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FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP March 8, 2025 – CALGARY FLAMES [1] vs. MONTREAL CANADIENS [0]

Game Summary I Event Summary

The Calgary Flames welcomed the Montreal Canadiens to the Scotiabank Saddledome on Saturday for a Hockey Night in Canada matchup. The first would see the clubs combine for 13 shots but both Calgary's Dustin Wolf and Montreal's Jakub Dobes were equal to the task to keep things scoreless through 20. It would take until 16:21 mark for the game's first goal and it would be Joel Farabee who made it goals in back-to-back games to put the home side up 1-0 through 40. The Flames would clamp down in the third, Dustin Wolf made 10 final-frame saves to help Calgary blank Montreal 1-0 and sweep the season series.

CGY GOAL SCORERS: Farabee (11)
GOALIE: Wolf 26/26 1.000 Sv%

PP: 0/1 (100%) **PK:** 2/2 (100%)

FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 2-1-2

DATE	RESULT	GWG	CGY GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
March 8, 2025	MTL [0] vs. CGY [1] W	Farabee	Wolf	Dobes
March 6, 2025	CGY [2] at DAL [3] (OT) L	Robertson	Vladar	Oettinger
March 4, 2025	CGY [6] at PHI [3] W	Sharangovich	Wolf	Ersson/ Fedotov
March 2, 2025	CGY [1] at CAR [2] (OT) L	Aho	Wolf	Kochetkov
March 1, 2025	CGY [0] at FLA [3] L	Gadjovich	Vladar	Bobrovsky

^{*}shootout winning goal

FLAMES UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

DATE	TIME (MST)	OPPONENT	VENUE
March 12, 2025	7:00pm	vs. Vancouver Canucks	Scotiabank Saddledome
March 14, 2025	7:00pm	vs. Colorado Avalanche	Scotiabank Saddledome
March 17, 2025	5:30pm	at Toronto Maple Leafs	Scotiabank Arena
March 18, 2025	5:00pm	at New York Rangers	Madison Square Garden
March 20, 2025	5:00pm	at New Jersey Devils	Prudential Center

TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS

This is the fourth and final meeting this season between the Flames and Canucks. Calgary has gone 2-1-0 against Vancouver so far in 2024-25.

This is a Pacific Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 10-4-2 against Pacific Division teams and a record of 18-13-4 against Western Conference opponents.

LAST MEETING WITH VANCOUVER:

The Calgary Flames finished off 2024 by welcoming the Vancouver Canucks to the Scotiabank Saddledome on December 31st. Calgary would open the scoring with Connor Zary burying his then ninth on the season to give the home side a 1-0 advantage through 20. In the second, neither team could find the back of the net, but they did find the inside of the penalty box with the clubs racking up a combined 44 penalty minutes in the middle frame alone. Vancouver would find an equalizer 6:15 into the third, but Calgary responded shortly after with Nazem Kadri restoring the Flames lead. Calgary would lock things down from there, and Jonathan Huberdeau added an empty netter as the Flames finished off the calendar year with a 3-1 win.

HOWLIN FOR YOU:

Dustin Wolf turned aside all 26 shots he faced on Saturday against Montreal to record his third shutout of the season. Wolf is tied with Ottawa's Leevi Meriläinen for the most by a rookie this season while leading all freshman netminders in wins (22), assists (3) and saves (1,032).

In recording his third shutout of the season, Dustin Wolf set a new Flames franchise record for the most shutouts in a single campaign by a rookie netminder, passing Dan Bouchard, Rejean Lemelin, Mike Vernon, Andrei Trefilov, and Dan Vladar who all registered two as rookies.

Wolf also recorded the 30th win of his career and became the third-fastest Flames goalie to reach the mark with the club, doing so in 56 games played. The only netminders to do so in fewer games are Miikka Kiprusoff (52 GP) and Dan Vladar (55 GP).

GROWING UP:

Flames sophomore forwards Connor Zary and Martin Pospisil both skated in their 100th NHL game in Calgary and Vancouver's last meeting, both recording points (Zary: 1-0 – 1), Pospisil (0-1 – 1). The pair both skated in their first NHL games last season (Zary: Nov. 1 vs. DAL), Pospisil (Nov. 4 at SEA) and would both score in their respective NHL debuts. Zary has gone on to score 26 goals and 32 assists for 58 points in his first 111 NHL outings, while Pospisil has 12 goals and 33 helpers for 45 points through his first 126 contests in the NHL. At the time, Zary became the 44th Kamloops Blazers alumni to reach at least 100 NHL games, while Pospisil became the fifth-active Slovakian-born skater in the NHL to reach 100 games.

LOOK BACKS AT IT:

With his second period marker on Thursday in Dallas, Mikael Backlund scored his 211th career goal and surpassed Johnny Gaudreau (210) for ninth place on the Flames' all-time list. With five more goals, Backlund can leapfrog Sean Monahan (212), Al MacInnis (213), and Lanny McDonald (215) to take sole-possession of the sixth-most in Flames history.

DARTH VLADAR:

Dan Vladar made 24 saves in his most recent start last Thursday in Dallas as he played in his 100th career-NHL game. He has become the 13th goalie of Czech descent to reach the 100 games played plateau and did so with 95 of his 100 NHL games coming in a Flames sweater.

FUTURE WATCH:

Flames 2024 first round selection Zayne Parekh was named to the CHL's Team of the Month for the second consecutive month. In 14 games through February, Parekh registered seven goals and 24 assists for 31 points, including two separate four-point nights and 10 multi-point efforts. He currently leads all CHL defenceman with 32 goals and 100 points through 2024-25 and has become just the fifth blueliner to reach 100 points in CHL history.

HEY DID YOU KNOW?

Defencemen Kevin Bahl and Jake Bean recorded their first points as Flames in these clubs' first meeting.

The Calgary Flames have played more games against the Vancouver Canucks (306) than they have against any other NHL franchise.

CALGARY FLAMES vs. VANCOUVER CANUCKS

CGY vs. VAN	ALL-TIME	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
	153-101-33-19	86-43-15-7	67-58-18-12	5-4-1	W1

GAME INFO:

Calgary Flames vs. Vancouver Canucks

7:00pm MT

Scotiabank Saddledome

TV: Sportsnet

Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

2024-25 Season Series: 2-1-0 (Home: 1-0-0, Road 1-1-0)

Oct. 9, 2024 - CGY [6] at VAN [5] (OT)

Nov. 12, 2024 - CGY [1] at VAN [3]

Dec. 31, 2024 - VAN [1] vs. CGY [3]

Mar. 12, 2025 - VAN vs. CGY

2023-24 Season Record vs. VAN: 1-3-0 (Home: 1-1-0, Road: 0-2-0)

Last Home Win vs. VAN: December 31, 2024 – Vancouver [1] vs. Calgary [3] Last Road Win @ VAN: October 9, 2024 – Calgary [6] at Vancouver [5] (OT) Last Home Loss vs. VAN: December 2, 2023 – Vancouver [4] vs. Calgary [3]

Last Road Loss @ VAN: Nov. 12, 2024 - Calgary [1] at Vancouver [3]

2024-25 CALGARY FLAMES

FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:

Jan. 21 - placed Walker Duehr (F) on waivers; claimed by SJS

Jan. 23 – recalled Clark Bishop (F) from Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 24 – assigned Tyson Barrie (D) to Calgary (AHL) on a conditioning loan

Jan. 27 – assigned Rory Kerins (F) to Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 28 – recalled Adam Klapka (F) and Tyson Barrie (D) from Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 30 – acquired Joel Farabee (F) and Morgan Frost (F) from PHI in exchange for forwards Andrei Kuzmenko (F), Jakob Pelletier (F), a 2025 second-round pick and a 2028 seventh-round pick.

Feb. 5 – recalled Ilya Solovyov (D) from Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 6 – recalled Dryden Hunt (F) from Calgary (AHL); assigned Clark Bishop (F) to Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 8 – assigned Dryden Hunt (F), Adam Klapka (F) and Ilya Solovyov (D) to Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 19 – recalled Yan Kuznetsov (D) and Ilya Solovyov (D) from Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 20 - placed Tyson Barrie (D) on waivers; cleared

Feb. 21 - recalled Adam Klapka (F) from Calgary (AHL); assigned Yan Kuznetsov to Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 21 – assigned Tyson Barrie (D) to the Calagry Wranglers (AHL)

Mar. 6 – assigned Ilya Solovyov (D) to Calgary (AHL)

Mar. 6 – signed Connor Murphy (G) to a one-year two-way contract

Mar. 7 – assigned Adam Klapka (F) to Calgary (AHL)

FLAMES RECENT INJURIES (Total man games lost – 129)

Yegor Sharangovich – lower-body injury (7 games 10/9/24 – 10/24/24)

Kevin Rooney – upper-body injury (5 games: 10/12/24 – 10/22/24)

Sam Honzek – upper-body injury (5 games: 10/19/24 –10/28/24)

Anthony Mantha – lower body injury (48 games: 11/7/24 – pres.)

Justin Kirkland – lower-body injury (37 games: 11/30/24 – pres.)

Dan Vladar – lower-body injury (1 game: 12/14/24)

Andrie Kuzmenko – lower-body injury (4 games: 12/14/24 – 12/21/24)

Connor Zary – lower-body injury (14 games: 1/11/25 – 2/23/25)

Kevin Bahl – upper-body injury (8 games: 1/26/25 – 2/23/25)

Kevin Bahl – illness (1 game: 2/23/25)

FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:

Joel Farabee – 397 games played (3 away from 400 games played)

Yegor Sharangovich – 96 goals (4 away from 100 goals)

Nazem Kadri – 395 assists (5 away from 400 assists)

Nazem Kadri – 294 goals (6 away from 300 goals)

Jonathan Huberdeau – 894 games played (6 away from 900 games played)

Matt Coronato - 93 games played (7 away from 100 games played)

Yegor Sharangovich – 92 assists (8 away from 100 assists)

Joel Farabee – 93 goals (7 away from 100 goals)

Morgan Frost – 291 games played (9 away from 300 games played)

HOW THE FLAMES WERE BUILT: (* = injured)

Draft (7)	Free Agent (8)	Trade (8)	Waivers (2)
Andersson (53 rd overall, 2015)	Bean (July 2024)	Bahl (From NJD – 2024)	Hanley (From DAL – 2024)
Backlund (24th overall, 2007)	Coleman (July 2021)	Farabee (From PHI – 2025)	Pachal (From VGK – 2024)
Coronato (13 th overall, 2021)	Kadri (August 2022)	Frost (From PHI – 2025)	
Pospisil (105 th overall, 2018)	Kirkland* (July 2024)	Huberdeau (From FLA – 2022)	
Zary (24 th overall, 2020)	Lomberg (July 2024)	Miromanov (From VGK – 2024)	
	Mantha* (July 2024)	Sharangovich (From NJD – 2023)	
	Rooney (July 2022)	Vladar (From BOS – 2021)	
		Weegar (From FLA – 2022)	

RECORD BY MONTH

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

POINTS LEADER BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
Player	Andersson	Kadri	Huberdeau	Coleman	Kadri	Weegar	
Points	4-6 – 10	4-5 – 9	8-7 – 15	4-8 – 12	3-6 – 9	1-3 – 4	

RECORD BY DAY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3-4-1	2-2-0	10-4-2	1-1-1	3-6-3	2-1-0	9-5-3

RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...

0 Days: 2-5-1
1 Day: 17-17-8
2 Days: 5-1-0
3 Days: 1-0-1
4+ Days: 5-0-0
First of B2B: 5-3-0
Second of B2B: 2-5-1

RECORD WHEN...

	0G	1G	2G	3G	4G	5G	6G	7G	8G
Scoring	0-4-0	1-6-3	3-6-4	13-5-2	5-0-0	3-0-0	4-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Allowing	5-0-0	10-0-0	6-0-3	5-6-4	2-6-2	1-5-0	0-3-0	0-0-0	0-1-0

PLAYER HIGHS

*active

	High (Most Recent Occurrence)	Date: Game
Goals, Game:	2 (Coronato)	1/31/25 vs. ANA
Assists, Game:	3 (Weegar)	11/21/24 vs. NYR
Points, Game:	4 (Huberdeau)	10/12/24 vs. PHI
Shots, Game:	7 (Coronato)	1/25/245 at MIN
TOI, Game:	28:05 (Andersson)	11/25/24 at OTT
Best +/-, Game:	+4 (Huberdeau)	1/23/25 vs. BUF
Saves, Game:	39 (Vladar)	3/1/25 at CAR
Goal Streak	5 Games (Kadri)	12/10/24 - 12/18/24
Assists Streak	6 Games (Weegar)	2/1/25 – 2/23/25
Point Streak	7 Games (/Kadri 3-6 – 9)	2/1/25 – 2/25/25

	LAST TIME (2024-25)	PREVIOUS
Regulation win, home	3/8/25 vs. MTL	2/23/25 vs. SJS
Regulation win, away	3/4/25 at PHI	2/25/25 at WSH
Regulation loss, home	2/6/25 vs. COL	2/4/25 vs. TOR
Regulation loss, away	3/1/25 at CAR	2/27/25 at TBL
OT win, home		
OT win, away	1/7/25 at ANA	11/5/24 at MTL
OT loss, home	2/8/25 vs. SEA	12/19/24 vs. OTT
OT loss, away	3/6/25 at DAL	3/2/25 at CAR
Shootout win, home	11/21/24 vs. MIN	11/19/24 vs. NYI
Shootout win, away		
Shootout loss, home		
Shootout loss, away	11/9/24 at BUF	
Shutout, home	3/8/25 vs. MTL	12/3/24 vs. CBJ
Shutout, away		

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



1) Jarome Iginla 1996-96-2012-13

1,219



2) Mikael Backlund 2008-09 - Present

1,053



Mark Giordano
 2005-06 – 2020-21

949



4) Robyn Regehr 1999-00 – 2010-11

826



5) Al MacInnis 1981-82 – 1993-94 803

CALGARY FLAMES JERSEY RECORD:

JERSEY	GP	W	L	OTL/SOL	Last Result
Home $\stackrel{>}{\sim}$	23	13	6	4	3/8/25: 1-0 W vs. MTL
Away	31	12	13	6	3/6/25 2-3 OTL at DAL
Alternate	10	6	4	0	1/11/25: 2-1 W vs. LAK