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Upcoming games for the Hartford Wolf Pack:

Wed.	Dec. 6	V. Cleveland Monsters	7:00 p.m.	@ XL Center
Fri.	Dec. 8	@ Laval Rocket	7:00 p.m.	@ Place Bell
Sat.	Dec. 9	@ Laval Rocket	3:00 p.m.	@ Place Bell
Fri.	Dec. 15	V. Rochester Americans	7:00 p.m.	@ XL Center
Sun.	Dec. 17	V. Toronto Marlies	3:00 p.m.	@ XL Center

Head-to-head:

This is the fifth of six meetings between the Wolf Pack and Phantoms this season and the final one at the XL Center in downtown Hartford. It's also the second half of a back-to-back set this weekend. The season series wraps up in Allentown, Pennsylvania, at the PPL Center on Friday, January 12th 2024, at 7:05 p.m. The Wolf Pack have won three of the first four meetings between the clubs and collected seven of a possible eight points. Last night, the Wolf Pack scored a season-high seven goals en route to a 7-3 victory over the Phantoms. The Pack fired a single-period high 20 shots in the opening frame and took a 3-0 lead to the locker room. **Riley Nash** opened the scoring 14:56 into the game, beating **Cal Petersen** with a backhand for Hartford's second shorthanded goal of the season. **Adam Sýkora** then jammed home a loose puck at 17:12 on Hartford's second powerplay of the night. **Anton Blidh** notched a powerplay goal of his own when he stuffed a rebound by **Petersen** from the side of the net. **Nash's** second goal of the night 5:51 into the middle frame made it 4-0, as the Pack collected their third powerplay marker. Two goals in 1:19 from the Phantoms brought some intrigue to the table, as **JR Avon** (10:51) and **Ronnie Attard** (12:10) quickly struck to make it a 4-2 game. **Brennan Othmann** put things out of reach at 17:41 of the middle stanza, sniping his sixth goal of the season by **Petersen** from the slot. **Sýkora** jammed home his second goal of the night just 45 seconds later to make it a 6-2 spread. **Ryder Korczak** and **Samu Tuomaala** both picked up powerplay goals in the third period to finish the scoring.

Wolf Pack Notebook:

The Wolf Pack scored four powerplay goals in a game for the first time this season and for the first time since March 24th, 2023, against Springfield. They went 4-for-9 that night in a 6-5 victory over the Thunderbirds. **Nash** picked up his third two-goal outing for the Wolf Pack this season. It was his second against the Phantoms. Both **Sýkora** (2 g, 2 a, 4 pts) and **Korczak** (1 g, 2 a, 3 pts) set career-highs in points in last night's victory. Hartford's current five-game winning streak is their longest of the season. **Jonny Brodzinski** leads the team in goals with eleven and points with 25 (11 g, 14 a). His eleven goals are tied for fourth in the league, while his 25 points are tied for first. **Mac Hollowell**, meanwhile, leads the team in assists with 17. That is good for the league lead among defensemen in assists.

Phantoms Notebook:

The Phantoms suffered their first regulation loss last night since November 11th, 2023, when they fell 2-0 to the Hershey Bears at the PPL Center. Last night was also the club's first regulation loss on the road since a 4-2 setback on November 8th against the Springfield Thunderbirds at the MassMutual Center. The four powerplay goals allowed to Hartford last night were the most surrendered by the Phantoms in a single game since October 29th, 2022. That night, the Phantoms gave up four powerplay goals in a 6-3 loss to the Bridgeport Islanders. **Olle Lycksell** leads the Phantoms in both goals with 12 and points with 19 (12 g, 7 a). He has four points (3 g, 1 a) in four games against the Wolf Pack this season. **Samu Tuomaala**, meanwhile, leads the club in assists with 13.

Yesterday/Last Night in the AHL:

Rochester (3) @ Belleville (2) **SO**
 Toronto (3) @ Syracuse (4)
 Rockford (2) @ Manitoba (4)
 Laval (2) @ Abbotsford (4)
 Coachella Valley (2) @ Ontario (0)

Hershey (4) @ Charlotte (2)
 Bridgeport (3) @ Providence (6)
 San Jose (1) @ Tucson (5)
 Texas (4) @ Bakersfield (3) **SO**
Lehigh Valley (3) @ Hartford (7)

Milwaukee (1) @ Grand Rapids (4)
 Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (3) @ Springfield (2) **OT**
 Iowa (5) @ Colorado (1)
 Calgary (2) @ Henderson (1)

Tonight in the AHL (all times Eastern):

Syracuse @ Toronto (4:00)
 Springfield @ Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (6:05)
 Grand Rapids @ Milwaukee (7:00)
 San Jose @ Tucson (9:00)
 Texas @ Bakersfield (10:00)

Hershey @ Charlotte (6:00)
 Rochester @ Belleville (7:00)
 San Diego @ Chicago (8:00)
 Iowa @ Colorado (9:05)

Utica @ Cleveland (6:00)
 Providence @ Bridgeport (7:00)
 Ontario @ Coachella Valley (9:00)
 Laval @ Abbotsford (10:00)

New York Rangers Notebook:

The Rangers picked up a 3-2 comeback victory over the Detroit Red Wings on Wednesday night at Madison Square Garden. Trailing 2-1 after two periods, **K'Andre Miller** tied the contest 9:14 into the third period before **Jimmy Vesey** scored the game-winning goal at 15:45. The Rangers, 16-4-1, visited the Nashville Predators this afternoon at 4:30 p.m.

Tonight in the NHL (all times Eastern):

Tampa Bay @ Dallas (2:00)
 Islanders @ Florida (6:00)
 Seattle @ Ottawa (7:00)
 St. Louis @ Arizona (9:00)
 Washington @ Vegas (10:00)

Chicago @ Winnipeg (3:00)
 Buffalo @ Carolina (7:00)
 Philadelphia @ Pittsburgh (7:00)
 Colorado @ Anaheim (10:00)

Rangers @ Nashville (4:30)
 Detroit @ Montréal (7:00)
 Boston @ Toronto (7:00)
 Vancouver @ Calgary (10:00)

Lehigh Valley Phantoms (9-7-3-0) vs. Hartford Wolf Pack (13-4-2-0)
Dec 2, 2023 -- XL Center
AHL Game #299

GOALIES

#	Name	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
32	Felix Sandstrom	6-2	196	3	1	0	1	0	3.82	0.820
40	Cal Petersen	6-1	180	8	3	4	1	0	3.37	0.891

SKATERS

#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	GP	G	A	Pts.	PIM	+/-
2	Helge Grans	D	6-3	205	19	0	4	4	14	4
3	Adam Karashik	D	6-0	201	7	0	1	1	7	3
5	Ethan Samson	D	6'3	205	15	0	2	2	20	-4
6	Emil Andrae	D	5-9	176	10	1	4	5	14	-3
8	Mason Millman	D	6-1	186	7	0	2	2	4	2
9	Tanner Laczynski	F	6-1	190	17	6	11	17	12	-3
10	Evan Polei	LW	6-2	229	10	0	1	1	15	-2
12	Ronnie Attard	D	6-3	207	16	4	4	8	15	-1
13	Brendan Furry	F	6-1	205	12	1	1	2	10	-4
14	Zayde Wisdom	C	5-10	201	16	0	0	0	4	-5
15	Jordy Bellerive	C	5-11	194	13	0	1	1	30	-2
16	Jon-Randall Avon	F	6-0	174	13	4	2	6	8	1
17	Garrett Wilson	LW	6-3	218	18	4	7	11	67	0
19	Wade Allison	F	6-2	205	18	2	3	5	16	5
20	Cooper Marody	RW	6-0	195	19	5	11	16	12	-6
22	Rhett Gardner	C	6-3	225	18	3	1	4	37	4
24	Adam Brooks	C	5-10	185	1	0	0	0	0	0
27	Samu Tuomaala	F	5-10	180	19	5	13	18	0	3
28	Olle Lycksell	RW	5-11	176	19	12	7	19	4	-2
29	Alexis Gendron	F	5'10	187	10	4	0	4	6	0
37	Adam Ginning	D	6-4	205	19	2	5	7	26	-3
56	Jacob Gaucher	F	6-3	185	7	0	0	0	6	-1
91	Elliot Desnoyers	LW	5-11	186	15	2	6	8	5	-2
98	Victor Mete	D	5-9	187	11	0	4	4	2	0

GOALIES

#	Name	Ht	Wt	GP	W	L	OT	SO	GAA	SV%
31	Dylan Garand	6-1	176	10	6	2	2	1	2.80	0.906
70	Louis Domingue	6-3	210	8	7	1	0	1	1.88	0.935

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#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	GP	G	A	Pts.	PIM	+/-
5	Ben Harpur	D	6-6	231	7	1	2	3	2	-1
9	Brett Berard	F	5-9	165	19	4	7	11	8	0
10	Matej Pekar	C	6-1	185	1	0	0	0	2	-1
14	Connor Mackey	D	6-2	195	10	1	3	4	19	10
15	Turner Elson	F	5-11	185	8	1	2	3	4	1
16	Jake Leschyshyn	F	5-11	199	9	1	2	3	4	0
18	Zach Berzolla	D	6-2	196	9	1	0	1	12	1
20	Riley Nash	F	6-1	192	19	9	10	19	24	9
21	Anton Blidh	F	6-0	195	17	4	2	6	10	6
24	Karl Henriksson	F	5-9	176	15	2	0	2	2	0
25	Blake Hillman	D	6-1	200	10	0	5	5	2	-1
26	Grant Gabriele	D	6-2	196	4	0	0	0	0	-2
27	Nikolas Brouillard	D	5-10	172	19	2	9	11	18	-2
29	Adam Sykora	F	5-10	179	19	4	7	11	0	7
32	Matt Rempe	F	6-7	207	19	2	2	4	34	-3
34	Adam Edstrom	F	6-8	225	18	7	2	9	14	6
38	Ryder Korczak	F	5-11	172	17	2	4	6	14	0
41	Bobby Trivigno	F	5-7	160	13	2	1	3	10	2
44	Matthew Robertson	D	6-4	201	18	0	8	8	8	4
55	Alex Belzile	F	6-0	205	19	7	12	19	12	2
58	Brandon Scanlin	D	6-4	216	19	1	4	5	12	7
78	Brennan Othmann	F	6-0	186	19	6	9	15	23	-2
81	Mac Hollowell	D	5-9	170	14	1	17	18	18	9
96	Cristiano DiGiacinto	F	5-11	188	0	0	0	0	0	0

Team Staff

Ian Laperriere	Head Coach
Jason Smith	Assistant Coach
John Snowden	Assistant Coach
Bill Downey	Assistant Coach/Director of Hockey Operations

Team Staff

Ryan Martin	General Manager
Steve Smith	Interim Head Coach
Jamie Tardif	Assistant Coach
Jeff Malcolm	Goaltending Coach
Chris Hoeler	Video Coach

OFFICIALS

Referee	Alex Normandin (#65)
Referee	Adam Tobias (#16)
Linesperson	Nick Briganti (#58)
Linesperson	Brent Colby (#7)