



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS PREGAME NOTES



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS [16-7-2, 34 POINTS] vs. WASHINGTON CAPITALS [17-6-2, 36 POINTS]

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MAPLE LEAFS HISTORY vs. WASHINGTON CAPITALS

All-Time Record:	72-72-10-5 (159 Games)
All-Time Home Record:	42-27-6-2 (77 Games)
2023-24:	3-0-0
Last Five:	5-0-0
Last 10:	9-1-0
First Matchup Between Clubs:	Oct. 27, 1974 (TOR 4 at WSH 3)
All-Time Record:	72-72-10-5 (159 Games)
All-Time Home Record:	42-27-6-2 (77 Games)
All-Time Road Record:	30-45-4-3 (82 Games)
Last Home Win vs. Opponent:	Mar. 28, 2024 (TOR 5 vs. WSH 1)

MAPLE LEAFS / CAPITALS 2024-25 TEAM STATS

	TORONTO	WASHINGTON
Goals For Per Game:	3.08 (14th-T)	4.08 (1st)
Goals Against Per Game:	2.52 (2nd)	2.84 (7th)
Power Play %:	20.0 (17th)	21.8 (15th)
Penalty Kill %:	82.8 (7th)	82.9 (6th)
Shots Per Game:	29.5 (13th)	28.9 (17th)
Shots Against Per Game:	28.7 (18th)	28.0 (11th)
Faceoff %:	53.7 (3rd)	49.7 (18th)

(NHL rank in parenthesis)

MAPLE LEAFS CAREER LEADERS vs. WASHINGTON CAPITALS

Games Played:	John Tavares [47], Morgan Rielly [28], Ryan Reaves [25]
Goals:	John Tavares [21], Auston Matthews [10], William Nylander [8]
Assists:	John Tavares [27], Morgan Rielly [18], Auston Matthews [16]
Points:	John Tavares [48], Auston Matthews [26], Morgan Rielly [21]
Penalty Minutes:	Ryan Reaves [34], Simon Benoit [12], Jake McCabe [12]

TEAM NOTES

TONIGHT'S MATCHUP

● The Maple Leafs are set to play against the Washington Capitals tonight at Scotiabank Arena in the second of three games between the clubs this season. The Maple Leafs won their first meeting of the season against Washington on November 13th in a 4-3 overtime decision. Toronto posted a 3-0-0 record against Washington during the 2023-24 season while posting a 9-1-0 record through their last 10 meetings. Toronto has posted a 12-3-0 record at Scotiabank Arena this season, currently leading the league in wins on home ice with 12. The Maple Leafs have won three-consecutive games and five-consecutive wins at home while capturing a win in 10 of their last 12 games. The Maple Leafs are skating in their first game of a back-to-back tonight, taking on the Pittsburgh Penguins tomorrow night at PPG Paints Arena.

LAST GAME

● The Maple Leafs won 3-2 against the Nashville Predators on Wednesday night at Scotiabank Arena. William Nylander scored the game-winning goal on a Maple Leafs power play opportunity at 5:06 of the third period with Auston Matthews scoring twice in Toronto's win. Mitch Marner recorded three assists, posting his eighth multi-assist game of the season and his 14th multi-point game of the season, while marking the 31st game of his NHL career with three or more assists. Joseph Woll stopped 22 of 24 shots he faced in Wednesday's win, capturing his sixth-consecutive win which ties the longest winning streak of his NHL career.



UPCOMING MILESTONES

- Connor Dewar - One game away from 200 career NHL games played.
- Chris Tanev - Four points away from 200 career NHL points.
- John Tavares - Five assists away from 600 career NHL assists.

INJURY REPORT

- Max Domi (Lower Body - IR)
- Jani Hakanpää (Lower Body - IR)
- Calle Järnkrok (Lower Body - LTIR)
- David Kämpf (Lower Body - LTIR)
- Bobby McMann (Lower Body - IR)
- Max Pacioretty (Lower Body - IR)

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

- December 2, 2024 - The Maple Leafs have placed defenceman Jani Hakanpää on IR (lower body) retroactive to November 16. Defenceman Marshall Rifai has been recalled from the Toronto Marlies (AHL).