



PLAYOFF HISTORY

* This is the second all-time postseason meeting between the franchises following the [2018 Conference Finals](#), a five-game triumph by Vegas during its historic run to the Stanley Cup Final in its inaugural season.

* **2018 Conference Finals Recap:** The Jets won Game 1 in front of a raucous "Winnipeg Whiteout" crowd, but the Golden Knights claimed four straight victories to win the series. Vegas became the 20th team from either the NHL, MLB, NBA or NFL/AFL to reach the championship series or game *in their first trip to the postseason* (all-time for NHL and NBA; since 1966 for NFL/AFL; since 1969 for MLB); the Golden Knights also became the sixth team in NHL history to achieve the feat (1918 Toronto Arenas, 1926 Montreal Maroons, 1927 Boston Bruins, 1968 St. Louis Blues & 1996 Florida Panthers). Like the Golden Knights, the Arenas and Blues advanced to the Final *in their inaugural season*, though under much different circumstances.

HEAD-TO-HEAD STATS

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2022-23 regular-season series

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All-time in regular season

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All-time in postseason

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2022-23 TEAM STATS

Stats below are through games of April 13. NHL rank included in brackets. Excludes shootout-deciding goals.

WINNIPEG JETS		VEGAS GOLDEN KNIGHTS
19.3% PP% (23rd)	POWER PLAY	20.3% PP% (18th)
52 PPG (16th)		42 PPG (25th)
82.4% PK% (6th)	PENALTY KILL	77.4% PK% (19th)
7 SHG (T-16th)		10 SHG (T-6th)
246 GF (21st)	OFFENSE	267 GF (14th)
3.00 GF/GP (21st)		3.26 GF/GP (14th)
224 GA (10th)	DEFENSE	225 GA (11th)
2.73 GA/GP (20th)		2.74 GA/GP (11th)
30.3 SOG/GP (21st)	SHOTS	31.5 SOG/GP (T-15th)
30.3 SA/GP (10th)		30.9 SA/GP (13th)

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* Six players have played for both franchises (min. 1 GP in regular-season or playoffs), including two who have skated for each club during the Stanley Cup Playoffs. **Nate Schmidt** is set to join **Cody Eakin** and **Paul Stastny** as the third to do so.



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* Winnipeg will be the second team Vegas faces in multiple playoff series (they are 1-1 vs. SJS). Vegas, meanwhile, will be the first opponent *Winnipeg* faces in more than one postseason series (they are 3-6 vs. nine different opponents).

* Twelve players who appeared in at least one game during the 2018 Conference Finals remain with the Golden Knights or Jets: **William Karlsson**, **Jonathan Marchessault**, **Brayden McNabb**, **Reilly Smith** and **Shea Theodore** (w/ VGK) as well as **Kyle Connor**, **Nikolaj Ehlers**, **Connor Hellebuyck**, **Adam Lowry**, **Josh Morrissey**, **Mark Scheifele** and **Blake Wheeler** (w/ WPG).

* **Rick Bowness** was head coach of the Stars when they earned a five-game series win against the Golden Knights in the [2020 Conference Finals](#). Bowness (2020 w/ DAL) and **Bruce Cassidy** (2019 w/ BOS) have both reached the Stanley Cup Final within the last four years.

Vegas Golden Knights with Playoff Experience vs. WPG

Player	Pos.	Playoff Team	GP	Team Record	G	A	P
Alex Pietrangelo	D	STL	6	4-2 (W-L)	0	6	6
Ivan Barbashev	C	STL	6	4-2 (W-L)	0	0	0
Brayden McNabb	D	VGK	5	4-1 (W-L)	1	2	3
Reilly Smith	R	VGK	5	4-1 (W-L)	1	4	5
William Karlsson	C	VGK	5	4-1 (W-L)	2	1	3
Jonathan Marchessault	R	VGK	5	4-1 (W-L)	4	3	7
Shea Theodore	D	VGK	5	4-1 (W-L)	0	2	2

Winnipeg Jets with Playoff Experience vs. VGK

Player	Pos.	Playoff Team	GP	Team Record	G	A	P
Brenden Dillon	D	SJS	13	6-7 (W-L)	0	3	3
Dylan DeMelo	D	SJS	6	2-4 (W-L)	0	1	1
Blake Wheeler	R	WPG	5	1-4 (W-L)	0	6	6
Adam Lowry	C	WPG	5	1-4 (W-L)	0	0	0
Mark Scheifele	C	WPG	5	1-4 (W-L)	3	1	4
Josh Morrissey	D	WPG	5	1-4 (W-L)	1	0	1
Kyle Connor	L	WPG	5	1-4 (W-L)	1	1	2
Nikolaj Ehlers	L	WPG	4	1-3 (W-L)	0	1	1
Vladislav Namestnikov	C	COL	1	0-0 (W-L)	0	0	0

Goaltender	Pos.	Playoff Team	GP	GS	Decisions	SO	SA	SV	GA	GAA	SV%
Connor Hellebuyck	G	WPG	5	5	1-4	0	139	126	13	2.66	.906