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Upcoming games for the Hartford Wolf Pack:

Fri.	Apr. 3	@ Bridgeport Islanders	7:00 p.m.	@ Total Mortgage Arena
Sat.	Apr. 4	V. Hershey Bears	6:00 p.m.	@ PeoplesBank Arena
Fri.	Apr. 10	V. Providence Bruins	7:00 p.m.	@ PeoplesBank Arena
Sat.	Apr. 11	@ Springfield Thunderbirds	6:05 p.m.	@ MassMutual Center
Sun.	Apr. 12	@ Bridgeport Islanders	5:00 p.m.	@ Total Mortgage Arena

Head-to-head:

This is the eighth and final meeting between the Wolf Pack and the Checkers this season. It is the fourth of four meetings at PeoplesBank Arena. The Wolf Pack are 4-2-1-0 against the Checkers this season. They won three of four in North Carolina, posting a 3-1-0-0 record. The Checkers have claimed two of the three meetings in Hartford, posting a 2-1-0-0 record. The Wolf Pack are 1-1-1-0 on home ice. The Checkers claimed a 2-1 overtime victory in the most recent meeting last night. **Brian Pinho** opened the scoring with a shorthanded goal 8:17 into the game, but **Bryce McConnell-Barker** countered with a power play goal at 10:58 to make it 1-1. That score would stand until overtime. In the final seconds of the extra session, **Pinho** would strike from the right-wing circle to give the Checkers the second point. **Callum Tung** made 27 saves in the loss, while **Cooper Black** stopped 25 to collect the victory. The Wolf Pack claimed a 4-1 victory on home ice on Oct. 29. In addition to last night's victory, the Checkers picked up a 7-1 decision in Hartford on Jan. 28.

Wolf Pack Notebook:

The Wolf Pack's loss last night was their third straight. They are 0-2-1-0 in that stretch. The loss was also the club's third in a row at home (0-2-1-0). A victory today would give the Wolf Pack their first season series victory in franchise history against Charlotte. **F Brody Lamb** extended his point streak to five games (2 g, 3 a) with an assist on **McConnell-Barker's** goal last night. The Wolf Pack's penalty kill went five-for-five on Saturday night against the Checkers. The club now sits 17th in the AHL in penalty kill percentage (81.8%). **Trey Fix-Wolansky** currently sits fourth in the AHL in shots on goal with 181 through 63 games played.

Checkers Notebook:

The Checkers, thanks to their victory last night, now sit at 38-21-5-0 on the season (81 points). The club clinched a top-four spot in the Atlantic Division, ensuring at least home ice advantage in the First Round of the 2026 Calder Cup Playoffs. The Checkers sit seven points behind the Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins (88 points) for the second spot in the Atlantic Division and a bye into the Atlantic Division Semifinals. Last night was **Pinho's** third multi-goal game in his last four outings. He has six goals in his last four games. **Pinho's** shorthanded goal last night was the club's tenth of the season. They are now tied for the fourth most shorthanded goals in the AHL this season.

Yesterday/Last Night in the AHL:

Laval (1) @ Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (3)
Chicago (2) @ Grand Rapids (3) OT
Hershey (2) @ Lehigh Valley (4)
San Jose (2) @ Coachella Valley (4)
Ontario (2) @ Tucson (4)

Manitoba (1) @ Belleville (0)
Henderson (4) @ Milwaukee (1)
Bridgeport (4) @ Providence (6)
San Deigo (2) @ Abbotsford (5)
Charlotte (2) @ Hartford (1) OT

Utica (5) @ Cleveland (3)
Rochester (3) @ Syracuse (5)
Iowa (2) @ Rockford (3) OT
Texas (3) @ Bakersfield (6)

Tonight in the AHL (all times Eastern):

Colorado @ Calgary (3:00)
Syracuse @ Rochester (3:05)
San Jose @ Coachella Valley (6:00)

Utica @ Cleveland (3:00)
Lehigh Valley @ Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (3:05)
San Diego @ Abbotsford (7:00)

Springfield @ Providence (3:05)
Milwaukee @ Chicago (4:00)
Rockford @ Iowa (7:00)

New York Rangers Notebook:

The Rangers trounced the Chicago Blackhawks 6-1 at the Garden on Friday night. **Adam Sýkora** scored his first career NHL goal in the victory, while former Wolf Pack players **Jonny Brodzinski** (2 g) and **Matthew Robertson** also lit the lamp. Captain **J.T. Miller** recorded three points (1 g, 2 a) in the win. **Dylan Garand** made 27 saves to collect his first NHL victory. The Rangers host the Florida Panthers today at 1:00 p.m.

Tonight in the NHL (all times Eastern):

Florida @ Rangers (1:00)
Boston @ Columbus (5:00)

Nashville @ Tampa Bay (5:00)
Chicago @ New Jersey (7:00)

Montreal @ Carolina (5:00)
Dallas @ Philadelphia (7:00)



Charlotte Checkers AT Hartford Wolf Pack



Sunday, March 29, 2026

PeoplesBank
Arena

AHL GAME #1020

Charlotte Checkers		38-21-5-0=81	
Team Game: 65	Home: 18-12-2-0		
Road Game: 33	Road: 20-9-3-0		
PP: 13.8% PK: 84.5%	OT: 6-5 SO: 2-0		
NHL Affiliate: Florida Panthers			

Hartford Wolf Pack		24-32-5-2=55	
Team Game: 64	Home: 10-16-4-1		
Home Game: 32	Road: 14-16-1-1		
PP: 14.1% PK: 81.8%	OT: 3-5 SO: 1-2		
NHL Affiliate: New York Rangers			

Charlotte Checkers

#	Goaltender	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
31	Cooper Black	6-9	240	39	24	11	4	1	2.53	0.903
70	Louis Domingue	6-3	210	10	5	4	0	1	2.78	0.867

#	Skater	Pos	Ht	Wt	GP	G	A	Pts.	PIM	+/-
3	Ludvig Jansson	D	6-0	181	25	1	6	7	12	3
4	Jack Devine	F	6-0	185	55	16	20	36	45	14
5	Trevor Carrick	D	6-1	201	52	4	14	18	49	9
6	Ben Steeves	F	5-9	170	64	19	21	40	92	2
7	Robert Mastrosimone	LW	5-10	165	41	12	17	29	24	10
8	Mitchell Vande Sompel	D	5-10	190	33	4	6	10	15	12
10	Liam McLinskey	F	6-3	175	22	2	3	5	8	2
11	Eamon Powell	D	5-11	175	18	1	6	7	4	-5
12	Colton Huard	D	6-3	225	23	3	2	5	26	1
13	Kai Schwindt	F	6-3	195	28	2	5	7	4	3
14	Mikulas Hovorka	D	6-6	229	52	4	12	16	44	22
15	Nate Smith	C	6-0	177	40	12	16	28	39	3
18	MacKenzie Entwistle	RW	6-3	193	42	4	5	9	37	7
19	Hunter St. Martin	F	6-1	175	38	4	6	10	26	3
21	Jake Livingstone	D	6-4	213	45	1	13	14	22	9
24	Gracyn Sawchyn	C	5-11	155	29	6	13	19	2	11
25	Wilmer Skoog	F	6-2	197	56	18	16	34	31	10
26	Brian Pinho	F	6-1	190	64	14	19	33	16	13
27	Marek Alscher	D	6-3	196	50	3	8	11	30	19
29	Sandis Vilmanis	F	6-1	192	40	11	15	26	22	13
36	Brett Chorske	F	6-7	216	57	11	12	23	14	2
39	Riese Gaber	F	5-8	165	44	9	12	21	34	10
40	Tobias Björnfort	D	6-0	200	31	4	8	12	10	10

Hartford Wolf Pack

#	Goaltender	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
30	Spencer Martin	6-3	191	16	3	10	2	2	3.84	0.867
35	Callum Tung	6-3	198	11	5	5	1	0	3.44	0.865

#	Skater	Pos	Ht	Wt	GP	G	A	Pts.	PIM	+/-
3	Cooper Moore	D	6-2	187	33	1	5	6	34	-4
4	Casey Fitzgerald	D	5-11	181	62	3	18	21	69	1
5	Chris Ortiz	D	5-10	180	17	0	1	1	4	1
6	Aidan Thompson	F	5-11	180	49	7	12	19	20	-10
8	Travis Dermott	D	6-0	202	5	0	3	3	2	-2
9	Brett Berard	F	5-9	165	41	6	16	22	53	-16
11	Carey Terrance	F	6-1	187	63	7	5	12	38	-8
14	Connor Mackey	D	6-2	195	53	5	11	16	81	-8
16	Juuso Pärssinen	C	6-3	211	11	5	1	6	4	-1
18	Bryce McConnell-Barker	F	6-2	194	60	10	10	20	18	-10
19	Brendan Brisson	F	6-0	198	57	16	16	32	54	-24
21	Anton Blidh	F	6-0	195	55	7	7	14	50	-15
23	Kalle Väisänen	F	6-5	194	44	3	1	4	0	-11
24	Phip Waugh	D	6-4	206	15	0	3	3	2	5
25	Blake Hillman	D	6-1	200	40	2	6	8	2	-6
26	Brody Lamb	F	6-1	185	6	2	3	5	2	1
27	Kyle Jackson	F	6-2	190	7	0	1	1	0	-3
28	Dylan Roobroeck	F	6-7	205	63	11	14	25	79	-11
37	Justin Dowling	C	5-10	180	44	9	20	29	4	-9
38	Jackson Dorrington	D	6-2	192	61	2	8	10	64	-9
44	Caige Sterzer	F	6-5	227	0	0	0	0	0	0
55	Scott Morrow	D	6-2	195	25	4	10	14	45	-11
58	Brandon Scanlin	D	6-4	216	40	3	6	9	41	-4
59	Zakary Karpa	F	6-2	190	17	1	2	3	9	-4
64	Trey Fix-Wolansky	F	5-7	193	63	26	19	45	98	-8
85	Daniel Walcott	LW	6-0	178	35	4	4	8	49	-3

HOCKEY OPERATIONS STAFF

Charlotte Checkers

Paul Krepelka: General Manager
Geordie Kinnear: Head Coach
Bobby Sanguinetti: Assistant Coach
Sylvain Rodrigue: Goaltending Coach
Will Cook: Video Coach

Hartford Wolf Pack

Ryan Martin: General Manager
Grant Potulny: Head Coach
Paul Mara: Assistant Coach
Jamie Tardif: Assistant Coach
Brendan Burke: Goaltending Coach
Matthew Woodard: Video Coach

TONIGHTS OFFICIALS

Referees: Riley Brace (#49), David Elford (#56)

Linesperson: Shawn Oliver (#66), Jake Herzog (#48)