



# Willy "The Wisp" Lindstrom



Bo Morgan Willy Lindstrom  
 Right Wing  
 Born May 5, 1951 in Grums, Sweden  
 Height: 6' 0" Weight: 180 lbs.

After turning them down during the summer of 1974, Willy Lindstrom finally put his signature on a Winnipeg Jets' contract. The former truck driver and mechanic in the Swedish Army spent four WHA seasons with the Jets, scoring a career-high 44 goals in 1976-1977. Lindstrom was an important part of all three Jets' AVCO Cup championship teams and he was the Jets' leading goal scorer during the 1979 playoffs.

Lindstrom remained with the Jets following their entry into the NHL until he was traded to the Edmonton Oilers late in the 1982-1983 season. He last saw NHL action in the 1986-1987 season before returning to Sweden to finish his career. Lindstrom was a WHA All-Star in 1977 and was one of the most popular players in Jets' history.

## Scoring Statistics

<u>Regular Season</u>							<u>Playoffs</u>						
<u>Season</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>PIM</u>	<u>Season</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>PIM</u>
1975-1976	Winnipeg Jets	81	23	36	59	32	1975-1976	Winnipeg Jets	11	13	7	20	2
1976-1977	Winnipeg Jets	79	44	36	80	37	1976-1977	Winnipeg Jets	20	9	6	15	22
1977-1978	Winnipeg Jets	77	30	30	60	42	1977-1978	Winnipeg Jets	8	3	4	7	17
1978-1979	Winnipeg Jets	79	26	36	62	22	1978-1979	Winnipeg Jets	10	10	5	15	9

## Jersey Numbers

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20	1975-1976	Winnipeg Jets
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## Transactions

<u>Date</u>	<u>Details</u>
July 1975	Winnipeg Jets sign Willy Lindstrom as a free agent.