



CAROLINA HURRICANES 6, CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS 3

Postgame Notes – May 4, 2021



CAROLINA HURRICANES SCORING NOTES

Per	Time	Goal Scorer	Assists	STR	Score
2	4:32	Nino Niederreiter (19)	Morgan Geekie (6), Vincent Trocheck (25)	EV	2-1 CHI
2	15:56	Andrei Svechnikov (14)	Jacob Slavin (12), Teuvo Teravainen (9)	EV	2-2
3	4:08	Andrei Svechnikov (15)	Teuvo Teravainen (10), Sebastian Aho (32)	EV	3-2 CAR
3	7:19	Teuvo Teravainen (5)	Sebastian Aho (33), Andrei Svechnikov (27)	EV	4-2 CAR
3	17:23	Martin Necas (13)	Unassisted	SH-EN	5-3 CAR
3	18:29	Nino Niederreiter (20)	Martin Necas (27), Vincent Trocheck (26)	EV-EN	6-3 CAR

-- Morgan Geekie tallied an assist tonight, and he has now earned four assists in his last six games (4/26-5/4).

-- Sebastian Aho posted two assists tonight for his team-leading 19th multi-point game and team-leading seventh multi-assist game of the season. Tonight marked his second multi-point game in as many nights (5/3: 3g).

-- Nino Niederreiter scored two goals tonight for his fourth multi-point game and second multi-goal game of the season.

-- Martin Necas earned two points (1g, 1a) tonight for his 10th multi-point game of the season.

-- Vincent Trocheck registered two assists tonight for his 12th multi-point game and fifth multi-assist game of the season. Tonight marked his second multi-assist game in as many nights (5/3: 2a).

CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS SCORING NOTES

Per	Time	Goal Scorer	Assists	STR	Score
1	6:20	Alex DeBrincat (27)	Unassisted	SH	1-0 CHI
1	12:32	Mike Hardman (1)	MacKenzie Entwistle (1), Patrick Kane (48)	EV	2-0 CHI
3	11:52	Alex DeBrincat (28)	Patrick Kane (49), Ian Mitchell (4)	EV	4-3 CAR

STAR DESTROYER

Andrei Svechnikov posted three points (2g, 1a) tonight for his ninth multi-point game and first multi-goal game of the season. He also extended his assist/point streak to five games (4/27-5/4: 2g, 7a), marking his longest point streak of 2020-21 and the longest assist streak of his NHL/Hurricanes career. Svechnikov has now earned 20 points in his last 24 games (3/20-5/4: 7g, 13a), which trails only **Sebastian Aho** (11-18—29) for the team lead over that span.

A LONG TIME AHO...

Sebastian Aho recorded two assists tonight to extend his season-long point streak to nine games (4/20-5/4: 5g, 10a), tied for the third-longest point streak of his NHL/Hurricanes career. He has now posted five points in two nights (3g, 2a), as he scored his fourth career hat trick on Monday. He now leads the team in goals (24), assists (33) and points (57), and he is one of only five NHL players leading their team in all three categories in 2020-21. Aho was named the Central Division's Star of the Month for April after posting 18 points (6g, 12a) in 16 games last month.

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Teuvo Teravainen tallied three points (1g, 2a) tonight for his fifth multi-point game and fourth multi-assist game of the season. He has now registered six points in his first five games (4/27-5/4: 3g, 3a) since missing 32 of 33 games (2/20-4/26) due to a concussion. He has recorded 260 points (79g, 181a) since joining the Hurricanes in 2016-17, passing Justin Faulk (2011-19: 258) for the 12th-most points in team history (since relocation). Teravainen's 0.55 assists per game with Carolina (331 GP) trail only Cory Stillman (2005-08, 2011: 0.59) and Ray Whitney (2005-10: 0.58) for the highest assist rate in team history.

NINO SHOT FIRST?

Nino Niederreiter scored two goals tonight, and he has now scored 20 goals for the fifth time in his NHL career and the first since 2018-19 (23g in 82 GP). Since making his Hurricanes debut on 1/18/19, Niederreiter has scored 45 goals, which trails only **Sebastian Aho** (71) and **Andrei Svechnikov** (48) for the team lead over that span.

TRO DAMERON

Vincent Trocheck recorded two assists tonight, and he has now posted three assists in two nights (5/3: 2a). He has now registered 26 assists this season, reaching the 25-assist mark for the second consecutive season (2019-20: 27a in 62 GP) and the fifth time in his NHL career. Trocheck has tallied 43 points (17g, 26a) in 2020-21, which ranks second on the team, despite missing nine games due to injury. His nine points (3g, 6a) against the Blackhawks this season are the most of any Hurricanes player in those games.

THE SECOND AND THIRD ORDER

The Hurricanes outscored the Blackhawks 2-0 in the second period tonight to erase a two-goal, first-period deficit. Carolina has now outscored Chicago 4-1 in the second period over two nights (5/3-5/4), and the team's +31 goal differential in the second period ranks tied with COL for the league lead in the second period and for the league-high scoring differential in any period. They also outscored the Blackhawks 4-1 in the third period, marking just the second time this season that the Hurricanes have scored four goals in a single period (4/6 vs. FLA, 3rd).

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Tonight, the Hurricanes played their fourth game of a five-game homestand (4/29-5/6), and they are now 4-0-0 through the first four games, marking just the third time in franchise history that Carolina has won four or more games in a five-game homestand (12/13/05-12/23/05: 5-0-0, 12/31/00-1/9/01: 4-0-1). The Hurricanes have now posted a 20-3-4 record at PNC Arena this season, and their .815 home points percentage ranks second in the NHL behind only NYI (20-3-3: .827). The highest home points percentage in franchise history was set in 2005-06, when the team finished 31-8-2 (.780) at RBC Center.

STORMTROOPERS

With a win tonight, the Hurricanes improved to 36-10-7 (79 points) in 2020-21, marking the most standings points through the first 53 games of any season in franchise history. Carolina started the season 37-12-4 (78 points) in 2005-06. The team's .745 points percentage leads the NHL. The Hurricanes have also earned a point in each of their last 12 games (4/15-5/4: 9-0-3), marking the NHL's longest active point streak and tied with NYI (2/22-3/14: 11-0-1) for the second-longest in the NHL this season. The 12-game point streak is also Carolina's longest since the franchise-record run of 13 games from 3/9/17-3/30/17 (9-0-4).

THE RULE OF TWO

Tonight, the Hurricanes closed their ninth and final set of back-to-back games this season. The Hurricanes are now 5-2-2 in the first game and 7-2-0 in the second game of back-to-backs in 2020-21.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- Carolina went 0-for-3 on the power play tonight and is now 42-for-158 (26.6%) on the man-advantage this season. The Hurricanes were 3-for-3 on the penalty kill and are now 143-for-168 (85.1%) on the kill this season.
- Chicago went 0-for-3 on the power play tonight and is now 37-for-168 (22.0%) on the man-advantage this season. The Blackhawks were 3-for-3 on the penalty kill and are now 113-for-147 (76.9%) on the kill this season.

SHOTS BY PERIOD

TEAMS	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
Chicago	12	10	8	-	30
Carolina	8	11	9	-	28