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BUNTING SEASON

Michael Bunting scored in a second-consecutive game on Tuesday night against the Colorado Avalanche. He has 12 points (7G-5A) in his last 17 games after having one assist in his first 12 games.

- Since Nov. 5, Bunting leads the team with seven goals and ranks second on the Penguins with 12 points:

Goals

Penguins Since Nov. 5

1. Michael Bunting	7
1. Bryan Rust	6
3. Rickard Rakell	5
3. Blake Lizotte	5
5. Anthony Beauvillier	4

Points

Penguins Since Nov. 5

1. Sidney Crosby	13
2. Michael Bunting	12
2. Bryan Rust	12
4. Evgeni Malkin	11
4. Erik Karlsson	11

**BLUELINE BLITZ**

Kris Letang and Erik Karlsson are some of the top-producing active defensemen against the Montreal Canadiens throughout their respective careers.

- Karlsson has 10 goals, 32 assists and 42 points in 51 career games against the Canadiens, while Letang has 10 goals, 27 assists and 37 points in 46 career games.
- Karlsson and Letang's 10 goals against Montreal are the most among all active blueliners:

Goals vs. Montreal

Active Defensemen

1. Erik Karlsson	10
1. Kris Letang	10
3. Victor Hedman	9
4. Charlie McAvoy	7
5. Oliver Ekman-Larsson	6

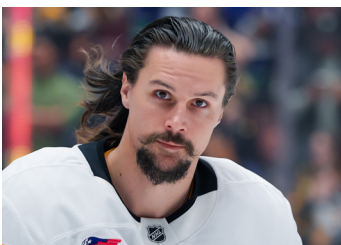


- Karlsson and Letang rank second and third, respectively, among active defensemen in points against the Canadiens:

Points vs. Montreal

Active Defensemen

1. Victor Hedman	49
2. Erik Karlsson	42
3. Kris Letang	37
4. Morgan Rielly	27
5. John Carlson	26

**APPLE PICKING**

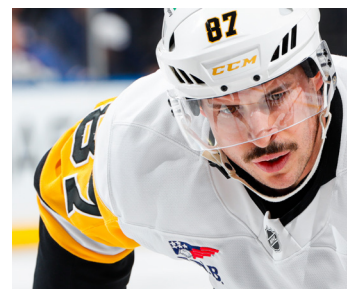
Sidney Crosby has points in 10 of his last 13 games, recording 11 points (2G-9A) in the span dating back to November 13.

- Crosby leads all active players with 1,023 career assists, all coming with the Penguins. He enters tonight's game one assist shy of surpassing Gordie Howe for sole possession of the fifth-most assists with one franchise in NHL history:

Assists with One Team

NHL History

	1. Ray Bourque	1111
	2. Wayne Gretzky	1086
	3. Steve Yzerman	1063
	4. Mario Lemieux	1033
	5. Sidney Crosby	1023
	5. Gordie Howe	1023



- Crosby has 25 goals, 41 assists and 66 points in 51 career games against the Canadiens. Among all active players, his 41 assists and 66 points rank second.

GOALS GALORE

The Penguins are 5-2-0 since November 27 in large part due to their offensive output during that stretch.

- Since November 27, Pittsburgh's 3.86 goals-per-game average is the third highest in the league:

Goals Per Game

Since Nov. 27

1. Florida	4.57
2. Washington	4.00
3. Pittsburgh	3.86
4. Tampa Bay	3.83
4. Utah	3.83



- In that seven game span, the Penguins have had 12 different goal scorers, with Bryan Rust, Rickard Rakell and Blake Lizotte leading the way with four goals apiece.
- On Tuesday night, Cody Glass scored his first goal as a member of the Penguins. He became the 19th Penguin to score a goal this season, a number that ranks sixth in the league:

Unique Goal Scorers

2024-25

1. Colorado	21
1. Philadelphia	21
3. St. Louis	20
3. Buffalo	20
3. Calgary	20
6. Pittsburgh	19

