

New Jersey Devils Postgame Notes: January 18, vs Philadelphia Flyers

Philadelphia Flyers 3 New Jersey Devils 1 (21-20-6=48 PTS) (26-16-6=58 PTS)

Three Stars: 1. B. Brink 2. M. Michkov 3. S. Ersson

SCORE	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	ОТ	SO	FINAL
Philadelphia	0	1	2	-	-	3
DEVILS	1	0	0	-	-	1

Goals:

PHI: M. Michkov, B. Brink (PPG/GWG), T. Konecny (ENG)

NJD: D. Hamilton

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The Devils and Philadelphia opened their 2024-25 regular-season series, which marked the first of four matchups against one another this season.

The two foes play next in a home-at-home set on Jan. 27 (at PH) and then Jan 29 at the Rock.

The Devils are now 8-5-3 against the Metropolitan Division this season.

The Devils fell to 14-5-3 when scoring first in a contest this season.

Jersey's team is now 4-5-2 when tied after two periods of play in 2024-25.

New Jersey's season-high five-game point streak concluded after the loss against Philadelphia.

It appeared **Jesper Bratt** scored in the third period off a one-timer, but the play was reviewed and was ruled offside (no goal).

The Devils are now 5-3-0 in first half games played for back-to-back sets this season.

The Devils were outshot, 18-13. The team fell to 6-6-4 when outshot in a game this season. The 13 shots on goal were the team's fewest in a game this season (prior, 16 on Nov. 4, at EDM, 3-0 win).

The last time that New Jersey recorded 13, or fewer, shots on goal was Dec. 31, 2014, after a 3-1 loss against Detroit.

The 31 combined shots from the contest marked the fewest total in an NHL game this season (prior: 33, Dec. 23, WSH: 11 at Boston: 22).

The Devils are now 5-3-0 for matinee games.

DHN Quiz Question

Who is the only Devils player with a playoff overtime goal against Philadelphia?

A: Alexei Ponikarovsky, who earned the overtime winner in Game 3 of the 2012 Eastern Conference Semi-Finals

Special Teams PP: 0-2 | PK: 1-2

Attendance: 16,514

Duration: 12:38 p.m. E.T. - 2:58 P.M. E.T.



Dougie Hamilton netted his sixth goal for the season and 2:17 into the first period. It marked Hamilton's first goal scored since Dec. 2, 2024, against the New York Rangers.

Hamilton's goal also marked his 42nd career goals, which passed Rob Ramage for eighth all-time for goals scored by defensemen in franchise history. Brian Rafalski's 44 career goals with New Jersey ranks seventh among defensemen in franchise history.

Hamilton led all Devils skaters with 22:05 TOI.

Nico Hischier played in his 500th career NHL game with New Jersey and became the sixth Swiss native all-time who played in 500 career NHL contests.

Per NHL Pr, Hischier's "392 points are the most by a Swiss player at the time of their 500th contest."

Nathan Bastian collected the primary assist Hamilton's first-period goal, which marked the veteran forward's second assist in his last three games played.

Tomas Tatar dressed in his 895th career contest and collected his seventh assist for 2024-25. Tatar now owns 489 career points (223g-266a).

Quick Hits

Paul Cotter led all skaters from the contest with six hits.

Luke Hughes recorded a career-high five blocked shots in a game.

Brian Halonen inked his season debut (11:35 TOI), after he was recalled from (AHL) Utica on Jan. 17.



Jake Allen inked his 13th start for 2024-25 and his first nod since Jan. 1, at Los Angeles. The veteran netminder recorded 15 saves on 17 shots.

STATISTICS

Shots	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	ОТ	TOTAL
Philadelphia	6	5	7	-	18
Devils	3	4	6	-	13

Devils Leaders

Shots	D. Hamilton & 2 others - 2		
Face-off wins	N. Hischier - 9		
Face-off%	N. Hischier – 64.3%		
Hits	P. Cotter – 6		
Blocked shots	L. Hughes - 5		
Takeaways	B. Halonen & 3 others - 1		
TOI	D. Hamilton – 22:05		

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