SOUTH CAROLINA STINGRAYS GAME NOTES

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South Carolina Stingrays (16-7-2-0) VS. Atlanta Gladiators (10-15-0-0)

December 27, 2023 7:05 PM North Charleston Coliseum

Referee: Trevor Wohlford (#38)

Linespeople: Tyler Willie (#78), Brady Fagan (#89)



HEAD-TO-HEAD MATCHUP			
STINGRAYS		GLADIATORS	
3.6	GF/G	3.0	
2.9	GA/G	3.3	
31.6	SH/G	31.7	
27.3	SHA/G	33.5	
19.5%	PP%	20.0%	
82.9%	PK%	76.8%	
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STINGRAYS STATIST<u>ICAL LEADERS</u>

GOALS: Austin Magera (13)

ASSISTS: Connor Moore, Jack Adams (19) POINTS: Austin Magera, Jack Adams (25)

PIMS: Jackson Leppard (53)

PHG: Sackson Expland (35)
+/-: Austin Magera (+16)
PPG: Patrick Harper, Austin Magera (3)
SHG: Tyson Empey (1)
GWG: 4 players tied (2) WINS: Mitchell Gibson (8) SHUTOUTS: Mitchell Gibson (1) GAA: Mitchell Gibson (2.41) SV%: Mitchell Gibson (.908)

ATLANTA STATISTICAL LEADERS

GOALS: Alex Whelan (14) ASSISTS: Mitch Fossier (17) POINTS: Mitch Fossier (26) PIMS: Connor Casparie (79)

+/-: Micah Miller (+8)
PPG: Alex Whelan (4) SHG: Mitch Fossier (3) GWG: Luke Prokop (2) WINS: Gustavs Grigals (6) SHUTOUTS: Gustavs Grigals (1) GAA: Tyler Harmon (3.22)

SV%: Ğustavs Grigals (3.30)

Season Series		
Nov. 5	At ATL	L 4-2
Nov.10	At SC	OTL 2-1
Dec. 27	At SC	7:05 pm
Jan.6	At SC	6:05 pm
Jan.20	At ATL	7:00 pm
Feb. 3	At ATL	7:00 pm
Feb. 4	At ATL	3:00 pm
Feb. 13	At ATL	7:00 pm
Feb. 21	At SC	10:30 am
Mar. 10	At ATL	3:00 pm

QUICK HITS

TONIGHT'S PREVIEW

The South Carolina Stingrays take on the Atlanta Gladiators for the third of ten matchups this season and the second of four regular season meetings between the two teams at the North Charleston Coliseum.

LAST TIME OUT

The Stingrays game against Florida last Saturday was postponed due to unsafe ice conditions. The night before they picked up a 3-2 overtime victory over the Jacksonville Icemen. It was their fifth victory over Jacksonville this season, their fourth by a 3-2 score, and their third overtime win in Jacksonville. Patrick Harper scored twice, including the game winner, and Garin Bjorklund stopped 25 of 27 shots in the win.

MILESTONES TO WATCH FOR

With a win tonight, the Stingrays will reach 1200 wins all-time.

SCOUTING THE GLADS

The Gladiators dropped a 5-1 decision against Orlando last Saturday night in Atlanta. Gustavs Grigals stopped 5 of 30 shots.

PIVITOL POINTS ON THE LINE

Entering tonight's game, the Rays trail Greenville by just four points for first place in the South Division standings. Atlanta is looking to climb out of last place. They'll tie Savannah with a win tonight

ALL-TIME SERIES

The Stingrays 132-68-24 all time against Atlanta and the Rays are looking to beat the Gladiators for the first time this season.

STINGRAYS STAT OF THE DAY

Heading into Saturday's postponed game, Michael Kim was on a three-game point streak and had points in four of his last five games. He has played in 197 career ECHL games.

GIBBY'S BACK

Mitchell Gibson is back in net for the Rays after starting Saturday's postponed contest. Gibson has won his last six starts for the Stingrays and tonight he will be facing the Gladiators for the first time in his career.

South Carolina Last 3 / Next 3 Games			
Dec. 15 vs Greenville 2-1 W	Dec. 27 vs Atlanta (7:05 pm)		
Dec. 16 at Jacksonville 3-2 W	Dec. 28 at Orlando (7:00 pm)		
Dec. 22 at Jacksonville 3-2 W	Dec. 30 vs Orlando (6:05 pm)		