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Bearcat to Hang His Blocker and Trapper Up Injuries sited as main reason for the retirement

Windsor -ap- While holding back tears,
Dean 'Bearcat' Meloche announced his
retirement from Hockey and the Windsor
Tomcats on Monday November 30, 2015.
With his brother Bulldog Meloche at his side,
Bearcat Meloche thanked the Tomcats for
letting him play within the organization and
"Some of the best guys you ever want to
meet and be friends with were right here on
the Kapusta Kow Floor Stage, I will remember
Tuesday nights for as long as live".

"I am so glad that he came out and played Tuesday night, it always gave me a chance to see my brother. I always wished him well on Tuesday nights and come Tournament time, except of course when I played against him." Bulldog stated with a chuckle.

"If they were really really stuck for the tournament, I could maybe do one more tournament, but the knees are not what they use to be and I think its best I hang them up on a high note" Bearcat indicated.

Steven Jaworiwsky recalls how Bearcat became a Tomcat. "Bulldog had told me that he had a brother that played goal. I had called Bulldog's

house one day and Bearcat answered as he was baby sitting Bulldog's kids and we engaged in a conversation, I did not know Bearcat at the time and I had never met him, it took some persuading but eventually Bearcat came out and ended up staying, he was a great addition

to the Tomcat fold".

Bearcat Meloche won one Stanely's Cup, back in 2004, when he was the Captain of the team. Also on that team, Louis Koenigsberger, Mark Jennings, Norm Seurukas, Jeff Jamieson, Stephan Szewczuk, Rob Duroucher and Paul Poisson.

Bearcat Melcohe started with the Tomcats in 1995. Good luck in your retirement from hockey, Tomcat nation wish you love and happiness.

The Windsor Tomcats: "He is a super net minder and will be missed on Tuesday nights and at the main tournament on the Saturday in February. We hope you still come around and visit, we wish you the best in your hockey retirement, Tomcats Forever", Chad Comartin, Vice President of the Windsor Tomcats.

Highlights, Bearcat Meloche

- Born September 17, 1972
- Drafted By Quebec 2nd round
- Signed with Tomcats 1995
- ▶Won Stanley's Cup 2004, with the Wild
- ■Brother of Famous Tomcat Bulldog Meloche
- Wears Number 33 because of Patrick Roy
- Favorite NHL Team Montreal Canadians
- Favorite Sexual Position, Doggy Style
- Favorite Tomcat Moment, "When I won the Stanley's Cup"



Early Bearcat Meloche



Bearcat Meloche holds up the Stanley's Cup as he was the Team Captain of the 2004 Wild It was his one and only Stanley's Cup.



Later Bearcat Meloche



Brother Bulldog and Hollywood Jaworiwsky
"He is a fantastic person a great brother and a
super goalie, Patrick Roy would have been proud"
Bulldog Meloche

Tomcat Christmas Party After Hockey on a Tuesday Night will be Tuesday December 15
Beer, Mixed Drinks, Pizza Provided. Make sure you have a DD

Tomcats Have Not Given Up On Junior

The Windsor Tomcats also released a press release on Monday November 30, 2015, that they are still hoping that Paul Poisson returns. "There has been no contact made, but we are hoping that he reaches out to us and asks to come back. We paln to respect his wishes and not contact him for any Tomcat events and we don't plan to bother him, but we are hoping that he reconsiders his decision and comes out

to play. All it will take is a simple text to me, saying he wants to come back" indicated Steven Jaworiwsky.

Paul 'Junior' Poisson was not available for comment.

"It would be nice for him to return, maybe not in 2015, but certainly in 2016, in January, new year, new lease on life", stated defensive partner and very close personal friend Louis Koenigsberger.

Status On The Rake

One player that is noticeably missing from the Tomcat lineup is Louis 'The Rake' Koenigsberger. After shedding 30 pounds and getting ready for the Tomcat season, he suffered an injury during a workout that has set him back 'injury wise'.

Koenigsberger is to see the surgeon on December 17. "I doubt that I will be back in the lineup for the rest of the year." Koenigsberger said with large tears rolling down on his cheeks.

" I will gladly continue being an active (Sob sob) Tomcat and help out..(Sob sob) in any way I can" Koengisberger stated.

Koenigsberger has been a main stay on the Tomcat defense for years and is also on the Board of Directors and always pitches in and helps BBQ at the Tomcat Golf outing.

Tomcat Christmas Party

Kapusta Kow Palace December 15 is this year's Tomcat Christmas party for players and alumni. "Wow I can't believe that that time of year is already here", stated Snowpants. This year Instead of a Tomcat Christmas gift, the Tomcats will be paying for pizza. "We have always paid for the beer (MGD) and the Rye and the Rum, but this year we are also paying for the pizza" Stated Vice President Chad Comartin. Tomcat would love for everyone to be there and to indulge in drinks, good cheer and pizza and of course the most important thing is to drink responsibly.

"A designated driver is always a great idea", states Comartin
"We don't mind if you have more than a few, but be
responsible and get home safely and don't drink and
drive" Comartin concluded.

This year, once again, the Minister of Pizza, George 'The Turk' Metulynsky will be corralling the order.

Tomcats Make Announcement 2 new assistants named to the Team

Windsor -AP- The Tomcats announced on Friday November 27 that they have made two new assistant Captains to go along with the two that they already have. Named to the assistant Captain ranks are Mike 'Lovie' Edgar and John 'Sunny' Salaris. Originally it was announced that only Lovie Edgar was announced as an assistant.

"No, we looked at it, and we needed two new assistants to go along with Sparky Renaud and Michael Jaworiwsky, so we made both of them as the new assistants. They will be sitting in the front row come tournament team photo day along with Rocky, Sparky and Hollywood". Stated Gerald Finnerty General Manager of the Windsor Tomcats. Tomcats in the off season announced that the golf tournament will be named after Snowpants Ferranti, "Pantelon de Niege" cup and now have named 2 solid guys as the 3rd and 4th assistant Captains.

"I am very thankful to be part of this organization" stated classy guy John Salaris.



Lovie Edgar, Snowpants Ferranti and Sunny Salaris.
"I know both Sunny and I are truly honoured to be named as assistants for this great organization known as the Windsor Tomcats, I say this on behalf of both of us, 'Tomcats Forever'".

Rocky's Status Rocky Injury update

Windsor -AP- Tomcat Team Captain, Chad 'Rocky'
Comartin remains on the Long Term IR. In the latest
medical information Comartin had this to say.

"I have a torn supraspinatus muscle (part of rotator
cuff) and my bicep tendon is overly inflamed. Waiting
to see if surgery will be needed or just let it heal
naturaly. It is killing me to not have played hockey yet.
Bought new sticks and shoes and can't even use them
yet, what a bummer" Comartin Concluded.
Comartin's steady D on defense is missed by the
Tomcats.

Doc 2 B Making Shout Out Tournament Players Sought

Windsor -AP- Doc Brewin, Tournament organizer will be putting up, or sending out a notice in regards to the Feb 27, 2016 Tomcat Tournament. "Everyone is excited, including the 4 team captains and of course I am, as this is the first year running it, with no help what so ever, from anyone" an exuberant Brewin stated.

"I know I am excited", stated Captain, Matty Youssef and then added, "I already have a team name, the Matador Marlies and I'm looking at colours for my tee shirts and logo designs, these are indeed exciting times". Concluded Matador Youssef.

Great Christmas Party, thanks Chevy, Snowpants & Sunny



Good showing by the Tomcats for the Christmas party, a fun time was had by all. The food was fantastic, "Best Chicken Wings in the city" stated Sheep Dog Lamb, great Tomcat Christmas spirit by those who went.

"Certainly would love to see more guys come out, may have to run a focus group, as to why some not able to go or not interested in going" stated one of the organizers, Chevy Szewczuk



A Christmas Wrestler is what the Tomcats were thinking when this Giant came in, but it was the Green Giant with wife Tori.



Great to see the wives out, Jody Lamb and Natalie Salaris...