



CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS 2, CAROLINA HURRICANES 1 (OT)

Postgame Notes – May 6, 2021



CAROLINA HURRICANES SCORING NOTES

Per	Time	Goal Scorer	Assists	STR	Score
1	9:49	Martin Necas (14)	Jani Hakanpaa (2)	SH	1-0 CAR

-- Martin Necas scored a goal tonight to extend his goal/point streak to three games (5/3-5/6: 3g, 1a), which is tied for the longest goal streak of his NHL/Hurricanes career (3/22-3/27: 4g, 3a).

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3	16:59	Riley Stillman (1)	Pius Suter (11)	EV	1-1
4	2:02	Alex DeBrincat (29)	Dominik Kubalik (19), Wyatt Kalynuk (5)	EV	2-1 CHI

KILLING IN THE NAME

Martin Necas scored a shorthanded goal tonight. He has now scored two shorthanded goals in his NHL/Hurricanes career, with both coming in his last two games (5/4-5/6). Necas had not recorded a shorthanded point through his first 72 career NHL/Hurricanes games, but he now leads the team in shorthanded points (2g, 2a) in 2020-21. **Jani Hakanpaa** also earned an assist on the goal for the first shorthanded point of his NHL career. Carolina now ranks fourth in the NHL with seven shorthanded goals this season, and the team's four shorthanded goals since 4/22 lead the league during that span.

HOME STRETCH

Tonight, the Hurricanes played their final game of the 2020-21 regular season at PNC Arena, where they posted a 20-3-5 record in 2020-21. Carolina's .804 home points percentage is the highest in any season in franchise history. The previous record was set in 2005-06, when Carolina finished 31-8-2 (.780) at RBC Center. Carolina trails only PIT (21-4-2: .815) and COL (20-4-2: .808) for the highest home points percentage in the NHL this season. The Hurricanes also finished their five-game homestand with a 4-0-1 record (9 points), tied for the second-most points on a five-game homestand in franchise history (12/31/00-1/9/01: 4-0-1). The team has won all five games of a five-game homestand just once, from 12/13/05-12/23/05.

HURRICANE SEASON

With a point tonight, the Hurricanes extended the NHL's longest active point streak to 13 games (4/15-5/6: 9-0-4), marking the second-longest point streak in the NHL this season (COL, 15 games) and tying the longest in franchise history (3/9/17-3/30/17: 9-0-4). The Hurricanes have posted a 36-10-8 record (80 points) in 2020-21, with a league-leading .741 points percentage, and their 80 standings points are tied for the most through 54 games in any season in franchise history, as Carolina started the season 38-12-4 (78 points) in 2005-06.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- Carolina went 0-for-1 on the power play tonight and is now 42-for-159 (26.4%) on the man-advantage this season. The Hurricanes were 1-for-1 on the penalty kill and are now 144-for-169 (85.2%) on the kill this season.
- Chicago went 0-for-1 on the power play tonight and is now 37-for-169 (21.9%) on the man-advantage this season. The Blackhawks were 1-for-1 on the penalty kill and are now 114-for-148 (77.0%) on the kill this season.

SHOTS BY PERIOD

TEAMS	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
Chicago	9	9	8	1	27
Carolina	16	10	10	1	37