



Canes Country's Game Guide: Hurricanes vs Blue Jackets


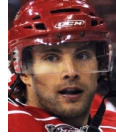
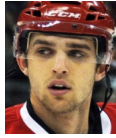









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		Games	G	A	P	+/-	PIM	TOI/G	S	S%	HT	BS	FW	FL	FO%
12 ERIC STAAL "C" 6' 4", 205 lbs 10/29/1984 THUNDER BAY, ON, CAN	 03 - 1st rnd Carolina 1-way	67	29	33	62	-11	62	22:00	244	11.9	77	26	684	764	47.2%
		09-10 stat line: 70 games, 29 G, 41 A, 70 P In NHL, 2nd for TOI among Fwds; on pace 78 pt season. Most Faceoffs in NHL.													
15 TUOMO RUUTU 6' 0", 205 lbs 2/16/1983 VANTAA, FIN	 Trade w/CHI Carolina 1-way	68	16	30	46	-4	48	16:51	115	13.9	263	30	213	308	40.9%
		09-10 stat line: 54 games, 14 G, 21 A, 35 P Scored only Canes goal in DC. Now RW to Staal and Stillman. Hits are 1st in CAR, 2nd in NHL.													
16 BRANDON SUTTER "A" 6' 3", 183 lbs 2/14/1989 HUNTINGTON, NY, USA	 07- 1st rnd Albany/ Carolina 2-Way ^^	68	12	12	24	12	12	16:54	115	10.4	61	64	495	619	44.4%
		09-10 stat line: 72 games, 21 G, 19 A, 40 P and only 2 PIM Playing with LaRose on LW now. Still best +/- on team. PK leader, most blocked shots for F's.													
19 JIRI TLUSTY 6' 0", 209 lbs 3/16/1988 SLANY, CZE	 Trade w/TOR Albany/ Carolina 1-way ^^	43	6	6	12	2	12	10:43	39	15.4	30	19	2	12	14.3%
		09-10 stat line: ALB/TOR: 39 games, 14 G, 16 A, 30 P; CAR: 18 games, 4 G, 5 A, 6 P Well-matched on RW w/Sutter; strong D-zone play and getting chances.													
20 TROY BODIE 6' 4", 213 lbs 1/25/1985 PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MB, CAN	 Waivers/ANA ANA/ San Ant, Toronto (AHL) 2-Way	49	1	2	3	-4	54	06:22	39	2.6	68	10	0	1	0.0%
		09-10 stat line: SAN/TOR: 32 games, 8 G, 5 A, 13 P; ANA: 44 games, 5 G, 2 A, 7 P and 80 PIM. First goal vs ATL Wednesday. Least Avg TOI on team.													
26 ERIK COLE 6' 2", 205 lbs 11/6/1978 OSWEGO, NY, USA	 98 - 3rd rnd Carolina 1-way **	68	19	23	42	1	41	18:25	162	11.7	175	27	7	25	21.9%
		09-10 stat line: 40 games, 11 G, 5 A, 16 P (lot of injuries last year) Moved to RW with Jokinen and Skinner. Has 7 GWGs on season (tied w/#12 for most).													
36 JUSSI JOKINEN 5' 11", 198 lbs 4/1/1983 KALAJOKI, FIN	 Trade w/TBL Carolina 1-way **	56	16	29	45	0	20	17:00	112	14.3	36	28	119	104	53.4%
		09-10 stat line: 81 games, 30 G, 35 A, 65 P Now 2nd line center (nice FO%) between Cole, Skinner. Has played w/every Fwd but #61.													
39 PATRICK DWYER 5' 11", 175 lbs 6/22/1983 SPOKANE, WA, USA	 UFA 2006 Albany/ Carolina 2-Way **	66	8	10	18	-6	12	13:17	85	9.4	144	50	59	118	33.3%
		09-10 stat line: ALB: 23 games, 11 G, 8 A, 19 P; CAR: 58 games, 7 G, 5 A, 12 P 4th line Centr, tho FO stats are weak. Dzone specialist, smart PK. Strong on forecheck.													
53 JEFF SKINNER 5'10", 193 lbs 5/16/1992 MARKHAM, ON, CAN	 10 - 1st rnd Kitchener Rangers 2-Way	68	23	26	49	-3	38	16:30	165	13.9	60	23	57	98	36.8%
		09-10 stats in OHL, including 20 playoff games: 84 games, 70 G, 53 A, 123 P, +/- of 10, 86 PIM Moved back to LW w/Jokinen at Ctr, Cole at RW. Still among Calder favorites.													
59 CHAD LAROSE 5' 10", 181 lbs 3/27/1982 FRASER, MI, USA	 UFA - 2003 Carolina 1-way **	68	12	12	24	-19	53	16:09	145	8.3	174	20	8	20	28.6%
		09-10 stat line: 56 games, 11 G, 17 A, 28 P Moved to Sutter's LW. High energy, lots of hits, SOG, PIM. His +/- is getting worse.													
61 CORY STILLMAN 6' 0", 193 lbs 12/20/1973 PETERBOROUGH, ON, CAN	 Trade w/FLA Florida 1-Way**	7	2	4	6	3	0	20:20	12	16.7	5	3	3	1	75.0%
		09-10 stats: 58 gms, 15 G, 22 A, 37P; +/- of -3. 10-11 FLA: 44 gms, 7 G, 16 A, 23 P, +3, 20 PIM Stepped into LW w/Staal. Now w/Ruutu on RW. Veteran should help PP success. (please!)													
71 JEROME SAMSON 6' 0", 195 lbs 9/4/1987 GREENFD PK, QC, CAN	 UFA (2007) Albany/ Carolina 2-Way	10	0	2	2	0	0	7:48	19	0	4	1	1	1	50.0%
		Stats: 10-11 Charlotte: 53 games, 26 G, 28 A, 54 P, +7. 09-10 Carolina: 7 games, 0G, 2 A, 2 P Scratched in SC for Bowman. Here for duration, looking for 1st NHL Goal, 4th line LW.													



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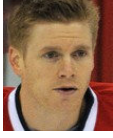

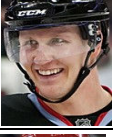
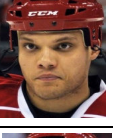
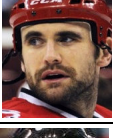

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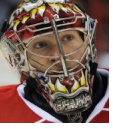
Defensemen (6), Avg age = 28 yrs, 8 mos

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		Games	G	A	P	+/-	PIM	TOI/G	S	S%	HT	BS
5 BRYAN ALLEN 6' 5", 226 lbs 8/21/1980 KINGSTON, ON, CAN	 Trade w/FLA Florida 1-way	5	0	2	2	1	9	15:56	3	0	11	8
		09-10 stat line: 74 games, 4 G, 9 A, 13 P, 99 PIM Acquired to be Ward's best helper clearing the crease. Biggest man on the team.										
6 TIM GLEASON "A" 6' 0", 217 lbs 1/29/1983 CLAWSON, MI, USA	 Trade w/LAK Carolina 1-way	68	2	11	13	-11	71	21:13	75	2.7	183	113
		09-10 stat line: 61 games, 5 G, 14 A, 29 P Leads D for hits. Played well vs Ovechkin, but the lapse on Caps' GWG was incomprehensible.										
25 JONI PITKANEN 6' 3", 210 lbs 9/19/1983 OULU, FIN	 Trade w/EDM Carolina 1-way **	59	2	27	29	-6	54	25:26	117	1.7	57	115
		09-10 stat line: 71 gm, 6 G, 40 A, 46 P Leading CAR for Avg TOI. Superb puck-handler, skater. He and #6 lead team for blocked shots.										
33 DEREK JOSLIN 6' 1", 210 lbs 4/17/1987 RICHMOND HILL, ON, CAN	 Trade w/SJS San Jose/ Worcester 2-Way ^^	3	0	2	2	3	0	13:41	2	0	4	2
		09-10 stat line: Worcester: 55 gms, 5 G, 27 A, 32 P, +/- of +14, 29 PIM; SJS: 24 gms, 0G, 3 A, 3 P After several games as healthy scratch, returns with McBain out w/UBI										
44 JAY HARRISON 6'-4", 211 lbs 11/3/1982 OSHAWA, ON, CAN	 UFA, 2009 Albany/ Carolina 1-way **	65	3	6	9	5	62	15:02	46	6.5	103	86
		09-10 stat line: Albany: 32 games, 2 G, 12 A, 14 P; Carolina: 38 games, 1 G, 5 A, 6 P Top +/- among D. Most improved player this season. His goal waived off in DC w/early whistle.										
77 JOE CORVO 6' 0", 204 lbs 6/20/1977 OAK PARK, IL, USA	 UFA, 7/2010 Carolina/ Washington 1-way	68	10	24	34	-13	14	24:48	149	6.7	48	105
		09-10 stat line: CAR: 34 games, 4 G, 8 A, 12 P; WAS: 18 games, 2 G, 4 A, 6 P Played 29:36 last night, w/McBain out. Tremendous shot. On pace for 40+ pt season.										

Contract notes: ** = UFA at end of season; ^^ = RFA at end of season. Stats Key: G=Goals, A=Assists, P=Points, PIM= Penalties in Minutes, TOI/G = Average time on ice per game, S=Shots on goal, S%=Shots Percentage, HT=Hits, BS=Blocked Shots, FW= Faceoffs Won, FL = Faceoffs lost, FO%=Faceoff %

Goaltenders (2)

NAME HT/WT, DOB Birthplace	Contract	Statistics from this year, last season, and other notes									
		Games	Starts	TOT TOI	Goals	Shots Faced	GAA	SV %	W	L	OTL
30 CAM WARD 6' 1", 185 lbs 2/29/1984 SASKATOON, SK, CAN	 02 - 1st rnd Carolina 1-way	60	60	3,471:42	155	1925	2.68	0.919	28	22	9
		09-10 stat line: 47 games, 18-23-5; 2.69 GAA, .916 SV% Expected to start the rest of season. Most in NHL: shots faced, saves, goals allowed.									
60 JUSTIN PETERS 6' 1", 205 lbs 8/30/1986 BLYTH, ON, CAN	 04 - 2nd rnd Albany/ Carolina 2-Way	12	8	648:17	43	343	3.98	0.875	3	5	1
		09-10 stat line: Carolina: 9 games, 6-3-0; 2.81 GAA, .924 SV% Got 1st start since 1/9 in Chicago. Prior to that 5-2 loss, won last 2 starts over ATL and FLA.									

Scratches: Jamie McBain (UBI); 21 - Drayson Bowman (healthy) or may play if Jerome Samson sits out.

Upcoming Games	(ET)	Opponent	Next home games			
Tue, Mar 15	7:30 PM	at Buffalo Sabres	Wed, Mar 16	7:00 PM	vs Toronto Maple Leafs	
Wed, Mar 16	7:00 PM	vs Toronto Maple Leafs	Fri, Mar 18	7:00 PM	vs New York Islanders	
Fri, Mar 18	7:00 PM	vs New York Islanders	Tue, Mar 22	7:00 PM	vs Ottawa Senators	
Tue, Mar 22	7:00 PM	vs Ottawa Senators	Sat, Mar 26	7:00 PM	vs Tampa Bay Lightning	

BLUE JACKETS ROSTER		Scratches:	4 SAMI LEPISTO	71 CHRIS CLARK
Forwards		Defensemen		
9 SCOTTIE UPSHALL	24 DEREK MACKENZIE	3 MARC METHOD	1 STEVE MASON	
11 MATT CALVERT	26 SAMUEL PAHLSSON	10 KRIS RUSSELL	32 MATHIEU GARON	
15 DEREK DORSETT	40 JARED BOLL	14 GRANT CLITSOME		
16 DERICK BRASSARD	50 ANTOINE VERMETTE	35 JAN HEJDA	Injured / Injured Reserve	
18 RJ UMBERGER "A"	61 RICK NASH "C"	51 FEDOR TYUTIN	KRISTIAN HUSELIUS, ANDREW MURRAY	
19 ETHAN MOREAU "A"	93 JAKUB VORACEK	52 CRAIG RIVET	ANTON STRALMAN	