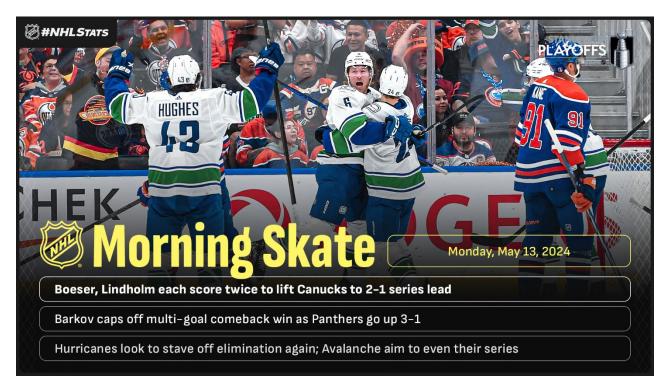
### NHL MORNING SKATE: STANLEY CUP PLAYOFFS EDITION - MAY 13, 2024



\* **Brock Boeser** and **Elias Lindholm** both scored twice to lift the Canucks to the second comeback win of Sunday night and the 28th of the 2024 Stanley Cup Playoffs – a total that is the fourth highest at this stage of a postseason (58 GP) in NHL history.

\* Aleksander Barkov recorded his third game-winning goal of the 2024 Stanley Cup Playoffs to help the Panthers complete their fifth-ever multi-goal comeback win in the postseason and move within one victory of clinching a berth to the Conference Finals.

\* Monday will feature the Hurricanes looking for their second straight win as they aim to force a Game 6, while the Avalanche can even their series on home ice.





# CANUCKS EARN SECOND COMEBACK WIN OF SERIES TO TAKE 2-1 LEAD

**Brock Boeser** (2-1—3) and **Elias Lindholm** (2-0—2) both scored two goals while rookie netminder **Arturs Silovs** posted a 42-save performance to propel the Canucks to their fourth road win of the postseason – <u>the most among all teams</u> – as Vancouver took a 2-1 series lead. The Second Round series between the Canucks and Oilers has seen the winning team overcome a deficit to win in each of the first three games.

\* The Canucks recorded their fourth comeback win of the 2024 Stanley Cup Playoffs, which is tied with the Avalanche (4) and Rangers (4) for the most among all teams. They established the fourth instance in <u>franchise history</u> of recording four-plus come-from-behind victories in a postseason (also 6 in 2011 & 1982 & 4 in 1994).



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PLAYOFF YEAR	COMEBACK WINS	
1999	31 (53%)	
1991	31 (53%)	
1982	31 (53%)	
2006	30 (52%)	
1989	29 (50%)	
2024	28 (48%)	
2010	28 (48%)	W#NHLSTATS

\* Boeser and Lindholm became the fourth pair of Canucks teammates over the past 30 years to each score multiple goals in a playoff game. The others: **Steve Bernier** and **Mikael Samuelsson** (Game 5 of 2010 CQF), **Jeff Brown** and **Geoff Courtnall** (Game 6 of 1994 SCF) as well as **Pavel Bure** and Courtnall (Game 5 of 1994 SCF).

\* Silovs, who <u>earned his fourth win of the 2024 Stanley Cup Playoffs</u>, tied for the second-most saves in a playoff game by a rookie goaltender in franchise history, trailing only **Thatcher Demko** (48 in Game 6 of 2020 R2 & 42 in Game 5 of 2020 R2).

## BARKOV HELPS "COMEBACK CATS" RALLY, TAKE 3-1 SERIES LEAD

**Anton Lundell** scored his first goal of the 2024 Stanley Cup Playoffs to kickstart a Panthers rally that was eventually capped off by the game winner from captain **Aleksander Barkov** as Florida charged back to take a 3-1 series lead. The Panthers are 3-0 when <u>leading 3-1 in a best-of-seven series</u> and hold an <u>overall record of 8-4 in Game 5s</u> of seven-game series.



*			EBACK WINS
GAME	CUP PLAYOFFS 2024	MAX DEFICIT	
GAME 5 OF 2022 R1 GAME 3 OF 2012 CQF		3	
GAME 4 OF 2024 R2	BOSTON BRUINS	2	FLORIDA R
GAME 2 OF 2023 R2	TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS	2	etw
GAME 3 OF 2021 R1	TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING	2	#NHLSTATS

\* Barkov notched his third game-winning goal of the 2024 Stanley Cup Playoffs, <u>second most among all</u> <u>skaters</u> behind **Artemi Panarin** (4). The Panthers captain trails only **Matthew Tkachuk** (4 in 2023) and **Carter Verhaeghe** (4 in 2023) for the most game winners in a single postseason <u>in franchise history</u>.

\* Barkov (16-34—50 in 56 GP) also tied **Saku Koivu** (56 GP) as the fourth-fastest Finnish-born player in NHL history to record 50 points in the playoffs, behind only **Jari Kurri** (34 GP), **Mikko Rantanen** (40 GP) and **Sebastian Aho** (52 GP).

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# MONDAY FEATURES HURRICANES HOPING TO FORCE GAME 6, AVALANCHE EYING SPLIT

Monday's slate features Carolina looking to force a Game 6 in its Second Round matchup with New York as well as Colorado aiming to pull even in its series with Dallas. Each contest is available on ESPN in the U.S. as well as on Sportsnet and TVA Sports in Canada.





\* **Jake Guentzel** generated an assist Saturday and can help the Hurricanes force a Game 6 after facing a 3-0 series deficit for the third time in franchise history, following the <u>2001 Conference</u> <u>Quarterfinals</u> and <u>1988 Divisional Semifinals</u>. Guentzel (11-4—15 in 11 GP) has found the score sheet in all 11 of his career playoff games against the Rangers, including both contests where his team faced elimination.

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PLAYER	OPPONENT	SPAN	GP	
PETER FORSBERG	SJS	1999–2004	15	In A a Real
MARIO LEMIEUX	WSH	1991–1994	13	
JOE SAKIC	SJS	1999–2002	12	
WAYNE GRETZKY	LAK	1982–1987	12	
GORDIE HOWE	CHI	1961–1963	12	
JAKE GUENTZEL	NYR	2022–2024	11	
PAT LAFONTAINE	BOS	1992–1993	11	
AL MACINNIS	LAK	1988–1990	11	
MARK MESSIER	WIN	1983–1987	11	
PHIL ESPOSITO	СНІ	1970-1975	11	)



\* Nathan MacKinnon (9-12—21 in 18 GP), Mikko Rantanen (6-15—21 in 18 GP) and Cale Makar (2-14—16 in 12 GP) have plenty of experience in games where the Avalanche trailed in a playoff round despite <u>never facing a series deficit en route to winning the Stanley Cup in 2022</u>. Colorado's last such contest was <u>Game 2 of the First Round</u>, where the trio all found the score sheet in their first of four straight victories versus Winnipeg.

MOST STANLEY CUP	AVALAN	CHE/NORDIQU	ILING IN A	SERIES
PLAYER	GP	POINTS	The Party	
JOE SAKIC	35	35		
PETER STASTNY	22	29		
PETER FORSBERG	27	26		
NATHAN MACKINNON	18	21		MAKAN
MIKKO RANTANEN	18	21		a Manna
MICHEL GOULET	22	21	Setting and the setting of the setti	
ANTON STASTNY	23	17	YCA J	
CALE MAKAR	12	16		
DALE HUNTER	27	16		Ø#NHLS

