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Minnesota Wild (14-4-4) vs. Chicago Blackhawks (8-12-2)

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GAME BROADCASTS



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SERIES NOTES



CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS

All-Time Wild Record: 54-29-6 (29-12-3 at Xcel Energy Center, 25-17-3 at Chicago)

2024-25: Chicago earned a 2-1 victory in Minnesota in the series-opening game at United Center (11/10)...LW **Matt Boldy** (1-0=1) scored the Wild's lone goal, assisted by LW **Kirill Kaprizov** (0-1=1) and RW **Mats Zuccarello** (0-1=1)...G **Filip Gustavsson** stopped 20-of-22 shots faced for Minnesota...C **Jason Dickinson** (1-0=1) scored an unassisted goal for the Blackhawks in regulation before C **Philipp Kurashev** (1-0=1) scored the game-winning goal in overtime, assisted by D **Seth Jones** (0-1=1)...G **Petr Mrazek** saved 32-of-33 shots faced to earn the win for Chicago.

WILD LEADERS: Zuccarello leads Minnesota with 24 points (8-16=24) in 25 career matches against Chicago...D Jared Spurgeon owns 17 points (3-14=17) in 42 games...Kaprizov owns 13 points (5-8=13) in 10 games...LW Marcus Johansson has 11 points (5-6=11) in 22 career games.

WILD GOALIES: G Marc-Andre Fleury is 14-6-5 with a 2.47 GAA, a .918 SV% and one shutout in 25 career starts vs. the Blackhawks...Gustavsson is 3-0-1 with a 1.49 GAA and a .944 SV% in four starts.

BLACKHAWKS LEADERS: LW Taylor Hall (8-13=21, in 28 games) and RW Craig Smith (11-10=21, in 46 games) each lead Chicago with 21 career points against Minnesota... LW Teuvo Teravainen has 14 points (4-10=14) in 22 games...LW Nick Foligno (7-6=13, in 26 games) and D Alec Martinez (3-10=13, in 39 games) each have 13 points. BLACKHAWKS GOALIES: Mrazek is 5-5-0 with a 2.30 GAA and a .920 SV% in 10 career starts against the Wild...G Arvid Soderblom is 0-1-0 with a 4.00 GAA and a .892 SV%. **CONNECTIONS:** C Ryan Hartman was selected by Chicago in the first round (30th overall) of the 2013 NHL Draft and collected 57 points (27-30=57) in 141 games during four seasons (2014-18) with the Blackhawks...Fleury went 19-21-5 with a 2.95 GAA and a .908 SV% in part of one season (2021-22) with the Blackhawks...RW Ryan Donato tallied 39 points (18-21=39) in 84 games in parts of two seasons with Minnesota (2018-20)...D Wyatt Kaiser is from Andover and played three seasons at the University of Minnesota-Duluth (2020-23)...RW Joey Anderson is from Roseville and played two seasons (2016-18) at the University of Minnesota-Duluth...Chicago LW Nick Foligno is the older brother of Wild LW Marcus Foligno...RW Pat Maroon collected 16 points (4-12=16) and 60 PIM in 49 games with Minnesota during the 2023-24 season.

FAST FACTS: Minnesota's 54 all-time wins against Chicago are its third-most against an opponent...The Wild has earned points in 13 consecutive meetings (12-0-1) against the Blackhawks dating back to 2/4/20...Minnesota has earned a point in nine consecutive games played at Xcel Energy Center (8-0-1) dating back to 2/10/18...The Wild has earned points in seven consecutive games played at United Center (6-0-1) since 1/21/22 ...In 2015-16, the Wild became the first team to win every game in a season series of at least five contests against Chicago since the Boston Bruins went 8-0-0 in 1938-39.

NOTES & MILESTONES

Team: With a 14-4-4 record (.727), ranks third in the NHL in point percentage, T-3rd in points and T-5th in wins...32 points marks franchise's highest total through a season's first 22 games...Has scored 71 goals this season, T-2nd in franchise history through the first 22 games of a season (81 goals, 2021-22 season; 71 goals, 2018-19)...Minnesota's plus-19 goal differential through 22 games is a franchise high...Leads the NHL with a 2.34 team GAA and a .919 team SV%, and T-4th with a plus-19 goal differential...Also leads the NHL by allowing only 1.73 evenstrength goals per game, and ranks ninth by scoring 2.64 even-strength goals per game...Owns an active eight-game point streak on the road (6-0-2), the longest active streak in the NHL and tied with Vancouver (8-0-0) for the league's longest this season...Minnesota now has five total road point streak of eight-plus games in franchise history, last doing so in 2022-23 (8-0-3)...Leads the NHL with 23 road points (10-1-3), 10 road victories and a .821 road point percentage...T-1st in the NHL with a plus-20 goal differential on the road...Reached 10 road wins in the team's 14th road contest of the season at BUF (11/27), besting the team's previous low mark of 15 games (2011-12)... Is one of two NHL teams (Carolina) yet to record consecutive regulation losses this season...Won by a score of 1-0 for the 24th time in franchise history at BUF (11/27) and first since 11/11/22 at SEA...Blocked 31 shots at Buffalo (11/27), tied for the second-highest single-game total in franchise history (33 blocked shots at SJS. 12/6/11).

Matt Boldy: Owns 10 points (5-5=10) in his last 10 games...Tied for the NHL leads with five GWG...Ranks second on the Wild with 23 points (11-12=23).

Brock Faber: 11th in the NHL with 24:43 of TOI/G.

Marc-Andre Fleury: Played in the 1,030th game of his NHL career at EDM (11/21), passing Patrick Roy (1,029 gp) for third all time among NHL goaltenders (Brodeur, 1,266; Luongo, 1,044)...Also made his 1,000th career start at EDM (11/21), becoming the fourth goaltender in NHL history to reach the mark (Brodeur, 1,251; Luongo, 1,014; Roy, 1,003)...Owns a 4-0-1 record for the season and is the only NHL goaltender with five-plus starts to not suffer a regulation loss.

Marcus Foligno: Seventh in the NHL with 80 hits this season.

Freddy Gaudreau: Owns 12 points (4-8=12) in last 14 games, beginning 10/29 at PIT. **Filip Gustavsson:** Is 10-4-3 and leads the NHL with a 2.06 GAA and .929 SV%, is T-2nd with two shutouts and T-3rd with 10 wins...Has allowed two or fewer goals in 12 starts this season, most in the NHL...Stopped all 39 shots faced at BUF (11/27) to record his second shutout of the season and eighth of his career, moving past Darcy Kuemper for sixth all-time in franchise history. His 39 saves at BUF marked the sixth-highest total by a goaltender in a shutout victory in Wild history.

Marcus Johansson: Recorded four-game point streak (2-2=4) from 11/19 - 11/25. **Kirill Kaprizov:** Currently at 299 career NHL games played...Among players selected in the fifth round of the NHL Draft or later, only four skaters have tallied as many goals as Kaprizov at the time of their 300th career contest: Brett Hull (226), Pavel Bure (187), Luc Robitaille (185) and Alexander Mogilny (176)...Leads the NHL with 27 even-strength points (11-16=7) and 25 points on the road (8-17=25) this season while ranking T-1st in the NHL with 12 multi-point games, second with 1.68 points/game, T-2nd with 35 points (14-21=35), T-5th with 14 goals, T-6th with 21 assists, and T-5th with a plus-16 rating...Third among NHL forwards in TOI/G (22:15)...Has notched a point in each of his last 12 road games played (9-16=25), including a franchise-record 11-game road point streak (8-16=24) from 10/15 - 11/21...Recorded a seven-game point streak (6-7=13) from 11/7 - 11/21...Needs one PPG to pass Mikko Koivu (60 PPG) for second-most all-time in franchise history (Parise, 69 PPG).

Jake Middleton: Tied a career-high with seven blocked shots at BUF (11/27)...Tallied a goal and tied career high with five shots on goal vs. WPG (11/25)...Fourth in the NHL with a plus-17 rating and T-8th with 55 blocked shots...T-13th among NHL defensemen with four goals (leads team defensemen).

Marco Rossi: Has tallied a point in 14 of 22 games this season and ranks third on the Wild with 11 assists and 17 points (6-11=17).

UPCOMING GAME SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	TV/RADIO
Sat., Nov. 30	vs. Nashville	7 p.m.	FanDuel/KFAN FM 100.3
Tue., Dec. 3	vs. Vancouver	7 p.m.	FanDuel/KFAN FM 100.3
Fri., Dec. 6	at Anaheim	9 p.m.	FanDuel+/KFAN FM 100.3

CURRENT INJURIES

Jonas Brodin: upper-body injury (one game missed) Marat Khusnutdinov: lower-body injury (three games missed) Jakub Lauko: lower-body injury (one game missed) Mats Zuccarello: lower-body injury (six games missed)

2024-25 Total Man Games Lost: 30

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

- #4 Jon Merrill (MAIR-ihl)
- **#5 Jake Middleton** (MIH-duhl-tuhn)
- #7 Brock Faber (FAY-burr)
- #12 Matt Boldy (BOHL-dee)
- #13 Yakov Trenin (YAK-ov trey-nin)
- #14 Joel Eriksson Ek (JUHL AIR-ihk-suhn EHK)
- **#17 Marcus Foligno** (foh-LEE-noh)
- #19 Devin Shore (shore)
- #22 Marat Khusnutdinov (ma-ROT hoost-nuh-DEE-nov)
- #23 Marco Rossi (RAH-see)
- #24 Zach Bogosian (buh-GOH-zhuhn)
- #25 Jonas Brodin (JOE-nuhs broh-DEEN)
- #29 Marc-Andre Fleury (MAHRK-AWN-dray FLUH-ree)
- #32 Filip Gustavsson (FIHL-ihp GUHS-tahf-suhn)
- #36 Mats Zuccarello (MATS zoo-ka-REHL-oh)
- **#38 Ryan Hartman** (HAHRT-muhn)
- #39 Ben Jones (jones)
- #46 Jared Spurgeon (SPUHR-juhn)
- #47 Declan Chisholm (CHIHZ-uhm)
- #72 Travis Boyd (BOYD)
- #89 Frederick Gaudreau (goo-DROH)
- #90 Marcus Johansson (joh-HAN-sun)
- #94 Jakub Lauko (yaw-KUHB LAU-koh)
- **#97 Kirill Kaprizov** (kih-REEL kah-PREE-zawf)

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

November 1 - November 28, 2024

11/25/24	Emergency conditions have been terminated and F Travis
	Boyd remains on regular recall
11/22/24	Recalled F Travis Boyd from lowa (emergency recall)
11/17/24	Recalled F Ben Jones and F Devin Shore from lowa
	Reassigned D Daemon Hunt, F Michael Milne and
	F Liam Ohgren to Iowa
11/15/24	Placed F Mats Zuccarello on injured reserve
11/15/24	Recalled F Liam Ohgren from lowa (emergency recall)
11/13/24	Recalled F Michael Milne from lowa
11/12/24	Recalled D Daemon Hunt from Iowa
11/11/24	Reassigned F Michael Milne to Iowa
11/6/24	Recalled F Michael Milne from Iowa

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TEAM NOTES

HOT START

With 32 points (14-4-4) through 22 games this season, the Wild has set a franchise record for most points through a season's first 22 games.

First 22 Games, Minnesota Wild History

Rk.	Season	Record	Points
1.	2024-25	14-4-4	32
2.	2021-22	15-6-1	31
3t.	2013-14	13-5-4	30
3t.	2002-03	13-5-4	30
5t.	2011-12	13-6-3	29
5t.	2008-09	14-7-1	29

- Minnesota's plus-19 goal differential through 22 games is a franchise high.
- Has scored 71 goals this season, T-2nd in franchise history through the first 22 games of a season (81 goals, 2021-22 season; 71 goals, 2018-19).
- Is one of 89 teams in NHL history to record 30 points in a season's first 20 games, including the 2024-25 Winnipeg Jets. Of the 87 teams to reach the mark prior to this season, 64 made the Stanley Cup Playoffs.
- The Wild began the season with a seven-game season-opening point streak (5-0-2) from 10/10 - 10/24, marking the fourth time in franchise history achieving the mark following 2007-08 (7-0-1 in 8 GP), 2008-09 (6-0-1 in 7 GP) and 2001-02 (3-0-4 in 7 GP).
- Of the 121 previous teams in NHL history to record 16 points or more in a season's first 10 games, 87 have made the playoffs.
- Of the 60 previous occurrences of a season-opening seven-game point streak in NHL history, 53 teams made the playoffs. 13 of those teams won the Stanley Cup.

OUT IN FRONT

- The Wild has allowed 12 first-period goals this season, tied for fewest in the NHL (also LAK). Minnesota owns a plus-8 goal differential (19 goals for, 11 goal against) in the first period this season, fourth in the NHL.
- The Wild is 10-0-0 when leading through two periods and 9-0-1 when leading through one period this season.
- The Wild has scored first in a 15 games this season, most in the NHL, and holds a 11-2-2 record when doing so.
- Minnesota began the season by not trailing in regulation for 391:31, the second-longest season-opening mark in NHL history (1969-70 Boston Bruins, 457:21) and the second-longest streak at any point in a season in franchise history (414:32, 2014-15).

Season-Opening Streaks, Leading in Regulation

Rk.	Team, Season	Minutes	Completed Games
1.	Boston Bruins, 1969-70	457:21	7
2.	Minnesota Wild, 2024-25	391:31	6
3.	Montreal Canadiens, 2015-16	324:47	5
4.	Boston Bruins, 1990-91	301:41	5
5.	New York Rangers, 1973-74	297:37	4

The run was also the second-longest streak at any point in Wild history, trailing only a 414:32 mark in 2014-15.

WILD UNDER HYNES

- The Wild has played 85 regular-season games under Head Coach John Hynes dating back to Nov. 28, 2023 vs. STL.
- Hynes owns a 48-28-9 record (.618) during that span. His .618 point • percentage ranks second all-time among Wild head coaches.
- The Wild ranks T-8th in the NHL in points (105) and wins (48) since Hynes took the bench on Nov. 28, 2023.

YOUNG GUNS

- The Wild ranks seventh in the NHL with 54 points (20-34=54) registered by players aged 23 years or younger to start the season (Boldy, Faber, Khusnutdinov, Rossi).
- Matt Boldy is third among NHL players who started the season age 23 or younger with 11 goals and 23 points (11-12=23). Marco Rossi ranks T-11th with 17 points (6-11=17).
- Minnesota ranked second in the NHL last season with 0.42 rookie points • scored per game played (min. 100 games played by rookie skaters).
- Minnesota finished second in the NHL last season with 104 points • scored by rookies (34-70=104) and third with 245 games played by rookie skaters (248 including goalies).

STINGY PLAY

- Minnesota leads the NHL with a 2.34 GAA and .919 SV%. Also leads the NHL by allowing only 1.73 even-strength goals per game.
- The Wild has recorded 14 games allowing two-or-fewer goals this season, most in the NHL.
- The Wild is allowing 2.32 opponent power-play opportunities per game, • the third-best mark in the NHL this season.

Opponent Power-Play Opportunities/Game, 2024-25 Season

	Team New York Jalan dam	OPPO/G
1.	New York Islanders	2.04
2.	Vegas Golden Knights	2.13
3.	Minnesota Wild	2.32
	Edmonton Oilers	
5t.	Winnipeg Jets	2.52
	Colorado Avalanche	

ON THE ROAD AGAIN

- Leads the NHL with 23 road points (10-1-3), 10 road victories and a .821 road point percentage. Is T-1st in the NHL with a plus-20 goal differential on the road.
- Reached 10 road wins in the team's 14th road contest of the season • at BUF (11/27), besting the team's previous low mark of 15 games (2011-12).
- The Wild recorded a five-game road point streak from 10/13 10/24, • tied for the longest in franchise history to start a season (also 2002-03 season, 3-0-2).
- Minnesota's recorded five road wins and 11 road points in October, marking the first time in franchise history the club has reached either mark in that month.
- Minnesota currently owns 12 road points in November (5-0-2), the • highest total in franchise history.

PLAYER NOTES

KIRILL THE THRILL

- Kirill Kaprizov leads the NHL with 27 even-strength points (11-16=7) and 25 points on the road (8-17=25) this season while ranking T-1st in the NHL with 12 multipoint games, second with 1.68 points/game, T-2nd with 35 points (14-21=35), T-5th with 14 goals, T-6th with 21 assists, and T-5th with a plus-16 rating.
- Currently at 299 career NHL games. Among players selected in the fifth round of the NHL Draft or later, only four skaters have tallied as many goals as Kaprizov at the time of their 300th career contest: Brett Hull (226), Pavel Bure (187), Luc Robitaille (185) and Alexander Mogilny (176).
- Third among NHL forwards in TOI/G (22:15)
- With two goals (2-0=2) at STL (11/19), became one of 19 players in NHL history (29 total occurrences) to record 12 multi-point outings in a team's first 18 games played. He is the first to achieve the feat since Peter Forsberg (2005-06)
- With two points (1-1=2) vs. MTL, became the fastest player in franchise history (16 GP) to reach 30 points in a season, shattering the mark he set in 2022-23 (22 GP). Also became the ninth NHL player born outside of North America to reach the 30-point mark in 16 or fewer games.
- With three points (2-1=3) in the 292nd game of his career at ANA (11/8), tied Evgeni Malkin as the fourth-fastest active NHL player to record 100 multi-point games (Crosby - 235 games; McDavid - 270 games; Ovechkin - 272 games; Kaprizov - 292 games; Malkin - 292 games). Tied Malkin and Glenn Anderson as the 27th fastest player in NHL history to reach the mark. Among Wild players, Marian Gaborik was previously the fastest to reach 100 multi-point games, doing so in 455 contests.
- Ranks third in Wild history with 102 multi-point games (Koivu, 153; Gaborik, 114).
- With a PPG at ANA (11/8), tied Mikko Koivu (60 PPG) for second-most all-time in franchise history (Parise, 69 PPG).
- With three assists (0-3=3) at SJS (11/7), recorded his eighth career threeassist game and tied Mats Zuccarello and Pierre-Marc Bouchard for the second most in franchise history (Mikko Koivu, 16 three-assist games).
- Currently with 37 career three-plus point games, notched his 35th game with three-plus points of his career with a three-point performance (2-1=3) vs. TBL (11/1) to move past Mikko Koivu (34 games) for most in franchise history.
- Kaprizov was named the NHL's Third Star of the Month for October (5-3=18 in 9 GP), averaging two points/game (first in NHL) and tallying a point in eight of nine contests to lead the Wild to a 6-1-2 record. Is the fourth Wild player to be named an NHL Star of the Month, joining Eric Staal, (First Star-Feb. 2018); Devan Dubnyk (4x) and Josh Harding (Third Star-Nov. 2013).
- Currently with 39 career multi-assist games, needs two more to tie Jared Spurgeon (41) for third-most in franchise history.
- Scored his 27th career game-opening goal at TBL (10/24) to pass Jason Zucker for the fourth most in Wild history.

STONE-COLD KIRILL-ER

 Kaprizov notched the 24th GWG of his career at ANA (11/8), moving past Eric Staal (23 GWG) for fourth-most in franchise history.

All-Time Game-Winning Goals, Minnesota Wild History

Rk.	Player	GWG
1.	M. Ğaborik	43
2.	Z. Parise	
3.	M. Koivu	
4.	K. Kaprizov	25
5.	E. Staal	23

 Kaprizov's game-winning goal in overtime vs. MTL (12/21/23) marked the eighth of his NHL career, furthering his franchise record.

All-Time OT Goals, Minnesota Wild History

	Player	OT Goals
1.	K. Kaprizov	8
2.	M. Dumba	6
	B. Burns	
	M. Koivu	
	J. Spurgeon	
5t.	M. Gaborik	
7t.	M. Boldy	3
7t.	M. Gaborik M. Boldy K. Fiala	

HE'S GOING STREAKING

 Kaprizov has notched a point in each of his last 12 road games played (9-16=25), including a franchise-record 11-game road point streak (8-16=24) from 10/15 - 11/21.

Longest Regular-Season Road Point Streaks, Wild History

- Kaprizov posted a seven-game point streak (6-7=13) from 11/7 -11/21.
- Kaprizov posted a multi-point streak of eight games on the road (6-14=20) from 10/15 11/8, joining Steven Stamkos (8 GP in 2017-18) and Roman Josi (8 GP in 2021-22) as the only active players to achieve the mark
- Kaprizov recorded seven-game multi-point and assist streaks (6-11=17) from 10/15 - 11/1.
- His streak of seven consecutive games with multiple points set a franchise record and T-4th longest in the NHL since the 2000-01 season.

Longest Regular-Season Multi-Point Streaks, Wild History

Rk.	Player, Season	Games
1.	Kirill Kaprizov, 2024-25	7
2.	Mat Zuccarello, 2021-22	6
	Kevin Fiala, 2021-22	
3t.	Kevin Fiala, 2019-20	5
3t.	Marian Gaborik, 2005-06	5

• The assist streak was also tied for the longest in the NHL this season, T-3rd longest of Kaprizov's career and T-5th longest in franchise history.

Longest Regular-Season Assist Streaks, Wild History Player, Season Rk. Games 1. 2t. 2t. 2t. Kirill Kaprizov, 2024-25......7 5t. 5t. Kirill Kaprizov, 2021-22......7 Jared Spurgeon, 2021-22.....7 5t. Ryan Suter, 2013-147 5t.

 Per NHL Stats, Kaprizov is the only player among all 32 NHL clubs to hold the franchise record (outright or tied) for all three scoring milestones: goal streak, assist streak and point streak.

Longest Regular-Season Point Streaks, Wild History

KK.	Player, Season	Games
1.	Kirill Kaprizov, 2022-23	14
	Mikael Granlund, 2016-17	
	Kevin Fiala, 2021-22	
	Seven instances.	

Longest Regular-Season Goal Streaks, Wild History

	Player, Season	Games
1.	Kirill Kaprizov, 2022-23	7
2t.	Kirill Kaprizov, 2021-22	6
	Nino Niederreiter, 2017-18	
2t.	Brian Rolston, 2007-08	6
	Eight instances	

PLAYER NOTES

CROWN JOEL

- Joel Eriksson Ek won 18-of-24 face offs (75.0 pct.) taken at CGY (11/23). His 18 total face off wins marked a season high and the fourthhighest total of his NHL career (19 face offs won, three occurrences). He last won 18-plus face offs on 2/19/24 vs. PIT (19-for-33).
- The Swede recorded a three-game goal and point streak (3-2=5) from 10/22 10/26.
- Eriksson Ek played in his 500th career NHL game vs. SEA (10/12).
- Opened the season with a goal (1-0=1) and five hits vs. CBJ (10/10), tied for the ninth-highest single-game hit total of his career.
- Currently with 38 career PPGs, Eriksson Ek needs one PPG to tie Brian Rolston (39 PPGs with MIN) for sixth on the franchise's all-time list.
- Eriksson Ek ranked second on the Wild with 12 PPGs and a career-high 30 goals last season while ranking third in points (30-34=64).
- Became the 11th player in franchise history to record 30 goals in a single season, reaching the mark vs. SJS (3/28/24).

BOLDY AND THE BEAUTIFUL

- **Matt Boldy** recorded a six-game point streak (3-4=7) from 11/10 11/23. Owns 10 points in his last 10 games (5-5=10).
- Tied for the NHL leads with five GWG.
- Ranks second on the Wild with 23 points (11-12=23).
- With a GWG vs. MTL (11/14), reached 19 career GWG and tied Ryan Hartman and Pierre-Marc Bouchard for 10th-most in franchise history.
- Is the fourth NHL player since 2000-01 to record five GWG in a season's first 16 games, joining Fedorov (six, 2002-23), Draisaitl (five, 2021-22) and Matthews (five, 2020-21).
- Reached 100 career assists at CBJ (10/19), becoming the 26th player to reach 100 assists in a Wild sweater.
- Boldy opened the 2024-25 season with three points (1-2=3) vs. CBJ (10/10), marking his 12th career three-point game and becoming the sixth player in franchise history with three-plus points in the season opener.
- Collected his 100th career point (45-55=100) in the 125th game of his career at PIT (4/6/23). Among players to debut with the franchise, he required the second-fewest games to reach the mark behind Kirill Kaprizov (92 GP).

MARCO POLO

- **Marco Rossi** owns points in 14 of 22 games played this season (5-10=15) and ranks third on the team with 11 assists and 17 points (6-11=17).
- Rossi recorded a career-long six-game point streak (3-4=7) from 10/12 - 10/24.
- Posted a three-game goal streak (3-0=3) from 10/12 10/22, also a career-long mark.
- Rossi picked up his 46th career point in his 108th career game at CBJ (10/19). Per NHL Stats, he surpassed Marko Dano (45 in 141 GP) for fifth most by an Austria-born player.
- Among NHL rookies, Rossi finished second in goals (21), T-3rd in shots (167), T-4th in GWG (two) and fifth in points (21-19=40) last season.
- With two assists at LAK (4/15/24), became the third rookie in franchise history with 40 points in a single season.
- Recorded a career-high seven shots on goal vs. STL (3/23/24) and notched his third career multi-goal game (2-0=2), moving his season total to 20 goals and joining Kirill Kaprizov (27 goals, 2020-21) as the only Wild rookies with 20-goal seasons. Also moved past Marian Gaborik (18-18=36, 2000-01 season) for the fourth-highest singleseason point total by a Wild rookie.

BROCKED AND LOADED

- Brock Faber played in his 100th career NHL game vs. MTL (11/14).
- Ranks 11th in the NHL with 24:43 of TOI/G.
- Owns three points (1-2=3) in his last four games.
- Recorded a three-game point streak (2-1=3) from 10/26 11/1.
- Reached 50 career points (8-42=50) in his 89th career game at CBJ (10/19), becoming the second-fastest Wild defenseman to reach 50 points with the franchise (Ryan Suter, 83 games).
- Faber led all NHL rookies with 24:58 TOI per game and 150 blocked shots, ranked T-1st with 39 assists and third with 46 points (8-39=47). Faber finished sixth among all NHL skaters in TOI/game.
- With a blocked shot at LAK (4/15/24), became the ninth NHL rookie to post 150-plus blocks in a season since 2005-06.
- With two blocks at COL (3/8/24), reached 126 for the season and moved past Nate Prosser (124 blocked shots in 2011-12) for the highest single-season blocked shot total by a rookie in franchise history.
- With an assist vs. PIT (2/9/24), moved his season point total to 4-27=31 and surpassed Filip Kuba (9-21=30 in 2000-01) for the highest single-season point total by a Wild rookie defenseman. Also moved past Calen Addison (26 assists in 2022-23) for most single-season assists by a Wild rookie.
- Played in his 50th career game vs. NSH (1/25). With 29 points (4-25=29) in 50 career games, matched Marek Zidlicky for the second-most points by a Wild defenseman through their first 50 games with the Wild. The only blueliner with more is Ryan Suter (4-29—33 in 50 GP), per NHL Stats.
- Recorded five games with 30-plus minutes of TOI last season, four of which came in a five-game span from 12/14/23 to 12/21/23. Became one of two NHL rookies since 1997-98 to play four games with 30-plus minutes of TOI in a single season.
- Skated a career-high 33:25 vs. MTL (12/21/23), the highest singlegame total in the NHL last season and the third-highest by an NHL rookie since the start of the 2000-01 season.
- Per NHL Stats, since time on ice began being tracked in 1997-98, Faber is only the 2nd rookie to record consecutive 30-plus-minute games (Atlanta's Toby Enstrom in March 2008), doing so vs. CGY (12/14/23) and vs. VAN (12/16/23).

Single-Season Assists by a Rookie, Wild History

<u> Rk.</u>	Player, Season	Assists
1.	Brock Faber, 2023-24	39
2.	Calen Addison, 2022-23	26
3t.	Kirill Kaprizov, 2020-21	24
3t.	Matt Boldy, 2021-22	24
5.	Filip Kuba, 2000-01	21

Single-Season Points by a Rookie Defenseman, Wild History

Player, Season	Points
Brock Faber, 2023-24	47
Filip Kuba, 2000-01	
Calen Addison, 2022-3	29
Kurtis Foster, 2005-06	
Matt Dumba, 2014-15	16
	Brock Faber, 2023-24 Filip Kuba, 2000-01 Calen Addison, 2022-3 Kurtis Foster, 2005-06



PLAYER NOTES

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THE GUS BUS IS ROLLING

- Filip Gustavsson is 10-4-3 and leads the NHL with a 2.06 GAA and .929 SV% while ranking T-2nd with two shutouts and T-3rd with 10 wins.
- Has allowed two or fewer goals in 12 starts this season, most in the NHL.
- Stopped all 39 shots faced at BUF (11/27) to record his second shutout of the season and eighth of his career, moving past Darcy Kuemper for sixth all-time in franchise history. His 39 saves at BUF marked the sixth-highest total by a goaltender in a shutout victory in Wild history Made a season-high 38 saves vs. DAL (11/16).
- Is 52-31-7 in his career with the Wild since joining the franchise in 2022-23. Gustavsson's .917 save percentage ranks tied for the thirdhighest among all goaltenders through that span, behind Linus Ullmark (.923) and Connor Hellebuyck (.922).
- Earned the NHL's Third Star of the Week for the period ending 10/20 after going 2-0-0, stopping 50 of 52 shots faced in two starts for a 1.00 GAA and a .962 SV%.
- Gustavsson scored the first goal of his hockey career, a power-play goal, at STL (10/15), becoming the first goaltender in franchise history to find the net.
- Is one of 15 goalies in NHL history to score a goal, a feat that has only been done a total 18 times.
- The play also marked the third PPG scored by a goalie in NHL history.
- He is the 10th goalie to score a goal by shooting it into an empty net (the others were the last to touch an own-goal).

Goals-Against Average, 2024-25 NHL Goaltenders*

<u>Rk.</u>	Player, Team	GAA
1.	Filip Gustavsson, MIN	2.06
	Connor Hellebuyck, WPG	
	Karel Vejmelka, UTA	
4.	Jake Allen, NJD	2.26
	Anthony Stolarz, TOR	

Save Percentage, 2024-25 NHL Goaltenders*

<u>Rk.</u>	Player, Team	<u> </u>
1.	Filip Gustavsson, MIN	0.929
2.	Connor Hellebuyck, WPG	0.928
	Cam Talbot, DET	
4t.	Lukas Dostal, ANA	0.922
4t.	Karel Vejmelka, UTA	0.922

*minimum eight games played

OH CAPTAIN MY CAPTAIN

- Jared Spurgeon record a three-game point streak (0-3=3) from 11/14 - 11/19.
- Ranks first in franchise history in plus-minus rating (plus-121), blocked shots (1,518), second in games played (883) and minutes skated (19,596:40), third in assists (280) and fourth in scoring (110-280=390) and shots (1,466).
- Since entering the NHL in 2010-11, has recorded the fewest PIMs (150) by a defenseman playing in 700-plus games.

IN FULL BLOOM

- Goaltender Marc-Andre Fleury played in the 1,030th game of his NHL • career at EDM (11/21), passing Patrick Roy (1,029 gp) for third all time among NHL goaltenders (Brodeur, 1,266; Luongo, 1,044).
- Also made his 1,000th career start at EDM (11/21), becoming the • fourth goaltender in NHL history to reach the mark (Brodeur, 1,251; Luongo, 1,014; Roy, 1,003).
- Owns a 4-0-1 record for the season and is the only NHL goaltender with • five-plus starts to not suffer a regulation loss
- Is playing in his 21st career NHL season, tied for second-most by a • goaltender in NHL history and trailing only Martin Brodeur (22 seasons).
- Posted the 75th shutout of his NHL career vs. ANA (3/14/24) and needs one more to tie Tony Esposito and Ed Belfour (76 career SO each) for 10th most in NHL history.
- Fleury recorded his 552nd career win with a 5-0 victory vs. NYI (1/15/24), moving past Patrick Roy (551 career wins) for second-most in NHL history.
- Fleury became the fourth goaltender in NHL history to reach 1,000 • games played when he started vs. WPG (12/31/23).
- He made 24 saves at NYR (11/9/23) to reach 25,808 career saves and • pass Roy (25,800 career saves) for third most in NHL history.
- Fleury made a season-high 40 saves in a 4-3 OT win at BOS (12/19/23), his 40th career game with 40-plus saves (T-11th most in NHL history).
- Fleury notched the 65th shootout win of his career vs. NYR (11/4), • further extending his all-time NHL record.
- Fleury has recorded a shutout against 29-of-32 NHL teams (St. Louis, Vegas and Minnesota), the most in league history.
- Fleury faced his 28th career penalty-shot attempt at MTL (10/25). Per NHL Stats, Fleury's 22 saves on 28 all-time attempts trail only Roberto Luongo (33 PS SÁ, 29 PS saves) for the all-time lead in both categories.

All-Time Minutes Played, NHL Goaltenders

Rk.	Player	Career Minutes Played
1.	Martin Brodeur	74,438:25
2.	Patrick Roy	60,214:34
3.	Roberto Luongo	
	Marc-Andre Fleury	

All-Time Games Played, NHL Goaltenders

Rk.	Player	Career GP
1.	Martin Brodeur	
2.	Roberto Luongo	
3.	Marc-Andre Fleury	1,030
	Patrick Roy	

All-Time Games Started, NHL Goaltenders

	Player	Career GP
1.	Martin Brodeur	1,251
2.	Roberto Luongo	1,014
3.	Patrick Roy	
4.	Marc-Andre Fleury	

All-Time Wins, NHL Goaltenders

Rk.	Player	Career Wins
1.	Martin Brodeur	
2.	Marc-Andre Fleury	565
	Patrick Roy	

All-Time Saves, NHL Goaltenders

Rk.	Player	Career Saves
1.	Martin Brodeur	
2.	Roberto Luongo	
3.	Marc-Andre Fleury	
4.	Patrick Rov	25,800

MINNESOTA WILD 2024-25 GAME NOTES TABLES 11/28/24 MINNESOTA WILD MONTH-BY-MONTH

	ОСТ.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
2000-01	2-7-3	5-7-2	5-3-4	6-5-2	4-7-0	2-8-6	1-2-1	
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2001-02	4-3-4	7-6-2	2-8-3	4-6-5	2-4-1	6-5-3	1-3-3	-
2002-03	8-1-2	5-6-3	7-4-3	5-7-1	7-4-0	9-5-2	1-2-0	-
2003-04	4-6-1	4-6-3	6-2-6	3-6-7	4-5-2	7-4-4	2-0-0	-
2005-06	6-4-2	4-6-1	8-7-1	7-7-0	4-2-1	5-7-2	4-3-1	-
2006-07	9-2-0	4-8-1	7-7-1	7-4-2	8-2-2	10-3-2	3-0-0	-
2007-08	7-3-2	7-6-0	8-6-0	7-4-1	7-5-2	7-4-4	1-0-1	-
2008-09	6-2-1	8-5-0	4-9-1	7-5-1	5-5-2	6-6-4	4-1-0	-
2009-10	5-9-0	5-3-3	10-6-0	7-6-1	3-3-0	7-7-2	1-2-2	-
2010-11	4-4-2	7-6-0	6-5-3	8-4-0	8-5-1	4-8-2	2-3-0	-
2011-12	4-3-3	11-4-0	6-6-3	3-6-1	4-7-2	5-9-1	2-1-1	-
2012-13	-	-	-	4-2-1	6-5-1	11-4-0	5-8-1	-
2013-14	6-4-3	9-4-2	5-9-0	9-4-1	4-0-1	6-5-4	4-1-1	-
2014-15	6-3-0	7-6-1	4-5-3	5-6-2	11-2-1	11-3-0	2-3-1	-
2015-16	7-2-2	4-5-2	9-3-2	3-7-3	5-8-1	10-4-1	0-4-0	-
2016-17	6-2-1	5-6-2	12-1-1	10-2-1	8-3-1	4-10-2	4-1-0	-
2017-18	4-4-2	8-6-1	8-6-0	7-2-2	9-2-2	7-5-3	2-1-1	-
2018-19	7-3-2	7-6-0	4-8-1	8-4-0	5-6-3	5-7-3	1-2-0	-
2019-20	4-9-0	7-2-4	8-6-1	4-4-1	9-4-1	3-2-0	-	-
2020-21	-	-	-	6-4-0	6-2-0	9-5-2	10-3-2	4-2-1
2021-22	5-3-0	10-3-1	4-3-1	8-1-1	4-6-0	10-4-2	12-2-2	
2022-23	4-4-1	6-5-1	11-4-0	6-4-2	7-4-2	10-1-3	2-4-1	
2023-24	3-4-2	4-6-2	9-5-0	5-8-1	7-3-1	7-3-3	4-5-0	
2024-25	6-1-2	8-3-2						
All-Time	117-83-35	140-115-33	143-113-34	139-108-36	139-94-27	159-118-55	68-50-19	4-2-1

2024-25 MONTHLY COMPARISONS

Month	Record	GF-GA*	PP	РК	SF-SA
October	6-1-2	34-24	8-31 (25.8%)	12-17 (70.6%)	258-257
November	8-3-2	37-30	4-30 (13.3%)	26-34 (76.5%)	375-385
December					
January					
February					
March					
April					

2024-25 10-GAME COMPARISONS

Game	Record	GF-GA*	PP	РК	SF-SA
1-10	7-1-2	39-27	8-33 (24.2%)	14-21 (66.7%)	280-287
11-20	6-2-2	30-23	4-26 (15.4%)	20-25 (80.0%)	280-284
21-30	1-1-0	2-4	0-2	4-5 (80.0%)	73-71
31-40					
41-50					
51-60					
61-70					
71-82					

2024-25 MINNESOTA WILD GOAL PRODUCTION (Includes shootout goals)

Goals for	Times	Wild Record	Goals Against	Times	Wild Record
0			0	2	2-0-0
1	6	1-3-2	1	4	4-0-0
2	1	1-0-0	2	8	5-1-2
3	3	3-0-1	3	3	3-0-0
4	4	3-0-1	4	2	0-1-1
5	7	6-1-0	5	2	0-1-1
6			6		
7			7	1	0-1-0
8			8		
9			9		
GOALS FOR:	71	14-4-4	GOALS AGAINST:	54	14-4-4

2024-25 MINNESOTA WILD HIGHS AND LOWS

INDIVIDUAL

Most Goals, Game	2 – 7x, Most Recent: Gaudreau 11/21 at EDM
Most Assists, Game	3 – Middleton, 10/22 at FLA
Most Points, Game	3-9x, Most Recent: Gaudreau (2-1=3) 11/21 at EDM
Most Goals, Period	2 – 2x, Kaprizov 11/1 vs. TBL (3rd) and 11/19 at STL (3rd)
Most Assists, Period	2 – 4x, Most Recent: Kaprizov at SJS (2nd)
Most Points, Period	2-10x, Most Recent: Rossi (1-1=2) at CGY (3rd)
Most Shots, Game	9 – Boldy 10/26 at PHI
Most Penalty Minutes, Game	6 – 2x, Trenin, 10/19 at CBJ; Bogosian, 11/8 at ANA
Most Hits, Game	9 – Foligno, 11/1 vs. TBL
Most Blocked Shots, Game	7 – Middleton, 11/27 at BUF
Most PPG, Game	1 – 12x
Most PPG, Season	4 – Boldy
Most SHG, Season	1 – Lauko, 10/15 at STL
Most GWG, Season	5 – Boldy
Most Overtime Goals	1 – Boldy
Consecutive Games with a Goal	3 – Rossi (10/15-10/22); Kaprizov (11/14-11/19)
Consecutive Games with an Assist	7 – Kaprizov (10/15-11/1)
Consecutive Games with a Point	7 – Kaprizov (10/15-11/1) and (11/7-11/21)
Most TOI, Game	28:20 – Faber, 10/12 vs. SEA
Most Saves, Game	39 – Gustavsson, 11/27 at BUF (1-0 win)
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*Bold indicates active streak

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Consecutive Games Won	4 - 10/15 - 10/24
Consecutive Games Earning a Point	7 (5-0-2) - 10/10 - 10/24
Consecutive Games Lost, Regulation	
Consecutive Games Lost, Regulation and OT/SO	2 - 2x, $10/12 - 10/13$; $11/23 - 11/25$
Most Goals For, Period	4 – 2x, 11/1 at TBL (3rd)
Most Goals Against, Period	4 – 10/26 at PHI (3rd)
Most Goals For, Game	5 - 7x, Most Recent 11/21 at EDM
Most Goals Against, Game	7 – 10/26 at PHI
Most Power-Play Goals For, Period	1 – 12x
Most Power-Play Goals For, Game	2 - 10/15 at STL
Most Power-Play Goals Against, Period	1 – 11x, Most Recent: 11/25 vs. WPG (3rd)
Most Power-Play Goals Against, Game	2 - 2x, 11/1 vs. TB; 11/23 at CGY
Most Power-Play Attempts For, Game	5 – 2x, 10/15 at STL; 10/29 at PT
Most Power-Play Attempts Against, Game	6 – 11/8 at ANA
Most Shots For, Period	22 – 11/25 vs. WPG (1st)
Most Shots For, Game	44 – 11/25 vs. WPG
Most Shots Against, Period	16 – 11/27 at BUF (1st)
Most Shots Against, Game	40 – 11/16 vs. DAL
Most Shots For, Overtime	2 – 11/23 at CGY
Most Shots Against, Overtime	3 – 11/23 at CGY
Fewest Shots For, Period	3 – 11/23 at CGY (2nd)
Fewest Shots For, Game	18 – 10/24 at TBL
Fewest Shots Against, Period	2 – 2x, 11/5 vs LAK (1st); 11/14 vs. MTL (1st)
Fewest Shots Against, Game	19 – 11/14 vs MTL
Most Penalty Minutes Both Teams, Game	26 – 11/16 vs. DAL
Most Penalty Minutes Wild, Game	14 – 11/16 vs. DAL
Fewest Penalty Minutes Both Teams, Game	4 - 2x, 10/22 at FLA and 11/27 at BUF
Fewest Penalty Minutes Wild, Game	0 – 10/22 at FLA

2024-25 MULTIPLE POINT GAMES

Player	2 pts.	3 pts.	4 pts.	5 pts.	6 pts.	Total	Record
Kirill Kaprizov	6	6				12	10-1-1
Matt Boldy	5	1				6	4-0-2
Marco Rossi	3					3	1-0-2
Mats Zuccarello	3					3	2-0-1
Joel Eriksson Ek	2					2	1-1-0
Marcus Foligno	2					2	1-1-0
Freddy Gaudreau		2				2	2-0-0
Brock Faber	1					1	1-0-0
Ryan Hartman	1					1	1-0-0
Marcus Johansson	1					1	1-0-0
Jake Middleton		1				1	1-0-0
Jared Spurgeon	1					1	1-0-0

THE LAST TIME:	НОМЕ	ROAD			
Recorded a shutout	11/14/24, 3-0 vs. MTL (Gustavsson, 19 saves)	11/27/24, 1-0 at BUF (Gustavsson, 39 saves)			
Were shutout	1/13/24, 6-0 vs. ARI (Ingram, 38 saves)	3/20/24, 6-0 at LAK (Rittich, 31 saves)			
Won a 1-0 game	11/17/16, 1-0 vs. BOS (Dubnyk, 25 saves)	11/27/24, 1-0 at BUF (Gustavsson, 39 saves)			
Lost a 1-0 game	3/7/23, 1-0 SOL vs. CGY (Markstrom, 40 saves)	11/8/22, 1-0 at LA (Quick, 22 saves)			
Scored 5 or more goals	11/1/24, 5-3 win vs. TBL	11/21/24, 5-3 win at EDM			
Allowed 5 or more goals	11/5/24, 5-1 loss vs. LAK	10/26/24, 7-5 loss at PHI			
Overcame 2-goal deficit to win	3/3/24 vs. SJS (down 2-0 in 1st, 4-3 win)	10/29/24 at PIT (Down 2-0 in 1st, 5-3 win)			
Overcame 3-goal deficit to win	2/19/24 vs. VAN (down 4-1 and 5-2 in 2nd, 10-7 win)	10/8/15 at COL (down 4-1 in 3rd, 5-4 win)			
Overcame 4-goal deficit to win	1/9/10 vs. CHI (down 5-1 in 3rd, 6-5 SO win)	Never			
Surrendered 2-goal lead in loss	10/12/24 vs. SEA (ahead 2-0 in 2nd, 5-4 SOL)	3/13/23 at ARI (ahead 4-2 in 2nd, 5-4 OTL)			
Surrendered 3-goal lead in loss	2/15/19 vs. NJ (ahead 4-1 in 2nd, 5-4 OTL)	5/13/21 at STL (ahead 3-0 in 1st, 7-3 loss)			
Surrendered 4-goal lead in loss	Never	Never			
Had a penalty shot	12/20/16, Staal vs. Varlamov (unsuccessful)	3/8/24, Zuccarello vs. Georgiev (unsuccessful)			
Scored on a penalty shot	3/22/14, Coyle vs. Howard	12/16/14, Niederreiter vs. Raanta			
Faced a penalty shot	2/9/23, Reilly Smith vs. Fleury (goal)	11/8/24, Zegras vs. Gustavsson (no goal)			
Allowed a penalty shot goal	2/9/23, Reilly Smith vs. Fleury	1/21/14, Jordie Benn vs. Kuemper			
Had a hat trick	3/3/24, Kaprizov vs. SJS (4-3 win)	1/21/24, Kaprizov at CAR (5-2 win)			
Allowed a hat trick	3/23/24, Kyrou vs. STL (5-4 OTL)	10/26/24, Couturier at PHI (7-5 loss)			
Scored a shorthanded goal	1/15/24, Eriksson Ek (5-0 W)	10/15/24, Lauko at STL (4-1 win)			
Allowed a shorthanded goal	4/18/24, Gourde (2) vs. SEA (4-3 loss)	10/24/24, Hagel at TBL (4-2 win)			
Scored an empty net goal	11/14/24, Kaprizov vs. MTL (3-0 win)	11/19/24, Kaprizov at STL (4-2 win)			
Allowed an empty net goal	11/25/24, vs. WPG, Lowry (4-1 loss)	10/26/24, Couturier at PHI (7-5 loss)			
Did not record penalty	10/19/23 vs. LAK (7-3 loss)	10/22/24 at FLA (5-1 win)			
Opponent did not record penalty	1/22/22 vs. DET (4-2 win)	11/27/24 at BUF (1-0 win)			
Played in a penalty free game	Never	11/30/13 at COL (3-2 SO loss)			
Won an overtime game	11/3/24 vs. TOR (Boldy)	1/6/24 at CBJ (Rossi)			
Lost an overtime game	3/30/24 vs. VGK (Marchessault)**	11/10/24 at CHI (Kurashev)			
Won a shootout	12/16/23 vs. VAN (Zuccarello)	12/4/22 at DAL (Gaudreau)			
Lost a shootout	10/12/24 vs. SEA (Eberle)	11/23/24 at CGY (Andersson)			
Recorded 20+ shots in a period	11/25/24 vs. WPG (22 in 1st, 4-1 loss)	2/14/24 at ARI (20 in 1st, 3-1 win)			
Allowed 20+ shots in a period	10/21/23 vs. CBJ (22 in 2nd, 5-4 OTL)	2/23/24 at EDM (24 in 3rd, 4-2 win)			
Recorded 0 shots in a period	1/10/19 vs. WPG (0 in 3rd, 3-2 win)	11/08/01 at BOS (0 in 3rd, 5-3 win)			
Allowed 0 shots in a period	3/3/13 vs. EDM (0 in 2nd, 4-2 win)	Never			
Recorded 50 or more shots	Record is 49 vs. ANA 12/3/22	Record is 49 at NSH 4/5/22			
Surrendered 50 or more shots	10/21/23 vs. CBJ (54 in 5-4 OT loss)	3/18/21 at COL (55 in 5-1 loss)			

**Indicates regulation loss in standings due to goaltender being pulled