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FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP January 18, 2024 – CALGARY FLAMES [3] vs. TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS [4]

Game Summary I Event Summary

The Calgary Flames continued a six game homestand on Thursday night by welcoming the Toronto Maple Leafs to the Scotiabank Saddledome. The Flames would get on the bord first just over halfway through the opening frame with Yegor Sharangovich making it goals in back-to-back games to put Calgary up. Nazem Kadri would extend the Flames lead to 2-0 later in the period countered by an Auston Matthews tally as the Flames led 2-1 through 20. The Leafs would score three unanswered in the second to go up 4-2. Andrew Mangiapane would draw the Flames back within one with just over two minutes remaining in the second, but the Flames ultimately fell 4-3.

CGY GOAL SCORERS: Sharangovich (19), Kadri (16), Mangiapane (9)

GOALIE: Vladar 29/33, .879 Sv%

PP: 1/3 (33%) **PK:** 1/2 (50%)

FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 4-1-0

DATE	RESULT	GWG	CGY GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
January 18, 2024	TOR [4] at CGY [3] L	Matthews	Vladar	Jones
January 16, 2024	ARI [2] vs. CGY [3] OTW	Sharangovich	Vladar	Ingram
January 13, 2024	CGY [3] at VGK [1] W	Kadri	Markstrom	Thompson
January 11, 2024	CGY [6] at ARI [2] W	Andersson	Markstrom	Vejmelka/ Ingram
January 9, 2024	OTT [3] vs. CGY [6] W	Coleman	Markstrom	Korpisalo

^{*}shootout winning goal

FLAMES UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

DATE	TIME (MST)	OPPONENT	VENUE	
January 20, 2024	8:00pm	vs. Edmonton Oilers	Scotiabank Saddledome	
January 23, 2024	7:00pm	vs. St. Louis Blues	Scotiabank Saddledome	
January 25, 2024	7:00pm	vs. Columbus Blue Jackets	Scotiabank Saddledome	
January 27, 2024	8:00pm	vs. Chicago Blackhawks	Scotiabank Saddledome	
February 6, 2024	5:00pm	at Boston Bruins	TD Garden	

TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS

This is the second of four meetings this season between the Flames and Oilers. The Flames suffered a 5-2 setback in their first matchup on October 29th during the 2023 Heritage Classic.

This is a Pacific Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 6-4-1 against Pacific Division teams and a record of 14-11-2 against Western Conference opponents.

FIRST BATTLE OF ALBERTA THIS SEASON:

The Calgary Flames travelled to Commonwealth Stadium to take on the Oilers in the 2023 Tim Hortons Heritage Classic for the first installment of the Battle of Alberta. Edmonton would open the scoring with Brett Kulak finding the back of the net 4:19 into the game before Zach Hyman made it 2-0 Oilers halfway through the opening frame. Nazem Kadri would tip his first of the year home on the powerplay to get the Flames within one, but Edmonton would add a third to go up 3-1 through 20. In the second, MacKenzie Weegar made a slick rush up ice and saw his shot stopped, but the rebound found A.J. Greer who buried his first as a Flame to once again bring Calgary within one. The Oilers would tack on two in the third and ultimately take the Heritage Classic 5-2.

HOCKEY DAY IN CANADA:

Today is Hockey Day in Canada and Calgary has an all-time record of 11-5-5-1 on Hockey Day. The Flames were part of the inaugural Hockey Day in Canada back on February 19th, 2000, they faced the Edmonton Oilers and prevailed 3-2 in overtime thanks to a pair of goals from current Assistant Coach Marc Savard including the game winner, a pair of assists from Jarome Iginla along with 28 saves from Fred Brathwaite. Last season, the Flames faced the Tampa Bay Lightning on Hockey Day, prevailing 6-3.

SHARAN-GOAL-VICH:

With his first period marker against Toronto, Yegor Sharangovich has registered seven goals over his last five games, the last Flames player with as many over a five-game span was Matthew Tkachuk from March 10-19, 2019. Since January 1st, Sharangovich's eight goals are tied for the third-most in the NHL and trail only Elias Pettersson (11) and Sam Reinhart (10). The 25-year-old is now five goals away from matching his career-best of 24 which he set during the 2021-22 campaign as a member of the New Jersey Devils and has goals in back-to-back contests for his fourth 2+ goal streak this season.

AS A UNIT:

Since January 1st, the Calgary Flames are tied for the second-most goals as a team in the NHL with 35. Yegor Sharangovich leads the charge with eight tallies while Blake Coleman has the second-most at seven followed by Nazem Kadri with six in the midst of a three-game goal streak. The Flames are tied for the seventh-most points in the NHL since the calendar flip, with 12, sporting a 6-3-0 record.

KLAP YOUR HANDS:

Adam Klapka received his first NHL recall on Thursday morning. The Prague, CZE native has skated in 33 games for the Calgary Wranglers so far this season, notching 10 goals and 11 assists for 21 points along with 42 penalty minutes. At the time of his recall, Klapka was three goals away from matching his previous season total of 13 which he set in 60 games during his first North American pro season. The 23-year-old was tied for the team lead in goals for the Wranglers during the 2023 Calder Cup Playoffs with four tallies in nine games and was signed as a free agent by Calgary on May 16, 2022.

A BATTLE BY THE NUMBERS:

This will be the 261st installment of the Battle of Alberta, with the Flames holding a 129-107-24 record over their provincial rival. 100 of those games have been one-goal games or ties (82 wins, 18 ties) with Calgary owning 45 of the 82 wins. Jarome Iginla is the Flames all-time goals leader against the Oilers with 34 tallies, while Al MacInnis sets the mark for points with 89 in 75 games against Edmonton during his time in Calgary.

DOME SWEET DOME:

The Flames get set for game three of a six game homestand starting tonight against the Edmonton Oilers for round two of the Battle of Alberta. This is tied for the Flames longest homestand with their other six-game stretch at the 'Dome coming from November 27th to December 9th when they went 3-3-0. Following tonight, the Flames will welcome the St. Louis Blues, the Columbus Blue Jackets, and Chicago Blackhawks next week.

HEY DID YOU KNOW?

A.J. Greer scored his first goal as a Flame against the Oilers during their first meeting at the 2023 Heritage Classic.

CALGARY FLAMES vs. EDMONTON OILERS

CGY vs. EDM	ALL-TIME	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
	131-108-19-6	75-47-9-1	56-61-10-5	4-6-0	L3

GAME INFO:

Calgary Flames vs. Edmonton Oilers

8:00pm MT

Scotiabank Saddledome TV: Sportsnet, CBC, CITY

Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

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

Oct. 29, 2023 - CGY [2] at EDM [5]

Jan. 20, 2024 - EDM vs. CGY

Feb. 24, 2024 - CGY at EDM

Apr. 6, 2024 - EDM vs. CGY

2022-23 Season Record vs. EDM: 1-2-0 (Home: 0-2-0, Road: 1-0-0)

Last Home Win vs. EDM: March 26, 2022 – Edmonton [5] vs. Calgary [9] Last Road Win @ EDM: October 15, 2022 – Calgary [4] at Edmonton [3]

Last Home Loss vs. EDM: December 27, 2023 – Edmonton [2] vs. Calgary [1]

Last Road Loss @ EDM: October 29, 2023 – Calgary [2] at Edmonton [5]

2023-24 CALGARY FLAMES

FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:

Dec. 12 - recalled Nick DeSimone (D) from Calgary (AHL); assigned Matt Coronato (F) to Calgary AHL

Dec. 17 – activated Jacob Markstrom (G) off IR; reassigned Dustin Wolf (G) and Ilya Solovyov (D) to Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 4 – assigned Oliver Kylington (D) to Calgary (AHL) on a conditioning assignment

Jan. 5 – recalled Yan Kuznetsov (D) from Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 8 – assigned Yan Kuznetsov (D), Jakob Pelletier (F) to Calgary (AHL); placed Kevin Rooney (F) on waivers; cleared

Jan. 9 – recalled Yan Kuznetsov (D) from Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 9 – assigned Kevin Rooney (F) to Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 14 - assigned Yan Kuznetsov (D) to Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 16 – recalled Dustin Wolf (G) from Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 17 - placed Walker Duehr (F) on waivers; cleared

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)

FLAMES RECENT INJURIES (Total man games lost - 145)

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 (2 games: 1/16/24 – pres.)

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

Dennis Gilbert – upper-body injury (7 games 1/4/23 – pres.)

FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:

Andrew Mangiapane – 97 assists (3 away from 100 assists)

Mikael Backlund – 195 goals (5 away from 200 goals)

Jonathan Huberdeau – 794 games played (6 away from 800 games played)

Jonathan Huberdeau – 693 points (7 away from 700 points)

Elias Lindholm – 788 games played (12 away from 800 games played)

HOW THE FLAMES WERE BUILT: (* = injured)

Draft (8)	Free Agent (8)	Trade (6)	Waivers (1)
Andersson (53 rd overall, 2015)	Coleman (July 2021)	Hanifin (From CAR – 2018)	Greer (From BOS – 2023)
Backlund (24 th overall, 2007)	DeSimone (2022)	Huberdeau (From FLA – 2022)	
Dube (56th overall, 2016)	Gilbert (July 2022)*	Lindholm (From CAR – 2018)	
Mangiapane (166 th overall, 2015)	Kadri (August 2022)	Sharangovich (From NJD – 2023)	
Pospisil (105 th overall, 2018)	Klapka	Vladar (From BOS – 2021)	
Ruzicka (109 th overall, 2017)	Markstrom (October 2020)	Weegar (From FLA – 2022)	
Wolf (214th overall, 2019)	Oesterle (July 2023)		_
Zary (24th overall, 2020)	Tanev (October 2020)		

RECORD BY MONTH

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

POINTS LEADER BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
Player	Lindholm/	Kadri	Coleman	Coleman			
	Mangiapane						
Points	6pts	4-9 – 13	7-6 – 13	7-5 – 12			

RECORD BY DAY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1-3-0	3-1-1	4-2-1	1-3-0	7-2-1	1-1-1	3-7-1

RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...

0 Days: 0-4-1 1 Day: 12-10-3 2 Days: 6-4-1 3 Days: 1-1-0 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
Scoring	0-1-0	0-5-0	2-6-1	5-5-0	6-0-3	2-1-0	4-0-0	1-0-0
Allowing	1-0-0	4-0-0	5-1-0	8-4-1	1-7-0	0-4-3	0-2-0	0-0-0

PLAYER HIGHS

*active

	High (Most Recent Occurrence)	Date: Game
Goals, Game:	3 (Sharangovich)	1/11/24 at ARI
Assists, Game:	3 (Sharangovich, Mangiapane)	11/24/23 at DAL
Points, Game:	3 (Sharangovich)	1/11/24 at ARI
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	1/9/24 vs. OTT	12/31/23 vs. PHI
Regulation win, away	1/13/24 at VGK	1/11/24 at ARI
Regulation loss, home	1/18/24 vs. TOR	12/27/23 vs. SEA
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	953
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	23	9	10	4	6-2 W at ARI (1/11/24)
Alternate	6	2	3	1	2-4 L vs. NJD (12/9/23)
Heritage	1	0	1	0	2-5 L at EDM

CALGARY FLAMES ALTERNATE JERSEY SCHEDULE:

Nov. 16 vs. VAN (5-2 W) Dec. 7 vs. CAR (3-2 W)

Jan. 27 vs. CHI 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

Mar. 14 vs. VGK

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

CALGARY FLAMES HERITAGE CLASSIC JERSEY SCHEDULE:

Oct. 29 at EDM (2-5 L)

Jan. 20 vs. EDM

Feb. 24 at EDM



ON THE FARM CALGARY WRANGLERS (AHL): 22-10-3

The Calgary Wranglers enter their second season in Calgary, AB after moving from Stockton, CA prior to the start of last season. The Wranglers welcomed Ontario Reign for the first of two games over the weekend on Thursday night. The big story was Oliver Kylington, who played in his first game of competitive hockey since May of 2022. The Wranglers would get goals from Lucas Ciona, Mitch McLain and Mark Rassell in a 3-2 victory.