Anders Lee, LW

Shoots: L

Height: 6-3

Weight: 227

Born: 1990-07-03

Hometown: St. Paul, MN

Drafted: 2009 by New York Islanders, 152nd Overall

Observations:

March 2014 - Lee has been one of the bright spots for the Islanders in an otherwise disappointing season. Lee now has four goals and an assist in six games this year. That brings his career total to five goals and seven points in eight career NHL games. The big winger has seemed to make the transition to the bigs seamlessly. *Brad Wilson*

March 2014 - Lee is steadily making a name for himself in the bigs. In the Isles 6-1 loss to New Jersey, he finished second on the team in hits with six and fired a team high three shots on net. That was in 12:05 of ice time. You have to wonder what he could do with second line minutes. *B rad Wilson*

February 2014 - Anders Lee had one heck of a debut for the 2014 Islanders. The rookie, twice brought his team back to tie the game and finished with two goals and a plus-1 in a big 5-4 win without John Tavares. This gives Lee three goals in three career NHL games. The one troubling spot for the youngster may be an apparent lack of confidence from his coach. Lee saw only 16 shifts for 12:21 of ice time with 2:53 of that on the power play. This means, despite playing a strong, effective game on both sides of the puck, Lee saw only 9:27 of ice during regular strength. That works out to nearly a full seven minutes less that an (at times) disinterested looking Vanek, who logged the same shot total of four, while posting a minus-2. *Brad Wilson*

February 2014 - Lee will get his shot in an Islanders jersey a little sooner this season than he did last. He has been called up along with line-mates Strome and Halmo. He was in a familiar spot on Strome`s left wing in his first practice as the duo combined with McDonald to make up the third line. Familiarity with his center should help his transition to the faster game. It was only a matter of time before he was in the NHL as Lee has been lighting it up for Bridgeport. At the time of his call-up he was leading the team in scoring and ranked second among AHL rookies in goals. *Brad Wilson*

January 2014 - Lee continues to roll along on the Sound Tigers top line. He now has 34 points in 45 games and ranks second in team scoring only to Ryan Strome. Lee is developing into a solid option on left wing. *Brad Wilson*

November 2013 - Lee is flanking Strome on the Sound Tigers top line as he continues to work through his contract year. The team got off to a slow start, registering just one win in their first seven games. They have been making some headway of late as their top guys start to round into form. As of this writing, Lee has put up eight points in the last seven games to total 11 on the year and sits second in team scoring. *Brad Wilson*

October 2013 – Lee has been sent down to the Sound Tigers. He earned plenty of ice time on the left wing during the pre-season but was unable to make a large enough impact to crack the NHL roster. *Brad Wilson*

August 2013 – Lee is a power forward with size. He has shown a knack for finishing in the dirty areas and shows a quick and accurate wrist shot. In 125 CCHA games for Notre Dame, Lee had 61 goals and 116 points. He signed a 2yr 900k entry level deal with the Islanders in April and played two games for NY logging 1 goal and 1 assist with a minus 3. Lee scored his first NHL goal on his first NHL shot in his first NHL game. Lee excelled as the Captain of the Notre Dame Fighting Irish. He was an All American this past season and is showing a desire to make the jump to the next level. The Islanders moved Lee to LW in a fourth-line role for his short two game audition back in April. *Brad Wilson*

February 2012 – Lee is a big-bodied power forward willing to go into high traffic areas of the ice, and has good hands to finish the play. He averaged a point per game as a freshman at Notre Dame last year, and is very close to that mark again this season (30 points in 32 games). Lee is an excellent athlete who was a highly touted quarterback in high school. *Rich Dillon*

Fantasy Outlook : B-

Lee is expected to spend the season developing in the AHL with the Bridgeport Sound Tigers. Second-line upside.

Footage:

Lee 2012/2013 highlights including first NHL goal:

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