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Patrik Elias



Jamie Langenbrunner



Colin White

## Devils Re-Sign Forwards Patrik Elias, Jamie Langenbrunner, and Defenseman Colin White

Forward Mike Rupp to join the team for the second time

During the month of July, the New Jersey Devils announced the re-signings of left wing Patrik Elias, right wing Jamie Langenbrunner, and defenseman Colin White. Also in July, right wing Michael Rupp was signed and will be joining the team for the second time in his career.

Elias, 30, will be entering his ninth National Hockey League season, all with New Jersey. The 6-1, 195-lb. forward recorded 16 goals and 29 assists for 45 points while appearing in just 38 regular-season games this past year. Elias made his 2005-06 debut January 3, after missing most of the season with hepatitis-A. The native of Trebic, Czech Republic led the club with 16 points in nine playoff games, including a team record-tying 11 points in the Eastern Conference Quarterfinals vs. the NY Rangers. Elias' 11 points included a career-high six points in the series opener. His career totals show 223 goals and 281 assists for 504 points and 295 penalty minutes in 596 regular-season games. Elias ranks third on the Devils' all-time points-scoring list, is second in goals, eighth in assists, and tenth in games played. His 94 post-season points are the most in franchise history, as are his 34 goals (tie), and 60 assists. Elias was New Jersey's second choice, and 51st overall selection in the 1994 Entry Draft.

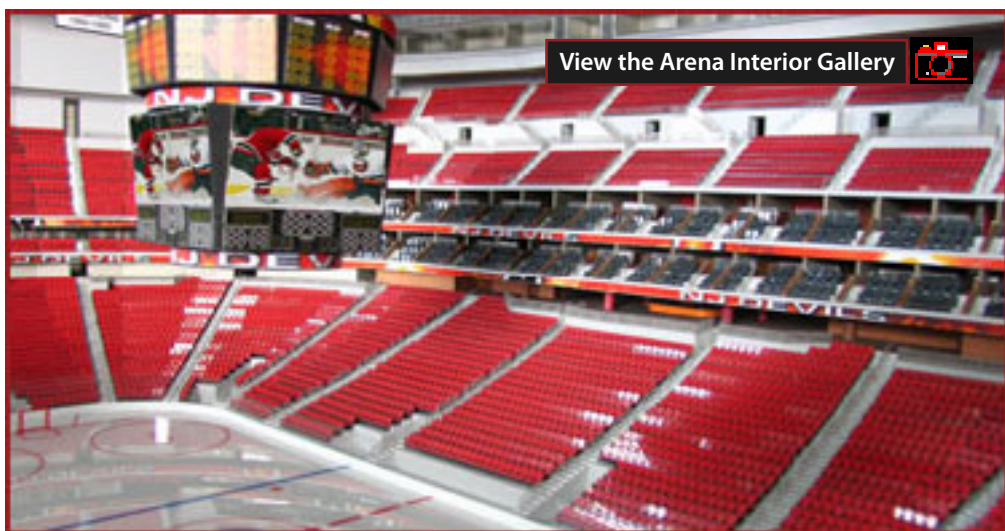
Langenbrunner, 31, appeared in 80 games this past season, recording 19 goals, and a career-high 34 assists for 53 points. The 6-1, 200-lb. winger finished second on the Devils in playoff scoring with 13 points, including a team-high (tie) ten assists. Langenbrunner has career totals of 144 goals and 231 assists for 375 points in 657 regular-season games. He was acquired by New Jersey on March 19, 2002, after five-plus seasons with Dallas. Langenbrunner was a member of Stanley Cup Championship teams with the Devils in 2003 and the Stars in 1999. The native of Cloquet, MN represented the United States in the 2004 World Cup, 1998 Olympic Winter Games, and two World Junior Championships.

White, 28, will be entering his sixth National Hockey League season, all with New Jersey. The 6-4, 215-lb. rearguard recorded three goals and 14 assists for 17 points in 73 regular-season games this past year. He has registered 15 goals and 56 assists for 71 points and 613 penalty minutes in 396 career regular-season games and added one goal and 13 assists in 87 career playoff games. The native of New Glasgow, N.S. was a member of the Devils 2000 and 2003 Stanley Cup Championship teams.

Rupp will be joining the Devils for the second time in his career. He played 81 total games as a Devil from 2002 through 2004 totaling 12 goals and 11 assists for 23 points. Rupp scored the game-winning goal in New Jersey's 3-0 win in Game 7 of the Stanley Cup finals in 2003 against Anaheim.

## Newark Arena Interior

The Devils welcome you to view an image gallery of the interior of the Newark Arena Model. The 18,000-seat arena and entertainment complex is currently under construction and is planned to be completed by August 2007.



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# Devils Sign Five Players

## Zach's Brother Jordan Parise Receives His First Professional Contract

On July 14, 2006, the New Jersey Devils signed goaltender Jordan Parise to his first professional contract. Also in July, the New Jersey Devils signed four free agents: forward Rod Pelley, and defensemen Tomas Harant, Mike Mottau, and Johnny Oduya. The announcements were made by Devils CEO/President/General Manager Lou Lamoriello.

Parise, 23, is the older brother of current Devils forward Zach Parise. The 5-11, 190 lb. goaltender was born September 19, 1982 in Faribault, MN, and spent the past three seasons at the University of North Dakota (WCHA). Parise's career totals show 55 wins, 20 losses, and seven ties, with ten shutouts and a 2.14 goals-against average in 83 games. This past season, he reached career highs in games played (34), wins (24), and shutouts (6). Parise completed his collegiate playing career as North Dakota's all-time leader in goals-against average, while finishing second in victories and shutouts. He was named to the 2006 NCAA West All-Tournament and WCHA Third All-Star Teams, as well as the 2005 and 2006 WCHA All-Academic Teams. Jordan's teammates at UND included Zach, as well as Devils prospect Travis Zajac. The team participated in the NCAA Frozen Four the past two seasons, reaching the NCAA Championship Game in 2005. They also reached the WCHA Championship Game during two of the last three seasons, winning in 2005-06.

Pelley, 21, spent four seasons at Ohio State (CCHA), where he registered 47 goals and 41 assists for 88 points and 160 penalty minutes and was selected to the conference's Second All-Star Team in 2005. The 6-0, 200 lb. forward's college career also included trips to the 2004 and 2005 NCAA Tournaments, while capturing the 2004 CCHA Championship where he was named to the All-Tournament Team. Prior to college, Pelley spent the 2000-01 and 2001-02 seasons with Prince George and Vernon (BCJHL). In 2002, he played in the league's All-Star Game and was named to the First All-Star Team. Pelley was born September 1, 1984 in Kitimat, British Columbia.

Harant, 26, has spent his entire career in Europe and last season played with Ceske Budejovice in the Czech Republic, scoring two goals and seven assists while adding 90 penalty minutes in 45 contests. He tallied four goals and two assists in ten playoff games. Harant was also a member of Slovakia's team at the 2006 World Championships held in Riga, Latvia. The 6-3, 200 lb. backliner was Nashville's eighth choice and the 173rd overall pick in the 2000 Entry Draft. Harant was born April 28, 1980 in Zilina, Slovakia.

Mottau, 28, spent the 2005-06 season with Peoria (AHL) scoring eight goals and 48 assists for 56 points while accumulating 81 penalty minutes, as well as skating in the AHL PlanetUSA All-Star Game. The 6-0, 190 lb. rearguard spent parts of three NHL seasons with the NY Rangers and Calgary, skating in 23 games overall and tallying three assists. Mottau was New York's tenth choice and 182nd overall selection in the 1997 NHL Entry Draft. He played four seasons at Boston College (HE), scoring 27 goals and 130 assists for 157 points and 232 penalty minutes. Mottau's assist total still ranks first all-time in school/conference history, while his point total is the most by a defenseman both at B.C. and in Hockey East. He was an NCAA East First Team All-American twice (1999 and 2000), named to the 1998 Second Team, and was awarded the 2000 Hobey Baker Memorial Award as the top U.S. collegiate player. Mottau helped Boston College reach the NCAA Frozen Four three times and capture the 1998 and 1999 Hockey East Championships. His B.C. teammates included Brian Gionta and Scott Clemmensen. Mottau's international experience includes the 1998 World Junior Championship and three World Championship appearances for the United States. He was born March 19, 1978 in Quincy, MA.

Oduya, 24, played the 2005-06 season with Frolunda of the Swedish Elite League where he tallied eight goals and 11 assists along with 95 penalty minutes. He added one goal and two assists in 17 playoff games to help his club advance to the championship round. The 6-0, 200 lb. defenseman split his one season in junior hockey with Moncton and Victoriaville (QMJHL). Oduya was born October 1, 1981 in Stockholm, Sweden.



Jordan Parise

## "The Streak" Continues

FOX Sports Net New York is showing the games from "The Streak," the Devils 15-game run from the end of the 2005-06 NHL regular season through the first round of the playoffs, which will run until Thursday, September 14.



THU 8/3 8-10PM "THE STREAK" #6:  
NJ DEVILS AT MONTREAL (4/8/06)

THU 8/10 8-10PM "THE STREAK" #7:  
RANGERS AT NJ DEVILS (4/9/06)

THU 8/17 8-10PM "THE STREAK" #8:  
NJ DEVILS AT CAROLINA (4/11/06)

THU 8/24 8-10PM "THE STREAK" #9:  
PHILADELPHIA AT NJ DEVILS (4/13/06)

THU 8/31 8-10PM "THE STREAK" #10:  
PHILADELPHIA AT NJ DEVILS (4/16/06)

MON 9/4 8-10PM "THE STREAK" #11:  
NJ DEVILS AT MONTREAL (4/18/06)

THU 9/7 8-10PM "THE STREAK" #12:  
RANGERS AT NJ DEVILS (4/22/06)

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RANGERS AT NJ DEVILS (4/24/06)

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