



# Wichita Thunder Game Notes



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## At a Glance

Overall 3-4-1-0  
Last 10: 3-4-1-0  
Last 5: 2-2-1-0  
Home: 3-1-0-0  
Road: 0-3-1-0  
Streak: 0-1-1-0

### Thunder Goals by Period

	1	2	3	OT/SO	T
Thunder	6	8	12	0	26
Opponent	9	13	12	1	35

### Thunder Shots by Period

	1	2	3	OT/SO	T
Thunder	91	89	86	0	266
Opponent	88	104	97	0	292

### Power Play

	PPGF	OPPS.	PCT	RK
Home	4	17	23.5	5
Road	3	11	27.3	9
Total	7	28	25.0	6

Last PPGF: 11/3 at IDH

### Penalty Killing

	PPGA	TSH	PCT	RK
Home	3	19	84.2	9
Road	4	14	71.4	23
Total	7	33	78.8	19

Last PPGA: 11/1 at IDH (3)

### Shorthanded Goals

By WIC: Record w/SHGF: 0-0-0-0  
By Opponent: 2 Record w/SHGA: 1-0-0-0

Last SHGF:  
Last SHGA: 10/27 vs. CIN (2)

### Upcoming Milestones

Dickman - 200 ECHL points

## Season Series vs. Idaho

### 2023-24 Meetings

Date	Site	Time/Result
11/1	Idaho Central	8-2, L
11/3	Idaho Central	5-4, L (OT)
11/4	Idaho Central	8:10 p.m.

Wichita is 0-1-1-0 vs. Idaho

## Wichita Thunder (3-4-1-0) at Idaho Steelheads (5-1-0-0)

Thunder Game 9 | Road Game 5 | ECHL Game 77

Nov. 4, 8:10 p.m. | Idaho Central Arena, Boise, ID

Radio: Online stream, www.wichitathunder.com, ECHL-TV

**TODAY** – Wichita closes its season-series tonight against Idaho. The Steelheads have won the first two contests this week, claiming an 8-2 win on Wednesday and grabbing a 5-4 overtime victory last night. Idaho sits in second place in the Mountain Division with 10 points Wichita is in third place with seven points. The Thunder are looking for their first road victory of the season while Idaho improved to 3-1-0 at home. The Steelheads don't make a trip to the Air Capital this year. Leading the way for Idaho is Mark Russell, who has nine points in six games so far this year. Wade Murphy has eight points. Brayden Watts leads the Thunder with 12 points. Bradley Marek is second with 10 points.

### LAST GAME:

Nov. 3, 2023

Idaho 5, Wichita 4 OT

Idaho Central Arena, Boise, ID

Idaho jumped out to a 2-0 lead. Michal Stinil scored twice in the second and Roman Kinal gave the Thunder a 3-2 lead. Idaho tallied the next two, but Peter Bates tied it at 6:16 of the third. Dawson Barteux scored the OT game -winner at 1:23.

	Goals/per.	F	Shots	Pen./Min.	PP
Idaho	2-1-1-1	5	40	3/6	0/3
Thunder	0-3-1-0	4	34	4/8	1/2

### HEAD-TO-HEAD

Thunder	Comparisons	Steelheads
3.25 - 14th	Goals for per game	5.33 - 2nd
4.38 - 26th	Goals against per Game	3.50 - 18th
33.25 - 12th	Shots for per Game	39.83 - 1st
36.50 - 27th	Shots against per Game	28.67 - 9th
7-28 = 25%	Power Play	4-23 = 17.4%
26-33 = 78.8% 7 GA	Penalty Kill	18-23 = 78.3% 5 GA
5-4, L (OT)	Last Game	5-4, W (OT)
0-1-1-0	Current Streak	5-0-0-0

**HEAD-TO-HEAD** – This is the third and final meeting of the season between the Thunder and the Steelheads. All-time, Wichita is 13-13-6 against Idaho and 3-9-3 on the road against the Steelheads.

**100** – Brayden Watts continues to fill the scoresheet for the Thunder. The fourth-year forward recorded two helpers last night, giving him two or more points in four of his last five games. He has three multi-assist games so far this season. Watts leads the Thunder with 12 points (2g, 10a) in eight games, which is tied for first in the league.

**BULLDOG** – Bradley Marek extended his point-streak to five games last night with two assists. The rookie out of Ferris State has only been held off the scoresheet once so far this season. Marek is tied for fourth in the league in points with 10.

**BIG JAY** – Jay Dickman has seven points in his last five games adding an assist last night. He is tied for the league-lead in power play goals (3), tied for first in power play points (5) and tied for ninth in points (9). Dickman is closing in on 200-career ECHL points as he has 180 entering tonight.

**MEECH** – Michal Stinil tallied his first two-goal outing of the season on Friday night. He scored his first power play goal of the season early in the second and then added his second in spectacular fashion midway through the frame, pulling out the Michigan move from behind the net. After getting off to a slow start, he has points in five-straight games (4g, 3a).

**FIRSTS** – Peter Bates recorded a goal and an assist last night. It was his second multi-point game of the season. The third-year forward has seven points (3g, 4a) in eight games so far this year. His goal in the third period forced overtime last night.

**THUNDERBOLTS...** Brayden Watts is second in the league with 10 helpers and first in power play assists (5)...Xavier Pouliot is tied for first with eight minor penalties...Ryan Finnegan is tied for fourth in shooting percentage (50%)...Kelly Bent is tied for third with two majors...

**IDAHO NOTES** – A.J. White is second all-time in franchise history with 89-career goals in a Steelheads uniform...Wade Murphy had two goals and an assist on Wednesday, giving him 100-career points...Colton Kehler played in his 150th pro game last weekend...

**AROUND THE ECHL** – There are 12 other games tonight in the ECHL. Indy goes to Kalamazoo. Newfoundland takes on Trois-Rivieres. Maine is in Norfolk. Savannah faces South Carolina. Florida hosts Orlando. Fort Wayne heads to Kalamazoo. Jacksonville travels to Greenville. Rapid City remains in Kansas City. Worcester hosts Adirondack. Reading is in Wheeling. Indy heads to Toledo. Iowa stays in Cincinnati.

**UP NEXT** – Wichita begins a three-game series against Utah on Wednesday night.

## Thunder Last 5/Next 5

### Last 5 Games:

Date	Opp.	Result	Wic Goalie (GA,SV)	Opp. Goalie	Attn.
11/3	IDH	5-4, L (OT)	Gorsuch (5, 35)	Wells (4, 30)	5,026
11/1	IDH	8-2, L	Warm (6, 13)	Thomson (2, 28)	4,743
10/29	IA	4-2, W	Warm (2, 32)	P. Jones (3, 38)	2,141
10/28	IA	4-3, W	Gorsuch (3, 30)	H. Jones (4, 32)	3,561
10/27	CIN	5-4, W	Warm (4, 35)	Boyko (5, 29)	7,225

### Upcoming games (all times Central):

Date	Opp.	Site	Time	Broadcast
11/8	UTA	Maverik	8:10	online
11/10	UTA	Maverik	8:10	online
11/11	UTA	Maverik	8:10	online
11/17	RC	INTRUST	7:05	online
11/18	RC	INTRUST	7:05	online

# Records vs. ECHL, Goals, Multi-point Games

## Record by Home, Road vs. ECHL

Opponent	Record	Home	Road
Allen	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Cincinnati	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Fort Wayne	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Idaho	0-1-1-0	0-0-0-0	0-1-1-0
Iowa	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Indy	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Kansas City	0-3-0-0	0-1-0-0	0-2-0-0
Rapid City	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
South Carolina	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Tulsa	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Utah	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3-4-0-0</b>	<b>3-1-0-0</b>	<b>0-3-0-0</b>

*\*Indicates season series concluded*

## Thunder Goal Log

Manpower strength	Wichita Goals	Opponent Goals
5-on-5	17	22
5-on-4	7	6
5-on-3	0	0
4-on-4	1	2
4-on-3	0	1
3-on-3	0	1
3-on-4	0	0
3-on-5	0	0
4-on-5	0	2
Extra attacker	0	0
Empty net	1	1
Penalty shot	0	0
Shoot-out winner	0	0

## All-Time Records vs. ECHL Teams

Opponent	Record	Home	Road
Allen	55-84-13	29-37-7	26-47-6
Cincinnati	3-4-2	1-2-0	2-2-2
Fort Wayne			
Idaho	13-13-6	10-4-3	3-9-3
Iowa	6-1-1	3-0-0	3-1-1
Indy	8-6-1	5-4-1	3-2-0
Kansas City	87-64-23	47-28-8	40-36-15
Rapid City	57-52-12	34-23-6	23-29-6
South Carolina			
Tulsa	165-157-37	91-70-20	74-87-17
Utah	12-28-6	10-12-2	2-16-4

vs. Expansion Teams: 65-45-11

## Multiple-goal, assist and point games

	Multi-point games Total	Multi-goal games			Multi-assist games			Combo 1-goal 1-assist 1G-1A+
		2G	3G	4G	2A	3A	4A	
Watts	5				2	1		2
Marek	3	1			1			1
Dickman	2	1						1
Moore	2				2			
Bates	2							2
Stinil	2	1						1
Miller	1							1

## Special Teams Records vs. Opponents

Opponent	PP vs.	PP Home	PP Road	PK vs.	PK Home	PK Road
Allen						
Cincinnati	3-8 = 37.5%	3-8 = 37.5%		5-5 = 100%	5-5 = 100%	
Fort Wayne						
Idaho	2-6 = 33.3%		2-6 = 33.3%	5-10 = 50%		5-10 = 50%
Iowa	0-5 = 0%	0-5 = 0%		7-8 = 87.5%	7-8 = 87.5%	
Indy						
Kansas City	2-5 = 40%	1-1 = 100%	1-4 = 25%	9-12 = 75%	4-6 = 66.7%	5-6 = 83.3%
Rapid City						
South Carolina						
Tulsa						
Utah						

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# Shootouts/OT, Goalie Stats, Penalty Shots

## Thunder in Shootouts

Shootout record:

Date Opp. & Result WIC (in SO) Opp. (in SO) Goalies, WIC/Opp. Rounds

## Thunder in OT

OT Record: 0-1

Date Opponent Final GWG, Time  
 11/3 IDH 5-4, L Barteaux, 1:23

## Individual shootout stats:

Player Goals-Chances Pct.

Team

Goalie Record Goals-Shots Sv. Pct.

Team:

## Games with multiple goaltenders

Wichita

Date Opponent Starter Replaced by Final  
 11/1 IDH Warm Gorsuch 8-2, L

Opposition

Date Opponent Starter Replaced by Final (WIC)

### Come-from-behind wins

Wins when trailing by 2 or more:

Date Opp. Biggest deficit Final

### Come-from-ahead losses

Losses when leading by 2 or more:

Date Opp. Biggest lead Final

## Shutouts

By Wichita:

Date Opponent, Goalie Saves Final score

By Opposition:

Date Opponent, Goalie Saves Final score

## Current Season Penalty Shots

By WIC:

Player Date Opp. Time Goalie Goal?

Against WIC:

Player Date Opp. Time Goalie Goal?

# 2023-24 Situational Statistics, Affiliate Update

## Thunder record when scoring

0 goals: 0-0-0-0  
 1 goal: 0-0-0-0  
 2 goals: 0-3-0-0  
 3 goals: 0-1-0-0  
 4 goals: 2-0-1-0  
 5 goals: 1-0-0-0  
 6 goals: 0-0-0-0  
 7+ goals: 0-0-0-0

## Thunder record when allowing

0 goals: 0-0-0-0  
 1 goal: 0-0-0-0  
 2 goals: 1-0-0-0  
 3 goals: 1-1-0-0  
 4 goals: 1-1-0-0  
 5 goals: 0-0-1-0  
 6 goals: 0-1-0-0  
 7 goals: 0-0-0-0  
 8+ goals: 0-1-0-0

## Thunder record when

### Record by day of week

	Home	Road	Total
Monday:	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Tuesday:	0-0-0-0	0-1-0-0	0-1-0-0
Wednesday:	0-0-0-0	0-1-0-0	0-1-0-0
Thursday:	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Friday:	1-1-0-0	0-0-1-0	1-1-1-0
Saturday:	1-0-0-0	0-1-0-0	1-1-0-0
Sunday:	1-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	1-0-0-0

### Record by Month

	Home	Road	Total
October:	3-1-0-0	0-2-0-0	3-3-0-0
November:	0-0-0-0	0-1-1-0	0-1-1-0
December:	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
January:	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
February:	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
March:	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
April:	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0

Scoring first: 1-1-0-0  
 Allowing first: 2-3-1-0  
 Leading after 1: 1-1-0-0  
 Trailing after 1: 1-1-1-0  
 Tied after 1: 1-2-0-0  
 Leading after 2: 2-0-0-0  
 Trailing after 2: 1-4-0-0  
 Tied after 2: 0-0-1-0  
 Out-shooting opp.: 2-1-0-0  
 Out-shot by opp.: 1-3-1-0  
 Shots even: 0-0-0-0  
 1 goal games: 2-1-1-0  
 2 goal games: 1-1-0-0  
 3 goal games: 0-1-0-0  
 4+ goal games: 0-1-0-0

After a win: 2-1-0-0  
 After a loss: 1-2-1-0  
 After a SOL: 0-0-0-0  
 After a SOW: 0-0-0-0  
 After an OTL: 0-0-0-0  
 After an OTW: 0-0-0-0  
 Wearing white: 0-1-0-0  
 Wearing blue: 0-3-1-0  
 Wearing 3rd: 1-0-0-0  
 Wearing special: 2-0-0-0

## Affiliation Update

### San Jose Sharks

10 GP, 0-9-1, 1 PTS, 8th Pacific Division

#### Last Five

Oct. 24 at Florida, 3-1 L  
 Oct. 26 at Tampa Bay, 6-0 L  
 Oct. 27 at Carolina, 3-0 L  
 Oct. 29 at Washington, 3-1, L  
 Nov. 2 vs. Vancouver, 10-1 L

#### Next Five

Nov. 4 vs. Pittsburgh  
 Nov. 7 vs. Philadelphia  
 Nov. 9 vs. Edmonton  
 Nov. 10 at Vegas  
 Nov. 12 at Anaheim

#### Leaderboard

Goals: Zetterlund, 3  
 Assists: Hertl, 4  
 Points: Hertl, 5  
 PIM: Kunin, 16  
 Wins:

### San Jose Barracuda

7 GP, 1-4-3-0, 5 points, T-9th Pacific

#### Last Five

Oct. 21 at Henderson, 4-3, L (OT)  
 Oct. 25 vs. Henderson, 4-3, L (OT)  
 Oct. 28 vs. Coachella Valley, 8-2 L  
 Oct. 29 vs. Coachella Valley, 5-4, L (OT)  
 Nov. 3 at Calgary, 1-0 L

#### Next Five

Nov. 5 at Calgary  
 Nov. 10 vs. Charlotte  
 Nov. 12 vs. Charlotte  
 Nov. 17 vs. Colorado  
 Nov. 18 vs. Colorado

#### Leaderboard

Goals: Bailey, Coe, 4  
 Assists: Gushchin, 9  
 Points: Gushchin, 12  
 PIM: Sabourin, 25  
 Wins: Romanov, 1

# Wichita Thunder Highs and Lows

## Thunder Team Superlatives

### Team highs/lows

#### GOALS

Most goals scored, game: 5, 10/27 vs. CIN  
Most goals allowed, game: 8, 11/1 at IDH  
Most goals scored, period: 4, 10/29 vs. IA  
Most goals allowed, period: 4, 11/1 at IDH, 2nd  
Most goals scored on PP, game: 3, 10/27 vs. CIN  
Most goals allowed on PP, game: 3, 11/1 at IDH

#### SHOTS

Most shots, game: 42, 10/29 vs. IA  
Most shots, period: 18, 10/29 vs. IA  
Fewest shots, game: 26, 10/21 at KC  
Fewest shots, period: 8, 4 times, Last: 10/28 vs. IA, 3rd  
Most shots against, game: 40, 2 times, Last: 11/3 at IDH  
Most shots against, period: 18, 2 times, Last: 10/28 vs. IA  
Fewest shots against, game: 28, 10/24 at KC  
Fewest shots against, period: 5, 10/28 vs. IA

#### STREAKS

Winning streak: 3, 10/27 - 10/29  
Home winning streak: 3, 10/27 - current  
Road winning streak:  
Unbeaten streak: 3, 10/27 - 10/29  
Unbeaten streak, home: 3, 10/27 - current  
Unbeaten streak, road:  
Losing streak (L+OTL): 3, 10/20 - 10/24  
Home losing streak (L+OTL):  
Road losing streak (L+OTL): 4, 10/21 - current  
Winless streak (L+OTL+SOL): 3, 10/20 - 10/24  
Home winless streak:  
Road winless streak: 4, 10/21 - current

#### PIM

Most PIM, game: 65, 10/28 vs. IA  
Most PIM, opponent, game: 41, 10/28 vs. IA  
Most combined PIM, game: 106, 10/28 vs. IA  
Fewest PIM, game: 8, 3 times, Last: 11/3 at IDH  
Fewest PIM, opponent, game: 4, 10/24 at KC

#### MARGINS

Biggest winning margin: 2, 10/29 vs. IA  
Biggest losing margin: 3, 10/20 vs. KC

#### CROWDS

Largest crowd, home: 7,225, 10/27 vs. CIN  
Largest crowd, road: 5,026, 11/3 at IDH

## Thunder Individual Superlatives

### Individual highs/lows

Most goals, game: 2, 3 times, Last: 11/3 at IDH, Stinil  
Most goals, period: 2, 3 times, Last: 11/3 at IDH, Stinil  
Most assists, game: 3, 10/27 vs. CIN, Watts  
Most assists, period: 2, 4 times, Last: 11/3 at IDH, Marek, 3rd per.

Most points, game: 3, 2 times, Last: 10/29 vs. IA, Dickman  
Most shots, game: 6, 2 times, Last: 10/29 vs. IA, Dickman, Miller  
Most shots against, game: 7, 10/27 vs. CIN, Vaive  
Best +/- in a game: +2, 10/24 at KC, Moore  
Most PIM, game: 31, 10/28 vs. IA, Masella

Longest goal-streak, games: 2, 10/24 - 10/27 vs. CIN, Finnegan  
Longest assist-streak, games: 3, 10/20 - 10/24  
Longest point-streak, games: 5, 10/27 - current, Stinil, Marek

Most saves, game: 35, 2 times, Last: 11/3 at IDH, Gorsuch  
Most saves, game (regulation): 35, 10/21 at KC, Gorsuch  
Most GA, game: 6, 10/20 vs. KC, Warm

### QUICK GOALS

Fastest goal for, start of game: 4:25, 10/20 vs. KC, Marek  
Fastest goal against, start of game: 0:26, 11/1 at IDH, Murphy  
Fastest goal for, start of period: 2:38, 10/29 vs. IA, Dickman  
Fastest goal against: start of period: 0:26, 11/1 at IDH, Murphy

Quickest 2 goals, Thunder: :33, 10/29 vs. IA, Marek, Watts  
Quickest 2 goals, opponent: 1:02, 10/20 vs. KC, Borchardt, Andreev

Quickest 3 goals, Thunder:  
Quickest 3 goals, opponent:



## 2023-24 Wichita Thunder Alphabetical Roster

\*Indicates Rookie -- IR indicates player on 21-Day IR -- R indicates on Reserve

### FORWARDS (12)

No.	Name	Birthdate	Age	Birthplace	Shoots	Ht	Wt	2022-23 Team(s)	Contract Type
12	Peter Bates	8/31/1996	26	Evanston, IL	L	6-1	190	Wichita Thunder	ECHL
76	Kelly Bent	2/2/1995	27	Halifax, NS	L	6-0	194	Wichita Thunder	ECHL
10	Dillon Boucher*	4/16/1997	26	Head Chezzetcook, NS	L	6-0	220	Wichita, Dalhousie (USport)	ECHL
21	Jay Dickman	6/3/1993	30	St. Paul, MN	L	6-6	205	Wichita Thunder	ECHL
17	Ryan Finnegan*	5/8/1997	26	Tecumseh, KS	R	5-9	165	Reading (ECHL)	ECHL
27	Connor MacEachern*	7/30/1999	24	Brooklin, ON	L	5-10	185	Penn State, SJB (AHL)	AHL
19	Bradley Marek*	11/13/2000	22	Big Rapids, MI	L	6-3	212	Ferris State U. (NCAA)	AHL
78	Aaron Miller*	12/20/1995	27	Superior, WI	R	5-9	175	Cergy-Pontoise (France)	ECHL
34	Jason Pineo*	2/23/1998	25	Toronto, ON	R	6-1	205	Wichita, Niagara (NCAA)	ECHL
22	Michal Stinil	3/21/1999	23	Decin, CZE	L	5-11	194	Wichita Thunder	ECHL
83	Jake Wahlin	11/9/1996	26	St. Paul, MN	L	5-10	175	Wichita Thunder	ECHL
29	Brayden Watts	2/21/1999	24	Bakersfield, CA	L	6-0	182	Wichita Thunder	ECHL

### DEFENSEMEN (7)

No	Name	Birthdate	Age	Birthplace	Shts	Ht	Wt	2022-23 Team(s)	Contract Type
44	Dominic Dockery	1/2/1997	26	Lockport, NY	L	6-2	195	Wichita Thunder	ECHL
4	Roman Kinal*	7/20/1998	25	Waterford, MI	L	6-2	190	UCONN (NCAA DI)	AHL
2	Jeremy Masella	2/16/1999	24	Phoenix, AZ	L	6-5	220	Kalamazoo, Savannah	ECHL
49	Lleyton Moore*	2/27/2002	21	Saskatoon, SK	L	5-8	182	Kitchener, Oshawa (OHL)	ECHL
24	Nolan Kneen	3/22/1999	24	Kelowna, BC	R	6-0	192	Florida, Allen	ECHL
81	Xavier Pouliot*	12/22/1998	24	St-Isidore, PQ	R	6-2	225	Wichita, York Univ.(USports)	ECHL
3	Ethan Roswell*	7/30/1998	25	Paradise Valley, AZ	R	5-11	185	Dunkerque (France2)	ECHL

### GOALTENDERS (1)

No.	Name	Birthdate	Age	Birthplace	Catch	Ht	Wt	2022-23 Team(s)	Contract Type
33	Trevor Gorsuch	7/11/1994	28	St. Louis, MO	L	6-2	220	Wichita, Evansville (SPHL)	ECHL

## Call-up List

No.	Name	Birthdate	Age	Birthplace	Shts	Ht	Wt	2021-22 Team(s)	List/Call-up
14	Artem Guryev*	5/17/2003	20	Moskva, RUS	L	6-4	220	Flint (OHL)	SJB
1	Beck Warm	4/22/1999	24	Whistler, BC	L	6-1	181	Cincinnati, Rochester (AHL)	SJB

Head Coach - Bruce Ramsay

Assistant Coach - John Gurskis

Player/Assistant Coach - Jay Dickman

Equipment Manager - Frank Jury

Athletic Trainer - Julia Phillips

General Manager - Joel Lomurno

Media Contact - Jason Mals

*Italics indicates player on 21-Day IR*

\*Indicates Rookie

## 2023-24 Wichita Thunder Season Numerical Roster

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Pronunciation</u>
2	Jeremy Masella	Defenseman	6-5	214	MAH-sell-ah
3	Ethan Roswell*	Defenseman	5-11	185	
4	Roman Kinal*	Defenseman	6-2	190	KIN-all
10	Dillon Boucher*	Forward	6-0	205	BOO-shay
12	Peter Bates	Forward	6-1	190	
17	Ryan Finnegan*	Forward	5-9	165	
19	Bradley Marek*	Forward	6-3	212	
21	Jay Dickman	Forward	6-6	231	
22	Michal Stinil	Forward	5-11	194	mih-KELL STIN-el
24	Nolan Kneen	Defenseman	6-0	192	NEEN
27	Connor MacEachern*	Forward	5-10	185	muh-KECK-rin
29	Brayden Watts - C	Forward	5-11	172	
34	Jason Pineo*	Forward	6-2	201	PIN-ee-oo
44	Dominic Dockery - A	Defenseman	6-2	185	
49	Lleyton Moore*	Defenseman	5-8	179	
76	Kelly Bent	Forward	6-0	203	
78	Aaron Miller*	Forward	5-9	172	
81	Xavier Pouliot*	Defenseman	6-2	225	POOL-ee-OT
83	Jake Wahlin - A	Forward	5-10	170	WALL-in
33	Trevor Gorsuch	Goaltender	6-2	210	GOR-such



**#2 Jeremy Masella (D)**

Years Pro: 3rd Year

Phoenix, AZ

Shoots: L

6-5, 220 lbs. / 2-16-1999 (24 years old)

Drafted: NA

BIO: Masella is entering his second full season as a pro. He joined Kalamazoo in 2021-22 after appearing in eight games at Carleton University (USports). The Phoenix, Arizona native played in 20 games that year for the Wings, netting four points (1g, 3a).

Last season, Masella signed with Kalamazoo and saw action in 29 games. He was dealt to the Savannah Ghost Pirates in February and played in nine contests. The 6-foot-5, 220-pound blueliner also played in eight games for the SPHL's Evansville Thunderbolts. Masella recorded six points (3g,3a) over that stretch.

**--Regular Season--****--Postseason Stats--**

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2021-22	Carleton University	OUSA	8	1	0	1	10						
	Kalamazoo Wings	ECHL	20	1	3	4	24	-6	--	--	--	--	--
2022-23	Kalamazoo Wings	ECHL	29	1	1	2	33	-6	--	--	--	--	--
	Savannah Ghost Pirates	ECHL	9	0	0	0	15	-3	--	--	--	--	--
	Evansville Thunderbolts	SPHL	8	3	3	6	8	-2	--	--	--	--	--
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	7	1	0	1	35	-2					

**#3 Ethan Roswell**

Years Pro: 2nd Year

Paradise Valley, AZ

Shoots: R

5-11, 185 lbs. / 7-30-1998 (25 years old)

Drafted: NA

BIO: Roswell returns to North America after spending his first year as a pro in France with Dunkerque. A native of Paradise Valley, Arizona, the 5-foot-11, 180-pound blueliner tallied 24 points (9g, 15a) in 25 games and also recorded 10 points (5g, 5a) in nine playoff games. He was named to the France2 All-Star Team and scored the most goals in the league by a defenseman.

Prior to turning pro, Roswell played four years at Bentley University. He was named as an alternate captain in 2020-21 and selected as team captain during his senior year in 2021-22. He finished with 14 points (2g, 12a) in 93 career games with the Falcons.

**--Regular Season--****--Postseason Stats--**

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2018-19	Bentley University	AHA	22	0	4	4	4	12					
2019-20	Bentley University	AHA	26	2	1	3	4	3					
2020-21	Bentley University	AHA	11	0	1	1	4	-2					
2021-22	Bentley University	AHA	34	0	6	6	4	0					
2022-23	Dunkerque	France2	25	9	15	24	18	10	9	5	5	10	10
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	3	0	1	1	0	3					

**#4 Roman Kinal**

Years Pro: 1st Year

Waterford, MI

Shoots: L

6-2, 190 lbs. / 7-20-1998 (25 years old)

Drafted: NA

BIO: Kinal comes to the Thunder after playing in one game this year for the Barracuda. A native of Waterford, Michigan, the 6-foot-2, 190-pound blueliner turned pro last season after completing a four-year career at the University of Connecticut. He served as an alternate captain during his junior season and was named team captain during his senior year. In 121 career games for the Huskies, he tallied 27 points (7g, 20a). He signed a PTO with the Barracuda last year and appeared in six games. Kinal was signed to an AHL contract by San Jose this past offseason.

Prior to heading to college, Kinal played one year for the North American Hockey League's Wichita Falls Wildcats in 2016-17. He tallied 12 points (3g, 9a) in 53 games. In 2017-18, he played for the United States Hockey League's Dubuque Fighting Saints. In 51 games, he recorded eight points (1g, 7a).

**--Regular Season--****--Postseason Stats--**

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2016-17	Wichita Falls Wildcats	NAHL	53	3	9	12	55	-10	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Dubuque Fighting Saints	USHL	51	1	7	8	49	-9	5	0	1	1	6
2018-19	U. of Connecticut	H-East	34	1	6	7	22	-6					
2020-21	U. of Connecticut	H-East	16	1	5	6	0	6					
2021-22	U. of Connecticut	H-East	36	3	4	7	24	10					
2022-23	U. of Connecticut	H-East	35	2	5	7	42	-7					
	San Jose Barracuda	AHL	6	0	0	0	6	-8	--	--	--	--	--
2023-24	San Jose Barracuda*	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	-1					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	2	0	2	4	-4					

**#10 Dillon Boucher**

Head Chezzetcook, NS 6-0, 220 lbs. / 4-16-1997 (25 years old)

Years Pro: 1st year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Boucher joined the Thunder last March. A native of Head Chezzetcook, Nova Scotia, the 6-foot, 218-pound forward appeared in 11 games down the stretch for Wichita.

He played five seasons with Dalhousie University (USport) before turning pro with the Thunder. Boucher finished his collegiate career with 43 points (16g, 27a) in 99 career games for the Tigers. He was a teammate of current Thunder forward Kelly Bent for two seasons.

## --Regular Season--

## --Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2018-19	Dalhousie University	AUS	30	4	7	11	22	-5					
2019-20	Dalhousie University	AUS	29	2	10	12	83	-8					
2021-22	Dalhousie University	AUS	20	4	5	9	50	-1					
2022-23	Dalhousie University	AUS	20	6	5	11	57	-10					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	11	0	0	0	18	0					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	6	1	0	1	15	-4					

**#12 Peter Bates (F)**

Evanston, IL

6-1, 190 lbs. / 8-31-1996 (26 years old)

Years Pro: 2nd Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Bates came on strong over the last two months last season finishing with eight goals and 10 points over his last nine games. The third-year forward from Evanston, Illinois closed out his rookie campaign with 40 points (22g-18a) in 70 games. Bates was also named as the team's Most Improved Player. He turned pro with the Atlanta Gladiators in 2021-22 after finishing his collegiate career at St. Norbert College. Bates had five points (3g-2a) in 11 games for the Gladiators.

Bates led all of NCAA Division III in scoring when he racked up 58 points (28g-30a) in 31 games and was named the 2021-22 Northern Collegiate Hockey Association Player of the Year. He was also named as the Sid Watson Award winner, which is presented to the best player at the men's NCAA Division III level by the American Hockey Coaches Association. In 2019-20, he earned the NCHA Player of the Year, AHCA First Team All-American, All-USCHO Second Team and named to the NCHA All-Conference Team.

## --Regular Season--

## --Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2021-22	Atlanta Gladiators	ECHL	11	3	2	5	2	4	3	0	0	0	0
2022-23	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	70	22	18	40	16	-14					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	3	4	7	0	-1					
	ECHL Totals		89	28	24	52	18	-11					

**#14 Artem Guryev (F)**

Moskva, RUS

6-4, 220 lbs. / 5-17-2003 (20 years old)

Years Pro: 1st Year

Shoots: R

Drafted: San Jose Sharks, 5th rd (#135 overall)

BIO: Guryev, 20, turned pro this season after signing his entry-level contract with the San Jose Sharks. A native of Moskva, Russia, the 6-foot-4 220-pound blueliner was selected in the fifth round (#135 overall) by the San Jose Sharks in the 2021 NHL Entry Draft.

Prior to turning pro, Guryev played three seasons in the Ontario Hockey League for Peterborough and Flint. He had his career-highs last year with Flint, tallying 15 points (7g, 8a) in 38 games after being traded by Peterborough. Guryev finished with 30 points (8g, 22a) in 98-career OHL games.

## --Regular Season--

## --Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2019-20	Peterborough Petes	OHL	14	0	2	2	4	3					
	Lindsay Muskies	OJHL	20	3	3	6	66						
2021-22	Peterborough Petes	OHL	37	1	11	12	86	-4	4	0	0	0	12
2022-23	Peterborough Petes	OHL	9	0	1	1	37	1	--	--	--	--	--
	Flint Firebirds	OHL	38	7	8	15	31	-1	7	0	0	0	6
2023-24	San Jose Barracuda	AHL	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	3	0	0	0	0	-3					

**#17 Ryan Finnegan (F)**

Tecumseh, KS

5-9, 165 lbs. / 5-8-1997 (26 years old)

Years Pro: 1st Year

Shoots: R

Drafted: NA

BIO: Finnegan, 26, begins his first full year as a pro. A native of Tecumseh, Kansas, the 5-foot-9, 165-pound forward recently completed a five-year career at Lindenwood University. He tallied 20 or more points per season in four of his five years at the collegiate level.

In 2022-23, he recorded 20 points (6g, 14a) in 29 games, which was the first year Lindenwood played at the NCAA DI level. Overall, he finished with 130 points (41g, 89a) in 97 games. He helped Lindenwood to an ACHA Title in 2014-15.

## --Regular Season--

## --Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2022-23	Lindenwood University	NCAA	29	6	14	20	6	-8					
	Reading Royals	ECHL	3	0	1	1	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	5	2	1	3	0	1					

**#19 Bradley Marek (F)**

Big Rapids, MI

6-3, 212 lbs. / 11-13-2000 (22 years old)

Years Pro: 1st Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Marek signed an AHL deal with the Barracuda this offseason. A native of Big Rapids, Michigan, the 6-foot-3, 212-pound forward played the last two seasons at Ferris State University (NCAA DI). He finished with 36 points (17g, 19a) in 72 career games. Last season, he was tied for first on the Bulldogs with three power play goals and third in points (17). As a freshman, he was named CCHA Rookie of the Year after tallying 19 points (10g, 9a).

Prior to his college career, he played parts of three seasons in the United States Hockey League with the Bloomington/ Central Illinois, Youngstown and Muskegon. In addition, he appeared in 31 games with the North American Hockey League's Springfield Jr. Blues.

## --Regular Season--

## --Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2021-22	Ferris State University	CCHA	36	10	9	19	12	-12					
2022-23	Ferris State University	CCHA	37	8	10	18	12	-13					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	4	6	10	10	-1					

**#21 Jay Dickman (F)**

St. Paul, MN

6-6, 205 lbs. / 6-3-1993 (29 years old)

Years Pro: 4th Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Dickman is coming off a career year where he tallied 61 points (26g, 35a) in 67 games. Overall, he has racked up 168 points (66g, 102a) in 209 games since coming to Wichita. He has become the king of empty netters, tallying 10 in his career.

In 2020-21, the St. Paul, Minnesota native recorded 47 points (19g, 28a) in 71 games and was named to the ECHL All-Rookie Team. His best month came in February when he scored five goals, added eight assists for 13 points in 13 games and was awarded the ECHL Rookie of the Month. He finished second in the rookie scoring race in points, third in goals and fifth in assists.

The 6-foot-6, 230-pound forward was acquired in a trade during the 2019-20 season from the Indy Fuel. Dickman appeared in eight games for the Fuel, recording three points (2g,1a) before netting two points (1g,1a) in six games for the Thunder.

## --Regular Season--

## --Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
208-19	Florida Everblades	ECHL	3	0	1	1	0	-2	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Indy Fuel	ECHL	8	2	1	3	4	-2					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	6	1	1	2	0	-3					
2020-21	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	71	19	28	47	50	26	5	1	1	2	4
2021-22	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	64	20	38	58	96	-17					
2022-23	HC Nove Zamky	Slovakia	2	1	0	1	2	0					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	67	26	35	61	76	-10					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	4	5	9	6	-6					
	ECHL Totals		228	72	109	181	234	-15	5	1	1	2	4

**#22 Michal Stinil (F)**  
**Years Pro: 3rd year**

**Decin, CZE**  
**Shoots: L**

**5-11, 194 lbs. / 3-21-1999 (23 years old)**  
**Drafted: NA**

BIO: Stinil originally signed in the offseason overseas with the Vienna Capitals. A native of Decin, Czech Republic, the 5-foot-11, 194-pound forward led the Thunder last season in goals (31), assists (48) and points (79). He made a 49-point increase from his rookie to sophomore season when he collected 30 points (13g, 17a) in 54 games during the 2021-22 campaign.

Prior to turning pro, Stinil played one full season at American International College. In 2020-21, he had seven points (2g, 5a) in 17 games and helped AIC to the Atlantic Hockey Association Regular Season Title. He also helped win the Jack Riley Memorial Trophy for winning the AHA Hockey Championship Tournament.

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2018-19	Lone Star Brahmas	NAHL	29	14	9	23	71	4	5	2	4	6	2
2019-20	Lone Star Brahmas	NAHL	45	20	21	41	142	16					
2020-21	American International College	AHA	17	2	5	7	31	-3					
	American International College	AHA	1	0	0	0	0	0					
2021-22	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	53	12	17	29	44	-13					
2022-23	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	65	31	48	79	126	-11					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	4	3	7	7	-1					
	ECHL Totals		127	48	68	116	179	-26					

**#24 Nolan Kneen (F)**  
**Years Pro: 4th year**

**Kelowna, BC**  
**Shoots: R**

**6-0, 192 lbs. / 3-22-1999 (24 years old)**  
**Drafted: NA**

BIO: Kneen enters his fourth year as a pro. A native Kelowna, British Columbia, the 6-0, 201-pound blueliner is a name that Thunder fans will recognize. He turned pro in 2020-21 with the Allen Americans and played two seasons in the Dallas Metroplex.

In 2021-22, he was loaned to the AHL's Charlotte Checkers for 18 games and tallied six points (1g, 5a). Last season, Kneen appeared in 60 games for the Florida Everblades, recording 13 points (5g, 8a).

Prior to turning pro, Kneen played six seasons in the Western Hockey League. He played most of his career with the Kamloops Blazers. During his overage year, he skated in 33 games for the Saskatoon Blades. Overall, Kneen tallied 139 points (28g, 111a) in 310 career WHL games.

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2020-21	Allen Americans	ECHL	25	3	5	8	23	3	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Allen Americans	ECHL	31	5	7	12	44	-16	3	0	2	2	4
	Charlotte Checkers	AHL	18	1	5	6	13	0	--	--	--	--	--
2022-23	Florida Everblades	ECHL	60	5	8	13	69	-3					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	1	0	0	0	0	-1					
	ECHL Totals		117	13	20	33	136	-17					

**#27 Connor MacEachern**  
**Years Pro: 1st Year**

**Brooklin, ON**  
**Shoots: L**

**5-10, 185 lbs. / 7-30-1999 (24 years old)**  
**Drafted: NA**

BIO: MacEachern signed to an AHL deal by the Barracuda this past June. The Brooklin, Ontario native finished a four-year collegiate career at Penn State last season and joined San Jose for the final four games of the year. During his senior campaign, he was named as an alternate captain and finished with 27 points (12g, 15a) in 39 games. Overall, he finished with 77 points (31g, 46a) in 130 games for the Nittany Lions.

Prior to heading to school, he played one season in 2018-19 for the United States Hockey League's Youngstown Phantoms. In 62 games, he tallied 56 points (26g, 30a).

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2019-20	Penn State	Big-10	34	3	8	11	18	-5					
2020-21	Penn State	Big-10	21	2	9	11	6	-4					
2021-22	Penn State	Big-10	36	14	14	28	16	9					
2022-23	San Jose Barracuda	AHL	4	0	0	0	0	1					
2022-23	Penn State	Big-10	39	12	15	27	30	10					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	3	0	1	1	0	-1					

**#29 Brayden Watts**

Bakersfield, CA

5-11, 172 lbs. / 2-21-1999 (23 years old)

Years Pro: 3rd Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Watts returns to Wichita for a fourth season. A native of Bakersfield, California, he set new career-highs in goals (23), assists (40) and points (63) in 50 games last season. He was selected as the team's MVP and also represented the Thunder at the 2023 Warrior/ECHL All-Star Classic this past January. In 164 career games with Wichita, Watts has piled up 139 points (46g-93a).

Prior to turning pro, Watts played a five-year career in the Western Hockey League with Moose Jaw, Vancouver and Prince Albert. In 2019-20, he registered 61 points (29g-32a) in 61 games for Prince Albert. Overall, he collected 161 points (68g-93a) in 315 games during his junior career. In 2018-19, he helped lead the Vancouver Giants to the WHL Championship Series, registering 38 points (12g-26a) in 57 regular-season games and adding 10 points (7g-3a) in 22 playoff games.

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2020-21	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	62	10	20	30	6	-9	4	0	2	2	0
2021-22	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	52	13	33	46	47	-11	--	--	--	--	--
	Bakersfield Condors	AHL	4	0	0	0	0	-1					
2022-23	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	50	23	40	63	22	2					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	2	10	12	2	-4					
	ECHL Totals		172	48	103	151	77	-22					

**#34 Jason Pineo**

Toronto, ON

6-1, 201 lbs. / 2-23-1998 (25 years old)

Years Pro: 1st Year

Shoots: R

Drafted: NA

BIO: Pineo returns to Wichita for his first full season as a pro. He signed with the Thunder last March and appeared in 13 games. He recorded his first goal as a pro on March 29 and had goals in back-to-back games against Utah. Pineo finished with five points (2g, 3a) and was a +2.

Before he turned pro with Wichita, he spent four years at Niagara University. A native of Toronto, Ontario, the 6-foot-2, 201-pound forward is coming off his best statistical season. He tallied 22 points (9g, 13a) in 40 games for the Purple Eagles. He finished with 35 points (15g, 20a) in 108 career games.

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2019-20	Niagara University	AHA	12	0	2	2	8	1					
2020-21	Niagara University	AHA	21	3	0	3	8	-4					
2021-22	Niagara University	AHA	35	3	5	8	14	-10					
2022-23	Niagara University	AHA	40	9	13	22	33	-7					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	13	2	3	5	4	2					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	1	1	2	6	-6					

**#44 Dominic Dockery (F)**

Lockport, NY

6-2, 185 lbs. / 1-2-1997 (25 years old)

Years Pro: 3rd Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Dockery was a steady presence last year on the blue line for the Thunder. The Lockport, New York native appeared in 71 games, tallying 10 points (2g, 8a). After starting out the 2021-22 campaign at the University of Maine, he turned pro and signed with the Wheeling Nailers. In 29 games, he tallied five assists. Dockery finished the season with the Indy Fuel and had one assist in three games.

The 6-foot-2, 185-pound blueliner played four seasons at Merrimack College before transferring to Maine. In 108 career games, he finished with 19 points (3g, 16a) for the Warriors.

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2021-22	Wheeling Nailers	ECHL	29	0	5	5	8	-16	--	--	--	--	--
	Indy Fuel	ECHL	3	0	1	1	5	0	--	--	--		
2022-23	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	71	2	8	10	13	-5					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	0	3	3	2	0					
	ECHL Totals		111	2	17	19	28	-21					

**#49 Lleyton Moore**

Saskatoon, SK

5-8, 182 lbs. / 2-27-2002 (21 years old)

Years Pro: 1st Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Moore turns pro after playing the last four seasons in the Ontario Hockey League. He spent time with the Niagara IceDogs before being traded in 2019 to the Oshawa Generals. The native of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan played for the next two years for the Generals. Due to the Covid pandemic, Moore missed the 2020-21 campaign.

This past season, he was named captain and compiled 24 points (4g, 20a) in 27 games for Oshawa before being dealt to the Kitchener Rangers last December. Overall, he racked up 143 points (21g, 122a) in 226 games in the OHL. While with Oshawa, he played for former Thunder Head Coach Derek Laxdal.

**--Regular Season--****--Postseason Stats--**

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2018-19	Niagara IceDogs	OHL	28	2	8	10	4	19	--	--	--	--	--
	Oshawa Generals	OHL	6	0	3	3	2	3	15	0	5	5	2
2019-20	Oshawa Generals	OHL	57	6	22	28	10	3					
2021-22	Oshawa Generals	OHL	67	5	49	54	46	-2	6	1	4	5	2
2022-23	Oshawa Generals	OHL	27	4	20	24	26	10	--	--	--	--	--
	Kitchener Rangers	OHL	41	4	20	24	14	15	9	0	3	3	
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	0	6	6	0	-1					

**#76 Kelly Bent (F)**

Halifax, NS

6-0, 194 lbs. / 2-2-1995 (27 years old)

Years Pro: 4th Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Bent is entering his fourth year as a pro. A native of Halifax, Nova Scotia, Bent racked up 125 penalty minutes to go along with five points (2g-3a) in 43 games for the Thunder.

In 2021-22, he played 13 games for the Allen Americans. Bent turned pro in 2020-21, splitting time between Allen and Kansas City. Overall, he has piled up 254 penalty minutes in 75 ECHL games.

**--Regular Season--****--Postseason Stats--**

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2020-21	Allen Americans	ECHL	15	1	0	1	71	-2	--	--	--	--	--
	Kansas City Mavericks	ECHL	4	0	0	0	18	-2	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Allen Americans	ECHL	13	0	2	2	40	-5					
2022-23	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	43	2	3	5	125	-6					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	6	0	1	1	26	1					
	ECHL Totals		81	3	6	9	280	-14					

**#78 Aaron Miller (F)**

Superior, WI

5-9, 175 lbs. / 12-20-1995 (27 years old)

Years Pro: 3rd Year

Shoots: R

Drafted: NA

BIO: Miller enters his third season as a pro. The Superior, Wisconsin native played his first two years overseas. Miller played his rookie season for JoKP, the second-best league in Finland. He finished third in the league in scoring with 54 points (27g, 27a) in 52 games. Last season, he played in France for Cergy-Pontoise (Ligue Magnus). He tallied 18 points (9g, 9a) in 22 games and also picked up seven points (4g, 3a) in nine playoff games.

Prior to turning pro, Miller played four years at Bemidji State University. He played two seasons with current Thunder forward Jay Dickman. The 5-foot-9, 175-pound forward recorded 78 points (32g, 46a) in 130 career games for the Beavers.

**--Regular Season--****--Postseason Stats--**

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2017-18	Bemidji State University	WCHA	35	3	12	15	41	-2					
2018-19	Bemidji State University	WCHA	32	11	9	20	52	1					
2019-20	Bemidji State University	WCHA	36	12	17	29	61	7					
2020-21	Bemidji State University	WCHA	27	6	8	14	10	4					
2021-22	Jokipojat Joensuu	Mestis	52	27	27	54	32	6					
2022-23	Cergy-Pontoise	France	22	9	9	18	8	9	9	4	3	7	8
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	1	2	3	2	-3					

**#81 Xavier Pouliot**  
 Years Pro: 1st year

St.-Isidore, PQ  
 Shoots: R

6-2, 225 lbs. / 12-22-1998 (24 years old)  
 Drafted: NA

BIO: Pouliot was acquired by the Thunder on March 10 from the Florida Everblades and played in 12 games. A native of St-Isidore, Quebec, the 6-foot-2, 223-pound blueliner played a four-year collegiate career at York University (USports). Pouliot tallied 28 points (11g, 17a) in 59 career games for the Lions and was named team captain. Last year, he had his best statistical season, collecting 16 points (7g, 9a) in 21 games.

Prior to heading to school, he spent parts of two seasons in the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League with Shawinigan and Chicoutimi. In 2018-19, Pouliot played his final season in the Alberta Junior Hockey League with the Grande Prairie Storm, picking up 23 points (3g, 20a) in 52 games. He was also the AJHL's Most Penalized Player, piling up a whopping 336 penalty minutes.

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2019-20	York University	OUSA	26	3	6	9	86						
2021-22	York University	OUSA	12	1	2	3	33						
2022-23	Florida Everblades*	ECHL	3	0	0	0	0	-1					
	York University	OUSA	21	7	9	16	93	0					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	12	0	1	1	15	-5					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	1	0	1	26	-4					
	ECHL Totals		23	1	1	2	41	-10					

**#83 Jake Wahlin (F)**  
 Years Pro: 4th Year

White Bear Lake, MN  
 Shoots: L

5-10, 175 lbs. / 11-9-1996 (26 years old)  
 Drafted: NA

BIO: Wahlin returns for his second full year in the Air Capital. He was acquired in 2021-22 at the trade deadline. He tallied 28 points (13g, 15a) in 69 games last year and was a crucial part of the Thunder's penalty killing unit.

In 2021-22, he had a career year with Rapid City, recording 35 points (15g, 20a) in 59 games while also netting five points (2g, 3a) in nine games with the Thunder.

--Regular Season--

--Postseason Stats--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
2020-21	Rapid City Rush	ECHL	8	0	2	2	4	-6	--	--	--	--	--
	Pensacola Ice Flyers	SPHL	37	19	18	37	18	16	4	1	3	4	0
2021-22	Rapid City Rush*	ECHL	59	15	20	35	26	11					
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	9	2	3	5	2	0					
2022-23	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	69	13	15	28	14	-6					
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	8	0	3	3	0	-3					
	ECHL Totals		153	30	43	73	46	-4					

**#1 Beck Warm (G)**

Whistler, BC

6-1, 181 lbs. / 4-22-1999 (24 years old)

Years Pro: 4th Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Warm was signed to an AHL deal in the offseason with the Barracuda. A native of Whistler, British Columbia, the 6-foot-1, 185-pound netminder played the majority of last season with the Cincinnati Cyclones. He went 28-9-6 in 43 games, sporting a 3.01 goals-against average and .899 save percentage.

Over the last three seasons, he has appeared in 17 AHL games with the Chicago Wolves and Rochester Americans. He was 8-5-3 with a 2.96 goals-against average and a .905 save percentage.

Before turning pro, Warm spent parts of four years with the Western Hockey League's Edmonton Oil Kings and Tri-City Americans. In 2018-19, he led the league in saves (1,925) and shots faced (2,102).

## --Regular Season--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	Min	GA	SO	GAA	W	L	T	Svs	Pct
2020-21	Chicago Wolves	AHL	14	788	36	2	2.74	8	4	1	383	0.914
2021-22	Chicago Wolves	AHL	1	60	5	0	5.01	0	1	0	20	0.800
	Norfolk Admirals	ECHL	18	1019	51	1	3.00	7	10	1	528	0.912
2022-23	Cincinnati Cyclones	ECHL	43	2509	126	1	3.01	28	9	6	1117	0.899
	Rochester Americans	AHL	2	85	5	0	3.52	0	0	2	37	0.881
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	5	268	21	0	4.71	2	3	0	139	0.869
	ECHL Totals		66	3796	198	2	4.71	37	22	7	1784	0.900

**#33 Trevor Gorsuch (G)**

St. Louis, MO

6-2, 210 lbs. / 7-11-1994 (28 years old)

Years Pro: 5th Year

Shoots: L

Drafted: NA

BIO: Gorsuch joined Wichita for the final five games of the season. A native of St. Charles, Missouri, the 6-foot-2, 220-pound netminder claimed his first win in a Thunder uniform in a 36-save performance on April 5 over Tulsa. He went 3-1-0-1 with a 2.73 goals-against average and .934 save percentage in his five appearances in Thunder blue. In four of the five starts he made for Wichita, Gorsuch saw 40 or more shots.

He came to Wichita after a stint in the SPHL last year with the Evansville Thunderbolts. Gorsuch went 15-8-0 with a 2.26-goals-against average and .936 save percentage in 23 appearances for Evansville. He also played in three games last season for Kalamazoo, Maine and Florida.

The fourth-year pro has 73 games of experience in the ECHL, going 36-30-2 with a 3.16 goals-against average and .906 save percentage. Gorsuch has played for Toledo, Fort Wayne, Utah and Reading during his pro career.

## --Regular Season--

Season	Team	Lge	GP	Min	GA	SO	GAA	W	L	T	Svs	Pct
2018-19	Toledo Walleye	ECHL	4	239	7	1	1.75	3	1	0	120	0.945
2019-20	Reading Royals	ECHL	1	60	4	0	4.00	1	0	0	20	0.833
	Fayetteville Marksmen	SPHL	3	184	9	0	2.94	2	0	1	84	0.903
	Toledo Walleye	ECHL	1	67	2	0	1.79	1	0	0	42	0.955
2020-21	Utah Grizzlies	ECHL	6	352	17	0	2.89	2	2	1	177	0.912
	Macon Mayhem	SPHL	2	119	3	0	1.52	1	1	0	54	0.947
	Fort Wayne Komets	ECHL	3	179	8	0	2.68	2	1	0	73	0.901
2021-22	Kalamazoo Wings	ECHL	50	2815	157	1	3.35	23	24	0	1420	0.900
2022-23	Kalamazoo Wings	ECHL	1	25	4	0	9.63	0	1	0	7	0.636
	Evansville Thunderbolts	SPHL	23	1352	51	2	2.26	15	8	0	742	0.936
	Maine Mariners	ECHL	1	67	3	0	2.69	0	0	1	39	0.929
	Florida Everblades	ECHL	1	60	4	0	4.02	1	0	0	17	0.810
	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	5	307	14	0	2.73	3	1	1	198	0.934
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	4	212	13	0	3.69	1	1	1	118	0.901
	ECHL Totals		77	4383	233	2	3.19	37	31	6	2231	0.905



BIO: Ramsay is in his fifth year behind the Thunder bench and has compiled a record of 125-122-32. He was named ECHL Coach of the Year during the 2020-21 campaign and was instrumental in helping develop current Edmonton Oilers netminder Stuart Skinner, defenseman Vincent Desharnais, and Toronto Maple Leafs forward Bobby McMann. Both McMann and Desharnais made their NHL debuts this season.

Last year, he hit two big plateaus as a head coach, claiming his 500th win on February 16 against Idaho and coaching his 1,000th game on January 4 against the Steelheads.

A native of Dryden, Ontario, Ramsay played for the Thunder during the 2000-01 season, racking up 364 penalty minutes. Over his 12-year playing career, he was a part of eight championship teams, winning four Colonial Cups and two Royal Bank Cups. He finished with 245 points and amassed 3,432 penalty minutes in 677 games as a pro.

After his playing career ended in 2005, he was named the Head Coach of the ACHL's St. Pete/Winston-Salem Parrots. His head coaching career spans 15 seasons, including stints with the Port Huron Beacons (2002-04) and Muskegon Fury (2004-08). He has made the playoffs nine times, including making the 2009 International Hockey League Finals with the Muskegon Lumberjacks.

Ramsay spent six years with Tulsa from 2009-10 to 2014-15. In 2015, Ramsay stepped down from the Oilers to pursue an assistant coaching position with Grand Rapids and helped lead them to the 2017 Calder Cup Title.

--Regular Season--

Season	Team	Lge	Type	GP	W	L	T	OTL	Pct
2002-03	St. Pete/Winston-Salem Parrots	ACHL	Head†	37	18	12	7	0	0.581
2002-03	Port Huron Beacons	UHL	Head‡	23	14	6	0	3	0.674
2003-04	Port Huron Beacons	UHL	Head	76	38	31	0	7	0.546
2004-05	Muskegon Fury	UHL	Assistant‡						
2005-06	Muskegon Fury	UHL	Assistant‡						
2006-07	Muskegon Fury	UHL	Head	76	49	21	0	6	0.684
2007-08	Muskegon Fury	IHL	Head	76	35	35	0	6	0.500
2008-09	Muskegon Lumberjacks	IHL	Head	76	43	26	0	7	0.612
2009-10	Tulsa Oilers	CHL	Head	64	28	29	0	7	0.492
2010-11	Tulsa Oilers	CHL	Head	66	35	25	0	6	0.576
2011-12	Tulsa Oilers	CHL	Head	66	29	29	0	8	0.500
2012-13	Tulsa Oilers	CHL	Head	66	22	39	0	5	0.371
2013-14	Tulsa Oilers	CHL	Head	66	34	29	0	3	0.538
2014-15	Tulsa Oilers	ECHL	Head	72	37	29	0	6	0.556
2015-16	Grand Rapids Griffins	AHL	Assistant						
2016-17	Grand Rapids Griffins	AHL	Assistant						
2017-18	Grand Rapids Griffins	AHL	Assistant						
2019-20	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	Head	62	24	30	0	8	.452
2020-21	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	Head	71	41	22	0	8	.634
2021-22	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	Head	72	27	36	0	9	.438
2022-23	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	Head	72	33	32	0	7	.507
2023-24	Wichita Thunder	ECHL	Head	8	3	4	1	0	0.429
	Pro Totals			1049	510	435	8	96	

BIO: Gurskis was a teammate of current Thunder Head Coach, Bruce Ramsay, during the 2000-01 season. A native of Brockton, Massachusetts, the 43-year old returns behind the Thunder bench as an Assistant Coach for the third year in a row.

He served as a Player/Assistant Coach during four separate seasons with Macon, St. Pete-Winston Salem and the Florida Seals. He has been involved with the South Shore Kings in several different roles since 2008-09, working with kids.

Prior to retiring, Gurskis turned pro in 1998 with the ECHL's Columbus Chill and had a successful career at the minor league level. He had his best season in 2001-02 with the Thunder, recording 64 points (28g, 36a) in 69 games. Gurskis played all the way until the 2007-08 season when he finished his playing career with the Southern Professional Hockey League's Twin City Cyclones.

#### Playing Career

Season	Team	Lge	--Regular Season--						--Playoffs--				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
1994-95	St. Michael's College	ECAC-NSC	19	15	23	38	0						
1995-96	St. Michael's College	ECAC-NSC	22	25	38	63	0						
1996-97	St. Michael's College	ECAC-NSC	24	19	32	51	0						
1997-98	St. Michael's College	ECAC-NSC	27	34	48	82	0						
1998-99	Columbus Chill	ECHL	23	5	2	7	6	-6	--	--	--	--	--
1998-99	Charlotte Checkers	ECHL	32	6	6	12	12	-11	--	--	--	--	--
1999-00	Fort Wayne Komets	UHL	42	14	14	28	23	-6	12	2	2	4	2
1999-00	Peoria Rivermen	ECHL	20	5	7	12	31	3	--	--	--	--	--
2000-01	Wichita Thunder	CHL	69	28	36	64	22	11	--	--	--	--	--
2001-02	Wichita Thunder	CHL	42	15	28	43	19	14	--	--	--	--	--
2002-03	St. Pete/Winston-Salem	ACHL	57	13	40	53	30	10	3	0	0	0	4
2003-04	Macon Trax	WHA2	54	23	35	58	24	-8	4	2	1	3	4
2004-05	Macon Trax	SPHL	50	21	39	60	24	20	5	2	2	4	4
2005-06	Florida Seals	SPHL	56	17	32	49	61	17	9	3	0	3	0
2006-07	Den Haag Wolves	Hlnd	20	15	20	35	24						
2006-07	Pee Dee Cyclones	SPHL	21	5	18	23	30	-4	--	--	--	--	--
2007-08	Twin City Cyclones	SPHL	50	17	35	52	56	-2	2	0	1	1	4