

Macon Whoopees Norm Schmitz 1973-74 game worn jersey, size 48.

This red durene road jersey was worn by defenseman Norm Schmitz. The Saskatchewan native played two seasons in the AHL in the mid-sixties and spent the remainder of his career with numerous minor league teams in the EHL and SHL. This well-worn Rawlings lace up jersey has the sewn on Macon Whoopees logo in three color twill on the front. The sewn numbers on the back and the sleeves are in two color sewn twill. Below the Rawlings neck tag is a sewn-on embroidered patch from Willingham Sports, the local jersey supplier for the team. The jersey has reinforced shoulders and elbows but no fight strap. I had the pleasure of photographing this jersey in the fall of 2013 for historical purposes after locating it in the possession of the former team Assistant General Manager Bill Buckley.

