

GAME REPORT

Home: CV Firebirds vs. Away: ONT Reign

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Pre-Game

By keeping the roster together for the last 3 seasons, the Firebirds are showing that familiarity breeds success. They are one of the top scoring teams in the AHL and have a 54% power play success which is 20% higher than the next team. Scoring on the power play has been an Achilles heel for the Firebirds, but this year they are showing a dynamic attack that isn't afraid to shoot the puck. Jani Nyman has capitalized with 3 power play goals to start the season.

The Firebirds play the Reign again. The Reign have not played since last Saturday against the Firebirds. In fact, the Reign's first three games this season are against the Firebirds. The AHL schedule makers are must have had some fun after both teams faced each other in last year's playoffs.

Reign

No.	PLAYER	POS	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PPG	PMPPG
29	Lane Pederson	C	2	1	3	4	-2	2.000	1.000
34	Taylor Ward	F	2	2	1	3	-1	1.500	1.000
78	x Jared Wright	F	2	2	1	3	1	1.500	2.000
24	Angus Booth	D	2	0	2	2	2	1.000	2.000
19	Kirill Kirsanov	D	2	0	2	2	0	1.000	1.000
7	Scott Perunovich	D	2	0	2	2	-1	1.000	0.500
8	Martin Chromiak	F	2	1	0	1	-1	0.500	0.000
71	Francesco Pinelli	F	2	1	0	1	1	0.500	1.000
13	Koehn Ziemmer	F	2	1	0	1	1	0.500	1.000
47	Jack Hughes	C	1	0	1	1	1	1.000	2.000
92	* Vojtech Čihák	LW	2	0	1	1	1	0.500	1.000
17	Kenny Connors	F	2	0	1	1	-3	0.500	-1.000
81	Cole Guttman	F	2	0	1	1	-2	0.500	-0.500
2	* Henry Brzustewicz	D	1	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
45	Jack Millar	D	1	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
1	Erik Portillo	G	1	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
50	* Hampton Slukynsky	G	1	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000

15	* Grant Slukynsky	C	1	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
37	Jacob Doty	RW	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
27	Joe Hicketts	D	2	0	0	0	-1	0.000	-0.500
86	Aatu Jämsen	F	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
80	* Jared Woolley	D	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000

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Firebirds

No.	PLAYER	POS	GP	G	A	PTS	+/-	PPG	PMPPG
33	Jani Nyman	F	3	6	1	7	3	2.333	3.333
57	Jagger Firkus	F	3	2	5	7	2	2.333	3.000
43	Tyson Jugnauth	D	3	0	7	7	-3	2.333	1.333
10	J.R. Avon	F	3	2	3	5	2	1.667	2.333
24	Ty Nelson	D	3	0	4	4	4	1.333	2.667
96	Logan Morrison	F	1	2	1	3	2	3.000	5.000
12	Eduard Šalé	F	3	2	1	3	3	1.000	2.000
15	John Hayden	F	3	1	2	3	-4	1.000	-0.333
78	Oscar Fisker Mølgaard	F	3	1	1	2	0	0.667	0.667
49	* Julius Miettinen	F	3	0	2	2	2	0.667	1.333
4	Caden Price	D	3	0	2	2	0	0.667	0.667
67	Mitchell Stephens	F	3	1	0	1	-2	0.333	-0.333
23	Gustav Olofsson	D	3	0	1	1	5	0.333	2.000
40	Victor Östman	G	1	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
35	Nikke Kokko	G	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
90	* Nathan Villeneuve	F	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
2	Lukas Dragicevic	D	3	0	0	0	-1	0.000	-0.333
27	* Ryden Evers	F	3	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
47	Kaden Hammell	D	3	0	0	0	-2	0.000	-0.667
16	Carson Rehkopf	F	3	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000
29	Lleyton Roed	F	3	0	0	0	-4	0.000	-1.333

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Head-to-Head:

These two teams face each other for the 3rd time this season. The Firebirds lead the series so far with a 1-0-1-0 record. The Reign have had some extended rest since they played the Firebirds last Saturday. The Firebirds are coming off a 6-3 win against the Gulls on Fridays. Tonight's game will be a matchup of rest or rust versus conditioning and ready to play.

1st Period

The Reign's rust showed in the period. The Firebirds got on the board first as Oscar Fisker Mølgaard to the puck up ice and made short pass to Eduard Šalé who made a nifty move to get the puck past Carter George. After that both teams settled into a back-and-forth pace of play. Each team had a power play, but neither team could score.

2nd Period

The period started off great for the Firebirds. Lleyton Roed found the puck in the slot to fire it low past George for the 2nd goal. The Reign then shook off the rust and got to work. After an exchange of penalties, Martin Chromiak got the Reign first goal at the half way point. Three minutes later, Lane Pederson scored off a rebound shot from Scott Perunovich to tie the game at 2. The Reign kept up the pressure to and outshot the Firebirds 16-6 in the period.

3rd Period

The Reign continued to control the game and slowed the game down when they could. Victor Östman held fort as the Reign continued the onslaught. The Firebirds made a late press, but regulation ended in a tie.

Overtime

Each team had an opportunity to score, and it was looking like the game was headed to a shootout. Cole Guttman broke free and was able to get the winning goal past Östman.

Post-Game

The Reign came to play and took the 2 points. The Firebirds were lucky to come away with a point and keep the point streak alive. The power play success that helped the Firebirds in the first three games was not present tonight.

The Reign continue their road trip to San Diego, and then come home for a pair of games. The Firebirds are off to a 4 game road trip. They will head to Henderson first to take on the Silver Knights. Then it is the only trip to Abbotsford to play a back-to-back series against the Canucks. They finish the trip against the San Diego culls.

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	OT	Total
Reign	0	2	0	1	3
Firebirds	1	1	0	0	2

Full game statistic can be found on the AHL site: <https://theahl.com/stats/game-center/1029125>

Video highlights can be seen on the Firebirds' YouTube channel: [Firebirds - YouTube](#)