

No. 2 Purdue uses scoring combination to KO Seminoles 93-65

Key scores 20, Ohio State rides defense past No. 1 Duke

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec 1, (AP): Zed Key scored a career-high 20 points and Ohio State held top-ranked Duke scoreless for the final 4 1/2 minutes, completing a rally from a 15-point second-half deficit to beat the Blue Devils 71-66.

E.J. Liddell hit two free throws with 1:06 remaining to give the Buckeyes (5-2) their first lead since early in the first half, and his jumper made it 69-66 with 16 seconds left.

Duke freshman star Paolo Banchero missed a tying 3-pointer, and Cedric Russell got the rebound and closed it out at the free-throw line.

The Blue Devils (7-1) claimed the top spot in this week's AP Top 25 poll after beating then-No. 1 Gonzaga in Las Vegas.

Ohio State improved to 2-1 against ranked foes this year with its fourth straight game decided in the final minutes.

Liddell finished with 14 points and 11 rebounds for Ohio State.

Wendell Moore Jr. led the Blue Devils with 17 points and Banchero finished with 14.



Ohio State's E.J. Liddell, (left), drives to the basket against Duke's Paolo Banchero during the first half of an NCAA college basketball game, on Nov. 30, in Columbus, Ohio. (AP)

Purdue 93, Florida State 65

In West Lafayette, Ind., Jaden Ivey scored 18

points and matched his career high with four 3-pointers, Brandon Newman added 13 points, and Purdue pulled away from Florida State.

The Boilermakers have won seven straight home games in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge. They're also 7-0 for the first time since 2015-16 and the seventh time since 1940.

BASKETBALL

Florida State (5-2) was led by Caleb Mills with 22 points and John Butler with 10 as its four-game winning streak ended.

The Seminoles had won four of their previous five in the Challenge.

Tennessee 86, Presbyterian 44

In Knoxville, Tenn., Kennedy Chandler and Justin Powell scored 15 points apiece to lead Tennessee past Presbyterian.

Chandler, a freshman guard, had seven assists and seven steals. Victor Bailey added 14 points and Santiago Vescovi had 13 for the Volunteers (5-1).

Kobe Stewart and Winston Hill led Presbyterian

(5-3) with nine points each.

Houston 99, Northwestern State 58

In Houston, Marcus Sasser made seven 3-pointers in the first half and finished with 26 points, and Houston beat Northwestern State.

Sasser had 23 points by halftime on 7-of-12 shooting from beyond the arc as the Cougars (6-1) built a 60-25 lead at the break. He finished 9 of 17 from the field for the game.

Taze Moore added 17 points for Houston.

Emareyn McDonald scored 17 points to lead Northwestern State (1-7).

UConn 72, Maryland-Eastern Shore 63

In Hartford, Conn., R.J. Cole scored 25 points and UConn survived a challenge from Maryland-Eastern Shore.

Tyler Polley added 14 points for the Huskies (7-1), who were sluggish for much of the night. UMES cut the lead to one point in the second half before UConn pulled away.

Da'Shawn Phillip and Mike Mensah each had 12 points for UMES (2-5).

Caps can't hold on to lead, lose to Panthers

Ducks beat Kings 5-4 in shootout

SUNRISE, Fla., Dec. 1, (AP): Sam Reinhart scored the winning power-play goal with 14.4 seconds left, capping a furious comeback for the Florida Panthers to beat the Washington Capitals 5-4.

Trailing 4-1, the Panthers scored four goals on a season-high 26 shots in the third period to snap a two-game skid.

Eetu Luostarinen and Ryan Lomberg each had a goal and an assist. Sam Bennett and Joe Thornton also scored goals for the Panthers, and Sergei Bobrovsky stopped 23 shots.

Nick Jensen had a goal and an assist for the Capitals. Lars Eller, Beck Malenstyn and Connor McMichael also scored goals. Ilya Samsonov made 45 saves.

Ducks 5, Kings 4, SO

In Los Angeles, Kevin Shattenkirk and Trevor Ziegler scored in the shootout, and Anaheim blew a three-goal lead in the third period before rallying to beat Los Angeles Kings in the first Freeaway Faceoff of the season.

Troy Terry and Shattenkirk scored unassisted goals in the second period and John Gibson made 30 saves before stopping two of Los Angeles' three tries in the shootout.

The Ducks got their 10th win in 14 games despite wasting a 4-1 lead with 13 minutes left in regulation after Cam Fowler and Isaac Lundström scored 29 seconds apart early in the third period.

Blues 4, Lightning 3, SO

In St. Louis, Ryan O'Reilly scored the lone goal in a shootout and goalie Jordan Binnington rebounded from a rough start to lift St. Louis over Tampa Bay.

St. Louis erased an early three-goal deficit and has won its last five against the Lightning, the two-time defending Stanley Cup champions.

Tampa Bay scored two goals in a team-record five seconds and jumped to a 3-0 lead after just 5:29 in a matchup between teams that have combined to win the past three NHL titles.

Stars 4, Hurricanes 1

In Dallas, Roope Hintz scored his first career hat trick on an empty netter in the closing minutes, and Dallas beat Carolina for its fifth straight win.

ICE HOCKEY

Joe Pavelski had a goal and two assists for the Stars, who were outshot 40-17 and have won six straight home games - the longest current winning streak in the NHL. Holby made 39 saves in his 500th regular-season game.

Red Wings 2, Bruins 1

In Boston, Marc Staal's first goal of the season was the tiebreaker with just over eight minutes remaining in the third period, and Alex Nedeljkovic made 41 saves, leading Detroit over Boston.

It was the Red Wings' 3,000th victory. Filip Zadina also scored for Detroit, which won its third straight.

David Pastrnak scored for Boston and Linus Ullmark stopped 16 shots. The Bruins had won five of seven.

Wild 5, Coyotes 2

In St. Paul, Minn., Jordan Greenway had a goal and two assists. Kirill Kaprizov scored and Kaapo Kahkonen made 29 saves as Minnesota beat Arizona.

Joel Eriksson Ek, Jonas Brodin and Marcus Foligno also scored for Minnesota, which leads the NHL with 59 goals scored since Nov. 2. The Wild have won four games in a row and scored 19 goals in that span.

Clayton Keller and Anton Stralman scored for Arizona, which has lost three of four.

Sharks 5, Devils 2

In Newark, N.J., Sharks' leading scorer Timo Meier scored twice, James Reimer made 32 saves and San Jose defeated New Jersey.

Noah Gregor, Jacob Middleton and Erik Karlsson also scored for the Sharks, who have started their five-game road trip at 2-0.

Predators 6, Blue Jackets 0

In Nashville, Tenn., Filip Forsberg scored four goals and Juuse Saros made 27 saves for his first shutout of the season, leading Nashville over Columbus.

Yakov Trenin and Nick Cousins also scored, and Mikael Granlund assisted on all four of Forsberg's goals. The Predators have won two of three. The shutout was the 15th of Saros' career.



Carolina Hurricanes left wing Steven Lorentz (78) and Dallas Stars center Tyler Seguin (91) battle for the puck in the second period of an NHL hockey game, on Nov 30, in Dallas. (AP)

NHL Results/Standings

WASHINGTON, Dec 1, (AP): Results and standings from the NHL games on Tuesday.

San Jose	5	New Jersey	2	Nashville	6	Columbus	0
Detroit	2	Boston	1	St Louis	4	Tampa Bay (SO)	3
Florida	5	Washington	4	Dallas	4	Carolina	1
Minnesota	5	Arizona	2	Anaheim	5	Los Angeles (SO)	4

Eastern Conference							Western Conference								
Atlantic Division							Central Division								
GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA		
Florida	22	15	4	3	33	82	60	Minnesota	22	15	6	1	31	83	66
Toronto	23	16	6	1	33	66	49	St Louis	22	12	7	3	27	75	62
Tampa Bay	21	12	5	4	28	67	60	Nashville	22	12	9	1	25	64	63
Detroit	23	11	9	3	25	63	72	Dallas	20	11	7	2	24	57	56
Boston	19	11	8	0	22	57	53	Winnipeg	22	10	8	4	24	60	61
Buffalo	22	8	11	3	19	64	77	Colorado	18	11	6	1	23	73	56
Montreal	24	6	16	2	14	55	85	Chicago	21	7	12	2	16	45	67
Ottawa	19	4	14	1	9	46	73	Arizona	23	5	16	2	12	42	82
Metropolitan Division							Pacific Division								
GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA		
Washington	23	14	4	5	33	82	57	Calgary	22	13	4	5	31	72	43
Carolina	21	15	5	1	31	67	47	Edmonton	20	15	5	0	30	77	59
NY Rangers	20	13	4	3	29	60	54	Anaheim	23	12	8	3	27	76	65
Pittsburgh	22	10	7	5	25	63	61	San Jose	22	12	9	1	25	60	60
Columbus	20	12	8	0	24	67	65	Vegas	21	12	9	0	24	66	64
New Jersey	20	9	7	4	22	59	63	Los Angeles	21	9	8	4	22	57	60
Philadelphia	20	8	8	4	20	49	61	Seattle	22	8	13	1	17	65	77
NY Islanders	17	5	10	2	12	32	52	Vancouver	23	7	14	2	16	53	74

Note: Two points for a win one point for overtime loss. Top three teams in each division and two wild cards per conference advance to playoffs.

No. 5 Baylor women roll to blowout of Morehead State

WACO, Texas, Dec 1, (AP): Sarah Andrews scored 20 points, Queen Egbo and NaLyssa Smith each had a double-double and No. 5 Baylor beat Morehead State 73-28.

The Bears (7-1) held the Eagles to 20% shooting (11 off 55) in their 64th consecutive nonconference home victory.

Egbo had a career-high 16 rebounds while scoring 11 points on 5-of-7 shooting and was one of five Baylor players with a game-high four assists. Smith had 10 points and 11 rebounds.

BASKETBALL

Andrews was 6 of 8 from 3-point range as Baylor finished 13 of 29 (45%) from deep. Ja'Mee Asberry scored 12 points while going 4 of 12 beyond the arc.

Morehead State (1-5) failed to reach double digits in any quarter. Jada Claude scored eight points and Julian McDonald had six as the pair combined to go 6 of 25 from the field.

Baylor closed the first half on a 14-3 run for a 37-17 halftime lead. Andrews had two of the Bears' four 3-pointers during that stretch. Claude hit a 3 with two seconds remaining in the first half.

"They had two banked-in 3s in the game. They had three made 3s, and two of them were banked in, late clock," first-year Baylor coach Nicki Collen said. "And even that is a teaching moment because it's end of quarter and they have to get it off. So you almost have to treat everybody like a shooter in that situation and not have them have a momentum play going into half, going into quarter."

Andrews ramped up the volume from long range after making four of five 3-pointers as the Bears swept three games in the Cancun Challenge. But the sophomore was still just 9 of 27 from deep entering the game.

"They got me the ball in the right spots tonight and I was just able to knock down shots," Andrews said. "After the first two, I was like, 'All right.' Then the third one went in and I just believed anything was going in after that."

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Continuing its efforts to support and engage with exceptional young talent within the country, Al Ahli Bank of Kuwait (ABK), partnered with Kuwait University's Medical Students Association for the ceremony of its honors students, which was held at the Millennium Hotel.

Present at the event was Mr. Fawzy Al Thunayan - ABK's General Manager of Board Affairs, who delivered a speech through which he encouraged students to persevere in their pursuit of excellence. He reiterated the need to

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