the team with 43 points and a plus-13 rating. Led team with 11 power play goals and ranked second on the team with 17 goals. In the 2015 playoffs, amassed the second-most points on the team with 15 and led team with a plus-11 rating. Made Utica debut on Oct. 11, 2013 at Rochester. Scored first career AHL goal on Oct. 12, 2013 at Albany. **Amateur Notes:** Spent two seasons in the QMJHL. Played the 2010-11 season with Quebec Remparts and the 2011-12 season with the Halifax Mooseheads. Finished second on the Mooseheads with 39 assists and 64 points.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2009-10	St. Jerome Panthers	QJHL	51	26	28	54	63					
2010-11	Quebec Remparts	QMJHL	31	9	15	24	6	15	8	8	16	4
2011-12	Halifax Mooseheads	QMJHL	64	25	39	64	42	17	4	12	16	19
2012-13	Salzburg EC	Austr	25	5	8	13	21	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Chicago Wolves	AHL	4	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Kalamazoo Wings	ECHL	37	10	21	31	51	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Utica Comets	AHL	68	17	22	39	56	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Utica Comets	AHL	67	17	26	43	71	23	6	9	15	25
2015-16	Utica Comets	AHL	69	16	32	48	43	4	2	1	3	2
2015-16	Vancouver Canucks	NHL	6	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Utica Comets	AHL	69	17	28	45	52	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Vancouver Canucks	NHL	3	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	2	7	9	2					
NHL Totals			9	0	0	0	2					

## #29 Dryden Hunt

Forward -- shoots L

Born Nov 24 1995 – Nelson, BC

[21 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 0" – Weight: 196



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Recorded first goal of his sophomore season 10/20 vs. PRO... recorded first AHL hat trick in 7-4 W vs. BEL 10/22... **2016-17 and past:** Signed as free agent with Florida Panthers on 3/2/16... Recorded two goals and an assist in Thunderbirds inaugural home opener on Oct. 22, 2016... Picked up his second two-goal game with the Thunderbirds on 2/24/17 vs. LV... finished his first pro season with 31 points in 70 games (13-18-31), in addition to 65 PIMs... 2015-16: Named WHL Player of the Month for January, 2016... Named winner of Four Broncos Trophy as WHL Player of the Year after leading the league with 58 goals and 116 points.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2010-11	Trail Smoke Eaters	BCHL	4	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Regina Pats	WHL	62	5	5	10	28	3	0	0	0	0
2012-13	Regina Pats	WHL	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Regina Pats	WHL	62	21	19	40	64	4	4	1	5	4
2014-15	Regina Pats	WHL	37	14	33	47	32	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Medicine Hat Tigers	WHL	34	19	17	36	18	10	5	2	7	6
2015-16	Moose Jaw Warriors	WHL	72	58	58	116	48	10	7	9	16	8
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	70	13	18	31	65	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Manchester Monarchs	ECHL	2	2	0	2	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	11	5	3	8	4					

## #38 Maxim Mamin

Forward -- shoots L

Born Jan 13 1995 – Moscow, Russia

[22 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 2" – Weight: 201

Drafted: FLA - 6th rd., 175th overall, 2016 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Notched first 3 AHL pts in 7-4 W vs. BEL 10/22 (3a)... **BEFORE SPR:** Selected by Florida Panthers in round 6, #175 overall at 2016 NHL Entry Draft... Signed by Florida Panthers to entry level contract on 6/9/17..... Netted 25 points (12-13-25) in 42 games w/ KHL's CSKA Moscow in 2016-17.... Named KHL Aleksei Cherepanov Award winner in 2014-15 for Best Rookie.... Captured Rookie of the Week honors during the week of Feb. 15, 2015, as well as February 2015's Rookie of the Month honor.... Took home a silver medal at the World Junior Championships with Russia in 2015

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2014-15	CSKA Moscow	KHL	39	5	5	10	10	14	0	0	0	27
2015-16	CSKA Moscow	KHL	48	4	3	7	67	19	1	1	2	14
2016-17	CSKA Moscow	KHL	42	12	13	25	15	9	2	1	3	2
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	7	1	4	5	4					

## #40 Henrik Haapala

Forward -- shoots L

Born Feb 28 1994 -- Lempaala, Finland

[23 yrs. old]

Height: 5' 9" -- Weight: 165



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Logged 3a in 5-3 W vs. HFD, 11/3/17... Scored first AHL game in first game @ PRO 10/7/17... Signed by Florida Panthers to entry-level contract on 6/1/17... 2-time defending champion in Liiga with Tappara Tampere... Veli-Pekka Ketola Trophy winner in 2016-17 for most points in Liiga (15-45-60)... Also led Liiga in assists... World Junior Championship gold medalist w/ Finland in 2014

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2012-13	LeKi Lempaala	Mesti	4	0	1	1	2					
2012-13	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	32	3	10	13	12	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	36	1	3	4	2	15	2	1	3	4
2014-15	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	25	4	6	10	14	20	3	7	10	8
2015-16	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	47	12	18	30	20	18	3	3	6	10
2016-17	Tappara Tampere	SM-li	51	15	45	60	18	16	2	7	9	6
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	7	1	5	6	0					

## #41 Juho Lammikko

Forward -- shoots L

Born Jan 29 1996 – Noormarkku, Finland

[21 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 3" – Weight: 201

Drafted: FLA - 3rd rd., 65th overall, 2014 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Recorded 1a in season opener @ PRO 10/7/17... **2016-17:** In his first pro season, logged six goals and five assists in 47 games... **2015-2016** w/ Kingston OHL: Appeared in 59 games recording 22 goals and 33 assists for 55 points... Appeared in 9 playoff games recording 9 goals and 3 assists for 7 points... Played for Finland's U16, U17, U18 and U20's teams winning a Gold Medal at the EYOF in 2012-2013 and another Gold Medal at the U20 WJC... Selected by Florida Panthers in the third round (65th overall) in 2014 NHL Draft.

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2013-14	Assat Pori	SM-li	20	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Kingston Frontenacs	OHL	64	18	26	44	36	4	1	1	2	8
2015-16	Portland Pirates	AHL	1	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Assat Pori	SM-li	5	2	0	2	4	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Kingston Frontenacs	OHL	59	22	33	55	51	9	3	4	7	6
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	47	6	5	11	24	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	12	2	7	9	0					

## #43 Denis Malgin

Forward -- shoots R

Born Jan 18 1997 - Olten, Switzerland

[20 yrs. old]

Height: 5' 9" - Weight: 177

**CAREER NOTES: 2016-17 :** Made NHL debut with Panthers, tallied six goals and four assists in 47 games with Florida... scored first NHL goal vs. BOS, 11/1/16... joined T-Birds, scored his first G w/ SPR on 1/21/17 @ BNG... in 15 games with T-Birds, recorded 3g & 9a w/ +6 rating... had points in 9 of 15 GP w/ SPR in 2016-17.



Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2013-14	GCK Lions	Swiss	38	6	13	19	14					
2014-15	Zurich SC	Swiss	23	2	6	8	8	18	4	2	6	4
2014-15	GCK Lions	Swiss	24	6	6	12	4	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	GCK Lions	Swiss	7	2	3	5	2	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Zurich SC	Swiss	38	5	12	17	12	3	0	0	0	0
2016-17	Florida Panthers	NHL	47	6	4	10	8	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	15	3	9	12	14	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Florida Panthers*	NHL	5	0	0	0	0					
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	4	0	2	2	0					
NHL Totals			52	6	4	10	8					

## #44 Matt MacKenzie

Defenseman -- shoots R

Born Oct 15 1991 – New Westminster, BC

[25 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 1" – Weight: 187

Drafted: BUF - 3rd rd., 83rd overall, 2010 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES:** Buffalo Sabres third-round selection (83rd) overall in the 2010 NHL Entry Draft **2016-17:** Recorded AHL career high 12 points with Thunderbirds in just 38 games in 2016-17, scoring four goals and adding eight assists... logged 10 points in 17 games, posting a +12 rating w/ Florida Everblades (ECHL)... **2015-16:** Split time between Manchester (ECHL) and Portland Pirates... logged 102 PIMs and 20 points for Monarchs, setting pro career highs in each category... **2014-15:** Recorded 77 penalty minutes and six points in 47 games with Rochester Americans... also skated in 8 games with Elmira (ECHL), logging 1-1-2... **2013-14:** Finished with a team-best +11 on-ice rating during the regular season... Named the Amerks IOA/American Specialty AHL Man of the Year and was the recipient of the organization's McCulloch Trophy for his dedicated service to the Rochester community... Skated in his 100th game as an Amerk at Syracuse on 3/08, finishing +2.... Appeared in his 100th professional game vs. San Antonio on 2/21.... In Juniors, Helped the Hitmen to a league-best 52-18-2 regular season record (107 points), their second straight Scotty Munro Trophy as regular season champions, their second straight Eastern Conference championship and the franchises second Ed Chynoweth trophy as WHL champions Placed second among Calgary blueliners during the 2010 postseason with 16 points (6+10) after appearing in all 23 playoff games... Guided the Hitmen to a berth in the 2010 Memorial Cup tournament, where they lost in the semifinals against Brandon

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2007-08	Calgary Hitmen	WHL	39	2	6	8	8	6	1	2	3	2
2008-09	Calgary Hitmen	WHL	49	3	9	12	24	16	0	2	2	4
2009-10	Calgary Hitmen	WHL	64	6	34	40	62	23	6	10	16	31
2010-11	Calgary Hitmen	WHL	40	2	21	23	50	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Tri-City Americans	WHL	33	5	10	15	36	10	1	4	5	6
2011-12	Rochester Americans	AHL	20	0	4	4	16	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Gwinnett Gladiators	ECHL	5	0	2	2	11	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Rochester Americans	AHL	30	0	4	4	66	2	0	1	1	2
2012-13	Greenville Road Warriors	ECHL	2	1	0	1	2	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Rochester Americans	AHL	64	2	8	10	84	1	0	0	0	2
2014-15	Rochester Americans	AHL	47	2	4	6	77	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Elmira Jackals	ECHL	8	1	1	2	13	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Manchester Monarchs	ECHL	53	2	18	20	102	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Portland Pirates	AHL	16	2	1	3	4	4	0	2	2	2
2016-17	Florida Everblades	ECHL	17	4	6	10	15	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	38	4	8	12	32	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	10	0	0	0	19					

## #48 Mikkel Aagaard

Forward -- shoots L

Born Oct 18 1995 – Frederikshavn, Denmark

[21 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 0" – Weight: 179



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Scored first goal as T-Bird 10/15/17 vs. TOR.... Signed AHL contract with Thunderbirds following training camp on 10/4/17... In first professional season in 2016-17, split time between Stockton (AHL) and Adirondack (ECHL)... Was a point-per-game player in ECHL, logging 39 points in 38 games with Adirondack... Recorded 5-6-11 with Stockton in 25 games as AHL rookie

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2013-14	Frederikshavn White Hawks	Denma	38	10	8	18	14					
2014-15	Niagara IceDogs	OHL	59	15	26	41	16	11	4	2	6	14
2015-16	Niagara IceDogs	OHL	20	3	11	14	10	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Sudbury Wolves	OHL	44	21	18	39	50	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Adirondack Thunder	ECHL	38	13	26	39	51	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Stockton Heat	AHL	25	5	6	11	18	4	0	1	1	0
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	9	1	0	1	8					



## #53 Blaine Byron

Forward -- shoots L

Born Feb 21 1995 – Manotick, ON

[22 yrs. old]

Height: 6' 0" – Weight: 172

Drafted: PIT - 6th rd., 179th overall, 2013 NHL Draft



**CAREER NOTES: 2017-18:** Scored first AHL goal on PP vs. BEL, 10/22...

Recorded first AHL point in first game @ PRO 10/7/17 (1a)... **SENIOR (2016-17):** Led Maine with 41 points (18-23-41)... Named to Hockey East Honorable Mention All-Star team.... Tied for 11<sup>th</sup> in Hockey East scoring...

**JUNIOR (2015-16):** Played in 38 games for Maine...Scored eight goals and 16 assists for 24 points...Led the team in points scored (24), assists (16), third on the team in goals scored (8) and second on the team in shots (112)...Had seven multi-point games...Had two goals against Princeton (11/28) which included the game winner...Scored a total of five points against UMass (1/29 & 1/30) that included two goals and three assists, he was also named NCAA third star of the week...Maine Scholar Athlete Award \*Silver Medal\*. **SOPHOMORE (2014-15):** Saw action in all 39 games for the Black Bears... Finished fourth on the team in scoring with 12 goals and 15 assists for 27 points... His 12 goals were second most on the team... Had three short-handed goals which tied for the national lead... Had a goal and an assists in Maine's 5-2 win over New Hampshire (12/12)... Followed that up with two goals the following night against the Wildcats (12/13)... Scored the game-winner and dished out an assist against UMass (11/1)... Had a pair of assists in Maine's 4-2 win over Vermont in Maine's Hockey East first round game (3/7)... Was whistled for just three penalties on the season... Named a Maine Scholar-Athlete Award winner... Named to the Hockey East All-Academic Team. **FRESHMAN (2013-14):** Saw action in 32 games for the Black Bears his first season... Scored eight goals and dished out eight assists for 16 points... His eight goals ranked sixth most on the team and tops among rookies... Notched a goal in his first collegiate game at St. Lawrence (10/11)... Tallied a goal and dished out three assists for four points in Maine's 8-4 win over UMass (11/1)... Had goals in back-to-back games against Vermont (11/9) and BU (11/15)... Tallied the game-winning goal against UMass Lowell on the power play (12/8)... Scored a goal and added an assist against AIC (12/14)... Also had goals against Northeastern (2/21) and Providence (2/28). **BEFORE MAINE:** Played for Smiths Falls and the Kemptville 73's... Scored 12 goals and added 40 assists for 52 points... Earned the Central Canada Hockey League's Top Prospect Award in 2012-13. Drafted in the sixth round of the 2013 NHL Entry Draft, 179th overall, by the Pittsburgh Penguins...

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2010-11	Kemptville 73s	CCHL	9	1	1	2	2					
2011-12	Kemptville 73s	CCHL	42	12	27	39	20	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Kemptville 73s	CCHL	24	7	16	23	8					
2012-13	Smiths Falls Bears	CCHL	27	5	24	29	16					
2013-14	U. of Maine	H-Eas	32	8	8	16	4					
2014-15	U. of Maine	H-Eas	39	12	15	27	6					
2015-16	U. of Maine	H-Eas	38	8	16	24	8					
2016-17	U. of Maine	H-Eas	36	18	23	41	22					
2017-18	Springfield Thunderbirds	AHL	9	1	2	3	0					

