



POSTGAME NOTES

OCTOBER 7, 2025 vs. COLORADO



0-1-0 (Pacific: 8th | Western: 16th)

RECORD

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

1/4 – 25.0%

POWERPLAY

1/6 – 16.7%

5/6 – 83.3%

PENALTY KILL

3/4 – 75.0%

25

SHOTS ON GOAL

23

33/60 – 55.0%

FACEOFFS WON

27/60 – 45.0%

FINAL SCORE

AVALANCHE	0	3	1	4
KINGS	0	0	1	1

KINGS NOTES

- Forward **Kevin Fiala** (1-0=1) netted his first goal of the season with his 59th career power play goal, tying **Timo Meier** (59 PPG) for the second most man-up markers by a player of Swiss nationality in NHL history. Fiala also becomes the 25th player in Kings history to score 20 power play goals on home ice.
- The St. Gallen, Switzerland native's goal also marks his 25th career point (13-12=25) against the Avalanche in 34 games played and is his second consecutive season opener tallying a point for the Kings (0-1=1, Oct. 10, 2024 at BUF).
- Captain **Anze Kopitar** (0-1=1) recorded his first assist of the season, extending his point streak in season-opening contests to an eighth game (8-9=17), dating back to Oct. 5, 2018, breaking a tie with Winnipeg's **Kyle Connor** (7GP, 7-3=10) for sole possession of the second-longest such streak among active skaters, behind only Nashville's **Filip Forsberg** (9GP, 5-8=13). Kopitar has four points (1-3=4) over his last four games against the Avalanche, dating back to Nov. 13, 2024.
- Kopitar took the ice for his 20th National Hockey League season, all as a member of the LA Kings. Kopitar joins **Patrik Elias** (20, NJD), **Evgeni Malkin** (20, PIT), **Alex Ovechkin** (20, WSH) and **Stan Mikita** (22, CHI) as the only skaters born outside of North America to skate in 20 seasons all with one franchise in NHL history.
- Forward **Adrian Kempe** (0-1=1) recorded his first assist of the season on Fiala's power play tally. The helper extends the 29-year-old winger's home point streak against the Avalanche to a third game (0-4=4), dating back to Dec. 3, 2023.
- Kempe has now found the scoresheet in four of his last five season-opening contests (1-3=4), dating back to Oct. 14, 2021 vs. Vegas.
- Defenseman **Drew Doughty** skated in his 607th career home game tonight, tying **Brian Leetch** for the 37th most home games be a defenseman in NHL history.
- Doughty becomes the seventh blueliner in League history to skate in at least 18 seasons for a single franchise, joining **Marc-Edouard Vlasic** (19, SJS), **Dit Clapper** (20, BOS), **Ken Daneyko** (20, NJD), **Kris Letang** (20, PIT), **Nicklas Lidstrom** (20, DET), and **Ray Bourque** (21, BOS).

POSTGAME AUDIO

- LAK: Head Coach Jim Hiller, Drew Doughty, and Adrian Kempe.
- COL: Head Coach Jared Bednar, Gabriel Landeskog, Cale Makar, Martin Necas, and Scott Wedgewood.
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KINGS PRACTICE SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

The LA Kings will fly to Las Vegas, NV, for the second half of the first of their 16 sets of back-to-back games this season. The team will take the ice tomorrow, Oct. 8, against the Vegas Golden Knights at 7:00 p.m. PST at T-Mobile Arena. The Kings will not hold a morning skate ahead of that game. Head Coach Jim Hiller will hold a pre-game availability at 5:45 p.m. PST ahead of that matchup. For further details and player requests, please contact Justin Cummings (jcumming@lakings.com).



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