

# GAME



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Wednesday, Oct. 27, 2021 \* Van Andel Arena \* 7 p.m.

Griffins Game #5 \* Home Game #2 \* AHL Game #67

Referees: Shaun Davis (31), Jonathon Sitarski (23)

Linesmen: Nicholas Bet (86), Christopher Williams (64)

## SEASON SERIES (0-0-0-0)

Oct. 27 - Chicago at Grand Rapids - 7 p.m.

Oct. 31 - Chicago at Grand Rapids - 4 p.m.

Nov. 17 - Chicago at Grand Rapids - 11 a.m.

Nov. 26 - Chicago at Grand Rapids - 7 p.m.

Nov. 28 - Grand Rapids at Chicago - 4 p.m. EST

Jan. 2 - Grand Rapids at Chicago - 4 p.m. EST

Jan. 12 - Grand Rapids at Chicago - 8 p.m. EST

Jan. 28 - Grand Rapids at Chicago - 8 p.m. EST

March 9 - Chicago at Grand Rapids - 7 p.m.

March 13 - Grand Rapids at Chicago - 4 p.m. EDT

April 22 - Chicago at Grand Rapids - 7 p.m.

April 24 - Grand Rapids at Chicago - 4 p.m. EDT



## THE TEAMS

**Chicago Wolves (2-1-0-0, 4 pts./2nd Central)**  
Primary Affiliate of the Carolina Hurricanes

#	PLAYER	POS	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
2	Eric Gelinas	D	2	1	0	1	-3	0
4	Joey Keane	D	3	0	1	1	0	0
5	Jalen Chatfield	D	3	1	1	2	0	2
6	Ryan Suzuki	C	3	1	1	2	2	2
7	David Cotton	C	3	1	2	3	1	4
8	Max Lajoie	D	3	0	1	1	1	0
9	C.J. Smith	LW	3	3	0	3	1	0
10	Josh Leivo	LW	1	0	1	1	-3	0
12	Stelio Mattheos	RW	3	1	0	1	1	4
15	Jack Drury	C	3	0	2	2	-2	0
17	Maxim Letunov	C	3	1	0	1	0	0
18	Specner Smallman	RW	3	0	1	1	0	0
20	Cavan Fitzgerald	D	2	0	1	1	2	0
22	Andrew Poturalski	RW	3	1	4	5	1	2
23	Stefan Noesen	RW	3	1	2	3	1	4
24	Artyom Serikov	D	1	0	1	1	2	0
27	David Gust	RW	2	1	1	2	1	0
28	Josh Jacobs	D	2	0	2	2	1	0
29	Dominik Bokk	LW	3	0	1	1	-1	0
32	Jesper Sellgren	D	2	0	0	0	2	2
36	Kyle Marino	F	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	Sam Miletic	LW	3	0	1	1	0	0

#	GOALTENDER	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
34	Alex Lyon	2	1	1	0	0	2.52	0.875
35	Eetu Makiniemi	1	1	0	0	0	2.00	0.953

**Grand Rapids Griffins (1-2-0-1, 3 pts./5th Central)**  
Primary Affiliate of the Detroit Red Wings

#	PLAYER	POS	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PIM
3	Jared McIsaac	D	4	0	1	1	-3	0
6	Ryan Murphy	D	4	1	4	5	-1	0
9	Patrick Curry	LW	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Riley Barber	RW	4	1	1	2	-4	2
15	Turner Elson	LW	4	1	0	1	0	4
17	Taro Hirose	LW	4	0	4	4	-4	0
18	Brian Lashoff	D	4	0	0	0	-1	4
20	Dan Renouf	D	4	0	1	1	1	2
21	Dennis Yan	LW	4	2	1	3	3	2
22	Chase Pearson	C	4	1	2	3	-2	0
28	Luke Witkowski	D/RW	4	0	0	0	-2	8
32	Tyler Spezia	C	3	1	1	2	1	2
37	Donovan Sebrango	D	4	0	1	1	2	0
38	Hayden Verbeek	C	3	1	0	1	1	0
40	Wyatt Newpower	D	4	0	0	0	-3	2
48	Jonatan Berggren	RW	4	0	1	1	-2	0
51	Kyle Crisculo	C	0	0	0	0	0	0
65	Dominik Shine	RW	4	0	2	2	1	7
71	Jon Martin	RW	1	0	0	0	0	0
79	Kirill Tyutyayev	LW	4	0	2	2	1	2
90	Joe Veleno	C	4	3	0	3	-3	2

#	GOALTENDER	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
1	Victor Brattstrom	2	0	1	1	0	3.90	0.867
31	Calvin Pickard	2	1	1	0	0	1.01	0.968

**General Manager:** Wendell Young  
**Asst. General Manager:** Bill Bentley  
**Dir. of Hockey Operations:** Gene Ubriaco  
**Head Coach:** Ryan Warsofsky  
**Assistant Coach:** Patrick Dwyer  
**Assistant Coach:** Bob Nardella  
**Goaltending Coach:** Stan Dubicki  
**Video Coach:** Cody Ward  
**Athletic Trainer:** Kevin Kacer  
**Asst. Athletic Trainer:** Austin Kasper  
**Equipment Manager:** Ryan Shoufer  
**Asst. Equipment Manager:** Lester Tiu  
**Strength and Conditioning Coach:** Christoph Wyss

**NEXT GAME**  
 Chicago at Milwaukee  
 Fri., Oct. 29  
 7 p.m. CDT

**General Manager:** Pat Verbeek  
**Head Coach:** Ben Simon  
**Assistant Coach:** Matt Macdonald  
**Assistant Coach:** Todd Krygier  
**Assistant Coach:** Mike Knuble  
**Goaltending Development Coach:** Brian Mahoney-Wilson  
**Video Coach:** Justin DeMartino  
**Athletic Trainer:** Josh Chapman  
**Asst. Athletic Trainer:** Anthony Polazzo  
**Equipment Manager:** Brad Thompson  
**Asst. Equipment Manager:** Charlie Kaser  
**Strength and Conditioning Coordinator:** Marcus Kinney

**NEXT GAME**  
 Milwaukee at Grand Rapids  
 Sat., Oct. 30  
 7 p.m.



WEDNESDAY, OCT. 27, 2021 – VAN ANDEL ARENA



at



**CHICAGO WOLVES (2-1-0-0) at GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS (1-2-0-1)**  
Griffins Game #5 \* Home Game #2 \* AHL Game #67

#### RECORDS

**Season Series: 0-0-0-0 Home Series: 0-0-0-0 Road Series: 0-0-0-0**  
**All-Time Series: 90-71-2-6-3 All-Time Home Series: 44-32-2-4-2 All-Time Road Series: 46-39-0-2-1**

### Griffins vs. Wolves

First of 12 meetings overall, first of six at Van Andel Arena...Grand Rapids has faced Chicago 172 times in the regular season dating back to their IHL days, the second-most of any Griffins opponent (Milwaukee, 193)...The Griffins went 3-7-0-0 against the Wolves a season ago and possess a 19-22-0-1 record against Chicago over the last five years...In the past four seasons, the Griffins are 5-10-0-0 against the Wolves at Van Andel Arena...The last time Grand Rapids held a winning record against the Wolves in West Michigan was in 2016-17 when it went 4-1-0-0...Grand Rapids and Chicago have played in 15 consecutive games at Van Andel Arena that have been decided in regulation, dating back to March 17, 2017 when the Wolves were upended 5-4 in overtime...Both Grand Rapids' (29.4%, 5th) and Chicago's (23.5%, 17th) power play percentage rank in the top 10...Chicago (21-9-1-2, 45 pts, 0.682) won the Central Division in 2020-21 during the shortened, no-playoffs season...As part of his 11-year pro career, Griffins coach **Ben Simon** registered 87 points (37-50—87) in 196 games with the Wolves from 2001-03 and 2004-05 and was a part of their first Calder Cup title in 2002.

### Last Weekend's Results

The Griffins dropped two games at the Manitoba Moose this past weekend but secured a point in a shootout loss on Sunday. During Friday's 1-0 defeat, **Calvin Pickard** recorded his most saves (37) since Jan. 5, 2020 when he made 39 stops in a 5-4 losing effort at San Antonio. On Sunday, the Griffins fell 3-2 in a shootout. **Ryan Murphy** bagged his first goal of the season and pushed his team-high point total to five (1-4—5), which is tied for second among AHL blueliners. **Dennis Yan** collected his second goal of the campaign, which places second on the roster. The Griffins failed to convert on three shootout attempts and **Victor Brattstrom** allowed just one tally in the shootout. Brattstrom registered 28 saves in a losing effort.

### Rarified Air

**Brian Lashoff's** 517 games played for the Griffins ranks first among active AHL players who have spent their entire AHL career with the same club and tie for seventh in league history among one-team players. Of the players ahead of him on that list, the most recent – and, coincidentally, the record-holder – last played during the 1970-71 season (Bill Needham of the Cleveland Barons, 981 games played). Lashoff tied No. 7-ranked Pete Kapusta (Providence Reds 1946-55) on Oct. 24 at Manitoba. Lashoff is still 138 games away from breaking the Griffins' all-time record, held by Travis Richards with 655 games (1995-2006).

### Hometown Hero

Holland, Mich., native **Luke Witkowski** became the fourth West Michigander to play with the Griffins on Oct. 15, 2021 against Rockford. Witkowski joined East Grand Rapids native Luke Glendening, Kentwood local **Mike Knuble** and Muskegon legend Justin Abdelkader. Witkowski spent two years with Detroit from 2017-19 but never saw action in the AHL.

### This Date in Griffins History

2017: Matt Lorito returns from a three-game injury absence to register his first career hat trick and lift the Griffins to a 5-3 come-from-behind victory over Chicago.

## No Time to Dilly Dally

The Griffins saw their franchise-record 33-game streak of consecutive road contests decided in regulation come to an end last Sunday when Grand Rapids was upended in a shootout at Manitoba. The streak began back on Dec. 29, 2019 and reached 33 contests after Friday's outing in Manitoba was decided in 60 minutes. The previous record was 23 straight road games from March 1, 2009 through Dec. 13, 2009.

## Powerful Play

Following a 2019-20 campaign in which they finished sixth in the AHL's power play rankings at 20.9%, the Griffins exceeded that mark in 2020-21 with a power play conversion rate of 21.5%, the fifth best on the circuit. Grand Rapids' home power play ranked third-to-last in the AHL, converting 13.1% of its chances. However, the road power play was deadly at 30%, which was the second-highest percentage in the league a year ago. This season has been no different through four games as the power play is converting on 29.4% of its opportunities, which ranks fifth in the AHL.

## New Addition

The Red Wings on Tuesday assigned center **Kyle Criscuolo** to Grand Rapids. The sixth-year pro competed in 29 games with the Griffins a season ago, totaling 19 points (11-8—19) and 16 penalty minutes. The Southampton, N.J. native will enter his fourth season with Grand Rapids and has made 109 appearances with the Griffins, earning 60 points (28-32—60) and recording 30 PIM. As a first-year pro with Grand Rapids, Criscuolo was part of the Griffins' Calder Cup championship team in 2017. In addition, Grand Rapids released center **Josh Dickinson** from his professional try-out.

## High-Flying Hirose

After leading the Griffins in assists a year ago with 23, **Taro Hirose** is off to a great start as he has bagged four helpers in the opening four games, which is tied for the team lead with **Ryan Murphy** and is tied for fifth in the league. All four of his assists have come on the power play, which ranks second in the AHL.

## AHL Leaderboard Tracker

**Taro Hirose**—Tied for fifth with four assists, four power play assists rank second

**Ryan Murphy**—Four assists are tied for fifth, five points (1-4—5) are tied for second among defensemen

**Joe Veleno**—Two power play goals are tied for second

**Kirill Tyutyayev**—Two assists are tied for 12th among rookies

**Calvin Pickard**—1.01 goals against average rank ninth, 0.968 save percentage is tied for second

## Upcoming Milestones

**Taro Hirose**—One assist from 50 as a Griffin

**Brian Lashoff**—Three assists from 100 as a pro

**Chase Pearson**—One point shy of 50 in a Grand Rapids uniform

**Luke Witkowski**—Three points from 50 in the AHL

**Tyler Spezia**—Five assists from 50 as a pro

**Jonatan Berggren**—Three assists from 50 as a pro

**Jon Martin**—Two assists from 50 as a pro

## Time to Celebrate

Although the 2021-22 season marks the franchise's 26th campaign, the Griffins will celebrate as if it were the 25th season. The celebration was put on ice last season due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and with fans returning to Van Andel Arena in full force, the upcoming season will include a variety of festivities and promotions to honor the franchise's first quarter-century. The Griffins will welcome back up to 10,834 of their closest friends to Van Andel Arena for 38 home games, including 27 prime home dates (15 Fridays and 27 Saturdays).

## Under New Leadership

**Pat Verbeek** takes over as the new general manager of the Griffins, a position previously held by Ryan Martin. In addition to his new role in Grand Rapids, Verbeek retains his assistant general manager position with the Red Wings working under Detroit GM Steve Yzerman. Verbeek oversees all aspects of hockey operations for the AHL franchise, including player personnel decisions, player development, contract negotiations and player movement.

## Fresh Faces

The Griffins roster features six rookies including defensemen **Jared McIsaac** and **Wyatt Newpower**, forwards **Jonatan Berggren**, **Patrick Curry**, and **Kirill Tyutyayev**, and goaltender **Victor Brattstrom**. Among those rookies, Newpower, Berggren, Tyutyayev and Brattstrom all made their Grand Rapids debut during opening weekend. Newcomers to West Michigan that skated in their first game as a Griffin on Friday, Oct. 15 against Rockford included defensemen **Ryan Murphy** and **Luke Witkowski**, and forward **Dennis Yan**. The sixth-year pro **Jon Martin** made his first appearance in a Grand Rapids uniform on Oct. 22 in his hometown of Winnipeg, Manitoba.

## European Influence

Grand Rapids and Detroit has a long a tradition of possessing high-level European talent and this season is no different. Forward **Jonatan Berggren** and netminder **Victor Brattstrom** hail from Sweden while forward **Kirill Tyutyayev** comes to the state of Michigan from Russia. All three made their North American debuts with the Griffins during opening weekend. Berggren spent three seasons in the Swedish Hockey League (SHL) with Skelleftea and logged 60 points (14-46—60) in 99 outings. Fellow forward Tyutyayev totaled 52 points (14-38—52) in 70 games between Gornyak Uchaly in the Supreme Hockey League (VHL) in Russia and Yunost Minsk in Belarus. Goaltender Brattstrom spent time in the SHL and Allsvenskan in Sweden as well as the Liiga in Finland. The fifth-year pro has amassed a 66-44-8 record while holding a 2.30 goals against average.

## Oldies but Goodies

The Griffins' roster features six veterans including forwards **Riley Barber** and **Turner Elson**, and defensemen **Brian Lashoff**, **Ryan Murphy**, **Dan Renouf** and **Luke Witkowski**. A player receives veteran status if he has competed in at least 260 games in the NHL, AHL or European elite leagues. Lashoff leads all veterans with 653 career-games played in the NHL and AHL, including 517 with Grand Rapids, which ranks first among active players who have spent their entire AHL career with the same club and tie for seventh all time in league history. Murphy has appeared in 479 outings, which ranks second on the roster, while Elson places third with 400 contests.

## 2020-21 Season in Review

The Griffins skated in their 25th season a year ago and concluded the campaign with a 16-12-3-1 record, 36 points and a points percentage of 0.563. Grand Rapids finished the delayed, shortened and no-playoffs season in third place in the Central Division behind leaders Chicago and second-place Cleveland. The Griffins possessed the fifth-best power play in the league with a conversion rate of 21.5% while the penalty kill was working at a 74.8% clip. The team was outscored by its opponents 96-97 and ended the year 4-5-0-1 in its last 10 games. Forward **Riley Barber** paced the club in points (34) and goals (20) while fellow forward **Taro Hirose** led the roster with 23 assists. In net, Pat Nagle registered the lowest goals against average (2.78) and Kevin Boyle logged the best record (7-3-1).

## Voice of the Griffins Returns

On Feb. 8, the beloved 22-year Voice of the Griffins, **Bob Kaser**, underwent successful heart surgery at the Meijer Heart Center in Grand Rapids to repair several blocked arteries. Released from the hospital on Feb. 14, his recovery is now complete and has returned to the booth this season alongside fellow veterans **Larry Figurski** and **Lou Rabaut**. Kaser is the newest member of the Grand Rapids Sports Hall of Fame after he was awarded the Warren Reynolds Lifetime Achievement Award on Sept. 28. Everyone in Griffins Nation, the Griffins organization, the AHL, and the Michigan hockey community welcomes Bob back with open arms and are looking forward to hearing more of his historic soundbites this season.



## 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - RESULTS

GM	DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	RECORD	PTS	STANDING	GRIFFINS GOALIE	GRIFFINS GOAL SCORERS	GW GOAL	GR/OPP SHOTS	POWER PLAY GR/OPP	ATTEND
1 H1	Fri.	Oct. 15	ROCKFORD	6-1 W	1-0-0-0	2	1st	Pickard	90,32,15,38,22,21	Spezia	24/24	2-3/0-3	10,834
2 R1	Sat.	Oct. 16	@ Milwaukee	3-7 L	1-1-0-0	2	T3rd	Brattstrom	90(2), 11	Solow	23/31	2-7/1-5	7,243
3 R2	Fri.	Oct. 22	@ Manitoba	0-1 L	1-2-0-0	2	T6th	Pickard		Maier	22/38	0-6/0-2	4,188
4 R3	Sun.	Oct. 24	@ Manitoba	2-3 SOL (0-1)	1-2-0-1	3	5th	Brattstrom	6, 21	Gustafsson	23/31	1-1/1-5	2,284
5 H2	Wed.	Oct. 27	CHICAGO										
6 H3	Sat.	Oct. 30	MILWAUKEE										
7 H4	Sun.	Oct. 31	CHICAGO										
8 R4	Fri.	Nov. 5	@ Iowa										
9 R5	Sat.	Nov. 6	@ Rockford										
10 H5	Fri.	Nov. 12	MANITOBA										
11 H6	Sat.	Nov. 13	MANITOBA										
12 H7	Wed.	Nov. 17	CHICAGO										
13 R6	Fri.	Nov. 19	@ Texas										
14 R7	Sat.	Nov. 20	@ Texas										
15 R8	Wed.	Nov. 24	@ Milwaukee										
16 H8	Fri.	Nov. 26	CHICAGO										
17 R9	Sun.	Nov. 28	@ Chicago										
18 H9	Fri.	Dec. 3	ROCKFORD										
19 H10	Sat.	Dec. 4	ROCKFORD										
20 R10	Mon.	Dec. 6	@ Cleveland										
21 R11	Fri.	Dec. 10	@ Manitoba										
22 R12	Sat.	Dec. 11	@ Manitoba										
23 H11	Sat.	Dec. 18	TORONTO										
24 H12	Sun.	Dec. 19	TORONTO										
25 H13	Wed.	Dec. 22	MILWAUKEE										
26 R13	Mon.	Dec. 27	@ Cleveland										
27 H14	Fri.	Dec. 31	MILWAUKEE										
28 R14	Sat.	Jan. 1	@ Milwaukee										
29 R15	Sun.	Jan. 2	@ Chicago										
30 H15	Wed.	Jan. 5	MILWAUKEE										
31 H16	Fri.	Jan. 7	IOWA										
32 H17	Sat.	Jan. 8	CLEVELAND										
33 R16	Wed.	Jan. 12	@ Chicago										
34 H18	Fri.	Jan. 14	MANITOBA										
35 H19	Sat.	Jan. 15	MANITOBA										
36 R17	Tue.	Jan. 18	@ Cleveland										
37 H20	Sat.	Jan. 22	MILWAUKEE										
38 H21	Wed.	Jan. 26	MILWAUKEE										
39 R18	Fri.	Jan. 28	@ Chicago										
40 R19	Sat.	Jan. 29	@ Milwaukee										
41 H22	Fri.	Feb. 4	ONTARIO										
42 H23	Sat.	Feb. 5	ONTARIO										
43 R20	Thu.	Feb. 10	@ Iowa										
44 R21	Fri.	Feb. 11	@ Iowa										
45 R22	Tue.	Feb. 15	@ Texas										
46 R23	Wed.	Feb. 16	@ Texas										
47 H24	Sat.	Feb. 19	ROCKFORD										
48 R24	Sun.	Feb. 20	@ Rockford										
49 R25	Wed.	Feb. 23	@ Cleveland										
50 H25	Fri.	Feb. 25	BAKERSFIELD										
51 H26	Sat.	Feb. 26	BAKERSFIELD										
52 H27	Fri.	March 4	IOWA										
53 H28	Sat.	March 5	IOWA										
54 R26	Sun.	March 6	@ Milwaukee										
55 H29	Wed.	March 9	CHICAGO										
56 H30	Fri.	March 11	CLEVELAND										
57 R27	Sun.	March 13	@ Chicago										
58 H31	Wed.	March 16	TEXAS										
59 H32	Fri.	March 18	TEXAS										
60 R28	Sat.	March 19	@ Rockford										
61 R29	Tue.	March 22	@ Ontario										
62 R30	Fri.	March 25	@ Bakersfield										
63 R31	Sat.	March 26	@ Bakersfield										
64 R32	Sun.	March 27	@ Ontario										
65 H33	Fri.	April 1	TEXAS										
66 H34	Sat.	April 2	TEXAS										
67 R33	Sun.	April 3	@ Milwaukee										
68 H35	Wed.	April 6	CLEVELAND										
69 R34	Sat.	April 9	@ Toronto										
70 R35	Sun.	April 10	@ Toronto										
71 H36	Wed.	April 13	CLEVELAND										
72 H37	Fri.	April 15	IOWA										
73 R36	Tue.	April 19	@ Iowa										
74 R37	Wed.	April 20	@ Rockford										
75 H38	Fri.	April 22	CHICAGO										
76 R38	Sun.	April 24	@ Chicago										

## 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - TRANSACTIONS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TRANSACTION</u>
May 31, 2021	<b>D Wyatt Newpower</b> signed a two-year entry-level contract with Detroit
July 15, 2021	<b>F Dominik Shine</b> re-signed a one-year contract with Grand Rapids
July 22, 2021	<b>F Michael Rasmussen</b> re-signed a three-year contract with Detroit
July 26, 2021	<b>D Gustav Lindstrom</b> received a qualifying offer from Detroit; Agreed to terms on a two-year contract extension with Detroit
July 27, 2021	<b>F Kyle Crisculo</b> agreed to terms on a two-year contract extension with Detroit; <b>F Taro Hirose</b> agreed to terms on a one-year contract extension with Detroit
July 28, 2021	<b>G Calvin Pickard</b> agreed to terms on a one-year contract extension with Detroit; <b>D Ryan Murphy</b> signed a one-year contract with Detroit
July 29, 2021	<b>F Hayden Verbeek</b> signed a one-year contract with Grand Rapids; <b>D Dan Renouf</b> signed a one-year contract with Detroit; <b>D Luke Witkowski</b> signed a two-year contract with Detroit; <b>F Jon Martin</b> signed a one-year contract with Grand Rapids
July 30, 2021	<b>D Brian Lashoff</b> agreed to terms on a one-year contract with Detroit; <b>F Turner Elson</b> signed a one-year contract with Grand Rapids
July 31, 2021	<b>F Tyler Bertuzzi</b> re-signed a two-year contract with Detroit
Aug. 4, 2021	<b>F Tyler Spezia</b> re-signed a one-year contract with Grand Rapids
Aug. 5, 2021	<b>F Chase Pearson</b> re-signed a one-year contract with Detroit
Sept. 14, 2021	<b>F Givani Smith</b> re-signed a two-year contract with Detroit
Sept. 17, 2021	<b>F Dennis Yan</b> signed a one-year contract with Grand Rapids
Oct. 7, 2021	<b>G Victor Brattstrom</b> , <b>D Jared McIsaac</b> , <b>D Wyatt Newpower</b> and <b>D Donovan Sebrango</b> assigned by Detroit
Oct. 8, 2021	<b>F Chase Pearson</b> , <b>D Brian Lashoff</b> and <b>D Ryan Murphy</b> assigned by Detroit
Oct. 9, 2021	<b>F Jonatan Berggren</b> , <b>D Dan Renouf</b> and <b>D Luke Witkowski</b> assigned by Detroit
Oct. 10, 2021	<b>G Calvin Pickard</b> assigned by Detroit
Oct. 11, 2021	<b>F Riley Barber</b> , <b>F Taro Hirose</b> and <b>F Joe Veleno</b> assigned by Detroit
Oct. 19, 2021	<b>F Josh Dickinson</b> signed to a PTO
Oct. 26, 2021	<b>F Kyle Crisculo</b> assigned by Detroit; <b>F Josh Dickinson</b> released from PTO

## 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - THE LAST TIME...

### INDIVIDUAL

Griffins player had a hat trick: Matt Puempel, 1/5/20 at SA

Opposing player had a hat trick: David Cotton, 5/12/21 vs. CHI

Two or more Griffins had a hat trick in the same game: Never

Two or more opposing players had a hat trick in the same game: Rob Sirianni, Jonathan Matsumoto, 3/28/09 at PHI

Griffins player scored four or more goals in a game: 4, Derek King, 4/21/01 vs. CLE (playoffs, never occurred in reg. season)

Opposing player scored four or more goals in a game: 4, Tim Stapleton, 2/8/09 at TOR

Griffins player had three or more assists in a game: 3, Joe Hicketts, 3/26/21 at IA

Opposing player had three or more assists in a game: 3, Tommy Novak, 10/16/21 at MIL

Griffins player recorded five or more points in a game: 5 (2-3--5), Chris Terry, 3/6/19 vs. TEX

Opposing player recorded five or more points in a game: 5 (0-5--5), Jansen Harkins, 11/2/19 at MB

Griffins player scored on a penalty shot: Anthony Mantha, 2/17/16 vs. MIL

Opposing player scored on a penalty shot: Mitchell Fossier, 4/28/21 vs. RFD

Griffins player attempted a penalty shot: Taro Hirose, 4/28/21 vs. RFD, no goal

Opposing player attempted a penalty shot: Mitchell Fossier, 4/28/21 vs. RFD, goal

### TEAM

Griffins recorded a shutout: 5/11/21 at CLE, 2-0 W (Fulcher)

Griffins were shut out: 10/22/21 at MB, 0-1 L (Berdin)

Griffins recorded a shutout in consecutive games: 2, 2/15/18 at MB, 2/17/18 at MB

Griffins were shut out in consecutive games: 2, 1/23/16 vs. RCH, 1/27/16 vs. TOR

Griffins won in overtime: 2/20/21 vs. CLE, 2-1 OTW

Griffins lost in overtime: 4/17/21 vs. IA, 3-4 OTL

Griffins won in a shootout: 1/22/20 vs. IA, 4-3 SOW

Griffins lost in a shootout: 10/24/21 at MB, 2-3 SOL

Griffins scored seven or more goals: 9, 3/3/21 at RFD, 9-4 W

Opponent scored seven or more goals: 7, 10/16/21 at MIL, 3-7 L

Griffins scored 10 or more goals: 11, 1/19/13 at RFD, 11-6 W

Opponent scored 10 or more goals: 10, 2/8/09 at TOR, 5-10 L

Griffins won after trailing in the third period: 4/21/21 vs. CLE (trailed 0-1, 2-1 W)

Griffins lost after leading in the third period: 3/13/21 vs. RFD (led 1-0, 1-2 OTL)

# 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS ROSTER - 10/27/2021

#	FORWARDS (14)	POS	S	HGT	WGT	BIRTHPLACE	BIRTHDATE	2020-21 CLUB(S)	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
9	Patrick Curry*	LW	L	5-11	187	Schaumburg, Ill.	1/9/96	GRIFFINS	24	4	1	5	31
11	Riley Barber* v	RW	R	6-0	194	Pittsburgh, Pa.	2/7/94	HC Detva (Slovakia)	8	0	2	2	22
15	Turner Elson+ v	LW	L	5-11	185	Edmonton, Alberta	9/13/92	GRIFFINS	32	20	14	34	22
17	Taro Hirose*	LW	L	5-10	162	Calgary, Alberta	6/30/96	GRIFFINS	31	4	13	17	24
21	Dennis Yan+	LW	L	6-2	197	Portland, Ore.	4/14/97	Detroit (NHL)	29	5	23	28	4
22	Chase Pearson*	C	L	6-2	200	Alpharetta, Ga.	8/23/97	Black Wings (ICEHL)	6	0	2	2	0
32	Tyler Spezia+	C	L	5-10	175	Clinton Township, Mich.	6/7/93	GRIFFINS	13	4	1	5	8
38	Hayden Verbeek+	LW	L	5-10	183	Kingston, Ontario	10/17/97	GRIFFINS	28	8	14	22	4
48	Jonatan Berggren*	LW	L	5-11	183	Uppsala, Sweden	7/16/00	GRIFFINS	26	5	3	8	11
51	Kyle Criscuolo*	C	R	5-9	175	Southampton, N.J.	5/5/92	GRIFFINS	8	0	2	2	2
65	Dominik Shine+	RW	R	5-11	180	Detroit, Mich.	4/18/93	GRIFFINS	4	2	0	2	0
71	Jon Martin+	RW	R	6-2	216	Winnipeg, Manitoba	8/23/95	Lausitzer Fuchse (DEL2)	7	1	2	3	0
79	Kirill Tyutyayev+	LW	L	5-9	146	Yekaterinburg, Russia	8/8/00	Yunost Minsk (Belarus)	49	12	33	45	18
90	Joe Veleno*	C	L	6-2	200	Kirkland, Quebec	1/13/00	Malmö (SHL)	29	11	8	19	16
								Detroit (NHL)	2	2	4	39	2
								GRIFFINS	37	11	13	24	84
									43	11	21	32	12
									46	11	9	20	20
									5	1	0	1	4
									4	1	2	3	4

#	DEFENSEMEN (7)	POS	S	HGT	WGT	BIRTHPLACE	BIRTHDATE	2020-21 CLUB(S)	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
3	Jared McIsaac*	D	L	6-1	196	Truro, Nova Scotia	3/27/00	GRIFFINS	10	0	2	2	2
6	Ryan Murphy* v	D	R	5-11	185	Markham, Ontario	3/31/93	HPK (Liiga)	1	0	0	0	0
18	Brian Lashoff* v	D	L	6-3	215	Albany, N.Y.	7/16/90	Henderson (AHL)	37	5	22	27	32
20	Dan Renouf* v	D	L	6-3	198	Pickering, Ontario	6/1/94	Dinamo Minsk (KHL)	12	2	6	8	6
28	Luke Witkowski* v	D	R	6-2	216	Holland, Mich.	4/14/90	GRIFFINS	13	1	2	3	6
37	Donovan Sebrango*	D	L	6-1	190	Kingston, Ontario	1/12/02	Colorado (NHL)	18	0	3	3	16
40	Wyatt Newpower*	D	R	6-3	194	Hugo, Minn.	12/9/97	Colorado (AHL)	5	1	2	3	4
								Syracuse (AHL)	14	0	2	2	32
								GRIFFINS	31	0	4	4	18
								HK Levice (Slovakia2)	5	1	2	3	50
								Cleveland (AHL)	24	3	7	10	14
#	GOALIES (2)	POS	C	HGT	WGT	BIRTHPLACE	BIRTHDATE	2020-21 CLUB(S)	GP	GAA	SV% RECORD	SO	
1	Victor Brattstrom*	G	L	6-5	198	Goteborg, Sweden	3/22/97	KooKoo (Liiga)	38	2.20	0.903 18-12-7	1	
31	Calvin Pickard*	G	L	6-1	210	Moncton, New Brunswick	4/15/92	Detroit (NHL)	6	3.16	0.874 2-1-1	0	
								GRIFFINS	3	3.33	0.882 1-1-1	0	
								Vienna (ICEHL)	6	1.96	0.919 3-3-0	0	

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1	Victor Brattstrom	G	
3	Jared McIsaac	D	muh-KIGH-zihk
6	Ryan Murphy	D	
9	Patrick Curry	LW	
11	Riley Barber	RW	
15	Turner Elson	LW	
17	Taro Hirose	LW	TAR-oh hih-ROH-see
18	Brian Lashoff	D	LASH-awf
20	Dan Renouf	D	re-NUFF
21	Dennis Yan	LW	YAHN
22	Chase Pearson	C	
28	Luke Witkowski	D/RW	
31	Calvin Pickard	G	PIHK-uhrd
32	Tyler Spezia	C	SPEE-zhuh
37	Donovan Sebrango	D	sah-BRANG-go
38	Hayden Verbeek	C	
40	Wyatt Newpower	D	
48	Jonatan Berggren	RW	YOH-nah-thehn Bair-grehn
51	Kyle Criscuolo	C	krihs-KOHL-oh
65	Dominik Shine	RW	
71	Jon Martin	RW	
79	Kirill Tyutyayev	LW	kih-REEL too-TIE-yehv
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## 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - HIGHS & LOWS TEAM

CATEGORY	GRIFFINS		OPPONENT	
Longest Winning Streak - Overall				
Longest Winning Streak - Home				
Longest Winning Streak - Road				
Longest Losing Streak - Overall	3	Oct. 16-24		
Longest Losing Streak - Home				
Longest Losing Streak - Road	3	Oct. 16-24		
Largest Margin of Victory	5	Oct. 15 vs. RFD	4	Oct. 16 at MIL
Largest Deficit Overcome				
Most Goals, Game:	6	Oct. 15 vs. RFD	7	Oct. 16 at MIL
Fewest Goals, Game:	0	Oct. 22 at MB	1	Twice (MR: Oct. 22 at MB)
Most Goals, Period:	3	Oct. 15 vs. RFD, 2nd	3	Oct. 16 at MIL, 1st
Most Shots, Game:	24	Oct. 15 vs. RFD	38	Oct. 22 at MB
Most Shots, Period:	11	Twice (MR: Oct. 16 at MIL, 3rd)	16	Oct. 22 at MB, 2nd
Fewest Shots, Game:	22	Oct. 22 at MB	24	Oct. 15 vs. RFD
Fewest Shots, Period:	5	Oct. 16 at MIL, 1st	5	Oct. 15 vs. RFD, 3rd
Most Penalty Minutes, Game:	15	Oct. 24 at MB	14	Twice (MR: Oct. 22 at MB)
Fewest Penalty Minutes, Game:	6	Oct. 22 at MB	7	Oct. 24 at MB
Most PP Goals, Game:	2	Twice (MR: Oct. 16 at MIL)	1	Twice (MR: Oct. 24 at MB)
Most PP Chances, Game:	7	Oct. 16 at MIL	5	Twice (MR: Oct. 24 at MB)
Fewest PP Chances, Game:	1	Oct. 24 at MB	2	Oct. 22 at MB
Most PP Goals, Period:	1	Five times (MR: Oct. 24 at MB, 3rd)	1	Twice (MR: Oct. 24 at MB, 1st)
Most PP Chances, Period:	3	Oct. 16 at MIL, 1st	3	Oct. 16 at MIL, 2nd
Most SH Goals, Game:				
Most Assists, Game:	12	Oct. 15 vs. RFD	12	Oct. 16 at MIL
Most Points, Game:	18	Oct. 15 vs. RFD	19	Oct. 16 at MIL
Fastest Consecutive Goals:	1:06	Oct. 15 vs. RFD Spezia, Elson	:18	Oct. 16 at MIL Schneider, Schneider
Fastest Goal From Start of Game:	2:40	Oct. 16 at MIL Veleno	5:18	Oct. 16 at MIL Schneider
Fastest Goal From Start of Period:	2:40	Oct. 16 at MIL, 1st Veleno	4:05	Oct. 16 at MIL, 2nd Solow

## 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - HIGHS & LOWS INDIVIDUAL

Longest Goal Streak:	2	Veleno (Oct. 15-16)
Longest Assist Streak:	2	Hirose (Oct. 15-16), Murphy (Oct. 15-16), Pearson (Oct. 15-16)
Longest Point Streak:	2	Hirose (Oct. 15-16), Murphy (Oct. 15-16), Pearson (Oct. 15-16), Veleno (Oct. 15-16)
Goaltender's Longest Winning Streak:		
Most Saves, Game:	37	Pickard (Oct. 22 at MB)
Fewest Saves, Game:	23	Pickard (Oct. 15 vs. RFD)
Most Goals, Game:	2	Veleno (Oct. 16 at MIL)
Most Assists, Game:	2	Hirose (Oct. 16 at MIL), Murphy (Oct. 15 vs. RFD, Oct. 16 at MIL), Tyutyayev (Oct. 15 vs. RFD)
Most Points, Game:	2	Hirose (Oct. 16 at MIL), Murphy (Oct. 15 vs. RFD, Oct. 16 at MIL), Pearson (Oct. 15 vs. RFD), Spezia (Oct. 15 vs. RFD), Tyutyayev (Oct. 15 vs. RFD), Veleno (Oct. 16 at MIL), Yan (Oct. 15 vs. RFD)

# 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - SHOOTOUT STATISTICS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	GRIFFINS SHOOTERS (Scorers in CAPS)	GR GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
Oct. 24	at MB	2-3 SOL	Barber, Veleno, Hirose	Brattstrom	Holm

PLAYER	GOALS	ATTEMPTS	PCT
Barber	0	1	0.0%
Veleno	0	1	0.0%
Hirose	0	1	0.0%
<b>GRIFFINS TOTALS</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Opponent Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>33.3%</b>

GOALIE	SAVES	ATTEMPTS	PCT	SOW	SOL
Brattstrom	2	3	66.7%	0	1
<b>GRIFFINS TOTALS</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>66.7%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Opponent Totals</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

## GRIFFINS ALL-TIME SHOOTOUTS

YEAR	SOW	SOL
2021-22	0	1
2020-21	0	1
2019-20	2	4
2018-19	6	4
2017-18	6	7
2016-17	3	5
2015-16	1	1
2014-15	2	2
2013-14	5	5
2012-13	5	4
2011-12	4	4
2010-11	5	8
2009-10	4	4
2008-09	6	6
2007-08	4	6
2006-07	8	5
2005-06	6	4
2004-05	7	2
2000-01	5	3
1999-00	10	9
1998-99	8	8
1997-98	6	13
1996-97	7	12
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>118</b>

## 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - PENALTY SHOTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	SHOOTER	GOALIE	PERIOD	TIME	GAME RESULT
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# 2021-22 GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS - SITUATIONAL STATISTICS

## GRIFFINS' RECORD WHEN:

	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>OTL</u>	<u>SOL</u>
Scoring first goal:	1	1	0	0
Allowing first goal:	0	1	0	1
Leading after one period:	0	0	0	0
Trailing after one period:	0	1	0	1
Tied after one period:	1	1	0	0
Leading after two periods:	1	0	0	0
Trailing after two periods:	0	2	0	1
Tied after two periods:	0	0	0	0
Overtime	0	0	0	0
Shootout	0	0	0	1
Game decided by one goal:	0	1	0	1
Game decided by two goals:	0	0	0	0
Game decided by three goals:	0	0	0	0
Game decided by four goals:	0	1	0	0
Game decided by five or more goals:	1	0	0	0
Scoring zero goals:	0	1	0	0
Scoring one goal:	0	0	0	0
Scoring two goals:	0	0	0	1
Scoring three goals:	0	1	0	0
Scoring four goals:	0	0	0	0
Scoring five goals:	0	0	0	0
Scoring six or more goals:	1	0	0	0
Allowing zero goals:	0	0	0	0
Allowing one goal:	1	1	0	0
Allowing two goals:	0	0	0	0
Allowing three goals:	0	0	0	1
Allowing four goals:	0	0	0	0
Allowing five goals:	0	0	0	0
Allowing six or more goals:	0	1	0	0
Scoring a PPG:	1	1	0	1
Scoring a SHG:	0	0	0	0
Allowing a PPG:	0	1	0	1
Allowing a SHG:	0	0	0	0
Outshooting opponent:	0	0	0	0
Outshot by opponent:	0	2	0	1
Shots are even:	1	0	0	0
Recording 10-19 shots:	0	0	0	0
Recording 20-29 shots:	1	2	0	1
Recording 30-39 shots:	0	0	0	0
Recording 40-49 shots:	0	0	0	0
Recording 50+ shots:	0	0	0	0
Allowing 10-19 shots:	0	0	0	0
Allowing 20-29 shots:	1	0	0	0
Allowing 30-39 shots:	0	2	0	1
Allowing 40-49 shots:	0	0	0	0
Allowing 50+ shots:	0	0	0	0

## HOME/ROAD:

	<u>GP</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>OTL</u>	<u>SOL</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>GF</u>	<u>GA</u>
Home Record	1	1	0	0	0	2	6	1
Road Record	3	0	2	0	1	1	5	11
Overall Record	4	1	2	0	1	3	11	12

## RECORD BY MONTH:

	<u>GP</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>OTL</u>	<u>SOL</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>GF</u>	<u>GA</u>
October	4	1	2	0	1	3	11	12
November	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
December	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
January	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
February	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
April	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## RECORD BY DIVISION:

	<u>GP</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>OTL</u>	<u>SOL</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>GF</u>	<u>GA</u>
Central	4	1	2	0	1	3	11	12
Pacific	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## RECORD BY OPPONENT:

	<u>GP</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>OTL</u>	<u>SOL</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>GF</u>	<u>GA</u>
Bakersfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iowa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manitoba	2	0	1	0	1	1	2	4
Milwaukee	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	7
Ontario	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rockford	1	1	0	0	0	2	6	1
Texas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Toronto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## GOALS:

	<u>1ST</u>	<u>2ND</u>	<u>3RD</u>	<u>OT</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>TOT</u>	<u>AVG</u>
GRIFFINS	2	4	5	0	0	11	2.75
Opponents	5	4	2	0	1	12	3.00

## SHOTS:

	<u>1ST</u>	<u>2ND</u>	<u>3RD</u>	<u>OT</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>TOT</u>	<u>AVG</u>
GRIFFINS	24	35	32	1	0	92	23.0
Opponents	44	44	29	6	1	124	31.0

## GRIFFINS POWER PLAY:

	<u>GOALS</u>	<u>ATT</u>	<u>PCT</u>
Home	2	3	66.67%
Road	3	14	21.43%
Overall	5	17	29.41%

## GRIFFINS PENALTY KILL:

	<u>KILLS</u>	<u>ATT</u>	<u>PCT</u>
Home	3	3	100.00%
Road	10	12	83.33%
Overall	13	15	86.67%







## BEN SIMON HEAD COACH

Ben Simon, who was named by the Detroit Red Wings as the 11th head coach in Griffins franchise history on June 5, 2018, begins his seventh season with Grand Rapids and his fourth as head coach. He served the first three seasons as an assistant under Todd Nelson, now an assistant coach with the NHL's Dallas Stars.

The 43-year-old Simon guided the Griffins to a 29-27-3-4 record in 2019-20, putting the team in position for what would have been an eighth straight postseason berth before the final 13 games and playoffs were canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. His club achieved that franchise-record seventh consecutive playoff appearance during the 2018-19 season by posting a 38-27-7-4 mark (0.572), and he played an integral role in helping the club win its second Calder Cup in 2017. During Simon's first six seasons as a coach in Grand Rapids, the Griffins compiled cumulative records of 216-144-17-22 (0.590) in the regular season and 24-14 (0.632) in the Calder Cup Playoffs.

Appearing in 21 games and scoring nine points (4-5—9) with the Griffins in 2006-07 as part of an 11-year professional playing career, Simon is the third former Griffins. In six seasons as an AHL assistant coach, Simon showed a 250-168-17-21 (0.590) regular season record between Rockford (2011-13), Toronto (2014-15) and Grand Rapids. He aided in his respective teams qualifying for the Calder Cup Playoffs in four campaigns and tallied a 24-14 (0.632) postseason ledger.

Prior to joining the Griffins, Simon was as an assistant coach and helped the Toronto Marlies reach the postseason in 2014-15 by placing second in the North Division with a 40-27-9-0 (0.586) regular season mark.

In his first stint as a professional head coach in North America in 2013-14, Simon became the second head coach in ECHL history to reach the Kelly Cup Finals in his initial season, as he guided the Cincinnati Cyclones to a 41-23-4-4 (0.625) regular season record – the fifth-best mark in the Eastern Conference – before falling in six games to the Alaska Aces.

Simon spent two seasons (2011-13) as an assistant with the Rockford IceHogs and totaled a 77-63-4-8 (0.532) record, which included a seven-win improvement in the second year.

Simon began his coaching career as a player/head coach of the Elite Ice Hockey League's Sheffield Steelers in 2010-11. Competing in the United Kingdom's top league, he led Sheffield to a 43-10-0-1 record (0.806) and helped the club capture the regular season championship. A fifth-round draft selection by the Chicago Blackhawks in the 1997 NHL Entry Draft, Simon logged 81 career games in the NHL between Atlanta (2001-04) and Columbus (2005-06) and tallied four points (3-1—4). In total, Simon appeared in 762 regular season pro games from 2000-11 – which included 481 AHL contests – and recorded 297 points (119-178—297) and 771 penalty minutes from his forward position. In 84 postseason appearances, he added 28 points (14-14—28) and 131 PIM. Simon claimed consecutive league championships, as he helped the Orlando Solar Bears win the IHL's Turner Cup in 2001 before hoisting the Calder Cup with the Chicago Wolves in 2002.

Including a second trip to the Calder Cup Finals with Chicago in 2005, Simon has advanced to a professional league championship series a combined five times as a player or coach and won three titles.

Prior to his pro career, Simon played four seasons at Notre Dame (1996-2000), where he posted 130 points (44-86—130) in 144 games. He served as captain his senior season and was later named to Notre Dame's All-Decade First Team for 1990-2000.

A native of Shaker Heights, Ohio, Simon represented Team USA at both the 1997 and 1998 World Junior Championships, earning a silver medal in 1997.

SIMON'S COACHING RECORD													
Season	Team	League	Position	Regular Season						Playoffs			
				GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	PCT	GP	W	L	PCT
2010-11	Sheffield	EIHL	Head Coach	54	43	10	0	1	0.806	3	1	2	0.333
2011-12	Rockford	AHL	Asst. Coach	76	35	32	2	7	0.520	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Rockford	AHL	Asst. Coach	76	42	31	2	1	0.572	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Cincinnati	ECHL	Head Coach	72	41	23	4	4	0.625	24	14	10	0.583
2014-15	Toronto	AHL	Asst. Coach	76	40	27	9	0	0.586	5	2	3	0.400
2015-16	Grand Rapids	AHL	Asst. Coach	76	44	30	1	1	0.592	9	5	4	0.556
2016-17*	Grand Rapids	AHL	Asst. Coach	76	47	23	1	5	0.658	19	15	4	0.789
2017-18	Grand Rapids	AHL	Asst. Coach	76	42	25	2	7	0.612	5	2	3	0.400
2018-19	Grand Rapids	AHL	Head Coach	76	38	27	7	4	0.572	5	2	3	0.400
2019-20+	Grand Rapids	AHL	Head Coach	63	29	27	3	4	0.516	0	0	0	0.000
2020-21++	Grand Rapids	AHL	Head Coach	32	16	12	3	1	0.563	0	0	0	0.000
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	Head Coach	4	1	2	0	1	0.375	--	--	--	--
<b>GRIFFINS/AHL HEAD COACHING TOTALS</b>				<b>175</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.546</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.400</b>
<b>PRO HEAD COACHING TOTALS</b>				<b>301</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0.611</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0.531</b>

\* Won Calder Cup

+ The final 13 games plus playoffs were canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

++ A delayed, shortened and no-playoffs season was held due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

**MATT MACDONALD**  
**ASSISTANT COACH**

Matt Macdonald begins his fourth season as an assistant coach for the Griffins. He helped guide Grand Rapids to its franchise-record seventh consecutive playoff appearance during the 2018-19 season behind a 38-27-7-4 record (0.572), then helped move the Griffins into position to extend that streak in 2019-20 before the final 13 games and playoffs were canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Macdonald, 38, spent the previous six seasons behind the bench for the ECHL's Cincinnati Cyclones, including the last four as head coach and director of hockey operations. He guided the Cyclones to a winning record during each of his four campaigns (2014-18) as the club's head coach, totaling a 142-116-16-14 record (0.545) and two Kelly Cup Playoff appearances.

In 2017-18, Macdonald helped the Cyclones post a 39-30-3-0 regular season mark (0.563) – due in part to a power play that placed second on the circuit at 20.1% – before falling in five games to Fort Wayne in the postseason's opening round. Macdonald mentored three Cyclones – defenseman Eric Knodel and forwards Justin Danforth and Jesse Schultz – to spots on the All-ECHL Second Team, while also seeing Danforth named to the All-Rookie Team.

During Macdonald's two seasons as an assistant with the Cyclones from 2012-14, Cincinnati posted a combined 83-45-9-7 record (0.632) and advanced to the playoffs both years. In 2013-14, he served under current Griffins head coach Ben Simon as the Cyclones advanced to the Kelly Cup Finals.

Prior to his coaching career, Macdonald played seven professional seasons as a defenseman from 2005-12. Appearing in 385 career games between the CHL (2005-06), ECHL (2006-09), AHL (2007-09), Italy (2009-10; 2011-12) and Denmark (2010-11), Macdonald combined for 133 points (30-103—133) and 601 penalty minutes. He won the Kelly Cup with Cincinnati in 2008.

A native of Niagara Falls, Ontario, Macdonald played college hockey at St. Lawrence University, where he tallied 30 points (14-16—30) and 131 PIM in 118 contests from 2001-05.

Macdonald and his wife, Erin, have two children, Hazel and Max.

**TODD KRYGIER**  
**ASSISTANT COACH**

Todd Krygier was named an assistant coach for the Griffins on June 17, 2019. He begins his third season behind the team's bench, having overseen a 2019-20 power play unit that ranked sixth in the AHL (20.9%) and powered the club to a third-place finish in the Central Division. Krygier improved on that performance in the shortened 2020-21 season with a power play conversion rate of 21.5%, which was good for fifth in the AHL.

Krygier, 55, spent the previous three seasons as an assistant coach for Western Michigan University (NCHC), helping the Broncos total a 58-47-8 record (0.549), finish in the top four of the conference standings twice, and advance to the NCAA Tournament for the sixth time in program history in 2017. During the 2018-19 campaign, WMU posted a 21-15-1 record overall, tied for fourth in the NCAA with a 3.47 goals per game average - which ranked as one of the highest in team history - and boasted its third consecutive year with a power play operating above 18 percent. The Broncos' 129 total goals in 2018-19 were the third most in team history since the 2000-01 season while the 133 tallies in 2016-17 were second most.

Prior to joining the college ranks, Krygier served as head coach of the United States Hockey League's Muskegon Lumberjacks from 2013-16. He amassed a 92-72-8-8 record (0.556), including a winning mark during each of his three seasons, and guided Muskegon to the 2015 Clark Cup Finals before falling in three games to Sioux Falls. Between the 2014, 2015 and 2016 NHL Entry Drafts combined, seven Lumberjacks were selected.

Born in Chicago Heights, Ill., Krygier spent seven seasons (2006-13) as head coach at Novi (Mich.) High School. He tallied a 102-51-15 mark (0.652) and was named MSHSCA Division I Coach of the Year in 2011 after leading Novi to the school's first hockey state championship.

A forward, Krygier was selected in the 1988 NHL Supplemental Draft by the Hartford Whalers and skated 12 years professionally from 1987-2000. He logged 543 NHL contests between Hartford (1989-91), the Washington Capitals (1991-94; 95-98) and Anaheim Mighty Ducks (1994-96), racking up 243 points (100-143—243) and 533 penalty minutes. He showed 17 points (10-7—17) in 48 Stanley Cup Playoff games and was a member of the Capitals' first-ever team to advance to the Stanley Cup Final in 1998 before being swept by the Detroit Red Wings. Krygier accumulated 81 points (30-51—81) in 107 AHL games between the New Haven Nighthawks (1987-88), Binghamton Whalers (1988-90) and Portland Pirates (1997-98), and 79 points (26-53—79) in 93 appearances with the International Hockey League's Orlando Solar Bears from 1998-2000.

Krygier played college hockey at the University of Connecticut from 1984-88 and holds a business administration degree with a focus on finance.

Krygier and his wife, Kim, have three sons, Brock, Cole and Christian, and two daughters, Natalie and Grace. Twins Cole and Christian are junior defensemen on Michigan State's hockey team.

**MIKE KNUBLE**  
**ASSISTANT COACH**

A 1997-98 Stanley Cup champion with the Detroit Red Wings and veteran of 1,068 NHL games, Mike Knuble earned his first Calder Cup in 2017 as a member of the Griffins' coaching staff. He returns for his ninth season as an assistant coach, having helped guide the team to the playoffs in each of his first six years before finishing third in the Central Division during the COVID-shortened 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons.

Knuble, a native of Kentwood, Mich., logged 16 NHL seasons after being drafted by Detroit in the fourth round (76th overall) of the 1991 NHL Entry Draft. The 47-year-old made his NHL debut with the Red Wings in 1996-97 and capped off three seasons in the organization by helping the team win its second straight Cup in 1998, before playing for the New York Rangers (1998-00), Boston Bruins (1999-04), Philadelphia Flyers (2005-09; 2012-13) and Washington Capitals (2009-12).

Born in Toronto, Knuble led the East Kentwood High School Falcons to a Michigan state championship in 1990 and eventually played four seasons at the University of Michigan (1991-95). He even logged one game with the Griffins on Jan. 23, 2013, becoming just the second Greater Grand Rapids native to play for the team.

A 2014 inductee of the Grand Rapids Sports Hall of Fame and a member of the Griffins Youth Foundation's board of directors, Knuble resides in East Grand Rapids with his wife Megan and youngest son Cole. Their daughter Anna attends Michigan State University and their son Cam is a sophomore forward at Western Michigan University. Their youngest son Cole plays in the USHL with the Fargo Force.

**BRIAN MAHONEY-WILSON**  
**GOALTENDING DEVELOPMENT COACH**

Brian Mahoney-Wilson begins his sixth season as the Detroit Red Wings' goaltending development coach, working with the Griffins, the ECHL's Toledo Walleye and other Detroit prospects.

In 2016-17, Mahoney-Wilson mentored a Grand Rapids goaltending unit that backstopped a 100-point season before authoring a 15-4 record during the playoffs, resulting in the franchise's second Calder Cup championship.

Before joining the pro ranks, the 35-year-old spent the 2015-16 season as an assistant coach at Notre Dame and helped the Fighting Irish reach the NCAA Tournament with a 19-11-7 record. Working with the special teams and goaltenders, he saw Irish netminders post a 2.28 goals against average and a 0.925 save percentage, both fourth-best in Hockey East.

In 2014-15, Mahoney-Wilson served as an assistant/goaltending coach with the United States Military Academy (AHA). The West Roxbury, Mass., native also has coaching experience with the South Shore Kings (USPHL) in 2013-14 as well as several goaltending programs in Massachusetts, including Stop It Goaltending, Massachusetts Crease and Lovell's Hockey Schools.

San Jose's ninth choice (288th overall) in the 2004 NHL Entry Draft, Mahoney-Wilson appeared in 66 combined games during his junior career from 2004-07 with Walpole (EJHL), Lincoln (USHL), Newmarket (OPJHL) and Georgetown (OPJHL).

Mahoney-Wilson played four seasons (2007-11) at Lake Superior State (CCHA) and compiled a 27-41-15 record, a 2.95 goals against average and a 0.906 save percentage. Following his collegiate career, Mahoney-Wilson played one season as a professional in the Central Hockey League. In 28 games between Allen, Missouri and Bloomington, he totaled a 10-11-1 record, a 3.35 GAA and a 0.895 save percentage.

Mahoney-Wilson has family ties to the Red Wings organization. His father, Randy Wilson, was drafted by Detroit in round seven, 109th overall, in the 1977 NHL Amateur Draft. His grandfather, Larry Wilson, won the 1950 Stanley Cup with Detroit while appearing in 16 career games across two stints with the team (1949-50, 1952-53) and coached the Red Wings for 36 games during the 1976-77 season. His great uncle, Johnny Wilson, coached the Red Wings for two seasons (1971-73) and played in 379 games with the team (1949-55, 57-59), winning four Stanley Cups (1950, 1952, 1954, 1955). Finally his uncle, Ron Wilson, was an NHL head coach with Anaheim (1993-97), Washington (1997-01), San Jose (2002-08) and Toronto (2008-12). Ron Wilson was also the head coach of two USA Olympic teams in 1998 and 2010.

Brian and his wife, Keri, celebrated their wedding in the summer of 2017, shortly after the Griffins' championship campaign concluded. They have two children, Teagan and Chase. Brian and his wife, Keri, celebrated their wedding in the summer of 2017, shortly after the Griffins' championship campaign concluded. They have two children, Teagan and Chase.

**JUSTIN DEMARTINO**  
**VIDEO COACH**

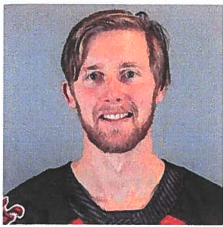
Justin DeMartino will embark on his inaugural season with the Griffins after being named the video coach for the 2021 season by the Detroit Red Wings.

A native of Macomb, Mich., DeMartino most recently served as the assistant coach and video coordinator for the Youngstown Phantoms of the United States Hockey League during the 2020-21 campaign.

Prior to joining the Phantoms, DeMartino spent three years primarily as the associate head coach with the Topeka Pilots of the North American Hockey League. He was the team's interim head coach for most of 2017-18 and added director of scouting duties in 2019-20.

DeMartino also has experience in the college ranks with Ferris State University, where he served as an assistant coach and video coordinator during the 2016-17 season.

DeMartino graduated from Ferris State in 2014 with a bachelor's degree in communications with a focus on sports communications. During his four-year playing career as a Bulldog, DeMartino racked up 12 goals, 25 assists and 37 points. The right winger helped the Bulldogs capture the Central Collegiate Hockey Association's regular-season championship in 2011-12.



# #1 VICTOR BRATTSTROM

**Goaltender**

**Height:** 6'4"

**Weight:** 198

**Catches:** Left

**Born:** 3/22/97 in Goteborg, Sweden

**Drafted:** Detroit's 9th choice, 160th overall, in 2018 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** Assigned by Detroit, 10/7/21

## SEASON HIGHS

**Saves, Game:** 28, 10/24/21 GR at MB

**Saves, Period:** 11, 10/16/21 GR at MIL, 1st

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffin... Fifth year pro... Assigned by Detroit, 10/7/21... Made his Griffins/AHL debut on Oct. 16 at Milwaukee.

**Career Notes:** Made professional debut in Sweden's second-highest professional league with the Allsvenskan's Timra IK in 2017-18, recording a 1.93 GAA and a .919 SV% in 15 outings... Helped guide Timra to a promotion to the SHL by winning the Allsvenskan league in 2017-18... Paced the J20 SuperElit league with a .943 save percentage in 2016-17... Won a J18 bronze medal with Frolunda and led the south division with a .930 SV% in 2013-14.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season						Playoffs				
			GP	W	L	OT	GAA	SO	GP	W	L	GAA	SO
2012-13	Frolunda HC U16	U16 Elit	22	13	3	0	2.25	2	--	--	--	--	--
	Frolunda HC U16	U16 SM	6	3	3	0	2.70	0	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Frolunda HC J18	J18 Elit	10	8	2	0	1.81	2	--	--	--	--	--
	Frolunda HC J18	J18 Allsvenskan	10	7	3	0	2.29	2	3	2	1	3.19	0
2014-15	Frolunda HC J18	J18 Elit	15	10	5	0	2.46	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Frolunda HC J18	J18 Allsvenskan	5	4	1	0	1.81	1	4	2	2	3.22	1
2015-16	Frolunda HC J20	J20 SuperElit	27	18	9	0	2.26	4	3	2	0	2.93	0
	Trollhattans HC	Division 2	3	--	--	--	3.43	--	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Timra IK J20	J20 SuperElit	31	18	11	0	2.29	2	4	2	2	2.03	1
2017-18	Timra IK J20	J20 SuperElit	2	0	2	0	2.40	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Timra IK	HockeyAllsvenskan	15	10	5	0	1.93	3	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Timra IK	SHL	23	5	14	0	2.81	0	1	0	1	2.1	0
2019-20	Timra IK	HockeyAllsvenskan	45	33	12	0	2.13	3	1	1	0	3	0
2020-21	KooKoo	Liiga	38	18	12	7	2.20	1	1	0	1	4	0
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	2	0	1	1	3.90	0	--	--	--	--	--
AHL/GRIFFINS TOTALS			2	0	1	1	3.90	0	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			123	66	44	8	2.30	7	3	1	2	3.03	0





# #31 CALVIN PICKARD (PIHK-uhrd)

**Goaltender**

**Height:** 6'1"

**Weight:** 210

**Catches:** Left

**Born:** 4/15/92 in Moncton, New Brunswick

**Drafted:** Colorado's 2nd choice, 49th overall, in 2010 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a two-year contract by Detroit, 7/1/19

## SEASON HIGHS

**Saves, Game:** 37, 10/22/21 GR at MB  
**Saves, Period:** 15, 10/22/21 GR at MB, 2nd

**2021-22 Notes:** Third season as a Griffin...10th year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/10/21...Earned his second assist as a Griffin and seventh helper in the AHL on Oct. 15 against Rockford.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a two-year contract by Detroit, 7/1/19...Enters 2021-22 with 113 career NHL games with Colorado, Toronto, Philadelphia, Arizona and Detroit...Logged a professional-low 1.96 GAA in six games with Vienna in the ICEHL in 2020-21...2018 Calder Cup champion with Toronto...Won the Harry Holmes Memorial Award, awarded to the goaltending tandem with the lowest goals against average (2.24), alongside Garret Sparks with Toronto in 2017-18...Made his NHL debut with Colorado on Oct. 16, 2014 at Ottawa...Represented Canada at the 2016 and 2017 IIHF World Championships, winning a gold and silver, respectively...Became the first goalie in NHL history to record his first two wins in relief in back-to-back team games on Nov. 22 and Nov. 25, 2014...Finished his junior career with Seattle as the Western Hockey League's all-time leader in minutes (14,025) and saves (7,727).

Season	Team	League	Regular Season							Playoffs				
			GP	W	L	OT	GAA	SO	GP	W	L	GAA	SO	
2008-09	Seattle	WHL	47	23	16	5	3.05	3	5	1	4	3.03	0	
2009-10	Seattle	WHL	62	16	34	12	3.09	3	--	--	--	--	--	
2010-11	Seattle	WHL	68	27	33	8	3.36	1	--	--	--	--	--	
2011-12	Seattle	WHL	64	25	37	2	3.59	5	--	--	--	--	--	
2012-13	Lake Erie	AHL	2	1	0	0	3.12	0	--	--	--	--	--	
	Lake Erie	AHL	47	20	19	5	2.47	5	--	--	--	--	--	
2013-14	Lake Erie	AHL	43	16	18	7	2.85	2	--	--	--	--	--	
2014-15	Lake Erie	AHL	50	23	17	9	2.61	3	--	--	--	--	--	
2015-16	Colorado	NHL	16	6	7	3	2.35	0	--	--	--	--	--	
	San Antonio	AHL	21	9	8	4	2.75	1	--	--	--	--	--	
2016-17	Colorado	NHL	20	7	6	1	2.56	1	--	--	--	--	--	
	Colorado	NHL	50	15	31	2	2.98	2	--	--	--	--	--	
2017-18	Toronto	AHL	33	21	9	2	2.31	1	3	1	0	1.00	0	
2018-19	Toronto	NHL	1	0	0	1	3.83	0	--	--	--	--	--	
	Tucson	AHL	4	3	0	0	3.47	0	--	--	--	--	--	
2019-20	Philadelphia	NHL	11	4	2	2	4.01	1	--	--	--	--	--	
	Arizona	NHL	6	0	4	0	3.61	0	--	--	--	--	--	
2019-20	Grand Rapids	AHL	33	17	12	4	2.86	3	--	--	--	--	--	
2020-21	Detroit	NHL	3	0	2	0	5.46	0	--	--	--	--	--	
	Vienna	IceHL	6	3	3	0	1.96	0	--	--	--	--	--	
2021-22	Detroit	NHL	6	2	1	1	3.16	0	--	--	--	--	--	
	Grand Rapids	AHL	3	1	1	1	3.33	0	--	--	--	--	--	
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	1	1	0	0	1.00	0	--	--	--	--	--	
	NHL TOTALS		113	34	53	10	3.01	4	--	--	--	--	--	
	GRIFFINS TOTALS		37	19	13	5	2.85	3	--	--	--	--	--	
	AHL TOTALS		237	111	84	32	2.64	15	3	1	0	1.00	0	
	PRO TOTALS		355	148	140	42	2.74	19	3	1	0	1.00	0	



### #3 JARED McISAAC *(muh-KIGH-zihk)*

**Defenseman**

**Height:** 6'1"

**Weight:** 195

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 3/27/00 in Truro, Nova Scotia

**Drafted:** Detroit's 4th choice, 36th overall, in 2018 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** 2018 NHL Entry Draft

#### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

**Assists:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**Points:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** Second season as a Griffin...Second year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/7/21.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a three-year entry-level contract by Detroit, 9/28/18...Made his North American and AHL debut with the Griffins on April 20, 2021 against Cleveland...Logged first AHL point on an assist in Rockford on May 1, 2021...Won a gold medal with Team Canada at the U20 World Junior Championship in 2020...Hlinka Memorial Gold Medal winner with Canada in 2018...Named the QMJHL Defensive Rookie of the Year in 2016-17 and earned a spot on the QMJHL All-Rookie Team...Achieved the NSMMHL Rookie Defenseman Award in 2014-15...Named to the NSMBHL Rookie All-Star Team in 2013-14.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2013-14	Dartmouth	NSMBHL	32	12	22	34	30	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Cole Harbour	NSMMHL	32	10	19	29	50	7	2	5	7	6
2015-16	Cole Harbour	NSMMHL	33	14	22	36	44	9	3	6	9	32
2016-17	Halifax	QMJHL	59	4	28	32	60	5	0	0	0	2
2017-18	Halifax	QMJHL	65	9	38	47	86	9	0	4	4	8
2018-19	Halifax	QMJHL	53	16	46	62	56	22	2	14	16	38
2019-20	Halifax	QMJHL	3	0	2	2	6	--	--	--	--	--
	Moncton	QMJHL	25	4	13	17	40	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	HPK	Liiga	1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	10	0	2	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			14	0	3	3	2	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			15	0	3	3	2	--	--	--	--	--



## #6 RYAN MURPHY

**Defenseman**

**Height:** 5'11"

**Weight:** 185

**Shoots:** Right

**Born:** 3/31/93 in Aurora, Ontario

**Drafted:** Carolina's 1st choice, 12th overall, in 2011 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** Assigned by Detroit, 10/8/21

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** 1, 10/25/21 GR at MB

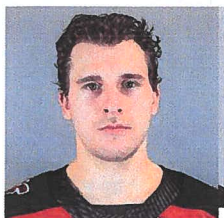
**Assists:** 2, twice (MR:10/16/21 GR at MIL)

**Points:** 2, twice (MR:10/16/21 GR at MIL)

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffin...Ninth year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/8/21...Made his Griffins debut on Oct. 15 against Rockford...Consecutive two-assist games to start the season...Recorded his first goal on Oct. 25 at Manitoba.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a one-year contract by Detroit, 7/28/21...Paced AHL blueliners in points (27) and assists (22) in 2020-21...Represented the Pacific Division as a 2021 AHL All-Star...Recipient of the Eddie Shore Award in 2020-21, given to the AHL's best defenseman...Named to the AHL All-Star Game in 2014-15...Led the OHL in postseason assists (20) in 2011-12...In 2010-11, named to the OHL First All-Star Team and paced the OHL defensemen with 26 goals...Achieved the U18 World Junior Championship Best Defenseman award in 2011 after leading all blueliners in goals (four) and points (13)...Won a U17 World Hockey Championship silver medal in 2010...OHL First All-Rookie Team nominee in

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2009-10	Kitchener	OHL	62	6	33	39	22	20	5	12	17	16
2010-11	Kitchener	OHL	63	26	53	79	36	7	2	9	11	8
2011-12	Kitchener	OHL	49	11	43	54	30	16	2	20	22	12
2012-13	Kitchener	OHL	54	10	38	48	34	10	3	4	7	8
	Carolina	NHL	4	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
	Charlotte	AHL	3	0	2	2	0	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Carolina	NHL	48	2	10	12	10	--	--	--	--	--
	Charlotte	AHL	22	3	19	22	8	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Carolina	NHL	37	4	9	13	8	--	--	--	--	--
	Charlotte	AHL	25	0	17	17	10	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Carolina	NHL	35	0	10	10	10	--	--	--	--	--
	Charlotte	AHL	32	7	17	34	18	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Carolina	NHL	27	0	2	2	8	--	--	--	--	--
	Charlotte	AHL	7	0	1	1	4	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Minnesota	NHL	21	2	3	5	16	1	0	0	0	0
	Iowa	AHL	48	4	24	28	30	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Minnesota	NHL	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Iowa	AHL	35	3	12	15	12	--	--	--	--	--
	New Jersey	NHL	1	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Binghamton	AHL	23	0	10	10	8	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Neftekhimik	KHL	56	8	15	23	22	4	0	0	0	0
2020-21	Dinamo	KHL	12	2	6	8	6	--	--	--	--	--
	Henderson	AHL	37	5	22	27	32	3	0	1	1	6
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	1	4	5	0	--	--	--	--	--
NHL TOTALS			175	8	35	43	54	1	0	0	0	0
GRIFFINS TOTALS			4	1	4	5	0	--	--	--	--	--
AHL TOTALS			236	23	128	151	122	8	0	3	3	8
PRO TOTALS			479	41	183	224	204	13	0	3	3	10



## #9 PATRICK CURRY

**Left Wing**

**Height:** 5'11"

**Weight:** 187

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 1/9/96 in Schaumburg, Ill.

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a two-year contract, 3/26/20

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

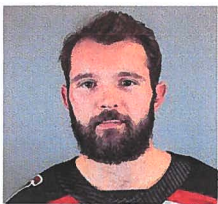
**Assists:** N/A

**Points:** N/A

**2021-22 Notes:** Second season as a Griffin...Second year pro.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a two-year contract, 3/26/20...Spent time with HC Detva and the Griffins during his rookie season, totaling seven points (4-3—7) in 32 games between the two clubs...Made AHL debut on Feb. 11, 2021 against Chicago...Logged first AHL point on a goal in Rockford on March 3, 2021...Earned first AHL two-point outing and inaugural assist on March 27, 2021 at Iowa...Amassed 79 points (39-40—79) in 141 collegiate contests...Won the Hockey East Conference championship in 2017-18 with Boston U....Named the 2019-20 Hockey East Best Defensive Forward after registering 19 goals and 13 helpers...Selected as a semifinalist for the Walter Brown Award in 2019-20, given to top American-born college hockey player in New England.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2013-14	Springfield	NAHL	25	12	14	26	25	--	--	--	--	--
	Tri-City	USHL	32	4	9	13	40	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Central Illinois	USHL	55	9	11	20	79	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Central Illinois	USHL	60	17	16	33	76	10	3	3	6	16
2016-17	Boston U.	Hockey East	39	3	8	11	24	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Boston U.	Hockey East	30	4	6	10	32	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Boston U.	Hockey East	38	13	13	26	32	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Boston U.	Hockey East	34	19	13	32	28	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Detva	Slovakia	8	0	2	2	22	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	24	4	1	5	31	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			24	4	1	5	31	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			32	4	3	7	53	--	--	--	--	--



## #11 RILEY BARBER

**Right Wing**

**Height:** 6'0"

**Weight:** 194

**Shoots:** Right

**Born:** 2/7/94 in Pittsburgh, Pa.

**Drafted:** Washington's 7th choice, 167th overall, in 2012 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** Agreed to terms on a two-year contract with Detroit, 10/9/20

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** 1, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**Assists:** 1, 10/24/21 GR at MB

**Points:** 1, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**2021-22 Notes:** Second season as a Griffin...Seventh year pro...Agreed to terms on a two-year contract with Detroit, 10/9/20...Assigned by Detroit, 10/11/21.

**Career Notes:** Enters 2020-21 with 291 career professional contests to his name, totaling 217 points (106-111-217) while playing for Hershey, Laval and Wilkes-Barre/Scranton...Recorded his first goal during his AHL debut with Hershey on Oct. 10, 2015 against Springfield...Bagged inaugural AHL assist on Oct. 24, 2015 against Hartford...Made NHL debut on with Washington against Edmonton on Feb. 24, 2017 Named to the AHL Central Division All-Star Team in 2020-21 AHL Rookie of the Month in February 2016 ...2014-15 NCHC Conference Champion with Miami (OH)...Named to the NCAA Second All-Star Team in 2013-14...Earned CCHA Rookie of the Year, All-Rookie and First All-Star Team honors in 2012-13...Captured a gold medal with Team USA at the 2013 World Junior Championship and the 2012 IIHF U-18 World Championship...USHL Clark Cup Champion in 2011 with Dubuque.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2010-11	Dubuque	USHL	57	14	14	28	48	11	2	0	2	6
	U.S. National U17 Team	USDP	3	1	1	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	USNTDP Juniors	USHL	24	5	6	11	59	--	--	--	--	--
	U.S. National U18 Team	USDP	60	21	15	36	85	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Miami U.	CCHA	40	15	24	39	22	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Miami U.	NCHC	38	19	25	44	28	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Miami U.	NCHC	38	20	20	40	12	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Hershey	AHL	74	26	29	55	34	17	1	3	4	24
2016-17	Hershey	AHL	39	13	14	27	12	12	1	4	5	4
	Washington	NHL	3	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Hershey	AHL	60	20	18	38	49	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Hershey	AHL	64	31	29	60	84	9	3	3	6	4
2019-20	Laval	AHL	39	13	18	31	19	--	--	--	--	--
	Montreal	NHL	9	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
	Wilkes-Barre/Scranton	AHL	7	3	3	6	6	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Grand Rapids	AHL	32	20	14	34	22	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	1	1	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
NHL TOTALS			12	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			36	21	15	36	24	--	--	--	--	--
AHL TOTALS			319	127	126	253	228	38	5	10	15	32
PRO TOTALS			331	127	126	253	230	38	5	10	15	32





## #15 TURNER ELSON

Alternate Captain | Left Wing/Right Wing

Height: 6'0"

Weight: 181

Shoots: Left

Born: 9/13/92 in Edmonton, Alberta

Drafted: Undrafted

Originally Acquired: Signed to a one-year contract by Detroit, 7/1/17

### SEASON HIGHS

Goals: 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

Assists: N/A

Points: 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** Fifth season as a Griffin...Ninth year pro...Collected his 100th point as a Griffin on a goal on Oct. 15 against Rockford.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a one-year contract, 7/30/21...Fifth season as a Griffin...Ninth year pro...Signed to a one-year contract by Detroit, 7/30/21... Established career highs in points (39), goals (18), assists (21), PIM (80) and games played (72) with the Griffins in 2018-19...Won the 2014 Kelly Cup with the ECHL's Alaska Aces...Logged an assist during his NHL debut with Calgary on April 9, 2016 against Minnesota...Made AHL debut on April 15, 2012 with Abbotsford against Toronto...Collected first AHL point on a goal against Milwaukee on Oct. 11, 2013...Earned opening AHL assist on March 5, 2014 against Texas.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2009-10	Red Deer	WHL	66	9	8	17	94	4	0	0	0	4
2010-11	Red Deer	WHL	68	16	15	31	124	9	0	4	4	23
2011-12	Red Deer	WHL	55	21	25	46	59	--	--	--	--	--
	Abbotsford	AHL	1	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Red Deer	WHL	64	26	31	57	60	9	5	4	9	6
	Abbotsford	AHL	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Abbotsford	AHL	37	2	1	3	19	--	--	--	--	--
	Alaska	ECHL	18	5	10	15	18	21	7	4	11	16
2014-15	Adirondack	AHL	59	17	13	30	52	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Stockton	AHL	63	14	16	30	59	--	--	--	--	--
	Calgary	NHL	1	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	San Antonio	AHL	13	1	2	3	12	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Grand Rapids	AHL	57	9	12	21	49	5	2	0	2	0
2018-19	Grand Rapids	AHL	72	18	21	39	80	5	2	2	4	0
2019-20	Grand Rapids	AHL	61	9	13	22	45	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Grand Rapids	AHL	31	4	13	17	24	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	1	0	1	4	--	--	--	--	--
NHL TOTALS			1	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			225	41	59	100	202	10	4	2	6	0
AHL TOTALS			400	75	91	166	346	10	4	2	6	0
PRO TOTALS			419	80	102	182	364	31	11	6	17	16



## #17 TARO HIROSE (TAR-oh hih-ROE-see)

**Left Wing**

**Height:** 5'10"

**Weight:** 162

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 6/30/96 in Calgary, Alberta

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a two-year entry-level contract by Detroit, 3/12/19

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

**Assists:** 2, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**Points:** 2, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**2021-22 Notes:** Second season as a Griffin...Second year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/11/21...Two-point (0-2--2) outing on Oct. 16 at Milwaukee.

**Career Notes:** Agreed to terms on a one-year contract extension with Detroit, 7/27/21...In 2020-21, finished second on the Griffins in points (28), points per game (0.97) and paced the team in assists (23), which is a career high...Named to Detroit's opening night roster in 2019-20 and logged 26 NHL games in his inaugural full pro season...Scored seven points (1-6--7) in 10 games during his NHL debut with Detroit at the end of the 2018-19 season...During his junior season at Michigan State in 2018-19, was named a Hobey Baker Award finalist, a First Team All-American, the Big Ten Player of the Year and a unanimous All-Big Ten First Team selection...Led the NCAA in multi-point games (15) and three-point games (9), while tying for the lead with 50 points...Became the first Spartan to hit the 100-career point mark since 2009...All-Big Ten Second Team

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2014-15	Salmon Arm	BCHL	58	18	32	50	12	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Salmon Arm	BCHL	58	15	56	71	18	6	1	4	5	0
2016-17	Michigan State	Big Ten	34	6	18	24	23	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Michigan State	Big Ten	36	12	30	42	4	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Michigan State	Big Ten	36	15	35	50	12	--	--	--	--	--
	Detroit	NHL	10	1	6	7	2	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Detroit	NHL	26	2	5	7	6	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	35	5	22	27	12	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Detroit	NHL	6	0	2	2	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	29	5	23	28	4	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	4	4	0	--	--	--	--	--
NHL TOTALS			42	3	13	16	8	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			68	10	49	59	16	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			110	13	62	75	24	--	--	--	--	--



## #18 BRIAN LASHOFF (LASH-awf)

**Captain | Defenseman**

**Height:** 6'3"

**Weight:** 215

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 7/16/90 in Albany, N.Y.

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a three-year entry-level contract by Detroit, 9/30/08

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

**Assists:** N/A

**Points:** N/A

**2021-22 Notes:** Captain...13th season as a Griffin...12th year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/8/21.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a one-year contract by Detroit, 7/30/21 ... Won the 2013 and 2017 Calder Cups with Grand Rapids, one of only three players to be a part of both championships (Mitch Callahan, Nathan Paetsch)...513 career regular season games played ranks first among active players who have spent their entire AHL career with the same club and tie for eighth all-time in league history...Appeared in 75 Calder Cup Playoff games with the Griffins, ranking second in team history...Places second on the franchise's all-time list with 513 regular season games played...Became the 126th Griffins alumnus to play in the NHL when he debuted with Detroit and registered his first goal in the same game on Jan. 21, 2013 in Columbus...Won a gold medal with Team USA at the 2010 World Junior Championship.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2006-07	Barrie	OHL	47	2	10	12	20	5	0	1	1	2
2007-08	Barrie	OHL	50	5	15	20	44	8	0	1	1	4
2008-09	Barrie	OHL	25	1	12	13	19	--	--	--	--	--
	Kingston	OHL	35	6	13	19	32	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	6	1	4	5	0	8	1	4	5	2
2009-10	Kingston	OHL	58	6	21	27	71	7	0	0	0	12
	Grand Rapids	AHL	6	0	2	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Grand Rapids	AHL	37	0	3	3	25	--	--	--	--	--
	Toledo	ECHL	3	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Grand Rapids	AHL	76	8	11	19	41	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Grand Rapids	AHL	37	2	4	6	23	18	0	1	1	10
	Detroit	NHL	31	1	4	5	15	3	0	0	0	0
2013-14	Detroit	NHL	75	1	5	6	36	5	0	0	0	0
2014-15	Grand Rapids	AHL	32	1	6	7	12	16	0	3	3	8
	Detroit	NHL	11	0	2	2	6	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Grand Rapids	AHL	74	1	15	16	30	9	2	1	3	0
2016-17	Grand Rapids	AHL	62	3	8	11	32	17	1	3	4	12
	Detroit	NHL	5	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Grand Rapids	AHL	70	5	10	15	29	5	1	2	3	2
	Detroit	NHL	1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Grand Rapids	AHL	53	1	13	14	33	2	0	1	1	0
	Detroit	NHL	4	0	1	1	2	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Grand Rapids	AHL	47	3	5	8	36	--	--	--	--	--
	Detroit	NHL	9	0	1	1	6	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Grand Rapids	AHL	13	1	2	3	6	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
NHL TOTALS			136	2	13	15	65	8	0	0	0	0
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			517	26	83	109	273	75	5	15	20	34
PRO TOTALS			656	28	97	125	338	83	5	15	20	34



## #20 DAN RENOUF *(re-NUFF)*

**Defenseman**

**Height:** 6'3"

**Weight:** 210

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 6/1/94 in Pickering, Ontario

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to an amateur tryout, 3/10/16

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

**Assists:** 1, 10/24/21 GR at MB

**Points:** 1, 10/24/21 GR at MB

**2021-22 Notes:** Fourth season as a Griffin...Sixth year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/9/21.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a one-year contract by Detroit, 7/29/21...Won Calder Cups with Grand Rapids in 2017 and Charlotte in 2019...Became the 162nd Griffins alumnus to play in the NHL when he debuted with Detroit on March 27, 2017 at Carolina...Made his professional debut with Grand Rapids against Manitoba on March 12, 2016...Recorded his first professional point on an assist against Lake Erie on April 13, 2016...Led Maine's defensemen in goals, assists, points and shots as a junior in 2015-16.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2009-10	Whitby	OJHL	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Ajax/Pickering	ETAHL U18	73	17	39	56	60	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Hill Academy	CAHS	62	10	43	53	34	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Youngstown	USHL	58	1	14	15	53	6	0	2	2	4
2012-13	Youngstown	USHL	57	10	18	28	83	9	0	1	1	7
2013-14	Maine	H-East	34	1	10	11	12	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Maine	H-East	39	3	9	12	24	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Maine	H-East	38	6	9	15	36	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	6	0	1	1	5	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Grand Rapids	AHL	67	3	13	16	95	19	2	2	4	6
	Detroit	NHL	1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Grand Rapids	AHL	73	2	10	12	83	5	0	1	1	19
2018-19	Charlotte	AHL	74	2	22	24	121	12	1	2	3	23
2019-20	Colorado	AHL	54	2	14	16	82	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Colorado	NHL	18	0	3	3	16	--	--	--	--	--
	Colorado	AHL	5	1	2	3	4	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	1	1	2	--	--	--	--	--
NHL TOTALS			19	0	3	3	16	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			150	5	25	30	185	24	2	3	5	25
AHL TOTALS			283	10	63	73	392	36	3	5	8	48
PRO TOTALS			302	10	66	76	408	36	3	5	8	48



## #21 DENNIS YAN (YAHN)

**Left Wing**

**Height:** 6'2"

**Weight:** 197

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 4/14/97 in Portland, Ore.

**Drafted:** Tampa Bay's 3rd choice, 64th overall, in 2015 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a one-year contract, 9/16/21

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** 1, twice (MR:10/24/21 GR at MB)

**Assists:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**Points:** 2, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffin...Fifth year pro...Recorded an assist and a goal during his Griffins debut on Oct. 15 against Rockford.

**Career Notes:** Signed a one-year contract, 9/16/21...Totaled career highs in games (53), assists (11) and penalty minutes (46) in 2018-19...In 2017-18, compiled a career-high 23 points (13-10—23), including a pro-best 13 goals during his rookie season...Made pro debut on April 8, 2017 against Albany...Collected first AHL goal during a two-point (2-0—2) night on Oct. 13, 2017 against Belleville...Added inaugural AHL assist on Oct. 27, 2017 against Toronto...Won a bronze medal with Team USA at the Hlinka Gretzky Cup in 2014-15, earning eight points (4-4—8) in five games...Took home the gold at the 2013-14 U17 World Hockey Challenge after recording three points (1-2—3) in six contest.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2014-15	Shawinigan	QMJHL	59	33	31	64	71	7	7	1	8	6
2015-16	Shawinigan	QMJHL	62	32	37	69	86	20	10	5	15	32
2016-17	Shawinigan	QMJHL	64	46	29	75	52	6	3	2	5	8
	Syracuse	AHL	3	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Syracuse	AHL	43	13	10	23	20	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Syracuse	AHL	53	11	11	22	46	3	0	0	0	0
2019-20	Syracuse	AHL	50	10	8	18	31	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Black Wings	ICEHL	13	4	1	5	8	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	2	1	3	2	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			4	2	1	3	2	--	--	--	--	--
AHL TOTALS			153	36	30	66	99	3	0	0	0	0
PRO TOTALS			167	40	31	71	107	3	0	0	0	0





## #22 CHASE PEARSON

**Center**

**Height:** 6'2"

**Weight:** 200

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 8/23/97 in Alpharetta, Ga.

**Drafted:** Detroit's 4th choice, 140th overall, in 2015 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** 2015 NHL Entry Draft

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**Assists:** 1, twice (MR:10/16/21 GR at MIL)

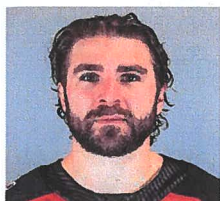
**Points:** 2, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** Fourth season as a Griffin... Third year pro... Assigned by Detroit, 10/8/21... Two-game point streak (1-2--3) to begin the season.

**Career Notes:** Re-signed a one-year contract with Detroit, 8/5/21... Ranked third on the Griffins' roster with 22 points (8-14--22) in 2020-21, which tied a career high set in 2019-20, but with 31 less games played... Skated in 10 games and scored two goals during his professional debut with the Griffins in 2018-19... Named Hockey East's best defensive forward and a Hockey East Second Team All-Star in 2018-19... Finished second on Maine in scoring in 2017-18 with 27 points and was named to the Hockey East All-Star Honorable Mention team and All-Academic Team.

**Other:** Father, Scott Pearson, played 292 NHL games with the Toronto Maple Leafs, Quebec Nordiques, Edmonton Oilers, Buffalo Sabres and New York Islanders during a North American pro career that spanned from 1988-00.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2013-14	Cornwall	CCHL	39	8	15	23	18	5	0	1	1	2
	Youngstown	USHL	2	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Youngstown	USHL	57	12	14	26	96	4	0	2	2	0
2015-16	Youngstown	USHL	55	12	38	50	61	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Maine	Hockey East	36	14	8	22	56	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Maine	Hockey East	37	7	20	27	42	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Maine	Hockey East	34	16	13	29	34	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	10	2	0	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Grand Rapids	AHL	59	8	14	22	17	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Grand Rapids	AHL	28	8	14	22	4	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	1	2	3	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL/PRO TOTALS			101	19	30	49	23	--	--	--	--	--



## #28 LUKE WITKOWSKI

Alternate Captain | Defenseman/Right Wing

Height: 6'2"

Weight: 217

Shoots: Right

Born: 4/14/90 in Holland, Mich.

Drafted: Tampa Bay's 6th choice, 160th overall, in 2008 NHL Entry Draft

Originally Acquired: Assigned by Detroit, 10/9/21

### SEASON HIGHS

Goals: N/A

Assists: N/A

Points: N/A

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffin...Ninth year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/9/21...Made his Griffins debut on Oct. 15 against Rockford, becoming the fourth West Michigander to play with the Griffins.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a two-year contract by Detroit, 7/29/21...Logged career highs in points (14), goals (3) and assists (11) in 2015-16 with Syracuse...Made NHL debut with Tampa Bay on Jan. 20, 2015 against Vancouver...Notched first NHL point on an assist against Vancouver on Dec. 8, 2016...Netted inaugural NHL goal with Detroit on Feb. 17, 2018 in Nashville...Skated in first AHL game on April 6, 2013 at Hershey...Pocketed first AHL assist on Oct. 26, 2013 and grabbed first pro goal on Feb. 22, 2014...Amassed 38 points (7-31—38) in 152 collegiate games with Western Michigan University from 2009-13...CCHA champion with WMU in 2012...Named to the USHL All-Star Game in 2008-09 with Fargo after totaling 22 points (6-16—22) in 55 outings.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2007-08	Ohio	USHL	58	3	10	13	139	--	--	--	--	--
2008-09	Fargo	USHL	55	6	16	22	118	10	2	1	3	29
2009-10	Western Michigan	CCHA	32	2	4	6	67	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Western Michigan	CCHA	42	1	8	9	56	--	--	--	--	--
2011-12	Western Michigan	CCHA	40	2	11	13	66	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Western Michigan	CCHA	38	2	8	10	46	--	--	--	--	--
	Syracuse	AHL	3	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Syracuse	AHL	76	2	10	12	204	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Tampa Bay	NHL	16	0	0	0	15	--	--	--	--	--
	Syracuse	AHL	50	2	6	8	91	3	0	1	1	4
2015-16	Tampa Bay	NHL	4	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	0
	Syracuse	AHL	70	3	11	14	166	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Tampa Bay	NHL	34	0	4	4	39	--	--	--	--	--
	Syracuse	AHL	19	0	5	5	59	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Detroit	NHL	31	1	3	4	68	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Detroit	NHL	34	0	2	2	23	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Tampa Bay	NHL	12	1	2	3	13	--	--	--	--	--
	Syracuse	AHL	29	2	4	6	63	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Syracuse	AHL	14	0	2	2	32	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	0	0	8	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			4	0	0	0	8	--	--	--	--	--
AHL TOTALS			265	9	38	47	627	3	0	1	1	4
NHL TOTALS			131	2	11	13	162	2	0	0	0	0
PRO TOTALS			396	11	49	60	789	5	0	1	1	4



## #32 TYLER SPEZIA (SPEE-zhuh)

**Center**

**Height:** 5'10"

**Weight:** 175

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 6/7/93 in Clinton Township, Mich.

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a one-year contract, 7/1/19

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**Assists:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**Points:** 2, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** Fourth season as a Griffin...Fourth year pro...Goal and an assist during the season opener on Oct. 15 against Rockford.

**Career Notes:** Re-signed to a one-year contract, 8/4/21...Notched a career-high nine points (6-3—9) and 18 penalty minutes with Grand Rapids in 2019-20...Helped lead the Toledo Walleye to their first trip to the 2019 Kelly Cup Finals after skating in all 24 postseason games and scoring 12 points...Contributed two points and skated in eight games while making his AHL debut with the Griffins in 2018-19...Two-time selection (2017, 2016) to the WCHA All-Academic Team...Scored a collegiate career-high 30 points as a junior at Bowling Green State and tied for second on the team in scoring.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2011-12	Port Huron	NAHL	2	1	0	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2012-13	Port Huron	NAHL	14	9	11	20	12	5	0	0	0	2
	Dubuque	USHL	23	4	2	6	14	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Youngstown	USHL	58	10	12	22	73	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Bowling Green State	WCHA	32	6	2	8	6	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Bowling Green State	WCHA	41	10	8	18	10	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Bowling Green State	WCHA	41	8	22	30	53	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Bowling Green State	WCHA	33	10	6	16	34	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Toledo	ECHL	58	11	28	39	36	24	3	9	12	8
	Grand Rapids	AHL	8	1	1	2	0	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Toledo	ECHL	21	10	10	20	26	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	22	6	3	9	18	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Grand Rapids	AHL	26	5	3	8	11	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	3	1	0	1	2	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			59	13	7	20	31	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			138	34	45	79	93	24	3	9	12	8



## #37 DONOVAN SEBRANGO *(sah-BRANG-go)*

**Defenseman**

**Height:** 6'1"

**Weight:** 190

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 1/12/02 in Ottawa, Ontario

**Drafted:** Detroit's 5th choice, 63rd overall, in 2020 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to an amateur tryout, 1/20/21

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

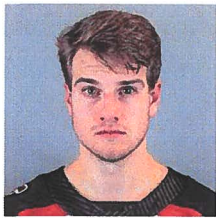
**Assists:** 1, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**Points:** 1, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**2021-22 Notes:** Second season as a Griffin...Second year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/7/21.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a three-year entry-level contract by Detroit, 3/14/21...Appeared in 118 career OHL games from 2018-20, recording 56 points (13-43—56) and 87 penalty minutes...Made his North American pro debut with Grand Rapids on Feb. 11, 2021 in Chicago...Registered first AHL point on an assist at Rockford on March 3, 2021.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2017-18	Ottawa	CCHL	4	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Kitchener	OHL	62	7	19	26	54	4	0	0	0	2
2019-20	Kitchener	OHL	56	6	24	30	33	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	HK Levice	Slovakia2	5	1	2	3	50	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	31	0	4	4	18	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			35	0	5	5	18	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			40	1	7	8	68	--	--	--	--	--



## #38 HAYDEN VERBEEK

**Left Wing**

**Height:** 5'10"

**Weight:** 183

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 10/17/97 in Kingston, Ontario

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Assigned by Detroit, 4/11/21

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

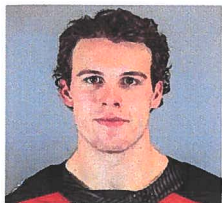
**Assists:** N/A

**Points:** 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** Second season as a Griffin...Fourth year pro...Skated in his 100th pro game on Oct. 16 at Milwaukee.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a one-year contract, 7/29/21...Enters 2021-22 with 12 points (5-7—12) over 69 career AHL games...Made AHL debut on Oct. 19, 2018 with Laval against Springfield...Recorded first pro point (0-1—1) against Belleville on Jan. 2, 2019...Bagged opening AHL goal on Feb. 18, 2019 at Belleville...Spent parts of five seasons with the OHL's Soo Greyhounds from 2013-18, logging 136 points (59-77—136), a plus-50 rating and 114 penalty minutes in 250 games.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2013-14	Chatham	GOJHL	35	8	19	27	45	12	1	1	2	12
	Sault Ste. Marie	OHL	5	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Sault Ste. Marie	OHL	51	4	6	10	12	14	0	5	5	17
2015-16	Sault Ste. Marie	OHL	63	14	20	34	33	9	1	3	4	2
2016-17	Sault Ste. Marie	OHL	64	11	20	31	31	11	2	2	4	8
2017-18	Sault Ste. Marie	OHL	67	30	31	61	38	11	4	3	7	10
2018-19	Laval	AHL	48	4	3	7	17	--	--	--	--	--
	Maine	ECHL	4	0	3	3	2	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Laval	AHL	6	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
	Adirondack	ECHL	21	5	14	19	4	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	HC Banska Bystrica	Slovakia	4	2	0	2	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Laval	AHL	7	1	2	3	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	8	0	2	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	3	1	0	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			11	1	2	3	2	--	--	--	--	--
AHL TOTALS			72	6	7	13	21	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			101	13	24	37	27	--	--	--	--	--



## #40 WYATT NEWPOWER

**Defenseman**

**Height:** 6'3"

**Weight:** 194

**Shoots:** Right

**Born:** 12/9/97 in Hugo, Minn.

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Assigned by Detroit, 10/7/21

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

**Assists:** N/A

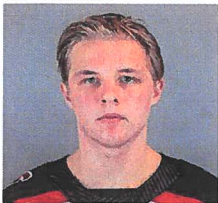
**Points:** N/A

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffin...Second year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/7/21...Appeared in his first game as a Griffin on Oct. 15 against Rockford.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a two-year entry-level contract by Detroit, 5/31/21...Skated in first AHL game on Feb. 12, 2021 against Rochester...Earned first AHL point, assist, and multi-point game on Feb. 22, 2021 at Rockford...Netted inaugural AHL goal on March 20, 2021 against Grand Rapids...Appeared in 114 collegiate games with UCONN and tallied 47 points (11-36—47)...In 2019-20, named the Hockey East Best Defensive Defenseman and earned a spot on the Hockey East Second All-Star Team.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2012-13	White Bear Lake High	MSHSL	25	2	6	8	12	3	0	0	0	0
2013-14	White Bear Lake High	MSHSL	25	2	14	16	12	2	0	1	1	6
2014-15	White Bear Lake High	MSHSL	25	6	22	28	16	2	0	1	1	0
2015-16	White Bear Lake High	MSHSL	25	8	12	20	39	2	0	1	1	0
	Team Northeast	UMHSEHL	19	3	6	9	24	3	2	3	5	2
2016-17	UCONN	Hockey East	31	2	3	5	28	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	UCONN	Hockey East	15	3	3	6	6	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	UCONN	Hockey East	34	3	11	14	14	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	UCONN	Hockey East	34	3	19	22	20	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Cleveland	AHL	24	3	7	10	14	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			4	0	0	0	2	--	--	--	--	--
AHL/PRO TOTALS			28	3	7	10	16	--	--	--	--	--





# #48 JONATAN BERGGREN (YOH-nah-thehn Bair-grehn)

Center

Height: 5'11"

Weight: 183

Shoots: Left

Born: 7/16/00 in Uppsala, Sweden

Drafted: Detroit's 3rd choice, 33rd overall, in 2018 NHL Entry Draft

Originally Acquired: Assigned by Detroit, 10/9/21

## SEASON HIGHS

Goals: N/A

Assists: 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

Points: 1, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffin...Fourth year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/9/21...Earned an assist during his Griffins/AHL debut on Oct. 15 against Rockford.

**Career Notes:** 45 points (12-33—45) in 49 games with Skelleftea AIK in the Swedish Hockey League...33 assists notched a career high...Led Skelleftea in scoring and tied for sixth in the league...Became 13th player in SHL history to compile 40-plus points in a season at age 20 or younger, first since 2017-18...Made first pro playoff appearance and totaled four helpers in 12 outings.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2013-14	Enkopings SK U16	U16 Div.2	16	26	28	54	6	--	--	--	--	--
	Enkopings SK U16	U16 Div.1	7	4	8	12	2	--	--	--	--	--
	Enkopings SK J18	J18 Div.1	33	21	12	33	14	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Enkopings SK U16	U16 Div.1	2	1	0	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Enkopings SK J18	J18 Div.1	26	22	28	50	12	6	4	7	11	6
2015-16	Skelleftea AIK U16	U16 SM	6	6	7	13	6	--	--	--	--	--
	Skelleftea AIK J18	J18 Elit	17	10	11	21	8	--	--	--	--	--
	Skelleftea AIK J18	J18 Allsvenskan	17	6	10	16	2	2	0	0	0	0
2016-17	Skelleftea AIK J18	J18 Elit	8	6	5	11	12	--	--	--	--	--
	Skelleftea AIK J18	J18 Allsvenskan	7	2	6	8	45	6	6	3	9	4
	Skelleftea AIK J20	J20 SuperElit	29	6	6	12	8	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Skelleftea AIK J18	J18 Allsvenskan	1	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
	Skelleftea AIK J20	J20 SuperElit	38	18	39	57	34	3	1	4	5	4
	Skelleftea AIK	SHL	10	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	2
2018-19	Skelleftea AIK	SHL	16	0	3	3	4	--	--	--	--	--
2019-20	Skelleftea AIK	SHL	24	2	10	12	6	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Skelleftea AIK	SHL	49	12	33	45	18	12	0	4	4	2
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			4	0	1	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			103	14	47	61	28	14	0	5	5	4



# #51 KYLE CRISCUOLO *(krihs-KOHL-oh)*

Alternate Captain | Center

Height: 5'9"

Weight: 175

Shoots: Right

Born: 5/5/92 in Southampton, N.J.

Drafted: Undrafted

Originally Acquired: Signed to a one-year contract, 3/29/16

## SEASON HIGHS

Goals: N/A

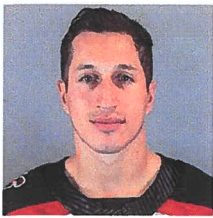
Assists: N/A

Points: N/A

**2021-22 Notes:** Alternate captain...Fourth season as a Griffin...Sixth year pro...Assigned by Detroit, 10/26/21.

**Career Notes:** Enters 2021-22 with 259 career pro hockey games with 138 points (57-81--138) and 96 penalty minutes...Made his NHL debut on Nov. 17, 2017 against Detroit...Made AHL debut on April 2, 2016 in Toronto...2017 Calder Cup champion as a first-year pro with Grand Rapids...Logged first AHL point on an assist against Chicago on Oct. 14, 2016...Registered first AHL goal on Oct. 18, 2016 in Iowa...Amassed 113 points (53-60--113) and 46 penalty minutes in 124 games at Harvard from 2012-16.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2011-12	Sioux City	USHL	59	21	23	44	24	1	0	1	1	0
2012-13	Harvard	ECAC	22	6	7	13	4	--	--	--	--	--
2013-14	Harvard	ECAC	31	11	9	20	22	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Harvard	ECAC	37	17	31	48	12	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Harvard	ECAC	34	19	13	32	8	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Grand Rapids	AHL	76	17	24	41	14	19	5	4	9	14
2017-18	Rochester	AHL	51	15	19	34	34	3	1	0	1	2
	Buffalo	NHL	9	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Rochester	AHL	43	6	14	20	14	3	0	0	0	0
2019-20	Lehigh Valley	AHL	40	8	16	24	14	--	--	--	--	--
	San Diego	AHL	7	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Grand Rapids	AHL	29	11	8	19	16	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
NHL TOTALS			9	0	0	0	4	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			109	28	32	60	30	19	5	4	9	14
AHL TOTALS			250	57	81	138	92	25	6	4	10	16
PRO TOTALS			259	57	81	138	96	25	6	4	10	16



## #65 DOMINIK SHINE

**Right Wing**

**Height:** 5'11"

**Weight:** 180

**Shoots:** Right

**Born:** 4/18/93 in Detroit, Mich.

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a one-year contract, 3/14/17

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

**Assists:** 1, twice (MR:10/24/21 GR at MB)

**Points:** 1, twice (MR:10/24/21 GR at MB)

**2020-21 Notes:** Sixth season as a Griffins... Fifth year pro.

**Career Notes:** Re-signed to a one-year contract with Grand Rapids, 7/15/21... Logged a career-high 10 assists and 57 penalty minutes in 2019-20 with Grand Rapids... Recorded 16 points (8-8—16) in 58 games during his rookie season with Grand Rapids in 2017-18... Made his professional debut with the Griffins on March 19, 2017 at Milwaukee... Led the WCHA in goals with 20 in 2016-17 and was named an All-WCHA Third Team selection... Finished second on Northern Michigan in points in 2015-16 and was named to the All-WCHA Second Team.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2009-10	Lincoln	USHL	54	15	14	29	165	--	--	--	--	--
2010-11	Lincoln	USHL	52	12	16	28	158	2	0	0	0	0
2011-12	Lincoln	USHL	32	11	21	32	60	8	1	1	2	18
2012-13	Lincoln	USHL	50	26	19	45	120	5	1	2	3	4
2013-14	Northern Michigan	WCHA	38	6	11	17	43	--	--	--	--	--
2014-15	Northern Michigan	WCHA	26	7	13	20	24	--	--	--	--	--
2015-16	Northern Michigan	WCHA	34	15	15	30	88	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Northern Michigan	WCHA	33	20	10	30	30	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	8	0	3	3	7	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Grand Rapids	AHL	58	8	8	16	54	5	0	0	0	2
2018-19	Grand Rapids	AHL	72	6	5	11	53	5	1	1	2	2
2019-20	Grand Rapids	AHL	50	4	10	14	57	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Grand Rapids	AHL	29	2	2	4	39	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	2	2	5	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL/PRO TOTALS			221	20	30	50	215	10	1	1	2	4



## #71 JON MARTIN

**Right Wing**

**Height:** 6'2"

**Weight:** 216

**Shoots:** Right

**Born:** 8/23/95 in Winnipeg, Manitoba

**Drafted:** Undrafted

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a one-year contract, 7/29/21

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

**Assists:** N/A

**Points:** N/A

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffin...Sixth year pro...Made his Griffins debut on Oct. 22 in his hometown of Winnipeg, Manitoba against the Moose.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a one-year contract, 7/29/21...Netted a career-best 12 goals for Tucson in 2019-20...Compiled career highs in games (57), points (28) and assists (17) in 2018-19 with San Jose...Made his AHL debut with San Jose on March 26, 2016 against San Diego...Bagged first AHL point on a goal against Bakersfield on Dec. 17, 2016...Recorded opening AHL helper on Dec. 28, 2016 at Bakersfield...Amassed 141 points (73-68-141) in 316 regular season games at the junior level in the WHL with Kootenay and Swift from 2011-16.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2011-12	Kootenay	WHL	59	6	4	10	52	1	0	0	0	2
2012-13	Kootenay	WHL	68	9	7	16	97	5	0	0	0	10
2013-14	Kootenay	WHL	63	10	8	18	105	13	2	1	3	8
2014-15	Kootenay	WHL	56	7	17	24	86	6	0	2	2	2
2015-16	Kootenay	WHL	4	3	1	4	6	--	--	--	--	--
	Swift	WHL	66	38	31	69	74	--	--	--	--	--
	San Jose	AHL	8	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0
2016-17	San Jose	AHL	26	2	3	5	23	--	--	--	--	--
	Allen	ECHL	7	2	2	4	12	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	San Jose	AHL	53	4	7	11	54	1	0	0	0	0
2018-19	San Jose	AHL	57	11	17	28	85	4	3	0	3	12
2019-20	Tucson	AHL	56	12	6	18	36	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Lausitzer	DEL2	37	11	13	24	84	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS TOTALS			1	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
AHL TOTALS			201	29	33	62	200	8	3	0	3	12
PRO TOTALS			245	42	48	90	296	8	3	0	3	12



## #79 KIRILL TYUTYAYEV *(kih-REEL too-TIE-yehv)*

**Left Wing**

**Height:** 5'9"

**Weight:** 146

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 8/8/00 in Yekaterinburg, Russia

**Drafted:** Detroit's 10th choice, 190th overall, in 2019 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** Signed to a one-year contract, 5/1/21

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** N/A

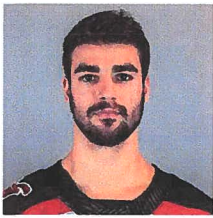
**Assists:** 2, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**Points:** 2, 10/15/21 GR vs. RFD

**2021-22 Notes:** First season as a Griffins... Third year pro... Bagged two points (0-2--2) during his Griffins/AHL debut on Oct. 15 against Rockford.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a one-year contract, 5/1/21... 2021 Belarus Champion with Yunost Minsk after totaling a professional career-high 32 points (11-21--32) in 43 outings... VHL Prospect of the Week on Feb. 10, 2020... 2018 Russia U18 champion with Spartakovets Yekaterinburg... Point-per-game player in his first full MHL season (2018-19) by recording 60 points (14-41--60) in 60 contests... Highest-scoring player in Russia's U18 league after racking up 114 points (47-67--114), a plus-75 rating and 31 penalty minutes in just 31 games in 2017-18.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2015-16	Spartakovets	Russia U16	32	13	19	32	8	--	--	--	--	--
2016-17	Spartakovets	Russia U17	36	17	42	59	10	--	--	--	--	--
2017-18	Spartakovets	Russia U18	31	47	67	114	31	--	--	--	--	--
	Avto Yekaterinburg	MHL	2	1	0	1	0	--	--	--	--	--
2018-19	Avto Yekaterinburg	MHL	60	19	41	60	12	20	5	9	14	8
2019-20	Gornyak Uchaly	VHL	27	3	17	20	2	5	0	2	2	0
	Avto Yekaterinburg	MHL	6	2	6	8	6	5	1	2	3	6
2020-21	Yunost Minsk	Belarus	43	11	21	32	12	13	2	8	10	2
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	0	2	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS			4	0	2	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
PRO TOTALS			74	14	40	54	16	18	2	10	12	2



## #90 JOE VELENO *(veh-LEH-noh)*

**Center**

**Height:** 6'2"

**Weight:** 200

**Shoots:** Left

**Born:** 1/13/00 in Kirkland, Quebec

**Drafted:** Detroit's 2nd choice, 30th overall, in 2018 NHL Entry Draft

**Originally Acquired:** 2018 NHL Entry Draft

### SEASON HIGHS

**Goals:** 2, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**Assists:** N/A

**Points:** 2, 10/16/21 GR at MIL

**2021-22 Notes:** Third season as a Griffin... Third year pro... Assigned by Detroit, 10/11/21... Tallied two goals on Oct. 16 at Milwaukee.

**Career Notes:** Signed to a three-year entry-level contract by Detroit, 5/1/19... Made NHL debut with Detroit on April 27, 2021 in Columbus... Netted first NHL goal on May 7, 2021 at Columbus... Served as an alternate captain and won a gold medal for Team Canada at the U20 World Junior Championship, logging six points (1-5—6) in just as many contests... Made AHL debut on Oct. 5, 2019 in Chicago... Collected inaugural AHL goal and point on Oct. 25, 2019 and earned his first assist on Nov. 8, 2019... Named a 2019 QMJHL First Team All-Star and was a finalist for the league's MVP after finishing fourth in the league with 104 points in 59 games for Drummondville... Helped the Saint John Sea Dogs win the QMJHL President Cup in 2017... Served as captain for Canada at the 2017 Ivan Hlinka Memorial Tournament and helped the team win gold.

Season	Team	League	Regular Season					Playoffs				
			GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
2015-16	Saint John	QMJHL	62	13	30	43	21	17	6	1	7	8
2016-17	Saint John	QMJHL	45	13	27	40	18	18	8	3	11	4
2017-18	Sain John	QMJHL	31	6	25	31	26	--	--	--	--	--
	Drummondville	QMJHL	33	16	32	48	22	10	5	6	11	10
2018-19	Drummondville	QMJHL	59	42	62	104	19	16	8	9	17	12
2019-20	Grand Rapids	AHL	54	11	12	23	18	--	--	--	--	--
2020-21	Malmö	SHL	46	11	9	20	20	--	--	--	--	--
	Detroit	NHL	5	1	0	1	4	--	--	--	--	--
	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	1	2	3	4	--	--	--	--	--
2021-22	Grand Rapids	AHL	4	3	0	3	0	--	--	--	--	--
<b>NHL TOTALS</b>			<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	--	--	--	--	--
<b>GRIFFINS/AHL TOTALS</b>			<b>62</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>22</b>	--	--	--	--	--
<b>PRO TOTALS</b>			<b>113</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>46</b>	--	--	--	--	--