

SOUTH CAROLINA STINGRAYS GAME NOTES

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South Carolina Stingrays (11-7-2-0) vs. Florida Everblades (9-7-3-0)

December 9, 2023 | 7:00 PM | Hertz Arena

Referee: Tyler Hascall (#8)

Linespeople: Dan Fendius(#65), Charlie O'Connor (#43)



HEAD-TO-HEAD MATCHUP

STINGRAYS		EVERBLADES
3.7	GF/G	2.8
3.2	GA/G	2.6
32.1	SH/G	31.7
27.2	SHA/G	30.1
21.5%	PP%	12.5%
82.3%	PK%	84.4%

STINGRAYS STATISTICAL LEADERS

GOALS: Josh Wilkins (11)
ASSISTS: Jack Adams (17)
POINTS: Josh Wilkins, Jack Adams (21)
PIMS: Tyson Empey (43)
+/-: Tyson Empey, Austin Magera (+11)
PPG: Patrick Harper, Austin Magera (3)
SHG: Tyson Empey (1)
GWG: Josh Wilkins, Bryce Montgomery (2)
WINS: Garin Bjorklund, Mitchell Gibson (5)
SHUTOUTS: Mitchell Gibson (1)
GAA: Mitchell Gibson (2.66)
SV%: Mitchell Gibson (.903)

FLORIDA STATISTICAL LEADERS

GOALS: Bobo Carpenter (7)
ASSISTS: Sean Josling (8)
POINTS: Bobo Carpenter (14)
PIMS: Chris Ordoobadi (23)
+/-: Riese Zmolek (+7)
PPG: Cam Hausinger (2)
SHG: M Senden, Z Tsekos, O Chau (1)
GWG: 8 players tied
WINS: Cam Johnson (7)
SHUTOUTS: Cam Johnson (1)
GAA: Evan Cormier (2.21)
SV%: Evan Cormier (0.926)

Season Series

Dec. 6	At FL	W 4-3
Dec. 8	At FL	L 4-0
Dec. 9	At FL	7:00 pm
Dec. 23	At SC	6:05 pm
Feb. 17	At SC	6:05 pm
Feb. 18	At SC	3:05 pm
Mar. 1	At SC	7:05 pm
Mar. 2	At SC	6:05 pm
Mar. 3	At SC	3:05 pm
Apr. 12	At FL	7:30 pm
Apr. 13	At FL	7:00 pm

QUICK HITS

TONIGHT'S PREVIEW

The South Carolina Stingrays take on the Florida Everblades in the final game of a three-game series at Hertz Arena. The two teams have spit their first two meetings this year.

LAST TIME OUT

The Stingrays fell to the Everblades (9-7-3-0) by a 4-0 score on Friday night. South Carolina outshot Florida 31-18 but couldn't solve Everblades goaltender Cam Johnson. Garin Bjorklund made 15 stops in the loss.

SCOUTING THE BLADES

The Everblades are currently fourth in the South Division and sit just two points back of the Stingrays for third place. Last night was their first shutout victory of 2023-24. Tonight is the third game of a five-game home stand for them.

THROWER THROWING PUNCHES

Defenseman Josh Thrower's fight against Florida's Chris Ordoobadi was the lone bright spot for the Stingrays in Friday's disappointing loss. Thrower is averaging three penalty minutes per game.

ALL-TIME SERIES

The Stingrays have faced the Everblades more times than any other opponent in the ECHL. They are 102-107-26 against the Everblades all time. The Stingrays Everblades rivalry is widely regarded as one of the most heated rivalries in the ECHL.

STINGRAYS STAT OF THE DAY

Friday marked the first time the Stingrays have been shut out all season. They are sixth in the ECHL in goals scored per game.

GIBBY'S BACK

Mitchell Gibson will return to the starters crease after ceding the net to Garin Bjorklund on Friday. Gibson has won his last three starts for the Stingrays and has made 79 saves in his last three games.

South Carolina Last 3 / Next 3 Games

Dec. 3 vs Trois-Rivières 3-2 W	Dec. 12 at Orlando (7:00 pm)
Dec. 6 at Florida 4-3 W	Dec. 15 vs Greenville (7:05 pm)
Dec. 8 at Florida 4-0 L	Dec. 16 at Jacksonville (7:00 pm)