



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS VS. BUFFALO SABRES

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 | 7:00 P.M. | Scotiabank Arena | Broadcast: TNT



BUFFALO SABRES

29-29-4 | 62 PTS
6th place in the Atlantic Division
Last Game: 5-2 L vs. WPG

Top Scorers

Casey Mittelstadt: 62 GP, 14 G, 33 A, 47 PTS
Rasmus Dahlin: 61 GP, 15 G, 31 A, 46 PTS
Jeff Skinner: 54 GP, 20 G, 20 A, 40 PTS

Season Series:

Nov. 4 at TOR | 6-4 W
Dec. 21 at BUF | 9-3 W
March 6 at TOR | 7:00 P.M.
March 30 at BUF | 7:00 P.M.

TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS

35-18-8 | 78 PTS
3rd place in the Atlantic Division
Last Game: 4-1 L vs. BOS

Top Scorers

William Nylander: 61 GP, 33 G, 50 A, 83 PTS
Auston Matthews: 60 GP, 53 G, 26 A, 79 PTS
Mitchell Marner: 60 GP, 24 G, 50 A, 74 PTS

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

The Sabres have earned wins in each of their last three games against the Maple Leafs, outscoring Toronto 19-10 in those games.

Buffalo scored at least four goals in each of those three games.

A win in tonight's game would give the Sabres their first four-game winning streak against the Maple Leafs since they earned wins in 10 straight games against Toronto from Jan. 1, 2009 to Jan. 8, 2010.

In Buffalo's last 20 games, **Ukko-Pekka Luukkonen** has made 18 starts and has recorded 453 saves on 487 shots (.930) in that span.

Eric Robinson has registered at least one point in back-to-back games (1+2).

A point in tonight's game would give **Robinson** the fourth point streak of three or more games of his career, and his first with Buffalo.



In his last five games, **Owen Power** has notched five points (2+3).

Jeff Skinner has recorded five points (2+3) in his last five games, including at least one point in each of his last two games.

Casey Mittelstadt has totaled three points (1+2) in his last three games.

Zemgus Girgensons (1+1) and **Kyle Okposo** (1+1) have each tallied one point in each of their last two games.

BACK-TO-BACK

Tonight's game opens Buffalo's 10th of 12 back-to-back sets in 2023-24, which concludes with a matchup against the Nashville Predators tomorrow night.

The Sabres are 5-4-0 in the first game of back-to-back sets and 3-6-0 in the second game so far this season.

Buffalo's point breakdown in back-to-back sets this season is: four points (0), three points (0), two points (8), one point (0) and zero points (1).

BUFFALO INJURY REPORT

Jack Quinn (lower body, IR); **Mattias Samuelsson** (upper body, IR)

ON THIS DATE

The Sabres are 15-8-5 all-time on March 6.

March 6, 1988: Phil Housley records his 400th point as a member of the Sabres.

March 6, 1994: The Sabres earn the 900th win in franchise history, as Dominik Hasek stops 43 shots in Detroit on the night Terry Sawchuk's number is raised to the rafters.

LEAF-ING NO DOUBT

Alex Tuch has registered 13 points (6+7) in his last six games against Toronto, including at least two points in each of his last four, and five of his last six, against the Maple Leafs.

In his last 14 games against Toronto, **Rasmus Dahlin** has recorded 14 points (4+10), including one point in each of his last two games against the Maple Leafs.

Jeff Skinner has notched 12 points (8+4) in his last nine games against Toronto, including at least one point in each of his last four games against Toronto.

Tage Thompson is riding a four-game point streak against the Maple Leafs and he has tallied six points (2+4) in that span.

JJ Peterka has tallied five points (1+4) in his last three games against Toronto, including at least one point in each of those games.

HEAD-TO-HEAD

Buffalo Sabres	Toronto Maple Leafs
29-29-4	Record 35-18-8
14-17-1	Home Record 17-12-2
15-12-3	Road Record 18-6-6
6-4-0	Last 10 Games 8-2-0
2.94 (24th)	Goals For Per Game 3.61 (2nd)
3.00 (13th)	Goals Against Per Game 3.16 (20th)
17.0% (26th)	Power Play 27.8% (2nd)
78.8% (20th)	Penalty Kill 77.7% (21st)
46.3% (30th)	Team FO% 54.0% (4th)
51.2% (11th)	Team SAT% (5-on-5) 50.4% (16th)



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