



#NHLStats about the Boston Bruins, who are headed to the postseason for a seventh straight year and 76th time in franchise history. Boston became the first team to clinch a berth in the 2023 Stanley Cup Playoffs [by winning Saturday](#) – a victory that saw them become the fastest team in NHL history to 50 wins in a season.

1. The Bruins' seven straight Stanley Cup Playoffs berths equal their [third longest run in franchise history](#). This will be Boston's 76th playoff appearance, [second most in NHL history](#) behind longtime rival Montreal (85).
2. Three players who won the Stanley Cup with the Bruins in 2011 remain with the team: **Patrice Bergeron**, **David Krejci** and **Brad Marchand**. Bergeron and then-rookie Marchand combined for all four goals in [Game 7 of the 2011 Final](#) as Boston vanquished Vancouver to win its [sixth and most recent championship](#) (also [1972](#), [1970](#), [1941](#), [1939](#) & [1929](#)).
3. Only three players have claimed Stanley Cup wins with Boston *10+ years apart*: **Dit Clapper** (1941, 1939 & 1929), **Eddie Shore** (1939 & 1929) and **Cooney Weiland** (1939 & 1929). **Patrice Bergeron**, **David Krejci** and **Brad Marchand** all can join that list.
4. **Patrice Bergeron** (49-78—127 in 167 GP), **David Krejci** (42-82—124 in 156 GP) and **Brad Marchand** (49-69—118 in 139 GP) each rank among the top four on the all-time franchise lists for [career playoff assists](#) and [points](#), both topped by **Ray Bourque** (36-125—161 in 180 GP). They all also are among the top six in [career playoff goals for Boston](#), with Bergeron and Marchand tied for second place behind current team president **Cam Neely** (55 in 86 GP). Bergeron is 13 games from tying Bourque for the most in [Bruins playoff history](#).
5. **Patrice Bergeron** has appeared in 13 career Game 7s, tied with **Patrick Roy** and **Scott Stevens** for the second most in NHL history behind only former Bruins captain **Zdeno Chara** (14 GP). Bergeron (6-5—11 in 13 GP) ranks tied for third and sixth place on the League's all-time [Game 7 goals](#) and [points list](#), respectively. **David Krejci** (10 in 11 GP) is tied for the most [Game 7 assists](#) in NHL history.
6. Boston has 13 players with experience in the Stanley Cup Final, including 10 who skated with the club in [2019 vs. St. Louis](#) (**Patrice Bergeron**, **Brandon Carlo**, **Connor Clifton**, **Charlie Coyle**, **Jake DeBrusk**, **Matt Grzelcyk**, **David Krejci**, **Brad Marchand**, **Charlie McAvoy** & **David Pastrnak**).
7. **Nick Foligno** can become the 12th player in NHL history to win his first career Stanley Cup after appearing in 1,100 or more contests, with former Bruins captain **Ray Bourque** owning the most games on the list – he did so with Colorado in 2001 after 1,612 games.
8. **Brad Marchand** (33-46—79 in 73 GP), **David Pastrnak** (30-44—74 in 70 GP) and **Patrice Bergeron** (26-35—61 in 72 GP) have a combined 214 playoff points during Boston's run of consecutive appearances.
9. In the midst of a career-best season, **Linus Ullmark** is in position to post the [most combined victories by a Bruins goaltender in a single season](#) as he seeks his first career Stanley Cup Playoffs victory. Ullmark, 29, can become the fourth-oldest goaltender to record his first career postseason win while wearing a Bruins uniform – **Eddie Johnston** (36 years, 136 days old in [Game 3 of 1972 QF](#)), **Hal Winkler** (35 years, 9 days old in [Game 1 of 1927 QF](#)) and **Tim Thomas** (33 years, 364 days old in [Game 3 of 2008 CQF](#)) are the only Bruins netminders to claim the first playoff win of their career at age 29 or older. His goaltending partner, **Jeremy Swayman** (Anchorage, Alaska) can become the second Alaska-born player in NHL history to win a Stanley Cup (**Scott Gomez**, 2x).
10. **Jim Montgomery** can become the 26th head coach in NHL history to win a Stanley Cup during his first season with a franchise and the fifth in the last 15 years (also **Craig Berube**: [2019 STL](#); **Mike Sullivan**: [2016 PIT](#); **Darryl Sutter**: [2012 LAK](#); **Dan Bylsma**: [2009 PIT](#)). Montgomery, who won national titles with the University of Denver Pioneers (2017) and USHL's Dubuque Fighting Saints (2013 & 2011), can also become the first with at least one Stanley Cup, NCAA championship *and* Clark Cup as a head coach.





# MOST GAME 7 POINTS

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PLAYER	GP	POINTS
Justin Williams	9	15
Doug Gilmour	11	13
Trevor Linden	9	12
Wayne Gretzky	6	12
Mark Messier	9	12
Patrice Bergeron	13	11
Jaromir Jagr	8	11
Glenn Anderson	12	11



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## **LOOKING AHEAD TO GAME 1 OF THE FIRST ROUND**

The information below shows the top performances in **playoff openers in Bruins history**. In 2020, Game 1 of the First Round is treated as the club's playoff opener.

### *Any Skater*

**Most Goals in a Playoff Opener:** 4 (Phil Esposito in [Game 1 of 1969 QF](#))

**Most Assists in a Playoff Opener:** 3 (8x; last: Joe Juneau & Adam Oates in [Game 1 of 1993 DSF](#))

**Most Points in a Playoff Opener:** 6 (Phil Esposito in [Game 1 of 1969 QF](#))

### *Defensemen*

**Most Goals in a Playoff Opener:** 2 (2x; last: Mike O'Connell in [Game 1 of 1983 DSF](#))

**Most Assists in a Playoff Opener:** 3 (2x; last: Carol Vadnais in [Game 1 of 1975 PRLM](#))

**Most Points in a Playoff Opener:** 4 (Carol Vadnais in [Game 1 of 1975 PRLM](#))

### *Rookie*

**Most Goals in a Playoff Opener:** 2 (2x; last: Don Gallinger in [Game 1 of 1943 SF](#))

**Most Assists in a Playoff Opener:** 3 (Joe Juneau in [Game 1 of 1993 DSF](#))

**Most Points in a Playoff Opener:** 4 (Joe Juneau in [Game 1 of 1993 DSF](#))

### *Goaltenders (Since 1955-56)*

**Most Saves in a Playoff Opener:** 40 (Gerry Cheevers in [Game 1 of 1969 QF](#))

**Most Shots Against in a Playoff Opener:** 40 (2x; last: Rogie Vachon in [Game 1 of 1981 PRLM](#))

### *Team (Shots since 1955-56)*

**Most Goals For in a Playoff Opener:** 10 ([Game 1 of 1969 QF](#))

**Most Goals Against in a Playoff Opener:** 7 ([Game 1 of 1953 SF](#))

**Most Shots on Goal in a Playoff Opener:** 51 ([Game 1 of 1969 QF](#))

**Most Shots Against in a Playoff Opener:** 40 (2x; last: [Game 1 of 1981 PRLM](#))

**Shutouts in a Playoff Opener:** 12

[Game 1 of 2012 CQF](#) (Tim Thomas)

[Game 1 of 2004 CQF](#) (Andrew Raycroft)

[Game 1 of 1999 CQF](#) (Byron Dafoe)

[Game 1 of 1976 QF](#) (Gilles Gilbert)

[Game 1 of 1974 QF](#) (Gilles Gilbert)

[Game 1 of 1972 QF](#) (Gerry Cheevers)

[Game 1 of 1969 QF](#) (Gerry Cheevers)

[Game 1 of 1951 SF](#) (Jack Gelineau)

[Game 1 of 1941 SF](#) (Frank Brimsek)

[Game 1 of 1936 QF](#) (Tiny Thompson)

[Game 1 of 1935 SF](#) (Tiny Thompson)

[Game 1 of 1929 SF](#) (Tiny Thompson)

## **LEAGUE LISTS INCLUDED BELOW** (as of March 8, 2023)

- Stanley Cup Winners by Roster
- Stanley Cup Final Experience by Roster
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- Most Regular-Season Games Played, Active Players Without a Stanley Cup Win
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- Most Regular-Season Games Played Without Stanley Cup Win, NHL History
- Information on Stanley Cup-Winning Rosters Since 1917-18

## **FRANCHISE PLAYOFF RECORDS ON RECORDS.NHL.COM**

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# STANLEY CUP WINNERS BY ROSTER

TEAM	PLAYERS	CUPS	CUPS WITH TEAM
Anaheim Ducks	1	1	0
Arizona Coyotes	0	0	0
Boston Bruins	4	4	3
Buffalo Sabres	0	0	0
Calgary Flames	5	7	0
Carolina Hurricanes	2	2	0
Chicago Blackhawks	2	5	3
Colorado Avalanche	19	20	18
Columbus Blue Jackets	0	0	0
Dallas Stars	1	1	0
Detroit Red Wings	4	5	0
Edmonton Oilers	0	0	0
Florida Panthers	3	4	0
Los Angeles Kings	2	4	4
Minnesota Wild	3	5	0
Montreal Canadiens	3	3	0
Nashville Predators	3	4	0
New Jersey Devils	1	2	0
New York Islanders	0	0	0
New York Rangers	3	6	0
Ottawa Senators	1	2	0
Philadelphia Flyers	0	0	0
Pittsburgh Penguins	10	21	17
San Jose Sharks	1	1	0
Seattle Kraken	7	10	0
St. Louis Blues	9	10	6
Tampa Bay Lightning	14	26	22
Toronto Maple Leafs	5	8	0
Vancouver Canucks	1	1	0
Vegas Golden Knights	6	9	0
Washington Capitals	10	11	6
Winnipeg Jets	0	0	0

\*Min. 1 GP in 2022-23 with current team through GP March 8. [Click here](#) for player details.



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# STANLEY CUP FINAL EXPERIENCE BY ROSTER

TEAM	PLAYERS	SCF GP	SCF G	SCF A	SCF P	FINALS
Anaheim Ducks	2	12	4	2	6	2
Arizona Coyotes	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boston Bruins	13	125	30	31	61	20
Buffalo Sabres	1	5	0	1	1	1
Calgary Flames	6	51	12	9	21	10
Carolina Hurricanes	5	33	5	9	14	6
Chicago Blackhawks	3	41	8	11	19	7
Colorado Avalanche	18	124	18	36	54	22
Columbus Blue Jackets	1	7	2	3	5	1
Dallas Stars	10	70	9	22	31	13
Detroit Red Wings	4	30	3	8	11	6
Edmonton Oilers	3	14	2	4	6	3
Florida Panthers	4	32	5	7	12	6
Los Angeles Kings	5	40	7	14	21	7
Minnesota Wild	8	55	7	7	14	10
Montreal Canadiens	12	58	4	10	14	13
Nashville Predators	6	47	5	14	19	9
New Jersey Devils	3	30	8	10	18	6
New York Islanders	2	8	2	0	2	2
New York Rangers	5	45	12	16	28	8
Ottawa Senators	4	21	3	9	12	4
Philadelphia Flyers	2	10	3	2	5	2
Pittsburgh Penguins	12	148	32	48	80	27
San Jose Sharks	4	20	3	6	9	4
Seattle Kraken	7	53	7	15	22	10
St. Louis Blues	10	71	10	10	20	12
Tampa Bay Lightning	17	266	40	68	108	50
Toronto Maple Leafs	8	46	9	11	20	9
Vancouver Canucks	1	5	0	0	0	1
Vegas Golden Knights	12	78	11	21	32	15
Washington Capitals	12	66	15	27	41	13
Winnipeg Jets	3	13	2	2	4	3

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## CONFERENCE FINALS & STANLEY CUP FINAL EXPERIENCE BY ROSTER

TEAM	PLAYERS	CF/SCF GP	CF/SCF G	CF/SCF A	CF/SCF P
Anaheim Ducks	8	81	12	26	38
Arizona Coyotes	1	4	1	1	2
Boston Bruins	15	267	67	67	134
Buffalo Sabres	2	28	2	5	7
Calgary Flames	10	126	23	35	58
Carolina Hurricanes	17	171	29	44	73
Chicago Blackhawks	4	110	30	33	63
Colorado Avalanche	19	250	47	75	122
Columbus Blue Jackets	3	19	4	6	10
Dallas Stars	11	150	22	46	68
Detroit Red Wings	6	80	9	21	30
Edmonton Oilers	17	101	15	32	47
Florida Panthers	7	88	12	17	29
Los Angeles Kings	5	91	15	38	53
Minnesota Wild	9	130	13	20	33
Montreal Canadiens	14	158	23	33	56
Nashville Predators	9	120	19	37	56
New Jersey Devils	5	87	28	30	58
New York Islanders	18	192	23	32	55
New York Rangers	19	222	47	72	119
Ottawa Senators	8	69	18	18	36
Philadelphia Flyers	3	40	4	8	12
Pittsburgh Penguins	16	341	78	111	189
San Jose Sharks	7	93	19	32	51
Seattle Kraken	10	141	25	31	56
St. Louis Blues	12	178	21	43	64
Tampa Bay Lightning	19	690	114	198	312
Toronto Maple Leafs	8	109	13	21	34
Vancouver Canucks	6	50	6	12	18
Vegas Golden Knights	17	316	47	76	123
Winnipeg Jets	13	84	7	15	22
Washington Capitals	12	125	27	57	84

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^Includes 2021 Stanley Cup Semifinals

## MOST REGULAR-SEASON GAMES PLAYED, ACTIVE PLAYERS WITHOUT A STANLEY CUP WIN

PLAYER	CURRENT TEAM	GP
Ryan Suter	DAL	1,344
Brent Burns	CAR	1,313
Joe Pavelski	DAL	1,232
Marc-Edouard Vlasic	SJS	1,225
Zach Parise	NYI	1,208
Paul Stastny	CAR	1,133
Blake Wheeler	WPG	1,102
Mark Giordano	TOR	1,088
Marc Staal	FLA	1,084
Nick Foligno	BOS	1,081
Claude Giroux	OTT	1,081

\*List shows all players with 1,060+ career GP through March 8, 2023. [Click here](#) for more players.



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**MOST REGULAR-SEASON GAMES PLAYED BEFORE FIRST STANLEY CUP WIN, NHL HISTORY**

PLAYER	CURRENT TEAM	FIRST CUP	GP
Ray Bourque	-	2001 COL	1,612
Dave Andreychuk	-	2004 TBL	1,597
Glen Wesley	-	2006 CAR	1,311
Pat Verbeek	-	1999 DAL	1,225
Luc Robitaille	-	2002 DET	1,205
Rod Brind'Amour	-	2006 CAR	1,187
Jay Bouwmeester	-	2019 STL	1,184
Andrew Coglianò	COL	2022 COL	1,140
Steve Duchesne	-	2002 DET	1,113
Lanny McDonald	-	1989 CGY	1,111
Kimmo Timonen	-	2015 CHI	1,108
Teemu Selanne	-	2007 ANA	1,041
Jack Johnson	COL	2022 COL	1,024
Steve Yzerman	-	1997 DET	1,023
Robyn Regehr	-	2014 LAK	1,022
Miroslav Satan	-	2009 PIT	1,012
Dallas Drake	-	2008 DET	1,009
Alex Ovechkin	WSH	2018 WSH	1,003
Neal Broten	-	1995 NJD	1,002

\*List above shows all players with 1,000+ career GP before first Cup win. [Click here](#) for more players.

**MOST REGULAR-SEASON GAMES PLAYED WITHOUT STANLEY CUP WIN, NHL HISTORY**

PLAYER	CURRENT TEAM	GP
Patrick Marleau	-	1,779
Joe Thornton	-	1,714
Jarome Iginla	-	1,554
Shane Doan	-	1,540
Phil Housley	-	1,495
Mike Gartner	-	1,432
Scott Mellanby	-	1,431
Luke Richardson	-	1,417
Harry Howell	-	1,411
Norm Ullman	-	1,410
Dale Hunter	-	1,407
Roman Hamrlik	-	1,395
Doug Mohns	-	1,391
Trevor Linden	-	1,382
Dean Prentice	-	1,378
Teppo Numminen	-	1,372
Jeremy Roenick	-	1,363
Marcel Dionne	-	1,348
Mats Sundin	-	1,346
Ryan Suter	DAL	1,344
Adam Oates	-	1,337
Henrik Sedin	-	1,330
Brent Burns	CAR	1,313
Daniel Sedin	-	1,306

\*List above shows all players with 1,300+ career GP through March 8, 2023. [Click here](#) for more players.

**INFORMATION ON STANLEY CUP-WINNING ROSTERS SINCE 1917-18**

[Click here](#) to view a breakdown of each Stanley Cup-winning roster in NHL history, including number of previous winners, average age, along with names and ages of the captain(s), head coach and general manager.

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