



# DETROIT RED WINGS VS. BUFFALO SABRES

Saturday, November 2, 2024 | 7:00 P.M. | Little Caesars Arena | Broadcast: MSG



## BUFFALO SABRES

4-6-1 | 9 PTS

6th place in the Atlantic Division

Last Game: 4-3 L vs. NYI

### Top Scorers

**Tagge Thompson:** 11 GP, 7 G, 6 A, 13 PTS

**Owen Power:** 11 GP, 3 G, 6 A, 9 PTS

**Alex Tuch:** 11 GP, 3 G, 6 A, 9 PTS

### Season Series:

Oct. 26 at BUF | 5-3 W

Nov. 2 at DET | 7:00 P.M.

Dec. 9 at BUF | 7:00 P.M.

March 12 at DET | 7:30 P.M.

## DETROIT RED WINGS

4-5-1 | 9 PTS

5th place in the Atlantic Division

Last Game: 6-2 L vs. WPG

### Top Scorers

**Lucas Raymond:** 10 GP, 1 G, 9 A, 10 PTS

**Alex DeBrincat:** 10 GP, 5 G, 3 A, 8 PTS

**Patrick Kane:** 10 GP, 2 G, 5 A, 7 PTS

### THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

Buffalo has notched at least one power-play goal in eight of its last nine games against Detroit, including one in each of its last three against the Red Wings.

In each of their last six wins against the Red Wings, the Sabres have recorded five or more goals.

**Tagge Thompson** is riding a career best eight-game point streak (6+6) and a point in today's game would extend the streak to nine games.

A point tonight would give **Thompson** the longest point streak by a Sabres skater since Jeff Skinner notched a 10-game point streak (8+9) from Nov. 28 to Dec. 31, 2022.

An assist in tonight's game would give **Thompson** a seven-game assist streak, the longest assist streak of his career.

**Owen Power** is riding a six-game point streak and he has posted eight points (2+6) in that span.

**Power's** current point streak is the longest of his career and a point in tonight's game would make him the seventh Sabres defenseman, and the third since 1991 (**Rasmus Dahlin**, Uwe Krupp) to record a point streak of seven or more games.

In his last eight games, **Jason Zucker** has posted nine points (3+6), including at least one in each of his last three games (3+2).

He has registered one goal in three consecutive games and goal tonight would give **Zucker** his 200th career goal and his longest goal streak since he notched at least one goal in four consecutive games from March 7 to 12, 2023 (5+0) with Pittsburgh.

**Dahlin** has recorded six points (1+5) in his last six games, including at least one in each of his last three games.

**Dahlin** is one assist away from tying Doug Bodger for the fourth-most assists by a defenseman in franchise history (233) and is one point away from reaching 300 points in his career.

**JJ Peterka** has registered seven points (4+3) in his last seven games.

**Sam Lafferty** is expected to play in his 300th NHL game tonight.

### BUFFALO INJURY REPORT

**Zach Benson** (lower body, IR)

### ON THIS DATE

The Sabres are 11-9-3 all-time on November 2.

November 2, 1984: Brent Peterson (1+3), Gilbert Perreault (1+2), Ric Seiling (1+2) and Phil Housley (0+3) all post three or more points in Buffalo's 8-1 over Hartford.

November 2, 1996: Dominik Hasek makes 32 saves and Patrick Roy stops all 20 Buffalo shots as the Sabres and Avalanche duel to the fifth scoreless tie in Sabres history.

### CLIPPING THE WINGS

**Tagge Thompson** is riding a six-game point streak (5+5) against Detroit and he has registered 18 points (8+10) in his last 10 games against the Red Wings.

**Jason Zucker** has tallied at least one point in 10 of his last 11 games against the Red Wings and he has posted 12 points (7+5) in that span.

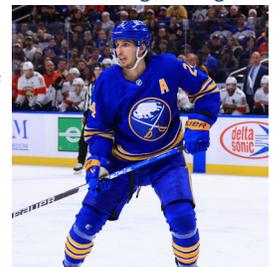
**Alex Tuch** has registered one assist in each of his last three road games against Detroit.

In his last nine games against Detroit, **Dylan Cozens** has notched 10 points (5+5).

**Rasmus Dahlin** has tallied 20 points (4+16) in 20 career games against the Red Wings.

### HEAD-TO-HEAD

Buffalo Sabres		Detroit Red Wings
4-6-1	Record	4-5-1
3-4-0	Home Record	2-3-1
1-2-1	Road Record	2-2-0
4-5-1	Last 10 Games	4-5-1
3.18 (17th)	Goals For Per Game	2.70 (24th)
3.64 (26th)	Goals Against Per Game	3.40 (23rd)
9.1% (31st)	Power Play	23.3% (10th)
74.3% (22nd)	Penalty Kill	65.6% (30th)
47.2% (27th)	Team FO%	49.8% (15th)
52.8% (8th)	Team SAT% (5-on-5)	44.1% (30th)



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