



2022 U.S. MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM GAME NOTES

2022 IIHF Men's World Championship | Nokia Arena | Tampere, Finland

Bronze Medal Game • Czechia (5-0-1-3) vs. USA (4-2-0-3) • Sunday, May 29, 2022

TODAY'S GAME

The U.S. Men's National Team battles Czechia here today in the bronze-medal game of the 2022 IIHF Men's World Championship in Tampere, Finland. The game will air live on NHL Network in the U.S. The U.S. won bronze in last year's world championship with a 6-1 win over Germany.

THE SERIES VS. CZECHIA

The U.S. and Czechia have met 17 previous times in the IIHF Men's World Championship and the U.S. is 6-2-1-7-1 (W-OTW-OTL-L-T). Prior to this year's tournament, the teams last met in 2018 with the U.S. earning a 3-2 win in the quarterfinals on May 17. Ten of the last 13 meetings have been decided by a single goal, including the encounter in this year's preliminary round, won by Czechia, 1-0.

TEAM USA'S ALL-TIME MEN'S WORLD MEDALS

The U.S. has won 13 medals in the men's world championship, earning gold once (1933), silver four times (1950, 1939, 1934, 1931) and bronze on eight occasions (2021, 2018, 2015, 2013, 2004, 1996, 1952, 1949). Of Team USA's eight bronze medals, six were claimed by winning bronze-medal games while two came via tournament standings and round-robin play.

U.S. BRONZE-MEDAL GAME APPEARANCES

The U.S. is 6-4 in 10 previous bronze-medal games in the IIHF Men's World Championship. The IIHF has used various formats over its history, including round robin, double round robin and round-robin medal play among the most common. All-time, the United States has claimed eight bronze medals in the world championship. Of those, two have come by virtue of the medal being determined by standings and six in a bronze-medal game.

ALL-TIME BRONZE-MEDAL GAME APPEARANCES

YEAR	OPPONENT	W	OTW	OTL	L	GF	GA
2021	Germany	W				6	1
2018	Canada	W				4	1
2016	Russia				L	2	7
2013	Czech Republic	W				3	0
2009	Finland		SOW			3	2
2004	Sweden				L	2	4
2004	Slovakia		SOW			1	0
2001	Sweden				L	2	3
1996	Russia		OTW			4	3
1994	Sweden				L	2	7
Record:		3	3	0	4	29	28

USA-CZECHIA • TALE OF THE TAPE

CATEGORY	USA	CZECHIA
Record	4-2-0-3	5-0-1-3
Goals For/Avg.	24/2.67	24/2.67
Goals Against/Avg.	16/1.78	20/2.50
Power Play	.214 (6-28)	.375 (9-24)
Penalty Killing	.844 (27-32)	.778 (21-27)
Shots For Gm/Avg.	272/30.22	230/25.56
Shots Against Gm/Avg.	203/22.56	210/23.33
Top Scorers	Gaudette (5-2--7) Meyers (4-3--7) Farrell (2-4--6)	Cervenka (4-11--15) Krejci (3-8--11) Blumel (4-4--8)
Top Goalie	Swayman (3-2, 1.32, .943)	Vejmelka (4-2, 2.13, .910)

TOP THREE PLAYERS

Team USA's top three players of the tournament were named following its semifinal game vs. Switzerland and included defenseman and captain **Seth Jones**, forward **Adam Gaudette** and goaltender **Jeremy Swayman**.

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VINNI, SWEET LOU, AND TINO

U.S. forward **Vinni Littieri** is the grandson of one of the storied figures in American hockey in **Lou Nanne**, who played in the NHL with the Minnesota North Stars and went on to serve as the team's general manager and president. Nanne has long been a big part of USA Hockey, including playing for the 1968 U.S. Olympic Men's Ice Hockey Team and continuing today to serve on the organization's International Council and part of The USA Hockey Foundation board of directors. Nanne, affectionately known as "Sweet Lou," has served on the broadcast team for the Minnesota State High School Hockey Tournament every year since 1964. Vinni's father, Tino, is a Canadian soccer Hall of Fame goalkeeper who played professionally in Minnesota and represented Canada in two Olympics and a World Cup.

SWAYMAN WILL START IN GOAL

Jeremy Swayman will start his seventh straight game here today with hopes of backstopping the U.S. to the bronze medal. The Anchorage, Alaska, native has two shutouts in his first six outings, including Thursday's (May 26) 33-save performance in a 3-0 victory over top-seeded Switzerland in quarterfinal play. His other shutout came in his world championship debut on May 19 when he made 17 stops in a 3-0 triumph over Great Britain.

THINGS

Team USA is the visiting team today, will wear its white jerseys and occupy the right bench ... **Seth Jones** leads all players in the world championship in average ice time per game at 26:43. **Nate Schmidt** is fourth at 23:19 ... **T.J. Tynan** is third in the world championship in faceoff percentage at .652 (45/69) ... **Adam Gaudette** has five goals, third most in the world championship ... **Kieffer Bellows** has 31 shots on goal in the world championship to lead Team USA, while **Adam Gaudette** is second with 26 ... The U.S. has outshot its opponent in eight of nine games in the world championship.



TEAM USA SCHEDULE

Date	Game	Time (Local/ET)/Result
Fri., May 13	USA vs. Latvia Nokia Arena	W, 4-1 U.S. POG: Seth Jones
Sun., May 15	Austria vs. USA Nokia Arena	W, 3-2 OT U.S. POG: Adam Gaudette
Mon., May 16	Finland vs. USA Nokia Arena	L, 1-4 U.S. POG: Luke Hughes
Thurs., May 19	Great Britain vs. USA Nokia Arena	W, 3-0 U.S. POG: Kieffer Bellows
Sat., May 21	USA vs. Sweden Nokia Arena	W, 3-2 OT U.S. POG: Adam Gaudette
Mon., May 23	USA vs. Czechia Nokia Arena	L, 0-1 U.S. POG: Jeremy Swayman
Tues., May 24	USA vs. Norway Nokia Arena	W, 4-2 U.S. POG: Matt Boldy
Thurs., May 26	Switzerland vs. USA (QF) Helsinki Ice Hall	W, 3-0 U.S. POG: Jeremy Swayman
Sat., May 28	Finland -- Semifinal Nokia Arena	L, 3-4 U.S. POG: Seth Jones
Sun., May 29	Czechia - Bronze Medal Game Nokia Arena	3:20 P.M./8:20 A.M.

Home Team Listed First • All U.S. games televised live on NHL Network



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A JOURNEY LIKE NO OTHER

The story of the 2022 U.S. Men's National Team is one like no other, including the initial challenges of formalizing a roster; COVID issues that either delayed player arrivals or disrupted team operations, and injury issues that have left the U.S. blueline corps depleted with just four true defensemen available for the final two games. With the condensed NHL schedule, and the overall effects of COVID, establishing an initial roster was as challenging for U.S. general manager **Ryan Martin** and the team management group as any in recent history. In the end, a 24-player roster was announced on May 5, just a couple of days before the team departed from Chicago to Finland. Below outlines the crazy trek of the 2022 U.S. Men's National Team..

- Defenseman **Caleb Jones** did not travel with Team USA from Chicago due to a positive COVID test. He arrived in Finland on May 10, but suffered an injury and returned to the U.S. on May 13, having never played a game in the world championship.
- Goaltender **Alex Nedeljkovic** suffered an injury at the end of practice in Tampere on May 10 and while it was hopeful he would recover and be able to play, ultimately he went home on May 16 and never played.

- U.S. team host **Risto Talvio** tested positive for COVID and was quarantined from May 16-20.
- U.S. trainer **Stan Wong**, one of the legendary figures in international hockey, who has worked 52 different international tournaments as part of a Team USA staff, tested positive for COVID and was quarantined from May 18-22, missing two games.
- USA Hockey announced the addition of Minnesota Wild defenseman **Jon Merrill** and forwards **Ryan Hartman** and **Matt Boldy** on May 22. Hartman and Boldy both tested positive for COVID and their arrival was delayed as they recovered and met the tournament protocol. Meanwhile, Merrill arrived on May 17, was injured on his very first shift two minutes into Team USA's game against Great Britain on May 19, and returned home on May 20.
- U.S. defenseman **Nick Blankenburg** returned home due to injury on May 22. He played in Team USA's first four games.
- Following Team USA's quarterfinal win, defensemen **Jayson Megna** informed head coach David Quinn that he had a family emergency that would require him to depart the team. He left for the U.S. yesterday.
- In its final preliminary round game against Norway, forwards **Riley Barber** and **Sam Lafferty** played defense.



2022 U.S. MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM NHL EXPERIENCE

PLAYER

Riley Barber
Kieffer Bellows
Nick Blankenburg
Matt Boldy
Thomas Bordeleau
Sean Farrell
Alex Galchenyuk
Adam Gaudette
Jon Gillies
Ryan Hartman
Jordan Harris
John Hayden
Luke Hughes
Seth Jones
Karson Kuhlman
Sam Lafferty
Vinni Lettieri
Strauss Mann
Jaycob Megna
Ben Meyers
Andrew Peeke
Nate Schmidt
Jeremy Swayman
T.J. Tynan
Austin Watson

DRAFT

WAS (2012, 6th rd., 167th ovr.)
NYI (2016, 1st rd., 19th ovr.)
Not Drafted
MIN (2019, 1st, 12th ovr.)
SJ (2020, 2nd rd., 38th ovr.)
MTR (2020, 4th rd., 124th ovr.)
MTR (2012, 1st rd., 3rd ovr.)
VAN (2015, 5th rd., 149th ovr.)
CGY (2012, 3rd rd., 75th ovr.)
CHI (2013, 1st rd., 30th ovr.)
MTR (2018, 3rd rd., 71st ovr.)
CHI (2013, 3rd rd., 74th ovr.)
NJD (2021, 1st rd., 4th ovr.)
NAS (2013, 1st rd., 4th ovr.)
Not Drafted
PIT (2014, 4th rd., 113 ovr.)
Not Drafted
Not Drafted
SJS (2012, 7th rd., 210 ovr.)
Not Drafted
CBS (2016, 2nd rd., 34th ovr.)
Not Drafted
BOS (2017, 4th rd. 111th ovr.)
CBS (2011, 3rd rd., 66th ovr.)
NAS (2010, 1st rd., 18th ovr.)

REGULAR SEASON

3 seasons; 16GP (0-0--0)
3 seasons; 67GP (11-14--25)
1 season; 7GP (1-2--3)
1 season; 47GP (15-24--39)
1 season; 8GP (0-5--5)
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10 seasons; 643GP (146-208--354)
5 seasons; 218GP (27-43--70)
4 seasons; 32GP (7-15-0-3, 3.31, .893)
8 seasons; 447GP (92-104--196)
1 season; 10GP (1-0--1)
6 seasons; 240GP (15-20--35)
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9 seasons; 658GP (70-267--337)
4 seasons; 100GP (9-14--23)
3 seasons; 140GP (11-21--32)
4 seasons; 82GP (7-11--18)
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4 seasons; 87GP (3-10--13)
1 season; 5GP (1-0--1)
3 seasons; 115GP (3-18--21)
9 seasons; 527GP (38-149--187)
2 seasons; 51GP (30-17-0-3)
3 seasons; 21GP (0-1--1)
8 seasons; 407GP (49-54--103)

PLAYOFFS

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6GP (1-0--1)
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38GP (5-12--17)
10GP (0-0--0)
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30GP (4-6--10)
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1GP (0-0--0)
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37GP (5-19--24)
16GP (1-3--4)
1GP (0-0--0)
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68GP (6-19--25)
6GP (3-3, 2.67, .906)
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45GP (10-19--29)

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FLY LIKE AN EAGLE

Defenseman **Luke Hughes** scored the game-winning goal in overtime on May 16 vs. Austria on a breakaway and celebrated by flapping his arms wildly like a bird. When asked after the game about his "celly," the 18-year-old, who is the youngest player on the squad, said his teammates call him, "Eagle," so he was "just giving them what they want a little bit."



WHAT'S IN A NICKNAME

U.S. equipment manager **Chris "Frosty" Scoppetto**, the head equipment manager for the New Jersey Devils, was given the nickname Frosty by Brad McCrimmon in 1996 while serving as an assistant equipment manager in Phoenix. As the story goes, Scoppetto was always seen alongside Coyotes player Keith Tkachuk, similar to how Bruins trainer John "Frosty" Forrestall was always with Bobby Orr. Scoppetto is the godparent to Tkachuk's daughter Taryn.

WHO KNEW

The first-ever McDonald's restaurant in Finland opened in Tampere, Finland, in December of 1984. The 1985 IIHF World Junior Championship – which began in late December of 1984 and finished in early January 1985 – was played in Finland that year with games in Helsinki, Turku, Espoo and Vantaa. Team USA was based in Helsinki. Art Berglund, who led USA Hockey's international hockey program back in those days, caught wind of the new McDonald's and canceled practice one day so the players and staff could make the journey from Helsinki to Tampere to try out the American icon. Media learned of the adventure and were present to capture the visit. Team USA also visited a Finnish glass factory on its way back to Helsinki. The 1985 U.S. National Junior Team featured U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame players Brian Leetch, Mike Richter and Craig Janney.

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP IN FINLAND

Team USA is 21-3-0-26-4 (W-OTW-OTL-L-T) all-time in the men's world championship in games played in Finland coming into the 2022 IIHF Men's World Championship. The last time Team USA played in Finland was in 2013 when it went 5-1-0-2 (W-OTW-OTL-L) before moving over to Stockholm for the tournament semifinals and medal games where it ultimately earned a bronze medal.

EXHIBITION VS. CANADA

Team USA played Canada on May 11 at the Helsinki Ice Hall in its lone exhibition game in advance of the 2022 IIHF Men's World Championship, with Canada coming out on top in a shootout, 4-3. The U.S. got goals from **Riley Barber**, **Kieffer Bellows** and **Karson Kuhlman** in what was a back-and-forth affair. Both teams had power plays in the five-minute three-on-three overtime, but couldn't convert. Canada won the shootout, 2-1. **Strauss Mann** and **Jon Gillies** split time in the U.S. net. Mann stopped all 11 shots he faced in the first 30 minutes of the game, while Gillies had 13 saves on 16 shots in 35 minutes of action.

HOSTING THE U18 WOMEN'S WORLDS

USA Hockey stepped up to fill the void and ensure the IIHF U18 Women's World Championship will be staged in 2022. The event, which was originally slated for Sweden in January, was canceled initially by the IIHF due to COVID concerns, but will now be played June 6-13 in Madison and Middleton, Wisconsin. LaBahn Arena, home of the University of Wisconsin's highly successful women's ice hockey program, will serve as one venue, including for the medal games, and Bob Suter's Capitol Ice Arena will also host games. The venue is owned by NHL player Ryan Suter.

LUKE HUGHES -- AMONG YOUNGEST EVER

Luke Hughes is the 6th youngest player ever to compete for the U.S. in an IIHF Men's World Championship. His brother Jack is the youngest ever and other brother, Quinn, is the seventh youngest.

Youngest U.S. Players to Compete A Pool IIHF Men's World Championship

Name/Year	Birthday	Age
Jack Hughes, 2019	May 14, 2001	17, 11.5 months
Phil Housley, 1982	March 9, 1964	18, 1.5 months
Dick Maley, 1934	Dec. 10, 1915	18, 4.5 months
Matty Beniers, 2021	Nov. 2, 2002	18, 6 months
Jack Eichel, 2015	Oct. 28, 1996	18, 6 months
Luke Hughes, 2022	Sept. 3, 2003	18, 6.5 months
Quinn Hughes, 2018	Oct. 14, 1999	18, 6.5 months
Phil Kessel, 2006	Oct. 2, 1987	18, 7 months
Auston Matthews, 2016	Sept. 17, 1997	18, 7.5 months
Oscar Mahle, 1958	Aug. 22, 1939	18, 8.5 months
Dylan Larkin, 2015	July 30, 1996	18, 9 months
Clayton Keller, 2017	July 29, 1998	18, 9 months

*age as of May 1 year of tournament year

SETH JONES AND THE MEN'S WORLDS

U.S. captain **Seth Jones** recorded his sixth multi-point game in IIHF Men's World Championship play on May 13 in Team USA's 4-1 win over Latvia. Jones had a power play goal in the contest and also ignited a two-on-one shorthanded rush up the ice which ended with his feed to **Thomas Bordeleau** who scored. Jones was 19-years-old in his IIHF men's worlds debut in 2014 and led Team USA in points with 2-9--11. His 11 points were the most by a blueliner in the tournament and he earned the Directorate Award as the top defenseman in the world championship and a spot on the Media All-Star Team. He also played for Team USA in the 2015 men's worlds and recorded four points on a goal and three assists.

LEADERSHIP TEAM

Seth Jones (Frisco, Tex.) is the captain of the 2022 U.S. Men's National Team with **Nate Schmidt** (St. Cloud, Minn.) and **Austin Watson** (Ann Arbor, Mich.) serving as alternate captains. Jones, who has played nine seasons in the NHL, is competing in his sixth international tournament for the U.S., including two previous men's world championships. He served as captain of the gold medal-winning 2012 Under-18 Men's National Team and as an alternate captain of the gold medal-winning 2013 U.S. National Junior Team. Schmidt, who has played nine years in the NHL, is making his international debut, while Watson, who has represented Team USA at both the IIHF U18 Men's World Championship and IIHF World Junior Championship previously, has played eight seasons in the NHL.

STAN WONG

Stan Wong (left below), one of Team USA's two athletic trainers and a beloved figure of players and staff alike, is working his 52nd international event for a U.S. hockey team. This year marks his 15th straight men's world championship. He has also served as a trainer for five Olympic teams, 20 national junior squads, 10 Deutschland Cup teams and for Team USA at one Youth Olympic Games and one Winter World University Games. Wong was inducted into the Professional Hockey Athletic Trainers Hall of Fame in June 2015.



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ALL-TIME U.S. MEDALS AT MEN'S WORLDS

YEAR	LOCATION	MEDAL	RECORD
2021	Riga, Latvia Coaches: Jack Capuano (HC), Nate Leaman, Adam Nightingale, Kevin Reiter	Bronze	8-0-0-2
2018	Copenhagen/Herning, Denmark Coaches: Jeff Blashill (HC), Dan Bylsma, Don Granato, Seth Appert	Bronze	6-2-0-2
2015	Prague/Ostrava, Czech Republic Coaches: Todd Richards (HC), Dan Bylsma, Greg Carvel	Bronze	7-1-0-2
2013	Helsinki, Finland/Stockholm, Sweden Coaches: Joe Sacco (HC), Danton Cole, Phil Housley, Tim Army	Bronze	6-1-0-3
2004	Prague/Ostrava, Czech Republic Coaches: Peter Laviolette (HC), Greg Poss, Jay Leach	Bronze	5-3-0-1
1996	Vienna, Austria Coaches: Ron Wilson (HC), Ted Sator, Tim Army	Bronze	5-3-0
1962	Colorado Springs, United States Coach: John Pleban (HC)	Bronze	5-2-0
1950	London, England Coach: John Pleban (HC)	Silver	4-1-0
1949	Stockholm, Sweden Coach: Jack P. Riley (HC)	Bronze	6-2-0
1939	Basel/Zurich, Switzerland Coach: John G. Hutchinson (HC)	Silver	4-2-0
1934	Milan, Italy Coach: Walter Brown (HC)	Silver	3-1-0
1933	Prague, Czechoslovakia Coach: Walter Brown (HC)	Gold	5-0-0
1931	Krynica, Poland Coach: Walter Brown (HC)	Silver	4-1-0

ALL-TIME RECORD VS. OPPONENT

(as of start of 2022 MWC)				
Opponent	GP	Record [^]	GF	GA
Austria	13	11-0-0-2-0	58	23
Belarus	7	6-0-0-1-0	29	15
Belgium	2	2-0-0-0-0	25	2
Canada	49	3-4-1-41-0	98	239
Czech Republic	16	6-2-1-6-1	43	44
Czechoslovakia	37	8-1-0-25-3	76	194
Denmark	8	6-0-1-1-0	33	13
East Germany	10	2-0-0-5-3	39	40
Finland	65	22-2-2-31-8	192	226
France	11	10-0-0-1-0	50	16
Germany	20	12-0-1-4-3	60	39
Great Britain	5	3-0-0-0-2	28	17
Hungary	2	2-0-0-0-0	8	1
Italy	9	6-1-0-2-0	30	19
Japan	2	2-0-0-0-0	15	2
Kazakhstan	4	2-2-0-0-0	20	5
Korea	1	1-0-0-0-0	13	1
Latvia	15	10-1-0-3-1	48	31
Netherlands	3	3-0-0-0-0	31	10
Norway	20	19-0-0-1-0	126	42
Poland	17	14-0-0-2-1	91	40
Romania	4	3-0-0-1-0	41	10
Russia	17	6-1-0-9-1	46	54
Slovakia	13	5-2-1-4-1	39	34
Slovenia	4	4-0-0-0-0	22	4
Soviet Union	28	0-0-0-28-0	60	237
Sweden	54	11-0-1-37-5	131	266
Switzerland	25	16-0-1-7-1	109	63
Ukraine	3	2-0-0-0-1	14	5
West Germany	26	18-0-0-4-4	139	92
TOTALS	480	207-16-9-213-35	1679	1770

[^]W-OTW-OTL-L-T

U.S. MEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS

SKATERS

STATISTIC	SINGLE TOURNAMENT	CAREER TOURNAMENT	
Points	Patrick Kane 20 (2018)	Patrick Kane	42
Goals	Russell "Buzz" Johnson 10 (1950)	Russell "Buzz" Johnson	19
Assists	Patrick Kane 12 (2018)	Dylan Larkin	22

GOALTENDERS

STATISTIC	SINGLE TOURNAMENT	CAREER TOURNAMENT	
Games Played	Keith Kinkaid 9 (2018)	John Vanbiesbrouck 31	
Minutes Played	Keith Kinkaid 524 (2018)	John Vanbiesbrouck 1700:40	
Wins	Ed Maki 7 (1939)	John Vanbiesbrouck 12	
	Connor Hellebuyck 7 (2015)		
	Keith Kinkaid 7 (2018)		
Shutouts	Ed Maki*** 6 (1939)	Ed Maki*** 6	
		Gerry Cosby*** 6	
Goals Against Average**	Ed Maki*** 1.13 (1939)	Gerry Cosby*** 0.71	

*Minimum 200 minutes played

**Minimum 300 minutes played

***Games consisted of three 15-minute periods, but GAA adjusted to 60-minute games for consistency

PLAYER HONORS AND ACCOLADES

DIRECTORATE AWARD

YEAR	PLAYER	POSITION
2021	Cal Petersen	Best Goaltender
2018	Patrick Kane	Best Forward
2014	Seth Jones	Best Defenseman
2004	Ty Conklin	Best Goaltender
1967	Carl Wetzel	Best Goaltender
1962	John Mayasich	Best Defenseman
1959	Billy Clear	Best Forward
1955	Don Rigazio	Best Goaltender

TOURNAMENT MVP

YEAR	PLAYER	STATS
2018	Patrick Kane	20 points (8g, 12a)

MEDIA ALL-STAR TEAM

YEAR	PLAYER	POSITION
2021	Conor Garland	Forward
2018	Patrick Kane	Forward
2014	Seth Jones	Defenseman
1967	Carl Wetzel	Best Goaltender

PLAYOFF ROUND HISTORY

Quarterfinal Record: 7-3-3-11 (W-OTW-OTL-L)

Last QF: W, 6-1 vs. Slovakia (2021)

Quarterfinal games have been played in the IIHF Men's World Championship since 1992, with the exception of 1997, 1998 and 1999. Of the 23 years quarterfinals have been played, the U.S. has qualified all but twice.

Semifinal Record: 2-10

Last SF: L, 2-4 vs. Canada (2021)

The U.S. is 2-10 in 12 previous semifinal games in the IIHF World Championship. The IIHF has used various formats over its history, including round robin, double-round robin and round-robin medal play among the most common. The world championship has included semifinal games in most years since 1992.

Bronze Medal Game Record: 6-4

Total Bronze Medals: 8

Last BMG: W, 6-1 vs. Germany (2021)

The U.S. is 6-4 in 10 previous bronze-medal games in the IIHF Men's World Championship. The IIHF has used various formats over its history, including round robin, double round robin and round-robin medal play among the most common. The eight bronze medals the U.S. has won include those determined by standings and also by a single bronze medal game.

Gold Medal Game Record: 1-1

Total Gold Medals: 1

Last GMG: L, 1-2 vs. Canada (1934)

The U.S., which won its lone gold medal in 1933, last played in the gold-medal game in 1934.



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2022 U.S. MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM ROSTER

NO.	NAME	HT (CM)	WT (KG)	BIRTHDATE	S/C	HOMETOWN	MOST RECENT TEAM (LEAGUE)	COLLEGE (LEAGUE THEN)
GOALTENDERS (3)								
32	Jon Gillies	6-6 (197)	223 (101)	1/22/94	L	Concord, N.H.	New Jersey Devils (NHL)	Providence (Hockey East)
31	Strauss Mann \$	6-0 (183)	174 (79)	8/18/98	L	Greenwich, Conn.	Skelleftea AIK (SHL)	Michigan (Big 10)
1	Jeremy Swayman	6-3 (191)	194 (88)	11/24/98	L	Anchorage, Alaska	Boston Bruins (NHL)	University of Maine (Hockey East)
DEFENSEMEN (7)								
7	Nick Blankenburg	5-9 (175)	175 (79)	5/12/98	R	Washington, Mich.	Columbus Blue Jackets (NHL)	Michigan (Big 10)
20	Jordan Harris	5-11 (180)	179 (81)	7/7/00	L	Haverhill, Mass.	Montreal Canadiens (NHL)	Northeastern (Hockey East)
43	Luke Hughes #	6-2 (188)	186 (84)	9/9/03	L	Canton, Mich.	University of Michigan (Big 10)	Michigan (Big 10)
4	Seth Jones #	6-4 (193)	213 (97)	10/3/94	R	Frisco, Tex.	Chicago Blackhawks (NHL)	
44	Jaycob Megna	6-6 (197)	220 (100)	12/10/92	L	Northbrook, Ill.	San Jose Sharks (NHL)	Nebraska-Omaha (NCHC)
2	Andrew Peeke	6-3 (191)	196 (89)	3/17/98	R	Parkland, Fla.	Columbus Blue Jackets (NHL)	Notre Dame (Big 10)
88	Nate Schmidt	6-0 (183)	194 (88)	7/16/91	L	St. Cloud, Minn.	Winnipeg Jets (NHL)	Minnesota (WCHA)
FORWARDS (15)								
11	Riley Barber #	6-0 (183)	205 (93)	2/7/94	R	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Grand Rapids Griffins (AHL)	Miami (NCHC)
22	Kieffer Bellows #	6-1 (185)	195 (88)	6/10/98	L	Edina, Minn.	New York Islanders (NHL)	Boston University (Hockey East)
12	Matt Boldy #	6-2 (188)	201 (91)	4/5/01	L	Millis, Mass.	Minnesota Wild (NHL)	Boston College (Hockey East)
34	Thomas Bordeleau #	5-10 (178)	175 (79)	1/3/02	L	Houston, Tex.	San Jose Sharks (NHL)	Michigan (Big 10)
26	Sean Farrell #	5-9 (175)	175 (79)	11/2/01	L	Hopkinton, Mass.	Harvard University (ECAC Hockey)	Harvard (ECAC Hockey)
27	Alex Galchenyuk	6-1 (185)	194 (88)	2/12/94	L	Milwaukee, Wis.	Arizona Coyotes (NHL)	
17	Adam Gaudette	6-1 (185)	185 (84)	10/3/96	R	Braintree, Mass.	Ottawa Senators (NHL)	Northeastern (Hockey East)
38	Ryan Hartman #	6-0 (183)	197 (89)	9/20/94	R	Hilton Head, S.C.	Minnesota Wild (NHL)	
15	John Hayden #	6-3 (191)	223 (101)	2/14/95	R	Greenwich, Conn.	Buffalo Sabres (NHL)	Yale (ECAC Hockey)
24	Sam Lafferty	6-1 (185)	195 (88)	3/6/95	R	Hollidaysburg, Penn.	Chicago Blackhawks (NHL)	Brown (ECAC Hockey)
28	Vinni Lettieri #	5-11 (180)	185 (84)	2/6/95	R	Excelsior, Minn.	Anaheim Ducks (NHL)	Minnesota (Big 10)
25	Karson Kuhlman #	5-10 (178)	190 (86)	9/26/95	R	Esko, Minn.	Seattle Kraken (NHL)	Minnesota Duluth (NCHC)
59	Ben Meyers \$	5-11 (180)	200 (91)	11/15/98	L	Delano, Minn.	Colorado Avalanche (NHL)	Minnesota (Big 10)
14	T.J. Tynan	5-8 (173)	165 (75)	2/25/92	R	Orland Park, Ill.	Ontario Reign (AHL)	University of Notre Dame (Big 10)
16	Austin Watson #	6-4 (193)	204 (93)	1/13/92	R	Ann Arbor, Mich.	Ottawa Senators (NHL)	

Played for USA Hockey National Team Development Program

\$ Played for 2022 U.S. Olympic Men's Hockey Team

@ Played for 2021 U.S. Men's National Team

2022 U.S. MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM STAFF

ROLE	NAME	HOMETOWN	MOST RECENT ORGANIZATION
General Manager	Ryan Martin	Simsbury, Ct.	New York Rangers (NHL)
USA Hockey Assistant Executive Director	John Vanbiesbrouck	Detroit, Mich.	USA Hockey
Head Coach	David Quinn	Cranston, R.I.	New York Rangers (NHL)
Assistant Coach	Jeff Blashill	Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.	Detroit Red Wings (NHL)
Assistant Coach	Don Granato	Downers Grove, Ill.	Buffalo Sabres (NHL)
Assistant Coach	Mike Hastings	Crookston, Minn.	Minnesota State University (CCHA)
Video Coach	Mike King	Center Conway, N.H.	Ottawa Senators (NHL)
Team Leader	Brij Singh	Los Altos, Calif.	USA Hockey
Equipment Manager	Scott Aldrich	Hancock, Mich.	USA Hockey
Equipment Manager	Chris Scoppetto	Hamden, Ct.	New Jersey Devils (NHL)
Equipment Manager	Brock Bradley	West Stockholm, N.Y.	USA Hockey
Athletic Trainer	Stan Wong	Boca Raton, Fla.	USA Hockey
Athletic Trainer	Piet VanZant	Livonia, Mich.	Detroit Red Wings (NHL)
Team Physician	Dr. Sean Lynch	Omaha, Neb.	Henry Ford Medical Center
Massage Therapist	Peewee Willmann	Hannover, Germany	USA Hockey
Communications	Dave Fischer	Colorado Springs, Colo.	USA Hockey
Content	Andrew Ketterer	Colorado Springs, Colo.	USA Hockey

BY THE NUMBERS

Average Height	6ft. 1in.
Tallest	Gillies/Megna (6-6)
Shortest	Tynan (5-8)
Average Weight	195 lbs
Heaviest	Hayden/Gillies (223 lbs)
Lightest	Tynan (165 lbs)
Average Age	26 yrs
Oldest	Schmidt (30.8 yrs)
Youngest	Hughes (18.7 yrs)
Shoot/Catch	Left: 12 Right: 13

HOME STATES (11)

Minnesota	5
Massachusetts	4
Michigan	3
Connecticut	2
Illinois	2
Pennsylvania	2
Texas	2
Alaska	1
Florida	1
New Hampshire	1
South Carolina	1
Wisconsin	1

U.S. COLLEGE TIES (22)

University of Michigan	4
University of Minnesota	3
Northeastern University	2
University of Notre Dame	2
Boston College	1
Boston University	1
Brown University	1
Harvard University	1
Miami University	1
University of Maine	1
University of Minnesota Duluth	1
University of Nebraska-Omaha	1
Providence College	1
Yale University	1

JUNIOR HOCKEY TIES*

USHL	22
OHL	5
AJHL	1
WHL	1

*some competed in multiple junior leagues



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TEAM USA IIHF MEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP HISTORY

YEAR	LOCATION	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	U.S. RECORD	U.S. FINISH
2021	Riga, Latvia	Canada	Finland	United States	8-0-0-2	Bronze
2020	Canceled	--	--	--	--	--
2019	Bratislava & Kosice, Slovakia	Finland	Canada	Russia	4-1-0-3	7th
2018	Herning & Copenhagen, Denmark	Sweden	Switzerland	United States	6-2-0-2	Bronze
2017	Cologne, Germany & Paris, France	Sweden	Canada	Russia	6-0-0-2	5th
2016	St. Petersburg/Moscow, Russia	Canada	Finland	Russia	4-1-1-4	4th
2015	Prague/Ostrava, Czech Republic	Canada	Russia	United States	7-1-0-2	Bronze
2014	Minsk, Belarus	Russia	Finland	Sweden	4-1-0-3	6th
2013	Helsinki, Finland/Stockholm, Sweden	Sweden	Switzerland	United States	6-1-0-3	Bronze
2012	Helsinki, Finland/Stockholm, Sweden	Russia	Slovakia	Czech Republic	4-2-0-2	7th
2011	Bratislava/Kosice, Slovakia	Finland	Sweden	Czech Republic	3-0-1-3	8th
2010	Cologne/Gelsenkirchen/Mannheim, Germany	Czech Republic	Russia	Sweden	2-1-2-1	13th
2009	Bern/Zurich-Kloten, Switzerland	Russia	Canada	Sweden	4-0-2-3	4th
2008	Halifax/Quebec City, Canada	Russia	Canada	Finland	4-0-1-2	6th
2007	Moscow/Mytishi, Russia	Canada	Finland	Russia	4-0-1-2	5th
2006	Riga, Latvia	Sweden	Czech Republic	Finland	4-3-0	7th
2005	Vienna/Innsbruck, Austria	Czech Republic	Canada	Russia	3-2-2	6th
2004	Prague/Ostrava, Czech Republic	Canada	Sweden	United States	5-3-1	Bronze
2003	Helsinki/Tampere/Turku, Finland	Canada	Sweden	Slovakia	3-3-0	13th
2002	Gothenburg/Jonkoping/Karlstad, Sweden	Slovakia	Russia	Sweden	3-3-1	7th
2001	Cologne/Hannover, Germany	Czech Republic	Finland	Sweden	4-4-1	4th
2000	St. Petersburg, Russia	Czech Republic	Slovakia	Finland	4-1-2	5th
1999	Lillehammer/Hamar/Oslo, Norway	Czech Republic	Finland	Sweden	3-3-0	6th
1998	Zurich/Basel, Switzerland	Sweden	Finland	Czech Republic	1-4-1	12th
1997	Helsinki/Turku/Tampere, Finland	Canada	Sweden	Czech Republic	4-3-1	6th
1996	Vienna, Austria	Czech Republic	Canada	United States	5-3-0	Bronze
1995	Stockholm/Gavle, Sweden	Finland	Sweden	Canada	3-1-2	6th
1994	Bolzano/Milano, Italy	Canada	Finland	Sweden	4-4-0	4th
1993	Dortmund/Munich, Germany	Russia	Sweden	Czech Republic	2-2-2	6th
1992	Prague/Bratislava, Czechoslovakia	Sweden	Finland	Czechoslovakia	3-2-1	7th
1991	Turku/Tampere, Finland	Sweden	Canada	Soviet Union	3-5-2	4th
1990	Bern/Fribourg, Switzerland	Soviet Union	Sweden	Czechoslovakia	6-4-0	5th
1989	Stockholm, Sweden	Soviet Union	Canada	Czechoslovakia	4-5-1	6th
1987	Vienna, Austria	Sweden	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	4-6-0	7th
1986	Moscow, USSR	Soviet Union	Sweden	Canada	4-6-0	5th
1985	Prague, Czechoslovakia	Czechoslovakia	Canada	Soviet Union	4-5-1	4th
1983	Munich/Dusseldorf, West Germany	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Canada	POOL B	—
1982	Helsinki/Tampere, Finland	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	0-6-1	8th
1981	Gothenburg, Sweden	Soviet Union	Sweden	Czechoslovakia	4-3-0	5th
1979	Moscow, USSR	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	2-2-3	7th
1978	Prague, Czechoslovakia	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Canada	2-6-2	6th
1977	Vienna, Austria	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	Soviet Union	2-6-1	6th
1976	Katowice, Poland	Czechoslovakia	Soviet Union	Sweden	3-3-1	4th
1975	Munich/Dusseldorf, West Germany	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	0-10-0	6th
1974	Helsinki, Finland	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	POOL B	—
1973	Moscow, USSR	Soviet Union	Sweden	Czechoslovakia	POOL B	—
1972	Prague, Czechoslovakia	Czechoslovakia	Soviet Union	Sweden	POOL B	—
1971	Bern/Geneva, Switzerland	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	2-8-0	6th
1970	Stockholm, Sweden	Soviet Union	Sweden	Czechoslovakia	POOL B	—
1969	Stockholm, Sweden	Soviet Union	Sweden	Czechoslovakia	0-10-0	6th
1967	Vienna, Austria	Soviet Union	Sweden	Canada	3-3-1	5th
1966	Ljubljana, Yugoslavia	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Canada	2-5-0	6th
1965	Tampere, Finland	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	2-5-0	6th
1963	Stockholm, Sweden	Soviet Union	Sweden	Czechoslovakia	1-5-1	8th
1962	Colorado Springs, United States	Sweden	Canada	United States	5-2-0	Bronze
1961	Geneva/Lausanne, Switzerland	Canada	Czechoslovakia	Soviet Union	2-4-1	6th
1959	Prague/Brno, Czechoslovakia	Canada	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	5-3-0	4th
1958	Oslo, Norway	Canada	Soviet Union	Sweden	3-3-1	5th
1957	Moscow, USSR	Sweden	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	DNP	—
1955	Dusseldorf/Dortmund, Germany	Canada	Soviet Union	Czechoslovakia	4-2-2	4th
1954	Stockholm, Sweden	Soviet Union	Canada	Sweden	DNP	—
1953	Basel/Zurich, Switzerland	Sweden	Germany	Switzerland	DNP	—
1951	Paris, France	Canada	Sweden	Switzerland	1-4-1	6th
1950	London, England	Canada	United States	Switzerland	4-1-0	Silver
1949	Stockholm, Sweden	Czechoslovakia	Canada	United States	6-2-0	Bronze
1948	St. Moritz, Switzerland	Canada	Czechoslovakia	Switzerland	DNP	—
1947	Prague, Czechoslovakia	Czechoslovakia	Sweden	Austria	4-3-0	5th
1939	Basel/Zurich, Switzerland	Canada	United States	Switzerland	4-2-0	Silver
1938	Prague, Czechoslovakia	Canada	Great Britain	Czechoslovakia	3-2-1	7th
1937	London, England	Canada	Great Britain	Switzerland	DNP	—
1935	Davos, Switzerland	Canada	Switzerland	Great Britain	DNP	—
1934	Milan, Italy	Canada	United States	Germany	3-1-0	Silver
1933	Prague, Czechoslovakia	United States	Canada	Czechoslovakia	5-0-0	Gold
1931	Krynica, Poland	Canada	United States	Austria	4-1-0	Silver
1930	Chamonix, France/Berlin, Germany	Canada	Germany	Switzerland	DNP	—
1928	St. Moritz, Switzerland	Canada	Sweden	Switzerland	DNP	—

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No	Name	POS	CAN L, 3-4 SO 5/11	(ex.) LAT W, 4-1 5/13	AUT W, 3-2 OT 5/15	FIN L, 1-4 5/16	GBR W, 3-0 5/19	SWE W, 3-2 OT 5/21	CZE L, 0-1 5/23	NOR W, 4-2 5/24	SUI-QF W, 3-0 5/26	FIN-SF L, 3-4 5/28	BMG TBD 5/29
2	Andrew Peeke	D	--	A	--	--	A*	A	--	--	A	A	--
4	Seth Jones	D	A	P(W)A#	A	A	--	--	--	--	--	A	--
5	Jon Merrill	D	DND	DND	DND	DND	INJ 1st shift	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	--
7	Nick Blakenburg	D	--	--	--	--	--	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	--
11	Riley Barber	F	G	G	--	--	--	--	DND	--	--	--	--
12	Matt Boldy	F	--	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	--	G#	--	A	--
14	T.J. Tynan	F	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	AA*	--	--	--	AA	--
15	John Hayden	F	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
16	Austin Watson	F	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
17	Adam Gaudette	F	--	--	P#	--	A	GWA#	--	--	U	G	--
20	Jordan Harris	D	--	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	--
22	Kieffer Bellows	F	G	A	G	--	PP#	--	--	--	A*	--	--
24	Sam Lafferty	F	A	G	--	--	--	--	--	A	--	--	--
25	Karson Kuhlman	F	G	--	--	--	--	--	--	A*	A	--	--
26	Sean Farrell	F	--	--	A*	--	AA	--	--	E (U)	A	G	--
27	Alex Galychenyuk	F	--	A*	A	G	--	--	--	AA	--	--	--
28	Vinni Lettieri	F	A	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
34	Thomas Bordeleau	F	--	S	--	--	--	--	INJ	INJ	--	--	--
38	Ryan Hartman	F	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	--	G	--	--	--
43	Luke Hughes	D	--	--	W	A#	--	--	--	A*	A*	--	--
44	Jaycob Megna	D	--	A	A	--	--	--	--	--	--	DND	--
59	Ben Meyers	D	A	--	A	--	G(W)	A	--	W	P(W)G	A	--
88	Nate Schmidt	F	--	A*	--	--	A*A	P	--	--	--	G	--
1	Jeremy Swayman	G	DND	DND	DND	DND	W (60:00) 17/17	W (60:00) 20/22 -- A*	L (57:29)# 15/16	ND (20:00) 9/9	W (60:00) 33/33	L (56:56) 22/26	--
31	Strauss Mann	G	--	W (60:00) 24/25	W (63:07) 14/16	L (60:00) 21/25	DNP	DNP	DNP	W (40:00) 12/14	DNP	DNP	--
32	Jon Gillies	G	--	DNP	DNP	DNP	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	DND	--

G - goal
A - assist
P - powerplay goal

S - shorthanded goal
P* - penalty shot
U - unassisted goal

* - game-winning goal
A* - assist on game-winning goal
W/L - win/loss

- U.S. Player of the Game
DNP - did not play
DND - did not dress

SITUATIONALLY SPEAKING

Through games of May 28, 2022

Overall Record.....	4-2-0-3
Wearing White.....	1-1-0-2
Wearing Blue.....	1-1-0-1
Wearing Royal Blue.....	2-0-0-0
Games Decided By One Goal or Less.....	0-2-0-2
Games Decided By 2 Goals.....	1-0-0-0
Games Decided By 3 Goals.....	3-0-0-1
Games Decided By 4 Goals.....	0-0-0-0
Games Decided by 5 Goals.....	0-0-0-0
Games Decided by 6 or More Goals.....	0-0-0-0
Scoring 5+ Goals.....	0-0-0-0
Scoring 4 Goals.....	2-0-0-0
Scoring 3 Goals.....	2-2-0-1
Scoring 2 Goals.....	0-0-0-0
Scoring 1 Goal.....	0-0-0-1
Allowing 1 or Fewer.....	3-0-0-1
Allowing 2 Goals.....	1-2-0-0
Allowing 3 Goals.....	0-0-0-0
Allowing 4 Goals.....	0-0-0-2
Allowing 5+ Goals.....	0-0-0-0
Scoring a Power-Play Goal.....	3-2-0-0
Allowing a Power-Play Goal.....	1-0-0-2
Scoring a Shorthanded Goal.....	1-0-0-0
Allowing a Shorthanded Goal.....	0-0-0-0

Scoring First.....	4-0-0-1
Opponent Scoring First.....	0-2-0-2
Leading After 1 Period.....	3-0-0-0
Trailing After 1 Period.....	0-1-0-2
Tied After 1 Period.....	1-1-0-1
Leading After 2 Periods.....	4-1-0-0
Trailing After 2 Periods.....	0-1-0-3
Tied After 2 Periods.....	0-0-0-0
OT Record.....	0-2-0-0
Shootout Record.....	0-0-0-0
Having 10-19 Shots.....	0-0-0-0
Having 20-29 Shots.....	2-1-0-2
Having 30-39 Shots.....	2-1-0-1
Having 40-49 Shots.....	0-0-0-0
Having 50+ Shots.....	0-0-0-0
Allowing 0-9 Shots.....	0-0-0-0
Allowing 10-19 Shots.....	1-1-0-1
Allowing 20-29 Shots.....	2-1-0-2
Allowing 30-39 Shots.....	1-0-0-0
Allowing 40-49 Shots.....	0-0-0-0
Allowing 50+ Shots.....	0-0-0-0
Outshooting Opponent.....	3-2-0-3
Outshot By Opponent.....	1-0-0-0

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FROM PREVIOUS GAME NOTES

The U.S. arrived in Helsinki on Sunday, May 7, at 10:30 a.m. after an eight-and-a-half-hour flight from Chicago, and practiced at the Malmi Arena daily through Tuesday, May 10. Malmi is one of 60 neighborhoods in Helsinki. Team USA played one exhibition game, that coming on Wednesday, May 11, against Canada at Helsinki Ice Hall **Adam Gaudette** won the 2018 Hobey Baker Memorial Award as the top player in NCAA Division I men's ice hockey while playing at Northeastern University ... The U.S. has medaled in four of the last eight IIHF Men's World Championships, its best stretch since 1931-47 ... **Alex Galchenyuk** regularly arrives at team meals with a bottle of extra virgin olive oil under his arm. Galchenyuk, who has played 10 years in the NHL, enjoys adding EVOO to virtually anything on his plate ... **Thomas Bordeleau** made his long-awaited IIHF debut May 13 vs. Latvia. He was selected to both the 2020 and 2021 U.S. National Junior Team, but had COVID issues both years that prevented him from playing in the IIHF World Junior Championship ... U.S. netminder **Strauss Mann** says the three words the best describe him are dialed, curious and purposeful ... **Risto Talvio**, who works full-time as a security officer at a nuclear power plant in Eurajoki, Finland, is Team USA's host here in Tampere. Talvio has served as team host for U.S. teams in all international tournaments in Finland since 1984 ... Team USA massage therapist **Peewee Willman** and his girlfriend Hannah are expecting the couple's first child in two months ... **Stan Wong** is one of Team USA's two athletic trainers. He is in his 20th season supporting U.S. teams on the international stage with this his 15th IIHF Men's World Championship. Wong, who retired as athletic trainer for the Florida Panthers in 2002, was inducted into the PHATS/SPHEM Hall of Fame in 2015 ... U.S. Ambassador to Finland **Doug Hickey** was at Team USA's game vs. Finland on May 16 and presented the U.S. Player of the Game Award to defenseman **Luke Hughes** in an on-ice ceremony following the contest ... **HEARD AT THE RINK THE MORNING OF MAY 16** -- U.S. equipment manager **Brock Bradley** was sharpening skates jamming to music from Duke Ellington and Louis Armstrong, when **Alex Galchenyuk** walked by, commented how he liked the music, and said it was something you'd hear in the Olive Garden (an Italian restaurant chain headquartered the U.S.) bathroom. Galchenyuk, who hopes one day to have his own olive farm, adds extra virgin olive oil to most things on his plate at team meals ... The team benches at Nokia Arena were modified on May 15 to give the coaching and training staff more room behind the players' bench. The original configuration was so tight that coaches/training staff essentially had to remain in the position they took to start a period ... **Thomas Bordeleau** scored shorthanded against Latvia on May 13, the first shorthanded marker by a U.S. player in the men's world championship since **Derek Ryan** accomplished the feat on May 11, 2018, in a 13-1 win over Korea. Ryan also had a power play goal in the contest Nine different players found the scoresheet in Team USA's 4-1 win over Latvia on May 13, including four of the team's six defensemen ... Team USA scored at even strength, shorthanded and on the power play against Latvia on May 13 ... U.S. general manager **Ryan Martin** arrived in Tampere on May 17 and is here for the duration of the world championship. Martin is the assistant general manager of the NHL's New York Rangers ... Seventeen of the guests of Team USA players/staff arrived the morning of May 19 in Finland and are here for the remainder of the tournament ... Among some of the popular dining spots in Tampere for Team USA players/staff -- Hook, Stefan's Steakhouse, Don Franco and Masu Asian Bistro ... Team USA defenseman **Luke Hughes** has two brothers who play in the NHL -- Jack with the New Jersey Devils and Quinn with the Vancouver Canucks. Luke was drafted by the Devils and is likely to join his brother Jack in Newark, New Jersey, in the not too distant future. He currently plays collegiately at the University of Michigan and is eligible to compete for Team USA at both the August and December/January IIHF World Junior Hockey Championships ... **Jon Merrill** has four young daughters, all six years of age or younger.

FROM PREVIOUS GAME NOTES (PART 2)

Forward **Thomas Bordeleau** is one of the first out of the lockerroom in advance of games and to start periods, and hangs out at the "back of the line." When **Kieffer Bellows** comes out of the lockerroom, he and Bellows chest bump as part of a regular routine. Shortly before the team begins its walk to the ice, Bordeleau goes from a standing position and leaps with both feet straight up into the air. He's been "jumping" he says for the last couple of years ... Team USA massage therapist **Peewee Willman** has regularly taken advantage of the free bikes the team hotel has available to explore Tampere. Willman, who has his own practice in Hannover, Germany, was the massage therapist for the rock band Depeche Mode's world tour back in 2017-18 .. **John Vanbiesbrouck**, assistant executive director for hockey operations at USA Hockey, spoke on May 23 at the IIHF International Coaching Symposium on development, particularly in preparing players for the NHL. Vanbiesbrouck is one of the top American netminders of all-time and played 20 seasons in the NHL. **Ken Martel**, technical director of USA Hockey's American Development Model was also a presenter at the Symposium. **Dan Brennan**, who works with USA Hockey's coaching education program and is also the general manager of the gold medal-winning 2022 U.S. Paralympic Sled Hockey Team, attended the symposium, as did **Chuck Gridley**, coach-in-chief from USA Hockey's New York District ... U.S. assistant coach **Don Granato** has a connection to the Hughes family. Granato is coaching Luke Hughes here in Finland; coached Quinn Hughes for one year when he was a head coach at USA Hockey's National Team Development Program; and Granato's sister **Cammi Granato**, currently an assistant general manager of the Vancouver Canucks, played with Ellen Hughes (mother of Quinn, Luke and Jack Hughes) on the U.S. Women's National Team ... Team USA assistant coach **Jeff Blashill** is handling the U.S. penalty kill, while assistant coach **Don Granato** is guiding the power play ... Prior to Team USA's 1-0 loss to Czechia on May 23, the last time the U.S. was shutout in the world championship was on May 21, 2019, with Canada gaining a 3-0 victory over the U.S. in the preliminary round ... **Jeff Blashill's** brother Tim is here in Finland. He serves as assistant athletic director for facilities and event operations at Ferris State University and is also the head hockey coach for Big Rapids High School ... **Dr. Sean Lynch** is the team doctor for the U.S. He is also the head team physician for the NFL's Detroit Lions and works full-time at Henry Ford Medical Clinic in Detroit ... Billiards and cards are among the popular activities among Team USA's players ... U.S. trainer **Stan Wong** and his family operate the Oriental Chow Mein Company in Fall River, Massachusetts, a company founded by Wong's grandfather in 1926. The factory produces chow mein for local restaurants and has one boxed product -- Hoo-Mee Chow Mein -- that is found in supermarkets ... U.S. assistant coach **Mike Hastings** has been named the top coach in NCAA Division I men's ice hockey in each of the last two seasons ... USA Hockey president **Mike Trimboli**, vice president **Gavin Regan** and executive director **Pat Kelleher** arrived in Finland on May 25 for the IIHF Annual Congress and will be here for the duration of the world championship.

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USA vs. Canada • Exhibition

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United States (v)	0	1	2	0	—	3
Canada (h)	0	1	2	0	—	4

1st: No Scoring
2nd: USA-Barber (C. Jones), 2:59
 CAN-Cozen (Dubois, Roy), 5x4 PPG, 15:30
3rd: CAN-Sillinger (Anderson, Lowry), 1:04
 USA-Bellows (Lettieri, Meyers), 9:19
 USA-Kuhlman (S. Jones, Lafferty), 15:41
 CAN-Anderson (Lafferty, Sillinger), 17:23
OT: No Scoring
SO: CAN-Dubois (scored)
 USA-Bellows (saved)
 CAN-Cozens (scored)
 USA-Galchenyuk (scored)
 CAN-Roy (saved)
 USA-Bordeleau (saved)
 CAN-Severson (saved)
 USA-Barber (saved)
 CAN-Comtois (saved)
 USA-Gaudette (saved)

Penalties: USA 4-8, CAN 4-8 **Power Plays:** USA 0-4, CAN 1-4

Saves: USA-Mann (7-4-x-x-x--11); 30:00
 USA-Gillies (x-5-5-3-0--13); 35:00
 CAN-Thompson (10-5-0-0-0--15); 40:00
 CAN-Tomkins (x-x-9-0-0--9); 25:00

Shots: USA 10-6-11-0-0--27; CAN 7-10-7-3-1--28

Notes: The U.S. and Canada battled in a back-and-forth affair in the lone exhibition game for both teams in advance of the 2022 IIHF Men's World Championship. The contest served as a test game for the organizers and fans/media were not permitted to attend.

USA vs. Latvia • Preliminary Rd • Game 1

May 13, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (7,938)

United States (h, blue)	3	1	0	—	4
Latvia (v)	0	0	1	—	1

1st: USA-Barber (Bellows, Peeke), 7:11
 USA-Jones (Schmidt, Gallagher), 5x4 PPG, 10:18
 USA-Bordeleau (Jones), 4x5 SHG, 11:36
2nd: USA-Lafferty (Megna), :33
3rd: LAT-Dzerins (Bukaarts, Cukste), 5x4 PPG, 1:47

Penalties: USA 4-8, LAT 4-8 **Power Plays:** USA 1-4, LAT 1-4

Saves: USA-Mann (9-4-11--24); 60:00
 LAT-Merzlikins (9-8-8--25); 60:00

Shots: USA 12-9-8--29; LAT 9-4-12--25

Notes: Captain Seth Jones had a goal and an assist to lead the U.S. to a tournament-opening victory. The U.S. scored even strength, on the power play and shorthanded in the contest. Jones, who notched his sixth career multi-point game in the men's worlds, was named the U.S. Player of the Game.

Austria vs. USA • Preliminary Rd • Game 2

May 15, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (4,228)

Austria (h)	1	1	0	0	—	2
United States (v, white)	0	1	1	1	—	3

1st: AUT-Nissner (Kasper, Maier), 14:25
2nd: AUT-Huber (Wukovits, Hausum), 14:26
 USA-Bellows (Meyers, Megna), 14:43
3rd: USA-Gaudette (Galchenyuk, Jones), 5x4 PPG, 8:43
OT: USA-Hughes (Farrell), 3:07

Penalties: AUT 4-8, USA 3-6 **Power Plays:** AUT 0-3, USA 1-4

Saves: AUT-Kickert (11-13-11--36); 63:07
 USA-Mann (5-3-5-1--14); 63:07

Shots: AUT 6-4-5-1--16; USA 11-14-12-2--39

Notes: The U.S. rallied from a 2-0 deficit and beat Austria in overtime on Quinn Hughes' breakaway tally 3:07 into the extra session. Austria had a late power play in regulation that carried into overtime, but blocks by Seth Jones and Nate Schmidt contributed to a successful penalty kill for Team USA. Adam Gaudette was named the U.S. Player of the Game.

Finland vs. USA • Preliminary Rd • Game 3

May 16, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (11,555)

Finland (h)	1	3	0	—	4
United States (v, white)	0	0	1	—	1

1st: FIN-Granlund (Manninen, Lehtonen), 5x4 PPG, 17:20
2nd: FIN-Filppula (Innala, Vatanen), 5x4 PPG, 4:42
 FIN-Manninen (Sallinen, Granlund), 5x4 PPG, 5:36
 FIN-Lehtonen (Hartikainen, Manninen), 10:50
3rd: USA-Galchenyuk (Hughes, Jones), 18:22

Penalties: FIN 7-14, USA 9-41 **Power Plays:** FIN 3-9, USA 0-5

Saves: FIN-Olkinuora (8-6-15--29); 60:00
 USA-Mann (10-8-3--21); 60:00

Shots: FIN 11-11-3--25; USA 8-6-16--30

Notes: The U.S. spent nearly 15 minutes killing penalties and it proved costly as Finland scored three times with the man advantage enroute to victory before a sellout crowd. Alex Galchenyuk got Team USA's lone goal with 1:38 left in the third. Luke Hughes was named the U.S. Player of the Game.

Great Britain vs. USA • Preliminary Rd • Game 4

May 19, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (4,506)

Great Britain (h)	0	0	0	—	0
United States (v, royal blue)	0	1	2	—	3

1st: No Scoring
2nd: USA-Meyers (Peeke, Schmidt)
3rd: USA-Bellows (Gaudette, Farrell), 5x4 PPG, :54
 USA-Bellows (Farrell, Schmidt), 5x4 PPG, 3:41

Penalties: GRB 5-10, USA 6-12 **Power Plays:** GRB 0-5, USA 2-5

Saves: GRB-Whistle (13-10-12--35); 60:00
 USA-Swayman (8-3-6--17); 60:00

Shots: GRB 8-3-6--17; USA 13-11-14--38

Notes: Jeremy Swayman made his world championship debut in style with a 17-save shutout. Kieffer Bellows, who was named the U.S. Player of the Game, had a pair of third period power play goals to pace the U.S. offense. Defensemen Jon Merrill also made his world championship debut but unfortunately got hurt on his first shift two minutes into the game and ultimately left the tournament.

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USA vs. Sweden • Preliminary Rd • Game 5

May 21, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (8,304)

United States (h, blue)	1	1	0	1	—	3
Sweden	1	0	1	0	—	2

1st: SWE-Dahlin (Lang, Aman), 2:28
USA-Gaudette (Meyers, Peeke), 8:50
2nd: USA-Schmidt (Gaudette, Tynan), 5x4 PPG, 18:58
3rd: SWE-Grundstrom (unassisted), 6:56
OT: USA-Gaudette (Tynan, Swayman), 4:48

Penalties: USA 3-6, SWE 3-6 **Power Plays:** USA 1-3, SWE 0-3

Saves: USA-Swayman (5-7-6-2--20); 64:48

SWE-Ullmark (5-7-6-3--21); 64:48

Shots: USA 6-8-6-4--24; SWE 6-7-7-2--22

Notes: Adam Gaudette scored with :12 left in overtime to lift Team USA to victory over Group B-leading Sweden. Gaudette, who had two goals an assist in the contest, was named the U.S. Player of the Game.

USA vs. Czechia • Preliminary Rd • Game 6

May 23, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (5,270)

United States (h, blue)	0	0	0	—	0
Czechia	1	0	0	—	1

1st: CZE-Blumel (Zohorna), 7:53
2nd: No Scoring
3rd: No Scoring

Penalties: USA 2-7, CZE 3-6 **Power Plays:** USA 0-3, CZE 0-2

Saves: USA-Swayman (2-4-9--15); 57:29

CZE-Vejmelka (8-7-9--24); 60:00

Shots: USA 8-7-9--24; CZE 3-4-9--16

Notes: The U.S. outshot Czechia 24-16, but couldn't solve netminder Karel Vejmelka in what was an entertaining and closely contested game. Jeremy Swayman was named the U.S. Player of the Game.

USA vs. Norway • Preliminary Rd • Game 7

May 24, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (5,435)

United States (h, royal blue)	2	1	1	—	4
Norway	0	1	1	—	2

1st: USA-Hartman (Galychenyuk, Lafferty), 3:45
USA-Boldy (Galychenyuk), 7:20
2nd: NOR-Martinsen (Haga, Roymark), 2:43
USA-Meyers (Hughes, Kuhlman), 8:05
3rd: NOR-Rokseth (Jakobsson, Trettenes), 1:59
USA-Farrell (unassisted), ENG, 19:20

Penalties: USA 2-4, NOR 2-4 **Power Plays:** USA 0-2, NOR 0-2

Saves: USA-Swayman (9-x-x--9); 20:00

USA-Mann (x-7-5--12); 40:00

NOR-Haukeland (12-12-9--33); 58:43

Shots: USA 14-13-10--37; NOR 9-8-6--23

Notes: The U.S. used forwards Sam Lafferty and Riley Barber on defense and Jeremy Swayman and Strauss Mann split time in net in a game that had no real meaning as Team USA was already assured a spot in the quarterfinals and could finish no higher than fourth in Group B. Matt Boldy was named the U.S. Player of the Game and was one of four players who recorded goals for Team USA.

Switzerland vs. USA • Quarterfinal

May 24, 2022 — at Helsinki Ice Hall • Helsinki, Finland (3,727)

Switzerland	0	0	0	—	0
United States (v, white)	2	0	1	—	3

1st: USA-Meyers (Bellows, Hughes), 5x4 PPG, 11:59
USA-Gaudette (Peeke), 16:42
2nd: No Scoring
3rd: USA-Meyers (Kuhlman, Farrell), 14:06

Penalties: SUI 1-2, USA 2-4 **Power Plays:** SUI 0-2, USA 1-1

Saves: SUI-Genoni (10-6-3--19); 54:25

USA-Swayman (4-17-12--33); 60:00

Shots: SUI 4-17-12--33; USA 4-6-12--22

Notes: The U.S. earned a hard fought win to advance to the semifinals of the world championship for the fifth time in the last seven tournaments. Jeremy Swayman, who was named the U.S. Player of the Game, notched his second shutout in the world championship with 33 saves. Ben Meyers recorded two goals, including off a great feed from Karson Kuhlman in the third period, to seal the game. Adam Gaudette had a highlight-reel goal late in the first period as he dove head-first, chipped the puck past the netminder and batted the puck from his knees into the net.

Finland vs. USA • Semifinal

May 28, 2022 — at Nokia Arena • Tampere, Finland (11,055)

Finland	1	2	1	—	3
United States (v, white)	1	1	1	—	4

1st: USA-Schmidt (Peeke, Tynan), 1:04
FIN-Heiskanen (Pesonen, Armia), 16:53
2nd: FIN-Manninen (Lehtonen, Hartikainen), 5x4 PPG, 4:11
USA-Farrell (Meyers, Jones), 6:52
FIN-Vatanen (Pesonen, Heiskanen), 9:40
3rd: FIN-Armia (Heiskanen, Vatanen), 5:03
USA-Gaudette (Boldy, Tynan), 17:09 (with extra attacker)

Penalties: FIN 1-2, USA 3-6 **Power Plays:** FIN 1-3, USA 0-1

Saves: FIN-Olkinuora (10-5-10--25); 60:00

USA-Swayman (6-8-8--22); 56:56

Shots: FIN 7-10-9--26; USA 11-6-11--28

Notes: Team USA came up a goal short in a valiant effort against host Finland before a sellout crowd in Tampere. The U.S. had just four healthy defensemen in the contest, with Seth Jones playing almost 32 minutes. Forward Sam Lafferty filled in on the blueline. Jones was named the U.S. Player of the Game and was also named one of Team USA's best three players of the tournament with forward Adam Gaudette and goaltender Jeremy Swayman.

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Playing Statistics

No.	Name	Pos.	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM	+/-	GWG	PPG	SHG	SOG	SG%	TM	M/G	TSh	AT/S
1	SWAYMAN Jeremy	GK	6	0	1	1	0		0	0	0	0	0.00				
2	PEEKE Andrew	D	9	0	5	5	6	0	0	0	0	10	0.00	189:37	21:04	251	0:45
4	JONES Seth	D	9	1	4	5	0	+4	1	1	0	17	5.88	240:27	26:43	290	0:49
5	MERRILL Jon	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	1:11	1:11	2	0:35
7	BLANKENBURG Nick	D	4	0	0	0	0	+1	0	0	0	2	0.00	60:10	15:02	83	0:43
11	BARBER Riley	F	8	1	0	1	2	+2	0	0	0	5	20.00	74:08	9:16	92	0:48
12	BOLDY Matthew	F	4	1	1	2	2	+2	0	0	0	11	9.09	74:46	18:41	89	0:50
14	TYNAN T J	F	5	0	4	4	2	+2	0	0	0	6	0.00	82:38	16:31	107	0:46
15	HAYDEN John	F	9	0	0	0	4	-2	0	0	0	15	0.00	106:26	11:49	128	0:49
16	WATSON Austin	F	9	0	0	0	27	-3	0	0	0	14	0.00	79:30	8:50	121	0:39
17	GAUDETTE Adam	F	9	5	2	7	10	+4	1	1	0	26	19.23	152:23	16:55	181	0:50
22	BELLOWS Kieffer	F	9	3	2	5	7	+3	0	2	0	31	9.68	130:51	14:32	164	0:47
24	LAFFERTY Sam	F	9	1	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	9	11.11	132:04	14:40	182	0:43
25	KUHLMAN Karson	F	9	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	10	0.00	141:29	15:43	188	0:45
26	FARRELL Sean	F	9	2	4	6	4	+3	0	0	0	18	11.11	125:27	13:56	171	0:44
27	GALCHENYUK Alex	F	9	1	4	5	6	+1	0	0	0	14	7.14	131:33	14:37	165	0:47
28	LETTIERI Vinni	F	9	0	0	0	4	-1	0	0	0	16	0.00	111:02	12:20	146	0:45
31	MANN Strauss	GK	9	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0.00				
32	GILLIES Jon	GK	3	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0.00				
34	BORDELEAU Thomas	F	7	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	7	14.29	74:22	10:37	104	0:42
38	HARTMAN Ryan	F	4	1	0	1	2	+2	0	0	0	11	9.09	57:13	14:18	77	0:44
43	HUGHES Luke	D	9	1	3	4	0	+2	1	0	0	11	9.09	168:19	18:42	224	0:45
44	MEGNA Jaycob	D	8	0	2	2	4	+2	0	0	0	6	0.00	160:42	20:05	221	0:43
59	MEYERS Ben	F	9	4	3	7	2	+7	3	1	0	14	28.57	156:11	17:21	191	0:49
88	SCHMIDT Nate	D	9	2	3	5	4	+3	0	1	0	19	10.53	209:57	23:19	262	0:48

Goalkeeping Statistics

No.	Name	GPT	GKD	GPI	MIP	MIP%	GA	SVS	SOG	SVS%	GAA	SO	W	L
1	SWAYMAN Jeremy		9	6	6	319:13	58.86	7	116	123	94.31	1.32	2	3
31	MANN Strauss		9	9	4	223:07	41.14	9	71	80	88.75	2.42	0	3
32	GILLIES Jon		9	3	0	00:00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0

Legend:

+/-	Plus/minus net	A	Assists	AT/S	Average time per shift
D	Defender	F	Forward	G	Goals
GA	Goals against	GAA	Goals against as average per 60 minutes	GK	Goalkeeper
GKD	Goalkeeper dressed	GP	Number of games played	GPI	Games played in
GPT	Number of games played by team	GWG	Game winning goals	L	Number of games lost
MIP	Minutes and seconds played	MIP%	MIP as percentage	M/G	Minutes per game
No.	Jersey number	PIM	Penalties in minutes	Pos.	Position on team
PPG	Power play goals	PTS	Points	SG%	Percentage of goals from total shots
SHG	Shorthanded goals	SO	Shutouts	SOG	Shots on goal
SVS	Saves	SVS%	SVS as percentage of total SOG	TM	Total minutes played
TSh	Total shifts played	W	Number of games won		

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