



PHILADELPHIA FLYERS 2023-24 MEDIA REGULATIONS

ACCESS: The Philadelphia Flyers organization and Hockey Communications department strive to make its players, coaches, management, and other personnel available in a timely and responsible fashion to all accredited members of the media.

PHILADELPHIAFLYERS.COM/PRESSBOX: The Philadelphia Flyers media website philadelphiaflyers.com/pressbox provides media access to the latest team news including press releases, game notes, multimedia and game day statistics, along with publications and other media information.

WELLS FARGO CENTER WI-FI INFORMATION

Wireless access is available throughout Wells Fargo Center by connecting to **xfinitywifi** network.

Ethernet cords are also available to media in the press box.

FLYERS TRAINING CENTER WI-FI INFORMATION

Wireless access is available throughout the Flyers Training Center by connecting to **CS Guest** network.

Please enter **w3Lcom3!** for the password when instructed.

SINGLE-GAME CREDENTIALS: Single-game credentials must be submitted via the link at philadelphiaflyers.com/pressbox by clicking the “Request Credentials” tab at least **24 hours prior to each game time**. Please email **Allie Samuelsson** for any credential requests and/or questions. Media credentials are not transferable and may be revoked for noncompliance or for violation of the NHL Media Access Policy.

ACCREDITATION: Once approved for full season and/or single-game credentials, media are **only** allowed to cover the Philadelphia Flyers for their approved affiliation. Submitting work gathered from access to games, practices, community events, etc. to any other outlet from which has not been approved or previously agreed upon by the Flyers Hockey Communications department may result in a revoked credential.

MEDIA ENTRANCE: Once approved, single-game credentials may be picked up beginning **three hours before game time** at the media entrance located at the Northeast 11th Street Security Entrance (corner that faces Xfinity Live & Lincoln Financial Field). Due to limited press box seating, approved credential requests will be seated on an as-available basis. Those persons holding full-season Flyers or NHL Team Management credentials **MUST** enter through the Northeast 11th Street Security Entrance.

GENE HART PRESS BOX: The Gene Hart Press Box is located on the East side of the Balcony Level of Wells Fargo Center. The media elevators to the press box are located off to the right after entering through the media entrance. A map of the Gene Hart Press Box seating arrangements will be on display in the lower press dining room and outside of the elevators on the Press Box level. All seats will be marked by a number that can be found on the seating chart with the media member’s name and/or outlet on it. Credentials must be displayed at all times. There will be **NO PAPER** game notes or stats sheets provided. Please visit philadelphiaflyers.com/pressbox for updated game day materials. Line sheets will be provided.

***PRACTICE AT FLYERS TRAINING CENTER ACCESS:** Select Flyers players will be available in-person to accredited media members upon completion of practice in the Flyers locker room located on the east side of the first floor. Head Coach **John Tortorella** will be available in-person either prior to or upon completion of practice in the press conference room located on the north side of the second floor. Please contact **Joe Siville** or **Megan Kogut** if you have specific interview requests or questions. **CELL PHONES ARE FOR AUDIO ONLY INSIDE THE FLYERS LOCKER ROOM – NO VIDEO OR STILL PHOTOGRAPHY ALLOWED.**

DAY-OF-GAME INTERVIEWS: After completion of morning skate at the Flyers Training Center in Voorhees, N.J., which typically begins at approximately 10:30 a.m. (for a 7 p.m. start), is the best time to interview players and coaches on a game day. The Flyers typically make Head Coach **John Tortorella** available to media first in the press conference room followed by players in the Flyers locker room. Interviews that need advance preparation or special accommodation by a Flyers player or staff member, such as live television and radio interviews should be made by contacting the Flyers Hockey Communications department no later than 9 a.m. on the day of the game.

POST-GAME INTERVIEWS: Approximately five minutes following the conclusion of each NHL game, the Flyers will make a representative number of players available in the Flyers locker room at Wells Fargo Center and Head Coach **John Tortorella** will be available in the press conference room near the Zamboni ice tunnel at Wells Fargo Center. Typically, Head Coach **John Tortorella** will

speak following player availability for home and road games. **CELL PHONES ARE FOR AUDIO ONLY INSIDE THE FLYERS LOCKER ROOM – NO VIDEO OR STILL PHOTOGRAPHY ALLOWED.**

PHOTOGRAPHERS: Only photographers on assignment will be allowed access to designated photography locations at rink level and concourse positions. Wells Fargo Center spaces are accessible to local dailies and wire service photographers. Two photography positions are reserved for Flyers team photographers. Additional photography positions are determined on a first-come, first-served basis and positions will be assigned by team photographer, Len Redkoles. In all cases, photographers should check in with Len Redkoles before the start of warm-ups. It is not possible to accommodate freelance photographers.

PRESS DINING ROOM: Media possessing season credentials or those granted single-game credentials are invited to have a meal before each game in the press dining room, located on the event level. The Philadelphia Flyers charge media \$15 to eat in the press dining room. The room opens three hours before game time and closes at puck drop. Dining room usage is limited to those presenting valid Flyers credentials or NHL Team Management passes. It is impossible to accommodate family members, friends, guests, or others. Any abuse of dining room privileges may cause forfeiture of a media pass. Refreshments are also available in the press box during the game.

TELEVISION COVERAGE: All television stations are prohibited by the National Hockey League from shooting and distributing game footage of any contest that is being broadcast from Wells Fargo Center by the Philadelphia Flyers, the visiting team or network television. Requests for special features and the like should be directed to the Flyers Hockey Communications department. Television stations are prohibited from doing live shots with the Wells Fargo Center ice in the background from 90 minutes prior to puck drop until 30 minutes after the completion of a game due to the exclusive rights holder broadcast window.

MEDIA PARKING AT WELLS FARGO CENTER: Media parking is available for each home game at Wells Fargo Center. Please contact **Allie Samuelsson at least 24 hours prior to game time** to be added to the game day parking list. All media must park in H-Lot, located on the north side of the building that faces Xfinity Live.

*Practice times and locations (both home and road) are subject to change. Please reach out to a member of the Flyers' Hockey Communications staff to confirm media availability.

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*Player/executive interview requests

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*Interview requests, game notes

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*credential requests