



COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS POST-GAME NOTES



OCT. 22, 2024 || NATIONWIDE ARENA || VS. TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS

BOX SCORE	RECORDS	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	OT	FINAL
Columbus	Overall: 3-3-0, 6 pts (Home: 2-2-0, 4 pts)	3	2	1		6
Toronto	Overall: 4-3-0, 8 pts (Away: 1-2-0, 2 pts)	0	1	1		2

GAME AT A GLANCE

THREE STARS

1st – M. Olivier, CBJ (2-0-2, GWG); **2nd** – J. Danforth, CBJ (1-2-3); **3rd** – D. Tarasov, CBJ (26-of-28, W)

GOAL SCORERS

Columbus: J. van Riemsdyk (2), J. Danforth (1), M. Olivier (2), S. Monahan (3), M. Olivier (3), K. Marchenko (3)

Toronto: M. Knies (3), N. Robertson (1)

GOALTENDERS

Columbus: D. Tarasov (26 saves, W)

Toronto: D. Hildeby (32 saves, L)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Columbus PP: 0-for-4, 5 shots

Toronto PP: 0-for-3, 5 shots

BLUE JACKETS TEAM NOTES

- ★ Columbus improves to 20-19-1-0 all-time against Toronto (9-11-0 at home) following the win.
- ★ It was the fourth time in franchise history that the Blue Jackets scored six goals (tied most in all-time series) against the Maple Leafs and second time in the last two seasons (12/29/23, 6-5 OTW vs. TOR).
- ★ With six goals tonight, the Blue Jackets have scored a franchise-high 23 goals through the first six games of the season, surpassing the 22 scored in 2018-19.
- ★ The Blue Jackets scored the first goal of the game for the fourth time this season (3-1-0). The club has 12 different goal-scorers after Danforth scored his first in the opening period.
- ★ Columbus has recorded goals in 14-of-the-18 periods played this season. With three goals in the first period and two in the second, CBJ have also recorded eight multi-goal frames this campaign.
- ★ Tonight was also the third time CBJ scored in all three periods this season (Oct. 12th vs. COL and Oct. 17th vs. BUF).
- ★ CBJ tied the season high for the most goals in a game (3rd time, MR: 6-4 W on Oct. 17th vs. BUF).

BLUE JACKETS PLAYER NOTES

- ★ LW **Zach Aston-Reese** notched his first assist as a Blue Jacket and has collected points in two of the last three games (1-1-2).
- ★ D **Jake Christiansen** collected his fourth assist this season and third in the last three contests.
- ★ C **Justin Danforth** notched his first goal and points of the season 53 seconds after van Riemsdyk's goal for an early 2-0 lead. He also assisted on both of Olivier's goals for his second multi-assist and three-point game of his career (1-2-3) after posting 0-3-3 on Apr. 13, 2024 at Nashville. He has recorded points in four-straight games against the Maple Leafs (3-4-7).

- ★ LW **Mathieu Olivier** scored two goals on the night for the first multi-goal game of his NHL career and third multi-point outing of his career (MR: 0-2-2 on Apr. 16, 2024 vs. Carolina). He has collected four points in his last three games (2-2-4).
- ★ RW **Kirill Marchenko** (3-5-8, 6 GP) collected his team-leading fifth assist and third multi-point game this season with 1-1-2.
- ★ C **Sean Monahan** scored his third goal and assisted on another for his second multi-point effort of the season, giving him points in two-straight (1-2-3) and five of the last five contests (3-4-7). He has goals in back-to-back home games against the Leafs in his career.
- ★ RW **Kevin Labanc** picked up an assist in his third-straight game played (0-3-3).
- ★ D **Ivan Provorov** collected an assist on van Riemsdyk's goal, giving him his fourth assist against Toronto in his last four games dating back to last season (0-4-4).
- ★ RW **Cole Sillinger** collected an assist to give him points in three of his last four games (1-2-3).
- ★ LW **James van Riemsdyk** scored a goal for the second time in the last four contests (2-0-2).
- ★ D **Zach Werenski** notched two assists on the night for his second multi-point contest this season and four points in the last three contests (0-4-4). He now has 14 assists in 15 career GP (0-9-9 in 9 home GP), including points in seven of his last nine outings against the Leafs (0-10-10).

BLUE JACKETS POST-GAME AUDIO INTERVIEWS

[HC Dean Evason](#) | [F Justin Danforth](#) | [F Mathieu Olivier](#) | [D Zach Werenski](#)

MAPLE LEAFS POST-GAME AUDIO INTERVIEWS

[HC Craig Berube](#) | [G Dennis Hildeby](#) | [F Mitch Marner](#) | [F Auston Matthews](#) | [F John Tavares](#)

BLUE JACKETS UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Oct. 23	Off
Thursday, Oct. 24	10:30am practice in OhioHealth Ice Haus
Friday, Oct. 25	10:30am practice in OhioHealth Ice Haus
Saturday, Oct. 26	7pm (ET) at Nashville