

**FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP****December 6, 2025 – CALGARY FLAMES [2] vs. UTAH MAMMOTH [0]**[Game Summary](#) | [Event Summary](#)

The Calgary Flames displayed a tight defensive effort in a 2–0 win over the Utah Mammoth on Saturday night at the Scotiabank Saddledome. Calgary struck just 16 seconds into the game when Yegor Sharangovich buried his fourth of the year off a slick passing sequence from Nazem Kadri and Joel Farabee, providing all the offense they would need in a tight-checking matchup. The Flames protected the lead with 19 blocked shots and saw steady minutes from their backend with MacKenzie Weegar, Yan Kuznetsov, Kevin Bahl and Rasmus Andersson all logging over 22 minutes of ice-time. Connor Zary sealed the victory with an empty netter at the 17:46 mark of the third to give him goals in back-to-back contests. Dustin Wolf earned First Star honours after turning aside all 27 Utah shots he faced to record his second shutout of the season.

CGY GOAL SCORERS: Sharangovich (4), Zary (4)**GOALIE:** Wolf 27/27 1.000 SV%**PP:** 0/1 (0%)**PK:** 2/2 (100%)**FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 3-1-1**

DATE	RESULT	GWG	CGY GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
December 6, 2025	CGY [2] vs. UTA [0] W	Sharangovich	Wolf	Vanecek
December 4, 2025	CGY [4] vs. MIN [1] W	Coronato	Wolf	Gustavsson
December 2, 2025	CGY [1] at NSH [5] L	Stamkos	Cooley/Wolf	Saros
November 30, 2025	CGY [0] at CAR [1] OTL	Ehlers	Cooley	Bussi
November 28, 2025	CGY [5] at FLA [3] W	Kadri	Cooley	Tarasov

*shootout winning goal

FLAMES NEXT FIVE:

DATE	TIME (MST)	OPPONENT	VENUE
December 10, 2025	6:30pm	vs. Detroit Red Wings	Scotiabank Saddledome
December 13, 2025	8:00pm	at Los Angeles Kings	Crypto.com Arena
December 16, 2025	8:00pm	at San Jose Sharks	SAP Center at San Jose
December 18, 2025	7:00pm	vs. Seattle Kraken	Scotiabank Saddledome
December 20, 2025	8:00pm	vs. Vegas Golden Knights	Scotiabank Saddledome



TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS

This is the second and final meeting this season between the Flames and Sabres. Calgary knocked off Buffalo 6-2 in these clubs' first matchup on November 19 at the KeyBank Center.

This is a Pacific Division versus Atlantic Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 2-2-2 against Atlantic Division teams and a record of 5-2-3 against Eastern Conference opponents.

FIRST MEETING WITH BUFFALO:

The Calgary Flames wrapped up a back-to-back set against the Buffalo Sabres on November 19 at the KeyBank Center, rolling to a 6–2 victory. Calgary jumped ahead 2–0 in the first courtesy of goals from Rasmus Andersson and Joel Farabee, but Buffalo clawed back in the second countering with tallies from Mattias Samuelsson and Tage Thompson to tie the game twos through 40 minutes. The Flames took over from there, first with Morgan Frost restoring Calgary's lead just 2:02 into the third before Mikael Backlund and Joel Farabee's second of the night extended the advantage to 5–2, while Matt Coronato capped the win with his seventh of the year at 17:49. Andersson finished with a goal and two assists, Farabee scored twice, while Johnathan Huberdeau, Nazem Kadri, Yegor Sharangovich, Morgan Frost and Matt Coronato all posted multi-point nights. Devin Cooley was sharp with 28 saves, outdueling Buffalo's Colten Ellis, to earn his first win as a Flame.

KILLER CONFIDENCE:

Calgary went two-for-two on the penalty kill Saturday against Utah and has now not surrendered a power-play goal in six straight games, successfully killing all 17 penalties faced over that span. Joel Farabee scored a shorthanded goal on Nov. 26 in Tampa Bay, and since that date the Flames hold a league-best net penalty-kill percentage of 105.9%. The Flames have also been perfect shorthanded in nine of their last 10 outings, operating at 96.9% efficiency — the best mark in the NHL since Nov. 16.

HOT START:

Yegor Sharangovich opened the scoring just 16 seconds into Saturday's game against Utah. The goal marked Calgary's fastest to start a contest since April 3, 2025, when Nazem Kadri scored 16 seconds into a 4-1 win over the Anaheim Ducks. The last time the Flames struck faster to open a match was on December 20, 2022, in San Jose, when Tyler Toffoli broke the ice just 15 seconds in, a game the Flames would go on to triumph 7-3. Sharangovich's goal would also hold up as the game-winner, becoming the earliest game-winning goal in Flames franchise history.

PLAYER	TIME	DATE	OPP	RESULT
Yegor Sharangovich	0:16	Dec. 6, 2025	vs. UTA	2-0 W
Freddie Hamilton	0:19	Nov. 30, 2016	vs. TOR	3-0 W
Eric Vail	0:19	Jan. 8, 1981	vs. WSH	6-0 W
Bill Lindsay	0:23	Apr. 1, 2000	vs. SJS	3-0 W

HOWLIN FOR YOU:

Dustin Wolf turned aside all 27 shots he faced on Saturday against Utah to earn his second shutout of the season and the fifth of his NHL career. All five of Wolf's NHL shutouts have come at the Scotiabank Saddledome and has now helped the Flames earn at least a point in his last four home starts dating back to November 13. The Gilroy, CA, native is closing in on his 100th NHL game, and thanks to Saturday's effort, he has moved into a tie with Mike Smith for the sixth-most shutouts by a Flames goaltender before their 100th-game in a Flames uniform:

RANK	NAME	SHUTOUTS
T-1 st	Miikka Kiprusoff	12
T-1 st	Jacob Markstrom	12
T-3 rd	Dan Bouchard	7
T-3 rd	Fred Brathwaite	7
T-3 rd	Roman Turek	7
T-6 th	<i>Dustin Wolf</i>	5
T-6 th	Mike Smith	5



WEEGSY BABY:

Mackenzie Weegar enters tonight's game with 196 assists in his NHL career and is four away from reaching the 200-assist mark. With four more helpers, Weegar would become just the sixth defenceman in NHL history drafted in the seventh round (FLA – 206th overall in 2013) to register 200 NHL assists, and the only active seventh-round–selected rearguard to achieve the milestone. Only one other active seventh-round selection has more career helpers than Weegar — Devils winger Ondrej Palat (TBL – 208th overall in 2011).

LOOK BACKS AT IT:

Mikael Backlund is closing in on 1,100 NHL games, needing just four more to reach the milestone. Backlund was the Flames' first-round pick (24th overall) in the 2007 NHL draft and made his NHL debut on January 8, 2009, against the New York Islanders.

As Backlund developed in Calgary, he became known for his hockey IQ, defensive reliability, penalty-killing strength and ability to drive play at both ends of the ice. He represented Sweden at the 2016 World Cup of Hockey, following that tournament with a breakout season in 2016-17 in which he posted a then-career-high 53 points and earned Selke Trophy consideration. In 2022-23, he set a new career high with 56 points (19G, 37A) and a team-best plus-minus rating of +24, while appearing in all 82 games for the Flames. That summer, the Vasteras, SWE, product won the King Clancy Memorial Trophy for his leadership and humanitarian contributions, and on September 21, 2023, was named the 21st captain in franchise history.

Backlund became the 19th player of Swedish descent — and the 397th skater in NHL history — to reach 1,000 NHL games, hitting the mark Oct. 30 in Utah. He was also just the second player to skate his first 1,000 games with the Flames, joining Jarome Iginla. He now looks to join Iginla once again as the second skater in franchise history to reach 1,100 games played with Calgary.

HEY DID YOU KNOW?

Flames forward John Beecher was teammates with Sabres defenceman Owen Power at the University of Michigan for two seasons (2020–21 and 2021–22). The duo helped the Wolverines capture the Big Ten Championship in their second year together, with Beecher contributing an assist in the Big Ten Final as Michigan edged the Minnesota Golden Gophers 4–3.

CALGARY FLAMES vs. BUFFALO SABRES

CGY vs. BUF	ALL-TIME	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
	47-50-16-7	26-20-11-3	21-30-5-4	6-2-2	W2

GAME INFO:

Calgary Flames vs. Buffalo Sabres

7:00pm MT

Scotiabank Saddledome

TV: Sportsnet West

Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

2025-26 Season Series: 1-0-0 (Home: 0-0-0, Road 1-0-0)

Nov. 19, 2025 – CGY [6] at BUF [2]

Dec. 8, 2025 – CGY vs. BUF

2024-25 Season Record vs. BUF: 1-0-1

Last Home Win vs. BUF: January 23, 2025 – Calgary [5] vs. Buffalo [2]

Last Road Win @ BUF: October 19, 2024 – Calgary [4] at Buffalo [3]

Last Home Loss vs. BUF: March 24, 2024 – Calgary [1] vs. Buffalo [4]

Last Road Loss @ BUF: November 9, 2024 – Calgary [2] at Buffalo [3] (SO)



2025-26 CALGARY FLAMES

FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:

Oct. 17 – assigned **Matvei Gridin (F)** to Calgary (AHL); activated **Johnathan Huberdeau (F)** from IR
Oct. 20 – placed **Daniil Miromanov (D)** on waivers; *cleared*
Oct. 21 – assigned **Daniil Miromanov (D)** to Calgary (AHL)
Oct. 23 – recalled **Dryden Hunt (F)** from Calgary (AHL)
Oct. 25 – assigned **Dryden Hunt (F)** to Calgary (AHL)
Nov. 4 – recalled **Yan Kuznetsov (D)** from Calgary (AHL)
Nov. 8 – recalled **Daniil Miromanov (D)** from Calgary (AHL); placed **Zayne Parekh (D)** on IR
Nov. 12 – assigned **Daniil Miromanov (D)** to Calgary (AHL); placed **Justin Kirkland (F)** on waivers; *cleared*
Nov. 13 – recalled **Rory Kerins (F)** from Calgary (AHL)
Nov. 17 – recalled **Dryden Hunt (F)** and **Sam Morton (F)** from Calgary (AHL)
Nov. 17 – assigned **Rory Kerins (F)** to Calgary (AHL)
Nov. 18 – claimed **John Beecher (F)** off waivers from BOS
Nov. 25 – assigned **Sam Morton (F)** to Calgary (AHL)
Nov. 28 – announced two-year extensions that were signed prior to the start of the 2025-26 season for **Craig Conroy** (General Manager), **Don Maloney** (President of Hockey Operations), **Dave Nonis** (Senior VP of Hockey Operations/Assistant GM) and **Brad Pascall** (VP of Hockey Operations/Assistant GM)

FLAMES RECENT INJURIES (Total man games lost – 60)

Johnathan Huberdeau – Injury: 5 games (Oct. 8 – Oct. 15)
Martin Pospisil – Injury: 30 games (Oct. 8 – pres.)
Kevin Bahl – illness: 1 game (Nov. 7)
Zayne Parekh – injury: 14 games (Nov. 9 – pres.)
Sam Honzek – injury: 10 games (Nov. 18 – pres.)

FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:

Rasmus Andersson – 198 assists (2 away from 200 assists)
MacKenzie Weegar – 196 assists (4 away from 200 assists)
Jonathan Huberdeau – 796 points (4 away from 800 points)
Mikael Backlund – 1,096 games played (4 away from 1,100 games played)
Dustin Wolf – 94 games played (6 away from 100 games played)

HOW THE FLAMES WERE BUILT: (* = injured)

Draft (9)	Free Agent (6)	Trade (7)	Waivers (3)
Andersson (53 rd overall, 2015)	Bean (July 2024)	Bahl (From NJD – 2024)	Beecher (From BOS – 2025)
Backlund (24 th overall, 2007)	Coleman (July 2021)	Farabee (From PHI – 2025)	Hanley (From DAL – 2024)
Coronato (13 th overall, 2021)	Cooley (July 2024)	Frost (From PHI – 2025)	Pachal (From VGK – 2024)
Honzek* (16 th overall, 2023)	Kadri (August 2022)	Huberdeau (From FLA – 2022)	
Kuznetsov (50 th overall, 2020)	Klapka (May 2022)	Hunt (From TOR – 2023)	
Parekh* (9 th overall, 2024)	Lomberg (July 2024)	Sharangovich (From NJD – 2023)	
Pospisil* (105 th overall, 2018)		Weegar (From FLA – 2022)	
Wolf (214 th overall, 2019)			
Zary (24 th overall, 2020)			

RECORD BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
HOME	1-3-1	3-1-1	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
AWAY	1-5-1	4-5-1	0-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
TOTAL	2-8-2	7-6-2	2-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0



POINTS LEADER BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
Player	Kadri	Andersson	6 skaters	—	—	—	—
Points	3-6 – 9	3-11 – 14	2 pts	—	—	—	—

RECORD BY DAY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3-1-1	0-1-0	0-5-0	3-2-1	2-1-1	1-2-0	2-3-1

RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...**0 Days:** 3-2-0**1 Day:** 5-9-4**2 Days:** 2-4-0**3 Days:** 0-0-0**4+ Days:** 1-0-0**First of B2B:** 2-3-0**Second of B2B:** 3-2-0**RECORD WHEN...**

	0G	1G	2G	3G	4G	5G	6G	7G	8G
Scoring	0-2-1	0-6-1	4-4-0	1-2-2	1-0-0	4-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Allowing	2-0-0	4-0-1	3-2-1	1-2-2	0-5-0	0-4-0	0-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0

PLAYER HIGHS *active

	High (Most Recent Occurrence)	Date: Game
Goals, Game:	2 (Farabee)	Nov. 19 at BUF (6-2 W)
Assists, Game:	3 (Andersson)	Nov. 23 at VAN (5-2 W)
Points, Game:	3 (Kadri)	Nov. 28 at FLA (5-3 W)
Shots, Game:	11 (Coronato)	Nov. 7 vs. CHI (0-4 L)
TOI, Game:	27:46 (Weegar)	Oct. 22 vs. MTL (1-2 OTL)
Best +/-, Game:	+4 (Andersson)	Nov. 23 at VAN (5-2 W)
Saves, Game:	42 (Wolf)	Nov. 5 vs. CBJ (5-1 W)
Goal Streak	4 Games (Coronato: 4G)	(Nov. 15 – Nov. 22)
Assists Streak	5 Games (Andersson: 8A)	(Nov. 15 – Nov. 23)
Point Streak	6 Games (Huberdeau: 3-4 – 7)	(Oct. 26 – Nov. 5)

	LAST TIME (2025-26)	PREVIOUS (2025-26)
Regulation win, home	Dec. 6 vs. UTA (2-0 W)	Dec. 4 vs. MIN (4-1 W)
Regulation win, away	Nov. 28 at FLA (5-3 W)	Nov. 23 at VAN (5-2 W)
Regulation loss, home	Nov. 7 vs. CHI (0-4 L)	Oct. 20 vs. WPG (1-2 L)
Regulation loss, away	Dec. 2 at NSH (1-5 L)	Nov. 26 at TBL (1-5 L)
OT win, home	—	—
OT win, away	—	—
OT loss, home	Oct. 22 vs. MTL (1-2 OTL)	—
OT loss, away	Nov. 30 at CAR (0-1 OTL)	—
Shootout win, home	Nov. 22 vs. DAL (3-2 SOW)	—
Shootout win, away	Oct. 8 at EDM (4-3 SOW)	—
Shootout loss, home	Nov. 15 vs. WPG (3-4 SOL)	—
Shootout loss, away	Oct. 30 at OTT (3-4 SOL)	—
Shutout, home	Dec. 6 vs. UTA (2-0 W)	Nov. 13 vs. SJS (2-0 W)
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
1,096



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 	11	5	4	2	Dec. 4 vs. MIN (4-1 W)
Away 	18	5	11	2	Dec. 2 at NSH (1-5 L)
Alternate 	2	2	0	0	Dec. 6 vs. UTA (2-0 W)

