

**FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP****March 4, 2024 – CALGARY FLAMES [4] vs. PITTSBURGH PENGUINS [3]**[Game Summary](#) | [Event Summary](#)

The Calgary Flames welcomed the Pittsburgh Penguins to the Scotiabank Saddledome on Saturday night as they retired Miikka Kiprusoff's number 34. Pittsburgh would lead 2-0 after 20 thanks to a pair of goals inside the final five minutes of the frame. In the second, Yegor Sharangovich would draw the Flames within one, but an early third period goal from the Penguins restored their two-goal lead. However, Calgary would get a pair of goals in under 40 seconds from Blake Coleman and a goal of the year candidate by Nazem Kadri to draw level. It looked like this game was heading to overtime, but Mikael Backlund would force a turnover and find Yegor Sharangovich who ripped home the goal-ahead goal with 50 seconds remaining in regulation, and the Flames rallied to knock off the Pens 4-3.

**CGY GOAL SCORERS:** Sharangovich (22, 23), Kadri (22), Coleman (25)**GOALIE:** Markstrom 27/30 .900 Sv%**PP:** 1/5 (20%)**PK:** 5/5 (100%)**FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 5-0-0**

DATE	RESULT	GWG	CGY GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
March 2, 2024	PIT [3] at CGY [4] W	<b>Sharangovich</b>	Markstrom	Jarry
February 27, 2024	LAK [2] vs. CGY [4] W	<b>Sharangovich</b>	Markstrom	Talbot
February 24, 2024	CGY [6] at EDM [3] W	<b>Hunt</b>	Vladar	Skinner
February 22, 2024	BOS [2] vs. CGY [3] OTW	<b>Kadri</b>	Markstrom	Ullmark
February 19, 2024	WPG [3] vs. CGY [6] W	<b>Huberdeau</b>	Markstrom	Hellebuyck

\*shootout winning goal

**FLAMES UPCOMING SCHEDULE:**

DATE	TIME (MST)	OPPONENT	VENUE
March 4, 2024	7:30pm	vs. Seattle Kraken	Scotiabank Saddledome
March 7, 2024	5:00pm	at Tampa Bay Lightning	Amalie Arena
March 9, 2024	2:00pm	at Florida Panthers	Amerant Bank Arena
March 10, 2024	3:00pm	at Carolina Hurricanes	PNC Arena
March 12, 2024	7:00pm	vs. Colorado Avalanche	Scotiabank Saddledome

**TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS**

This is the fourth and final meeting this season between the Flames and Kraken. Calgary has claimed two of these clubs' first matchups, outscoring the Kraken 12-7 so far this season.

This is a Pacific Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 8-6-1 against Pacific Division teams and a record of 18-14-2 against Western Conference opponents.

**KIPPER NIGHT:**

The Calgary Flames retired Miikka Kiprusoff's number 34 on Saturday night against the Pittsburgh Penguins. The number 34 was raised to the rafters to join Lanny McDonald's number 9, Jarome Iginla's number 12 and Mike Vernon's number 30 as the fourth jersey retired in Flames franchise history. Kiprusoff's 34 also joined 'Forever a Flame' honorees and hockey hall of famers Joe Nieuwendyk's number 25 and Al MacInnis's number 2.

**LAST MEETING:**

The Calgary Flames welcomed the Seattle Kraken to the Scotiabank Saddledome for their first contest after the Christmas Break on December 27<sup>th</sup>. Both teams would score in the first, with Kailer Yamamoto breaking the ice for Seattle, countered by a Nazem Kadri power play goal and the teams skated into the break tied at ones. There would be no scoring in the second, but in the third Alex Wennberg would help Seattle re-take the lead, and they would hold on for a 2-1 win.

**MARTY PARTY:**

Martin Pospisil scored his first NHL goal at Climate Pledge Arena against the Seattle Kraken earlier this season on November 4<sup>th</sup> in his NHL debut and has gone on to continue his strong rookie campaign with 15 points (6G, 9A) through his first 44 games in the National Hockey League. On Saturday, Pospisil registered a game-high nine hits against the Penguins, which matched the most he's thrown in a single game with his other nine hit game coming on December 16<sup>th</sup> against Tampa Bay. Since the All-Star Break, Pospisil has registered 62 hits which is the third-most in the NHL, behind only Jeremy Lauzon (63) and Garnet Hathaway (68) and his 141 hits throughout the entire campaign rank second among rookies through 2023-24.

**SHARK ATTACK:**

Yegor Sharangovich scored his second-consecutive game-winning goal on Saturday night against the Penguins along with the Flames first goal of the night to improve his goal total to 23 on the campaign. Sharnagovich's two-goal effort was his fourth multi-goal game of the season, and only three other Flames players in the past decade have scored as many goals in their first season in Calgary: Nazem Kadri (24 in 2022-23), Elias Lindholm (27 in 2018-19) and Sean Monahan (22 in 2013-14). Sharangovich also ranks fourth in goals among skaters from the 2018 NHL Draft, trailing only Brady Tkachuk, Andrei Svechnikov, and Joel Farabee. Only three other players on new teams this season have as many goals as Yegor Sharangovich: Tyler Toffoli (26 w/ NJD), Matt Duchene (23 w/ DAL) and Alex DeBrincat (23 w/ DET).

**COMEBACK KIDS:**

Calgary erased a two-goal third period deficit on Saturday against Pittsburgh to record their sixth multi-goal comeback win of 2023-24, tied with Toronto and Dallas for second most in the NHL behind Colorado (7). Calgary also earned their ninth third-period comeback win of the 2023-24 campaign, and the Flames have recorded as many such victories in a season only three other times: 2014-15 (11), 2019-20 (10) and 2018-19 (10). The win marked the third time in 2023-24 that the Flames won after trailing by multiple goals in the third period, following Jan. 16 (3-2 OT W vs. ARI) and Dec. 7 (3-2 W vs. CAR).

**FANTASTIC FEBRUARY:**

Through 10 games in the month of February, the Flames posted a 7-3-0 record, outscoring their opponents 36-29 and posting a .700 win-percentage. The Flames seven wins through the month were tied for the sixth-most in the league despite tying eight other clubs for the fifth-fewest games played. Calgary started the month of March on the right foot, rallying to knock off Pittsburgh 4-3.

**THE KUZMENK-SHOW:**


Andrei Kuzmenko is currently sitting at 99 points in his NHL career (50-49 – 99) and is one point shy of the 100-point plateau. Kuzmenko's 99 points are currently tied with Matias Maccelli (99pts in 148 GP) for the most among all skaters in the NHL that have played 150 games or less in their careers, with Matty Beniers (90pts in 145 GP) currently ranking second. Kuzmenko is looking to become the 35<sup>th</sup> active-undrafted skater in the NHL to reach 100 points in their career with his .744 points-per-game ranking fourth among all undrafted skaters in the NHL right now.

**HEY DID YOU KNOW?**

Yegor Sharangovich's tally with 50 seconds left in regulation marked the latest go-ahead goal for Calgary this season.

Andrew Mangiapane scored his 100<sup>th</sup> NHL goal in Seattle during these clubs' second meeting on November 20<sup>th</sup>.

### CALGARY FLAMES vs. SEATTLE KRAKEN

CGY vs. SEA	ALL-TIME	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
	8-2-0-0	2-2-0-0	6-0-0-0	8-2-0	L1

#### GAME INFO:

Calgary Flames vs. Seattle Kraken

7:30pm MT

Scotiabank Saddledome

TV: Sportsnet 360

Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

**2023-24 Season Series:** 2-1-0 (Home: 0-1-0, Road 2-0-0)

Nov. 4, 2023 – CGY [6] at SEA [3]

Nov. 20, 2023 – CGY [4] at SEA [3] (OT)

Dec. 27, 2024 – SEA [2] vs. CGY [1]

Mar. 4, 2024 – SEA vs. CGY

**2022-23 Season Series:** 2-1-0 (Home: 0-1-0, Road 2-0-0)

**Last Home Win vs. SEA:** April 12, 2022 – Calgary [5] vs. Seattle [3]

**Last Road Win @ SEA:** November 20, 2023 – Calgary [4] at Seattle [3] (OT)

**Last Home Loss vs. SEA:** December 27, 2023 – Seattle [2] vs. Calgary [1]

**Last Road Loss @ SEA:** TBD

### 2023-24 CALGARY FLAMES

#### FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:

**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 1<sup>st</sup> round pick and a conditional 2024 4<sup>th</sup> 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

**Feb. 13** – assigned Cole Schwindt (F) to Calgary (AHL)

**Feb. 14** – recalled Cole Schwindt (F) from Calgary (AHL)

**Feb. 16** – reassigned Cole Schwindt (F) and Dustin Wolf (G) to Calgary (AHL), recalled Dryden Hunt (F) from Calgary (AHL); activated Dan Vladar (G) from IR

**Feb. 28** - Acquired Artem Grushnikov (D), a Second Round Pick (2024) and a Conditional Third Round Pick (2026) from Dallas in Exchange for Chris Tanev in a three-way trade involving New Jersey

#### FLAMES RECENT INJURIES (Total man games lost – 170)

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 Kyllington – (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)  
Dan Vladar – lower body injury (3 games: 2/9/24 – 2/15/24)  
Jakob Pelletier – upper-body injury (4 games: 2/15/24 – 2/22/24)  
Andrei Kuzmenko – illness (2 games: 2/24/24 – 2/27/24)  
A.J. Greer – lower-body injury (12 games: 1/27/24 – pres.)

#### FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:

**Andrei Kuzmenko** – 99 points (1 away from 100 points)  
**Mikael Backlund** – 198 goals (2 away from 200 goals)  
**Rasmus Andersson** – 192 points (8 away from 200 points)

#### HOW THE FLAMES WERE BUILT: (\* = injured)

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

#### RECORD BY MONTH

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

#### POINTS LEADER BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
<b>Player</b>	Lindholm/ Mangiapane	Kadri	Coleman	Coleman	Kadri	Sharangovich/ Backlund	
<b>Points</b>	6pts	4-9 – 13	7-6 – 13	7-7 – 14	5-7 – 12	2 pts	

#### RECORD BY DAY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1-3-0	5-2-1	6-3-1	1-3-0	8-4-1	1-1-1	7-9-1

#### RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...

**0 Days:** 0-4-1  
**1 Day:** 17-14-3  
**2 Days:** 9-6-1  
**3 Days:** 2-1-0  
**4+ Days:** 2-0-0  
**First of B2B:** 2-2-1  
**Second of B2B:** 0-4-1

#### RECORD WHEN...

	0G	1G	2G	3G	4G	5G	6G	7G
<b>Scoring</b>	0-2-0	1-5-0	2-7-1	6-6-0	8-0-3	4-1-0	6-0-0	1-0-0
<b>Allowing</b>	2-0-0	4-0-0	8-1-0	12-4-1	1-8-0	0-6-3	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 (Hanifin)	2/24/24 at EDM
Shots, Game:	8 (Kadri)	11/7/23 vs. NSH
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	3/2/24 vs. PIT	2/27/24 vs. LAK
Regulation win, away	2/24/24 at EDM	2/10/24 at NYI
Regulation loss, home	2/17/24 vs. DET	2/15/24 vs. SJS
Regulation loss, away	2/12/24 at NYR	1/7/24 at CHI
OT win, home	2/22/24 vs. BOS	1/16/24 vs. ARI
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 <sup>st</sup>	Jarome Iginla	1996-97 – 2012-13	1,219
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Mikael Backlund</b>	<b>2008-09 - Present</b>	<b>968</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mark Giordano	2005-06 – 2020-21	949
4 <sup>th</sup>	Robyn Regehr	1999-00 – 2010-11	826
5 <sup>th</sup>	Al MacInnis	1981-82 – 1993-94	803

### CALGARY FLAMES JERSEY RECORD:

JERSEY	GP	W	L	OTL/SOL	Last Result
Home 	20	14	6	0	4-3 W vs. PIT (3/2/24)
Away 	27	12	11	4	0-2 L at NYR (2/12/24)
Alternate 	9	3	5	1	1-0 W vs. CHI (1/27/24)
Heritage 	3	1	2	0	6-3 W at EDM (2/24/24)

### CALGARY FLAMES ALTERNATE JERSEY SCHEDULE:

Nov. 16 vs. VAN (5-2 W)

Nov. 18 vs. NYI (4-5 SOL)

Dec. 2 vs. VAN (3-4 L)

Dec. 5 vs. MIN (2-5 L)

Dec. 7 vs. CAR (3-2 W)

Dec. 9 vs. NJD (2-4 L)

Jan. 23 vs. STL (3-4 L)

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

Jan. 27 vs. CHI (1-0 W)

Mar. 12 vs. COL

Mar. 14 vs. VGK

Apr. 2 vs. ANA

Apr. 6 vs. EDM

### CALGARY FLAMES HERITAGE CLASSIC JERSEY SCHEDULE:

Oct. 29 at EDM (2-5 L)

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

Feb. 24 at EDM (6-3 W)

**CALGARY FLAMES 2023-24 TRADE HISTORY:**

February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024



**TO CALGARY**

D Artem Grushnikov  
2024 second-round pick (DAL)  
2026 third-round pick (DAL) [Conditional]



\*NJD Retains 25% of Tanev's salary and  
receives 2026 fourth-round pick from DAL



**TO DALLAS**

D Chris Tanev  
(50% retention by CGY)  
(25% retention by NJD)

January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024



**TO CALGARY**

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



**TO VANCOUVER**

F Elias Lindholm

November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023



**TO CALGARY**

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



**TO VANCOUVER**

D Nikita Zadorov

June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023



**TO CALGARY**

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



**TO NEW JERSEY**

F Tyler Toffoli

# *CALGARY* **WRANGLERS**

**ON THE FARM**

**CALGARY WRANGLERS (AHL): 28-18-6**

The Calgary Wranglers enter their second season in Calgary, AB after moving from Stockton, CA prior to the start of last season. Calgary hosted the Colorado Eagles for a weekend series on Friday and Sunday. Calgary would split the series, losing 5-4 on Friday but bouncing back with a 3-1 win on Sunday. Artem Grushnikov would make his Wranglers debut over the weekend, skating in both contests.