



LAK LOOKAHEAD

JANUARY 5, 2026 v. MINNESOTA



17-14-9

Pacific: 5th | Western: 8th | NHL: 24th

2.63 (29th)

2.65 (3rd)

20/124 – 16.1% (27th)

105/135 – 77.8% (22nd)

SEASON RECORD

25-10-8

Central: 3rd | Western: 3rd | NHL: 3rd

STANDINGS

3.14 (12th)

GOALS FOR PER GAME (NHL RANK)

2.60 (2nd)

GOALS AGAINST PER GAME (NHL RANK)

32/141 – 22.7% (9th)

POWER PLAY (NHL RANK)

79/103 – 76.7% (26th)

PENALTY KILL (NHL RANK)



9

POINTS AWAY
446 G · 853 A = 1,299

LA KINGS FRANCHISE SCORING RECORD
MARCEL DIONNE (1,307)

A BRANDT NEW YEAR

Defenseman **Brandt Clarke** skates into Crypto.com Arena fresh off his game-deciding shootout goal (GDG) in his first career shootout attempt on Saturday against the Wild. He is the fifth different defenseman in Kings history to score in a shootout and is just the second blueliner in team history to tally the game-decider in their first shootout attempt, joining **L'ubomir Visnovsky** on Feb. 18, 2007, in Anaheim. As part of his third-star performance on Saturday, Clarke picked up his 14th assist of the season, boosting his team leading totals in both assists and points (5-14=19) by a Kings defenseman this season. With his helper, Clarke prepares to conclude the team's two-game set against Minnesota with four points (0-4=4) over his last four games in DTLA, dating back to Dec. 23 vs. Seattle.

KING OF WILD

Captain **Anze Kopitar** picked up his 15th assist of the campaign in Saturday's win over the Wild, becoming the 20th different skater in NHL history to record 20 or more 15-assist campaigns. The set-up was Kopitar's 44th career helper against the Minnesota Wild and his 14th point (3-11=14) over his last 14 games against the team, dating back to Oct. 16, 202. The 38-year-old center enters tonight's rematch tied with **Daniel Sedin** (44 A) for the second most assists against the team in NHL history behind **Henrik Sedin** (57 A). Saturday's contest marked the captain's 70th career game against Minnesota, becoming the sixth skater in League history to play as many against the franchise. He joins **Paul Stastny** (73 GP), **Patrick Marleau** (73 GP), Daniel Sedin (82 GP), **Jarome Iginla** (84 GP) and Henrik Sedin (86 GP). Kopitar's 61 career points (17-44=61) rank fifth all-time against the Minnesota Wild.

AT A GLANCE

SEASON SERIES

10.13.2025 (SO)		3	4
GRAND CASINO ARENA		4	5

1.3.2026 (SO)		4	5
CRYPTO.COM ARENA		5	0

1.5.2026		0	0
CRYPTO.COM ARENA		0	0

ACTIVE HEAD-TO-HEAD LEADERS

HEAD-TO-HEAD		HEAD-TO-HEAD	
F - ANZE KOPITAR	70 GP, 61 PTS (17-44=61)	F - KIRILL KAPRIZOV	21 GP, 19 PTS (11-8=19)
D - DREW DOUGHTY	58 GP, 39 PTS (7-32=39)	D - JARED SPURGEON	44 GP, 16 PTS (5-11=16)
F - ADRIAN KEMPE	31 GP, 22 PTS (10-12=22)	F - JOEL ERIKSSON EK	26 GP, 15 PTS (11-4=15)

PACIFIC DIVISION STANDINGS

TEAM	POINTS	W-L-OTL
	46	20-16-6
	45	17-11-11
	45	21-17-3
	43	18-14-7
	43	17-14-9
	43	20-18-3
	40	18-19-4
	37	16-20-5

7:30 PM PST
LOS ANGELES, CA



TEAM LEADERS

POINTS
A. KEMPE 33
GOALS
K. FIALA +1 14
ASSISTS
A. KEMPE 19
PLUS/MINUS RATING
A. KOPITAR +12
SAVE PERCENTAGE
D. KUEMPER .911