



Arizona Coyotes at Winnipeg Jets
 Tuesday, January 26, 2016
 MTS Centre, Winnipeg, MB

End of game

Score	1	2	3	F
Arizona Coyotes	0	1	1	2
Winnipeg Jets	2	3	0	5

Shots	1	2	3	F
Arizona Coyotes	10	14	10	34
Winnipeg Jets	11	14	12	37

Regular season records:

Arizona Coyotes: 24-20-5 (Road: 11-11-2)

Winnipeg Jets: 22-24-3 (Home: 13-10-1)

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Special Teams	Power play	PIM
Arizona Coyotes	0/5	13
Winnipeg Jets	1/4	15

The goals:

- **Nikolaj Ehlers** opened the scoring with a power play goal at 6:55 of the first period to give Winnipeg a 1-0 lead. Ehlers scored on the rebound after Dustin Byfuglien tipped Blake Wheeler's initial shot attempt. With Byfuglien parked in front of the net, the Coyotes had challenged the ruling on the ice for goaltender inference. After a review, the ruling on the ice stood, and the goal counted.
- Winnipeg took a 2-0 lead at 13:53 of the first period when **Nikolaj Ehlers** scored his second goal of the game. Mark Scheifele made a pass to Blake Wheeler at the Arizona blue line. That would create a 2-on-1 rush where Wheeler made a saucer pass to Ehlers who knocked the puck out of the air off the post, and past goaltender Louis Domingue into the net.
- **Dustin Byfuglien** scored at 6:00 of the second period to give Winnipeg a 3-0 lead. Byfuglien scored off a slap shot from centre ice that went off the right pad of Louis Domingue and in the net. Chris Thorburn picked up the lone assist on the defenceman's 13th goal of the season.
- Winnipeg took a 4-0 lead at 14:31 of the second period on **Nikolaj Ehlers'** third goal of the game. Ehlers scored on a shot in the slot after taking a pass from Blake Wheeler.
- Arizona made it a 4-1 game when **Brad Richardson** scored at 15:40 of the second period. Richardson picked up the loose puck after Connor Hellebuyck made an initial save on Jordan Martinook's backhand shot on a wrap-around attempt.
- **Dustin Byfuglien** scored a shorthanded goal while the Jets were killing a 5-on-3 power play to give Winnipeg a 5-1 lead at 17:43 of the second period. Byfuglien scored on a breakaway using a forehand shot for his second goal of the game. Tyler Myers picked up the lone assist on the goal.

- **Anthony Duclair** added a goal for Arizona at 19:44 of the third period to make it a 5-2 game. Duclair scored on a shot in front after taking a backhand pass from Martin Hanzal beside the Winnipeg net.

Penalty story:

- The Jets went 1-for-4 with five shots on goal, and the Coyotes went 0-for-5 with five shots on goal on the power play tonight.
- The game had one fight at 4:12 of the first period when **Anthony Peluso** of the Jets fought **Jarred Tinordi** of the Coyotes.
- Arizona had a 5-on-3 power play for 1:45 during the second period. During the two man advantage, the Coyotes would allow a shorthanded goal to Winnipeg's **Dustin Byfuglien**.

Standout stats:

- With three goals tonight, Winnipeg rookie **Nikolaj Ehlers** had the first multi-goal game of his NHL career, and the first the first multi-point game for Ehlers. It was the first hat trick for a Winnipeg player since Jan. 13/15 when Mathieu Perreault scored four goals vs. Florida. It's also the first hat trick by a rookie for the franchise since Kamil Piros scored three goals for Atlanta on Apr. 6/03 vs. Tampa Bay.
- Winnipeg's **Blake Wheeler** had three assists in tonight's game. Wheeler continues to lead the Jets with 48 points in 49 games played this season.
- With two goals tonight, Winnipeg's **Dustin Byfuglien** had his second multi-goal game of the season. Byfuglien last scored twice in a game on Jan. 14/16 vs. Nashville. The Winnipeg all-star has four points in three games vs. Arizona this season.
- **Dustin Byfuglien's** shorthanded goal for the Jets was the first goal any team in the NHL has scored 3-on-5 this season. It is also just the second time in franchise history with the team has scored a goal while killing off a two-man advantage with the one other scored by Daniel Tjarnqvist for Atlanta on Jan. 18/04 at Carolina.
- **Mark Scheifele** had one assist in tonight's game returning to the lineup after missing the previous seven games due to injury.
- **Oliver Ekman-Larsson** of the Coyotes led all players in ice time with 25:37 TOI tonight.
- Winnipeg's **Dustin Byfuglien** played a team-high ice time of 23:34 TOI tonight.
- Winnipeg's **Bryan Little**, and **Mark Scheifele** along with Arizona's **Brad Richardson** each had a game-high five shots on goal.
- Winnipeg goaltender **Connor Hellebuyck** stopped 32-of-34 shots he faced in tonight's game to improve his record to 12-9-1 this season with a .927 save percentage. Hellebuyck is second among rookie goaltenders with 12 wins this season, now one behind Mike Condon of Montreal.
- Arizona goaltender **Louis Domingue** allowed five goals on 25 shots he faced in two period of action. Tonight's game ends a streak of four consecutive starts in which Domingue allowed two goals or fewer. It's also the first time Domingue has allowed five goals in a game in 24 career games played. **Anders Lindback** took over in the net for the third period and stopped all 12 shots he faced.
- Arizona defenceman **Kevin Connauton** had a game-high five hits.
- **Dustin Byfuglien**, and **Matt Halischuk** each had a team-high four hits for Winnipeg tonight.
- **Ben Chiarot**, and **Mark Stuart** each blocked a game-high four shots for Winnipeg.
- **Kevin Connauton** blocked a team-high three shots for Arizona.
- Arizona beat Winnipeg 32-20 in face-offs tonight.
- **Brad Richardson** won 9-of-11 (81.8%) face-offs for the Coyotes tonight including 4-of-5 defensive zone face-offs taken.
- Tonight's five goal output by Winnipeg ended a streak of four games in which team scored just one goal going 1-3-0 in that stretch. The last game the Jets scored more than one goal was in a 5-4 win on Jan. 14/16 vs. Nashville.
- Tonight's game was the seventh time this season the Jets have scored at least five goals in a game. The Jets are 7-0-0 in those games, and are also 13-0-0 when they score four or more goals in game this season.
- The Winnipeg Jets are now 18-1-0 when leading after two periods this season.

- Winnipeg is now 6-2-0 this season when facing an opponent that is playing the second game of a back-to-back with Arizona having played in Minnesota last night.
- Tonight's loss ended a streak for the Coyotes of getting at least a point in each of their last five road games. Prior to tonight's game, Arizona had been 4-0-1 on the road dating back to Dec. 27/15. The last time the team did not get a point on the road was Dec. 8/15 at St. Louis.

Who's hot:

- Winnipeg's **Nikolaj Ehlers** extended his point streak to four games tonight, and now has four goals over the last two games. Ehlers also has picked up eight points in the last seven games overall.
- Winnipeg's **Dustin Byfuglien** has scored three goals over the last two games.
- **Blake Wheeler** of the Jets has picked up four assists over the last two games, and has a total of seven points in the last six games played.
- **Brad Richardson's** goal for Arizona tonight now gives him three points over the last four games played.