# SOUTH CAROLINA STINGRAYS GAME NOTES

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South Carolina Stingrays (6-6-2-0) vs. **Trois Rivieres Lions (11-4-0-0)** 

November 28, 2023 | 7:05 PM | North Charleston Coliseum

Referees: Sam Heidermann (#22), Brenden Schreider (#12) Linesmen: Felix-Antoine Voyer (#57) Tyler Willie (#78)



HEAD-TO-HEAD MATCHUP			
STINGRAYS		TROIS RIVIERES	
3.2	GF/G	3.9	
3.0	GA/G	2.5	
32.4	SH/G	33.3	
26.6	SHA/G	32.5	
13.0%	PP%	17.2%	
91.1%	PK%	81.5%	

# STINGRAYS STATISTICAL LEADERS

GOALS: Josh Wilkins (7) ASSISTS: Jack Adams (11)

POINTS: Kevin O'Neil, Jack Adams (14)

PIMS: Garet Hunt (31) +/-: Austin Magera (+8)

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PPG: Austin Magera, Patrick Harper (2)
SHG: Tyson Empey (1)
GWG: Four players tied (1)
WINS: Garin Bjorklund (3)
SHUTOUTS: Mitchell (3)
SAAM (1) GAA: Mitchell Gibson (2.33) SV%: Mitchell Gibson (.911)

# TROIS-RIVIERES STATISTICAL LEADERS

GOALS: Anthony Beauregard, Jakov Novak (8)

ASSISTS: Miguël Tourigny (9) POINTS: Anthony Beauregard (18) PIMS: Cedric Montiminy (47)

+/-: Noah Laaouan (+12) PPG: Anthony Beaurégard (3)

SHG: Matthew Boucher, Nolan Yaremko (2) GWG: Matthew Boucher, Jakov Novak (2) WINS: Joe Vrbetic (6)

SHUTOUTS: N/A GAA: Joe Vrbetic (3.47) SV%: Joe Vrbetic (0.895)

Season Series		
Nov. 28	At SC	7:05 pm
Dec. 3	At SC	3:05 pm

# **QUICK HITS**

### **TONIGHT'S PREVIEW**

The South Carolina Stingrays take on the Trois-Rivières Lions for the first of two meetings this season between the two teams. The Stingrays will also host Trois-Rivieres on Sunday, December 3, for the team's annual Teddy Bear toss game.

#### LAST TIME OUT

The Stingrays fell to the Greenville Swamp Rabbits in a 4-3 loss on Friday night. Josh Wilkins tallied a goal and an assist and Mitchell Gibson made 28 saves in the loss.

#### **SCOUTING THE LIONS**

The Lions are currently in first place in the North Division. Tonight's game will be the fourth of game of a seven-game road trip that began one week ago. The Lions play in Savannah tomorrow night and in Jacksonville on Saturday night before returning to North Charleston on Sunday. Nine players in their lineup tonight are on AHL contracts.

#### **ALL-TIME SERIES**

The Stingrays are 2-1-against Trois-Rivières all time. This will be the Lions second-ever trip to the North Charleston. The only meetings between the two teams took place in the 2021-22 season when the Stingrays hosted the Lions for a three-game set. Their last meeting was a 5-4 overtime win for the Stingrays.

#### STINGRAYS STAT OF THE DAY

The Stingrays have not allowed a power-play goal since November 4 against Savannah. They have the top penalty kill in the ECHL at 91.1%.

## WHO'S HOT

Josh Wilkins has recorded back-to-back multi-point games and has points in five of his last six games. He is currently third on the Stingrays with 13 points through 14 games.

#### **NEWCOMERS IN THE LINEUP**

Three players will make their Stingrays debuts tonight. Nick Leivermann and Josh Thrower are two of seven defensemen in the lineup tonight while Kameron Kielly will center the third line. Leivermann is in his first season of professional hockey and has one assist in three AHL games for the Hershey Bears in 2023-24.

#### **BJORKLUND'S BACK**

Garin Bjorklund will start in goal for the first time since November 19 against Orlando, when he made 23 saves in a 4-3 overtime victory.

South Carolina Last 3 / Next 3 Games		
Nov.19 vs Orlando W 4-3	Dec. 1 vs Savannah (7:05 pm)	
Nov. 22 at Jacksonville W 4-0	Dec. 2 at Greenville (7:05 pm)	
Nov. 24 vs Greenville L 4-3	Dec. 3 vs Trois-Rivières (7:05 pm)	