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# GAMEDAY

UMASS LOWELL  VERMONT

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2025-26 MEN'S HOCKEY SCHEDULE

|             |         |
|-------------|---------|
| OVERALL     | 2025-26 |
| HOCKEY EAST | 7-11-0  |
| HOME        | 6-8-0   |
| ROAD        | 6-8-0   |
| NEUTRAL     | 0-0-0   |

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|---------|--------------------|-----------|
| OCTOBER |                    |           |
| 10      | ST. LAWRENCE       | W, 2-1    |
| 12      | at St. Lawrence    | L, 5-2    |
| 17      | at St. Cloud St.   | W, 2-1 OT |
| 18      | at St. Cloud St.   | L, 4-0    |
| 31      | at New Hampshire * | L, 4-2    |

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| NOVEMBER |                     |        |
| 1        | at New Hampshire *  | W, 2-1 |
| 7        | BOSTON COLLEGE *    | L, 2-1 |
| 8        | BOSTON COLLEGE *    | L, 5-0 |
| 14       | at Maine *          | L, 7-0 |
| 15       | at Maine *          | W, 2-1 |
| 22       | HARVARD             | L, 5-1 |
| 28       | at Dartmouth (NESN) | L, 7-2 |

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| DECEMBER |                        |        |
| 5        | at Boston University * | L, 2-1 |
| 6        | at Boston University * | W, 3-2 |
| 13       | ARMY                   | L, 3-0 |
| 29       | MERRIMACK *            | L, 5-4 |

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| JANUARY |                |           |
| 3       | RPI            | W, 3-0    |
| 9       | NORTHEASTERN * | W, 3-2    |
| 10      | NORTHEASTERN * | W, 5-3    |
| 16      | at UConn *     | L, 4-1    |
| 17      | at UConn *     | W, 4-2    |
| 23      | UMASS *        | L, 4-0    |
| 24      | UMASS *        | L, 1-0    |
| 30      | STONEHILL      | W, 3-2 OT |
| 31      | STONEHILL      | W, 2-0    |

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| FEBRUARY |                     |           |
| 6        | at Boston College * | W, 6-1    |
| 7        | at Providence *     | L, 6-1    |
| 13       | UMASS LOWELL *      | L, 4-2    |
| 14       | UMASS LOWELL *      | 6 P.M.    |
| 20       | PROVIDENCE *        | 7 P.M.    |
| 21       | PROVIDENCE *        | 7:30 P.M. |
| 27       | at Merrimack *      | 7 P.M.    |
| 28       | at Merrimack *      | 7 P.M.    |

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| MARCH |         |        |
| 7     | MAINE * | 7 P.M. |

Home game in **BOLDFACE**  
\*Hockey East Conference Game  
^ Exhibition Game

VERMONT (12-16-0, 7-11-0 HEA) vs. UMASS LOWELL (11-18-0, 7-12-0 HEA) | FEB. 14, 2026 | GUTTERSON FIELDHOUSE

VERMONT vs. UMASS LOWELL



STEVE WIEDLER

3rd Season at Vermont

GAME  
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NORM BAZIN

15th Season at UMass Lowell

2025-26 HOCKEY EAST STANDINGS

|    |                   | Conference |     |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|-------------------|------------|-----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|
|    |                   | GP         | PTS | W  | L  | T | OW | OL | SW | GF | GA |
| 1  | Providence        | 18         | 39  | 13 | 4  | 1 | 2  | 1  | 0  | 66 | 36 |
| 2  | UConn             | 17         | 34  | 11 | 5  | 1 | 1  | 0  | 1  | 58 | 37 |
| 3  | Boston College    | 17         | 31  | 10 | 7  | 0 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 53 | 40 |
| 4  | Massachusetts     | 18         | 29  | 10 | 8  | 0 | 2  | 1  | 0  | 45 | 45 |
| 5  | Boston University | 20         | 26  | 9  | 11 | 0 | 3  | 2  | 0  | 53 | 65 |
|    | Merrimack         | 18         | 26  | 8  | 9  | 1 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 47 | 52 |
|    | Northeastern      | 18         | 26  | 8  | 10 | 0 | 1  | 3  | 0  | 50 | 47 |
| 8  | Maine             | 18         | 23  | 8  | 10 | 0 | 3  | 2  | 0  | 53 | 54 |
| 9  | UMass Lowell      | 19         | 22  | 7  | 12 | 0 | 1  | 2  | 0  | 52 | 60 |
| 10 | Vermont           | 18         | 21  | 7  | 11 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 37 | 56 |
| 11 | New Hampshire     | 17         | 20  | 6  | 10 | 1 | 0  | 0  | 1  | 31 | 53 |



#34 Aiden Wright  
Posted seven wins in his last 11 starts



#22 Ethan Burroughs  
Scored 3 goals in last 3 games



#17 Colin Kessler  
Leads the team in scoring with 19 Pts, 14 assists - 5 goals



# 2025-26 VERMONT CATAMOUNTS



## V 2025-26 NUMERICAL ROSTER

| #  | Player               | Pos | Ht   | Wt  | Cl  | Hometown/Previous Team                      |
|----|----------------------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------------------------------------------|
| 2  | Gaeden Herrington    | D   | 6-2  | 205 | Fr. | Manchester Center, Vt./Lincoln (USHL)       |
| 4  | Philip Törnqvist (C) | D   | 6-0  | 194 | Sr. | Gothenburg, Sweden/ Wichita Falls (NAHL)    |
| 5  | PJ Forgione          | D   | 6-2  | 215 | Fr. | South Burlington, Vt./Saginaw (OHL)         |
| 6  | Charlie Kinsman      | D   | 5-11 | 196 | So. | Orchard Park, NY/Tri-City (USHL)            |
| 7  | Jax Wismer           | D   | 5-11 | 179 | So. | Newmarket, Ontario/Albion Valley (BCHL)     |
| 9  | Michael La Starza    | F   | 5-11 | 188 | So. | Montreal, Quebec/Fargo (USHL)               |
| 10 | Max Strand           | F   | 5-10 | 175 | So. | Roseau, Minn./Sioux City (USHL)             |
| 11 | Zach Filak           | F   | 6-1  | 185 | Fr. | Northville, Mich./Sarnia (OHL)              |
| 12 | Jonah Aegerter       | F   | 5-9  | 180 | Fr. | Janesville, Wisc./Fargo (USHL)              |
| 13 | Blake Steenerson     | F   | 6-4  | 210 | So. | Maple Grove, Minn./Tri-City (USHL)          |
| 14 | Dawson Good          | F   | 6-1  | 213 | Sr. | Hawkesville, Ont./Chilliwack (BCHL)         |
| 16 | Tyler Dysart         | F   | 5-10 | 170 | Fr. | Caldwell, Idaho/Sioux City (USHL)           |
| 17 | Colin Kessler        | F   | 5-11 | 175 | So. | Anchorage, Alaska/Sioux City (USHL)         |
| 18 | Massimo Lombardi     | F   | 5-10 | 195 | Sr. | Beaconsfield, Quebec/Cowichan Valley (BCHL) |
| 19 | Cédrick Guindon      | F   | 5-11 | 185 | Fr. | Rockland, Ont./Kingston (OHL)               |
| 20 | Xavier Henry         | D   | 6-5  | 216 | Sr. | Scarborough, Ont./Chilliwack (BCHL)         |
| 21 | Daniel Sambuco       | F   | 6-0  | 208 | Jr. | Springfield, Pa./Lincoln (USHL)             |
| 22 | Ethan Burroughs      | F   | 5-10 | 190 | So. | Georgetown, Ont./St. Francis Xavier (AUS)   |
| 23 | Dylan Gratton        | D   | 6-0  | 186 | Sr. | Pottstown, Pa./Omaha (NCHC)                 |
| 25 | Jack Malinski        | D   | 5-10 | 170 | Jr. | Lakeville, Minn./Austin (NAHL)              |
| 26 | Thomas Sinclair      | F   | 6-3  | 215 | Sr. | Etobicoke, Ont./Fargo (USHL)                |
| 27 | Duncan Ramsay        | D   | 6-5  | 212 | Jr. | Belnan, Nova Scotia/Chilliwack (BCHL)       |
| 28 | Matteo Michels       | F   | 5-11 | 170 | Fr. | Colleyville, Texas/Brandon (WHL)            |
| 29 | Jens Richards (C)    | F   | 6-2  | 192 | Sr. | Callaway, Minn./Austin (NAHL)               |
| 34 | Aiden Wright         | G   | 6-1  | 180 | Fr. | Wake Forest, N.C./Sioux Falls (USHL)        |
| 35 | Cullen DeYoung       | G   | 5-10 | 165 | Jr. | Canton, Mich./Sacred Heart (AHA)            |
| 37 | David Sacco          | F   | 6-1  | 194 | Jr. | Middleton, Mass./Merrimack (HEA)            |
| 38 | Sebastian Törnqvist  | D   | 5-11 | 190 | Jr. | Gothenburg, Sweden/UMass (HEA)              |
| 39 | Jacob Oster          | G   | 6-3  | 196 | Fr. | Ottawa, Ont./ Oshawa (OHL)                  |
| 50 | Axel Mangbo          | G   | 6-3  | 189 | Jr. | Mölle, Sweden/Sioux City (USHL)             |

## V 2025-26 STAFF

Head Coach: Steve Wiedler (S. Maine '11)

Associate Head Coach: Scott Moser (Canisius '12)

Assistant Coach: Nate Skidmore (SUNY Potsdam '19)

Advisor to the Coaching Staff: Éric Perrin (Vermont '97)

Director of Hockey Operations: Will Von Brauchitsch (Southern Connecticut State '23)

Athletic Trainer: Matt Bain (Boston University '07)

Director of Hockey Performance: Michael Ederer (St. Lawrence '19)

Equipment Manager: Trent Huggill



## 2025-26 UMass Lowell Hockey Roster

| #  | NAME (SHOOTS)         | CL. | POS. | HT.  | WT. | HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS TEAM / NHL DRAFT RIGHTS                |
|----|-----------------------|-----|------|------|-----|------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2  | Daniel Buchbinder (L) | So. | D    | 6-3  | 194 | Clarence Center, N.Y. / Penticton (BCHL)                   |
| 3  | Dominick Rivelli (R)  | So. | F    | 5-10 | 185 | Highland Park, Ill. / New Jersey (NAHL)                    |
| 4  | TJ Schweighardt (R)   | Sr. | D    | 5-10 | 182 | Manahawkin, N.J. / Youngstown (USHL)                       |
| 5  | Jay Ahearn (L)        | Gr. | F    | 5-10 | 180 | Staten Island, N.Y. / Johnstown (NAHL)                     |
| 6  | James Johnson (R)     | Fr. | D    | 6-6  | 210 | Ajax, Ontario / Nanaimo (BCHL)                             |
| 7  | Cole Lonsdale (L)     | Fr. | F    | 5-11 | 170 | Mississauga, Ontario / Nanaimo (BCHL)                      |
| 8  | Jaiden Moriello (R)   | Jr. | F    | 6-2  | 190 | Saugus, Mass. / West Kelowna (BCHL)                        |
| 9  | Jack Collins (L)      | Sr. | F    | 6-4  | 221 | Canton, N.Y. / Lone Star (NAHL)                            |
| 10 | Chris Delaney (L)     | So. | F    | 5-7  | 155 | Hopkinton, Mass. / Madison (USHL)                          |
| 11 | Tnias Mathurin (L)    | Fr. | F    | 6-3  | 200 | Ajax, Ontario / Windsor (OHL)                              |
| 12 | Luke Shipley (R)      | Fr. | D    | 6-0  | 189 | Powell River, B.C. / Brandon (WHL)                         |
| 13 | Nate Misskey (R)      | Fr. | D    | 6-3  | 210 | Melfort, SK / Victoria (WHL) / San Jose Sharks (2024)      |
| 14 | Dalyn Wakely (R)      | Fr. | F    | 6-0  | 202 | Port Hope, Ontario / Barrie (OHL) / Edmonton Oilers (2024) |
| 15 | David Adaszynski (L)  | Fr. | F    | 5-11 | 196 | Burnaby, B.C. / Calgary Hitmen (WHL)                       |
| 17 | Mirko Buttazzoni (L)  | So. | F    | 5-11 | 190 | Langley, BC / Brooks (BCHL)                                |
| 18 | Sean Kilcullen (L)    | Jr. | D    | 6-0  | 190 | Kensington, Md. / Maryland Black Bears (NAHL)              |
| 19 | Dillan Bentley (R)    | Sr. | F    | 6-4  | 192 | Peoria, Ill. / New Mexico (NAHL)                           |
| 20 | Libor Nemec (L)       | So. | F    | 6-3  | 187 | Bratislava, Slovakia / Green Bay (USHL)                    |
| 21 | Connor Eddy (L)       | Sr. | F    | 6-0  | 217 | Victoria, B.C. / Northern Michigan (NCAA)                  |
| 22 | Josh Mori (L)         | Fr. | D    | 5-11 | 173 | Richmond, B.C. / Edmonton (WHL)                            |
| 23 | Lee Parks (R)         | So. | F    | 6-2  | 210 | Ottawa, Ontario / Fargo (USHL)                             |
| 24 | Ryan Kroll (L)        | Fr. | D    | 6-1  | 194 | Plainfield, Ill. / Des Moines (USHL)                       |
| 26 | Jacob MacDonald (L)   | So. | F    | 6-1  | 192 | Fort Worth, Texas / Lone Star (NAHL)                       |
| 27 | Dominic Payne (R)     | So. | D    | 6-2  | 205 | North Vancouver, B.C. / Canisius (NCAA)                    |
| 29 | Jak Vaarwerk (L)      | Jr. | F    | 6-0  | 180 | Clarence, N.Y. / Des Moines Buccaneers (USHL)              |
| 30 | Niko Goich            | Fr. | G    | 6-4  | 174 | Homer Glen, Ill. / Shreveport (NAHL)                       |
| 31 | Austin Elliott        | Fr. | G    | 6-1  | 185 | Strathmore, Alberta / London (OHL)                         |
| 33 | Samuel Richard        | Sr. | G    | 6-0  | 174 | Ste-Catherine, Quebec / Univ. of New Brunswick (USports)   |
| 53 | August Classon (L)    | Fr. | D    | 6-0  | 185 | Stockholm, Sweden / Lone Star (NAHL)                       |
| 90 | Diego Buttazzoni (L)  | Fr. | F    | 5-9  | 183 | Langley, B.C. / Portland (WHL)                             |

**Head Coach:** Norm Bazin (UMass Lowell '94), 15th season

**Associate Head Coach:** Andy Boschetto (Suffolk, '05)

**Assistant Coaches:** Eric Sorenson (Western New England '14) & Dan Darrow (Michigan State '11)

**Director of Hockey Operations:** Josh Holmstrom (UMass Lowell '14)

**Athletic Trainer:** Mark MacDonald (Sacred Heart '15)

**Equipment Manager:** Brian Mundy (Penn State '15)

**Video Analytics Coordinator:** Kolby Green (UMass Lowell '22)

**Athletic Communications:** Tim O'Brien (UMass Lowell '19)

