

DALLAS STARS

21-13-1, 43 PTS (4th in Central)

Last Game: 12/29 5-1 W at CHI

Next Game: 1/2 vs. OTT

Last 10 Games: 5-4-1

PP: 18/117 (15.4%)

PK: 83/98 (84.7%)

BUFFALO SABRES

14-19-4, 32 PTS (T-7th in Atlantic)

Last Game: 12/29 4-2 W at STL

Next Game: 1/2 at COL

Last 10 Games: 3-6-1

PP: 17/106 (16.0%)

PK: 92/118 (78.0%)

DALLAS STARS VS. BUFFALO SABRES // DEC. 31, 2024 // 7 P.M. CT // AMERICAN AIRLINES CENTER // DALLAS, TX

LAST GAME

Dallas 5 at Chicago 1

Goals: Benn, Robertson, Dadonov, Johnston, Duchene

Goalie: Oettinger (24/25)

PP: 1/7 PK: 3/4 Shots: Dallas 35 – Chicago 25

Three Stars: 1. DAL – M. Duchene 2. DAL – J. Robertson 3. DAL – J. Benn

- With the win, Dallas took the season series against Chicago (3-1-0) for the fourth year in a row dating back to the 2021-22 season.
- Seven different Stars skaters recorded a point during the game and six had multi-point outings.
- **Jamie Benn** (1-1–2) notched his 221st career multi-point game and moved within four of tying Neal Broten (225) for the second most in Stars/North Stars history according to NHL Stats.
- With a goal on Sunday, **Wyatt Johnston** (64-66–130 in 199 GP) overlapped **Roope Hintz** (63) for the third-most goals in Stars team history by a player at the time of his 200th NHL contest.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Thursday, Jan. 2, 2024: Dallas vs. Ottawa, 7 p.m. CT, American Airlines Center (Victory+/The Ticket)*

Saturday, Jan. 4, 2024: Dallas vs. Utah, 7 p.m. CT, American Airlines Center (Victory+/The Ticket)

Tuesday, Jan. 7, 2024: Dallas at New York Rangers, 6 p.m. CT, Madison Square Garden (Victory+/The Ticket)

Thursday, Jan. 9, 2024: Dallas at Philadelphia, 6 p.m. CT, Wells Fargo Center (Victory+/The Ticket)

Saturday, Jan. 11, 2024: Dallas at Montréal, 6 p.m. CT, Centre Bell (Victory+/The Ticket)

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

Dec. 20, 2024: Recalled D Lian Bichsel and F **Justin Hryckowian** from Texas (AHL)

Dec. 21, 2024: Loaned F **Justin Hryckowian** to Texas (AHL)

Dec. 23, 2024: Loaned D Lian Bichsel to Texas (AHL)

Dec. 27, 2024: Recalled D Lian Bichsel from Texas (AHL)

Dec. 28, 2024: Recalled F **Justin Hryckowian** from Texas (AHL)

CURRENT INJURIES

MAN GAMES LOST: 45

Tyler Seguin (hip; IR) – 12 games – day-to-day

Matt Dumba (upper body; IR) – 8 games – day-to-day

Mason Marchment (upper body) – 1 game – day-to-day

GAME NOTES

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

- Tonight is the final of two games the Stars will play against the Sabres this season and the only time the two teams are facing off in Dallas this year.
- Tonight is the first time that the Stars are playing at home on New Year's Eve since 2018 when they fell to the Montreal Canadiens 3-2 in overtime.
- Since the start of the 2009-10 season, the Stars have posted a 16-6-2 record against the Sabres. Their .708 points percentage against Buffalo during that span is the ninth-best mark in the NHL.
- Additionally, since the start of the 2009-10 season, the Stars have gone 20-for-74 on the power play against the Sabres. Their 27.0 percent success rate while playing a man up during that span is the fourth-best mark in the league.
- **Wyatt Johnston** had a goal and an assist in Dallas' last game and now has seven points (2-5–7) in his last six games played.
- **Miro Heiskanen** is averaging 25:11 of ice time per game this season, which was the fifth-most in the NHL this year entering play Monday.
- Entering play Monday, the Stars and the Washington Capitals were the only NHL teams this season that have not lost more than two consecutive games.
- The Stars have allowed only 2.54 goals against per game this season, which was the third-best mark in the NHL entering play Monday. Dallas has allowed two or fewer goals in 19 of the 35 games that they have played this year.

SHARPENING THE SWORDS

- Dallas is 56-57-20 all-time vs. Buffalo, including a 36-23-8 mark at home.
- **Evgenii Dadonov** has 23 points (8-15-23) in 22 career games against Buffalo. His 1.05 points per game average against the Sabres is his best mark against any opponent.
- **Matt Duchene** has nine points (5-4-9) in his last nine games against the Sabres.
- **Thomas Harley** has four points (1-3-4) in four career games against the Sabres.
- **Roope Hintz** has three points (1-2-3) in five career home games against Buffalo and has six points (3-3-6) in the last seven games he has played against the Sabres (home and away).
- **Jake Oettinger** has a 4-1-1 career record against the Sabres, posting a .920 save percentage and 2.53 goals-against average in those contests.
- **Jason Robertson** has eight points (4-4-8) in seven career games against Buffalo.
- Among active Stars, captain **Jamie Benn** ranks second in goals (12) and third in points (12-10-22) in 24 career games against Buffalo.

CHEERS TO THE NEW YEAR

- Tonight marks the final game that the Stars will play in 2024. Entering tonight's contest, Dallas has 51-25-6 record for 108 points and a .659 points percentage.
- Entering play Monday, the Stars ranked in the top five in the NHL in points (fifth), points percentage (fifth) and wins (tied fifth) in 2024.
- 2024 will mark the third consecutive calendar year in which the Stars will finish with at least 100 points and a points percentage above .600.
 - In 2023 they had 104 points and a .658 points percentage, and 118 points and a .648 points percentage in 2022.
- Entering tonight's contest, **Jason Robertson** is Dallas' leading scorer in 2024 with 69 points (26-43-69) in 82 regular-season games. He is followed closely by **Wyatt Johnston** (31-37-68) and **Matt Duchene** (28-39-67).
- **Johnston's** 31 goals top all Stars skaters in 2024, with **Roope Hintz** (30) and **Duchene** (28) ranking second and third, respectively.
- **Thomas Harley** has posted a plus-37 plus/minus rating in 2024, which was the seventh-best mark in the NHL entering play Monday.
- **Harley** (10-35-45) and **Miro Heiskanen** (9-36-45) are the Stars' highest scoring defensemen in 2024.
- **Jake Oettinger** has posted a 41-16-3 record in 2024. Entering play Monday, his 41 wins this calendar year ranked second to only Winnipeg's Connor Hellebuyck (43).
- **Oettinger's** 41 wins are already the second-most by a Stars goaltender in a calendar year in franchise history. If Oettinger plays and wins tonight, he will tie Marty Turco (42 in 2006) for the most wins in a single year in franchise history.

DADDY ISSUES

- **Evgenii Dadonov** recorded two points (1-1-2) in Dallas' last game on Dec. 29 and now has six points in his last five games played dating back to Dec. 18.
- If **Dadonov** were to have at least two points tonight against the Sabres, it would mark the first time that he has recorded three consecutive multi-point games since Oct. 11 to 14, 2019 while playing for the Florida Panthers.
- If he were to score tonight, it would give **Dadonov** goals in three consecutive games for the first time since he scored in four straight from March 17 to 26, 2022 while playing for the Vegas Golden Knights.
- **Dadonov's** goal against the Blackhawks was his 10th of the season. Born on March 12, 1989, he is the fifth-oldest player to score at least 10 goals this season, trailing Alex Ovechkin (39 years old; 17 goals), Sidney Crosby (37 years old; 10 goals), Anze Kopitar (37 years old; 12 goals) and Brad Marchand (36 years old; 15 goals).
- **Dadonov** is now pacing to finish the year with 37 points (23-14-37), which would be the fifth-highest scoring season of his career.

BIKER GANG

- **Thomas Harley** recorded a plus-four plus/minus rating in Dallas' last game, which was tied for the seventh-highest total by any NHL skater in a single game this season entering play Monday.
 - It marked the first time in **Harley's** career that he has logged a plus-four plus/minus rating in a single game.
- In all this year, **Harley** has a plus-18 plus/minus rating, which was tied for the sixth-best mark in the NHL entering play Monday.
- In Dallas' last game, the Stars outscored the Blackhawks 4-0 and outshot them 10-6 during 5-on-5 play when **Harley** was on the ice according to Natural Stat Trick. No player from either team was on the ice for more 5-on-5 shots for than **Harley**.
- **Harley** enters tonight's matchup against the Sabers with a plus-21 on-ice, even-strength goal differential this season, which was tied for the second-best mark in the NHL this season entering play Monday. Only Minnesota's Kirill Kaprizov (plus-23) had a better mark.

KILLING IT

- Entering play Monday, the Stars had the fourth-ranked penalty kill in the NHL this season with an 84.7 percent success rate.
- Dallas has allowed only 15 power-play goals against this season, which was tied for the second-fewest in the NHL this season entering play Monday. Their 0.43 power-play goals against per game were tied for third in the NHL entering play Monday.
- Since Dec. 8, the Stars have gone 20-for-21 on the penalty kill for a 95.2 percent success rate, which was tied with the Carolina Hurricanes for the second-best mark in the NHL during that span entering play Monday.
- **Wyatt Johnston's** shorthanded goal on Dec. 8 gives the Stars an even goal differential on the penalty kill during that span. The Hurricanes (0), Tampa Bay Lightning (0) and Vegas Golden Knights (1) are the only teams with an even or better goal differential on the penalty kill since Dec. 8.
- **Thomas Harley** has allowed 3.16 power-play goals against per 60, which was the second-best mark in the NHL entering play Monday among NHL defensemen that have at least 50 minutes of shorthanded ice time this season.
- **Esa Lindell** has skated 121:18 minutes on the penalty kill this season, which was fourth-highest total of any NHL skater this season entering play Monday.
 - **Lindell**, who skated 7:58 of shorthanded ice time, was on the ice for all but two seconds of Dallas' eight penalty kill minutes in their game on Dec. 16 against the Washington Capitals.

ROBO ON THE GOGO

- **Jason Robertson** enters tonight's matchup having totaled 11 points (3-8-11) in his last 11 games played dating back to Dec. 4 against the Los Angeles Kings.
- His 11 points since Dec. 4 are tied with **Jamie Benn** (2-9-11) for the most of any Stars skater during that span.
- With two assists in Dallas' game on Dec. 16 against Washington, **Robertson** moved into 23rd on the franchise's all-time scoring list with 335 (140-195-335) career points. He now sits one point shy of tying Joe Nieuwendyk Al MacAdam for 22nd all-time.
- **Robertson** enters tonight's game two assists shy of recording 200 career assists. When he reaches the milestone, he will become the 27th player in Stars franchise history at the seventh player from the 2017 draft class to total 200 NHL assists.
- Additionally, **Robertson** – who turned 25 on July 21 – can become the third player in Stars team history to register 200 career assists at age 25 or younger (all assists w/ DAL) according to NHL Stats.

BENN THERE DONE THAT

- **Jamie Benn** had three points (1-2-3) in Dallas' last game on Dec. 29 at Chicago and now has 11 points (2-9-11) in his last 11 games played dating back to Dec. 4 against Los Angeles.
 - His 11 points during that span are tied with **Jason Robertson** for the most among Stars skaters.
- **Benn** is now pacing to finish the season with 59 points, which would mark the 11th time that the 16-year veteran had at least 50 points in a season.
- **Benn** enters tonight's game nine goals shy of scoring 400 career goals. When he reaches the milestone, he will become the 10th active skater to score 400 NHL goals.
- Dallas' game on Dec. 18 was the 1,143rd game of captain **Jamie Benn's** career, which is the most-ever by a Stars skater.
 - **Benn** surpassed Mike Modano's 1,142 games with Dallas.
- **Benn's** 1,147 career games rank second on the franchise's all-time list behind Modano, who played in 317 games for the North Stars before the team relocated to Dallas.
- **Benn** also ranks in the top five in franchise history in career goals (391, second), assists (542, third) and points (932, second).

IRON SHARPENS IRON

- The Stars have four skaters that have played in at least 100 consecutive games: **Jamie Benn** (332), **Jason Robertson** (245), **Esa Lindell** (205) and **Wyatt Johnston** (199). Entering play Monday, only the Calgary Flames (five) had more players on their roster to have an Iron Man streak of at least 100 games.
- Dallas' last game on Dec. 29 against Chicago was the 332nd consecutive game that **Benn** played in, which is the fifth-longest active Iron Man streak in the NHL. He is one of six players to have an Iron Man streak of at least 300 games.
- **Robertson's** 245-game Iron Man streak was the 13th-longest in the NHL entering play Monday. The Stars and the Detroit Red Wings were the only teams to have two players ranked in the top 15 entering play Monday.
- **Lindell's** 205-game Iron Man streak ranks eighth among all NHL defensemen.

WHAT IN THE WORLD

- The 2025 IIHF U20 World Junior Championship began on Dec. 26 and will be played in Ottawa through Jan. 5.
- Stars prospects **Emil Hemming** (Finland) and **Aram Minnetian** (United States) have each been selected to represent their home countries at this year's tournament.
- **Hemming**, who was selected by Dallas with the 29th-overall pick in the 2024 NHL Draft previously represented Finland at the 2024 IIHF U20 World Junior Championship where he tallied two assists in seven games and has also played for Finland's national team in several U18 tournaments.

- This tournament marks **Minnetian's** first appearance at the World Juniors. The Woodcliff Lake, New Jersey native previously played for Team USA at the 2023 IIHF U18 World Junior Championship.
 - Minnetian** was originally selected by the Stars in the fourth round (125th-overall) of the 2023 NHL Draft.
- Fifteen Stars skaters have previously played at the IIHF U20 World Junior Championships: **Oskar Bäck**, **Jamie Benn**, **Lian Bichsel**, **Evgenii Dadonov**, **Matt Dumba**, **Thomas Harley**, **Miro Heiskanen**, **Roope Hintz**, **Esa Lindell**, **Nils Lundkvist**, **Ilya Lyubushkin**, **Jake Oettinger**, **Jason Robertson**, **Logan Stankoven** and **Sam Steel**.

Player	Country	Year	Medal
Oskar Bäck	Sweden	2019, 2020	Bronze (2020)
Jamie Benn	Canada	2009	Gold
Lian Bichsel	Switzerland	2023	
Evgenii Dadonov	Russia	2008, 2009	Bronze (2008, 2009)
Matt Dumba	Canada	2014	
Thomas Harley	Canada	2021	Silver
Miro Heiskanen	Finland	2017, 2018	
Roope Hintz	Finland	2015, 2016	Gold (2016)
Esa Lindell	Finland	2014	Gold
Nils Lundkvist	Sweden	2019, 2020	Bronze (2020)
Ilya Lyubushkin	Russia	2014	Bronze
Jake Oettinger	United States	2017, 2018	Gold (2017), Bronze (2018)
Jason Robertson	United States	2019	Silver
Logan Stankoven	Canada	2022, 2023	Gold (2022, 2023)
Sam Steel	Canada	2018	Gold

ONE FOR THE HISTORY BOOKS

- Jake Oettinger's** next shutout will be the 12th of his career, which will tie Jon Casey for the sixth-most in franchise history.
- Miro Heiskanen** is five assists shy of tying Darian Hatcher (218) for sixth on the franchise's all-time assists list by defensemen.
- Matt Duchene** is two points away from recording his 100th point with the Stars.
- Esa Lindell** enters tonight's contest four assists shy of tying Alex Goligoski (155) for 25th all-time among Stars/North Stars defensemen.

CONNECT FOUR

- Stars forward **Roope Hintz** (Finland), defensemen **Miro Heiskanen** (Finland) and **Esa Lindell** (Finland), and goaltender **Jake Oettinger** (United States) have all been selected to represent their home country at the 4 Nations Face-Off, which will be held in Montreal and Boston from Feb. 12 to 20, 2025.
- Dallas is one of six NHL teams to have at least one forward, defenseman and goaltender from their roster to be selected for the 4 Nations Face-Off, with the others being Boston, Minnesota, Vancouver, Vegas and Winnipeg.
- Only six teams have had more players selected to a 4 Nations roster than the Stars: Colorado, Florida, Minnesota, Tampa Bay and Vegas. The full breakdown is as follows:

PLAYERS SELECTED	TEAMS
0	Washington
1	Calgary, Chicago, Columbus, Los Angeles, NY Islanders, San Jose, Seattle
2	Buffalo, Detroit, Ottawa, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Utah
3	Carolina, Edmonton, Montreal, Nashville, Philadelphia, Winnipeg
4	Boston, Dallas , New Jersey, NY Rangers, Toronto, Vancouver
5	Colorado, Minnesota, Tampa Bay
6	--
7	Florida, Vegas

- All four players have previously represented their home countries in international competition.
 - Heiskanen** has played for Finland at the 2017 and 2018 IIHF World Junior Championships, 2018 and 2022 (gold) IIHF World Championships and at the 2018 Winter Olympic Games.
 - Lindell** suited up for the Fins at the 2014 IIHF World Junior Championship, where he won a gold medal. He again represented Finland at the 2015, 2016 (silver) and 2022 (gold) IIHF World Championships and at the 2016 World Cup of Hockey.
 - Hintz** previously played for Finland at the 2015 and 2016 IIHF World Junior Championships, winning a gold medal at the later tournament.
 - Oettinger** has played for Team USA at the 2017 and 2018 IIHF World Junior Championships and at the 2021 IIHF World Championship. He medaled in all three tournaments, winning bronze in 2018 and 2021 and gold in 2017.
- The 4 Nations Face-Off will mark the first time that all three of **Heiskanen**, **Hintz** and **Lindell** are playing for Finland together.
 - Heiskanen** and **Lindell** previously won a gold medal together at the 2022 IIHF World Championship.

- The Stars will also be well-represented among the 4 Nations staff, with **Jim Nill** (Associate GM), **Pete DeBoer** (Assistant Coach) and **Misha Donskov** (Assistant Coach) all set to join Canada's staff for the tournament. Additionally, former Star **Jere Lehtinen** will serve as Finland's General Manager.

CONNECTIONS

- Stars coaches **Pete DeBoer**, **Steve Spott** and **Misha Donskov** coached Sabres forward Alex Tuch when they were a part of the Vegas Golden Knights organization. Donskov coached Tuch from 2017-18 to 2021-22 and DeBoer and Spott joined the dynamic from 2019-20 to 2021-22.
- Stars assistant coach **Alain Nasreddine** and Sabres head coach Lindy Ruff were both on the coaching staff in New Jersey during the 2020-21 and 2021-22 seasons.
- Stars assistant coach **Steve Spott** coached Sabres goaltender James Reimer in Toronto during the 2014-15 season.
- Stars forward **Sam Steel** played under Sabres assistant coach Marty Wilford when Wilford was an assistant coach in Anaheim during the 2018-19 to 2020-21 seasons.
- Sabres head coach Lindy Ruff was the head coach of the Dallas Stars from 2014-15 to 2016-17.
- Stars defenseman **Ilya Lyubushkin** played for the Sabres during the 2022-23 season.
- Stars Player Development Assistant **Jordie Benn** and Sabres forward Nicolas Aube-Kubel played a handful of games together for Toronto during the 2022-23 season.
- Stars defenseman **Matt Dumba**, forward **Sam Steel** and Player Development Assistant **Jordie Benn** played with Sabres forwards Jordan Greenway and Jason Zucker in Minnesota. Dumba and Zucker were teammates from 2013-14 to 2019-20. Dumba and Greenway shared the ice from 2017-18 to 2022-23, while Steel joined them during the 2022-23 season. Benn skated with Dumba and Greenway in 2021-22.
- Stars forward **Evgenii Dadonov** and Sabres forwards Alex Tuch and Peyton Krebs were teammates in Vegas for a short time during the 2021-22 season.
- Stars goaltender **Casey DeSmith** and Sabres forwards Sam Lafferty and Jason Zucker shared the ice in Pittsburgh from 2019-20 to 2021-22. DeSmith and Zucker stayed in Pittsburgh until 2022-23 while DeSmith and Lafferty crossed paths again in Vancouver during the 2023-24 season.
- Stars Player Development Assistant **Jordie Benn** and Sabres forward Sam Lafferty were teammates in Toronto during the 2022-23 season.
- Stars defenseman **Matt Dumba** and Sabres forward Alex Tuch were teammates in Minnesota for six games during the 2016-17 season.
- Stars defenseman **Matt Dumba** and Sabres forward Jason Zucker skated together in Arizona during the 2023-24 season.
- Stars forward **Evgenii Dadonov** and Sabres goaltender James Reimer played together in Florida from 2017-18 to 2018-19.

STRAIGHT FROM THE SOURCE

- Josh Clark profiled Jim Nill's tenure with the Stars, which includes thoughts from Jamie Benn and Matt Dumba, in his latest piece for DallasStars.com - [The architect: How Jim Nill has cultivated a new era of Stars hockey](#).
- Lia Assimakopoulos talked with Logan Stankoven, Texas Stars head coach Niel Graham and Mavrik Bourque himself about [Bourque's journey to the NHL](#) and finally cracking the Stars' opening night roster.
- [Wyatt Johnston joined The Musers on Sportsradio 96.7 and 1310 The Ticket](#) from Stars media day to discuss brining a veteran presence to Dallas' locker room despite only being 21 years old, coping with the physical demands of the NHL and navigating his first pro season without Joe Pavelski.
- Fresh off of signing a two-year contract extension, Mike Heika of DallasStars.com profiled [what's ahead for Stars defenseman Thomas Harley](#) this season as he prepares to take another crucial step in his career.
- In celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, Albert Perez of NHL.com sat down with NHL alum and the Stars' Vice President of Cultural Growth and Strategy, Al Montoya, to discuss the [Stars' bid to grown and engage with their Hispanic fanbase](#).
- Mike Heika of DallasStars.com dove deep into [what makes Esa Lindell a core member of the Stars organization](#), both on and off the ice, after the blueliner signed a five-year contract extension a year ahead of hitting free agency.

STARS REAL-TIME STATS LEADERS

Hits: Benn (48), Lyubushkin (45), Marchment (44)

Blocked Shots: Lindell (68), Heiskanen (60), Lyubushkin (58)

Shots: Johnston (98), Stankoven (89), Robertson (88)

STARS' RECORD IN 10-GAME SEGMENTS [W-L-OT (PTS), GF/GA, PP, PK]

1-10: 7-3-0 (14), 32/23, 6/32, 28/31

11-20: 6-4-0 (12), 37/27, 4/30, 20/27

21-30: 6-4-0 (12), 28/25, 7/31, 25/29

31-40: 2-2-1 (5), 14/14, 1/24, 10/11

OVERTIME RESULTS (1-1)

Dec. 14, 2024 vs. St. Louis: Duchene

Dec. 27, 2024 vs. Minnesota: Faber

SHOOTOUT RESULTS (1-0)

Oct. 15, 2024 vs. San Jose: Duchene

UPCOMING NHL MILESTONES (PLAYER ... NEEDS ... MILESTONE)

Games Played

Ilya Lyubushkin ... 12 games ... 400 NHL games

Matt Dumba ... 7 games ... 700 NHL games

Wyatt Johnston ... 1 game ... 200 NHL games

Starts

N/A

Goals

Jamie Benn ... 9 goals ... 400 NHL goals

Assists

Matt Duchene ... 13 assists ... 500 NHL assists

Jason Robertson ... 2 assists ... 200 NHL assists

Points

N/A

RECENT MILESTONES

Oskar Bäck ... First NHL game ... Oct. 10, 2024 at NSH

Pete DeBoer ... 100th win as Stars head coach ... Oct. 10, 2024 at NSH

Oskar Bäck ... First NHL point (assist) ... Oct. 17, 2024 at WSH

Mavrik Bourque ... First NHL point (assist) ... Oct. 22, 2024 at BUF

Roope Hintz ... 400th NHL game ... Oct. 24, 2024 at BOS

Jason Robertson ... 300th NHL game ... Oct. 24, 2024 at BOS

Jake Oettinger ... 200th NHL game ... Nov. 1, 2024 vs. FLA

Mavrik Bourque ... First NHL goal ... Nov. 1, 2024 vs. FLA

Oskar Bäck ... First NHL goal ... Nov. 14, 2024 vs. BOS

Tyler Seguin ... 800th NHL point ... Nov. 14, 2024 vs. BOS

Mason Marchment ... 100th NHL assist ... Nov. 18, 2024 vs. ANA

Jake Oettinger ... 200th NHL start ... Nov. 29, 2024 vs. COL

Esa Lindell ... 200th NHL point ... Dec. 1, 2024 vs. WPG

Lian Bichsel ... First NHL game and first NHL goal ... Dec. 12, 2024 vs. NSH

Justin Hryckowian ... First NHL game ... Dec. 29, 2024 at CHI

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