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# COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

# POST-GAME NOTES

DECEMBER 31, 2025 || VS. NEW JERSEY DEVILS || NATIONWIDE ARENA (17,163)

	RECORD	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	SO	FINAL
	<b>Overall:</b> 17-16-6 (40 pts.) <b>Home:</b> 8-7-3 (19 pts.)	1	1	0	-	-	2
	<b>Overall:</b> 21-17-2 (44 pts.) <b>Away:</b> 11-10-0 (22 pts.)	0	0	3	-	-	3

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## GAME AT A GLANCE

### THREE STARS

1<sup>st</sup> – L. Hughes, NJD (1-1-2, GWG); 2<sup>nd</sup> – J. Allen, NJD (33 saves, W); 3<sup>rd</sup> – C. Coyle, CBJ (1-0-1)

### GOAL SCORERS

**Columbus:** M. Marchment (8), C. Coyle (6)

**New Jersey:** PPG – N. Hischier (11), A. Gritsyuk (8), L. Hughes (4)

### GOALTENDERS

**Columbus:** J. Greaves (30-of-33 saves in 58:13, L)

**New Jersey:** J. Allen (33-of-35 saves in 59:41, W)

### SPECIAL TEAMS

**Columbus PP:** 0-for-3, 3 shots

**New Jersey PP:** 1-for-1, 1 shot

## POST-GAME AUDIO INTERVIEWS

### COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

[HC Dean Evason](#) | [F Charlie Coyle](#) | [G Jet Greaves](#) | [F Mathieu Olivier](#)

### NEW JERSEY DEVILS

[HC Sheldon Keefe](#) | [G Jake Allen](#) | [F Nico Hischier](#) | [D Luke Hughes](#)

## TEAM NOTES

- ★ Columbus closed out the calendar year with a 41-33-9 record (91 points, .548) in 83 contests, posting the highest points percentage since 2020 (.617), and finished with a 22-13-5 record (49 points, .612) in 40 games played at Nationwide Arena in 2025.
- ★ The Jackets also averaged 3.08 goals per game, the second-highest average over a calendar year in club history (3.16 in 2018).
- ★ CBJ scored the first goal of the game for the 22<sup>nd</sup> time this season (13-5-4). It also marked the fourth-straight game as well as for the 12<sup>th</sup> time at Nationwide Arena (7-4-1).
- ★ The visiting team has won all three games of the season series between Columbus and New Jersey following the Devils' 3-2 victory.
- ★ The Blue Jackets played in their 23<sup>rd</sup> one-goal game of the season. The club entered the game tied with Vegas for the second-most in the NHL, trailing only Los Angeles (24).

## PLAYER NOTES

- ★ **C Charlie Coyle** (6-19-25, 39 GP) notched a goal and has points in two-straight games (1-2-3). He has totaled 3-8-11 in his past 15 contests. He has tallied 3-10-13 in 37 career outings against the Devils, including points in back-to-back games (2-2-4) and has 3-4-7 in his last six games against the club.
- ★ **LW Boone Jenner** (6-11-17, 25 GP) collected an assist for his 400<sup>th</sup> career point (205-194-400, 766 GP), becoming the fourth player in franchise history to reach the milestone (Nash, Werenski, Atkinson). He has notched points in back-to-back games (1-1-2) and in three of his past four (1-2-3).
- ★ **RW Kirill Marchenko** (14-17-31, 35 GP) assisted on Mason Marchment's first period goal to extend his points streak to four games (4-1-5). He improves his career mark against New Jersey to 3-3-6 in 11 career matchups, with points in back-to-back games (1-1-2) and 2-3-5 in his last five meetings.
- ★ **LW Mason Marchment** (8-11-19, 34 GP) scored the first goal of the game and has now collected points in each game played since making his team debut on Dec. 20 (4-2-6), becoming the first skater in franchise history to post a five-game points streak to start his CBJ career.
- ★ **D Dysin Mayo** (0-1-1, 2 GP) notched his first point in a Blue Jackets uniform with an assist on Marchment's first period goal.
- ★ **C Cole Sillinger** (4-15-19, 38 GP) collected the secondary assist on Coyle's goal and has now tallied points in three-straight games (1-3-4).

## UPCOMING WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Thursday, Jan. 1	No practice
Friday, Jan. 2	10:30am practice
<b>Saturday, Jan. 3</b>	<b>3:00pm ET vs. Buffalo (FanDuel Sports Network / 97.1 The Fan)</b>
<b>Sunday, Jan. 4</b>	<b>3:00pm ET vs. Pittsburgh (FanDuel Sports Network / 97.1 The Fan)</b>
Monday, Jan. 5	No practice