



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS POSTGAME NOTES



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS [15-7-2, 32 POINTS] VS. CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS [8-15-2, 18 POINTS]

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2024

	1	2	3	FINAL
CHICAGO	0	0	1	1
TORONTO	1	1	2	4

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PLAYER NOTES

- **Auston Matthews** opened the scoring for the Maple Leafs at 15:35 of the first period, posting his sixth goal of the season. Per NHL Stats, “Matthews now has 62 game-opening goals, which is the third most by a Maple Leafs player behind Mats Sundin (67) and Dave Keon (65).” Matthews has recorded four points (1G, 3A) through his last three games played.
- **John Tavares** scored the game-winning goal for the Maple Leafs at 11:59 of the second period, posting his 11th goal of the season. Tavares has scored in back-to-back games (2G), both of which marked the game-winning goal for Toronto.
- **Fraser Minten** scored for the Maple Leafs at 3:47 of the third period, posting his second goal of the season. Minten has recorded four points (2G, 2A) in his last five games.
- **Matthew Knies** capitalized on Chicago’s empty net at 18:15 of the third period, posting his 10th goal of the season. Knies has recorded three points in his last two games (2G, 1A).
- **William Nylander** posted the primary assist on Matthews’ goal, recording his 11th assist of the season. With the 322nd assist of his NHL career, Nylander claimed sole possession of 11th on the franchise all-time list for most assists, passing Doug Gilmour. Nylander has recorded a point in back-to-back games (1G, 1A), while recording six points (3G, 3A) in his last five games.
- **Mitch Marner** registered the primary assist on Tavares’ goal and recorded the primary assist on Knies’ goal. Marner extended his current point streak to seven games where he has posted 13 points (5G, 8A). Marner marked his seventh multi-assist game of the season and his 13th multi-point game of the season, nine of which have been recorded in his last 11 games played. Mitch Marner skated in the 600th game of his NHL career tonight. Per NHL Stats, “Marner is the second Maple Leafs player with 400+ assists through the milestone contest (600) alongside Borje Salming... Marner’s 469 assists are the third most through that milestone game among active players behind Connor McDavid (581) and Sidney Crosby (534).”
- **Pontus Holmberg** posted the secondary assist on Tavares’ goal, recording his fourth assist of the season. Holmberg has recorded an assist in back-to-back games (2A).
- **Philippe Myers** registered the secondary assist on Knies goal, posting his first assist of the season and his first point as a Maple Leaf. Myers led the team with seven hits registered tonight, a single-game NHL career second-best.
- **Anthony Stolarz** stopped 27 of 28 shots he faced in tonight’s win.
- **Philippe Myers** was on the ice for a team-high 16 Toronto shot attempts-for at 5-on-5.
- **Philippe Myers** finished the game with a team-high 5-on-5 shot attempt percentage of 51.61 percent (16 for, 15 against).

TEAM NOTES

- The Maple Leafs were 0-for-2 on the power play and 4-for-4 on the penalty kill tonight.
- Toronto has posted a 11-3-0 record on home ice this season. With the team's 11th home win of the season, Toronto currently leads the league in wins on home ice.
- The Maple Leafs have captured a win in six of their last seven games while earning a point in 10 of their last 12 games (9-2-1).

SHOTS ON GOAL (5-on-5 in brackets)

	1st	2nd	3rd	TOTAL
CHICAGO	9 (9)	10 (8)	9 (9)	28 (26)
TORONTO	9 (7)	7 (7)	6 (3)	22 (17)

SHOT ATTEMPTS (5-on-5 in brackets)

	1st	2nd	3rd	TOTAL
CHICAGO	13 (12)	33 (28)	14 (14)	60 (54)
TORONTO	19 (13)	7 (7)	11 (5)	37 (25)

MAPLE LEAFS LEADERS

Shots	4 (<i>Myers</i>)	Takeaways	2 (<i>W. Nylander</i>)
Shot Attempts	7 (<i>Myers</i>)	TOI	21:41 (<i>Marner</i>)
Face-off Wins	9 (<i>Tavares</i>)	Power Play TOI	3:31 (<i>W. Nylander</i>)
Face-off Win Percentage	100% (<i>Marner, Holmberg, W. Nylander – 1 won, 0 lost</i>)	Shorthanded TOI	4:38 (<i>Benoit</i>)
Hits	7 (<i>Myers</i>)	Shifts	33 (<i>Tanev</i>)
Blocked Shots	3 (<i>Timmins</i>)	5-on-5 Shot Attempt Percentage	51.61% (<i>Myers – 16 for, 15 against</i>)

UPCOMING GAMES

Wednesday, December 4 vs. NSH – 7:30 pm ET – Sportsnet (TV), Sportsnet 590 (Radio)

Friday, December 6 vs. WSH – 7:00 pm ET – TSN (TV), Sportsnet 590 (Radio)

Saturday, December 7 at PIT – 7:00 pm ET – Sportsnet (TV), TSN 1050 (Radio)

Tuesday, December 10 at NJD – 7:00 pm ET – TSN (TV), Sportsnet 590 (Radio)

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