



# NOTRE DAME HOCKEY

#RV/RV NOTRE DAME FIGHTING IRISH (5-8-0, 1-6-0 B1G)

vs. 4/4 MINNESOTA GOLDEN GOPHERS (11-2-0, 5-0-1 B1G)

November 23, 2024 | 6:05 p.m. | Compton Family Ice Arena | Officials: Jake Rekucki, Anthony Vikhter, Pat Richardson, Christopher Williams



## FORWARDS

**13** **BRENNAN ALI**  
So. • 6-0 • 194 lbs. • DET '22  
Glencoe, Ill. • Lincoln (USHL)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 3-2--5  
Career: 49 GP • 6-12--18

**11** **DANNY NELSON**  
So. • 6-2 • 215 lbs. • NYI '23  
Maple Grove, Minn. • USNTDP  
2024-25: 13 GP • 5-3--8  
Career: 43 GP • 14-17--31

**14** **MADDOX FLEMING**  
So. • 5-11 • 193 lbs.  
Rochester, Minn. • Sioux Falls (USHL)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 0-3--3  
Career: 49 GP • 3-12--15

**9** **GRANT SILIANOFF** **A**  
GS • 5-11 • 180 lbs.  
Edina, Minn. • Cedar Rapids (USHL)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 1-1--2  
Career: 134 GP • 17-31--48

**10** **HUNTER STRAND**  
Sr. • 5-11 • 190 lbs.  
Anchorage, Alaska • Tri-City (USHL)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 3-3--6  
Career: 126 GP • 20-35--55

**27** **BLAKE BIONDI**  
GS • 6-1 • 215 lbs. • MTL '20  
Hermantown, Minn. • Minnesota Duluth (NCHC)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 4-5--9  
Career: 132 GP • 34-33--67

**25** **CARTER SLAGGERT**  
So. • 5-9 • 175 lbs.  
South Bend, Ind. • USNTDP  
2024-25: 13 GP • 0-2--2  
Career: 45 GP • 3-6--9

**24** **IAN MURPHY** **A**  
GS • 5-11 • 193 lbs.  
Scituate, Mass. • Princeton (ECAC)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 2-2--4  
Career: 94 GP • 37-38--75

**18** **JACK LARRIGAN**  
Fr. • 5-10 • 195 lbs.  
St. Louis, Mo. • Cedar Rapids (USHL)  
2024-25: 9 GP • 1-1--2  
Career: 9 GP • 1-1--2

**23** **MICHAEL SCHERMERHORN**  
Fr. • 6-0 • 216 lbs.  
Traverse City, Mich. • New Mexico (NAHL)  
2023-24: 0 GP • 0-0--0  
Career: 0 GP • 0-0--0

**15** **JAYDEN DAVIS**  
So. • 5-10 • 190 lbs.  
Calgary, Alta. • Green Bay (USHL)  
2024-25: 5 GP • 0-0--0  
Career: 25 GP • 2-1--3

**28** **TYLER CARPENTER** **A**  
Sr. • 5-11 • 190 lbs.  
Palatine, Ill. • Omaha (USHL)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 0-0--0  
Career: 83 GP • 9-8--17

## DEFENSEMEN

**16** **PAUL FISCHER**  
So. • 6-0 • 203 lbs. • STL '23 (traded to EDM)  
River Forest, Ill. • USNTDP  
2024-25: 13 GP • 0-7--7  
Career: 47 GP • 2-20--22

**4** **MICHAEL MASTRODOMENICO**  
Jr. • 6-0 • 210 lbs.  
Kirkland, Que. • Lincoln (USHL)  
2024-25: 11 GP • 2-6--8  
Career: 66 GP • 3-13--16

**5** **AXEL KUMLIN**  
Jr. • 6-1 • 196 lbs.  
Stockholm, Sweden • Miami (NCHC)  
2024-25: 13 GP • 2-5--7  
Career: 79 GP • 7-22--29

**2** **JIMMY JURCEV**  
Fr. • 6-5 • 200 lbs.  
Palos Heights, Ill. • Lincoln (USHL)  
2024-25: 7 GP • 0-0--0  
Career: 7 GP • 0-0--0

**17** **RYAN HELLIWELL**  
Sr. • 6-0 • 195 lbs.  
Burnaby, B.C. • Trail (BCHL)  
2024-25: 12 GP • 1-4--5  
Career: 88 GP • 2-8--10

**21** **JAEDON KERR**  
Fr. • 6-4 • 218 lbs.  
Elk River, Minn. • Waterloo (USHL)  
2024-25: 11 GP • 0-1--1  
Career: 11 GP • 0-1--1

**3** **HUNTER WEISS**  
Sr. • 6-3 • 215 lbs.  
Lake Forest, Ill. • Minnesota (NAHL)  
2024-25: 1 GP • 0-0--0  
Career: 3 GP • 0-0--0

## GOALTENDERS (LISTED NUMERICALLY)

**29** **JACK WILLIAMS**  
Jr. • 6-3 • 190 lbs.  
St. Louis, Mo. • Waterloo (USHL)  
2024-25: 1 GP • 0-0-0 • .889 SV% • 5.75 GAA  
Career: 4 GP • 0-0-1 • .891 SV% • 3.92 GAA

**30** **OWEN SAY**  
Jr. • 6-2 • 181 lbs.  
London, Ont. • Mercyhurst (AHA)  
2024-25: 9 GP • 4-5-0 • .934 SV% • 2.42 GAA, 0 SO  
Career: 60 GP • 16-27-4 • .914 SV% • 3.12 GAA, 0 SO

**31** **NICHOLAS KEMPF**  
Fr. • 6-2 • 192 lbs. • WSH '24  
Morton Grove, Ill. • USNTDP  
2024-25: 4 GP • 1-3-0 • .913 SV% • 2.82 GAA  
Career: 4 GP • 1-3-0 • .913 SV% • 2.82 GAA

### COACHING STAFF

Catalino Family Head Hockey Coach: Jeff Jackson (20th Season)  
Associate Head Coach: Paul Pooley  
Ralph M. DiVietro Memorial Associate Hockey Coach: Andy Slaggert  
Associate Head Coach: Brock Sheahan  
Director of Hockey Operations: Jessica Thibault  
Video & Recruiting Coordinator: Blake Haller  
Athletic Trainer: Kevin Ricks  
Equipment Manager: Patrick Dooley

### PRONUNCIATIONS

4 Michael Mass-trow-dough-MEH-nee-ko  
5 Axel Koom-lynn  
8 Justin jan-ick-ee  
9 Grant SILL-eh-NOFF  
18 Jack LAIR-eh-ghen  
20 NEE-ko YO-vahn-OH-vich  
21 Jaedon Kur  
22 Cole kuh-NOO-bull  
23 Michael sker-mer-horn  
26 Zach Ploo-sin-ski  
27 Blake bee-on-dee



# GOPHER HOCKEY LINE CHART



No. 4/4 Minnesota Golden Gophers (11-2-0, 5-0-0 B1G, 14 pts.)  
at RV/RV Notre Dame Fighting Irish (5-8-0, 1-6-0 B1G, 3 pts.)


Saturday, November 23, 2024 • 5 p.m. (CT) • Compton Family Ice Arena • South Bend, Ind.

### TONIGHT'S OFFICIALS

Referee..... Jake Rekucki  
Referee..... Anthony Vikhter  
Linesman..... Pat Richardson  
Linesman..... Christopher Williams


### LEFT WING

**74** BRODIE ZIEMER  
(ZEE-murr)  
5-11 • 190 • Fr. • Shoots: R  
Chaska, Minn. | USA Hockey NTDP  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 4-2--6, 1/2**  
Career: 13 GP, 4-2--6, 1/2




### CENTER

**23** JIMMY CLARK  
6-0 • 170 • So. • Shoots: L  
Edina, Minn.  
Green Bay (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 3-9--12, 0/0**  
Career: 52 GP, 8-15--23, 2/4



### RIGHT WING


**81** JIMMY SNUGGERUD  
(SNUG-uh-rude)  
6-2 • 185 • Jr. • Shoots: R  
Chaska, Minn. | USA Hockey NTDP  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 5-12--17, 3/17**  
Career: 92 GP, 47-54--101, 27/101



**10** CONNOR KURTH  
(KER-th)  
6-0 • 215 • Jr. • Shoots: R  
Lindstrom, Minn. | Dubuque (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 8-8--16, 2/4**  
Career: 88 GP, 22-26--48, 21/53




**11** OLIVER MOORE  
6-0 • 185 • So. • Shoots: L  
Mounds View, Minn.  
USA Hockey NTDP  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 3-7--10, 1/2**  
Career: 52 GP, 12-31--43, 5/10



**91** MATTHEW WOOD  
6-4 • 205 • Jr. • Shoots: R  
Nanaimo, B.C.  
UConn (NCAA)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 4-13--17, 3/6**  
NCAA Career: 83 GP, 31-48--79, 17/53



**14** BECKETT HENDRICKSON  
6-2 • 170 • Fr. • Shoots: L  
Minnetonka, Minn.  
Dubuque (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 1-1--2, 2/4**  
Career: 13 GP, 1-1--2, 2/4



**7** A AARON HUGLEN  
(HUE-glin)  
6-0 • 180 • Sr. • Shoots: R  
Roseau, Minn. | Fargo (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 3-4--7, 1/2**  
Career: 125 GP, 30-31--61, 22/55




**9** AUGUST FALLOON  
(fuh-LOON)  
6-2 • 205 • Fr. • Shoots: L  
St. Cloud, Minn. | Tri-City (USHL)  
**2024-25: 5 GP, 1-2--3, 0/0**  
Career: 5 GP, 1-2--3, 0/0




**27** NICK MICHEL  
5-11 • 180 • Gr. • Shoots: L  
Waconia, Minn.  
Saint John's (NCAA)  
**2024-25: 2 GP, 0-1--1, 0/0**  
NCAA Career: 53 GP, 25-21--46, 12/35



**19** JOHN MITTELSTADT  
(MIDDLE-stad)  
5-9 • 180 • Jr. • Shoots: L  
Eden Prairie, Minn. | Green Bay (USHL)  
**2024-25: 9 GP, 1-0--1, 0/0**  
Career: 73 GP, 6-2--8, 7/14



**18** MASON NEVERS  
5-11 • 180 • Gr. • Shoots: R  
Edina, Minn.  
Des Moines (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 1-2--3, 1/2**  
Career: 151 GP, 22-38--60, 10/20



### LEFT DEFENSE

**4** G MIKE KOSTER  
(KEST-er)  
5-10 • 190 • Gr. • Shoots: L  
Chaska, Minn. | Tri-City (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 0-4--4, 0/0**  
Career: 153 GP, 14-59--73, 12/24



### RIGHT DEFENSE

**2** SAM RINZEL  
(rin-ZELL)  
6-5 • 190 • So. • Shoots: R  
Chanhassen, Minn. | Waterloo (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 6-6--12, 2/4**  
Career: 52 GP, 8-32--40, 12/24



### GOALTENDERS


**29** NATHAN AIREY  
(AIR-e)  
6-3 • 185 • So. • Catches: L  
Cochrane, Alta. | Cranbrook (BCHL)  
**2024-25: 7-0-0, 16 GA, 2.29 GAA, 154 SV/906**  
Career: 8-1-0, 23 GA, 2.51 GAA, 199 SV/896




**20** LUKE MITTELSTADT  
(MIDDLE-stad)  
5-11 • 180 • Jr. • Shoots: L  
Eden Prairie, Minn. | Madison (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 0-4--4, 1/2**  
Career: 89 GP, 7-38--45, 11/22




**55** LEO GRUBA  
(GREW-buh)  
6-2 • 210 • Fr. • Shoots: R  
Lake Elmo, Minn. | Fargo (USHL)  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 0-1--1, 3/6**  
Career: 13 GP, 0-1--1, 3/6



**31** LIAM SOULIERE  
(SUE-lee-air)  
5-11 • 180 • Gr. • Catches: L  
Montreal, Que. | Penn State (NCAA)  
**2024-25: 4-2-0, 9 GA, 1.4 GAA, 140 SV/940**  
Career: 43-41-3, 246 GA, 2.85 GAA, 2207 SV/900



**3** JOHN WHIPPLE  
6-2 • 195 • Fr. • Shoots: L  
Minnetonka, Minn.  
USA Hockey NTDP  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 0-1--1, 2/4**  
Career: 13 GP, 0-1--1, 2/4



**71** G RYAN CHESLEY  
(CHEZ-lee)  
6-1 • 205 • Jr. • Shoots: R  
Mahtomedi, Minn. | USA Hockey NTDP  
**2024-25: 13 GP, 5-5--10, 4/8**  
Career: 88 GP, 9-19--28, 17/40



**30** ZACH WIESE  
(WEE-ss)  
5-10 • 210 • Jr. • Catches: L  
Owatonna, Minn. | Rochester (NA3HL)  
**2024-25: 0-0-0, 0 GA, 0.0 GAA, 0 SV/000**  
Career: 0-0-0, 0 GA, 0.00 GAA, 0 SV/-



### TEAM IMPACT



**BRENEK SELL**  
Cannon Falls, Minn.

### MINNESOTA COACHING STAFF

Head Coach..... Bob Motzko (7th Season)  
Associate Head Coach..... Steve Miller  
Assistant Coach..... Ben Gordon  
Assistant Coach (Goalies)..... Brennan Poderzay

### SPECIAL TEAMS NUMBERS

PPG-Opportunities..... 13-46  
Power Play %..... 28.3%  
PK-Opportunities..... 24-29  
Penalty Kill %..... 82.8%  
Shorthanded Goals For-Allowed..... 1-2  
Penalties-Minutes..... 33-77