



COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS WEEKLY REPORT

Feb. 3-9, 2025

CBJ Record 26-20-7, 59 pts. ♦ Metropolitan/Eastern 4th/8th

THE WEEK AHEAD

MON FEB 3
No Practice Scheduled

TUE FEB 4
at **BUFFALO SABRES**
KeyBank Center
7 pm ET

WED FEB 5
PRACTICE
Nationwide Arena
11 am ET

THU FEB 6
vs **UTAH HOCKEY CLUB**
Nationwide Arena
7 pm ET

FRI FEB 7
PRACTICE
OhioHealth Ice Haus
11 am ET

SAT FEB 8
vs **NEW YORK RANGERS**
Nationwide Arena
7 pm ET

SUN FEB 9
No Practice Scheduled
4 Nations Face-Off Break

LOOKING AHEAD

MON FEB 10 -
TUE FEB 18 -
No Practice Scheduled
4 Nations Face-Off Break

WED FEB 19
PRACTICE - 10:30 am ET
OhioHealth Ice Haus

THU FEB 20
PRACTICE - 10:30 am ET
OhioHealth Ice Haus

CBJ NEWS & NOTES

♦ Columbus won two of its three games last week, including earning road OT wins on back-to-back days at Vegas (2-1) and Utah (3-2) from Jan. 30-31... CBJ posted franchise-highs in wins (tied) and points as well as the second-highest points percentage, third-largest goal differential (+11) and third-fewest goals-against/game (2.43) for the month of January after finishing 10-3-1 (21 points, .750 pts pct.) in 14 contests...The club completes a stretch of 8-of-9 games played away from Nationwide Arena from Jan. 18-Feb. 4 on Tuesday at Buffalo... The Jackets, who play four-straight home games surrounding the 4 Nations Face-Off Break (Feb. 6-8 and 22-25), have won five consecutive outings at Nationwide Arena for the first time since Jan. 14-Feb. 7, 2020 (6-straight).

CENTER OF ATTENTION

♦ **C Adam Fantilli**, who scored a goal in his 100th career NHL game at Vegas on Jan. 30, has recorded points in three-straight outings (2-1-3) and five of the past six contests (5-3-8)...The 20-year-old leads the team in goals, ranks second in points and second among club forwards in average ice time, while collecting points in 12 of 15 contests since the calendar flipped to 2025 (9-7-16, 19:21)... He's surpassed his rookie totals (12-15-27, 49 GP) with 16-15-31 in 53 games in 2024-25.



PLAYER NOTES

♦ **F Kent Johnson** has recorded points in a career-high seven consecutive games (3-5-8), one shy of tying the season long for a Blue Jacket (Zach Werenski, Nov. 15-Dec. 1)... **C Cole Sillinger**, who has posted points in three-straight games (2-1-3), became the fifth player in club history to reach the 100-point milestone at age 21 or younger (Pierre-Luc Dubois, Rick Nash, Jakub Voracek, Zach Werenski) with a goal at Dallas on Feb. 2 (41-59-100, 268 GP)... **LW James van Riemsdyk** has registered points in five of the past six contests (2-4-6) and has notched 6-8-14 in 15 games since Jan. 1 to raise his season totals to 10-13-23 in 46 appearances... **D Zach Werenski** has collected 17-40-57 in 53 games in 2024-25, tying the single-season club record for points by a blueliner originally set by Seth Jones in 2017-18 (16-41-57 in 78 GP) and matched by Werenski in 2023-24 (11-46-57 in 70 GP)... He is the fifth Jacket to record back-to-back 40-assist campaigns (Ray Whitney, 2001-03; David Vyborny, 2005-07; Artemi Panarin, 2017-19; Johnny Gaudreau, 2022-24).

THIS WEEK'S OPPONENTS

BUFFALO



Tuesday - 7 pm ET **AM SKATE - 11:30 am ET**
TV: FanDuel Sports Network **RADIO: 97.1 The Fan**
21-26-5, 47 pts. Atlantic/East, 8th/16th
2024-25: 2nd of 3 meetings... 6-4 W at CBJ on Oct. 17
ALL-TIME: 26-15-4 (14-7-3,A)

DAHLIN



UTAH



Thursday - 7 pm ET **AM SKATE - 10 am ET**
TV: FanDuel Sports Network **RADIO: 93.3 The Bus**
21-22-9, 51 pts. Central/West, 6th/11th
2024-25: 2nd of 2 meetings... 3-2 OTW at UTA on Jan. 31
ALL-TIME: 1-0-0 (0-0-0, H)

KELLER



NEW YORK



Saturday - 7 pm ET **AM SKATE - 10 am ET**
TV: FanDuel Sports Network **RADIO: 97.1 The Fan**
25-23-4, 54 pts. Metropolitan/East, 6th/12th
2024-25: 2nd of 4 meetings... 1-0 SOL at NYR on Jan. 18
ALL-TIME: 23-22-7 (13-14-1, H)

PANARIN

