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FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP February 10, 2024 – CALGARY FLAMES [5] at NEW YORK ISLANDERS [2]

Game Summary I Event Summary

The Calgary Flames continued a four game Eastern Conference road swing on Saturday afternoon for a matinee tilt in Long Island. MacKenzie Weegar would start the scoring 3:47 into the contest with his 13th of the season and the Flames led 1-0 through 20. The Flames would add another two in the second from Jonathan Huberdeau and MacKenzie Weegar to head into the third with a 3-0 advantage. In the third, the clubs would trade goals including MacKenzie Weegar who netted his third of the night to score his first career hat trick as the Flames won 5-2.

CGY GOAL SCORERS: Weegar (13, 14, 15), Huberdeau (8), Coleman (21)

GOALIE: Markstrom 35/37, .946 Sv%

PP: 1/1 (100%) **PK:** 1/1 (0%)

FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 3-2-0

DATE	RESULT	GWG	CGY GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
February 10, 2024	CGY [5] at NYI [2] W	Weegar	Markstrom	Varlamov
February 8, 2024	CGY [5] at NJD [3] W	Kuzmenko	Markstrom	Vanecek
February 6, 2024	CGY [4] at BOS [1] W	Zary	Markstrom	Swayman
January 27, 2024	CHI [0] vs. CGY [1] W	Lindholm	Markstrom	Mrazek
January 25, 2024	CBJ [5] vs. CGY [2] L	Texier	Markstrom	Tarasov

^{*}shootout winning goal

FLAMES UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

DATE	TIME (MST)	OPPONENT	VENUE
February 12, 2024	5:00pm	at New York Rangers	Madison Square Garden
February 15, 2024	7:00pm	vs. San Jose Sharks	Scotiabank Saddledome
February 17, 2024	2:00pm	vs. Detroit Red Wings	Scotiabank Saddledome
February 19, 2024	2:00pm	vs. Winnipeg Jets	Scotiabank Saddledome
February 22, 2024	7:00pm	vs. Boston Bruins	Scotiabank Saddledome

TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS

This is the second of two meetings this season between the Flames and Rangers. The Flames dropped a 3-1 decision to the Rangers back on October 24th.

This is a Pacific Division versus Metropolitan Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 4-6-2 against Metropolitan Division teams and a record of 10-9-3 against Eastern Conference opponents.

LAST MEETING:

The Calgary Flames and New York Rangers met earlier this year in October for their first of two matchups of the campaign. The Flames would strike early with Blake Coleman netting his 200th NHL point to give the Flames a 1-0 lead just 1:15 into the contest. The score would remain 1-0 Calgary until just before the midway point of the second period when Alexis Lafrenière tipped an Erik Gustafsson point-shot in to draw the Rangers level. Chris Kreider would give New York their first lead of the night with a powerplay marker later in the period, before Erik Gustafsson made it a three-goal middle frame for the Rangers. Calgary was unable to find a response in the third, and New York held on for a 3-1 win.

WEEGSY BABY:

MacKenzie Weegar netted his 13th, 14th, and 15th of the season on Saturday afternoon in New York to record his first career hat trick. Weegar's 15 goals lead all blueliners in the NHL so far this season and are a career-best for the 30-year-old. Weegar also became the sixth different Flames defensemen to reach the 14-plus goal mark in the past 25 years with the last Flames rearguard to score more in a single campaign being Mark Giordano with 17 in 2018-19.

HATS OFF:

MacKenzie Weegar became the seventh defenseman in Flames history to record a hat trick, joining Nikita Zadorov (April 12, 2023), Dougie Hamilton (Feb. 17, 2018), Al MacInnis (March 16, 1992), Dana Murzyn (Feb. 22, 1990), Paul Reinhart (Nov. 24, 1986) and Barry Gibbs (Dec. 31, 1975). This was Weegar's first career hat trick and the first by a blueliner in the NHL this season. The Ottawa, ON native is the second Flames defenceman with a hat trick on the road in franchise history, with the only other being Barry Gibbs with the Atlanta Flames on December 31, 1975. Weegar joins Sharangovich as the two Flames to record hat tricks on the campaign.

DEFENCIVE SCORING:

After MacKenzie Weegar's hat trick on Saturday in Long Island, Calgary Flames defenceman have now scored 35 goals which is the second-most by a defensive core in the league so far this season, trailing only Colorado (43). Weegar leads the charge with 16 tallies, while Noah Hanifin (9), and Rasmus Andersson (7) are currently second and third in scoring among blueliners on the Flames.

HUBY DOO:

Jonthan Huberdeau recorded a goal and an assist on Saturday in New York for his second multi-point game in his last three contests. Since the start of February, Huberdeau is tied with Nazem Kadri for the team lead in points with five and his five points are also tied for the most in the NHL since Feb. 1. Huberdeau now sits at 699 points in his NHL career and is looking to become just the third skater to reach the 700-point plateau from the 2011 draft class.

MARKY MARK:

With his helper on MacKenzie Weegar's game-opening goal on Saturday against the Islanders, Jacob Markstrom recorded his fourth assist of the season. Only four different goaltenders in Flames franchise history have recorded more assists in a season, with the most recent being Roman Turek who registered five in 2001-02. Over his last four starts, Markstrom is 4-0-0 with a .954 save-percentage and a 1.50 goals-against average and has the second-most saves in the league since January 27th with 125.

ZAR STAR:

Connor Zary recorded his 25th point this season on Thursday to become the fourth Flames rookie in the past 34 years to reach 25 career points in 41 or fewer games, joining Matthew Tkachuk (38 GP in 2016-17), Johnny Gaudreau (35 GP in 2013-14 – 2014-15) and Jarome Iginla (37 GP in 1996-97). Since making his NHL debut on November 1st, Zary's 12 goals and +16 rating lead all rookies in the NHL, while his 26 points are the third most.

HEY DID YOU KNOW?

With his 11th goal of the season, Mikael Backlund has scored the most goals by a Flames captain in a campaign since Mark Giordano netted 17 during the 2018-19 season.

Nazem Kadri's five assists in the month of February are tied for the most in the NHL.

In these teams' first meeting, Blake Coleman recorded his 200th NHL point. The Plano, Texas native became the third Texas-born NHLer to eclipse 200 NHL points, joining Brian Leetch and Seth Jones. Coleman joined Leetch last season as the only two Texas natives to score 100 NHL goals when he achieved the milestone on Feb. 28 against Boston.

CALGARY FLAMES vs. NEW YORK RANGERS

CGY vs. NYR	ALL-TIME	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
NÉW YORK	61-43-15-6	35-15-10-2	26-28-5-4	6-3-1	L1

GAME INFO:

Calgary Flames at New York Rangers

7:00pm ET

Madison Square Garden

TV: Sportsnet

Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

2023-24 Season Series: 0-1-0 (Home: 0-1-0, Road 0-0-0)

Oct. 24, 2023 - NYR [3] vs. CGY [1]

Feb. 12, 2024 - CGY at NYR

2022-23 Season Series: 1-0-1 (Home: 1-0-0, Road: 0-0-1)

Last Home Win vs. NYR: February 18, 2023 – New York [2] vs. Calgary [3] (OT)

Last Road Win @ NYR: October 25, 2021 – Calgary [5] at New York [1] Last Home Loss vs. NYR: March 2, 2017 – New York [3] vs. Calgary [1] Last Road Loss @ NYR: February 6, 2023 – Calgary [4] at New York [5] (OT)

2023-24 CALGARY FLAMES

FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:

Jan. 18 - recalled Adam Klapka (F) from Calgary (AHL); placed Dennis Gilbert on IR retroactive to Jan. 4

Jan. 18 – assigned Walker Duehr (F) to Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 20 - recalled Matt Coronato (F) from Calgary (AHL); activated Dennis Gilbert from IR

Jan. 20 – placed Martin Pospisil (F) on IR; Oliver Kylington returned from conditioning loan with Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 21 – assigned Dustin Wolf (G) to Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 23 – recalled Cole Schwindt (F) from Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 24 - placed Adam Ruzicka (F) on waivers; claimed by ARI

Jan. 24 - placed Nick DeSimone (D) on waivers; claimed by NJD

Jan. 25 – recalled Walker Duehr (F) from Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 28 – assigned Cole Schwindt (F), Adam Klapka (F), and Matt Coronato (F) to Calgary (AHL); activated Martin Pospisil (F) from IR

Jan. 31 - Acquired Andrei Kuzmenko, Hunter Brzustewicz, Joni Jurmo, a 2024 1st round pick and a conditional 2024 4th round pick in exchange for Elias Lindholm

Feb. 4 - claimed Brayden Pachal (D) off waivers from VGK

Feb. 4 – recalled Jakob Pelletier (F), Kevin Rooney (F) and Cole Schwindt (F) from Calgary (AHL); placed A.J. Greer (F) on IR

Feb. 7 – signed Martin Pospisil (F) to a two-year contract extension

Feb. 9 – recalled Dustin Wolf (G) from Calgary (AHL); placed Dan Vladar (G) on IR

FLAMES RECENT INJURIES (Total man games lost – 152)

Jakob Pelletier – upper-body injury (40 games, 10/11/23 – 1/7/24)

Kevin Rooney – upper-body injury (40 games, 10/11/23 – 1/7/24)

Oliver Kylington - (37 games, 10/11/23 - 1/4/24)

Adam Ruzicka - upper-body injury (4 games, 10/26/23 - 11/7/23)

Jacob Markstrom - upper-body injury (2 games, 11/10/23 - 11/14/23)

Connor Zary – lower-body injury (1 game, 11/22/23)

Jacob Markstrom – Illness (1 game, 11/27/23)

Jacob Markstrom – fractured finger (7 games, 12/5/23 – 12/16/23)

Chris Tanev – upper-body injury (3 games: 12/12/23 – 12/16/23)

Jacob Markstrom – lower-body injury (3 games: 1/16/24 – 1/20/24)

Jonathan Huberdeau – illness (1 game: 1/16/24)

Dennis Gilbert – upper-body injury (7 games 1/4/23 - 1/18/24) Martin Pospisil – upper-body injury (4 games: 1/20/24 - 1/27/24)

A.J. Greer – lower-body injury (4 games: 1/27/24 – pres.)

FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:

Jonathan Huberdeau – 699 points (1 away from 700 points)

Andrew Mangiapane – 99 assists (1 away from 100 assists)

Andrei Kuzmenko – 97 points (3 away from 100 points)

Mikael Backlund – 196 goals (4 away from 200 goals)

Andrew Mangiapane – 393 games played (7 away from 400 games played)

Rasmus Andersson – 189 points (11 away from 200 points)

HOW THE FLAMES WERE BUILT: (* = injured)

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Draft (8)	Free Agent (8)	Trade (7)	Waivers (2)
Andersson (53 rd overall, 2015)	Coleman (July 2021)	Hanifin (From CAR – 2018)	Greer* (From BOS – 2023)
Backlund (24th overall, 2007)	Duehr (April 2021)	Huberdeau (From FLA – 2022)	Pachal (From VGK – 2024)
Kylington (60 th overall, 2015)	Gilbert (July 2022)	Kuzmenko (From VAN – 2024)	
Mangiapane (166th overall, 2015)	Kadri (August 2022)	Sharangovich (From NJD – 2023)	
Pelletier (26th overall, 2019)	Markstrom (October 2020)	Schwindt (From FLA – 2022)	
Pospisil (105 th overall, 2018)	Oesterle (July 2023)	Vladar* (From BOS – 2021)	
Zary (24th overall, 2020)	Rooney (July 2022)	Weegar (From FLA – 2022)	
Wolf (214th overall, 2019)	Tanev (October 2020)		•

RECORD BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
HOME	1-2-0	3-1-1	4-4-0	3-4-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
AWAY	1-4-1	4-3-1	1-2-2	4-2-0	3-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
TOTAL	2-6-1	7-4-2	5-6-2	6-6-0	3-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0

POINTS LEADER BY MONTH

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	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
Player	Lindholm/	Kadri	Coleman	Coleman	Kadri/		
	Mangiapane				Huberdeau		
Points	6pts	4-9 – 13	7-6 – 13	7-7 – 14	5 pts		

RECORD BY DAY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1-3-0	3-1-1	5-3-1	1-3-0	8-3-1	1-1-1	5-8-1

RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...

0 Days: 0-4-1 1 Day: 14-12-3 2 Days: 7-5-1 3 Days: 1-1-0 4+ Days: 3-0-0 First of B2B: 2-2-1 Second of B2B: 0-4-1

RECORD WHEN...

	0G	1G	2G	3G	4G	5G	6G	7G
Scoring	0-1-0	1-5-0	2-7-1	5-6-0	6-0-3	4-1-0	4-0-0	1-0-0
Allowing	2-0-0	4-0-0	6-1-0	9-4-1	1-8-0	0-5-3	0-2-0	0-0-0

PLAYER HIGHS

*active

	High (Most Recent Occurrence)	Date: Game
Goals, Game:	3 (Weegar)	2/10/24 at NYI
Assists, Game:	3 (Sharangovich, Mangiapane)	11/24/23 at DAL
Points, Game:	3 (Weegar)	2/10/24 at NYI
Shots, Game:	7 (Kadri)	1/16/24 vs. ARI
TOI, Game:	29:37 (Andersson)	12/11/23 at COL
Best +/-, Game:	+5 (Hanifin)	1/9/24 vs. OTT
Saves, Game:	41 (Markstrom)	11/22/23 at NSH
Goal Streak	5 GP (Sharangovich: 6G)	12/9/23 – 12/16/23
Assists Streak	4 GP (Coleman: 4A)	12/7/23 – 12/12/23
Point Streak	7 GP (Coleman: 3G, 5A)	12/7/23 – 12/21/23

	LAST TIME (2023-24)	PREVIOUS
Regulation win, home	1/27/24 vs. CHI	1/9/24 vs. OTT
Regulation win, away	2/10/24 at NYI	2/8/24 at NJD
Regulation loss, home	1/25/24 vs. CBJ	1/23/24 vs. STL
Regulation loss, away	1/7/24 at CHI	1/6/24 at PHI
OT win, home	1/16/24 vs. ARI	11/30/23 vs. DAL
OT win, away	11/20/23 at SEA	
OT loss, home		
OT loss, away	12/12/23 at VGK	
Shootout win, home		
Shootout win, away		
Shootout loss, home	11/18/23 vs. NYI	
Shootout loss, away	12/14/23 at MIN	11/10/23 at TOR
Shutout, home		
Shutout, away	12/21/23 at ANA	

CALGARY FLAMES ALL-TIME LEADERS (**Bolded** = Active Players) **CAREER GAMES PLAYED**:

Rank	Player	Years With Flames	Games
1 st	Jarome Iginla	1996-97 – 2012-13	1,219
2 nd	Mikael Backlund	2008-09 - Present	960
3 rd	Mark Giordano	2005-06 – 2020-21	949
4 th	Robyn Regehr	1999-00 – 2010-11	826
5 th	Al MacInnis	1981-82 – 1993-94	803

CALGARY FLAMES JERSEY RECORD:

JERSEY	GP	W	L	OTL/SOL	Last Result
Home	14	10	4	0	3-2 W vs. ARI (1/16/24)
Away	26	12	10	4	5-2 W at NYI (2/10/24)
Alternate	9	3	5	1	1-0 W vs. CHI (1/27/24)
Heritage	2	0	2	0	1-3 L vs. EDM (1/20/24)

CALGARY FLAMES ALTERNATE JERSEY SCHEDULE:

Nov. 16 vs. VAN (5-2 W) Dec. 7 vs. CAR (3-2 W) Jan. 27 vs. CHI (1-0 W)

Apr. 6 vs. EDM

Nov. 18 vs. NYI (4-5 SOL) Dec. 9 vs. NJD (2-4 L)

Mar. 12 vs. COL

Dec. 2 vs. VAN (3-4 L) Jan. 23 vs. STL (3-4 L)

Mar. 14 vs. VGK

Dec. 5 vs. MIN (2-5 L) Jan. 25 vs. CBJ (2-5 L)

Apr. 2 vs. ANA

CALGARY FLAMES HERITAGE CLASSIC JERSEY SCHEDULE:

Oct. 29 at EDM (2-5 L)

Jan. 20 vs. EDM (1-3 L)

Feb. 24 at EDM

CALGARY FLAMES 2023-24 TRADE HISTORY:



TO CALGARY F Andrei Kuzmenko D Hunter Brzustewicz D Joni Jurmo 2024 first-round pick (VAN) 2024 fourth-round pick (VAN) [Conditional]



January 31st, 2024





TO CALGARY 2026 third-round pick (VAN) 2025 fifth-round pick (CHI) [Conditional]



November 30th, 2023





F Yegor Sharangovich 2023 third-round pick (Aydar Suniev)

June 27th, 2023





F Tyler Toffoli



ON THE FARM CALGARY WRANGLERS (AHL): 24-14-3

The Calgary Wranglers enter their second season in Calgary, AB after moving from Stockton, CA prior to the start of last season. The AHL is currently in their All-Star break with Matt Coronato, Dustin Wolf, and Head Coach Trent Cull representing Calgary at the 2024 AHL All-Star Classic.