# SOUTH CAROLINA STINGRAYS GAME NOTES

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**South Carolina Stingrays (28-15-2-0)** VS. Savannah Ghost Pirates (16-25-4-1)

February 10, 2024 | 6:05 PM | North Charleston Coliseum

Referee: Marc Olivier Phaneuf (#23)

Linespeople: Blake Butler (#64) Felix-Antoine Voyer (#57)



HEAD-TO-HEAD MATCHUP				
STINGRAYS		GHOST PIRATES		
3.8	GF/G	2.9		
3.0	GA/G	3.7		
33.0	SH/G	30.3		
26.6	SHA/G	30.3		
23.2%	PP%	17.6%		
83.2%	PK%	76.6%		

## STINGRAYS STATISTICAL LEADERS

GOALS: Austin Magera (19)

ASSISTS: Austin Magera, Kevin O'Neil (28)

POINTS: Austin Magera (47) PIMS: Tyson Empey (100) +/-: Austin Magera (18) PPG: Jack Adams (5) SHG: Tyson Empey, Garet Hunt (1) GWG: Nick Leivermann (3)

WINS: Mitchell Gibson (14) SHUTOUTS: Mitchell Gibson (2) GAA: Mitchell Gibson (2.40) SV%: Mitchell Gibson (.906)

# SAVANNAH STATISTICAL LEADERS

GOALS: Simon Pinard (17)

ASSISTS: Nolan Valleau (21)

POINTS: Simon Pinard, Logan Drevitch (33)

PIMS: Anthony Collins (98) +/-: Ross Armour (+4) PPG: Brent Pederson (5) SHG: 5 Players tied (1) GWG: Brent Pedersen (6) WINS: Michael Bullion (10) SHUTOUTS: Michael Bullion (2) GAA: Michael Bullion (2.91) SV%: Michael Bullion (.904)

Season Series		
Nov. 4	At SC	3-2 OTL
Nov.17	At SAV	4-2 L
Dec. 1	At SC	8-5 W
Feb.8	At SAV	5-2 W
Feb.9	At SAV	7-4 W
Feb.10	At SC	6:05 pm
Mar. 9	At SAV	7:00 pm
Mar. 17	At SAV	3:00 pm
Apr. 4	At SAV	7:00 pm
Apr. 5	At SC	7:05 pm

# **QUICK HITS**

# **TONIGHT'S PREVIEW**

The Stingrays have won nine of their last ten games and will face the Ghost Pirates for the third time in three days tonight in North Charleston

## LAST TIME OUT

The Stingrays earned a 7-4 victory in Savannah last night. Tyson Empey led the way with two goals and an assist and Garin Bjorklund stopped 33 of 37 shots and earned his fifth consecutive victory.

#### SCOUTING THE GHOST PIRATES

Simon Pinard is on a four-game goal streak and Logan Drevitch recorded a goal and two assists in last night's game Savannah is sixth in the South and they sit 21 points behind the Stingrays.

#### **MAGERA MAGIC**

Austin Magera has 47 points this year and is tied for the league lead in rookie scoring and tied for tenth in leaguewide scoring. He has the second most goals among rookies (19). He leads the team in goals, assists, points, and +/-.

# **ALL-TIME SERIES**

The Stingrays are 12-2-1 against the Ghost Pirates all time.

#### **LEVIERMANN LASERS**

Nick Leivermann has the best shooting percentage among ECHL defensemen at 18.2%. He also leads ECHL defensemen in game winning goals (3) and power-play goals (4).

#### SPECIAL TEAMS BATTLE

The Stingrays power play is 7<sup>th</sup> in the ECHL, and their penalty kill is 5<sup>th</sup>. Savannah's power play is 21st and their penalty kill is 24th.

# **SCORING FIRST**

When the Stingrays score first, they are 21-5-0 and Savannah is 14-6-4. The Stingrays are 21-2 when leading after one period and 22-1 when leading after two.

# **GOING WITH GIBSON**

Mitchell Gibson is looking for his fourth consecutive win tonight. He has a 14-7-1 record this season and only has one loss since January 19th.

South Carolina Last 3 / Next 3 Games		
Feb. 4 at Atlanta W 6-0	Feb. 10 vs Savannah (6:05 pm)	
Feb. 8 at Savannah W 5-2	Feb. 13 at Atlanta (7:00 pm)	
Feb. 9 vs Savannah W 7-4	Feb. 16 at Greenville (7:05 pm)	