



TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING 3, CAROLINA HURRICANES 1

Postgame Notes – January 5, 2020

Attendance: 18,015



CAROLINA HURRICANES SCORING NOTES

Per	Time	Goal Scorer	Assists	STR	Score
3	11:48	Andrei Svechnikov (18)	Jacob Slavin (17), Brett Pesce (11)	EV	TBL 3-1

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Per	Time	Goal Scorer	Assists	STR	Score
1	2:36	Mitchell Stephens (2)	Carter Verhaeghe (4), Nikita Kucherov (30)	EV	TBL 1-0
1	4:44	Steven Stamkos (16)	Unassisted	EV	TBL 2-0
2	5:19	Brayden Point (17)	Nikita Kucherov (31), Steven Stamkos (23)	EV	TBL 3-0

PESCATARIAN

Brett Pesce posted his 99th career assist tonight to extend his assist streak to three games (12/31-1/5: 3a). He has matched both the longest assist streak and longest point streak of his career. Pesce previously recorded an assist in three straight games from 12/11/15-12/15/15 (3a), and he also registered a three-game point streak from 3/1/19-3/5/19 (1g, 3a).

YEAH SVECH

Andrei Svechnikov scored his 18th goal of the season tonight, and he is now tied with **Teuvo Teravainen** for the team lead in points (41). Svechnikov has recorded more career goals (38) and points (78) than any other player selected in the 2018 NHL Draft.

SLAVIN AWAY

Jacob Slavin recorded his 17th assist of the season tonight. He has earned 16 of those assists at even strength, which is tied for fourth among all NHL defensemen in the category.

TRENDING UP

Tonight's attendance at PNC Arena was 18,015, marking Carolina's sixth straight home game with a crowd of at least 18,000 (12/7-1/5). The Hurricanes have had six sellouts this season and are now averaging 16,350 fans per game through 20 home games in 2019-20. This marks an increase of 23.4% over Carolina's average attendance through 20 home games last season (13,245).

HOME COOKING

Tonight's game was the fourth game of a seven-game homestand for the Hurricanes (2-2-0 record), and the team is currently on their fifth homestand of seven games or longer in franchise history. Carolina's last homestand of at least seven games was an eight-game stretch from 1/30/18-2/13/18, when they posted a 5-2-1 record.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- Carolina went 0-for-4 on the power play tonight and is now 32-for-136 (23.5%) on the man-advantage this season. The Hurricanes went 2-for-2 on the penalty kill and are now 124-for-152 (81.6%) on the kill this season.
- Tampa Bay went 0-for-2 on the power play tonight and is now 38-for-132 (28.8%) on the man-advantage this season. The Lightning went 4-for-4 on the penalty kill and are now 108-for-132 (81.8%) on the kill this season.

SHOTS BY PERIOD

TEAMS	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
Tampa Bay	5	17	4	-	26
Carolina	13	5	11	-	29