



ST. LOUIS BLUES VS.

BUFFALO SABRES



Monday, December 29, 2025 | 8:00 P.M. | Enterprise Center | Broadcast: MSG

BUFFALO SABRES

19-14-4 | 42 PTS
5th place in the Atlantic Division
Last Game: 4-1 W vs. BOS

Top Scorers

Tage Thompson: 37 GP, 18 G, 16 A, 34 PTS
Alex Tuch: 36 GP, 11 G, 19 A, 30 PTS
Rasmus Dahlin: 33 GP, 4 G, 24 A, 28 PTS

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

The Sabres are riding an eight-game winning streak and a win tonight would extend it to nine games, the longest winning streak by Buffalo since the team's 10-game winning streak from Nov. 8 to 27, 2018.

The Sabres have earned five winning streaks of nine or more games in franchise history, including two since 2005-06.

Buffalo's current eight-game winning streak is the longest active streak in the NHL and it is tied for the second-longest streak by a team this season.

Buffalo has earned a win in two of its last three games against St. Louis overall and two of its last three road contests against the Blues.

Tage Thompson has recorded 13 points (6+7) in his last 12 games, including five points (2+3) in his last five games.

Josh Norris has collected 11 points (5+6) in his last 10 games and has recorded six points (1+5) in the six road games he has appeared in this season.



Mattias Samuelsson has posted six points (1+5) in his last five games, including at least one point in back-to-back contests.

Rasmus Dahlin has recorded 12 points (3+9) in his last 11 games.

Dahlin is one game away from surpassing Rasmus Ristolainen (542 games played) and gaining sole possession of ninth place on Buffalo's all-time list for games played by a defenseman.

In his last three games, **Bowen Byram** has registered five points (2+3). **Ryan McLeod** is riding a three-game point streak (1+2) and a point tonight would give him his third four-game point streak of 2025-26.

Tonight will mark **Josh Doan's** 100th NHL game.

Doan is one of 13 NHL skaters drafted in the second round or later since 2020-21 to record 50 or more points within their first 100 games played.

BUFFALO INJURY REPORT

Justin Danforth (lower body, IR); **Colten Ellis** (concussion protocol, IR); **Tyson Kozak** (upper body); **Jiri Kulich** (blood clot, IR); **Conor Timmins** (broken leg, IR); **Jason Zucker** (upper body/lower body, IR)

Season Series:

Nov. 6 at BUF | 3-0 L
Dec. 29 at STL | 8:00 P.M.

ST. LOUIS BLUES

15-16-8 | 38 PTS
5th place in the Central Division
Last Game: 3-2 W vs. NSH

Top Scorers

Robert Thomas: 35 GP, 9 G, 20 A, 29 PTS
Pavel Buchnevich: 39 GP, 7 G, 14 A, 21 PTS
Justin Faulk: 39 GP, 10 G, 10 A, 20 PTS

ON THIS DATE

The Sabres are 10-13-5 all-time on December 29.

December 29, 1983: Real Cloutier scores three times in a span of 5:21 in the second period to kick-start the Sabres' offense in an 8-5 win vs. Quebec.

December 29, 2021: **Peyton Krebs** and **Alex Tuch** both make their debuts for Buffalo. **Tuch** records his first point as a Sabre with an assist.

THE BLUES BROTHERS

In his last seven games against St. Louis, **Tage Thompson** has registered seven points (3+4).

Jason Zucker has recorded 19 points (7+12) in his last 19 games against St. Louis, including two points (1+1) in two games against the Blues as a member of the Sabres.

Josh Norris has posted four points (2+2) in four games against the Blues in his career.

Jordan Greenway has posted at least one point in two consecutive road matchups with St. Louis (1+2).

In his last five road games against the Blues, **Rasmus Dahlin** has tallied five points (1+4).

In five career games against St. Louis, **Jack Quinn** has collected five points (2+3).

HEAD-TO-HEAD

Buffalo Sabres

19-14-4	Record	15-16-8
12-5-2	Home Record	8-8-5
7-9-2	Road Record	7-8-3
8-2-0	Last 10 Games	5-4-1
3.05 (16th)	Goals For Per Game	2.51 (32nd)
3.19 (20th)	Goals Against Per Game	3.36 (27th)
19.6% (15th)	Power Play	18.6% (17th)
84.6% (3rd)	Penalty Kill	76.8% (25th)
43.8% (32nd)	Team FO%	51.2% (12th)
48.9% (19th)	Team SAT% (5-on-5)	47.9% (24th)

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