



COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS

WEEKLY REPORT

MAR. 4, 2019 // 36-26-3, 75 pts. // 5th, Metro

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SCHEDULE

MONDAY // MAR. 4
12 pm ET - Practice
Nationwide Arena

TUESDAY // MAR. 5
at New Jersey Devils, 7 pm ET
Prudential Center

FOX Sports Ohio / FOX Sports app / 97.1 The Fan

WEDNESDAY // MAR. 6
No Practice Scheduled

THURSDAY // MAR. 7
at Pittsburgh Penguins, 7 pm ET
PPG Paints Arena

FOX Sports Ohio / FOX Sports app / 97.1 The Fan

FRIDAY // MAR. 8
12 pm ET - Practice
OhioHealth Ice Haus

SATURDAY // MAR. 9
PITTSBURGH PENGUINS, 7 pm ET
Nationwide Arena

FOX Sports Ohio / FOX Sports app / 97.1 The Fan

SUNDAY // MAR. 10
12 pm ET - Practice
OhioHealth Ice Haus

INJURY REPORT



D RYAN MURRAY

(upper body, IR on 2/22, week-to-week)

Man Games Lost to Injury: 63

A LOOK AHEAD

MONDAY // MAR. 11
7 pm ET - at New York Islanders

TUESDAY // MAR. 12
7 pm ET - vs. BOSTON BRUINS

WEDNESDAY // MAR. 13
No Practice Scheduled
Schedule subject to change

OPPONENTS

NEW JERSEY DEVILS

25-33-8, 58 pts. // 8th, Metropolitan Division
CBJ All-Time: 21-13-2 (9-1-0, last 10) // Road: 9-6-2



Kyle PALMIERI
2019 All-Star leads NJD in goals, points and PP goals with 26-22-48 and 11 PPG in 63 games.

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS

34-22-9, 77 pts. // 4th Metropolitan Division
CBJ All-Time: 12-18-7 // Road: 4-11-3



Evgeni MALKIN
Three-time Stanley Cup champion is fifth among active players with 996 points in 843 career games.

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS

34-22-9, 77 pts. // 4th Metropolitan Division
CBJ All-Time: 12-18-7 // Home: 8-7-4



Sidney CROSBY
Three-time Stanley Cup champion is second among active players with 1,199 points in 926 career games.

OFF THE ICE



GREEN JERSEY RAFFLE

CBJ Players will wear green St. Patrick's Day themed jerseys during pregame warm-ups on Mar. 12 as part of Green Night presented by ADS. Jerseys will be raffled for \$10/ticket and can be purchased in-arena or on our mobile auction platform at cbjauction.givesmart.com. The raffle is open now through the end of second intermission on Mar. 12. Proceeds will benefit the CBJ Foundation's playground build initiatives.

CBJ NOTABLES

Columbus, which has the third-best road record in the NHL (19-10-1, .650), plays 11 of its final 17 games on the road, including visits to Metropolitan Division rivals New Jersey, Pittsburgh and NY Islanders in the next eight days. Only Tampa Bay (23-7-2, .750) and Toronto (19-9-3, .661) have higher road points percentages this season.



RW **CAM ATKINSON** has matched his career high with 35 goals this season (2016-17) and became the third player in CBJ history with two or more 30-goal campaigns. Geoff Sanderson did it twice (2000-01, 2002-03), while Rick Nash hit the 30-goal mark seven times (2003-04, 2005-06, 2007-12).

Since Jan. 10 (a span of 23 games), the Blue Jackets rank second in the NHL in penalty killing at 91.1 percent (51-of-56) and 13th in power play efficiency at 21.7 percent (13-of-60).

RW **ARTEMI PANARIN** leads the CBJ in assists and points with 25-48-73 in 62 games and is on pace to break his club records in both categories set a year ago (27-55-82, 81 GP). He and Cam Atkinson have scored seven game-winning goals, tying the second-most in club history behind Atkinson's nine scored in 2016-17.

