



POSTGAME NOTES

FEBRUARY 5, 2025 vs. MONTREAL



28-17-6 (Pacific: 3rd | Western: 7th)

RANK

25-24-5 (Atlantic: 7th | Eastern: 13th)

0/2 – 0.0%

POWERPLAY

0/3 – 0.0%

3/3 – 100.0%

PENALTY KILL

2/2 – 100.0%

38

SHOTS ON GOAL

21

27/63 – 43%

FACEOFFS WON

36/63 – 57%

FINAL SCORE

CANADIENS	0	1	2	3
KINGS	1	1	4	6

KINGS NOTES

- Forward **Kevin Fiala** (2-0=2) tallied his 19th and 20th goals of the season, hitting the 20-goal threshold for the seventh consecutive season, the eighth time in his career overall. With back-to-back multi-goal performances, Fiala leads all Kings skaters with four games of two or more scores.
- Fiala's first goal stood as the game-winner, the fourth deciding tally of his campaign. Fiala is now tied with **Warren Foegele** and **Alex Laferriere** for the second most game-winning goals (GWG) on the team behind only **Anze Kopitar** (5 GWG).
- Defenseman **Vladislav Gavrikov** (1-1=2) scored his third goal of the season and picked up his 16th assist of the campaign. Gavrikov has now recorded four points (1-3=4) over his last two games against the Canadiens, dating back to Oct. 17, 2024. With the goal, Gavrikov has now scored three home-ice goals in a season for the fourth time in his career, becoming the seventh defenseman selected in the 2015 NHL Draft to record four such seasons.
- With his pair of points, Gavrikov becomes the first Kings defenseman in franchise history register multi-point efforts in back-to-back games against the Montreal Canadiens.
- Forward **Quinton Byfield** (0-3=3) registered his 15th, 16th, and 17th assists of the season, extending his point streak against the Canadiens to a third game (2-5=7), and marks his eighth point (3-5=8) in five career games against Montreal. Byfield's trio of helpers marked his second three-point game of the season.
- Forward **Warren Foegele** (1-0=1) picked up his 13th assist and scored his 13th goal of the season, beating Montreal goaltender **Jakub Dobes** for his first career penalty shot goal on his first career attempt. It is the Kings' first penalty shot goal scored since **Austin Wagner** scored against **Pavel Francouz** (Feb. 22, 2020 vs. COL). Foegele's goal is the first Kings penalty shot goal scored against the Montreal Canadiens in franchise history. His penalty shot stands as the fourth attempt by a Kings skater against a Canadiens goaltender overall in franchise history, and the second attempt by a Kings skater against the Canadiens this season, joining **Kevin Fiala** (Oct. 17, 2024 vs. **Sam Montembeault**).
- Defenseman **Brandt Clarke** (1-0=1) scored his fourth goal of the season while collecting his first career point against the Canadiens. In doing so, Clarke (4-21=25) ties **Olen Zellweger** (4-9=13) and **Luke Hughes** (4-17=21) for the fourth-most goals this season by a defenseman selected in the 2021 NHL Draft.
- With his sixth career goal, Clarke also ties Zellweger and **Ryker Evans** for the fifth-most career goals scored by a defenseman selected in 2021.
- Forward **Alex Turcotte** (0-1=1) picked up his 13th assist this season for his 20th point of the campaign (7-13=20), marking the first time in his career he has hit the 20-point mark. With the helper, Turcotte becomes the 10th different Kings skater this season to record at least 20 points. Only the Dallas Stars (11) and Carolina Hurricanes (12) have more skaters with 20 points or more this season.
- With the helper, Turcotte becomes the ninth different Kings forward to record at least 20 points this season, joining Philadelphia, Dallas and Carolina for the most forwards to score 20 points or more this season.
- Forward **Anze Kopitar** (0-1=1) notched his 32nd assist of the season, extending his assist streak against the Canadiens to a third game (0-5=5), dating back to Dec. 7, 2023. Kopitar's nine career home assists against Montreal place him in a five-way tie for the third-most in franchise history, along with **Dave Taylor**, **Bernie Nicholls**, **Mike Murphy** and **Wayne Gretzky**.
- The assist stood as his 450th career home assist, the 33rd player in NHL history to do so. The assist also marked his 824th career assist, breaking a tie with **Evgeni Malkin** for sole possession of the 30th-most in league history.
- Forward **Trevor Moore** (1-0=1) scored his eighth goal of the season for his while forward **Alex Laferriere** (0-1=1) picked up his 16th assist of the season.
- Goaltender **Darcy Kuemper** turned aside 18 of the Canadiens' 21 shots to improve his record to 16-6-6 on the season.

POSTGAME AUDIO

- LAK: Head Coach Jim Hiller, Kevin Fiala, and Warren Foegele.
- MTL: Head Coach Martin St-Louis, Alexandre Carrier, Jake Evans, Logan Mailloux, Mike Matheson
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KINGS PRACTICE SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

The LA Kings will skate tomorrow, Thursday, Feb. 6 at 11:00 a.m. PT at Toyota Sports Performance Center in El Segundo, Calif.. The team returns to action on Friday, Feb. 7 at 7:30 p.m. PT when they host the Dallas Stars at Crypto.com Arena. For further details and player requests, please contact Justin Cummings (jcummings@lakings.com).



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