

BUFFALO SABRES

15-14-4 | 34 PTS

Season Series

2025-26 | 1-1-0

2025-26

Home | 10-5-2

Last 10 Games | 6-4-0

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	SO	Final
Flyers	1	1	1	—	—	3
Sabres	1	2	2	—	—	5

PHILADELPHIA FLYERS

17-10-6 | 40 PTS

Season Series

2025-26 | 1-1-0

2025-26

Road | 7-5-2

Last 10 Games | 4-3-3

TODAY'S GOALTENDERS

Alex Lyon



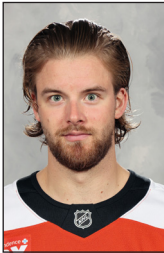
Updated Season Stats

7-6-3	RECORD	5-4-3
.904	SV%	.869
2.99	GAA	3.05

Today's Stats

W	DECISION	L
27	SA	27
3	GA	4

Samuel Ersson



TOP NOTES

With tonight's win, Lindy Ruff earned his 915th victory as a head coach and moved into sole possession of fourth place on the NHL's all-time list for wins by a head coach.

With his assist on **Tage Thompson's** goal, **Rasmus Dahlin** became just the ninth Sabres skater all-time, and the second defenseman, in franchise history to reach 300 assists with Buffalo. **Dahlin's** assist gave him 10 points (2+8) in his last eight games.

Per NHL Stats, **Dahlin** (539 games played) became the third-fastest Swedish defenseman to reach 300 assists in their career. Only Borje Salming (469 games played) and Erik Karlsson (502 games played) reached that mark faster.

As a result of his goal tonight, **Jack Quinn** has posted 10 points (6+4) in his last seven games against the Flyers, including at least one point in four consecutive games against Philadelphia.

Mattias Samuelsson's two assists marked his 13th and 14th points of the season (5+9), the second-most points among all Sabres defensemen in 2025-26. His nine assists rank second to only **Dahlin** (23) among Sabres defensemen this season.

With his goal, **Thompson** matched the second-longest goal streak of his career (five games). He has recorded three goal streaks of five or more games in his career, and two this season (Nov. 13 to 23, 2025; six games). **Thompson** has recorded nine points (5+4) in his last eight games.

Noah Ostlund's goal marked the first time he has registered a goal in back-to-back games in his career.

Alex Tuch notched an assist on **Ostlund's** goal and he has posted 13 points (4+9) in his last 12 games, including at least one point in each of his last four contests (2+3). His assist gave him his longest point streak of 2025-26.

With his assist, **Tuch** extended his point streak against Philadelphia to six games. He is now the fourth Sabres forward since 1993 to register a point streak of six or more games against Philadelphia (Ryan O'Reilly, JJ Peterka, Miroslav Satan).

Josh Norris is now riding a six-game personal point streak and he has collected nine points (3+6) in that span. **Norris** has recorded six points (4+2) in his last six games against the Flyers, including at least one point in three straight games against Philadelphia.

STAT CORNER

Buffalo Sabres

Philadelphia Flyers

1-for-5 (20.0%).....	Power Play.....	0-for-3 (0.0%)
3-for-3 (100.0%).....	Penalty Kill.....	4-for-5 (80.0%)
26-for-56 (46.4%).....	Faceoffs.....	30-for-56 (53.6%)
28.....	Shots on Goal.....	27
54.....	Shot Attempts.....	57
38.....	Shot Attempts (5-on-5).....	44
Dahlin (23:20).....	TOI Leader.....	Sanheim (23:12)

THREE STARS

1st

Zach Benson - Buffalo Sabres
2 A, +1, 17:11 TOI

2nd

Tage Thompson - Buffalo Sabres
1 G, 20:19 TOI

3rd

Alex Lyon - Buffalo Sabres
24 SV, W



UP NEXT

Friday, Dec. 19

Practice with media availability to follow, 12 p.m., KeyBank Center

Saturday, Dec. 20

Lindy Ruff media availability, 3 p.m., KeyBank Center
Buffalo Sabres vs. New York Islanders, 5 p.m., KeyBank Center

Sunday, Dec. 21

Lindy Ruff media availability, 5 p.m., Prudential Center
Buffalo Sabres at New Jersey Devils, 7 p.m., Prudential Center

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

