**POSTGAME NOTES**

**COLORADO AVALANCHE 3, ARIZONA COYOTES 2**

**STANLEY CUP PLAYOFFS | ROUND 1, GAME 2 | AUG. 14, 2020**

**COLORADO LEADS SERIES 2-0**

**First Star**
Philipp Grubauer (30 svs)

**Second Star**
Nathan MacKinnon (1g)

**Third Star**
Andre Burakovsky (1g)

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**TEAM NOTES**

The Avalanche won Game 2 to take a 2-0 series lead for the first time since the 2014 Stanley Cup Playoffs (started 2-0 vs. Minnesota). Colorado is 24-19 (.558) in Game 2 of best-of-seven series all time.

Andre Burakovsky’s go-ahead goal at 17:07 of the third period marks the 10th time in Avalanche/Nordiques franchise history that the team has scored a game-winning tally in the final three minutes of regulation. This is the first time they have scored multiple such goals in a single postseason (also: Nazem Kadri vs. St. Louis in the round robin, 19:59).

**INDIVIDUAL NOTES**

Nathan MacKinnon (1g) and Nazem Kadri (1a) extended their playoff-opening point streaks to five games, the first Avalanche players to start a playoff season with a point streak of at least four games since 2003-04, when Peter Forsberg (seven games), Joe Sakic (six) and Rob Blake (four) did it.

Nazem Kadri finished with an assist, which was his fourth of the postseason and a new career high, surpassing his previous best of three during the 2013 Stanley Cup Playoffs.

Andre Burakovsky notched the second game-winning postseason goal of his career and his first since May 6, 2015 vs. New York Rangers.

Erik Johnson matched a playoff career best with five blocked shots (also: May 8, 2019 at San Jose).

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**TEAM STATS**

**Avalanche**

- Shots: 28
- Power Play: 0-4
- Penalty Kill: 4-4
- Faceoffs: 52%

**Arizona**

- Shots: 32
- Power Play: 0-4
- Penalty Kill: 4-4
- Faceoffs: 48%