

# POSTGAME NOTES





7-3-3 (Pacific: 2nd   Western: 4th)	RECORD	4-7-1 (Central: 8th   Western: 15th )
0/4 - 0.0%	POWERPLAY	0/3 - 0.0%
3/3 – 100.0%	PENALTY KILL	4/4 – 100.0%
27	SHOTS ON GOAL	16
30/55 – 55%	FACEOFFS WON	25/55 – 45%

#### FINAL SCORE

<b>PREDATORS</b>	0	0	0	0
KINGS	1	0	2	3

#### KINGS NOTES

- Forward **Anze Kopitar** (1-0=1) scored his fifth goal of the season in the first period, extending his point streak to a season-long third game (2-3=5). The captain's tally marked his 70th career game-opening goal, which surpassed **Luc Robitaille** (69) and tied **Marcel Dionne** (70) for the most in franchise history.
- As the Kings secured the shutout, Kopitar's opening tally stands as tonight's game-winner, marking the 74th of his career. With the goal, Kopitar breaks a tie with Robitaille (73) for sole possession of the most game-winning goals in franchise history.
- Kopitar has recorded three of those game-clinching tallies through the first 13 games of this season, more than any other skater in the NHL.
- Forward **Kevin Fiala** (1-0=1) extended his point streak to a fourth game (2-4=6) with his sixth goal of the season.
- The Swiss winger has now notched points in each of his past four matchups against Nashville and has recorded a total of 10 points (7-4=10) against the team that drafted him (11th overall) in the 2014 NHL Draft in 15 contests.
- Forward **Phillip Danault** (0-1=1) registered his fifth assist of the season for his third point in the past two games. Danault extends his road point and assist streak in Bridgestone Arena to a third game (0-3=3) dating back to Jan. 21, 2023.
- Forward **Trevor Moore** (0-1=1) collected his fourth helper of the campaign with an assist on Fiala's tally. Moore records his second assist in as many games as well as his second in as many road games.
- Forward **Adrian Kempe** (1-1=2) registered his fifth goal and seventh assist of the season to record his team-leading fifth multi-point game this season.
- Defenseman **Brandt Clarke** (0-1=1) picked up his 11th assist of the campaign. Only Winnipeg's **Josh Morrisey** (13) and Colorado's **Cale Makar** (16) have recorded more assists among blueliners this season.
- Defenseman **Vladislav Gavrikov** (0-1=1) tallied his fourth helper of the year while forward **Trevor Lewis** (0-1=1) picked up his second assist of the season on Kempe's empty-netter.
- Goaltender **Darcy Kuemper** turned aside all 16 of the Predators' shots on goal to record the Kings' first shutout victory of the campaign.
- Per NHL PR, Kuemper extended his season-opening point streak to seven games (4-0-3), which is the fifth longest in franchise history. He trails **Rogie Vachon** (11 GP: 7-0-4 in 1974-75), **Robb Stauber** (10 GP: 9-0-1 in 1992-93), **Martin Jones** (8 GP: 8-0-0 in 2013-14) and **Jonathan Quick** (8 GP: 6-0-2 in 2011-12). Kuemper also extends his point streak against the Nashville Predators to a sixth game (4-0-2), dating back to Nov. 15, 2018 (w/ ARI).

### POSTGAME AUDIO

- LAK: Head Coach Jim Hiller, Darcy Kuemper, and Trevor Moore.
- Please allow up to 60 minutes postgame for all files to be published.

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## KINGS PRACTICE SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

The LA Kings will return to action tomorrow against the Minnesota Wild at XCel Energy Center at 7:00 p.m. CST (5:00 p.m PST). The team will not hold a morning skate before that matchup. For further details and player requests, please contact Justin Cummings (jcummings@lakings.com).





