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# COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS GAME DAY PREVIEW

Columbus Blue Jackets at Toronto Maple Leafs || Nov. 20, 2025 || Scotiabank Arena || 7:00 pm ET || Game 21 (Road 12)

## GAME DAY SCHEDULE

**11:30am ET:** Morning Skate  
**12:00pm ET:** Media Availability at Scotiabank Arena  
**7:00pm ET:** Game at Toronto  
**Post-Game:** Locker room will open approximately five minutes after the game's conclusion. Head Coach Dean Evason will be available immediately after player availability.

## BROADCAST INFO

**TV: FANDUEL SPORTS NETWORK**  
Steve Mears (play-by-play)  
Jody Shelley (analyst)  
Dave Maetzold (reporter)  
Jean-Luc Grand-Pierre (analyst)

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**Game Notes:** Game Notes available at Media.NHL.com

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE

**Nov. 21:** 12:00pm ET practice  
**Nov. 22:** 1:00pm ET at Detroit  
**Nov. 23:** 12:00pm ET practice  
**Nov. 24:** 7:00pm ET at Washington  
**Nov. 25:** No practice

## OhioHEALTH INJURY REPORT

Erik Gudbranson (Upper Body) 12  
Boone Jenner (Upper Body) 4

**TOTAL MAN GAMES LOST: 28**

## COLUMBUS

10-8-2 (22 pts)  
5-3-1 (11 pts)  
5-5-1 (11 pts)  
5th, Metropolitan  
10th, Eastern  
2.95 (21st-T) / 3.20 (22nd-T)  
17.4 (22nd) / 72.0 (28th)  
30.6 (3rd) / 31.5 (31st)  
Nov. 18 at WPG 5, CBJ 2  
Nov. 22 at Detroit

## HEAD-TO-HEAD

Record  
At Home  
On the Road  
Division Rank  
Conference Rank  
GF / GA (NHL rank)  
PP / PK (NHL rank)  
SF / SA (NHL rank)  
Last Game  
Next Game

## TORONTO

9-9-2 (20 pts)  
8-4-2 (18 pts)  
1-5-0 (2 pts)  
7th, Atlantic  
15th, Eastern  
3.50 (4th) / 3.70 (31st)  
15.1 (28th) / 78.3 (20th-T)  
27.8 (16th-T) / 31.1 (28th)  
Nov. 18 at TOR 3, STL 2 OT  
Nov. 22 at Montreal

## ALL-TIME SERIES CBJ RECORD

22-20-1-0 (12-9-1-0 at Toronto)

## THIS SEASON (CBJ, 1-0-0)

Oct. 29, 2025 - at CBJ 6, TOR 3  
Nov. 20, 2025 - at Toronto (7 pm ET)  
Nov. 26, 2025 - at Columbus (7 pm ET)

## 2024-25 RECORD (CBJ, 2-1-0)

Oct. 22, 2024 - at CBJ 6, TOR 2  
Jan. 22, 2025 - CBJ 5, at TOR 1  
Apr. 05, 2025 - at TOR 5, at CBJ 0

## MATCHUP NOTES

- ★ The Blue Jackets have won five of their last seven overall matchups against Toronto since Dec. 14, 2023 (5-2-0).
- ★ Columbus has scored five-plus goals in all five victories over the stretch, including six or more in four of them.
- ★ The Blue Jackets have gone 12-6-0 in their last 18 trips to Scotiabank Arena since Feb. 19, 2009.
- ★ Seven of the last 11 games, including five-straight, in the series have seen the winning team score five goals or more.
- ★ The Jackets have killed off all nine Leafs power play chances in the last four contests.
- ★ The winning team has won by three or more goals in four-straight meetings and five of the last six.
- ★ The teams have combined for six or more goals in 11 of the last 14 games of the series, including nine instances with seven-plus goals.
- ★ RW **Kent Johnson** has notched 3-4-7 with assists in four of his five career games played at Toronto.
- ★ D **Zach Werenski** has collected points in eight of his last 10 games vs. Toronto (1-11-12) after posting 1-1-2 in Oct. 29 meeting and has 0-5-5 in his last five games played at Scotiabank Arena.



### JACKET TO WATCH - RW Mathieu Olivier

Has 3-5-8 in six career GP against Toronto. Notched his first career 4-point effort last time out on Oct. 29 (1-3-4) and has picked up all career points in his last 5 games with 0-3-3 in his last 3 at Toronto.



### LEAF TO WATCH - C John Tavares

Has 20-23-43 with 12 multi-point efforts in 39 career GP against Columbus. Has points in five of his last six games overall vs. the club (3-3-6). Has totaled 10-12-22 in 17 career home outings.



## TEAM NOTES

- ★ The Blue Jackets recorded points in five-straight games (3-0-2) and competed in six consecutive one-goal contests prior to a 5-2 loss at Winnipeg on Tuesday.
- ★ The club began a four-game road trip on Tuesday (also Nov. 22 at Detroit, Nov. 24 at Washington) and is in a stretch of nine-of-12 games played on the road from Nov. 2-24. CBJ play 18 of their first 30 games of the campaign away on the road.
- ★ All five of the Blue Jackets' top faceoff takers (min. 75 faceoffs) have won more than 50 pct. of their draws taken (Jenner, 56.0; Monahan, 54.1; Lundestrom, 53.5; Fantilli, 52.1; Coyle, 51.6).
- ★ CBJ have converted on 3-of-10 power play chances over their last five outings since Nov. 11.
- ★ The team is in a stretch of 13-of-14 games played against the Eastern Conference from Nov. 15-Dec. 11.

## PLAYER NOTES

- ★ C **Charlie Coyle**, who has assists in three of the last four contests (1-4-5), sits one point from 500 for his NHL career (192-307-499, 970 GP).
- ★ C **Adam Fantilli** has notched goals in four of the past six games and has points in six of the last eight (4-3-7).
- ★ RW **Kirill Marchenko** had his career-high assists streak (2-7-9, 6 GP) and points streak (3-12-15, 12 GP) snapped on Tuesday. It was tied with RW Cam Atkinson (12 GP in 2018-19) for the second-longest points streak in club history and the longest in the NHL this season.
- ★ D **Zach Werenski**, who has points in four-straight outings (2-3-5) and in five of the past six (2-4-6), became the first defenseman in club history to post 400 career points (119-281-400, 587 GP) on Tuesday with a goal. He joins Rick Nash (547) and Cam Atkinson (402) as the only three skaters to reach the milestone in club history, while also becoming the eighth-fastest American-born blueliner to tally 400 points.