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FLAMES LAST GAME RECAP December 10, 2024 – CALGARY FLAMES [4] vs. NASHVILLE PREDATORS [3]

Game Summary | Event Summary

The Calgary Flames finished off a brief two-game road swing on Tuesday against the Nashville Predators. Nashville would open the scoring with Jonathan Marchessault giving the home side a 1-0 advantage. Nazem Kadri would stay hot and draw Calgary level just under three minutes later before another Predators goal would see them lead 2-1 heading into the intermission. In the second, the Flames offense would explode with goals from Kevin Rooney, Brayden Pachal, and Jonathan Huberdeau all countering a second Jonathan Marchessault tally to give Calgary a 4-3 lead through 40. The Flames would lock things down in the third and knock off the Preds 4-3.

CGY GOAL SCORERS: Kadri (9), Rooney (3), Pachal (1), Huberdeau (10)

GOALIE: Vladar 17/20 .850 Sv% **PP**: 1/2 (50%) **PK**: 2/2 (100%)

FLAMES LAST FIVE RESULTS, RECORD: 2-2-1

DATE	RESULT	GWG	CGY GOALIE	OPP. GOALIE
December 10, 2024	CGY [4] at NSH [3] W	Huberdeau	Vladar	Saros
December 7, 2024	CGY [2] at DAL [6] L	Hintz	Wolf	Oettinger
December 5, 2024	STL [4] vs. CGY [3] (OT) L	Parayko	Vladar	Binnington
December 3, 2024	CBJ [0] vs. CGY [3] W	Andersson	Vladar	Merzlikins
November 30, 2024	CGY [2] at PIT [6] L	Tomasino	Vladar	Nedeljkovic

*shootout winning goal

FLAMES UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

DATE	TIME (MST)	OPPONENT	VENUE
December 12, 2024	7:00pm	vs. Tampa Bay Lightning	Scotiabank Saddledome
December 14, 2024	8:00pm	vs. Florida Panthers	Scotiabank Saddledome
December 17, 2024	7:00pm	vs. Boston Bruins	Scotiabank Saddledome
December 19, 2024	7:00pm	vs. Ottawa Senators	Scotiabank Saddledome
December 22, 2024	2:00pm	vs. Chicago Blackhawks	Scotiabank Saddledome

TONIGHTS STORYLINES & STATS

This is the first of two meetings this season between the Flames and Lightning. Calgary swept the season-series against Tampa Bay in 2023-24.

This is a Pacific Division versus Atlantic Division matchup; the Flames have a record of 1-1-3 against Atlantic Division teams and a record of 7-4-3 against Eastern Conference opponents.

LAST SEASON VERSUS THE LIGHTNING:

The Calgary Flames welcomed the Tampa Bay Lightning to the Scotiabank Saddledome for their first meeting of 2023-24 back on December 16th, 2023. The first would see the clubs combine for 14 shots but both Dan Vladar and Andrei Vasilevskiy were solid in the opening 20 to keep the game scoreless. In the second, Calgary's offense would explode with A.J. Greer scoring just 2:30 into the middle stanza, followed by MacKenzie Weegar giving the Flames a 2-0 lead, and shortly after Yegor Sharangovich extended his goal-streak at the time to five games to make it 3-0 Flames through 40. Tampa would push back with two goals early in the third, before Connor Zary scored a huge insurance marker for the home-side, and Calgary won 4-2. In their second matchup, Yegor Sharangovich recorded four points with two goals and two helpers, Jonathan Huberdeau had a pair of assists, and Jakob Pelletier scored his first of the season to help the Flames leave Tampa with a 6-3 win.

HUBY DOO:

Jonathan Huberdeau registered a goal and an assist on Tuesday in Nashville to extend his point streak to five games, with three goals and four assists for seven points over the run dating back to November 30th. Huberdeau has now totaled a team-leading 19 points so far this season from 10 goals and nine helpers, including two game-winning goals. This is Huberdeau's second five-game point streak with the Flames and only Nazem Kadri (5) has recorded more since Huberdeau joined the club in 2022-23.

DARTH VLADAR:

Dan Vladar turned aside 17 shots to backstop the Flames to a 4-3 win over Nashville on Tuesday night to record his sixth win of the season. Vladar recorded the 41st win of his Calgary Flames tenure, and only five goalies have registered more victories through their first 85 appearances with the Flames: Miikka Kiprusoff (51), Jacob Markstrom (47), Mike Vernon (44), David Rittich (44) and Rick Wamsley (42).

WORKIN' ON A COLE MINE:

Flames forward Blake Coleman spent two years with the Tampa Bay Lightning from 2019-2021. Coleman skated in 64 regular season games for Tampa Bay scoring 14 goals and 18 assists for 32 points and was a plus-17 throughout his Lightning tenure. Coleman won back-to-back Stanley Cups with the Lightning and was a key contributor on both teams with five goals and eight assists for 13 points in 25 games during the NHL Bubble in summer 2020, and had 11 points (3G, 8A) the following playoffs in 2021. Coleman joined the Flames prior to the start of the 2021-22 season as a free agent and has skated in 270 games with Calgary, registering 136 points from 69 goals and 67 assists.

TAMPA BAY TIES TO CALGARY:

Lightning forward Brayden Point was born in Calgary and will be making his seventh trip to his hometown as a member of Tampa Bay. Point played for the Calgary Bisons and Calgary Buffaloes before moving onto the Canmore Eagles of the AJHL, followed by the Moose Jaw Warriors, a club he would captain for two seasons in the WHL.

HANLEY MAN:

Flames blueliner Joel Hanley skated in his 199th NHL game in Columbus on Nov. 29 and is just one game away from 200 in his NHL career. Hanley can become the 17th-active undrafted defenceman to reach 200 games in their NHL career. The Keswick, ON native made his NHL debut on March 20th, 2016 against Calgary as a member of the Montreal Canadiens, and has spent time with Montreal, Arizona, Dallas, and Calagry through his 199-previous NHL games.

HEY DID YOU KNOW?

On Tuesday in Nashville, the Flames scored three game-tying goals in a game for the first time since April 14, 2024 (vs. ARI).

Jakob Pelletier played his first NHL game against the Tampa Bay Lightning on January 21st, 2023 at the Scotiabank Saddledome, recording one shot through 14 shifts.

Rasmus Andersson (42) needs one goal to pass Noah Hanifin and Dougie Hamilton for sole possession of ninth most by a Flames defenseman.

CALGARY FLAMES vs. TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING

CGY vs. TBL	ALL-TIME	HOME	AWAY	L10	STRK
E D	20-19-1-5	11-8-0-3	9-11-1-2	4-5-1	W3

GAME INFO:

Calgary Flames vs. Tampa Bay Lightning 7:00pm MT Scotiabank Saddledome TV: Sportsnet One Radio: Sportsnet Fan 960

2024-25 Season Series: 0-0-0 (Home: 0-0-0, Road 0-0-0) Dec. 15, 2024 – TBL vs. CGY Feb. 27, 2025 – CGY at TBL

2023-24 Season Record vs. TBL: 2-0-0 (Home: 1-0-0, Road: 1-0-0)

Last Home Win vs. TBL: December 16, 2023 – Tampa Bay [2] vs. Calgary [4] Last Road Win @ TBL: March 7, 2024 – Calgary [6] at Tampa Bay [3] Last Home Loss vs. TBL: December 20, 2018 – Tampa Bay [5] vs. Calgary [4] (SO) Last Road Loss @ TBL: November 17, 2022 – Calgary [1] at Tampa Bay [4]

2024-25 CALGARY FLAMES

FLAMES RECENT TRANSACTIONS:

Oct. 31 – recalled Matt Coronato (F) from Calgary (AHL); assigned Sam Honzek (F) to Calgary (AHL) Nov. 7 – recalled Dryden Hunt (F) from Calgary (AHL); placed Anthony Mantha (F) on IR Nov. 9 – reassigned Dryden Hunt (F) to Calgary (AHL) Nov. 11 – recalled Adam Klapka (F) from Calgary (AHL) Nov. 16 – reassigned Adam Klapka (F) to Calgary (AHL) Nov. 19 – recalled Adam Klapka (F) from Calgary (AHL) Dec. 12 – recalled Jakob Pelletier (F) and Walker Duehr (F) from Calgary (AHL); reassigned Adam Klapka (F) to Calgary (AHL), placed Justin Kirkland (F) on IR

FLAMES RECENT INJURIES (Total man games lost – 37) Yegor Sharangovich – lower-body injury (7 games 10/9/24 – 10/24/24) Kevin Rooney – upper-body injury (5 games: 10/12/24 – 10/22/24) Sam Honzek – upper-body injury (5 games: 10/19/24 –10/28/24) Anthony Mantha – lower body injury (16 games: 11/7/24 – pres.) Justin Kirkland – lower-body injury (5 games: 11/30/24 – pres.)

FLAMES CAREER MILESTONES WITHIN REACH:

Joel Hanley – 199 games played (1 away from 200 games played) MacKenzie Weegar – 498 games played (2 away from 500 games played) Tyson Barrie – 397 assists (3 away from 400 assists) Martin Pospisil – 92 games played (8 away from 100 games played) Connor Zary – 92 games played (8 away from 100 games played) Brayden Pachal – 91 games played (9 away from 100 games played) Yegor Sharangovich – 90 goals (10 away from 100 goals) Dan Vladar – 90 games played (10 away from 100 games played)

HOW THE FLAMES WERE BUILT: (* = injured)

Draft (6)	Free Agent (9)	Trade (7)	Waivers (2)
Andersson (53 rd overall, 2015)	Barrie (October 2024)	Bahl (From NJD – 2024)	Hanley (From DAL – 2024)
Backlund (24 th overall, 2007)	Bean (July 2024)	Huberdeau (From FLA – 2022)	Pachal (From VGK – 2024)
Coronato (13 th overall, 2021)	Coleman (July 2021)	Kuzmenko (From VAN – 2024)	
Pelletier (26 th overall, 2019)	Duehr (April, 2021)	Miromanov (From VGK – 2024)	
Pospisil (105 th overall, 2018)	Kadri (August 2022)	Sharangovich (From NJD – 2023)	7
Zary (24 th overall, 2020)	Lomberg (July 2024)	Vladar (From BOS – 2021)	
	Mantha* (July 2024)	Weegar (From FLA – 2022)	
	Rooney (July 2022)		
	Kirkland* (July 2024)		

RECORD BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
HOME	3-2-0	6-1-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
AWAY	2-2-1	1-4-3	1-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
TOTAL	5-4-1	7-5-3	1-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0

POINTS LEADER BY MONTH

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
Player	Andersson	Kadri	Huberdeau				
Points	4-6 – 10	4-5 – 9	2-3 – 5				

RECORD BY DAY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1-2-0	1-2-0	6-1-1	1-1-1	1-1-1	2-1-0	2-2-2

RECORD BY DAYS BETWEEN GAMES/ON...

0 Days: 1-2-0 1 Day: 7-7-4 2 Days: 4-1-0 3 Days: 1-0-1 4+ Days: 1-0-0 First of B2B: 2-1-0 Second of B2B: 1-2-0

RECORD WHEN...

	0G	1G	2G	3G	4G	5G	6G	7G
Scoring	0-1-0	0-2-2	2-5-1	5-2-1	4-0-0	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0
Allowing	3-0-0	4-0-0	1-0-2	4-1-1	0-3-1	1-4-0	0-2-0	0-0-0

PLAYER HIGHS

*active

	High (Most Recent Occurrence)	Date: Game
Goals, Game:	2 (Coronato)	11/5/24 at MTL
Assists, Game:	3 (Weegar)	11/21/24 vs. NYR
Points, Game:	4 (Huberdeau)	10/12/24 vs. PHI
Shots, Game:	7 (Sharangovich)	11/25/24 at OTT
TOI, Game:	28:05 (Andersson)	11/25/24 at OTT
Best +/-, Game:	+4 (Andersson)	10/13/24 at EDM
Saves, Game:	39 (Vladar)	10/24/24 vs. CAR
Goal Streak	3 Games (Sharangovich)	11/25/24 – 11/25/24
Assists Streak	3 Games (Huberdeau)	11/30/24 – 12/5/24
Point Streak	5 Games (Huberdeau 3-3 – 6)	11/30/24 – pres.

	LAST TIME (2024-25)	PREVIOUS
Regulation win, home	11/21/24 vs. NYR	11/15/24 vs. NSH
Regulation win, away	12/10/24 at NSH	10/13/24 at EDM
Regulation loss, home	11/3/24 vs. EDM	10/26/24 vs. WPG
Regulation loss, away	12/8/24 at DAL	11/30/24 at PIT
OT win, home		
OT win, away	11/5/24 at MTL	10/9/24 at VAN
OT loss, home	12/5/24 vs. STL	
OT loss, away	11/27/24 at DET	11/7/24 at BOS
Shootout win, home	11/21/24 vs. MIN	11/19/24 vs. NYI
Shootout win, away		
Shootout loss, home		
Shootout loss, away	11/9/24 at BUF	
Shutout, home	12/3/24 vs. CBJ	11/15/24 vs. NSH
Shutout, away		

CALGARY FLAMES ALL-TIME LEADERS (*Bolded* = Active Players) CAREER GAMES PLAYED:



1) Jarome Iginla 1996-96-2012-13 1,219



2) Mikael Backlund 2008-09 - Present 1,019



3) Mark Giordano 2005-06 – 2020-21 949



4) Robyn Regehr 1999-00 – 2010-11 826



5) Al MacInnis 1981-82 – 1993-94 803

CALGARY FLAMES JERSEY RECORD:

JERSEY		GP	W	L	OTL/SOL	Last Result
Home		8	6	1	1	12/5/24: 3-4 OTL vs. STL
Away		15	4	7	4	12/10/24: 4-3 W at NSH
Alternate	S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	6	4	2	0	11/23/24: 4-3 W vs. MIN