



PITTSBURGH PENGUINS AT BUFFALO SABRES

Friday, November 24, 2023 | 6:00 P.M. | KeyBank Center



BUFFALO SABRES

9-9-2 | 20 PTS

Season Series

2023-24 | 1-1-0

2023-24

Home | 5-5-0

Last 10 Games | 4-4-2

	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	SO	Final
Penguins	1	1	0	--	--	2
Sabres	0	0	3	--	--	3

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS

9-10-0 | 18 PTS

Season Series

2023-24 | 1-1-0

2023-24

Road | 5-4-0

Last 10 Games | 6-4-0

TODAY'S GOALTENDERS

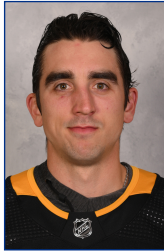
Ukko-Pekka Luukkonen



Updated Season Stats		
5-3-1	RECORD	2-2-0
.914	SV%	.937
2.71	GAA	2.26

Today's Stats		
W	DECISION	L
33	SA	34
2	GA	3

Alex Nedeljkovic



STAT CORNER

Buffalo Sabres

1-for-4 (25.0%).....	Power Play	0-for-2 (0.0%)
2-for-2 (100.0%).....	Penalty Kill	3-for-4 (75.0%)
32-for-63 (50.8%).....	Faceoffs	31-for-63 (49.2%)
34.....	Shots on Goal	33
73.....	Shot Attempts	58
54.....	Shot Attempts (5-on-5)	46
Dahlin (26:07).....	TOI Leader	Karlsson (24:48)

Pittsburgh Penguins

TOP NOTES

Rasmus Dahlin's assist on **Kyle Okposo's** goal was his 200th NHL assist. He now has points in four consecutive games and he has tallied six points (1+5) in that span.

With his goal, **Jeff Skinner** now leads all Sabres skaters in goals (9) in 2023-24. In his last four games against the Penguins, **Skinner** has now registered six points (2+4).

Alex Tuch notched the primary assist on **Skinner's** goal and has now tallied 12 points (6+6) in his last 12 games.

Tuch's goal marked the second time this season he has scored a goal to give the Sabres a lead in the third period of a game. He also did so on Nov. 4 at Toronto.

Skinner also notched an assist on **Tuch's** goal, marking the third time this season **Skinner** has recorded at least one goal and one assist in a game.

Victor Olofsson picked up two assists for the second consecutive game. He is the first Sabres skater to notch two or more assists in consecutive games since **Skinner** from April 13 to 14, 2023.

Kyle Okposo's goal marked the first time he has scored a game-tying goal in the third period of a game since March 7, 2023 at the New York Islanders. It was the 19th time he had done so in his career.

Okposo leads all Sabres skaters in career games played (59), goals (18), assists (25) and points (43) against the Penguins.

Casey Mittelstadt tallied an assist on **Tuch's** goal and has now recorded an assist in three consecutive games.

Ukko-Pekka Luukkonen made 31 saves in his fifth win of the season. It marked the 27th time in **Luukkonen's** career that he has recorded 30 or more saves in a game.

Both **Mittelstadt** (24:01) and **Tuch** (25:01) set career highs in time on ice in tonight's game.

The home team has won nine of the last 11 matchups between the Sabres and Penguins.

THREE STARS

1st Alex Tuch - Buffalo Sabres
GWG, 1 A, 25:01 TOI

2nd Jeff Skinner - Buffalo Sabres
1 G, 1 A, +1, 14 SAT, 21:57 TOI

3rd Ukko-Pekka Luukkonen - Buffalo Sabres
31 SV, W



UP NEXT

Saturday, November 25

Head Coach Don Granato media availability, 5:30 p.m., Prudential Center
Buffalo Sabres at New Jersey Devils, 7:00 p.m., Prudential Center

Sunday, November 26

No practice scheduled

Monday, November 27

Morning skate with media availability to follow, 11:30 a.m., Madison Square Garden
Buffalo Sabres at New York Rangers, 7:00 p.m., Madison Square Garden

All practice and morning skate times are subject to change. Please visit the Sabres media calendar for more information.



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