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# FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP March 18, 2025 – CALGARY FLAMES [2] vs. NEW YORK RANGERS [1]

**Game Summary I Event Summary** 

The Calgary Flames continued a four-game road swing on Tuesday night in New York. In the first, the Rangers would open the scoring 1:13 into the contest with Artemi Panarin giving the home side a 1-0 advantage. Calgary would find an equalizer midway through the opening frame with Nazem Kadri drawing the Flames level, before a Matt Coronato strike flipped the script and gave the Flames a 2-1 lead, and that is where things stood through 20. In the second, Calgary would outshoot New York 10-3, but things remained 2-1. The final stanza would see Dan Vladar turn aside five Rangers shots as Calgary locked things down to knock off New York 2-1.

CGY GOAL SCORERS: Kadri (24), Coronato (17)

**GOALIE:** Vladar 12/13 .923 Sv%

**PP:** 1/3 (33%) **PK:** 1/1 (100%)

# FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 2-2-1

DATE	RESULT	GWG	CGY GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
March 18, 2025	CGY [2] at NYR [2]	Coronato	Vladar	Shesterkin
March 17, 2025	CGY [2] at TOR [6] L	Robertson	Wolf/Vladar	Woll
March 14, 2025	COL [4] vs. CGY [2] L	Kelly	Wolf	Wedgewood
March 12, 2025	VAN [4] vs. CGY [3] (SO) L	Garland*	Wolf	Lankinen
March 8, 2025	MTL [0] vs. CGY [1] W	Farabee	Wolf	Dobes

<sup>\*</sup>shootout winning goal

# FLAMES UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

DATE	TIME (MST)	OPPONENT	VENUE
March 20, 2025	5:00pm	at New Jersey Devils	Prudential Center
March 22, 2025	2:00pm	at New York Islanders	UBS Arena
March 25, 2025	7:00pm	vs. Seattle Kraken	Scotiabank Saddledome
March 27, 2025	7:00pm	vs. Dallas Stars	Scotiabank Saddledome
March 29, 2025	8:00pm	at Edmonton Oilers	Rogers Place

# **TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS**

This is the second of two meetings this season between the Flames and Devils. Calgary knocked off New Jersey 3-0 in their first matchup on November 1<sup>st</sup>.

This is a Pacific Division versus Metropolitan Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 9-4-1 against Metropolitan Division teams and a record of 13-11-6 against Eastern Conference opponents.

#### FIRST MEETING WITH NEW JERSEY:

The Calgary Flames welcomed the New Jersey Devils to the Scotiabank Saddledome for their first meeting back on November 1st. Both netminders stood tall through the first 20 and despite a 12-5 edge in shots for the Flames the score remained deadlocked at zero's heading into the second. In the middle stanza, the goalies continued to shine including a pair of Dan Vladar saves on New Jersey breakaways to keep the game scoreless through 40. In the final frame, Blake Coleman redirected a Kevin Bahl shot home to give the Flames the lead with just over five minutes remaining in regulation. 28 seconds later, Jonathan Huberdeau scored then-his fifth of the campaign into a gaping cage to double the home side's advantage. Blake Coleman added an empty netter to help the Flames knock off the Devils 3-0.

## **CALGARY TIES TO NEW JERSEY:**

Yegor Sharangovich is slated to skate in his fourth game against his former team the New Jersey Devils. The Minsk, BLR native was the Devils fifth round pick (141st overall) in the 2018 NHL Entry Draft and skated in 205 games with New Jersey, scoring 53 goals and 53 assists for 106 points. Sharangovich was acquired by the Flames in the summer of 2023 along with a 2023 third-round pick (Aydar Suniev).

Fellow forward Blake Coleman played the first 237 games of his NHL career in New Jersey, recording 94 points (57G, 37A) as a member of the Devils. Centre Kevin Rooney also began his NHL career in New Jersey, spending the first four seasons within the Devils organization after signing with New Jersey as an undrafted free agent out of Providence College.

Defenceman Kevin Bahl was acquired by Calgary from New Jersey this past off-season and has skated in 58 games for the Flames in 2024-25, recording a career best 17 points from three goals and 14 assists while also averaging over 20 minutes of ice-time per game. Bahl spent the prior four seasons with New Jersey, skating in 148 games with four goals and 21 assists for 25 points.

#### **NEW JERSEY TIES TO CALGARY:**

New Jersey netminder Jacob Markstrom spent the previous four seasons with the Flames after he was signed as a free agent prior to the 2020-21 season. Markstrom appeared in 213 games for Calgary, posting a 105-78-25 record along with a 207 Sv% and a 2.63 GAA. Markstrom was traded from Calgary to New Jersey this summer in exchange for Kevin Bahl and a 1st-round pick in the 2025 NHL Draft.

Devils forward Curtis Lazar spent 70 games in a Flames sweater after being acquired by Calgary along with Michael Kostka from Ottawa for Jyrki Jokipakka and a 2017 second-round pick in March of 2017. Devils blueliner Dougie Hamilton was teammates with Lazar in Calgary during the ladder part of the 2016-17 and 2017-18 campaigns. Hamilton appeared in 245 games as a Flame, scoring 42 goals and 95 assists for 137 points, only missing one game during his three seasons with Calgary.

# **MARTY PARTY:**

On Tuesday in New York, Martin Pospisil recorded a game-high eight hits in Calgary's 2-1 win, accounting for over 20% of the body checks the Flames threw against the Rangers. Pospisil has registered a team-leading 250 hits this season and has now recorded eight or more hits in four separate contests in 2024-25 (Dec. 8 at DAL: 8 hits) (Dec. 19 vs. OTT: 9 hits) (Jan. 26 at WPG: 9 hits). Since making his NHL debut on November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023, the Slovakian power forward has recorded the third-most hits in the NHL with 488, behind only Kiefer Sherwood (582) and Garnet Hathaway (508).

## **HE'S NAZTY:**

Nazem Kadri recorded a goal and an assist on Tuesday against the Rangers to record his 49<sup>th</sup> and 50<sup>th</sup> points of the 2024-25 season. Kadri has become the third Flames skater in the past 30 years to record 50 points in his first three seasons with the franchise, following Alex Tanguay (3 from 2006-07 – 2010-11) and Daymond Langkow (3 from 2005-06 – 2007-08).

#### **HEY DID YOU KNOW?**

MacKenzie Weegar became the second Flames defenseman in the past five years with consecutive 40-point seasons, joining Rasmus Andersson (2 from 2021-22 – 2022-23).

# **CALGARY FLAMES vs. NEW JERSEY DEVILS**

CGY vs. NJD	ALL-TIME	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
	73-26-11-3	38-8-8-2	35-18-3-1	7-2-1	W2

#### **GAME INFO:**

Calgary Flames vs. New Jersey Devils

7:00pm ET

Prudential Center TV: Sportsnet One

Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

2024-25 Season Series: 1-0-0 (Home: 1-0-0, Road 0-0-0)

Nov. 1, 2024 – NJD [0] vs. CGY [3] Mar. 20, 2025 – CGY at NJD

2023-24 Season Record vs. NJD: 1-1-0 (Home: 0-1-0, Road: 1-0-0)

Last Home Win vs. NJD: November 1, 2024 – Calgary [3] vs. New Jersey [0] Last Road Win @ NJD: February 8, 2024 – Calgary [5] at New Jersey [3] Last Home Loss vs. NJD: December 9, 2023 – New Jersey [4] at Calgary [2] Last Road Loss @ NJD: November 8, 2022 – New Jersey [3] vs. Calgary [2]

## **2024-25 CALGARY FLAMES**

#### FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:

Jan. 24 – assigned Tyson Barrie (D) to Calgary (AHL) on a conditioning loan

Jan. 27 – assigned Rory Kerins (F) to Calgary (AHL)

Jan. 28 – recalled Adam Klapka (F) and Tyson Barrie (D) from Calgary (AHL)

**Jan. 30** – acquired Joel Farabee (F) and Morgan Frost (F) from PHI in exchange for forwards Andrei Kuzmenko (F), Jakob Pelletier (F), a 2025 second-round pick and a 2028 seventh-round pick.

Feb. 5 – recalled Ilya Solovyov (D) from Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 6 – recalled Dryden Hunt (F) from Calgary (AHL); assigned Clark Bishop (F) to Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 8 – assigned Dryden Hunt (F), Adam Klapka (F) and Ilya Solovyov (D) to Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 19 – recalled Yan Kuznetsov (D) and Ilya Solovyov (D) from Calgary (AHL)

Feb. 20 - placed Tyson Barrie (D) on waivers; cleared

Feb. 21 - recalled Adam Klapka (F) from Calgary (AHL); assigned Yan Kuznetsov to Calgary (AHL)

**Feb. 21** – assigned Tyson Barrie (D) to the Calagry Wranglers (AHL)

Mar. 6 – assigned Ilya Solovyov (D) to Calgary (AHL)

Mar. 6 – signed Connor Murphy (G) to a one-year two-way contract

Mar. 7 – assigned Adam Klapka (F) to Calgary (AHL)

Mar. 12 – recalled Adam Klapka (F) from Calgary (AHL)

Mar. 14 – recalled Dryden Hunt (F) from Calgary (AHL)

## FLAMES RECENT INJURIES (Total man games lost – 140)

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 (52 games: 11/7/24 – pres.)

Justin Kirkland – lower-body injury (41 games: 11/30/24 – pres.)

Dan Vladar – lower-body injury (1 game: 12/14/24)

Andrie Kuzmenko – lower-body injury (4 games: 12/14/24 – 12/21/24)

Connor Zary – lower-body injury (14 games: 1/11/25 – 2/23/25)

Kevin Bahl – upper-body injury (8 games: 1/26/25 – 2/23/25)

Kevin Bahl – illness (1 game: 2/23/25)

Mikael Backlund – upper-body injury (3 games: 3/14/25 – pres.)

## FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:

Jonathan Huberdeau – 898 games played (2 away from 900 games played)

Matt Coronato – 97 games played (3 away from 100 games played)

Nazem Kadri – 397 assists (3 away from 400 assists)

**Yegor Sharangovich** – 96 goals (4 away from 100 goals)

Nazem Kadri – 296 goals (4 away from 300 goals)

Morgan Frost – 295 games played (5 away from 300 games played)

Joel Farabee – 93 goals (7 away from 100 goals)

**Yegor Sharangovich** – 93 assists (7 away from 100 assists)

Nazem Kadri – 693 points (7 away from 700 points)

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

Draft (5)	Free Agent (8)	Trade (9)	Waivers (2)
Andersson (53 <sup>rd</sup> overall, 2015)	Bean (July 2024)	Bahl (From NJD – 2024)	Hanley (From DAL – 2024)
Backlund* (24th overall, 2007)	Coleman (July 2021)	Farabee (From PHI – 2025)	Pachal (From VGK – 2024)
Coronato (13th overall, 2021)	Kadri (August 2022)	Frost (From PHI – 2025)	
Pospisil (105 <sup>th</sup> overall, 2018)	Kirkland* (July 2024)	Huberdeau (From FLA – 2022)	
Zary (24th overall, 2020)	Klapka (May 2022)	Hunt (From TOR – 2023)	
	Lomberg (July 2024)	Miromanov (From VGK – 2024)	
	Mantha* (July 2024)	Sharangovich (From NJD – 2023)	
	Rooney (July 2022)	Vladar (From BOS – 2021)	
		Weegar (From FLA – 2022)	

# **RECORD BY MONTH**

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

# POINTS LEADER BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
Player	Andersson	Kadri	Huberdeau	Coleman	Kadri	Weegar	
Points	4-6 – 10	4-5 – 9	8-7 – 15	4-8 – 12	3-6 – 9	1-8 – 9	

# **RECORD BY DAY**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3-4-1	2-3-0	11-4-2	1-1-2	3-6-3	2-2-0	9-5-3

# **RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...**

0 Days: 3-5-1
1 Day: 17-18-8
2 Days: 5-2-0
3 Days: 1-0-2
4+ Days: 5-0-0
First of B2B: 5-4-0
Second of B2B: 3-5-1

# **RECORD WHEN...**

	0G	1G	2G	3G	4G	5G	6G	7G	8G
Scoring	0-4-0	1-6-3	4-8-4	13-5-3	5-0-0	3-0-0	4-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Allowing	5-0-0	11-0-0	6-0-3	5-6-4	2-7-3	1-5-0	0-4-0	0-0-0	0-1-0

# **PLAYER HIGHS**

\*active

	High (Most Recent Occurrence)	Date: Game
Goals, Game:	2 (Huberdeau)	3/12/25 vs. VAN
Assists, Game:	3 (Weegar)	11/21/24 vs. NYR
Points, Game:	4 (Huberdeau)	10/12/24 vs. PHI
Shots, Game:	7 (Kadri)	3/12/25 vs. VAN
TOI, Game:	28:05 (Andersson)	11/25/24 at OTT
Best +/-, Game:	+4 (Huberdeau)	1/23/25 vs. BUF
Saves, Game:	39 (Vladar)	3/1/25 at CAR
Goal Streak	5 Games (Kadri)	12/10/24 - 12/18/24
Assists Streak	6 Games (Weegar)	2/1/25 - 2/23/25
Point Streak	7 Games (/Kadri 3-6 – 9)	2/1/25 - 2/25/25

	LAST TIME (2024-25)	PREVIOUS
Regulation win, home	3/8/25 vs. MTL	2/23/25 vs. SJS
Regulation win, away	3/18/25 at NYR	3/4/25 at PHI
Regulation loss, home	3/14/25 vs. COL	2/6/25 vs. COL
Regulation loss, away	3/17/25 at TOR	3/1/25 at CAR
OT win, home		
OT win, away	1/7/25 at ANA	11/5/24 at MTL
OT loss, home	2/8/25 vs. SEA	12/19/24 vs. OTT
OT loss, away	3/6/25 at DAL	3/2/25 at CAR
Shootout win, home	11/21/24 vs. MIN	11/19/24 vs. NYI
Shootout win, away		
Shootout loss, home	3/12/25 vs. VAN	
Shootout loss, away	11/9/24 at BUF	
Shutout, home	3/8/25 vs. MTL	12/3/24 vs. CBJ
Shutout, away		

# **CALGARY FLAMES ALL-TIME LEADERS** (*Bolded* = Active Players) **CAREER GAMES PLAYED:**



Jarome Iginla
 1996-96-2012-13

1,219



2) Mikael Backlund 2008-09 - Present

1,054



3) Mark Giordano2005-06 – 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	26	13	8	5	3/17/25: 2-6 L at TOR
Away	32	13	13	6	3/18/25 2-1 W at NYR
Alternate	10	6	4	0	1/11/25: 2-1 W vs. LAK