



POSTGAME NOTES

DECEMBER 29, 2024 vs. PHILADELPHIA



21-10-5 (Pacific: 2nd | Western: 4th)

RECORD

16-17-4 (Metropolitan: 5th | Eastern: 10th)

1/1 – 100.0%

POWERPLAY

0/1 – 0.0%

1/1 – 100.0%

PENALTY KILL

0/1 – 0.0%

20

SHOTS ON GOAL

21

25/50 – 50%

FACEOFFS WON

25/50 – 50%

FINAL SCORE

FLYERS	2	2	0	4
KINGS	2	1	2	5

KINGS NOTES

- Captain **Anze Kopitar** (2-0=2) scored his 11th and 12th goals of the season, his second straight multi-goal game against the Flyers, and 50th multi-goal game of his career. With the goal, Kopitar has now scored seven goals over his last five games against Philadelphia (7-0=7), dating back to Jan. 24, 2023. Kopitar becomes the second skater in franchise history to record two-straight multi-goal games against the Flyers, joining **Viktor Arvidsson** (4-2=6; Jan. 1 - Jan. 29, 2022). The two goals marked his 24th career home multi-goal game, tying **Charlie Simmer** for the seventh-most in franchise history.
- Kopitar's two goals marked his 430th and 431st career goals, tying **Dave Taylor** for the third most in franchise history. With the second of the pair coming on the man-advantage, Kopitar also tied Taylor for the third most *power-play* goals in franchise history with his 123rd such tally in his career.
- Per NHL PR, the captain factored on a game winner for the 206th time in his career, the fifth most among active players behind **Sidney Crosby** (265), **Alex Ovechkin** (235), **Evgeni Malkin** (225) and **Patrick Kane** (207).
- Forward **Kevin Fiala** (1-0=1) fired home his 14th goal of the season, his third goal in his last two games against the Flyers. The goal also marks Fiala's seventh point (2-5=7) over his last seven home match ups against the club, dating back to Oct. 10, 2017 (with NSH).
- Forward **Adrian Kempe** (1-0=1) scored his 17th goal of the season, extending his home goal streak against the Flyers to a fifth game (5-1=6), dating back to Dec. 31, 2019. Kempe becomes the second player in franchise history to record a five-game home goal streak against the Flyers, joining **Eddie Joyal** (6-4=10), from Dec. 3, 1969 to Dec. 5, 1970.
- Forward **Warren Foegele** (1-0=1) scored his 11th goal of the season, his fourth point in his last two games (2-2=4). Foegele has now scored in back-to-back games against the Flyers, the first such streak against Philadelphia in his career. Foegele joins teammates Kevin Fiala and Anze Kopitar as one of seven players to record goals in back-to-back games against the Flyers this season: **Nils Hoglander**, **Nic Dowd**, **Jack Roslovic**, and **Brad Marchand** are the others.
- Forward **Phillip Danault** (0-1=1) picked up his 16th assist of the season for his sixth point (1-5=6) in his last seven games. The helper extends Danault's assist streak to a fourth game, marking his second such stretch this season (1-5=6 from Nov. 2 – Nov. 9, 2024).
- Defenseman **Brandt Clarke** (0-1=1) recorded his 18th assist of the season, breaking a tie with Adrian Kempe for the second most among Kings skaters. Clarke's 24 career assists mark the most by a Kings blueliner aged 21 years or younger within the first 61 games of their career since **Alexei Zhitnik** registered 26 helpers in 1992-93. Clarke's assist also marks his fourth assist in his last five contests.
- Forward **Alex Laferriere** (0-1=1) collected his 13th assist and 26th point of the season. Tonight's helper is the Chatham, N.J., native's fourth point in four career games played against the Flyers.
- Forward **Alex Turcotte** (0-1=1) tallied his 10th assist and 14th point of the campaign with his second helper against the Flyers this season.
- Forward **Quinton Byfield** (0-1=1) tallied his 11th assist of the season, marking his fourth point (2-2=4) in his last two games. Byfield is only the fourth King's skater in franchise history to record seven points in their first seven career games against Philadelphia, and the first since **Rob Blake** (3-4=7) from 1990-1993. The helper extends his point streak against the Flyers to a fifth game (1-6=7), dating back to Jan. 24, 2023.
- Defenseman **Jacob Moverare** (0-1=1) collected his first career home assist for his second assist and second point of the season.
- Goaltender **David Rittich** made 17 saves on 21 shots to secure the victory and improve his record to 11-8-0 on the season.

POSTGAME AUDIO

- LAK: Head Coach Jim Hiller, Adrian Kempe, and Anze Kopitar.
- PHI: Head Coach John Tortorella, Aleksei Kolosov, Matvei Michkov, and Nick Seeler.
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KINGS PRACTICE SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

The LA Kings will have a scheduled day off tomorrow, Dec. 30, and will next practice on Tuesday, Dec. 31 at Toyota Sports Performance Center in El Segundo, Calif. at 11:00 a.m. PST. The team returns to action on Wednesday, Jan. 1 when they host the New Jersey Devils at Crypto.com Arena at 3:00 p.m. PST. For further details and player requests, please contact Justin Cummings (jcummings@lakings.com).



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