



POSTGAME NOTES

NOVEMBER 27, 2024 vs. WINNIPEG



12-8-3 (Pacific: 3rd | Western: 5th)

RECORD

18-5-0 (Central: 1st | Western: 1st)

1/2 – 50.0%

POWERPLAY

1/3 – 33.3%

2/3 – 66.7%

PENALTY KILL

1/2 – 50.0%

33

SHOTS ON GOAL

14

30/57 – 52.6%

FACEOFFS WON

27/57 – 47.4%

FINAL SCORE

JETS	0	1	0	1
KINGS	1	1	2	4

KINGS NOTES

- Captain **Anze Kopitar** (1-1=2) opened the scoring in tonight's contest with his seventh goal of the season, extending his point streak against Winnipeg to a sixth game (7-3=10), dating back to Feb. 28, 2023. Kopitar's goal was the 122nd of his career scored on the power play, one shy of tying **Dave Taylor** (123) for the third-most tallies in franchise history on the man-advantage.
- With the goal, Kopitar has now surpassed **Marcel Dionne** (70) for the most game-opening goals in franchise history with 71. Kopitar's assist marked his 20th of the season, becoming the 23rd skater in league history to reach this threshold on 19 different occasions.
- Tonight marked Kopitar's 697th career home game, the fourth-most among all active skaters behind **Ryan Suter** (740), **Brent Burns** (723), and **Alex Ovechkin** (719). It was also Kopitar's 1,396th career game played, which ties **Stan Mikita** for 43rd-most in NHL history.
- Forward **Adrian Kempe** (1-1=2) notched his 11th goal and 12th assist of the season, extending his point streak to a third game (2-3=5), dating back to Nov. 23, 2024. Kempe's 10 career points (3-7=10) against the Winnipeg Jets breaks a tie with **Jake Muzzin** (2-7=9), **Lubomir Visnovsky** (4-5=9) and **Luc Robitaille** (6-3=9) for the sixth-most points against the Jets/Thrashers in franchise history.
- Forward **Phillip Danault** (1-0=1) scored his second goal of the season in the middle frame of tonight's contest, which stands as the game-winner. Danault's 12 career home points (3-9=12) against Winnipeg breaks a tie with **Jonathan Marchessault** (8-3=11) and **David Perron** (5-6=11) for sole possession of the third-most home points against the Jets franchise among active Quebec-born skaters, while his 23 points overall (9-14=23) sits one point shy of Perron (12-12=24) for the second-most overall.
- Forward **Kevin Fiala** (1-0=1) scored his eighth goal of the season (8-6=14) and extended his point streak (2-4=6) to six straight games against the Jets dating back to October 27th, 2022 (6-4 Jets).
- Defenseman **Vladislav Gavrikov** (0-1=1) recorded his seventh assist of the season for his ninth point (2-7=9) of the campaign. It is Gavrikov's fifth assist (0-5=5) in nine career games played against the Jets.
- Forward **Alex Laferriere** (0-2=2) recorded his seventh and eighth assists of the season for his fifth multi-point game of the campaign. Laferriere's first assist came on the man-advantage, tying his single-season career high in power play points with three (1-2=3).
- Forward **Alex Turcotte** (0-1=1) collected his first career point against the Jets with his sixth assist (1-6=7) of the campaign.
- Defenseman **Brandt Clarke** (0-1=1) picked up his 12th assist of the season, tying Buffalo's **Owen Power** for the most assists from a blueliner selected in the 2021 NHL Draft through the first quarter of this season. The assist marked the first point of his career against the Winnipeg Jets.
- Defenseman **Joel Edmundson** (0-1=1) tallied his fourth assist of the season, becoming the second Manitoba-born skater and first Manitoba-born defenseman in Kings franchise history to record a point against the modern Winnipeg Jets team. Three Manitoba-born defenseman recorded points for the Kings against the original Winnipeg jets team, including **Lyle Phair** (1-0=1), **Brian Engblom** (0-5=5) and **Grant Ledyard** (3-8=11).
- Goaltender **David Rittich** stopped 13 of 14 shots for his 100th career win, becoming the eighth Czech goaltender in league history to reach this mark. Rittich stopped his first penalty shot attempt faced in a Kings uniform against Jets forward **Rasmus Kupari**, Rittich's first penalty shot attempt against since his own tenure with the Jets (04/13/2023 @ COL; Save vs. **Lars Eller**). With the save, Rittich improves his career record to three saves on five attempts.

POSTGAME AUDIO

- LAK: Head Coach Jim Hiller, Phillip Danault and Alex Laferriere.
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KINGS PRACTICE SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

The LA Kings will practice tomorrow, Nov. 28, at 10:30 a.m. PST at Toyota Sports Performance Center in El Segundo, Calif. and return to action on Friday, Nov. 29 at 12:30 p.m. PST when they visit the Anaheim Ducks at Honda Center. For further details and player requests, please contact Justin Cummings (jjcummins@lakings.com).



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