



CAROLINA HURRICANES 0, FLORIDA PANTHERS 1 (OT)

Post Game Notes – September 29, 2026

Attendance: 19,250



CAROLINA HURRICANES SCORING NOTES

Per	Time	Goal Scorer	Assists	STR	Score
None					

FLORIDA PANTHERS SCORING NOTES

Per	Time	Goal Scorer	Assists	STR	Score
OT	4:55	Gustav Forsling (1)	Carter Verhaeghe (1)	EV	1-0

PACKED HOUSE

- With tonight's game, the Carolina Hurricanes have extended their streak to 169 consecutive regular-season and playoff sellouts at Lenovo Center, dating back to Feb. 24, 2023. Tonight's standing-room only crowd of 19,250 represents the largest attendance for a regular-season home game at Lenovo Center. Only two regular-season home games in franchise history have drawn more fans: the team's Stadium Series outdoor game against the Washington Capitals at Carter-Finley Stadium on Feb. 18, 2023 (56,961) and a game at the Greensboro Coliseum against the New York Rangers on Nov. 21, 1997 (19,358).
- The team has sold out all 41 home games during the 2025-26 season. The Hurricanes first sold out every home game in franchise history during the 2023-24 season, averaging 18,819 fans per game, including standing-room attendance. Following renovations to Lenovo Center during the summer of 2026, the arena's seated capacity will be 18,800 for the 2026-27 hockey season.

GAME SUMMARY

- Carolina held the advantage over Florida recording 20 blocked shots and a 58.6% faceoff success rate after winning 34 of 58 draws. Sebastian Aho paced Carolina with three four shots on goal, while Jackson Blake led with two blocked shots and 21:38 time on ice. Andrei Svechnikov recorded a team-best eight hits, while Aho finished the period with 14:25 of ice time.
- Last season, the Hurricanes finished 17-12-4 when their opponent scored first, while the Panthers were 29-9-3 when scoring first.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- Carolina is 0-for-6 on the power play tonight and was 60-for-241 (24.9%) on the man advantage in 2025-26. The Hurricanes are 7-for-7 on the penalty kill and were 186-for-231 (80.5%) on the kill last season.
- Florida is 0-for-7 on the power play tonight and went 52-for-266 (19.5%) on the power play in 2025-26. The Panthers are 6-for-6 on the penalty kill and went 221-for-273 (81.0%) on the penalty kill last season.
- Last season, the Panthers ranked third in the NHL with 922 penalty minutes and 370 penalties taken, while the Hurricanes were 27th with 640 penalty minutes and 19th with 288 penalties taken.

SHOTS BY PERIOD

TEAMS	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
Florida	6	8	5	1	20
Carolina	3	7	4	1	15