



TEAM SJHL
MEDIA GUIDE



DEC. 28, 2025-JAN. 3, 2026
CAMROSE ALBERTA

2026 VIKING CUP

TEAM SJHL



#	Name	P	S/C	Ht.	Wt.	Born	Hometown	Club Team
1	Charlie Tritt	G	L	6'0"	170	03/02/05	Vancouver, BC.	Humboldt Broncos
30	Graham Brown	G	L	5'10"	165	01/28/05	Victoria, BC.	La Ronge Ice Wolves
2	Russ Demo	D	L	6'2"	195	05/07/05	Calgary, AB.	Kindersley Klippers
3	Ethan Andrews	D	L	5'10"	177	03/13/05	Kimberley, BC.	Estevan Bruins
4	Boston Harkness	D	R	6'3"	209	04/24/05	White City, SK.	Melville Millionaires
5	Sam Ward	D	L	5'9"	174	08/03/05	Kamloops, BC.	Flin Flon Bombers
6	Bo Eisner	D	R	6'2"	193	04/04/05	Swan River, MB.	Melfort Mustangs
7	Gavin Granger	D	R	6'0"	172	11/23/05	Saskatoon, SK	Battlefords North Stars
8	Reid Arberry	F	R	5'11"	171	10/14/05	Fort St. John, BC	Flin Flon Bombers
9	Josh Sale	F	L	6'2"	190	08/19/05	Prince George, BC.	Weyburn Red Wings
10	Lucas Schmid	F	R	5'11"	185	10/06/05	Merritt, BC.	Weyburn Red Wings
11	Joey Lies	F	R	6'0"	205	11/11/05	Flin Flon, MB.	Flin Flon Bombers
12	Brendan Olson	F	L	6'1"	190	03/15/05	Sturgeon County, AB.	Nipawin Hawks
13	Jye Zawatsky	F	L	5'7"	155	08/04/05	Yorkton, SK.	Yorkton Terriers
14	Zayden Sadlemyer	F	R	5'11"	160	04/18/05	Buena Vista, SK.	Melfort Mustangs
15	Tylan Henrikson	F	L	6'2"	200	12/23/05	Foam Lake, SK.	Yorkton Terriers
16	Drew Molde	F	R	6'0"	175	05/27/05	Moose Jaw, SK.	Weyburn Red Wings
17	Rylan Williams	F	R	6'1"	185	02/08/05	Kyle, SK.	Estevan Bruins
18	Van Eger	F	R	6'1"	180	03/18/05	Willow Bunch, SK.	Kindersley Klippers
19	Anthony Campbell	F	R	5'11"	170	12/27/05	Phillipsburg, QC.	Battlefords North Stars

Head Coach
Assistant Coach
General Manager
Athletic Therapist
Communications/Media

Drew Kocur
Turner Ripplinger
Rick Oakes
Jayden Villafane
Jamie Neugebauer

Regina, SK
Regina, SK
Moose Jaw, SK
Port Alberni, BC
Thornhill, ON

Estevan Bruins
SJHL
Melfort Mustangs
Kindersley Klippers
SJHL

** Selected but unavailable due to injury:
Ewan Rennie, F, Estevan Bruins
Vincent Palmarin, D, Warman Wolverines
Jacob Strizzi, F, Humboldt Broncos*

VIKING CUP TEAMS

CZECH UNIVERSITY SELECTS

(CZECH COLLEGE LEAGUE UCLH)

MIDLAND WARRIORS

(MIDLAND UNIVERSITY, NEBRASKA, USA)

SAIT TROJANS - CALGARY

(ALBERTA ACAC)

SJHL - SASKATCHEWAN

(SASK JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE ; ALL STARS)

UAA VIKINGS

(UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA, AUGUSTANA)

SCHEDULE

SUN DEC. 28

1. MIDLAND VS SJHL 12:00PM
2. CZECH VS UAA 6:00PM (HOME OPENER)

MON DEC. 29

3. MIDLAND VS SAIT 12:00PM
4. SJHL VS CZECH 6:00PM

TUE DEC.30

5. CZECH VS MIDLAND 12:00PM
6. UAA VS SAIT 6:00PM

WED DEC.31

7. SJHL VS UAA 2:00PM
- VIKING CUP NEW YEAR'S EVE BANQUET/CELEBRATION

THURS JAN.1

8. SAIT VS CZECH 12:00PM
9. UAA VS MIDLAND 6:00PM

FRI JAN.2.

10. SAIT VS SJHL 12:00PM

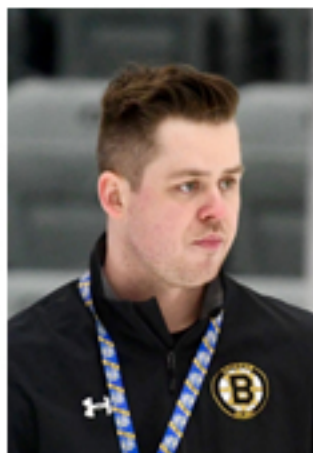
SAT JAN.3

11. BRONZE MEDAL GAME 12:00PM
12. GOLD MEDAL GAME 6:00PM (PRESENTATIONS).





TEAM SJHL COACHING STAFF



HEAD COACH *DREW KOCUR*

KOCUR, 30, HAILS FROM REGINA, SK, AND IS IN HIS FIRST FULL YEAR AS THE HEAD COACH IN ESTEVAN, AFTER HE WAS NAMED THE BRUINS' INTERIM BOSS DURING LAST SEASON ON JAN. 21, 2025.

HE WAS HIRED AS THE TEAM'S ASSISTANT COACH IN THE OFF-SEASON OF 2023 AFTER HE LED THE PILOT BUTTE STORM TO THE PRAIRIE JUNIOR 'B' HOCKEY LEAGUE TITLE THAT YEAR.



ASSISTANT COACH *TURNER RIPPLINGER*

RIPPLINGER, 27, ASSISTED KOCUR WITH THE BRUINS IN THE SECOND HALF OF THE 2024-25 CAMPAIGN, AND PLAYED FOR THE BRUINS IN THE 2018-19 SJHL SEASON.

AFTER A THREE-YEAR CAREER AS A PLAYER IN USPORTS WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF REGINA, HE SPENT THREE SEASONS IN THE ENGLISH ICE HOCKEY LEAGUE WITH THE GUILDFORD FLAMES. HE SPLIT LAST SEASON BETWEEN THE BOSTON BRUINS' ECHL AFFILIATE IN MAINE AND IN SENIOR HOCKEY IN SASKATCHEWAN WITH THE SOUTHEY MARINERS.

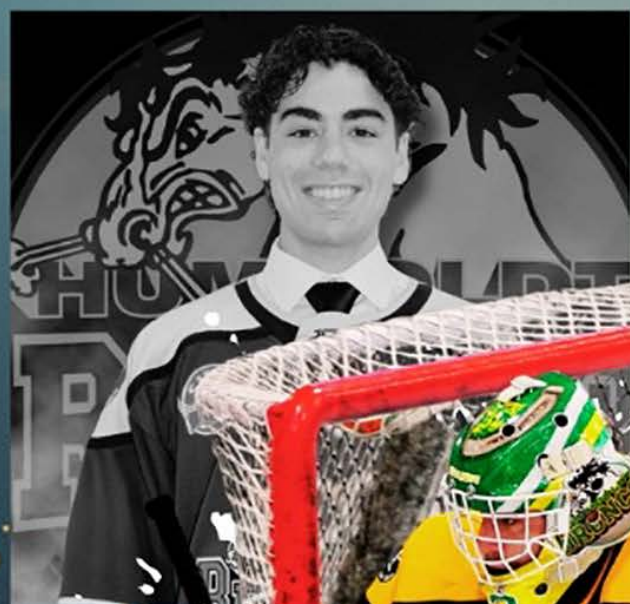


GENERAL MANAGER *RICK OAKES*

OAKES HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE MELFORT MUSTANGS ORGANIZATION SINCE 2015. BEFORE JOINING THE MUSTANGS, HE SERVED TWELVE YEARS AS HEAD SCOUT FOR THE ESTEVAN BRUINS AND AN ADDITIONAL TWO YEARS IN THE SAME CAPACITY WITH THE KINDERSLEY KLIPPERS. OAKES ALSO BRINGS EXPERIENCE FROM THE WESTERN HOCKEY LEAGUE, HAVING SCOUTED REGIONALLY FOR BOTH THE LETHBRIDGE HURRICANES AND THE RED DEER REBELS.

IN HIS ROLE AS DIRECTOR OF PLAYER PERSONNEL, OAKES WORKS CLOSELY WITH THE COACHING STAFF AND MANAGEMENT TEAM TO IDENTIFY, EVALUATE, AND RECRUIT TALENT TO THE MUSTANGS ORGANIZATION.





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**CHARLIE
TRITT**

GOAL ● 6'0" - 170 LBS ● VANCOUVER, BC ● HUMBOLDT
BRONCOS



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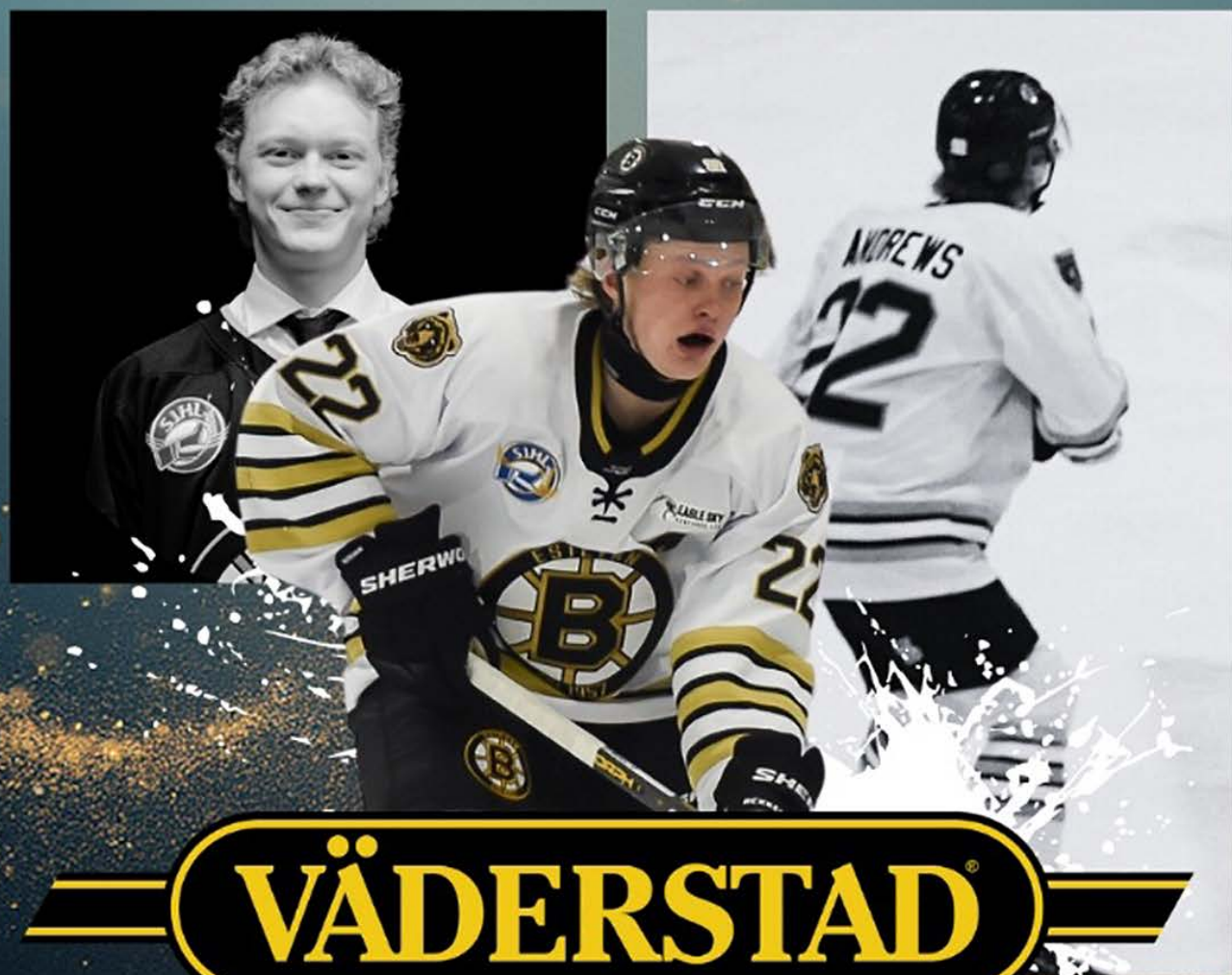
**GRAHAM
BROWN**

GOAL ● 5'10 – 165 LBS ● VICTORIA, BC ● LA RONGE
ICE WOLVES



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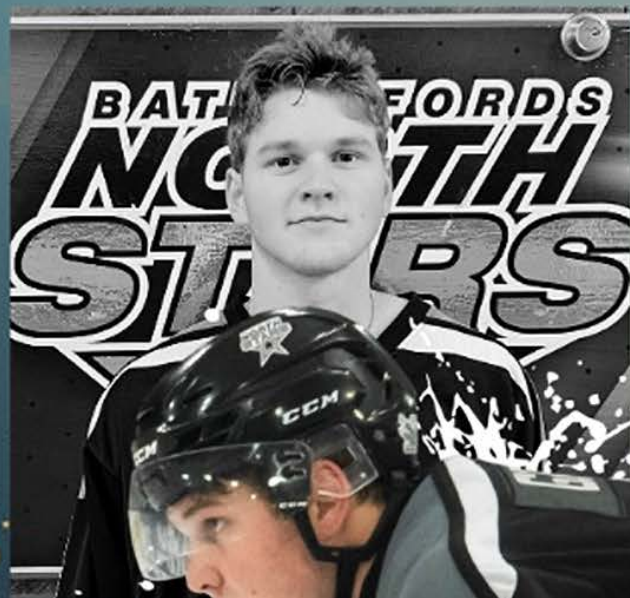
**ETHAN
ANDREWS**

DEF • 5'10 – 177 LBS • KIMBERLEY, BC • ESTEVAN
BRUINS



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**GAVIN
GRANGER**

DEF • 6'0" – 172 LBS • SASKATOON, SK • BATTLEFORDS
NORTH STARS



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**BO
EISNER**

DEF ● 6'2 – 190 LBS ● SWAN RIVER, MB ● MELFORT
MUSTANGS



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**BOSTON
HARKNESS**

DEF ● 6'3" – 209 LBS ● WHITE CITY, SK ● MELVILLE
MILLIONAIRES



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**RUSS
DEMO**

DEF ● 6'2" – 195 LBS ● CALGARY, AB ● KINDERSLEY
KLIPPERS



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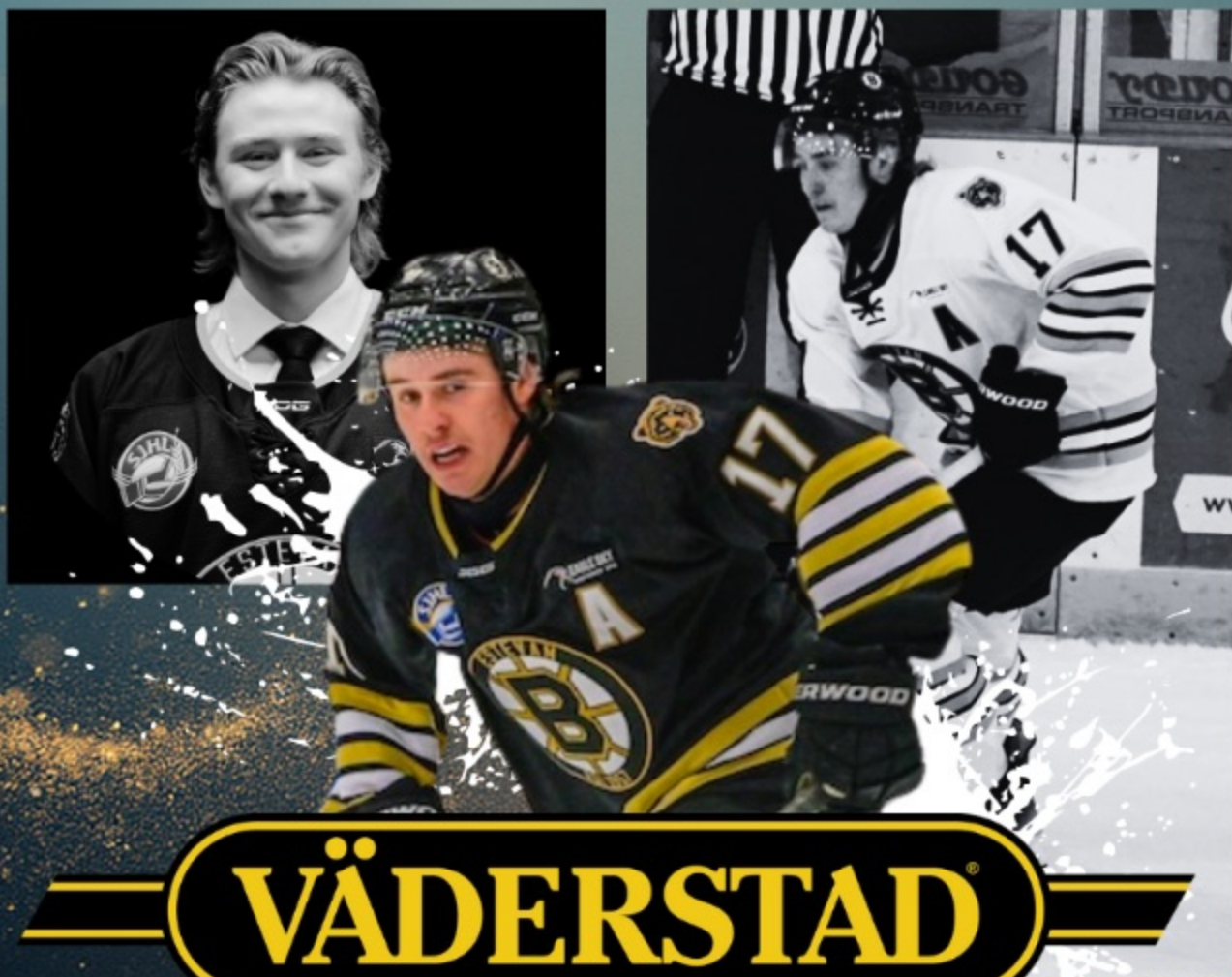
**SAM
WARD**

DEF ● 5'9 – 174 LBS ● KAMLOOPS, BC ● FLIN FLON BOMBERS



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**RYLAN
WILLIAMS**

FWD ● 6'1" – 185 LBS ● KYLE, SK ● ESTEVAN
BRUINS



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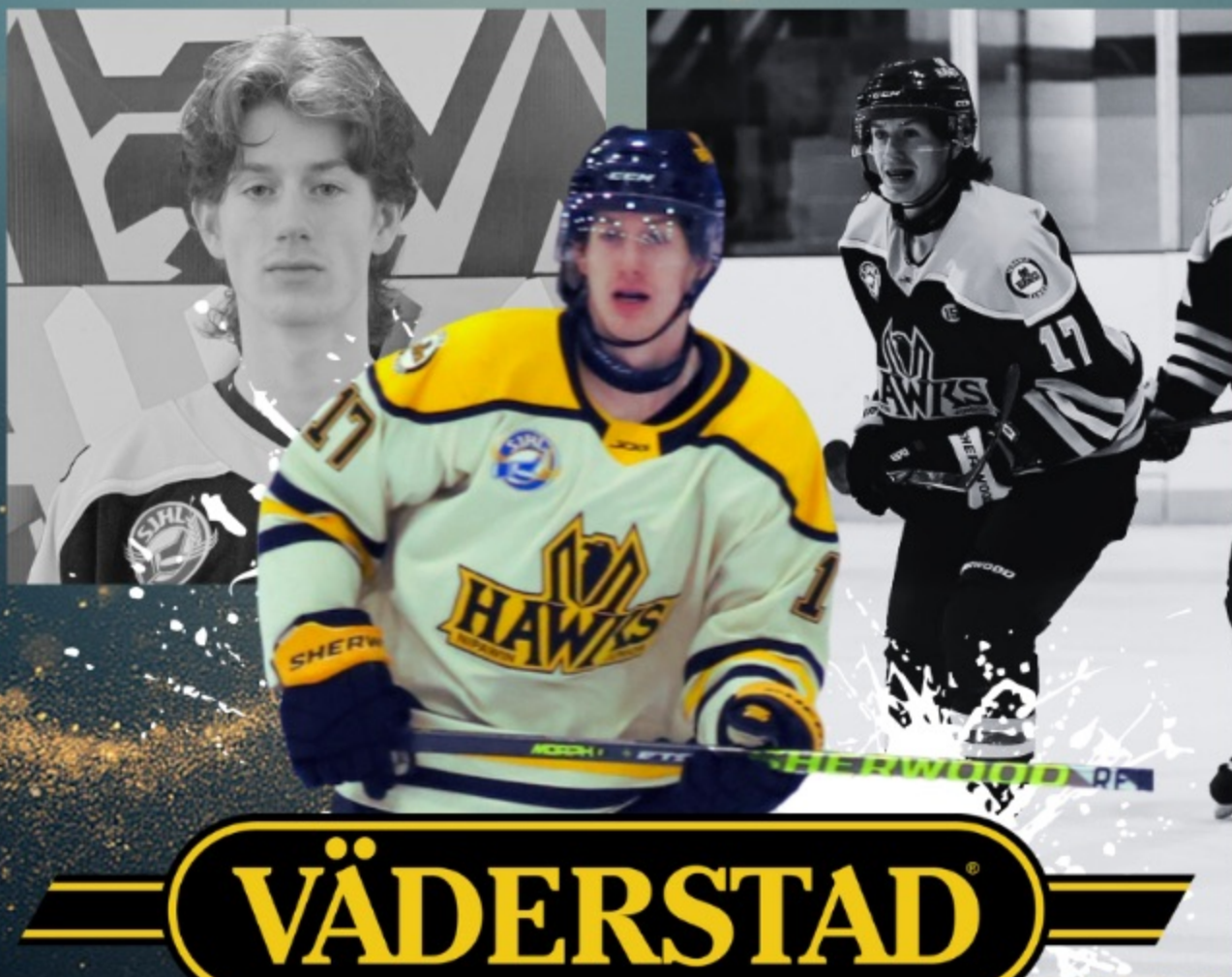
**JOSH
SALE**

FWD ● 6'2" – 190 LBS ● PRINCE GEORGE, BC ● WEYBURN
RED WINGS



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**BRENDAN
OLSON**

FWD • 6'1" - 190 LBS • STURGEON COUNTY, AB •



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**NIPAWIN
HAWKS**



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**JOEY
LIES**

FWD ● 6'0" – 205 LBS ● FLIN FLON, MB ● FLIN FLON BOMBERS



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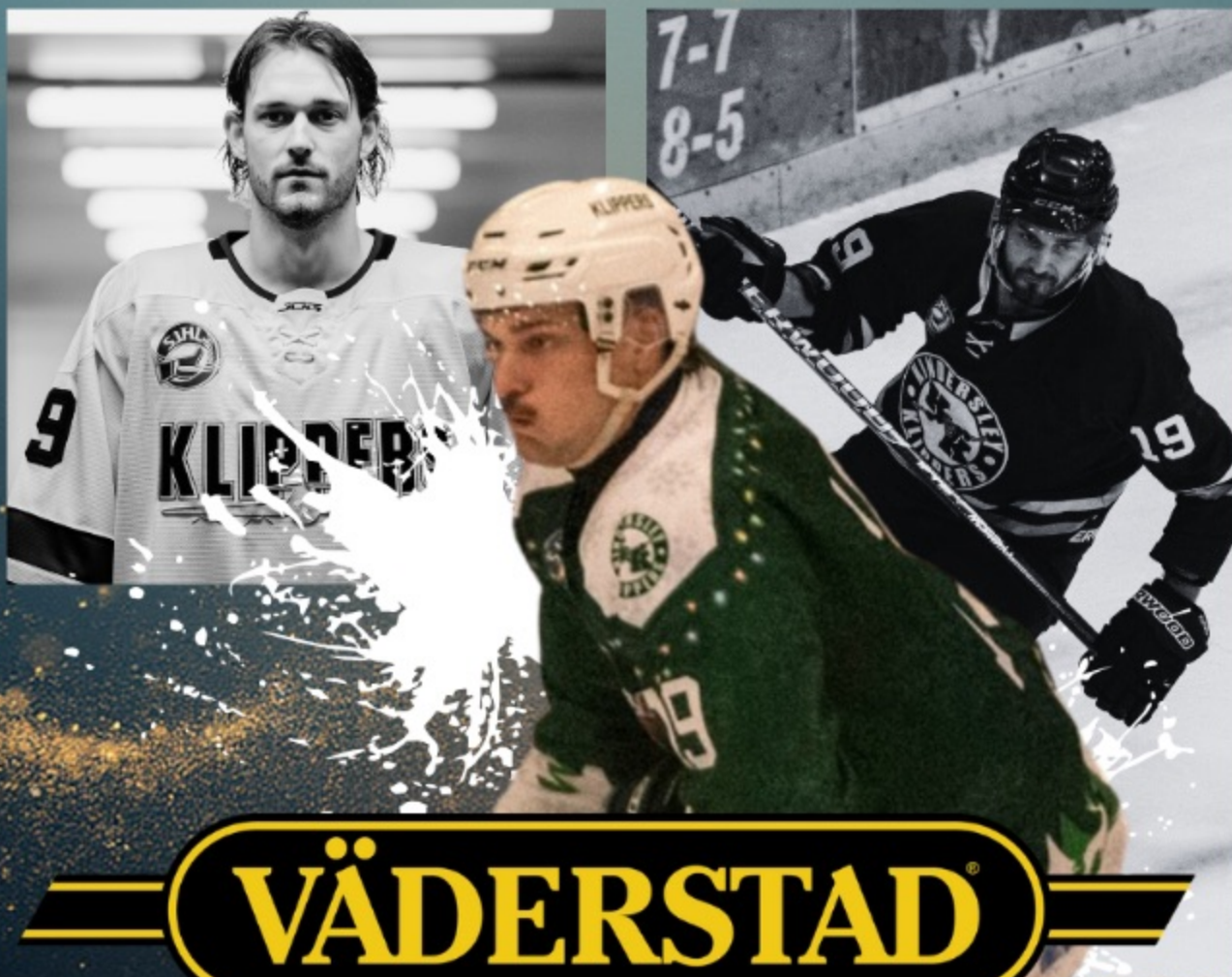
**LUCAS
SCHMID**

FWD ● 5'11" – 185 LBS ● MERRITT, BC ● WEYBURN
RED WINGS



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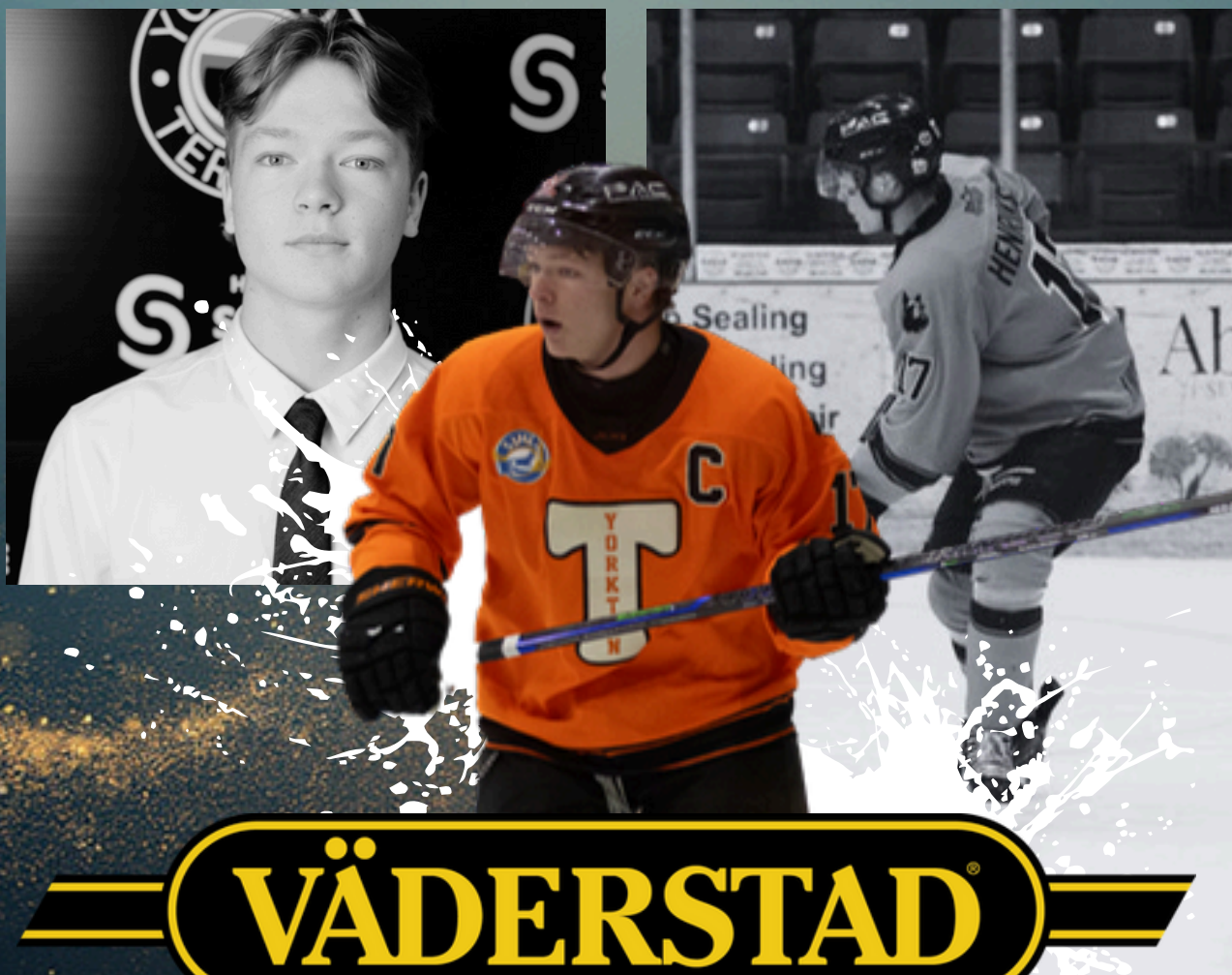
**VAN
EGGER**

FWD ● 6'1 – 174 LBS ● WILLOW BUNCH, SK ● KINDERSLEY
KLIPPERS



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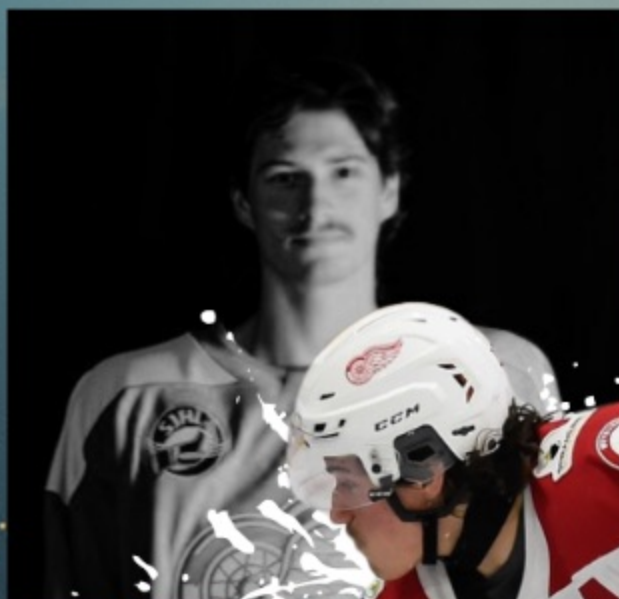
TYLLAN HENRIKSON

FWD ● 6'2" – 200 LBS ● FOAM LAKE, SK ● YORKTON
TERRIERS



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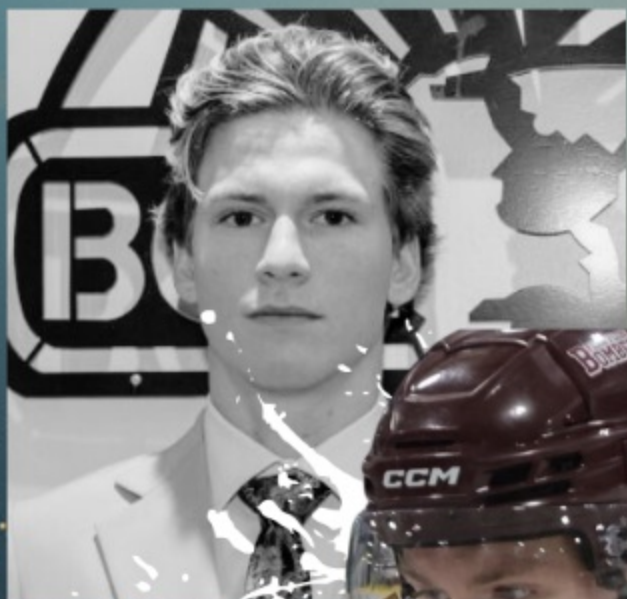
**DREW
MOLDE**

FWD ● 6'0" – 175 LBS ● MOOSE JAW, SK ● WEYBURN
RED WINGS



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**REID
ARBERRY**

FWD ● 5'11 – 171 LBS ● FORT ST. JOHN, BC ● FLIN FLON BOMBERS



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**ZAYDEN
SADLEMYER**

FWD ● 5'11 – 160 LBS ● BUENA VISTA, SK ● MELFORT
MUSTANGS



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**JYE
ZAWATSKY**

FWD ● 5'7" – 155 LBS ● YORKTON, SK ● YORKTON
TERRIERS



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**ANTHONY
CAMPBELL**

FWD • 5'11" – 170 LBS • PHILLIPSBURG, QC • BATTLEFORDS
NORTH STARS



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2026 Viking Cup – Team SJHL Roster Breakdown

BY HOME PROVINCE

BRITISH COLUMBIA (8 players)

- Charlie Tritt – Vancouver – Humboldt Broncos
- Graham Brown – Victoria – La Ronge Ice Wolves
- Ethan Andrews – Kimberley – Estevan Bruins
- Sam Ward – Kamloops – Flin Flon Bombers
- Reid Arberry – Fort St. John – Flin Flon Bombers
- Josh Sale – Prince George – Weyburn Red Wings
- Lucas Schmid – Merritt – Weyburn Red Wings
- Ewan Rennie – Langley – Estevan Bruins

SASKATCHEWAN (7 players)

- Boston Harkness – White City – Melville Millionaires
- Gavin Granger – Saskatoon – Battlefords North Stars
- Jye Zawatsky – Yorkton – Yorkton Terriers
- Zayden Sadlemyer – Buena Vista – Melfort Mustangs
- Drew Molde – Moose Jaw – Weyburn Red Wings
- Rylan Williams – Kyle – Estevan Bruins
- Van Eger – Willow Bunch – Kindersley Klippers

ALBERTA (2 players)

- Russ Demo – Calgary – Kindersley Klippers
- Brendan Olson – Sturgeon County – Nipawin Hawks

MANITOBA (2 players)

- Bo Eisner – Swan River – Melfort Mustangs

- Joey Lies – Flin Flon – Flin Flon Bombers

QUEBEC (1 player)

- Anthony Campbell – Phillipsburg – Battlefords North Stars

BY SJHL TEAM

ESTEVAN BRUINS (4)

- Ethan Andrews, Ewan Rennie, Rylan Williams, Coach Drew Kocur

WEYBURN RED WINGS (3)

- Josh Sale, Lucas Schmid, Drew Molde

FLIN FLON BOMBERS (3)

- Sam Ward, Reid Arberry, Joey Lies

KINDERSLEY KLIPPERS (2)

- Russ Demo, Van Eger

MELFORT MUSTANGS (2)

- Bo Eisner, Zayden Sadlemyer

BATTLEFORDS NORTH STARS (2)

- Gavin Granger, Anthony Campbell

HUMBOLDT BRONCOS (1)

- Charlie Tritt

LA RONGE ICE WOLVES (1)

- Graham Brown

NIPAWIN HAWKS (1)

- Brendan Olson

YORKTON TERRIERS (1)

- Jye Zawatsky

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