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2		Tyler Heidt	~	Michael Cichy	~	Jordan Stallard	~
		Brodie Kay	~	Johnny Curran	×	Kieran Craig	~
J		Daniel Krenželok	~	Austin Farley	~	Ben Brown	×
)		Patrick Kyte	~	Aiden Wilson	~	James Spence	~
- 		Olivier LeBlanc	×	<b>Rhys Edwards</b>	~	Josh Saunders	1
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In what had been a tumultuous few weeks for the Flyers they welcomed the Belfast Giants to Kirkcaldy for the first of the league meetings between the teams this season. The visitors were the in form team having won their last six games on the back of their own injury issues starting to clear. Joe Cassetti was still a long term injury scratch with Tom McCollum also being given the night off as the healthy scratch with Jackson Whistle starting in net. The Flyers were without the injured Phélix Martineau and Olivier LeBlanc with an undisclosed number of other players icing despite not being 100% healthy. To meet league minimum game night roster requirements the club drafted in four players on two way contracts. The Kestrels Josh Saunders made his debut and he was joined by the return of James Spence. Owen Dell and Rhys Edwards also made their debuts having stepped up from the Leeds Knights and Hull Seahawks respectively. Recent signing Kieran Craig also made his first start having only arrived in Kirkcaldy 24 hours earlier.

The Giants started with the first chance on net after 40 seconds when Shane Owen did well to block a shot from Gabe Bast who had drifted into the slot to get his shot away. It was to be the start of a busy evening for the Fife netminder. The Flyers however were on the games first power play after 50 seconds when former Flyer Kyle Osterberg was called for tripping. The home side almost had the opening goal when Daniel Krenželok was parked on the edge of the crease and his tip went narrowly wide of the far post. The Flyers moved the puck around well during their man advantage but the Giants completed the kill. Owen was in action again in the 4th minute when he denied Ciaran Long on the backhand. The opening goal went the way of the visitors in the 5th minute when the puck fell nicely for Pierre-Olivier Morin who was in the slot and with Owen set for the initial shot he hit the wide open net. The Giants went on their first power play in the 6th minute when Krenželok was penalised for boarding Osterberg The Flyers did well on their first kill with Owen only called into serious action once when he made a blocker save on Mike Lee before returning to full strength. Michael Cichy forced Whistle into action in the 9th minute when the Giants keeper padded the puck away. The Flyers were back on the man advantage in the12th minute with Jordan Kawaguchi being called for tripping. Jordan Stallard almost levelled the game when he got on the end of a sweeping move but he chipped the puck just over the bar from close in. Austin Farley with a shot from the circles was then denied by Whistle and Morin almost got a shorthanded counter with a shot Owen had to look lively to keep out. The Flyers did draw level with their man advantage when Massimo Carozza was able to redirect the puck home from the slot. The Flyers threatened again in the 14th minute when Cichy forced a fine leg save from Whistle and shortly after Bo Hanson was penalised for boarding as the Flyers went back on the power play. Craig was first to threaten with a shot from the slot that Whistle did well to save with his pad and the Flyers new boy was denied again from almost the same position seconds later. Owen denied Josh Roach a short handed chance as he made a glove save just before the Giants returned to full strength. The Flyers survived an almighty scramble around their net in the 17th minute as Owen made a couple of saves and the Flyers players collapse around him to block shots as the Giants couldn't get a final touch on the puck.

## MATCH

# REPORT PERIOD 2

The Giants opened the second period on the front foot and had the Flyers pinned in their own end of the ice for long spells. In the opening minute Lee brought out a fine pad save by Owen who then snagged a shot from the blueline. Owen and Lee renewed their battle in the 23rd minute with the Fife keeper again coming out on top. In the 24th minute Owen was out at the top of his crease to swallow shot from Morin and a minute later he produced a shoulder save to deny Mark Cooper. In the 26th minute however the Giants got the go ahead goal when Lee did beat an unsighted Owen with a wrist shot from up on the blueline that went through a crowd of players. Scott Conway was called for hooking and Carozza went end to end with the puck before appearing to be tripped but no call was made as the Giants killed the latest Flyers power play. Then came a decisive two goals inside 20 seconds. The first had a real stroke of misfortune for the Flyers about it as Conway shot the puck wide of goal and it came back up off the kickplate and over the net hitting Owen and a Flyers defenceman and rolled into the net. The Giants made it 4-1 with a well-executed goal by Karl Boudrais who was sprung up the middle of the ice by a fine heads up pass by Hanson which resulted in the Flyers calling a time out. In the 31st minute Owen made a big pad save on Hanson but moments later the Giants increased their lead when they went down the left wing and Lee zipped the puck across the slot for Ben Lake to fire a one timer past Owen. Whistle had had very little to do in the period but in the 35th minute he was alert to stop a Krenželok tip on the edge of his crease making a reactionary pad save. The Flyers ended the period by creating a couple of half chances which Farley and Ryan Foss were unable to beat Whistle with.

### PERIOD 3

The third period started with the Giants content to play with their lead and the first real chance was in the 45th when Whistle survived a scramble around his net with Carozza just failing to get a decisive touch on the puck. A minute later and Cooper with a shot from below the circles was shut down by Owen. Elijiah Barriga was next to be thwarted by the Fife keeper when his snapshot from the slot was gloved by Owen. The Giants went on their second power play in the 49th minute with Stallard guilty of holding. Morin was denied by a fine pad save by Owen and then stymied Bobo Carpenter in similar fashion. Farley created a shorthanded chance with a steal but Whistle produced a poke check as the players collided and the Giants completed the kill. In the 52nd minute Owen held a Zak Galambos shot and two minutes later produced a piece of grand larceny to deny the same player who had an open goal to aim at before the Fife netminder flung himself across his net and got a piece of the puck. Play continued and the Giants claimed that the puck had crossed the line with the referee indicating that play should continue. At the next stoppage the play went to video review but the on ice call was upheld. In the 57th minute the Giants added the final goal of the night when persistence around the net by Morin enabled him to stuff the puck past Owen who had made a couple of saves in quick succession.

	<b>Flyers</b>	<u>Stats</u>			<u>Stats</u>			
Shots For	Scorer	Assist	Assist	Goal	Scorer	Assist	Assist	Shots For
For	Carozza	Cichy	Delmas	1	Morin	Barriga	Roach	For
14				2	Lee	Conway	Kawaguchi	49
Shots				3	Conway	Hanson	Piccinich	Shots
Against				4	Boudrais	Hanson	Roach	Against
49				5	Lake	Lee	Bast	14
PiMS				6	Morin	Carpenter	Barriga	PiMS
4				7				8
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# GETTING TO KNOW #50

# SHANE OWEN

Date of Birth – June 04, 1990 Age - 34 Place of Birth – Markham, Ontario Position - Netminder Catches – Left Height - 188 cm / 6'2" Weight - 86 kg / 190 lbs

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Professional Hockey Career 2010-11 – Florida Everblades (ECHL), South Carolina Stingrays (ECHL), Hershey Bears (AHL) 2011-12 – Utah Grizzlies (ECHL), Florida Everblades (ECHL), Alaska Aces (ECHL) 2012-13 – Utah Grizzlies (ECHL) 2013-14 – Missouri Mavericks (CHL) 2014-15 – Stockton Thunder (ECHL), Indy Fuel (ECHL) 2015-16 – Indy Fuel (ECHL), Elmira Jackals (ECHL) 2016-17 – Fife Flyers (EIHL) 2017-18 – BIK Karlskoga (Allsvenskan), Wichita Thunder (ECHL), Rapid City Rush (ECHL) GKS Katowice (Poland) 2018-19 – Fife Flyers 2019-20 – Belfast Giants 2020-21 – Coventry Blaze 2021 to date Fife Flyers



# #50 WE ASKED...

**1. What other sports did you play growing up?** Football, Volleyball, Golf, Basketball

2. Who has been the biggest influence on your career so far?

Goalie coaches, Frantz Jean, Ray Dyke, Mike Rosati

**3. Who is the best player you have played with?** Ryan O'Reilly

**4. Who is the best player you have played against?** Steven Stamkos

5. What is the most memorable game you have played in?

Memorial cup vs. Windsor Spitfires

**6. What is your favourite/least favourite rink to play in?** Fife Flyers packed barn, Least Manchester Storm

7. If you could make one rule change in hockey, what would it be and why? Make the nets smaller

8. Which hockey team do you cheer for/which one do you root against? Root for the Toronto Maple Leafs

9. Most admired hockey player and why? Carey Price

**10. What would be your best piece of advice for youngsters starting in hockey?** Work hard and have fun

**12. Pre-game routine?** Tape my sticks, Listen to music, juggle, stretch

**13. Pre-game meal?** Rice, Chicken, avocado, side salad

**14. Any gameday superstitions?** None

**15. Favourite other sport(s) to play?** Volleyball, Golf

**16. Favourite other sport(s) to watch?** Basketball, Golf, Tennis

**17. Favourite athlete (non hockey)?** Lebron James

**18. Favourite sports team (non hockey)?** Toronto Raptors

**19. Which do you prefer books or movies?** Movies

**20. Favourite TV show(s)?** Entourage

**21. If you could only eat one meal for the rest of your life, what would it be?** Steak, mashed potatoes, Caesar salad

**22. Favourite beverage (non alcoholic/alcoholic)?** Coffee/Beer

**23. If you could share a meal with any 4 individuals, living or dead, who would they be?** Carey Price, David Beckham, Tom Brady, Kevin Hart

**24. Favourite singer/music/band?** Ziggy Alberts, City and Colour

**25. What is your favourite vacation destination?** Muskoka

**26. What was your favourite and least favourite subject in school?** Favourite - Gym, Least favourite - Math

28. If you could join any past or current music group which would it be and in what capacity? (guitar/vocals/drummer etc) Tragically Hip, Guitar

**29. Have you ever had a nickname? What is it?** Owie, O dog, O, Suga Shane

**30. If you were a super-hero, what powers would you have?** Fly

**31. What three items would you take with you on a desert island?** Lighter, Axe, Tent

**32. How many languages do you speak?** English

**33. If not a hockey player what occupation would you have?** Fire fighter

# DOING THE NUMBERS Flyers Stats 2024/25

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	Pos	GP	Tot G		Tot Pts				PiMs	S	<b>S</b> %	GAA	SO	PS S	TOI	GC
Shane Owen	G	27	0	2	2	0	0	0	8	1114	0.89	4.53	0	0	1604	121
Brython Preece	G	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Caiden MacColl	G	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jānis Voris	G	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	226	0.88	5.14	0	0	315	27
Cameron Kenny	G	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Players	Pos	GP	Tot G	Tot A	Tot Pts	PP G	PP A	PP Pts	SH G	SH A	SH Pts	EvG	Ev A	Ev Pts	PiMS	SOG
Noah Delmas	D	32	1	10	11	1	5	6			0		5	5	10	30
Madi Dikhanbek	D	27	0	2	2			0			0		2	2	12	42
Tyler Heidt	D	31	3	8	11	1	2	3			0	2	6	8	26	57
Brodie Kay	D	28	0	0	0	-		0			0	-		0	2	18
Daniel Krenželok	D	31	3	5	8	1	3	4			0	2	2	4	38	111
Patrick Kyte	D	29	0	4	4	-	1	1			0	-	3	3	39	38
Olivier LeBlanc	D	25	0	8	8		1	1			0		7	7	14	22
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Fynn Page	D			0	-						0					0
Josh Saunders	D	1	0	0	0			0			0			0	0	1
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Lucas Chiodo	F	31	11	23	34	4	7	11			0	7	16	23	8	85
Michael Cichy	F	31	14	12	26	5	3	8			0	9	9	18	8	64
Johnny Curran	F	7	2	6	8		3	3			0	2	3	5	4	22
Austin Farley	F	17	3	6	9	1		1			0	2	6	8	8	38
Artur Gatiyatov	F	12	0	1	1			0			0		1	1	0	18
Martin Látal	F	11	0	1	1			0			0		1	1	4	33
Phélix Martineau	F	31	17	15	32	5	6	11			0	12	9	21	20	122
Maxim Musorov	F	22	5	4	9		1	1			0	5	3	8	6	46
Drake Pilon	F	29	3	7	10		2	2			0	3	5	8	51	51
Nikolai Shulga	F	22	2	6	8	1	2	3			0	1	4	5	2	22
James Spence	F	11	1	0	1			0			0	1		1	0	6
Ryan Foss	F	20	4	5	9	1	4	5			0	3	1	4	35	34
Aiden Wilson	F	8	0	0	0			0			0			0	4	2
Massimo Carozza	F	11	2	2	4	1	1	2			0	1	1	2	0	22
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Against Average, **SO** - Shut Outs, **PSS** - Penalty Shots Saved , **TOI** - Time on Ice, **GC** - Goals Conceded

Penalty Shots Scored	Shorthanded Goals Scored	Game Winning Goals	Empty Net Goals For	Empty Net Goals Against
		1 - Musorov		
		Krenželok		
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		Chiodo		
		Martineau		

# WEEK 16 - FLYERS STATS RECAP

## On Saturday night.....

### Fife Flyers 1 Belfast Giants 6 - Elite League

Johnny Curran coached his first Flyers game and became the 31st coach all-time to do so.

Tom Coolen coached 95 games with a 28 and 67 record which is a 29.5 win percentage.

Congratulations to Kieran Craig, Josh Saunders, Owen Dell and Rhys Edwards who all made their debuts for the Flyers.

In total 24 players have so far made their debuts for the Flyers this season, that is an all-time record for a season eclipsing the 21 from last season.

30 players have iced so far for the Flyers this season which is also a record during the EIHL era – 27 being the highest total last season.

Noah Delmas now remains as the only player to be ever present this season.

Flyers 14 shots on Giants goal is their lowest for a game this season. It is the Flyers lowest shots on goal total since being held to 10 against the Sheffield Steelers in October 2023.

Belfast made it 7 consecutive wins which is their best streak of the season and is the best amongst all other teams.

Across all games played this season the time that the Flyers have been level, ahead or behind is as follows:

Level 9:17:25 (28.82 percent) Ahead 4:38:52 (14.42 percent) Behind 18:17:44 (56.76 percent)

Scott Conway tied Mark Cooper with 16 goals as the Giants top scorer against the Flyers in all EIHL competitions.

The Flyers are now 11 for 16 (68.75 percent) on the penalty kill against the Giants and 3 for 12 (25 percent) on the powerplay.

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	3 Tom Pering	1	20 Pavel Halas	7	45 Vytas Lukosevicius	1	24 Rene Jensen	1		
	9 Joe Sewell	2	23 Andrew Miller		46 Andrew Jarvie	2				
	11 Matt Rose	2	25 Andrew Dalton	3	48 Oliver Truswell					
	14 Chris Wells	3	42 Hollie Neenan	1	49 Daniel Ferguson	9				
1	16 Alan Craig	7	43 Graham Rodger	9	52 Stephen Matthews	2				



# WEEKEND PREVIEW **WEEK 17**



### **Recent Form Guide**

The teams last met in mid-November in Dundee. Since that game on their travels the Stars next visited the Manchester Storm where they left empty handed following a 6-3 defeat. A week later however and they secured arguably their best result of the season when they visited Sheffield and defeated the Steelers 4-2 for their first win at the Utilita Arena in two years. To start December they visited the Nottingham Panthers and lost out narrowly 3-2 before another odd goal defeat the following weekend in Glasgow as the Clan won 4-3. A midweek trip to play the Giants in Belfast ended with a heavy 7-1 reversal and three days later in the Midlands the Coventry Blaze ran up the same scoreline. The weekend before Christmas the Stars returned to Glasgow and once again fell short in a 3-2 loss that stretched their winless run to 8 consecutive games, the second longest winless streak amongst all teams this season. The Stars have made two additions to their roster since their last meeting with the Flyers. Forward Alex Robert who started the season with the Manchester Storm joined at the end of November and in mid-December Spencer Naas who was their second top scorer in league play last season made his way back to Tayside after starting the season in Germany with Freiburg in DEL 2.

## LAST LEAGUE VISIT FROM STARS









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			Shots Against	Goal 2	Rinaldi	Vilio	Phelan	Shots Against
			45	Goal 3	Rinaldi	Pouliot		43
			PiMS	Goal 4	Harms	Brittain	Dow	PiMS
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			Owen	Goal 8				Brine
				Goal 9				]
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## **OVERALL LEAGUE HOME RECORD AGAINST STARS**

## P 42 W 21 L 21 F 136 A 123

### Number Crunching

The Stars have won four of their last five games at Fife Ice Arena.

The Flyers have lost their last three meetings with the Stars who have a 4 and 1 record in the meeting of the teams so far this season.

In that time the Flyers have been outscored 10-23.

Phélix Martineau leads the Flyers in goals against the Stars this season with 3 and Brett Gravelle is the Stars leading scorer with 4 goals.

The Stars have lost their last 5 games on the road and the Flyers will be looking to snap a three game losing streak at Fife Ice Arena.

This will be the 120th meeting all time in the EIHL between the teams – unsurprisingly the team that the Flyers have met in the EIHL era.



# WEEKEND PREVIEW WEEK 17



### **Recent Form Guide**

On home ice since their last meeting with the Flyers the Stars then met the Guildford Flames the following week with the visitors winning 3-1. The Coventry Blaze then eked out a shootout win after the teams ended tied at three a piece. Belfast were next on Tayside and the Stars again surrendered the points with the Giants winning 5-2. Into December and the Stars almost repeated their road win against the Steelers with the Yorkshire side eventually coming out on top by the odd goal in seven. The Cardiff Devils then took both points back to Wales with a 5-2 win before the Glasgow Clan visited for the final game before Christmas and the Stars broke their five game home skid in a topsy turvy game with an 8-5 win which also ended their winless drought at eight games.

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	Stars Stats					Flyers Stats		_
Scorer	Assist	Assist	Shots For		Scorer	Assist	Assist	Shots For
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Harms	Tsekos	Dow	Shots Against	Goal 2	Martineau	Heidt	LeBlanc	Shots Against
Gravelle	McBean	Yamamoto	24	Goal 3				55
Harms			PiMS	Goal 4				PiMS
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				Goal 6				
			Goalie	Goal 7				Goalie
			Sabol	Goal 8				Voris
				Goal 9				
				Goal 10				

### OVERALL LEAGUE AWAY RECORD AGAINST STARS

### P 42 W 19 L 23 F 143 A 161

### **Number Crunching**

The Stars have won their last three matches on home ice against the Flyers.

The Flyers have only one win on their last six visits to Dundee Ice Arena.

The Stars with an average of 2.83 goals per game across all competitions are third lowest scorers, the Flyers have the lowest average with 2.25 goals per game.

The Stars and Flyers have given up most goal across all competitions with Stars average per game 3.94 and Flyers 4.91.

The Stars are third in scoring from the blueline with 15 goals in all competitions this season.



#### **Recent Form Guide**

The Flyers and Clan last clashed on St Andrews Day at the end of November. Since that game the Glasgow side have played two road games during December. They visited Sheffield in the middle of the month and collected a well deserved two points in a 2-1 win. The victory came at a cost however with starting netminder Landon Bow leaving the game through injury and at the time of writing he has yet to make his return to the lineup. On the weekend before Christmas the Clan visited the Stars and in a wild game they ended up on the wrong end of an 8-5 scoreline which brought an end to their season high six game winning streak. The Clan have made one addition to their roster since their last meeting with the Flyers with American Forward Matt Berry joining in early December having been last season with Slovakian side HK 32 Liptovsky Mikulas. Ahead of coming to Kirkcaldy the Clan will meet the Belfast Giants on Boxing Day in Glasgow and travel across the Irish Sea to the SSE Arena on Saturday.

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	Flyers Stats					Clan Stats		
Scorer	Assist	Assist	Shots For		Scorer	Assist	Assist	Shots For
Musorov	Dikhanbek	Heidt	30	Goal 1	McLellan	Ully	Heard	37
Foss	Kyte	Pilon	Shots Against	Goal 2	Ully	Finlay	Kelly	Shots Against
Martineau	Cichy	Chiodo	37	Goal 3	Ully	Seigo	McLellan	30
Cichy	Chiodo	Heidt	PiMS	Goal 4	Sideroff	Schwartz	Kielb	PiMS

## LAST LEAGUE VISIT FROM CLAN

### OVERALL LEAGUE HOME RECORD AGAINST CLAN

Goal 5

Goal 6 Goal 7

Goal 8

Goal 9 Goal 10 Sideroff

Heard

Seigo

6

Goalie

Owen

### P 42 W 20 L 22 F 143A 141

#### **Number Crunching**

The Flyers have lost in their last four meetings with the Clan and are 1-3-1 on the season against the West coast side.

The Clan have a 3 and 9 record on the road in league play this season.

The Flyers have points in their last four league games on home ice against the Clan.

March 2023 was the last time the Clan won in regulation at Fife Ice Arena.

The Flyers have only one regulation win against the Clan at Fife Ice Arena in their last 11 meetings.

The Clan have given up 10 empty net goals in all competitions this season, the Flyers have next most with 7 on the season.

Clan have scored an average of 2.94 goals (7th most) a game across all competitions this season and have given up 3.34 (7th most).

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Goalie

Brine





### **Recent Form Guide**

The Clan started December with a double header on home ice. On the Friday night the Manchester Storm visited and were defeated 4-1 before the Clan made it a four point weekend when the Stars lost 4-3 at Braehead Arena on the Saturday night. The following weekend the Guildford Flames were the visitors and the game was abandoned at the ed of the first period due to dangerous ice conditions as the temporary ice plant at Braehead Arena failed. The Dundee Stars were visitors again on the last weekend before Christmas and in another tight game the Clan once again prevailed by the odd goal with a 3-2 win.

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	Clan Stats					Flyers Stats		
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Lachowicz	Cownie	Barry	33	Goal 1	Shirley	Chiodo		38
Haden	Kallen	Combs	Shots Against	Goal 2	Emmerdahl	Osterberg	Lajeunesse	Shots Against
Sanche	Lynch	Craighead	38	Goal 3	Pavlovs	Makela	Osterberg	33
Lynch	Cownie		PiMS	Goal 4	Eriksson	Chiodo	Giles	PiMS
Haden	Pelech	Kallen	15	Goal 5	Osterberg			21
Barry	Sanche	Lynch		Goal 6	Lajeunesse	Eriksson		
			Goalie	Goal 7	Chiodo	Wehrs	Lajeunesse	Goalie
			Karjalainen	Goal 8				Owen
				Goal 9				
				Goal 10				

## LAST LEAGUE VISIT TO CLANS

### OVERALL LEAGUE AWAY RECORD AGAINST CLAN

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#### **Number Crunching**

Ahead of their Boxing Day clash with the Belfast Giants the Clan had won their last five games on home ice in league play and have a 6 and 2 record for the season.

The Flyers have three wins in their last six visits to Braehead Arena in league play with only one of those coming in regulation.

The Clan have given up almost 50% of their goals in the 3rd period but have also conceded the third fewest in the final period across all games played this season.

The Flyers have three players each with three goals who lead the scoring against the Clan this season, Phélix Martineau, Lucas Chiodo and Michael Cichy.

Cole Ully with 7 goals is Clan's leading marksman against the Flyers this season.





A summary of all of the action from last weekend across the EIHL.

## Wednesday 18th December

## Belfast Giants 4 Coventry Blaze 1 Elite League

(3-0, 0-1, 1-0) SOG 59-28 PIMs 4-8 Att 5102 Belfast Giants came out fast and scored three first-period goals before eventually beating Coventry Blaze 4-1 in front of a crowd of 5,102 fans on Wednesday night at the SSE Arena. The win was the Giants' sixth in a row. "Every team wants to start well, but we know that the travel to Belfast is different to teams' normal travel - flying on a gameday, and so on, so it's important for us to get on them early and make this a hard place to play," said captain Mark Cooper. "I think we're definitely playing great hockey right now. It's a very tight table at the moment, it's exciting to be a part of, but we have to not be satisfied and continue to learn and play well." It was the Giants who opened the scoring on the powerplay through Jordan Kawaguchi. After skating along the goal line, he had options in the middle but decided to go alone and finished excellently, beating Mat Robson at his near post and firing into the roof of the net with 7:56 played. The Giants doubled their lead, on the powerplay once again, at 12:45. After some neat great build-up play between Scott Conway and JJ Piccinich, the latter then had the opportunity to shoot but unselfishly played the puck across the face of the goal to Mark Cooper to finish into an empty net. "JJ made a great play there to set me up for a tap-in. I've been lucky this year and had quite a few goals," added Cooper "It feels awesome scoring, but the wins are what matters most." The Giants grabbed a third through Mike Lee to cap off an excellent first period. He received the puck from Grant Mismash, and his shot just snuck through the glove of Mat Robson and across the line at 16:50. Coventry started the middle period very well, grabbing a goal at 21:30. A two-on-one resulted with the puck being played to Chase Gresock and while his shot was well saved by Tom McCollum, but he couldn't do anything to stop Gresock from tapping in the rebound to get the Blaze back in the game. Both teams both threatened throughout the second period, but neither could grab a goal to leave the Giants with a two-goal lead going into the third. A minor on each team in the first ten minutes of period three didn't change the scoreline, and with 2:29 to play the Blaze risked everything and pulled Robson, 54 seconds later, Cooper won the puck in his own end and set Bobo Carpenter away to finish on the empty net at 58:15 and settle the game.

### Cardiff Devils 5 Sheffield Steelers 1

### Saturday 21st December Elite League

### (2-0, 3-0, 0-1,) SOG 36-42 PIMs 24-14 Att 3110

Cardiff Devils logged their third straight home win over Sheffield Steelers this season, and second in the league, with a 5-1 win over last season's grand slam champions. "I think our line was hard on the forecheck and created a lot of turnovers, creating some good opportunities tonight," said Ben Davies who had a goal and an assist in the game for the Devils. "It was a solid performance up and down the line-up tonight. "The crowd were in the game in a big way, we got a couple of quick goals and they were really loud. It helped us to build momentum through the game and we appreciate them being there for us." A fierce first period saw both teams have their fair share of goal-scoring opportunities in the early stages, but with neither side breaking the deadlock. However, the Devils were able to put themselves in the lead at 9:11 into the period after Josh MacDonald broke through and beat Matt Greenfield with a neat finish after drawing the goalie with a deke. Less than a minute later, a mix-up behind the Steelers net saw Greenfield lose the puck to Riley Brandt who then fed Tyler Busch in front to double the lead. The Devils were unlucky not to be three ahead with some other excellent chances in the period, but were equally lucky to escape two ahead as the Steelers draw Ben Bowns into two big saves before the buzzer. 17 seconds into period two, Joey Martin found himself in all kinds of space in the slot to put home a Reid Duke feed. Some great teamwork from Ben Davies, Sam Duggan and Riley Brandt set up the Devils fourth at 34:20, before Kohen Olischefski tipped a Cole Sanford feed past Greenfield 18 seconds later to make it 5-0 and end Greenfield's night in net. Sheffield broke Ben Bowns' shutout with 8:41 to play through Max Golod, but that was as good as it got for the visitors who fell to their third straight league defeat.





Coventry Blaze 1 Manchester Storm 5 Elite League

(0-1, 1-1, 0-3,) SOG 40-41 PIMs 10-8 Att 2186

Manchester Storm picked up third win in four games with a 5-1 thrashing of Coventry Blaze at the Skydome. 2,186 fans saw them do it, though the vast majority had hoped for a different scoreline heading into the Christmas period. Loren Ulett scored twice in Storm's win." I missed last week with a flu, so was happy to get back into the team. It always feels good when you score but the team win is always the most important thing," said the forward, whose team have seven points out of eight since Mike Flanagan left the club. "You never want to see anyone lose their job, but I think the team has reacted really well with the changes. We have points in four of the last five games since the change, and the way we've responded has been really positive." As Storm broke on a 3-on-2 at the midway point of the opening period, Stephen Johnson's neat lay-off found CJ Garcia in space to beat Mat Robson and put Storm ahead at 10:41. That was a lead the visitors held until past the mid-way point of the game. Nick Seitz levelled for the hosts at 33:23 after Brandon Alderson's shot on the net hit some traffic in front of Even Weninger. Robson made a point-blank save to keep the Blaze on level terms shortly after, but could do nothing to stop Loren Ulett tipping a shot from the point past him at 38:18. 68 seconds into period three, Ryan Hughes fed Alexis D'Aoust in front to put the visitors 3-1 ahead. Hughes then finished at the top of the crease from Grant Hebert's feed to make it 4-1 at 47:01, while Ulett completed an excellent 12-minute spell for the Storm with their fifth at 53:47. "I love it here at the Storm, it was a very easy decision to stay for a second season," added Ulett. "We're looked after very well by the organised, and I actually just found out that I have family in Manchester which is very special as well." That's where things stayed until the final buzzer, with Mike Morin's team moving two points clear in a playoff place.

## Glasgow Clan 3 Dundee Stars 2 Elite League

### (3-1, 0-0, 0-1) SOG 36-26 PIMs 16-6 Att 3514

Glasgow Clan celebrated their sixth straight win with a 3-2 victory over Scottish rivals Dundee Stars in front of 3,514 fans at Braehead Arena. The Clan took the lead after just 72 seconds, breaking 2-on-1 with Tyson McLellan drawing Jarrett Fisk to one side and neatly finishing top shelf. Jake Elmer tied the game just under 13 minutes later with a wrist shot high on Lucas Brine's blocker side, but Clan were back ahead not long after. Two goals from Cole Ully swung the game firmly back in their favour before period one was out. His first saw him throw the puck on net from the boards, only to see it deflect off Fiske's stick and into the net at 15:07. A little over three minutes later, the Clan forward put home a loose puck after Fiske thought he had the puck covered. The goal, timed at 18:23, was confirmed after video review. It took the Stars until inside the final eight minutes to get one back. Having seen three powerplays go begging in the final period alone, the visitors were back to within one thanks to Brett Gravelle with 7:56 to play. A double-minor on Deven Sideroff saw the hosts shorthanded for the final 27 seconds of regulation, but they saw it out and held on for a valuable two points.







Nottingham Panthers 6

6 Guildford Flames 4

**Elite League** 

(1-1, 1-2, 4-1) SOG 40-22 PIMs 2-18 Att 5812 Nottingham Panthers produced one of the comebacks of the season, scoring four goals inside the final seven minutes to turn a 4-2 deficit into a 6-4 win over Guildford Flames. 5,812 fans saw them do it at the Motorpoint Arena. A speculative effort form Ryan Tait put the Flames one ahead with 2:14 played, beating Bednard from distance with a shot he probably didn't expect to score off. Tim Doherty levelled for the Panthers at 13:41 when his pass from behind the net into the slot went over the line off Eamon McAdam's stick. Alvaro put the Flames back ahead with a top-shelf finish 2:21 into period two, but this time it was Otto Nieminen who pegged them back, finding a loose puck at the top of the crease at 30:47 to tie the game. Sam Jones put the Flames back ahead 22 seconds later after a breakdown in the Panthers' end left him with a half open net to find from the point. When Alvaro got his second of the game on a rebound 2:17 into period three, the Panthers had a two-goal mountain to climb to get back into things. Kris Kontos scored on a delayed penalty with a nice one-timer at 53:08 to bring the hosts back to within one, while Sam Herr tied the game two minutes later on the powerplay after excellent passing in front of the Flames' net. The Panthers captain then put his side into the lead with a powerplay goal with 2:49 to play, before Mitch Fossier found the empty net at 59:19 to mark a remarkable four-goal spread for the home side.

### Sunday 22nd December

### Cardiff Devils 6 Nottingham Panthers 4 Challenge Cup

(0-3, 2-1, 4-0,) SOG 50-29 PIMs 6-29 Att 3110

Cardiff Devils came back from 4-0 down to beat Nottingham Panthers 6-4 at the Vindico Arena, a result good enough to put them into the Challenge Cup Semi-Finals and force the Panthers into the Elimination Game. Nottingham took an early lead as Ollie Betteridge found the first goal of the night with a turn and shot only 4:21 into the period. No less than three minutes later, Tim Doherty and Reid Stefanson combined to get the puck past Ben Bowns and make it 2-0. To add to the Panther's great start, Sam Herr was left all alone in the slot to beat Bowns in close and make it 3-0 inside 14 minutes. 9:49 into the second period, Mitchell Fossier found the back of the net in the slot to put the Panthers in total control. A regulation loss would also have seen the Devils eliminated. Cardiff were able to put themselves on the board and find their first goal of the night as a result of Tyler Busch tipping a puck past debuting Panthers goalie Jason just shy of the 31-minute mark. The Devils then got themselves back to within two with a neat breakaway finish from Cole Sanford four minutes later to bring the score back to 2-4. 5:31 into period three, Kohen Olischefski made it a onegoal game and suddenly the volume in the arena noticeably increased. Didrik Henbrant could have put the Panthers back two ahead but saw his breakaway effort saved by Ben Bowns, who then made a toe save to keep the puck rolling over the line. Bowns injured himself on the play, leading to Mac Carruth entering the home side's net. Just under six minutes later, the Devils got back on level terms with Sanford's second of the night in close to make it 4-4, Knowing that a win would put them straight into the Semi-Finals, the Devils pushed forward for a winner, and the Vindico Arena's roof almost came off as Olischefski beat Grande short side to put the Devils ahead at 57:58. Tyler Busch scored into the empty net with 30 seconds to play to wrap up a sensational comeback win for the hosts.







Dundee Stars 8 Glasgow Clan 5 Elite League

(1-0, 3-3, 4-2,) SOG 42-38 PIMs 11-17 Att 2051

Dundee Stars logged their first win since 24 November with an 8-5 victory over Scottish rivals Glasgow Clan, splitting the series with them in Week 16 with a win each. The first period in Dundee featured end-to-end action for the two teams, as both goalies faced high-quality scoring chances throughout. Despite this, the Stars scored the only goal of the period, as Xavier Pouliot found the back of the net for his first of the season at 14:15. The puck fell to the Canadian in the offensive zone, who sent a shot from the point that beat Lucas Brine blocker side and made it 1-0. Brendan Harms doubled the Stars' lead on the powerplay, tipping a shot from Zach Tsekos past Lucas Brine to make it 2-0 at 24:31. The Clan responded instantly at 24:42, as an incredible solo effort from Deven Sideroff made it 2-1. The forward skated with the puck from the neutral zone to the Dundee net, beating Richard Sabol with a backhand shot to get his team on the scoreboard. After Sabol made an initial save on a shot from Deven Sideroff, the puck fell to Simon Despres, who fired it into the open net to equalise at 29:23. A failed zone clearance by Glasgow was caught by Ben O'Connor, sending the puck to Brett Gravelle in the high slot who restored the lead for Dundee with a wrist shot that beat Brine at 31:46. Jake Elmer converted on a 5-on-3 powerplay at 34:36, receiving a cross-crease pass from Spencer Naas and shooting the puck into the Clan net to give the Stars a two-goal lead. A takeaway in the Dundee zone allowed Tyson McLellan to breakaway shorthanded, where he beat Sabol blocker side at 35:37 to make it 4-3 heading into the third period. Kameron Kielly made it 5-3 early in the third period after picking up a pass from Spencer Naas and skating down the right wing, beating Brine with a wrist shot at 40:27. Brendan Harms scored his second goal of the game at 51:08, banking the puck off the back of Brine on the powerplay to make it 6-3. Glasgow pulled Lucas Brine to deploy an extra attacker after gaining a late powerplay opportunity, which Liam Finley used to make it 6-4 with a wrist shot past Richard Sabol at 55:08. Jake Elmer netted his second goal of the game at 57:51, firing the puck into an empty net to make it 7-4. Reece Kelly pulled a goal back for the Clan at 58:13, scoring his first of the season with a shot over Richard Sabol's shoulder. Brendan Harms completed his hat trick at 59:52, sending the puck into an empty net and sealing the win for the Dundee Stars, breaking an eight-game losing streak.

### Guildford Flames 3 Coventry Blaze 2 Shootout Elite League

### (0-2, 1-0, 1-0, 0-0, 1-0) SOG 28-37 PIMs 37-6 Att 1938

Guildford Flames came back from two goals down before eventually beating Coventry Blaze in a shootout on Sunday night. "It's not hard to find the motivation for games, but it definitely hurt coming in to this game off the back of Saturday night and the manner in which we lost that game," said Jack Jacome who scored in both regulation and the shootout. "It was a testament to the mental toughness of the guys in how room how we got back to our process tonight." The Blaze came out fast and were rewarded with the opening goal of the game - Nick Seitz setting up Anthony Luciani who beat Jake Kupsky with a nice deke just 2:33 into the game. Hard work by the Blaze saw them draw the Flames into taking penalties, and a 5-on-3 advantage allowed Seitz to double the Blaze's lead with 46 seconds remaining in the first period. Jacome got Guildford on the board and back into things when he capitalised on an interception and beat Mat Robson with 2:27 remaining in the second, setting up a one-goal game going into the third. The Flames' comeback was completed by Lewis Hook just 80 seconds into the final period, although there was late drama when Travis Brown was ejected for kneeing with 5:46 to play. The hosts killed off the entire five-minute powerplay and each team too ka point with the game heading into overtime. Coventry were awarded a penalty shot in OT but couldn't convert, and the game was eventually decided in a shootout - Kupsky stopped all three Blaze attempts, while Jacome, Ethan Strang and Brett Ferguson netted at the other end to give the Flames the extra point.





## **Goalies**

30	Cameron	Kenny
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50 Shane Owen

#### Jānis Voris 36

## Defencemen

- Noah Delmas 5
- Tyler Heidt 7
- **Brodie Kay** 9
- **Daniel Krenželok** 88
- Patrick Kyte 19
- Olivier LeBlanc 'C' 3

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## Forwards

Ben Brown 93

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- 23 Massimo Carozza
- Lucas Chiodo 'A' 86
- Michael Cichy 'A' 78
- **Kieran** Craig 94
- 41 Johnny Curran 'A'
- Austin Farley 91
- 27 Ryan Foss
- 22 Phélix Martineau
- James Spence 61
- 43 Jordan Stallard
- 24 Aiden Wilson

# Period Scores

	1st	2nd	3rd	OT/SO							
Flyers											
Visitors											

## **Referee:**

Linesman:

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Linesman:

Goal	Scorer	Assist	Assist	Time	EV/PP/SH
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Goal	Scorer	Assist	Assist	Time	EV/PP/SH
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Shots on Goal										
1st 2nd 3rd OT/SO										
Flyers										
Visitors										

	<u>Goalies</u>
33	Jarrett Fiske
1	Dominick Jaglar
36	Richard Sabol
	<u>Defencemen</u>
6	Drydn Dow 'C'
11	Kris Inglis
26	Cole MacDonald
24	Craig Moore
83	Ben O'Connor
49	Xavier Pouliot
23	Kyle Pouncy
77	Josh Saunders
	Forwards
8	Domenic Alberga "A
98	Jake Elmer
15	Craig Garrigan
27	Brett Gravelle
81	Brendan Harms "A"
45	Gary Kelly
10	Kameron Kielly
12	Jonathan McBean
18	Spencer Naas
95	Brogan O'Brien
21	Alex Robert
13	Philippe Sanche
17	Zack Tsekos
20	Keanu Yamamoto

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Man of the Match Flyers:

Man of the Match Visitors:

## STARS IN LEAGUE PLAY SO FAR...



			Gp	G	Α	PTS	РІМ	PPG	SHG	+/-	SOG	S	FOW	FOL	BS	TOI/Game
98	Jake Elmer	RW	18	11	9	20	8	2	0	-12	92	137	0	2	3	18:29
81	Brendan Harms	FW	23	10	9	19	20	5	1	-10	57	78	10	7	9	20:46
8	Domenico Alberga		23	3	16	19	8	0	0	-9	47	68	161	192	9	19:39
17	Zachary Tsekos	FW	19	5	10	15	9	2	1	-6	58	90	288	202	3	22:07
6	Drydn Dow	D	23	5	10	15	6	1	0	-2	72	115	0	0	9	23:34
27	Brett Gravelle	FW	23	6	8	14	4	1	0	-12	54	84	20	20	7	19:33
83	Ben O'Connor	D	23	2	11	13	12	1	0	-19	53	83	0	0	13	20:59
20	Keanu Yamamoto	FW	23	5	7	12	12	0	0	-10	54	76	115	102	8	18:56
13	Philippe Sanche	FW	16	6	3	9	8	0	0	-3	43	65	1	2	7	20:23
88	Alexander Tonge	FW	10	4	5	9	4	2	0	-3	24	32	0	0	1	16:35
26	Cole MacDonald	D	23	3	4	7	8	2	0	-17	37	57	0	0	13	20:36
10	Kameron Kielly	FW	12	3	4	7	2	0	0	-5	24	35	86	87	4	15:32
12	Jonathan McBean	FW	23	3	3	6	4	2	0	-20	31	57	11	27	8	14:03
45	Spencer Naas	FW	4	0	6	6	0	0	0	3	11	19	1	2	0	20:07
11	Kris Inglis	D	23	0	5	5	10	0	0	-11	24	37	0	0	10	16:50
23	Kyle Pouncy	D	20	0	4	4	2	0	0	-4	32	46	0	0	37	19:25
89	Alex Robert	FW	9	1	1	2	2	0	0	-4	10	11	7	14	1	10:27
15	Craig Garrigan	FW	23	0	2	2	6	0	0	-9	16	21	0	4	11	10:02
49	Xavier Pouliot	D	15	1	0	1	18	0	0	-10	17	23	0	0	6	15:25
24	Craig Moore	D	20	0	1	1	4	0	0	-13	12	14	0	2	8	13:28
77	Joshua Saunders	D	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	00:46
95	Brogan O'Brien	FW	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	-3	3	4	11	10	0	07:54
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33	Jarrett Fiske	10	2	7	0	336	35	557	3.77	89.58	0					

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## **ON THEIR ROSTER**

Throughout the season we will pick out a story on a player(s) on the opposition bench as well as summarise their career to date.

In this edition we feature Domenic Alberga

Domenic Alberga is a native of Maple which is a neighbourhood in Vaughan in York Region which is located northwest of Toronto, Ontario. Born in July 1992 he played, like many kids around his hometown area, in the Greater Toronto Hockey League at U16 level before having a season in the Ontario Junior Hockey League with the Villanova Knights whom he lead in scoring alongside current Guildford Flame's Daniel Catenacci. He started four seasons in the Ontario Hockey League with the Brampton Battalion in season 2009/10. Alberga was amongst the Brampton Battalion rookies who stood to benefit from the heavy workload that had fallen to them that Ontario Hockey League season. In January he was profiled in the following interview. Alberga, a fifth-round pick in the 2009 OHL Priority Selection, contributed an assist in a 4-1 victory Thursday over the Mississauga St. Michael's Majors and now has points in three of the last four games. "I'm feeling more comfortable, I'm getting used to it and I'm getting some points now," said centre Alberga, a 17-year-old native of Toronto who has two goals and eight assists for 10 points in 36 games. Coach Stan Butler said he's had no problem with the play of Alberga and his rookie linemates, left winger Ian Watters (who went on to play four seasons with the Guildford Flames) and right winger Matt MacLeod. They combined for three points, including two goals, against the Majors. "That line has been getting better and better," said Butler. "What we hope is that the ice time we've given all our young guys in the first half pays off the rest of the way." Increased prominence may help Alberga overcome a longstanding misconception. He noted that, since his childhood days, people have taken his surname to be "Algebra." Some Battalion teammates have dubbed him Math, which ranks as nicknaming genius in hockey circles, where the likes of "Smitty" and "Browner" are the norm. "I've heard 'Algebra' since I was small, and I usually just asked them to call me by my first name. It's all right. I never had a problem with it. It's funny to be called Math, too." With veteran centres Cody Hodgson and Craig Moore out of the lineup indefinitely, Alberga said he's excited about stepping into a bigger role. "I'm using this as motivation to have a really strong second half. It's great to have more responsibility, especially with those guys out of the lineup. You really have to step up and try to fill those spots."



Alberga scored Wednesday night at Mississauga, redirecting a MacLeod shot in the first period of a 3-2 overtime loss. Alberga's other goal came Sept. 25 in a 3-1 loss to the visiting Belleville Bulls, the Troops' third game of the season. "I hadn't scored in a long time, but now hopefully I can build off that. I'm starting to carry the puck more and shoot it. I figure nothing bad can happen if I put it on the net." Alberga said he hopes for a long run with his linemates. "We're playing well as a line, and I think we go hard every shift. MacLeod and Watters are great on the boards. They're great at getting the puck, and I'm trying to support them all the time. They win the battles in the corner. We cycle the puck well and communicate with each other. Watters has some great hands, and MacLeod is a really intelligent player. I like to bring my defensive game to that line." Alberga's defensive prowess and skating ability have earned him duty on the Battalion's penalty-killing unit, which ranks sixth in the OHL. "Our penalty killing has been great. We're moving our feet and being aggressive on the puck." In his two seasons with the Battalion he played 148 games across the regular season and playoffs with 14 goals and 29 assists.

It was announced in June 2011 that Sarnia Sting General Manager Jacques Beaulieu had acquired the 18-year old Alberga from the Brampton Battalion. The Sting sent a 4th round pick in the 2012 OHL Priority Selection to the Battalion in exchange for Alberga. Beaulieu explained his thoughts on the transaction. "Domenic is a gritty, hardworking centre who competes hard. He is a difficult player to play against and I feel like he will be an excellent complement to some of the top end forwards we have in our lineup. He is a blue collar player who exemplifies the type of player Sarnia fans love. We are very excited to add him to our lineup." In his single season with the Sting he scored 39 points in 72 games before finishing his time in Major Junior hockey with a season in Kitchener with the Rangers where he played 68 games and put up 14 points.

He then spent the following two season back in school with the Ryerson University Rams who are now known as TMU Bold, the athletic department of Toronto Metropolitan University. In November 2011, Toronto Metropolitan University (TMU; then Ryerson University) announced that Peter Gilgan, Founder and chief executive officer, Mattamy Homes Ltd., contributed a donation of \$15 million to the university. In honour of Gilgan, the new athletic complex was renamed Mattamy Athletic Centre at the Gardens. The ice rink, which is located on the third level, was named Mattamy Home Ice. It sits within the shell of the former Maple Leafs Garden. The athletic centre construction was completed in the summer of 2012, and the ice rink became the new home for the Ryerson Rams hockey team. Before coming to Ryerson, Domenic Alberga was considered nothing more than a third-line grinder playing on a contending Ontario Hockey League team. But following his move to Ontario University Athletics (OUA), Alberga became an offensive threat for the Ryerson men's hockey team. The 21-yearold rookie forward was a scoring sensation in his first season with the Rams, doing everything in his power to demonstrate abilities that some thought he never had. "Past coaches had definitely said, 'Maybe you have to play [on the] third line, you're not good enough to be this kind of role or this kind of player," said Alberga. But that hadn't been the mentality of Ryerson coach Graham Wise, who has Alberga playing on the team's top line alongside fellow OHL veterans Michael Fine and Jamie Wise. "Coming here, Mr. Wise wanted me to be a guy that's going to provide offence and get into a groove playing with Michael Fine and Jamie," said Alberga. "And with those two guys and the calibre that they've got, it's pretty easy to just go to the net, and we have a lot of potential as a line." Alberga definitely appeared to be fulfilling that potential, posting a highly impressive 11 goals and 23 points in 11 games played that first season. Alberga credits the combined OHL experience and excellent chemistry between Fine, Wise and himself as major factors in their success, which has also saw Wise climb to third in OUA scoring with seven goals and 22 points. "Obviously, he's stepped right in and contributed right off the bat to the hockey team," said Wise. "He's been a great addition to our program." Alberga was in his first year of an undeclared arts degree at Ryerson. Being used primarily in defensive situations in Brampton and Kitchener, Alberga made the switch from centre to the wing in Sarnia. The shift was instrumental in his offensive production with the Rams. "In Brampton, for my first two years I was third-line centreman, more of a shut-down role," he said. "And then when I got moved to Sarnia I got moved to left wing, and had probably my best OHL career there." Alberga chose Ryerson to be closer to home after four years of living away for junior hockey, and is was more than pleased with his decision. "It was great," said Alberga. "The people were very welcoming, the staff and everyone, the community." Alberga said that with many of the team's veterans playing in the final year of their university careers, he would relish the chance to assume a leadership role with the team in

years to come, but not without seeing where else his scoring touch can take him. "If something comes to me next year, maybe, say, in Europe or something, where I have the chance to make money, I'm going to jump to it," said Alberga. "Hockey has always been my first mentality. It's my dream." And while a European contract isn't far-fetched, especially since he recently obtained dual citizenship between Canada and Italy, Alberga's focus right now is on success with the Rams. "It'd be good to end up in the top four," he said. "I believe that the team ourselves, we're capable of beating Western and teams like McGill and those guys, and I think we can be right at the top, too."



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Alberga was awarded male rookie of the year and as quick as Domenic was to acknowledge his accomplishments, he was even faster to attribute where his success came from. "I give all the credit to my parents who put me through hockey," Alberga said. "Now I can give them something in return, something to be proud about." The 21-year-old right-winger — who racked up 44 points — was the second highest scorer on the men's hockey team in his rookie season with the Rams, was named the Ontario University Athletics (OUA) rookie of the year and ranks fourth in the nation for points scored. At the Ryerson Rams Athletic Awards Banquet on April 7, Alberga was awarded the male rookie of the year award. Alberga said that while he has his family to thank for his success, it's his father who's been his most supportive influence while growing in the world of competitive sports. Alberga said his father "never missed a game" and even followed him to Sault Ste. Marie when he was playing junior hockey. When head coach Graham Wise and scout Doug Hollinsky met Alberga at the end of last season, they offered him something the other seven OUA universities that tried to recruit him couldn't — a prominent spot on a progressive team and a way to stay close to his support system. "I had a lot of offers from other schools in the OUA, but I thought Ryerson was the best fit for me personally," he said. "It also helped that I'd be able to see my family more than when I was in Sarnia. "

He went on to lead the Rams in point scoring the following season and made the step up to professional hockey with the ECHL's Greenville Road Warriors late in the 2014-15 season and the 22 year old Alberga scored three goals in his first four games with Greenville and finished with four points in 13 games which saw him sign again for the 2015/16 season. He bounced around a bit that season with two other ECHL stops in Fort Wayne and Wichita before signing with the Norfolk Admirals with whom he spent three seasons. On his signing the Admirals Head Coach Rolf Aldoff said: "Domenic is a heart and soul type of player that's going to come to work for us every single day. With his package, he's going to give everything he's got, whether it's a game or a practice and it's important to have someone like that. You can never overlook having someone like that on your team. He'll do all the little things right for us". His first season return was 29 points in 53 games before improving to 37 in 72 fixtures the next year and 46 in 41 matches over the 2018-2019 campaign which was good for second overall in team scoring.

Alberga was given a professional try-out in the American Hockey League with the Arizona Coyotes AHL affiliate team, Tucson Roadrunners in December 2018 and he would feature 16 times, scoring three points.



In the 2019-2020 season, Domenic then hopped across the pond to begin his European career, signing with HC Bolzano in Northern Italy and he would stay there for the next five years. A call-up to the Italian national team arrived in 2022 as he was selected for the team to play in the Olympic Games Qualifiers and also another six international matches. He helped Bolzano to reach the playoffs in all five seasons and in the 2022-2023 campaign they narrowly missed out on a national championship, losing in the final, then also making it to the semi-finals this past season before joining the Stars in the summer.

DOMENIC ALBERGA FACTS	
Date of Birth Jul 28, 1992	Position C/LW
Age 32	Height 185 cm / 6'1"
Place of Birth Maple, ON, CAN	Weight 95 kg / 209 lbs
Nation Italy/Canada	Shoots L
Youth Team -	Contract 24/25

S.	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	Α	TP	PIM	+/-	POST	GP	G	Α	ΤР	PIM	+/-	C 1 >
2007-08	Markham Majors U16 AAA	GTHL U16	-	-	-	-	-	-								i U
2008-09	🛃 Villanova Knights	OJHL	49	14	26	40	104	-								F
2009-10	Brampton Battalion	OHL	66	5	13	18	63	-10	Playoffs	11	1	3	4	4	0	
2010-11	Brampton Battalion	OHL	67	8	12	20	48	-14	Playoffs	4	0	1	1	2	0	
2011-12	Sarnia Sting	OHL	66	17	18	35	44	-7	Playoffs	6	0	4	4	4	0	
2012-13	Kitchener Rangers	OHL	60	5	8	13	51	-1	Playoffs	8	0	1	1	8	1	
2013-14	🛃 Ryerson Univ.	CIS	26	18	26	44	36	-	Playoffs	5	2	3	5	2	-	
2014-15	🛃 Ryerson Univ.	CIS	27	18	13	31	46	-								
	Greenville Road Warriors	ECHL	13	3	1	4	8	-2								
2015-16	Greenville Swamp Rabbits	ECHL	8	1	1	2	2	-3								
	Fort Wayne Komets	ECHL	13	2	5	7	6	-1								
	📕 Wichita Thunder	ECHL	35	6	8	14	33	-4								
2016-17	Norfolk Admirals	ECHL	53	12	17	29	53	-19								
2017-18	Norfolk Admirals	ECHL	72	15	22	37	36	-24								
2018-19	Norfolk Admirals	ECHL	41	16	30	46	23	2								
	Tucson Roadrunners Loan	AHL	16	1	2	3	2	3								
2019-20	HC Bolzano	EBEL	45	10	12	22	22	14	Playoffs	3	2	2	4	2	3	
2020-21	HC Bolzano	ICEHL	42	5	17	22	26	10	Playoffs	9	1	1	2	0	-2	
2021-22	HC Bolzano	ICEHL	44	11	6	17	10	7	Playoffs	2	0	0	0	0	-4	
	Italy	OGQ	3	0	0	0	0	-1								
	🚺 Italy (all)	International	6	0	0	0	0	-								
2022-23	HC Bolzano	ICEHL	48	6	20	26	29	11	Playoffs	19	1	7	8	8	1	
2023-24	HC Bolzano	ICEHL	48	7	8	15	18	-12	Playoffs	12	2	1	3	12	-2	



## **Goalies**

30 C	ameron	Kenny
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- 50 Shane Owen
- 36 Jānis Voris

## **Defencemen**

- 5 Noah Delmas
- 7 Tyler Heidt
- 9 Brodie Kay
- 88 Daniel Krenželok
- 19 Patrick Kyte
- 3 Olivier LeBlanc 'C'

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## **Forwards**

- 93 Ben Brown
- 23 Massimo Carozza
- 86 Lucas Chiodo 'A'
- 78 Michael Cichy 'A'
- 94 Kieran Craig
- 41 Johnny Curran 'A'
- 91 Austin Farley
- 27 Ryan Foss
- 22 Phélix Martineau
- 61 James Spence
- 43 Jordan Stallard
- 24 Aiden Wilson

### **Referee :**

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**Referee :** 

Linesman :

Goal	Scorer	Assist	Assist	Time	EV/PP/SH
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Player	Offence	PIMs	Time

Period Scores											
	1st	1st 2nd 3rd OT/SO									
Flyers											
Visitors											



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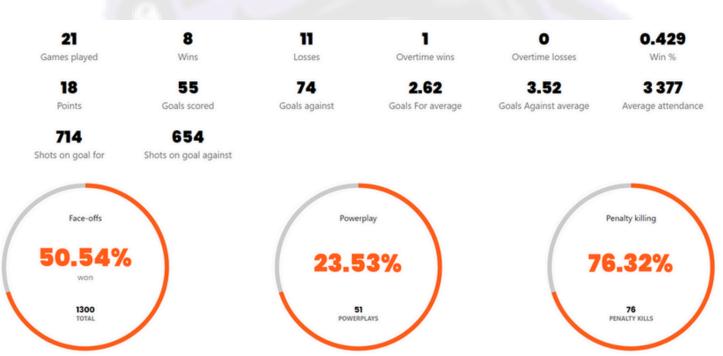
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1st 2nd 3rd OT/SO										
Flyers										
Visitors										

Man of the Match Flyers:

Man of the Match Visitors:

	<u>Goalies</u>
9	Landon Bow
4	Lucas Brine
9	Daniel McGowan
	<u>Defencemen</u>
	Simon Després
3	Joseph Hazeldine
7	Reece Kelly
4	Darien Kielb
5	Chris Martenet
5	Chris McKay
0	Archie Salisbury
9	Steven Seigo
3	Kian Shevlin
4	Matt Stief
	<u>Forwards</u>
4	Matt Berry
8	Kyle Carruth
0	Liam Finlay
7	Alex Forbes
3	Mitchell Heard
2	Keaton Jameson
	Robert Lachowicz
	Tyson McLellan
8	Félix Paré
7	Nick Prkusic
1	Rylan Schwartz
5	Deven Sideroff
1	Cole Ully

## **CLAN IN LEAGUE PLAY SO FAR...**



			Position	Gp	G	Α	PTS	ΡΙΜ	PPG	SHG	+/-	SOG	S	FOW	FOL	BS	TOI/Game
*	91	Cole Ully	FW	18	12	8	20	4	3	0	3	68	92	1	1	1	17:28
٠	9	Tyson McLellan	FW	21	10	10	20	13	1	2	8	48	73	158	153	1	17:12
*	49	Steven Seigo	D	19	3	13	16	6	1	1	-7	42	80	0	2	15	21:07
*	95	Deven Sider off	FW	20	9	6	15	43	3	0	-13	74	111	0	0	2	17:36
*	10	Liam Finlay	FW	21	2	12	14	8	1	0	2	47	84	0	1	3	16:17
*	13	MitchellHeard	FW	19	5	8	13	37	2	0	-13	57	87	188	156	1	18:08
*	71	Rylan Schwartz	FW	20	4	7	11	2	0	1	-10	57	83	5	7	6	17:45
*	4	Simon Despres	D	21	2	5	7	41	0	0	-4	29	58	0	1	13	18:58
	73	Joe Hazeldine	D	18	1	6	7	4	1	0	-2	25	49	0	2	10	20:08
	7	Robert Lachowicz	FW	20	2	2	4	10	0	2	-3	15	27	75	64	5	12:41
	27	Reece Kelly	D	17	1	3	4	0	0	0	3	22	35	1	0	4	11:08
*	55	Chris McKay	D	21	1	2	3	16	0	0	-4	43	68	0	1	24	20:20
٠	28	Felix Pare	FW	17	1	2	3	12	0	0	-5	13	21	86	91	10	11:37
٠	74	<b>D</b> arien Kielb	D	20	0	3	3	6	0	0	-5	34	74	0	2	10	17:05
	57	Alex Forbes	RW	20	1	1	2	2	0	0	-2	13	22	1	1	3	08:09
*	77	NickPrkusic	FW	16	0	2	2	6	0	0	0	33	36	2	2	5	11:26
٠	23	Gary Haden	FW	7	0	2	2	0	0	0	-3	15	24	0	1	1	14:04
*	12	Keaton Jameson	FW	20	0	2	2	4	0	0	-11	35	56	33	46	11	13:27
*	17	<b>Michael Pelech</b>	FW	14	1	0	1	6	0	0	-6	17	22	88	83	2	13:58
	94	Cade Neilson	FW	4	0	1	1	2	0	0	-2	6	7	19	28	1	14:34
	14	Matt Berry	FW	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	-2	5	8	0	1	0	09:26
	25	Chris Martenet	D	6	0	0	0	4	0	0	3	7	11	0	0	0	15:34
	24	Matt Stief	D	13	0	0	0	2	0	0	-12	9	18	0	0	3	13:21
			Gp	W	L	SO	SA	GA	MIN	GAA	SVS%	PIM					
*	29	Landon Bow	16	6	9	0	474	46	898	3.07	90.3	0					
	44	Lucas Brine	6	3	2	0	172	20	288	4.17	88.37	0					

### **ON THEIR ROSTER**

Throughout the season we will pick out a story on a player(s) on the opposition bench as well as summarise their career to date.

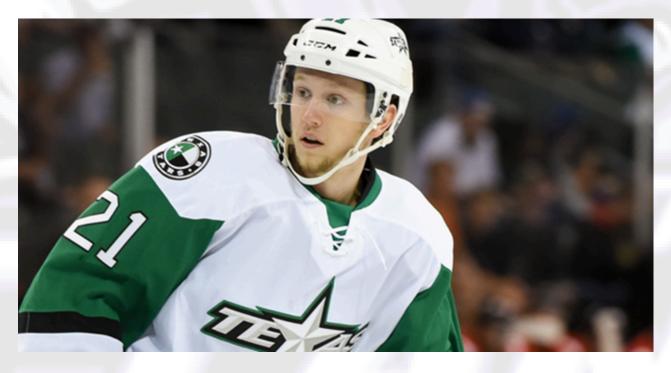
In this edition we feature Cole Ully

Cole Ully is a Calgarian who was born 20th February 1995. He played with his hometown junior teams before joining the Kamloops Blazers as a 16 year old to commence his Major Junior career in season 2011/12. In his rookie season he played with future Flyer Chase Schaber who was in his final year in Major Junior. From his 61 games across the regular season and play offs he scored 10 goals with 12 helpers. The following season he was backstopped by the Cardiff Devils Taran Kozun as well as being joined by current team mate Deven Sideroff who was just starting his time in Major Junior. He was drawing the attention of scouts who had this to say about the 18 year old. In hockey, size is important but it isn't everything. Bigger players can have mobility problems, while smaller players are often faster. That said, size is less important for major junior players – and small juniors can grow. Arguably the most interesting of the smaller forwards in the 2013 draft class is Kamloops Blazers winger Cole Ully. Ully is a bit of a beanpole. He's not short - at 5-foot-11, he's roughly average height for an adult male - but he hasn't got much meat on his frame yet. Despite this, he's thrived in Kamloops. Blessed with excellent speed and strong overall skating, Ully put together a strong draft-eligible season, racking up 50 points in 62 games. Ully's year can be broken into two pieces – before he missed time in December due to mononucleosis, and after that absence. In 28 games prior to his absence, he had 8 goals, 6 assists and 14 points, with a plus-3 rating, 2 game-winning goals and 2 power-play goals. In the remaining 34 games, he had 14 goals, 22 assists and 36 points, with a plus-34 rating, 5 gamewinning goals and 6 power-play goals. Ully has good hockey instincts and that's no more readily apparent than it is when he's on the power-play. In short? He's excellent with the extra-man, as he has time and space to wheel and deal. He's not as effective five-on-five, when the size disparity is a bit more pronounced. He's able to generate even-strength offense, though, as evidenced by his excellent plus/minus rating. Bear in mind, though, that Kamloops had a great season and were in the top-third of the WHL in goals-for. Plus/minus can be a deceptive statistic on strong teams. Ully's biggest weakness is his size. The upshot is that he's seemingly quite aware of it, having worked out in the offseason with NHLers in an effort to add some bulk to his frame. If he can fill out without losing the aspects of his game that have helped him excel at times at the WHL level, he may be a great find for a team in the middle rounds of the NHL Entry Draft. Either way, he'll be a very interesting project to follow. Ully finished the season with 58 points from 67 games and it was enough to attract the attention of the Dallas Stars who drafted him in the 5th round 131st overall.



Interesting to note other players to appear in the EIHL in that draft. Future Flyers Greg Chase was chosen 188th overall in Round 7 by the Edmonton Oilers, Mark McNulty who had a season with Cardiff and Manchester was 169th in the 6th round selected by the Detroit Red Wings. Terrance Amorosa of the Coventry Blaze this season was drafted in the following slot after Ully. Hunter Shinkaruk who has been out injured for most of this season for Cardiff was the Vancouver Canucks first round pick at number 24. Ully would go on to complete another two seasons with the Blazers and in March 2015 the 19-year-old was been named to the WHL Western Conference First All-Star Team. In his final; year the 5'11" and 180lb forward finished 5th in the WHL scoring race with 34 goals, 60 assists and 94 points. He also led the Blazers in all offensive categories including goals, assists and points. Ully, who was signed to an entry level contract by the Dallas Stars in December, was the WHL Player of the Month for September/October with nine goals and 26 points in 16 games. He also led the WHL that season in first goals to start a game with 10. In 256 career games with the Blazers, Ully had 95 goals and 237 career points which is 23rd in franchise history.

In April of 2015 the Texas Stars, American Hockey League affiliate of the NHL's Dallas Stars, announced that Ully would be assigned to their club from Dallas. On 17tgh and 18th of that month he made back to back appearances against the San Antonio Rampage where he picked up an assist in his first professional outing. He scored his first professional goal on October 16th 2015 at the Chicago Wolves in a 7-3 win.



At the start of December that year Ully was one of three Stars players assigned to the Idaho Steelheads in the ECHL. His stay was a short one with the Steelheads where he played 6 games and scored 6 points whilst making 42 appearances in the American Hockey League with the Strs and registering 18 points. A full season with the Stars followed where he had 13 goals and 11 assists. Starting the 2017/18 season in the AHL he played a further 16 games with three assist and in December Steelheads Head Coach and Director of Hockey Operations Neil Graham confirmed Ully had been reassigned again to the Steelheads from the American Hockey League's Texas Stars by the Dallas Stars.

He was exactly a point a game player the rest of the season for the Steelheads in his 50 games. He moved to the Utah Grizzlies where in November 2108 the Colorado Eagles, the AHL affiliate of the Colorado Avalanche, announced that they had him team's ECHL affiliate, the Utah Grizzlies. Ully had generated five goals and 12 assists in 12 games with the Grizzlies so far that season and would make only two appearances for the Eagles before ending the season with 43 points from 40 games for the Grizzlies. this season. The 23 year-old has 121 games of AHL experience with the Texas Stars, collecting 20 goals and 26 points during that stretch.

In August 2019 the Hershey Bears announced that they had signed Ully to an American Hockey League contract for the 2019-20 season.

He wouldn't make an appearance for Hershey but instead spent the following two seasons with the South Carolina Stingrays, ECHL affiliate of the National Hockey League's Washington Capitals and American Hockey League's Hershey Bears. In what was his fifth professional season he played in 53 games with South Carolina in 2019-20 while on an AHL contract with Hershey. The Calgary, Alberta native racked up 48 points (12g-36a), which was tied for third-most on the team. Ully's assist total was also tied for the team lead, while his +21 rating was fourth-best among all SC skaters. His second season with the Stingrays saw him named to the ECHL Second Team for the 2020-21 season as determined in a vote of ECHL coaches, broadcasters, media relations directors and media. Ully, 26, is in his sixth professional season ranked eighth in the league with 58 points (22 goals, 36 assists) in 54 games. The forward was tied for third in the ECHL with 15 power play assists and is also tied for fourth with 20 power play points. The Calgary, Alberta native's 1.07 points per game was second highest in the league among skaters that had played in at least 15 games and both his 22 goals, and 58 points were career-highs.



Before heading to Glasgow Ully had a season with the Cardiff Devils, where he helped them to a second place league finish, and a semi-final berth in the play-offs in the 2023/24 season. He played 63 times for Pete Russell's side, including five appearances in the Continental Cup – he scored 20 goals and added 40 assists across all competitions. Prior to that, he had spells in Sweden with Vasterviks in 2022-23, and in Slovakia the season before that, where he featured for HKM Zvolen for whom Kyle Osterberg also appeared and HK Poprad who had James Livingston in their line-up. In total he played 52 times, scoring 18 goals and 27 assists hat season.

### COLE ULLY FACTS

LW	Position	Feb 20, 1995	Date of Birth
183 cm / 6'0"	Height	29	Age
77 kg / 170 lbs	Weight	Calgary, AB, CAN	Place of Birth
L	Shoots	Canada	Nation
24/25	Contract	Crowchild MHA	Youth Team

Drafted

2013 round 5 #131 overall by Dallas Stars

2009-10Calgary Bronks U2010-11Calgary Flames U	J18 AAA AMHL		34	30	64									
2010-11 Calgary Flames U		32			64	32	-							
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🛃 Kamloops Blazer	S WIL	1	0	1	1	0	0							
2011-12 💽 Kamloops Blazer	s WHL	55	9	11	20	2	7	Playoffs	6	1	1	2	2	1
2012-13 💽 Kamloops Blazer	s WHL	62	22	28	50	37	27	Playoffs	15	1	7	8	4	2
2013-14 💽 Kamloops Blazer	s WHL	69	30	42	72	34	-7							
2014-15 💽 Kamloops Blazer	s WHL	69	34	60	94	32	12							
🔜 Texas Stars	AHL	2	0	1	1	0	1							
2015-16 📕 Texas Stars	AHL	42	7	11	18	18	5							
📕 Idaho Steelhead	s ECHL	6	1	5	6	0	-3							
2016-17 📕 Texas Stars	AHL	61	13	11	24	29	10							
2017-18 📕 Texas Stars	AHL	16	0	3	3	12	-4							
🔜 Idaho Steelhead	s ECHL	39	19	21	40	34	12	Playoffs	11	2	8	10	8	0
2018-19 El Colorado Eagles	AHL	2	0	0	0	0	0							
Utah Grizzlies	ECHL	38	14	27	41	28	5	Playoffs	2	0	2	2	2	-1
2019-20 📕 South Carolina S	tingrays ECHL	53	12	36	48	52	21							
2020-21 📕 South Carolina S	tingrays ECHL	55	24	36	60	16	-3	Playoffs	13	4	8	12	0	2
2021-22 🔚 HKM Zvolen	Slovakia	14	4	7	11	8	7							
🔤 HK Poprad	Slovakia	32	14	20	34	16	4	Playoffs	6	0	0	0	4	-5
2022-23 🔚 Västerviks IK	HockeyAllsvenska	an 7	1	4	5	0	-2	Relegation	6	0	2	2	2	-2
2023-24 Marcardiff Devils	EIHL	44	13	30	43	14	8	Playoffs	4	1	3	4	7	2

# **LEAGUE STATS**

# **SEASON 2024/25**

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Total Games Played	32	32	31	35	32	32	32	29	29	30
Challenge Cup Games	12	10	10	12	12	12	10	10	10	10
League Games	20	22	21	23	20	20	22	19	19	20
Biggest Win	7-0	6-0	9-2	7-0	4-1	8-5	6-0	7-3	6-0	9-0
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	1-5	3-5	0-6	1-7	2-9	0-6	0-9	0-6	2-5	1-5
Biggest Loss	v Panthers	v Blaze	v Flames	v Giants	v Blaze	v Blaze	v Steelers	v Devils	v Stars	v Devils
Longer th Mile Change	7	4	6	v Blaze		6	2	2		6
Longest Win Streak Longest Loss Streak	7	2	6	2	1 12	6	3	2	4	6
Current Streak	7 Wins	2 3 Wins	4 3 Losses	0 1 Win	5 Losses	4 1 Loss	4 1 Win	2 Wins	1 Loss	4 3 Losses
Fastest Goal	00:58	00:50	00:18	01:08	02:08	00:08	00:21	00:29	00:56	00:14
Shut Out For	6	2	1	1	0	1	2	0	2	1
Shut Out Against	0	0	2	2	5	2	2	2	0	1
Empty Net Goals For	4	5	5	3	1	5	4	3	3	6
Empty Net Goals Against	3	4	1	5	7	10	2	2	3	2
Penalty Shots Scored	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Penalty Shots Conceded	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
Total Goals Scored	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
scored by Forwards	108	113	95	81	65	81	73	79	96	93
Powerplay	26	20	30	17	18	16	15	22	25	16
Even Strength	79	91	61	62	47	58	55	55	69	73
Shorthanded	3	2	4	2	47	7	3	2	2	4
Total Goals Scored	3	2	4	2	0	/	3	2	2	4
scored by Defencemen	21	11	12	15	7	12	14	10	1	21
Powerplay	2	1	1	4	3	3	4	2	0	6
Even Strength	19	10	9	11	4	7	9	8	1	15
Shorthanded	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Total Goals Conceded	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
scored to Forwards	59	73	80	120	136	93	83	105	68	76
Penalty Kill	17	15	23	19	24	27	20	28	13	16
Even Strength	40	57	53	96	110	63	60	72	51	60
Shorthanded	2	1	4	5	2	3	3	5	4	0
Total Goals Conceded	2	1	4	5	2	3	3	5	4	0
scored to Defencemen	10	4	14	17	19	13	11	13	11	10
Penalty Kill	2	2	4	1	4	3	3	2	3	2
Even Strength	8	2	10	16	13	8	8	11	8	7
Shorthanded	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1
Goals Scored Period 1	44	30	24	36	23	25	19	30	35	32
Goals Scored Period 2	38	49	37	31	25	30	29	31	31	35
Goals Scored Period 3	44	45	45	29	23	38	38	24	28	47
Goals Scored OT/SO	3	0	3	3	1	1	2	3	5	3
TOTAL Goals Scored	129	124	109	<u>99</u>	72	94	88	88	99	117
Goals Scored Per Game	4.03	3.88	3.52	2.83	2.25	2.94	2.75	3.03	3.41	3.90
Goals Conceded Period 1										
Goals Conceded Period 1	23	27	35	42	48	25	31	31	15	30
Goals Conceded Period 2 Goals Conceded Period 3	22	20 28	27 30	48 46	53 53	31 50	32 33	49 40	32 31	28
Goals Conceded OT/SO	3	3	4	2	3	1	2	2	2	26
TOTAL Goals Conceded	5 69		-4 96	138	157	107	2 98	2 122	2 80	2 86
					4.91					
Goals Against Per Game Shots For P1	2.16	2.44	3.10	3.94		3.34	3.06	4.21	2.76	2.87
	441	380	319	358	327	382	340	290	313	333
Shots For P2	412	312	354	390	306	370	338	287	314	355
Shots For P3	359	356	332	361	263	279	278	303	271	337
Shots For OT	9	3	17	12	6	0	15	8	15	11
	1221	1051	1022	1121	902	1031	971	888	913	1036
TOTAL Shots For		32.84	32.97	32.03	28.19	32.22	30.34	30.62	31.48	34.53
Shots for Per Game	38.16		400	400						200
Shots for Per Game Shots Against P1	257	330	408	403	452	324	319	354	312	329
Shots for Per Game Shots Against P1 Shots Against P2	257 303	330 337	356	418	468	339	341	364	319	289
Shots for Per Game Shots Against P1 Shots Against P2 Shots Against P3	257 303 303	330 337 318	356 328	418 358	468 408	339 325	341 312	364 319	319 325	289 249
Shots for Per Game Shots Against P1 Shots Against P2 Shots Against P3 Shots Against OT	257 303 303 11	330 337 318 10	356 328 13	418 358 14	468 408 12	339 325 3	341 312 5	364 319 7	319 325 14	289 249 12
Shots for Per Game Shots Against P1 Shots Against P2 Shots Against P3	257 303 303	330 337 318	356 328	418 358	468 408	339 325	341 312	364 319	319 325	289 249



#### FIRST FOOTING FLYERS

In the first 86 years of Flyers' history they have, by my reckoning played in over 60 rinks or arenas in the UK, Ireland and Europe. This got me wondering how many times Flyers had played in the first ever match at a rink and by my calculations Flyers have been "First Foots" at four rinks as well as of course playing in the opening night at Kirkcaldy Ice Rink.

Towards the end of the 1930's there were several similarly styled rinks built in Scotland including Perth, Falkirk, Dunfermline, Dundee and Kirkcaldy. Flyers took part in the opening games of the last two named rinks on back to back nights at the start of 1938/39 season. The game at Dundee Ice Rink on Friday 30/09/38 was Flyers first ever game and they faced off against the hometown Dundee Tigers in a challenge match.



A sell-out crowd of 4000 spectators with an estimated 1000 would be fans unable to gain access to the Kingsway rink saw Flyers lose their first ever match. Len McCartney was the scorer of Flyers' first ever goal, making the game all square at 1-1 at the end of the first period. Flyers took the lead for the first time in their history with a goal by Jimmy Chappell but Tigers ran out 5-2 winners in the end.

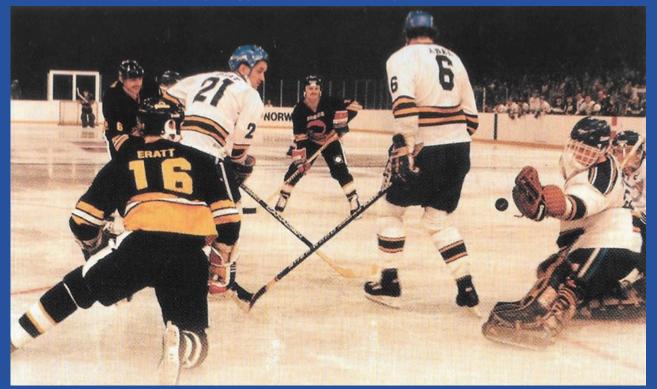
The following night, 01/10/38, it was the turn of Kirkcaldy Ice Rink to open its doors for hockey for the first time. A reported crowd of 4625 packed the rink for the return challenge match against Dundee. The honour of scoring the first ever goal at Kirkcaldy went to Norman McQuade when he put Flyers one up about half way through the first period. Tigers equalised soon afterwards to square matters after 20 minutes. After a scoreless second period, Tigers netted three times in the third to win 4-1 in the first of thousands of games to be played at Flyers' home rink.

Fast forward to 15/11/86 when Flyers met Nottingham Panthers in the Norwich Union Autumn Cup Final at the NEC in Birmingham. Flyers had qualified with a 100% record in the group stages, winning all eight games against their Scottish rivals, scoring 104 goals in the process. Import Mike Jeffrey scored 30 of these goals. The NEC rink was transformed from a big shed in the Exhibition Centre to a hockey rink, complete with an electronic scoreboard, thanks to the use of a portable ice plant. 600 fans attended the game, which was partly shown on the BBC Grandstand Saturday afternoon sports programme and all who watched were treated to a tight game with an exciting finish. Jimmy Jack scored the first ever goal at the NEC to put



Flyers ahead just 2.38 in, but Panthers equalised before Gordon Latto put Flyers ahead once more. Panthers scored either side of the first period break, but this time it was Flyers who equalised, Dave Stoyanovich getting the credit. Panthers retook the lead early in the third, but Stoyanovich made it all square once more, shorthanded with Brian Peat in the penalty box.

Normal time ended with the score tied 4-4, but it was the Midlanders who struck in overtime to win 5-4. Andy Donald in Flyers' net stopped 45 of 50 shots as Flyers failed to win their only ever appearance at the NEC, which was only used sparingly afterwards as a hockey venue.



Just under six years later Flyers were the first away team at The Lagoon in Paisley on 12/09/92. Flyers had previously appeared in Paisley at the East Lane rink, which is long gone unfortunately. In 1992 The Lagoon was the temporary home of Ayr Raiders and it was the "home" team who scored the first goal at the new rink after only 42 seconds into the match and had stretched their lead to 3-0 before Canadian import Ed Zawatsky scored Flyers' first Lagoon goal on the powerplay. Frank Morris then netted another goal with the man advantage, but Flyers lost this Autumn Cup tie 2-3 in front a capacity crowd of about 1500. Zawatsky's Flyers career was a short one, being released before the league campaign began.

Flyers' last "First Foot" to date was on 19/11/95 at Newcastle Arena in a British Premier League game against Newcastle Warriors, who before and since that season were known as Whitley Warriors. Another 4000+ attended and the fans present saw Mark Morrison net Flyers' opener around half way through the first period in a 6-4 Flyers win. Morrison became only the third Flyer to score the first ever goal in a UK rink after Norman McQuade and Jimmy Jack. In addition to the aforementioned, other Kirkcaldy teams have played in the first games at a number of rinks. Kestrels played in the first game at Inverness against Dundee Cougars on 04/12/88 and at the new Dundee rink at Camperdown on 01/10/2000 against Dundee Tigers. Kestrels were also due to play in the first match at Perth's "Dewars" rink against Perth Panthers on 14/11/96, but this game was cancelled. Fife Falcons played in the first game at Dumfries Ice Bowl, losing 4-13 to Ayr's under-19 squad on 07/09/92 and Kirkcaldy Flyers played in the first competitive game at Durham Ice Rink, beating the hometown Wasps 5-4, but wartime games featuring Royal Canadian Air Force personnel had taken part before the Kirkcaldy team made its debut there.

As rink building has slowed considerably in recent times, it might be some time until Flyers can be the "First Foot" once again at a new rink.

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# RULES CORNER



Part 2 of our look at the next sections of the rulebook which deal with Stick Infractions and Other Infractions covered by rules 58 to 75. We continue with rules 67 to 70.

Again the full text of the IIHF rule is provided along with any annotations as per the EIHL Casebook.

### 67.1 HANDLING PUCK

## RULE 67 HANDLING PUCK

This rule outlines infractions that can result in a penalty when a Player illegally uses their hand on the puck. Rule 79 – Hand Pass for all references related to passing the puck with the hand.

### 67.2 MINOR PENALTY – SKATER

A Player shall be permitted to catch the puck out of the air but must immediately place it or knock it down to the ice.

A Player shall be assessed a Minor Penalty for "closing their hand on the puck":

(I) If they catch it and skates with it, either to avoid a check or to gain a "territorial advantage" over their opponent.

(II) If they place their hand over the puck while it is on the ice in order to conceal it from or prevent an opponent from playing the puck. When this is done in their Team's Goal Crease area, a "Penalty Shot" shall be assessed Rule 67.4 – Penalty Shot, or Rule 67.5 – Goal Awarded.

(III) If they pick the puck up off the ice with their hand while play is in progress

A Minor Penalty shall be assessed for "Delay of Game" – Face-off Violation to a Player taking the "face-off" who:

(I) Attempts to win the "face-off" by batting the puck with their hand.

Note: The two (2) Players involved in the actual "face-off" (the centers) are not permitted to play the puck with their hand without incurring a penalty under this rule until such time as a third Player (from either Team) has at least touched the puck. Once the "face-off" is deemed complete (and a winner of the "face-off" is clear) hand passes shall be enforced Rule 79 – Hand Pass.

### 67.3 MINOR PENALTY – GOALKEEPER

The object of this entire rule is to keep the puck in play continuously and any action taken by the Goalkeeper which causes an unnecessary stoppage must be penalized without warning.

A "Delay of Game" penalty shall be assessed to a Goalkeeper who:

(I) Holds the puck with their hands for longer than three (3) seconds unless they are actually being "checked / pressured" by an opponent;

(II) Deliberately holds the puck in any manner which, in the opinion of the Referee, causes an unnecessary stoppage of play;

(III) Throws the puck forward towards the opponent's net; Note: In the case where the puck thrown forward by the Goalkeeper being taken by an opponent, the Referee shall allow the resulting play to be completed, and if goal is scored by the non-offending Team, it shall be allowed and no penalty given; but if a goal is not scored, play shall be stopped and a Minor Penalty shall be imposed against the Goalkeeper;.

(IV) Drops the puck into their pads or onto the goal net;

(V) Deliberately piles up snow or obstacles at or near their net that, in the opinion of the Referee, would tend to prevent the scoring of a goal.

## 67.4 PENALTY SHOT

This rule is described under Rule 63.6 – Penalty Shot

### 67.5 AWARDED GOAL

When a Goalkeeper, prior to proceeding to their Players' Bench to be replaced by an extra attacker, intentionally leaves their stick or other piece of equipment, piles snow or other obstacles at or near their net that, in the opinion of the Referee, would tend to prevent the puck from entering the net, a goal shall be awarded. In order to award a goal in this situation, the Goalkeeper must have been replaced for an extra attacker, otherwise a Minor Penalty shall be assessed. If a Skater, when the Goalkeeper has been replaced for an extra attacker, falls on the puck, holds the puck, picks up the puck, or gathers the puck into their body or hands from the ice in the Goal Crease area, the play shall be stopped immediately, and a goal awarded to the non-offending Team.



# RULES CORNER



### 67.6 DISALLOWED GOAL

A goal cannot be scored by an attacking Player who "bats or directs" the puck with their hand into the net. A goal cannot be scored by an attacking Player who "bats or directs" the puck and it is "deflected" into the net off any Player or Official. When the puck enters the net on a "clear deflection" off a glove, the goal shall be allowed.

### **RULE 68 ILLEGAL SUBSTITUTION**

### **68.1 ILLEGAL SUBSTITUTION**

An "illegal substitution" shall be deemed to have occurred when a Player enters the game illegally from either the Players' Bench (Teammate not within the 1.50m limit Rule 74 – Too Many Players on the Ice, from the Penalty Box (penalty has not yet expired), when a Major Penalty is being served and the replacement Player does not return to the ice from the Penalty Box Rule 68.2 – Bench Minor Penalty, or when a Player illegally enters the game for the sole purpose of preventing an opposing Player from scoring on a "breakaway" Rules 68.3 – Penalty Shot, or Rule 68.4 – Awarded Goal.

When an injured Player is penalized and leaves the game, if they return before the expiration of their penalty, they are not eligible to play. This includes Coincidental Penalties when their substitute is still in the Penalty Box awaiting a stoppage in play. The injured player must wait until their substitute has been released from the Penalty Box before they are eligible to play. Rule 8.1 – Injured Players.

### **68.2 BENCH MINOR PENALTY**

When a Player receives a Major Penalty and a Misconduct or Game Misconduct Penalty at the same time, or when an injured Player receives a Major Penalty and is unable to serve the penalty themself, the penalized Team shall place a substitute Player in the Penalty Box immediately and no replacement for the penalized Player shall be permitted to enter the game except from the Penalty Box. Any violation of this provision shall be treated as an illegal substitution under this rule calling for a Bench Minor Penalty.

### **68.3 PENALTY SHOT**

This rule is described under Rule 70.7 - Penalty Shot

### 68.4 AWARDED GOAL

This rule is described under: Rule 70.8 Awarded goal.

### 68.5 DISALLOWED GOAL

This rule is described under: Rule 70.9 Disallowed goal.

### 68.6. DELIBERATE ILLEGAL SUBSTITUTION

Too Many Players on the Ice. Rule 74 – Too Many Players on the Ice.

### RULE 69 INTERFERENCE ON THE GOALKEEPER

### 69.1 INTERFERENCE ON THE GOALKEEPER

This rule is based on the premise that an attacking Player's position, whether inside or outside the Goal Crease, should not, by itself, determine whether a goal should be allowed or disallowed. In other words, goals scored while attacking Players are standing in the Goal Crease may, in appropriate circumstances be allowed. Goals should be disallowed only if:

(I) an attacking Player, either by their positioning or by a "relevant contact", impairs the Goalkeeper's ability to move freely within their Goal Crease or defend their goal; or

(II) an attacking Player initiates intentional or deliberate contact with a Goalkeeper, inside or outside of their Goal Crease.

"Incidental contact" with a Goalkeeper will be permitted, and resulting goals allowed, when such contact is initiated outside of the Goal Crease, provided the attacking Player has made a reasonable effort to avoid such contact. The rule will be enforced exclusively in accordance with the on-ice judgement of the Referee(s), but may be subject to a Video Review: Rule 37 – Video Review, when applicable or to a Coach's Challenge Rule 38 – Coach's Challenge.

For purposes of this rule, "contact / relevant contact" whether "incidental or otherwise", shall mean any contact that is made between or among a Goalkeeper and attacking Player(s), whether by means of a stick or any part of the body. The overriding rationale of this rule is that a Goalkeeper should have the ability to move freely within their Goal Crease without being hindered by the actions of an attacking Player. If an attacking Player enters the Goal Crease and, by their actions, impairs the Goalkeeper's ability to defend their





goal, and a goal is scored, the goal will be disallowed. If an attacking Player is in the Goal Crease and does not leave immediately, the Referee has the possibility to stop the game and the subsequent "face-off" shall take place at the nearest Neutral Zone Face-off Spot outside the Attacking Zone of the offending Team. If an attacking Player has been pushed, shoved, or fouled by a defending Player so as to cause them to come into contact with the Goalkeeper, such contact will not be deemed contact initiated by the attacking Player for purposes of this rule, provided the attacking Player has made a reasonable effort to avoid such contact. If a defending Player has been pushed, shoved, or fouled by an attacking Player so as to cause the defending Player to come into contact with their own Goalkeeper, such contact shall be deemed contact initiated by the attacking Player for purposes of this rule, and if necessary, a penalty assessed to the attacking Player and if a goal is scored it would be disallowed.

## **69.2 PENALTY**

In all cases in which an attacking Player initiates "intentional or deliberate" contact with a Goalkeeper, whether or not the Goalkeeper is inside or outside the Goal Crease, and whether or not a goal is scored, the attacking Player will receive a penalty (Minor or Major, as the Referee deems appropriate). In all cases where the infraction being imposed is to the attacking Player for hindering the Goalkeeper's ability to move freely in their Goal Crease, the penalty to be assessed is for "Goalkeeper interference". In exercising their judgment, the Referee should give more significant consideration to the degree and nature of the relevant contact with the Goalkeeper than to the exact location of the Goalkeeper at the time of the contact.

## **69.3 CONTACT INSIDE THE GOAL CREASE**

If an attacking Player initiates "a relevant contact" with a Goalkeeper, incidental or otherwise, while the Goalkeeper is in their Goal Crease, and a goal is scored, the goal will be disallowed. If a Goalkeeper, in the "act of establishing their position" within their Goal Crease, initiates contact with an attacking Player who is in the Goal Crease, and this results in an impairment of the Goalkeeper's ability to defend their goal, and a goal is scored, the goal will be disallowed. If, after any contact by a Goalkeeper who is attempting to establish position in their Goal Crease, the attacking Player does not immediately vacate their current position in the Goal Crease (i.e., give ground to the Goalkeeper), and a goal is scored, the goal will be disallowed. In all such cases, whether or not a goal is scored, the attacking Player will receive the appropriate penalty for Goalkeeper "interference". If an attacking Player establishes a "significant position" within the Goal Crease, so as to obstruct the Goalkeeper's vision and impair their ability to defend their goal, and a goal is scored, the goal will be disallowed. For this purpose, a Player "establishes a significant position within the crease" when, in the Referee's judgment, their body, or a substantial portion thereof, is within the Goal Crease for more than an instantaneous period of time.

## **69.4 CONTACT OUTSIDE THE GOAL CREASE**

If an attacking Player initiates any "relevant contact" with a Goalkeeper, other than "incidental contact", while the Goalkeeper is outside their Goal Crease, and a goal is scored, the goal will be disallowed. A Goalkeeper is not "fair game" just because they are outside the Goal Crease. The appropriate penalty should be assessed in every case where an attacking Player makes "unnecessary contact" with the Goalkeeper. However, "incidental contact" will be permitted when the Goalkeeper is in the act of playing the puck outside their Goal Crease provided the attacking Player has made a "reasonable effort" to avoid such unnecessary contact. When a Goalkeeper has played the puck outside of their Goal Crease and is then prevented from returning to their Goal Crease area due to the deliberate actions of an attacking Player, such Player may be penalized for "Goalkeeper interference". Similarly, the Goalkeeper may be penalized, if by their actions outside of their Goal Crease they deliberately interfere with an attacking Player who is attempting to play the puck or an opponent.

## **69.5 COACH'S CHALLENGE**

Rule 38 - Coach's Challenge

## **69.6 FACE-OFF LOCATION**

Whenever the Referee stops play to disallow a goal as a result of "relevant contact" with the Goalkeeper (incidental or otherwise), the resulting "face-off" shall take place at the nearest Neutral Zone Face-off Spot outside the Attacking Zone of the offending Team.



#### **69.7 REBOUNDS AND LOOSE PUCKS**

In a rebound situation, or where a Goalkeeper and attacking Player(s) are simultaneously attempting to play a loose puck, whether inside or outside the Goal Crease, "incidental contact" with the Goalkeeper will be permitted, and any goal that is scored as a result thereof will be allowed. In the event a Goalkeeper has been pushed into the net together with the puck by an attacking Player after making a stop, the goal will be disallowed. If applicable, appropriate penalties will be assessed. If, however, in the opinion of the Referee, the attacking Player was pushed or otherwise fouled by a defending Player causing the Goalkeeper to be pushed into the net together with the puck, the goal can be permitted. In the event the puck is under a Player in or around the Goal Crease area (deliberately or otherwise), a goal cannot be scored by pushing this Player together with the puck into the goal. If applicable, the appropriate penalties will be assessed, including a "Penalty Shot" if deemed to be covered in the Goal Crease deliberately. Rule 63 – Delaying the Game.

## 69.8 DISCIPLINARY MEASURES

If deemed appropriate, Supplementary Discipline can be applied by the Proper Authorities at their discretion. Rule 28 – Supplementary Discipline.

### EIHL Annotation RULE 69–INTERFERENCE ONTHEGOALKEEPER

When considering an incident worthy of Goaltender Interference, the 3 main criteria to consider/answer in making the appropriate decision:

1. Is the goaltender able to play his position? If he is contacted does he have time to recover?

2. Was the contact initiated by the defensive player or the cause of a player from the opposing team?3. Was the contact made inside (or outside) of the crease? Contact in the blue paint area calls for

disallowing a goal.

#### RULE 70 LEAVING THE PLAYERS' BENCH OR PENALTY BOX 70.1 LEAVING THE PLAYER'S BENCH OR PENALTY BOX

No Player may leave the Players' Bench or Penalty Box at any time during an altercation or for the purpose of starting an altercation.

## **70.2 LEGAL LINE CHANGE**

A Player who has entered the game while play is in progress from – own Players' Bench or legally from the Penalty Box (penalty time has expired) who starts an altercation may be subject to discipline in accordance with Rule 28 – Supplementary Discipline. A Player or Players who have entered the game on a legal line change during a stoppage of play, who line up in preparation for the ensuing "face-off", and who participate in an altercation shall be penalized under the appropriate rule and will be subject to discipline in accordance with Supplementary Discipline (a Game Misconduct is not automatic in this situation unless provided for as a result of their actions in the altercation). Rule 28 – Supplementary Discipline.

#### 70.3 LEAVING THE PLAYERS' BENCH

Players shall not be permitted to come on the ice during a stoppage of play or at the end of the first and second periods for the purpose of warming-up. The Referee will report any violation of this rule to the Proper Authorities for disciplinary action. Except at the end of each period or for entering the game legally, no Player may, at any time, leave the Players' Bench. If it is necessary to proceed to the Dressing Room during the course of the game (and when it is required to proceed by way of the ice to access the Dressing Room), the Player must wait for a stoppage of play and ensure there are not altercations in progress before proceeding. The Player who was the first or second Player to leave the Players' Bench (or Penalty Box) during an altercation or for the purpose of starting an altercation, from either or both Teams shall be assessed a Game Misconduct Penalty.

#### 70.4 LEAVING THE PENALTY BOX

Except at the end of each period or on expiration of their penalty, no Player may, at any time, leave the Penalty Box. A Player serving a penalty in the Penalty Box, who is to be changed after the penalty has been served, must proceed at once by way of the ice and be at their own Players' Bench before any change can be made.For any violation of this rule, a Bench Minor Penalty shall be imposed for "too many Players on the ice". Rule 74 – Too many Players on the Ice. A penalized Player who leaves the Penalty Box before their penalty has expired, whether play is in progress or not, shall incur an additional Minor Penalty after serving





their unexpired penalty. Any Player who, having entered the Penalty Box, leaves the Penalty Box prior to the expiration of their penalty for the purpose of challenging an Official's ruling, shall be assessed a Game Misconduct Penalty. If deemed appropriate, Supplementary Discipline can be applied by the Proper Authorities at their discretion. This rule does not replace any other more severe penalty that may be imposed for leaving the Penalty Box for the purpose of starting or participating in an altercation as outlined in this rule. Rule 28 – Supplementary Discipline. Any penalized Player leaving the Penalty Box during a stoppage of play and during an altercation shall incur a Minor Penalty plus a Game Misconduct Penalty. The Minor Penalty plus the unexpired time remaining in their original penalty must be served by a replacement Player placed in the Penalty Box by the Coach of the offending Team. If a Player leaves the Penalty Box before their penalty is fully served, the Penalty Timekeeper shall note the time and signal the On-ice Officials who will stop play when the offending Player's Team obtains "control of the puck". An additional Minor Penalty must be served by this Player in addition to the time remaining in their original penalty (this unexpired time is calculated from the time they left the Penalty Box illegally). In the case of a Player returning to the ice before their time has expired through an error of the Penalty Timekeeper, they are not to serve an additional penalty, but must serve their unexpired time this unexpired time is calculated from the time they left the Penalty Box through the error of the Penalty Timekeeper. At a stoppage of play following the expiration of their penalties, if a Player or Players exiting the Penalty Box get involved in an altercation, those coming from the Penalty Box shall be assessed the penalties they incur in the altercation. Should a Player coming from the Penalty Box at a stoppage of play get involved with an opponent and the opponent is deemed to be the instigator of the altercation, then the Player coming from the Penalty Box would not be subject to the Game Misconduct Penalty. If deemed appropriate, Supplementary Discipline can be applied by the Proper Authorities at their discretion. Rule 28 – Supplementary Discipline

### **70.5 BENCH MINOR PENALTY**

A Bench Minor Penalty shall be imposed on a Team whose Player(s) leave the Players' Bench for any purpose other than a change of Players and when no altercation is in progress. If a Coach or team personnel gets on the ice, unless directed to do so by On-ice Official or Medical Personnel, to attend to an injured Player after the start of a period and before that period is ended, the Referee shall impose a Bench Minor Penalty against the Team and report the incident to the Proper Authorities for disciplinary action. Where an injury has occurred to a Player and there is a stoppage of play, a Team Doctor (or other Medical Personnel) may go onto the ice to attend to the injured Player without waiting for the Referee's consent.

## **70.6 GAME MISCONDUCT PENALTY**

A Game Misconduct Penalty shall be imposed on the Player who was the first or second Player to leave the Players' Bench or Penalty Box during an altercation or for the purpose of starting an altercation, from either or both Teams. Any penalized Player leaving the Penalty Box during a stoppage of play and during an altercation shall incur a Minor Penalty plus a Game Misconduct Penalty. The Minor Penalty plus the unexpired time remaining in their original penalty must be served by a replacement Player placed in the Penalty Box by the Coach of the offending Team. Any Player who has been ordered to the Dressing Room by the Officials and returns to their Players' Bench or to the ice surface for any reason before the appropriate time shall be assessed a Game Misconduct. If deemed appropriate, Supplementary Discipline can be applied by the Proper Authorities at their discretion. Rule 28 – Supplementary Discipline. Once a Player enters the Penalty Box, they must not leave until their penalty expires and their Team is entitled to an additional Player on the ice, or, at the end of a period to proceed to their Dressing Room, or, when they have received permission from an On-ice Official. At any other time, they shall be assessed a Game Misconduct Penalty under this rule.

#### **70.7 PENALTY SHOT**

If a Player of the attacking side in possession of the puck shall be in such a position as to have no opposition between them and the opposing Goalkeeper, and while in such position their shall be interfered with by a Player of the opposing Team who shall have illegally entered the game, the Referee shall impose a "Penalty Shot" against the Team to which the offending Player belongs.





### 70.8 AWARDED GOAL

If, when the opposing Goalkeeper has been removed from the ice, a Player of the side attacking the unattended goal is interfered with in the Neutral or Attacking Zone by a Player who shall have entered the game illegally, the Referee shall immediately award a goal to the non-offending Team.

## 70.9 DISALLOWED GOAL

If a penalised Player returns to the ice from the Penalty Box before their penalty has expired by their own error or the error of the Penalty Timekeeper, any goal scored by their own Team while they are illegally on the ice shall be disallowed but all penalties imposed on either Team shall be served as regular penalties. If a Player shall illegally enter the game from their own Players' Bench or from the Penalty Box, any goal scored by their own Team while they are illegally on the ice shall be disallowed but all penalties.

#### **70.10 DISCIPLINARY MEASURES**

If deemed appropriate, Supplementary Discipline can be applied by the Proper Authorities at their discretion. Rule 28 – Supplementary Discipline

## HOCKEY VIEWS FROM SECTION 'C' AND BEYOND Darrian Wilson

A warm welcome back to this fine digital publication at a time where all Flyers' news has been as hard to digest as an undercooked Brussel sprout whilst also causing as much hot air to be blown as one. We find ourself in the period between Christmas and New Year that's like when all the good chocolates have been scoffed and we're left slowly munching through the toffee pennies of life. I'll start the serious stuff by saying a huge thank you to all the players who pulled on the Flyers colours last weekend as well as Johnny Curran and Todd Dutiaume for running the bench.

As news of Drake Pilon walking off into the sunset reached us it was like a kick to the bag of mixed nuts and whilst we were wondering where that left us with regards to manpower the next whack in the Brazil's was duly delivered with the news of Tom Coolen being sacked by mutual consent or something like that.

The ins and outs of those become irrelevant as Flyers worked hard in the background to simply survive. What we saw was a team pulled together at short notice whilst the league worked with Flyers to ensure that Flyers could fulfil last weekend's fixtures. If those efforts had failed then the magnitude of the fallout would have been catastrophic for Flyers and a heck of a situation to manage for the league.

What can we take from last week then? When the chips are down the league will work in the best interest of the teams and league and hoorah for that. Far too often the league management is called into question over the wee things but when it gets serious, they get it right.

Furthermore, for Flyers, it showed their commitment to carry on. It would have been easy to let it fall apart, regroup between now and summer then see where we go next. Flyers took the difficult option, the option which would have meant many hours on the phone or emails trying to get players pulled in to ice and a whole bunch of stress whilst trying to deliver on the weekend and look to the immediate future. We know that Belfast, Dundee, Leeds, Hull and the Kestrels played their part, Belfast doing us a bigger favour by not making it home for Sunday evening's match but again that would have come at a cost. I'm not the only one that, after the dust has settled on the weekend, is grateful to those that allowed their players to ice for Flyers and debut their talents in the Elite League.

Flyers still have four games between the 26th and 31st of December to contend with and thankfully the travel will be local. What an act of sorcery this feels like that we hit a period of time where travel is minimal and games are spaced out just after the guy who was championing a schedule like this has left the Auld Barn!

Boxing Day will see Flyers host Dundee Stars and on the 30th we will be back in the Auld Barn as Clan come to visit. First point of business for Flyers will be to consolidate the foundations of the team as we prepare to skate through uncharted territory. We can expect no favours from Stars and Clan as they will seek maximum points from their games against us, and so they should. My own hope is that our loyal players make it through this turbulent time fit and healthy and any player that comes in on a two way can showcase themselves and make an impact.

Times like this can lead to an understanding between the players and fans, out the window goes the thoughts of give us something to cheer about and we'll cheer, instead there is a healthy respect and appreciation that despite those players owing Flyers nothing and could have walked away and got onto another team, they chose to stay and play and likely save our club.

When it comes down to it, I hope we remember from now until the end of the season the level of loyalty those guys showed.

We owe them, Johnny and Todd more than we could imagine.

Let's show our appreciation to them all, and maybe sort them out with a beer or two.

Darrian

# Matchnight PRESENTATIONS

**BELFAST GIANTS DECEMBER 22ND 2024** 



## GIANTS MOM PIERRE-OLIVIER MORIN

## FLYERS MOM BRODIE KAY



## 50/50 WINNER

## SHIRT OFF BACK WINNER



Canadian scoring ace Danny Brown had 11 stitches inserted in a facial injury sustained at Ayr on Sunday night and could miss Fife Flyers two important matches this weekend. Brown caught an accidental high stick from Bruins' player-coach Paul Bedard just above the eye, and it is touch and go whether he will be able to face either Dundee Rockets tomorrow or Durham Wasps on Sunday. While the absence of the Canadian would undoubtedly be a major blow to Flyers, they the resources not to lean too heavily on any one player. The Kirkcaldy side had only one fixture scheduled for this weekend until earlier this week when the BIHA announced their away match against Durham Wasps was to be brought forward from March 3 to Sunday. Tomorrow's game against Dundee Rockets at Kirkcaldy Ice Rink should ensure another full house with Flyers intent on consolidating their place at the top of the Premier League. However player-coach Ron Plumb has reaffirmed this waning about the dangers of complacency. "We have got to the top of the league by working hard and we will have to continue to work hard in order to stay there" he said yesterday. "It is very easy to get carried away but we have some very tough games ahead and we cannot afford to become complacent". Plumb was full of praise for the way Flyers' reshuffled side coped with the loss of Brown on Sunday. "I thought Gordon Latto had a tremendous game playing at centre in the first line, but we also switched Chic Cottrell and Steven Kirk, and they responded well," he said, "Ayr is another small rink and we took some time to adjust, but we came through at the end of the night. "Against Murrayfield on Saturday I thought we played an excellent all-round game," Plumb went on. "It was not that Murrayfield did not play well — we did not let them play at all." Flyers will be without Jimmy Pennycook this weekend through work commitments, but apart from Brwon have no injury worries. Tomorrow will be the fifth meeting of Flyers and Rockets this season - and the Dundee side are still looking for their first success. However Flyers are unbeaten on their own ice and it would be something of a surprise if Rockets came away with the points. Sunday's trip to Durham pits the Flyers against the side that beat them in the Bluecol Cup final last month and the Kirkcaldy side will be going all out for revenge. It was Wasps who inflicted Flyers first defeat of the season back in October and Plumb's men will do very well to avoid defeat on the tight Durham ice. Flyers fans are advised that the supporters bus for Durham leaves Kirkcaldy Ice Rink at 1pm on Sunday.

## 05/01/1985 Fife Flyers v Dundee Rockets Premier League

Fife Flyers' stranglehold over defending British champions Dundee Rockets continued at Kirkcaldy Ice Rink on Saturday night as they skated to a victory as emphatic as the scoreline suggests This was Flyers fifth successive win over Rockets this season — and each time the margin of victory has been increased. The Dundee side were a pale shadow of the team which swept all before them last season and offered little in the way of resistance to Ron Plumb's men. Flyers played well but they did not have to be at their best to take the points from the dispirited visitors. The determination to succeed in the Kirkcaldy camp was no better illustrated than by the courage of Canadian Danny Brown who played against Rockets despite having 11 stitches in a facial injury and scored a hattrick. The rout began after only 65 seconds when Neil Abel had a shot blocked by the Dundee netminder, and Dave Stoyanovich bundled the rebound into the net. Flyers' second goal two minutes later arrived in similar fashion when Chic Cottrell squeezed the puck home from a very tight angle after Dougie Latto's effort had been pushed away. Gordon Latto added a power play goal in the fifth minute with a fierce shot which hit the keeper but spun over him into the net. Four minutes later, Danny Brown made it 4-0 with a shorthanded goal when he skated half the length of the ice before dummying the netminder. Rockets had hardly tested Craig Dickson in the home net, but they pulled one back in the 14th minute when Ronnie Wood tucked home the rebound of a Bois effort. Neil Abel got on the scoresheet two minutes into the second period with a tremendous shot from the blue line low into the corner, and then Brown made it six when he skated on to a Stuart Drummond pass. Although Wood pulled one back for Rockets in a rare attack, Brian Peat replied within second for Flyers when he found a gap between the netminder and his near post to score his first goal of the season.



Straight from the face-off, Gary McEwan made it 8-2 when he scored from close range, and although Wood completed his hattrick with another breakaway goal, Andy Linton accepted a simple chance to end the period scoring. Flyers emphasised their superiority by scoring six times in the final period without reply, Steven Kirk claiming the first two within the space of 20 seconds. David Stoyanovich then blasted home three in a row before Danny Brown completed his hat-trick two minutes from time and was given a standing ovation.



Danny Brown sends the netminder the wrong way to score the first of his three goals.



### 06/01/1985 Durham Wasps v Fife Flyers Premier League

Fife Flyers became the first team to take a league point at Durham for more than a year on Sunday – and it could so easily have been two. The Kirkcaldy side led 5-3 early in the final period, but conceded two power play goals, and had to be content with a share of with the spoils. Flyers were looking for revenge for their defeat in the Bluecol Cup final last month and they were given the perfect start by player-coach Ron Plumb who shot them after only 35 seconds. However, Pete Johnson brought Wasps level, and in the eighth minute the home side went ahead when Stephen Johnson was on target. Although Dave Stoyanovich equalised after 10 minutes, Paul Smith made it 3-2 for Durham at the first buzzer. The second period brought only one goal with Gordon Latto again making it all goals square with just two minutes played. It was Latto who again found the net early in the third period to put Flyers ahead, and when Andy Linton made it 5-3 in the 46th minute, Wasps looked set to lose their first home match in 13 months. However, with the visitors under penalty two powerplay goals by Stephen Cooper set up a nail-biting last 10 minutes. Play swung from end to end, and Flyers almost snatched a dramatic last-minute winner when Dave Stoyanovich was clean through on goal but sent his shot against the bar.

Fife Flyers reach the half-way stage of the Heineken Premier League tomorrow with an away match against Cleveland Bombers in which they will be bidding to consolidate their position at the top of the table. And they have another chance to maintain their current superiority over Dundee Rockets on Wednesday evening when they visit Dundee for a match to be televised by BBC Scotland. Tomorrow's match at Cleveland is the first of two meetings between Flyers and Bombers within the space of eight days, with the English side due to visit Kirkcaldy next Saturday. Player-coach Ron Plumb commented yesterday: "seem to be going well and it will be a hard game. "We will be going for both points, but it is another small rink and we will have to play it tight." Jimmy Pennycook is not available tomorrow, but he will be back to face his former club on Wednesday when the face-off is at 8 p.m. We have been

doing well against Dundee but they can be a very dangerous side and we cannot take anything for granted" said Plumb. The good thing about our win over Rockets on Saturday was the way the goals were spread throughout the team, and that should give the players a lot of confidence. "It was very similar to the Murrayfield game the previous week, because we did not let Rockets get going, and before they knew it they were 4-0 down. "We have got them under the thumb at the moment, and we want to keep it that way."" Plumb was also delighted with the point gained at Durham on Sunday night. "It was a point that not many teams will get, and we know that we don't have to go back to Durham," he pointed out.

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Fife	17	12	3	2	167	81	26
Murrayfield	17	12	4	1	153	96	25
Durham	15	10	4	1	116	84	21
Streatham	16	9	5	2	116	90	20
Cleveland	16	9	5	2	140	111	20
Dundee	17	8	8	1	114	120	17
Nottingham							
Ayr	17	5	11	1	116	149	11
Whitley Bay	18	4	13	1	132	175	9
S'ampton	14	0	14	0	50	178	0



There was an added boost for Flyers this week when Plumb was voted Heineken's Coach of the Month for December, with Dave Stoyanovich collecting the award for the Premier League's top point scorer in the same month. Meanwhile, Flyers will make another attempt to set up a world record for the shooting speed of a puck at Kirkcaldy Ice Rink on Saturday 19th January. Last month's bid had to be abandoned because of technical difficulties and the new attempt goes ahead at 12.30pm next Saturday.

## 12/01/1985 Cleveland Bombers v Fife Flyers Premier League

Dave Stoyanovich became the first man to score 100 competitive goals this season when he bagged two in Fife Flyers' comfortable victory over Cleveland Bombers on Saturday night. The big Canadian reached the magic 'ton' early in the second period of a game which saw two Flyers — Andy Linton and Brian Peat — pick up match misconduct penalties. It was Stoyanovich who gave Flyers the perfect start with a goal after just 37 seconds, and the Kirkcaldy side continued to hold the upper hand without adding to their lead. The match boiled over, however, in the12th minute, when Andy Linton became involved in an incident between Neil Abel and Bombers' player-coach Jim Earle and received a game misconduct penalty. With Flyers skating four men against three they increased their lead after 14 minutes with a goal by Gordon Latto. Two minutes from the buzzer, Earle was involved in another incident, this time with Brian Peat, and both players were given match misconduct penalties. Flyers did not let this upset them however, and with 22 seconds of the period remaining, Danny Brown made 3-0. Although McDonough pulled one back for Cleveland seven minutes into the second period, Dave Stoyanovich hit back for Flyers within 60 seconds to claim his 100th goal of the season in Heineken League and Bluecol Cup matches. Brown then struck twice in the last three minutes of the period to give Flyers a commanding 6-1 lead. McDonough was on target for Bombers midway through the final period, but with the home side in penalty trouble towards the end of the match, Gordo Latto and Ron Plumb added further goals for Flyers.

## 16/01/1985 Dundee Rockets v Fife Flyers Premier League

Dundee Rockets extracted some revenge for five previous defeats by Fife Flyers this season with victory in Wednesday's televised Heineken Premier League match. Boosted by a hat-trick from their overnight signing from Nottingham Panthers, Steve Salter, Rockets thoroughly deserved to take both points. However, it was a result which left Flyers wondering just where they went wrong. In terms of performance, it was a repeat of their poor showing in last month's Bluecol Cup final defeat by Durham Wasps, with the whole side choosing this match to have an off night. Incredibly, Flyers held a three-goal lead midway through the match, before an astonishing collapse saw Rockets change the pattern of the game with four goals in the space of five minutes. After their recent fine defensive performances, it was a major disappointment for Flyers to concede 10 goals for the first time this season. Yet there was no indication of what was to follow as the Kirkcaldy side built up a 4-2 lead during the first period. Dave Stoyanovich fired Flyers ahead in just 40 seconds, but with Ron Plumb in the penalty box, Rockets equalised in the fourth minute through Ronnie Wood. Two minutes later, Chris Brinster put the home side ahead with a shot from the blue line. After 11 minutes, however, Flyers got back on level terms when Neil Abel took advantage of a scramble in front of the Dundee net to send the puck through the keeper's legs. Chic Cottrell then put Flyers 3-2 ahead when he scored after a Brian Peat effort had rebounded from the boards behind the goal, and a minute later, Dave Stoyanovich reached his second 'ton' within the space of five days when he scored to notch his 100th league point of the season. When Danny Brown made it 5-2 for Flyers with a power play goal nine minutes into the second period, another joy night for the Fife fans looked on the cards. However, Flyers were stunned as Rockets rattled in four goals in five minutes through Salter (2), Ally Wood and Roche Bois to lead 6-5 going into the final period. Less than a minute after the restart, it was all square as Danny Brown scored a fine solo goal but Ronnie Wood restored Rockets lead seven minutes later and Bois then put Dundee side 8-6 ahead. Although Stoyanovich scored Flyers' best goal of the night just a minute later Salter completed his hattrick with four minutes remaining. With 60 seconds on the clock, Flyers gambled by withdrawing netminder Craig Dickson, but this last-ditch effort failed as Bois stroked the puck into the empty net just 15 seconds from time. Highlights of the match can be seen on 'Grandstand' tomorrow. Flyers' coach Ron Plumb said later that he felt it was "purely coincidental' his side's two worst performances of the season had come in front of the TV cameras.



## KIRKCALDY ICE HOCKEY CLUB



**Kirkcaldy Kestrels** ended their Scottish National League fixtures for the year on the wrong end of the scoreline at home to Dundee Rockets on Sunday.

After two goalless periods, the two teams traded a goal apiece before the Rockets stepped on the gas to claim a 6-1 victory.

Our guys were gutted they could not secure a more positive result for the fans who came to support them.

The match night was themed as a festive get-together for local ice hockey fans, and the Kirkcaldy faithful did not disappoint.

A special word of thanks goes to match night manager Melanie Morris, who endured several sleepless nights in the run-up to the game.

She worked tirelessly to make the match night experience special, and her efforts undoubtedly paid off.

Thanks also to members of Andys Man Club Scotland, who brought along more than 110 people to the game. We're delighted to support this fantastic initiative.

The Kestrels now have a short break to enjoy the festive celebrations before returning to action at Edinburgh Capitals on Saturday, 4th January.

Fife Redwings slipped to home defeat against Dundee Stars U12 on Sunday.

The youngsters acquitted themselves against one of the top teams in the league, displaying a 'no quit' attitude throughout the game.

Netminder Jenson Reid was the Redwings' MVP.



# TABLES & FIXTURES SEASON 2024/25

## **ELITE LEAGUE**

	GP	PTS	w	отw	L	OTL/SOL	GF	GA	PTS %	
Cardiff Devils	22	34	16	0	4	2	82	46	0.77	
Belfast Giants	20	30	13	1	4	2	80	46	0.75	
Coventry Blaze	21	26	11	1	7	2	77	61	0.62	
Nottingham Panthers	20	25	9	3	7	1	68	51	0.63	
Guildford Flames	22	25	10	2	8	1	66	63	0.57	
Sheffield Steelers	20	24	11	1	8	0	79	56	0.6	Ļ
Glasgow Clan	21	18	8	1	11	0	55	74	0.43	
Manchester Storm	19	15	6	1	11	1	59	81	0.39	
Dundee Stars	23	15	5	2	15	1	68	99	0.33	
Fife Flyers	20	6	2	0	16	2	44	101	0.15	

As at 23rd December 2024

## WHAT'S ON TAP THIS WEEK

Game ID			Home	Away	Face Off
106	Thu	26-Dec-2024	Sheffield Steelers	Nottingham Panthers	16:00
107	Thu	26-Dec-2024	Glasgow Clan	Belfast Giants	17:00
108	Thu	26-Dec-2024	Manchester Storm	<b>Guildford Flames</b>	17:30
109	Thu	26-Dec-2024	Fife Flyers	Dundee Stars	18:30
110	Thu	26-Dec-2024	Coventry Blaze	Cardiff Devils	18:00
111	Sat	28-Dec-2024	Guildford Flames	Manchester Storm	18:00
112	Sat	28-Dec-2024	Belfast Giants	Glasgow Clan	19:00
113	Sat	28-Dec-2024	Cardiff Devils	Coventry Blaze	19:00
114	Sat	28-Dec-2024	Dundee Stars	Fife Flyers	19:00
115	Sat	28-Dec-2024	Nottingham Panthers	Sheffield Steelers	19:00
116	Mon	30-Dec-2024	Belfast Giants	Dundee Stars	19:00
117	Mon	30-Dec-2024	Fife Flyers	Glasgow Clan	19:15
118	Mon	30-Dec-2024	Sheffield Steelers	Manchester Storm	19:30
119	Tue	31-Dec-2024	Dundee Stars	Belfast Giants	14:00
120	Tue	31-Dec-2024	Glasgow Clan	Fife Flyers	14:00
121	Tue	31-Dec-2024	Cardiff Devils	<b>Guildford Flames</b>	16:00
122	Tue	31-Dec-2024	Nottingham Panthers	Coventry Blaze	16:00
123	Wed	1-Jan-2025	<b>Guildford Flames</b>	Cardiff Devils	16:00
124	Wed	1-Jan-2025	Manchester Storm	Sheffield Steelers	17:30
125	Wed	1-Jan-2025	Coventry Blaze	Nottingham Panthers	18:00

# FLYERS SCHEDULE 2024/25

Date	Opposition	Competition	Venue	FO Time	Result	Score
Saturday Aug 24th	Dundee Stars	Pre Season	н	19:00	Lost	2-4
Sunday Aug 25th	Dundee Stars	Pre Season	н	17:15	Lost	4-6
Saturday Aug 31st	UQTR	Pre Season	н	19:15	Won	2-0
Saturday Sep 7th	Glasgow Clan	Challenge Cup	Н	19:15	Won	4-3
Sunday Sep 8th	Belfast Giants	Challenge Cup	Н	17:15	Lost	2-4
Saturday Sep 14th	Manchester Storm	League	Н	19:15	Lost	5-6
Sunday Sep 15th	Dundee Stars	Challenge Cup	А	17:00	Lost SO	2-3
Saturday Sep 21st	Cardiff Devils	League	А	19:00	Lost	1-5
Sunday Sep 22nd	Glasgow Clan	Challenge Cup	Н	17:15	Lost	5-8
Saturday Sep 28th	Dundee Stars	Challenge Cup	Н	19:15	Won	4-1
Sunday Sep 29th	Guildford Flames	League	А	18:00	Lost	1-4
Saturday Oct 5th	Manchester Storm	League	Н	19:15	Won	3-2
Sunday Oct 6th	Nottingham Panthers	League	А	16:00	Lost	1-5
Wednesday Oct 9th	Belfast Giants	Challenge Cup	Н	19:30	Lost	0-7
Friday Oct 11th	Cardiff Devils	League	А	19:30	Lost	2-5
Friday Oct 18th	Dundee Stars	Challenge Cup	А	19:30	Lost	0-7
Saturday Oct 19th	Guildford Flames	League	Н	19:15	Lost	4-7
Saturday Oct 26th	Glasgow Clan	Challenge Cup	А	19:00	Lost	0-3
Sunday Oct 27th	Dundee Stars	Challenge Cup	Н	17:15	Lost	2-7
Wednesday Oct 30th	Sheffield Steeleers	League	А	19:30	Lost	2-5
Saturday Nov 2nd	Belfast Giants	Challenge Cup	А	19:00	Lost	3-5
Sunday Nov 3rd	Nottingham Panthers	League	Н	17:15	Lost SO	3-4
Saturday Nov 9th	Glasgow Clan	League	Н	19:15	Lost OT	4-5
Sunday Nov 10th	Dundee Stars	League	А	17:00	Lost	2-5
Saturday Nov 16th	Belfast Giants	Challenge Cup	А	19:00	Won OT	4-3
Sunday Nov 17th	Sheffield Steeleers	League	Н	17:15	Lost	1-4
Saturday Nov 23rd	Cardiff Devils	League	Н	19:15	Lost	4-5
Sunday Nov 24th	Coventry Blaze	League	А	17:30	Lost	2-9
Saturday Nov 30th	Glasgow Clan	Challenge Cup	А	19:00	Lost	2-5
Sunday Dec 1st	Sheffield Steeleers	League	Н	17:15	Won	5-3
Saturday Dec 7th	Manchester Storm	League	А	19:00	Lost	2-4
Sunday Dec 8th	Guildford Flames	League	Н	17:15	Lost	0-4
Saturday Dec 14th	Nottingham Panthers	League	А	19:00	Lost	0-6
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Sunday Jan 5th	Guildford Flames	League	А	18:00		
Saturday Jan 11th	Dundee Stars	League	Н	19:15		
Sunday Jan 12th	Sheffield Steeleers	League	А	16:00		
Saturday Jan 18th	Manchester Storm	League	А	19:00		
Sunday Jan 19th	Nottingham Panthers	League	Н	17:15		
Friday Jan 24th	Glasgow Clan	League	А	19:30		
Saturday Jan 25th	Cardiff Devils	League	Н	19:15		
Saturday Feb 1st	Belfast Giants	League	Н	19:15		
Sunday Feb 2nd	Coventry Blaze	League	А	17:30		
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Sunday Mar 30th	Sheffield Steeleers	League	Н	17:15		
Saturday Apr 5th	Manchester Storm	League	Н	19:15		
Sunday Apr 6th	Dundee Stars	League	А	17:00		



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