

## Looking Ahead - Week 10

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A tough decision can be made easier with these charts showing you the best five and worst five schedules for upcoming seven-day periods. Some of you used them last year but for the benefit of new readers here is a refresher. The number next to the team indicates the 'multiplier' to use on a player's point-per-game pace to give you an idea how many points to expect for that week.

The Tampa Bay Lightning have been struggling mightily lately; heading into Thursday's game against the Rangers they had lost five in a row and only two of their last nine. They have a league high 10 road losses so far and play five of their next seven away from St. Pete's. Not only have they allowed four goals or more in four straight games, they've only scored 18 goals in their last nine games, a stretch which includes a five goal outburst against Florida.

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The Jets are another team much better at home then on the road, going 8-4 in Winnipeg versus 4-7-4 on the road. They've also been climbing the standings in the East going 7-2-1 in their last 10 and are in the midst of playing 13 of 15 at home. The even better news is that they've only played four of those 13 home games and are basically in Winnipeg until a New Years Eve date against the Leafs.

The month of December is either going to make or break the Anaheim Ducks season. Before Thursday's games, Anaheim was already nine points back of the final playoff spot in the West, with five teams between them and eighth. They have a league low two wins on the road scoring only 18 goals in their 11 road games. Boudreau's rough start is looking to get a bit worse as the Ducks play only one home game in their next eight, where all games are against teams ahead of them in the standings; St.Louis, Nashville, Chicago, Winnipeg, Dallas, Los Angeles and San Jose.

### Best Bets

San Jose 4.62 - @StL, @Chi, @Col, Col

NY Rangers 4.00 - @Buf, Fla, Dal, @StL

Winnipeg 3.85 - Car, @Det, Min, Was

Vancouver 3.43 - @Ott, @CBJ, @Car

Edmonton 2.28 - Col, @Cgy, @Phx

### Steer Clear

St. Louis 1.71 - SJ, NYR

Anaheim 1.83 - @Nas, Phx

Toronto 1.89 - @Was, Car

Chicago 1.95 - SJ, @Min

Pittsburgh 2.18 - @NYI, Det

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### Best Bets

San Jose 4.62 - @StL, @Chi, @Col, Col

Dallas 4.02 - @LA, @NYR, @NYI, @NJ

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NY Rangers 4.00 - @Buf, Fla, Dal, @StL

Calgary 3.99 - Edm, @Nas, @Fla, @TB

New Jersey 3.95 - Mon, @TB, @Fla, Dal

### Steer Clear

St. Louis 1.71 - SJ, NYR

Colorado 1.86 - SJ, @SJ

Carolina 1.97 - @Tor, Van

Toronto 2.04 - Car, @Buf

Edmonton 2.12 - @Cgy, @Phx

### Saturday Dec 17, 2010

#### Best Bets

San Jose 4.50 - @Chi, @Col, Col, Edm

New Jersey 4.04 - @TB, @Fla, Dal, @Mon

NY Rangers 3.99 - Fla, Dal, @StL, @StL

Washington 3.50 - Phi, @Win, @Col

Vancouver 3.43 - @CBJ, @Car, @Tor

#### Steer Clear

St. Louis 1.71 - NYR, Nas

Carolina 1.97 - @Tor, Van

Edmonton 2.01 - @Phx, @SJ

Detroit 2.62 - @Pit, @Nas, LA

Columbus 2.63 - Van, LA, TB

### Sunday Dec 18, 2010

#### Best Bets

Calgary 4.07 - @Nas, @TB, @Fla, @Chi

New Jersey 4.04 - @TB, @Fla, Dal, @Mon

Columbus 3.71 - VAN, LA, TB, @StL

Washington 3.50 - Phi, @Win, @Col

San Jose 3.47 - @Col, Col, Edm

#### Steer Clear

Edmonton 2.01 - @Phx, @SJ

Detroit 2.62 - @Pit, @Nas, LA

Philadelphia 2.67 - @Was, @Mon, Bos

Colorado 2.66 - SJ, @SJ, Was

Ottawa 2.68 - @Buf, Bos, Pit

### Sunday Dec 19, 2010

#### Best Bets

Vancouver 4.40 - @CBJ, @Car, @Tor, Min

Los Angeles 4.30 - @Bos, @CBJ, @Det, @Tor

Anaheim 4.23 - Phx, @Chi, @Win, @Dal

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Minnesota 4.17 - @Win, Chi, NYI, @Van

Dallas 4.09 - @NYR, @NYI, @NJ, NYR

### Steer Clear

Tampa Bay 2.17 - Cgy, @CBJ

Ottawa 2.68 - @Buf, Bos, Pit

Winnipeg 2.76 - Min, Wash, Ana

St. Louis 2.78 - NYR, @Nas, CBJ

Phoenix 2.85 - @Ana, Edm, NYR

**Tuesday Dec 20, 2010**

### Best Bets

Anaheim 4.23 - Phx, @Chi, @Win, @Dal

Calgary 4.15 - @TB, @Fla, @Chi, Min

Minnesota 4.02 - Chi, NYI, @Van, @Cgy

Chicago 3.94 - @Min, Ana, Cgy, @Pit

Phoenix 3.90 - @Ana, Edm, NYR, @Fla

### Steer Clear

Carolina 1.87 - Van, Fla

San Jose 2.14 - Col, Edm

Tampa 2.17 - Cgy, @CBJ

Ottawa 2.58 - Bos, Pit, Buf

Toronto 2.69 - @Buf, Van, LA

**Wednesday Dec 21, 2010**

### Best Bets

Vancouver 4.18 - @Car, @Tor, Min, Det

Calgary 4.15 - @TB, @Fla, @Chi, Min

Dallas 4.13 - @NYI, @NJ, Ana, Phi

Philadelphia 4.12 - @Mon, Bos, @Col, @Dal

St. Louis 4.12 - NYR, @Nas, CBJ, @Col

### Steer Clear

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Ottawa 1.78 - Pit, Buf  
Boston 1.92 - @Phi, Mon  
Toronto 2.69 - @Buf, Van, LA  
New Jersey 2.71 - Dal, @Mon, NYR  
Carolina 2.80 - Van, @Fla, Phx

### Friday Dec 22, 2010

#### Best Bets

Buffalo 4.25 - Tor, @Pit, @Ott, @Tor  
Anaheim 4.20 - @Chi, @Win, @Dal, @La  
Minnesota 4.13 - NYI, @Van, @Cgy, @Edm  
Montreal 4.06 - NJ, @Bos, @Chi, @Win  
Florida 4.06 - Cgy, Car, Phx, @Ott

#### Steer Clear

Boston 1.92 - @Phi, Mon  
San Jose 1.95 - Edm, TB  
Carolina 1.88 - @Fla, Phx  
Washington 2.13 - @Col, Nas  
Tampa Bay 2.16 - @CBJ, @SJ

### Friday Dec 23, 2010

#### Best Bets

St. Louis 4.32 - @Nas, CBJ, @Col, @Phx  
NY Islanders 4.27 - @Min, @Win, @NYR, Tor  
Los Angeles 4.17 - @Det, @Tor, Ana, @SJ  
Minnesota 4.13 - NYI, @Van, @Cgy, @Edm  
NY Rangers 4.08 - @Phx, @NJ, NYI, Phi

#### Steer Clear

New Jersey 2.60 - @Mon, NYR, @Was  
Dallas 2.73 - Ana, Phi, Nas  
Chicago 2.76 - Cgy, @Pit, Mon  
San Jose 2.77 - Edm, TB, LA  
Boston 2.87 - @Phi, Mon, Fla

### Saturday Dec 24, 2010

#### Best Bets

Florida 3.97 - Car, Phx, @Ott, @Bos  
Calgary 3.87 - @Chi, Min, Det, @Van  
St. Louis 3.43 - CBJ, @Col, @Phx  
Philadelphia 3.26 - @Col, @Dal, @NYR  
NY Islanders 3.18 - @Win, @NYR, Tor

#### Steer Clear

New Jersey 1.64 - NYR, Was

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Washington 1.80 - Nas, @NJ

Boston 1.82 - Mon, Fla

San Jose 1.80 - TB, LA

Edmonton 1.94 - Det, Min