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This Week in Sharks Territory...

November 11, 2009

Check out TWIST every Wednesday to find up-to-date info on the schedule, players, promotions, events, and much more. My name is Kelly Mullen, Public Relations Intern for the Sharks, and I'm prepared to keep you in the know.

**Worcester
Sharks
8-4-0-1**

FIND FINZ!



PIC OF THE WEEK



Kevin Henderson brings the puck down the ice trailed by teammates John McCarthy and Danny Groulx.

SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, 11/19, 6:30-7:30pm
Upton Boy Scout Group

Friday, 11/20, 6:30-7:30pm
Pack 150 Meeting, North Grafton

Saturday, 11/21, 10:00am-12:00pm
Boyd Radio Show at CDC

Saturday, 11/21, 1:00-2:00pm
Our Lady of the Valley Regional
Holiday Fair, Uxbridge

To invite FINZ to an event, visit
www.sharksahl.com and go to the
Community section to fill out the
FINZ request form.

Wednesday, 11/11 HOME vs. LOWELL
Veteran's Day/Unemployed Ticket Vouchers with proof of
unemployment/military ID!

Friday, 11/13 @ LOWELL

Saturday, 11/14 HOME vs. HARTFORD
Tiffany Thornton of the hit Disney show *Sonny with a Chance* autograph
session

Sunday, 11/15 HOME vs. PROVIDENCE
4th Annual Canned Food Drive with the Worcester County Sheriff's Office –
with a donation, FREE ticket vouchers provided by Price Chopper



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GET TO KNOW...



4 DANNY GROULX

Position: Defense
Born: June 23, 1981
Hometown: LaSalle, PQ, Canada
Height: 6.0
Weight: 203
Shoots: L

Season	Team	Lge	--- Regular Season ---					---- Playoffs ----				
			GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM
1997-98	Val d'Or Foreurs	QMJHL	63	4	16	20	61	19	1	4	5	18
1998-99	Val d'Or Foreurs	QMJHL	36	3	26	29	55	--	--	--	--	--
1998-99	Acadie-Bathurst Titan	QMJHL	36	2	15	17	51	18	0	2	2	6
1999-00	Victoriaville Tigres	QMJHL	66	12	55	67	131	6	0	4	4	14
2000-01	Victoriaville Tigres	QMJHL	72	16	71	87	164	13	2	19	21	46
2001-02	Victoriaville Tigres	QMJHL	68	29	83	112	165	22	9	30	39	68
2002-03	Grand Rapids Griffins	AHL	71	3	7	10	52	7	0	1	1	7
2003-04	Grand Rapids Griffins	AHL	79	8	13	21	93	3	0	0	0	0
2004-05	Grand Rapids Griffins	AHL	53	1	11	12	90	--	--	--	--	--
2004-05	Manitoba Moose	AHL	16	2	5	7	16	13	1	3	4	14
2005-06	Kassel Huskies	DEL	51	2	11	13	93	--	--	--	--	--
2006-07	Hamilton Bulldogs	AHL	58	0	16	16	62	22	6	6	12	14
2007-08	Manitoba Moose	AHL	58	4	20	24	32	6	2	1	3	12
2008-09	Rockford IceHogs	AHL	80	6	34	40	58	4	0	2	2	2
2008-09	Worcester Sharks	AHL	13	1	12	13	14					



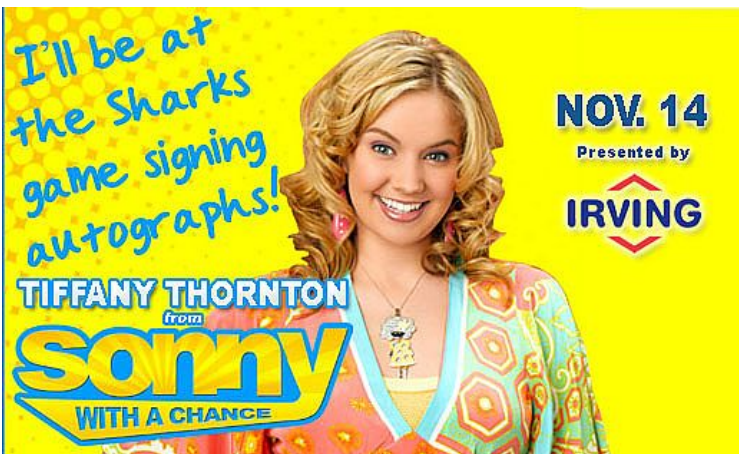
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TRANSACTIONS

Logan Couture – recalled to San Jose from Worcester (11/3)
Jamie McGinn – recalled to San Jose from Worcester (11/3)
Derek Joslin – recalled to San Jose from Worcester (11/5)
Joe Callahan – recalled to San Jose from Worcester (11/5)
Will Colbert – recalled from Kalamazoo (ECHL) to Worcester (11/6)
Joe Callahan – reassigned from San Jose to Worcester (11/6)
Logan Couture – reassigned from San Jose to Worcester (11/8)
Benn Ferriero – reassigned from San Jose to Worcester (11/8)
Torrey Mitchell – reassigned from San Jose to Worcester (11/10)

UPCOMING EVENTS



Tiffany Thornton from Sonny with a Chance will be signing autographs on the Concourse from 5:30-7:30pm on Saturday, November 14, presented by Irving Oil.



4th Annual Worcester County Sheriff's Dept. Food Drive to benefit Friendly House in Worcester. Will be going on during Sunday's game at 7:05pm home vs. Providence. All donations will result in a FREE pair of ticket vouchers (provided by Price Chopper). Join in a post-game skate with FINZ and the Sharks!

DID YOU KNOW?

Danny Groulx is second in the AHL with 12 assists.



John McCarthy received his first professional fighting major on 11/8 vs. WB-Scranton's Kevin Vellieux.



Worcester is currently in second place in the Atlantic Division, trailing Manchester.





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GAME RECAP

HOME VS. MANCHESTER, W 2-1

In a heated shootout, the Sharks defeated the first place Monarchs 2-1 on Friday night at the DCU Center riding on the goals from Dwight Helminen and Danny Groulx. Manchester's Jonathan Bernier had 45 saves on the night, while Alex Stalock stopped 29 for Worcester.

The Monarchs started the scoring at 4:22 in the first on the power play when David Kolomatis popped one past Worcester's Alex Stalock through a screen. Worcester led in shots 14-8, but the Monarchs held their 1-0 lead after 20:00 minutes of play.

At 4:25 in the second period, Matt Jones fed to Nicholas Petrecki who fired a slapshot from the blue line, which was tipped in by Dwight Helminen to give the Sharks their first goal of the night.

The third period went scoreless, leaving each team with one goal and forcing overtime. Both the Sharks and Monarchs came close to scoring during the five minute overtime, but neither side capitalized. Worcester outshot the Monarchs 46-30 through 65 minutes.

The shootout featured nine shooters per side. Worcester's second shooter Dwight Helminen scored first. Manchester's fifth shooter Trevor Lewis pushed one by Stalock to even the score. Danny Groulx, Worcester's final shooter in the 9th round, had the game-winning goal to snag the 2-1 win for the Sharks. Tonight marked first shootout win of the season for the Sharks.

With the win, the Sharks move to 8-3-0-1 (17 points) on the season.

Notes: Three stars (3) Danny Groulx (game-winning goal), (2) Jonathan Bernier (45 saves), (1) Alex Stalock (29 saves)... The Sharks went 0/6 on the power play...The Monarchs went 1/6 on the power play...Tonight marked the fifth straight win at home for Worcester.... William Colbert played his first AHL game for Worcester after he was recalled from Kalamazoo on Thursday.



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HOME VS. Wilkes-Barre/Scranton, L 2-1

Mark Letestu scored the game winning goal and John Curry held off a late third period charge as the Sharks fell to the Penguins 2-1 at the DCU Center on Saturday night to break a five game home winning streak.

The Sharks got off to a slow start as the Penguins struck twice in the first period. The scoring started at 16:36 when Ben Lovejoy put one home with a great wrist shot from the right circle that rang off the post and in past Alex Stalock during 4on4 play. The Penguins struck again when Mark Letestu buried a rebound at 18:15 on a power play. On the ensuing faceoff, Sharks forward Brandon Mashinter fought Penguins forward Wade Brookbank in an entertaining bout. Final shots in the period were 10-7 in favor of the Penguins.

Worcester cut the lead in half in the second period when Steven Zalewski banged home a rebound past Penguins goaltender John Curry at 7:44. Zalewski buried the puck past Curry after a great first effort by T.J. Trevelyan. The Penguins led 2-1 after forty minutes of play.

The Sharks played a solid third period but were not able to score the equalizer. John Curry held the fort down making 14 saves in the final period to secure the victory for the Penguins.

With the loss, the Sharks fall to 8-4-0-1 (17 points) on the season. The Sharks conclude their four game home stand on Wednesday as they host the Lowell Devils at 1:05 p.m.

Notes: Three stars: (1) Penguins forward Mark Letestu, GWG (2) Sharks forward Steven Zalewski, G (3) Penguins goaltender John Curry, 30 saves....Alex Stalock made 32 saves for the Sharks Worcester went 1/6 on the power play.....Wilkes-Barre/Scranton went 1/5 on the power play.... Final shots were 34-31 in favor on the Penguins... John McCarthy fought Keven Veilleux at 7:46 of the 2nd period, with each receiving their first professional fighting majors.... The Sharks five game win streak at home was broken; their record is seven games in 2006... the Sharks fell to 1-4-0-0 all-time vs. the Penguins.