

**Macon Mayhem Daniel Gentzler 2016-17 game worn helmet, size L.**

After a four-year college career at Colgate University, California native Daniel “Gudge” Gentzler started his pro career with the Macon Mayhem in the team’s inaugural season. Gentzler scored 12 goals and tallied 25 assists for 37 points in 48 games in 2015-2016. According to Gentzler, his unusual nickname originated when his mother was pregnant, his dad and his friends saw a movie called *Winter People*, which had a character named Gudger. When he was born, those friends had t-shirts made saying “The Gudge Man Cometh” and the nickname stuck. As a promotion, the Mayhem introduced the Gudge Gentzler Family 4-Pack, where fans got 4 tickets, 4 hot dogs, 4 Cokes, and 4 hats for \$45, which was his jersey number. In 2016-17, Gentzler scored 13 goals with 26 assists and was second to Dennis Sicard in penalty minutes with 114. He also scored the winning goal in game one of the 2016-17 SPHL President’s Cup finals. This navy blue Easton E400 helmet was worn with both home and away jerseys. It has a pair of Marcos Pizza sponsor decals on each side, an SPHL decal on the left rear and Gentzler’s number 45 in white vinyl on the back center. A Tron S40 visor was included but had been removed from the helmet by the team, along with the chin strap. It has been photo matched to pictures of Gentzler taken during the 2016-17 season. I acquired this helmet directly from the team.

