

NEW JERSEY DEVILS AT

BUFFALO SABRES

Friday, March 29, 2024 | 7:00 P.M. | KeyBank Center



BUFFALO SABRES

35-34-5 | 75 PTS

Season Series

2023-24 | 1-2-0

2023-24Home | **18-18-1**

Last 10 Games | 6-4-0

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Devils	2	0	0			2
Sabres	0	2	3			5

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36-34-4 76 PTS

Season Series 2023-24 | **2-1-0**

2023-24

Road | 19-16-2

Last 10 Games | **5-5-0**

TODAY'S GOALTENDERS

uevan Levi				
		Y	9	
		3		
		1		

Updated Season Stats				
10-8-2	RECORD	10-15-3		
.899	SV%	.900		
3.10	GAA	3.38		

Today's Stats				
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30	SA	34		
2	GA	3		



Jake Allen

TOP NOTES

With his four goals, **Tage Thompson** has now recorded 14 points (8+6) in his last 10 games. In his last seven games against the Devils, **Thompson** has tallied 10 points (8+2). **Thompson's** first goal marked his fifth unassisted goal of the season.

Thompson is now just the fourth Sabres skater to record multiple games of four or more goals in their tenure with Buffalo. Dave Andreychuk (three times), Rick Martin (four times) and Alexander Mogilny (twice) are the only other Sabres skaters who have done so.

Thompson's second goal of the game marked his fourth multi-goal performance of the season, and his first since Jan. 11 vs. Ottawa (2+0). It was the 19th multi-goal game of his career.

Thompson's third goal marked the sixth time he has scored three or more goals in a single game in his career. It was the first natural hat trick recorded by a Sabres skater since **Thompson** registered five goals on Dec. 7, 2022 at Columbus.

Alex Tuch notched the lone assist on **Thompson's** second goal and became the first Sabres skater since Miroslav Satan from Jan. 6, 2000 to Feb. 17, 2001 (six games), to record an assist streak of five or more games against the Devils.

In his last nine games, **Tuch** has tallied 11 points (2+9) and he is now riding a seven-game point streak (1+9). His assist marked the second time he has registered a point streak of seven or more games as a member of the Sabres (seven games; Jan. 16 to 26, 2023; 3+6).

Including tonight, **Tuch** has tallied nine points (2+7) in his last five games against New Jersey and his assist in tonight's game extended his point streak against the Devils to five games.

JJ Peterka's (22 years, 75 days) goal gave him a goal in four consecutive games and it made him the youngest Sabres skater since Donald Audette (22 years, 58 days) from Nov. 8 to 20, 1991 (five games) to record a goal streak of four or more games. **Peterka** is the first Sabres skater to record a fourgame goal streak this season and he has posted six points (5+1) in his last six games.

Devon Levi made 28 saves on 30 shots (.933) in tonight's game, which marked his fourth consecutive game with a save percentage of .925 or better.

STAT CORNER

Buffalo Sabres		New Jersey Devils
0-for-0 (0.0%)	Power Play	0-for-3 (0.0%)
3-for-3 (100.0%)	Penalty Kill	0-for-0 (0.0%)
18-for-53 (34.0%)	Faceoffs	35-for-53 (66.0%)
36	Shots on Goal	30
61	Shot Attempts	63
57	Shot Attempts (5-on-5)	57
Power (28:51)	TOLL eader	I Hughes (25:31)

THREE STARS

Tage Thompson - Buffalo Sabres 4 G, +3, 16:07 TOI

2nd Devon Levi - Buffalo Sabres 28 SV. W

3rd Alex Tuch - Buffalo Sabres

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UP NEXT

Saturday, March 30

Don Granato media availability, 5:30 p.m., KeyBank Center Buffalo Sabres vs. Toronto Maple Leafs, 7 p.m., KeyBank Center

Sunday, March 31

No practice scheduled

Monday, April 1

Practice with media availability to follow, 11 a.m., KeyBank Center

All practice and morning skate times are subject to change. Please visit the Sabres media calendar for more information.



