

**FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP****November 9, 2024 – CALGARY FLAMES [2] vs. BUFFALO SABRES [3] (SO)**[Game Summary](#) | [Event Summary](#)

The Calgary Flames finished off a three-game eastern road swing on Saturday afternoon in Buffalo. The Sabres would open the scoring 1:11 into the contest with Zach Benson giving Buffalo an early advantage. The home side would double their lead midway through the frame to lead 2-0 through 20. In the second, Matt Coronato would get the Flames on the board and cut the deficit to one heading into the final frame. Calgary would outshoot Buffalo 12-4 in the third, and Mikael Backlund would draw the Flames even late in the period to force extra time. Overtime would solve nothing, and the Flames would eventually fall in a shootout.

**CGY GOAL SCORERS:** Coronato (5), Backlund (3)**GOALIE:** Vladar 17/19 .895 Sv%**PP:** 0/3 (0%)**PK:** 1/2 (50%)**FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 2-1-2**

| DATE             | RESULT                   | GWG             | CGY GOALIE | OPP. GOALIE  |
|------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------------|--------------|
| November 9, 2024 | CGY [2] at BUF [3] (SOL) | Peterka*        | Vladar     | Luukkonen    |
| November 7, 2024 | CGY [3] at BOS [4] OTL   | Marchand        | Wolf       | Korpisalo    |
| November 5, 2024 | CGY [3] at MTL [2] OTW   | <b>Coronato</b> | Wolf       | Montembeault |
| November 3, 2024 | EDM [4] vs. CGY [2] L    | Hyman           | Vladar     | Skinner      |
| November 1, 2024 | NJD [0] vs. CGY [3] W    | <b>Coleman</b>  | Vladar     | Markstrom    |

\*shootout winning goal

**FLAMES UPCOMING SCHEDULE:**

| DATE              | TIME (MST) | OPPONENT                | VENUE                 |
|-------------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| November 11, 2024 | 6:30pm     | vs. Los Angeles Kings   | Scotiabank Saddledome |
| November 12, 2024 | 8:00pm     | at Vancouver Canucks    | Rogers Arena          |
| November 15, 2024 | 7:00pm     | vs. Nashville Predators | Scotiabank Saddledome |
| November 19, 2024 | 7:00pm     | vs. New York Islanders  | Scotiabank Saddledome |
| November 21, 2024 | 7:00pm     | vs. New York Rangers    | Scotiabank Saddledome |

**TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS**

This is the first of three meetings this season between the Flames and Kings. Calgary and Los Angeles split their four-game season-series in 2023-24, with the home side winning on all four occasions.

This is a Pacific Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 2-2-1 against Pacific Division teams and a record of 3-4-1 against Western Conference opponents.

### WEEGSY BABY:

Mackenzie Weegar registered an assist on the Flames first goal in Buffalo on Saturday to improve his point totals to 27 goals and 63 helpers for 90 points in 178 games since being acquired by the Flames prior to the 2022-23 season. His 90 points are the second-most by any Flames defenseman through that span behind Rasmus Andersson (24-75—99 in 172 GP).

### HUBY DOO:

With his assist on Saturday afternoon, Jonathan Huberdeau recorded his 499<sup>th</sup> career helper, one shy of reaching 500 NHL assists. Huberdeau is looking to join Nikita Kucherov and Johnny Gaudreau as the third skater from the 2011 NHL draft to reach 500 NHL assists and become the 25<sup>th</sup> active skater in the NHL to reach the milestone.

### THIRD PERIOD SCORING:

With another goal in the third period on Saturday, Calgary has now upped their third-period goal total to 22 on the 2024-25 campaign. Only the Los Angeles Kings, the Winnipeg Jets, the Vegas Golden Knights and New Jersey Devils have scored more times in the final frame of a game this season.

### LOOK BACKS AT IT:

With his goal on Saturday afternoon in Buffalo, Mikael Backlund scored his 102<sup>nd</sup> road-goal in his career to tie Lanny McDonald for the fifth-most road goals in Flames franchise history. The only players to score more are: Jarome Iginla (257), Theoren Fleury (159), Joe Nieuwendyk (133), and Gary Roberts (109).

### FAMILY TIES:

Kings forward Samuel Helenius's father Sami Helenius was part of the Flames organization for five seasons from 1994-95 until 1998-99. Sami played in 272 games for the Flames AHL affiliate the Saint John Flames and skated in his first seven NHL games in a Calgary Flames sweater.

### A SHOOTING ZAR:

Following his goal on Tuesday in Montreal, the Flames have won seven-straight games in which Connor Zary scores a goal, a streak which began on February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Calgary is also 10-1-0 in the last 11 games in which Zary has found the back of the net.

### HEY DID YOU KNOW?


Jonathan Huberdeau scored his 200<sup>th</sup> NHL goal against the LA Kings last season on November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

In these teams' first meeting last season, Blake Coleman became the first Flames player to score a shorthanded goal and power-play goal in the same game since Noah Hanifin on November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018 in Arizona.

Four of Nazem Kadri's five goals this season have come in the third period.

Kings goaltender David Rittich spent five seasons with the Flames organization from 2016-17 to 2021-22, appearing in 130 games in the Flames crease. Kings forward Trevor Lewis spent the 2021-22 and 2022-23 campaigns in Calgary, scoring 15 goals in a Flames sweater.

### CALGARY FLAMES vs. LOS ANGELES KINGS

| CGY vs. LAK   | ALL-TIME    | HOME       | AWAY      | L10   | STRK |
|---|-------------|------------|-----------|-------|------|
|  | 131-97-21-9 | 77-36-12-5 | 54-61-9-4 | 5-3-2 | L1   |

### GAME INFO:

Calgary Flames vs. Los Angeles Kings

6:30pm MT

Scotiabank Saddledome

TV: Prime

Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

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

Nov. 10, 2024 – LAK vs. CGY

Jan. 8, 2025 – CGY at LAK

Jan. 11, 2024 – LAK at CGY

**2023-24 Season Record vs. LAK:** 2-2-0 (Home: 2-0-0, Road: 0-2-0)

**Last Home Win vs. LAK:** March 30, 2024 – Los Angeles [2] vs. Calgary [4]

**Last Road Win @ LAK:** April 4, 2022 – Calgary [3] at Los Angeles [2]

**Last Home Loss vs. LAK:** March 20, 2022 – Los Angeles [3] vs. Calgary [2] (SO)

**Last Road Loss @ LAK:** April 11, 2024 – Calgary [1] at Los Angeles [4]

### 2024-25 CALGARY FLAMES

#### **FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:**

**Oct. 3** – placed Walker Duehr (F), Walker Duehr (F) and Jarred Tinordi (D) on waivers; cleared

**Oct. 3** – signed Tyson Barrie (D) to a one-year contract

**Oct. 4** – assigned Walker Duehr (F), Walker Duehr (F) and Jarred Tinordi (D) to Calgary (AHL)

**Oct. 6** – placed three players on waivers: Jakob Pelletier (F); cleared and Devin Cooley (G); cleared Cole Schwindt (F); claimed by VGK

**Oct. 7** – placed Yegor Sharangovich (F) on IR

**Oct. 7** – assigned Jakob Pelletier (F) and Devin Cooley to Calgary (AHL)

**Oct. 11** – recalled Justin Kirkland (F) from Calgary (AHL); placed Kevin Rooney (F) on IR

**Oct. 19** – placed Sam Honzek (F) on IR

**Oct. 24** – activated Kevin Rooney (F) from IR

**Oct. 25** – assigned Matt Coronato (F) to Calgary (AHL)

**Oct. 26** – activated Yegor Sharangovich (F) from IR

**Oct. 30** – assigned Adam Klapka (F) to Calgary (AHL); activated Sam Honzek from IR

**Oct. 31** – recalled Matt Coronato (F) from Calgary (AHL); assigned Sam Honzek (F) to Calgary (AHL)

**Nov. 7** – recalled Dryden Hunt (F) from Calgary (AHL); placed Anthony Mantha (F) on IR

**Nov. 9** – reassigned Dryden Hunt (F) to Calgary (AHL)

#### **FLAMES RECENT INJURIES** (Total man games lost – 19)

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 (2 games: 11/7/24 – pres.)

#### **FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:**

**Jonathan Huberdeau** – 499 assists (1 away from 500 assists)

**Tyson Barrie** – 397 assists (3 away from 400 assists)

**Yegor Sharangovich** – 295 games played (5 away from 300 games played)

**Joel Hanley** – 195 games played (5 away from 200 games played)

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

| <b>Draft (5)</b>                                  | <b>Free Agent (8)</b>        | <b>Trade (7)</b>                      | <b>Waivers (2)</b>              |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Andersson</b> (53 <sup>rd</sup> overall, 2015) | <b>Barrie</b> (October 2024) | <b>Bahl</b> (From NJD – 2024)         | <b>Hanley</b> (From DAL – 2024) |
| <b>Backlund</b> (24 <sup>th</sup> overall, 2007)  | <b>Bean</b> (July 2024)      | <b>Huberdeau</b> (From FLA – 2022)    | <b>Pachal</b> (From VGK – 2024) |
| <b>Coronato</b> (13 <sup>th</sup> overall, 2021)  | <b>Coleman</b> (July 2021)   | <b>Kuzmenko</b> (From VAN – 2024)     |                                 |
| <b>Pospisil</b> (105 <sup>th</sup> overall, 2018) | <b>Kadri</b> (August 2022)   | <b>Miromanov</b> (From VGK – 2024)    |                                 |
| <b>Zary</b> (24 <sup>th</sup> overall, 2020)      | <b>Lomborg</b> (July 2024)   | <b>Sharangovich</b> (From NJD – 2023) |                                 |
|   | <b>Mantha*</b> (July 2024)   | <b>Vladar</b> (From BOS – 2021)       |                                 |
|   | <b>Rooney</b> (July 2022)    | <b>Weegar</b> (From FLA – 2022)       |                                 |
|   | <b>Kirkland</b> (July 2024)  |                                       |                                 |

**RECORD BY MONTH**

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

**POINTS LEADER BY MONTH**

|               | October   | November         | December | January | February | March | April |
|---------------|-----------|------------------|----------|---------|----------|-------|-------|
| <b>Player</b> | Andersson | Coronato/Coleman |          |         |          |       |       |
| <b>Points</b> | 4-6 – 10  | 4 pts            |          |         |          |       |       |

**RECORD BY DAY**

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

**RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...****0 Days:** 1-0-0**1 Day:** 3-5-2**2 Days:** 2-0-0**3 Days:** 0-0-1**4+ Days:** 1-0-0**First of B2B:** 1-0-0**Second of B2B:** 1-0-0**RECORD WHEN...**

|                 | 0G    | 1G    | 2G    | 3G    | 4G    | 5G    | 6G    | 7G    |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Scoring</b>  | 0-1-0 | 0-1-1 | 0-2-1 | 2-1-0 | 2-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 2-0-0 | 0-0-0 |
| <b>Allowing</b> | 1-0-0 | 2-0-0 | 0-0-1 | 2-0-1 | 0-2-0 | 1-3-0 | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 |

**PLAYER HIGHS**

\*active

|                        | High (Most Recent Occurrence) | Date: Game         |
|------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Goals, Game:</b>    | 2 (Coronato)                  | 11/5/24 at MTL     |
| <b>Assists, Game:</b>  | 3 (Kuzmenko)                  | 10/12/24 vs. PHI   |
| <b>Points, Game:</b>   | 4 (Huberdeau)                 | 10/12/24 vs. PHI   |
| <b>Shots, Game:</b>    | 7 (Kadri)                     | 10/24/24 vs. CAR   |
| <b>TOI, Game:</b>      | 27:33 (Andersson)             | 11/7/24 at BOS     |
| <b>Best +/-, Game:</b> | +4 (Andersson)                | 10/13/24 at EDM    |
| <b>Saves, Game:</b>    | 39 (Vladar)                   | 10/24/24 vs. CAR   |
| <b>Goal Streak</b>     | 2 Games (Huberdeau/Weegar)    | 10/9/24 – 10/13/24 |
| <b>Assists Streak</b>  | 3 Games (Pospisil)            | 10/9/24 – 10/19/24 |
| <b>Point Streak</b>    | 4 Games (Zary 2-3 – 5)        | 10/9/24 – 10/19/24 |

|                       | LAST TIME (2024-25) | PREVIOUS         |
|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Regulation win, home  | 11/1/24 vs. NJD     | 10/15/24 vs. CHI |
| Regulation win, away  | 10/13/24 at EDM     |                  |
| Regulation loss, home | 11/3/24 vs. EDM     | 10/26/24 vs. WPG |
| Regulation loss, away | 10/30/24 at UTA     | 10/28/24 at VGK  |
| OT win, home          |                     |                  |
| OT win, away          | 11/5/24 at MTL      | 10/9/24 at VAN   |
| OT loss, home         |                     |                  |
| OT loss, away         | 11/7/24 at BOS      | 10/19/24 at SEA  |

|                     |                  |  |
|---------------------|------------------|--|
| Shootout win, home  | 10/22/24 vs. PIT |  |
| Shootout win, away  |                  |  |
| Shootout loss, home |                  |  |
| Shootout loss, away | 11/9/24 at BUF   |  |
| Shutout, home       | 11/1/24 vs. NJD  |  |
| 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**  
**1,005**



3) 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       | 4  | 3 | 1 | 0       | 11/3/24: 2-4 L vs. EDM  |
| Away       | 8  | 3 | 2 | 3       | 11/9/24: 2-3 SOL at BUF |
| Alternate  | 3  | 1 | 2 | 0       | 10/26/24: 3-5 L vs. WPG |