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# COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

## POST-GAME NOTES

JANUARY 22, 2026 || VS. DALLAS STARS || NATIONWIDE ARENA (14,372)

	RECORD	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	SO	FINAL
	<b>Overall:</b> 23-20-7 (53 pts.) <b>Home:</b> 12-8-4 (28 pts.)	1	0	0	-	-	1
	<b>Overall:</b> 28-14-9 (65 pts.) <b>Away:</b> 15-7-6 (36 pts.)	0	0	0	-	-	0

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## GAME AT A GLANCE

### THREE STARS

**1<sup>st</sup>** – C. Coyle, CBJ (1,000<sup>th</sup> NHL game); **2<sup>nd</sup>** – J. Greaves, CBJ (28 saves, Shutout Win); **3<sup>rd</sup>** – Z. Werenski, CBJ (1-0-1, GWG)

### GOAL SCORERS

**Columbus:** Z. Werenski (19)

**Dallas:**

### GOALTENDERS

**Columbus:** J. Greaves (28-of-28 saves in 60:00, W)

**Dallas:** C. DeSmith (21-of-22 saves in 56:47, L)

### SPECIAL TEAMS

**Columbus PP:** 0-for-1, 3 shots

**Dallas PP:** 0-for-2, 5 shots

## POST-GAME AUDIO INTERVIEWS

### COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

[HC Rick Bowness](#) | [F Charlie Coyle](#) | [G Jet Greaves](#) | [D Zach Werenski](#)

### DALLAS STARS

[HC Glen Gulutzan](#) | [D Thomas Harley](#) | [F Wyatt Johnston](#)

## TEAM NOTES

- ★ Columbus swept the 2025-26 season series against Dallas by a combined score of 6-1 (5-1 on Oct. 21). It was the first time the club swept the season series since the 2018-19 campaign (fifth time in franchise history with multiple games).
- ★ The Blue Jackets have won three-straight games against the Stars dating back to last season (6-4 W on Feb. 25, 2025), outscoring the club 12-5 in those three contests.
- ★ After shutting down both of Dallas' power play opportunities tonight, Columbus has gone 24-of-25 (96.0 pct.) on the penalty kill in the last 14 games of the series.
- ★ Columbus has won five of its past six games overall since Jan. 11 (5-1-0) as well as collected points in five of its last six played at Nationwide Arena (4-1-1).
- ★ The Blue Jackets' first shutout of the 2025-26 season, it also marked the third in franchise history against the Stars (MR: Oct. 22, 2016 – Bobrovsky 32 saves in 3-0 at DAL).
- ★ Tonight was the 21<sup>st</sup> 1-0 shutout victory in franchise history and the first since Jan. 30, 2024 at St. Louis (Merzlikins).
- ★ The club scored the first goal of the game for the 29<sup>th</sup> time this season and for the 14<sup>th</sup> time in the past 19 outings. The Jackets are 19-6-4 when scoring first overall and 11-4-1 when doing so at Nationwide Arena.
- ★ The Jackets scored in the opening 10 minutes of the game for the third-straight contest with Werenski's goal 8:48 into the first period. The team has scored in the first 10 minutes in six of the last eight outings.

## PLAYER NOTES

- ★ **C Charlie Coyle** (10-20-30, 50 GP) skated in his 1,000<sup>th</sup> career NHL game tonight, becoming the fifth player to wear a Blue Jackets uniform in their milestone game (Sergei Fedorov, Vinny Prospal, Scott Hartnell and Jakub Voracek). The East Weymouth, Massachusetts native has collected 199-316-515 in 14 NHL seasons with the Blue Jackets, Colorado Avalanche, Boston Bruins and Minnesota Wild since being selected in the first round, 28<sup>th</sup> overall, by San Jose in the 2010 NHL Draft.
- ★ **C Adam Fantilli** (12-18-30, 50 GP) posted a new single-game career-high in face-off wins after finishing 16-of-24 (67.0 pct.) on the draw tonight, besting the 13 wins set earlier this season on Dec. 18, 2025 vs. Minnesota.
- ★ **G Jet Greaves** (15-12-6, 34 GP) recorded the third shutout of his NHL career with a 28 save performance tonight to capture his first career win against Dallas. It was his first shutout since his 29-save outing on Apr. 15, 2025 at Philadelphia.
- ★ **C Isac Lundestrom** (1-5-6, 36 GP) tallied the secondary helper on Werenski's goal in his first game back from injury (12 games from Dec. 28-Jan. 17).
- ★ **C Sean Monahan** (7-16-23, 46 GP) skated in his 100<sup>th</sup> game in a Blue Jackets uniform tonight (26-54-80).
- ★ **D Damon Severson** (3-16-19, 49 GP) collected an assist on Werenski's goal and has now notched 2-9-11 in 21 career contests against Dallas, including assists in three-straight (0-3-3) and 1-7-8 in his past 11 contests overall.
- ★ **D Zach Werenski** (19-34-53, 46 GP) scored his team-leading 19<sup>th</sup> of the season and has picked up points in five of his past six contests (3-4-7) as well as 14 of his past 16 (10-13-23). With his 18<sup>th</sup> career game-winning goal, Werenski passed David Vyborny (17) for the fifth-most in franchise history. He improved his career mark against Dallas to 5-8-13 in 21 career games and has notched 5-6-11 in 12 career home games with 4-3-7 in his last seven in Ohio.

## UPCOMING WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Friday, Jan. 23	No practice
<b>Saturday, Jan. 24</b>	<b>7:00pm ET vs. Tampa Bay (FanDuel Sports Network / 97.1 The Fan)</b>
Sunday, Jan. 25	12:00pm ET practice
<b>Monday, Jan. 26</b>	<b>7:00pm ET vs. Los Angeles (FanDuel Sports Network / 97.1 The Fan)</b>
Tuesday, Jan. 27	No practice