

# Orlando Magic (16-9) vs. Phoenix Suns (12-9)

## Game #26 – Home Game #10

Kia Center – Orlando, FL

Sunday, December 8, 2024 – 6:30 p.m. ET

### PROBABLE STARTERS:

Position	#	Player	Ht.	Wt.	Comments
Forward	22	Franz Wagner	6-10	230	<b>2024-25: 24.4 ppg., 5.7 apg., 5.6 rpg., 1.72 stlpg.</b>  Led (or tied) the team in scoring 19 times, in rebounding seven times and in assists 15 times...Scored in double figures 23 times, 20+ points 20 times and 30+ points eight times, including a season-high 37 points on Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers...Had two double-doubles.
Forward	34	Wendell Carter Jr.	6-10	262	<b>2024-25: 7.7 ppg., 7.8 rpg., 2.3 apg.</b>  Led (or tied) the team in rebounding five times...Scored in double figures four times, including a season-high 14 points on Oct. 30 @ Chicago and Dec. 1 @ Brooklyn...Had one double-double.
Center	35	Goga Bitadze	6-11	235	<b>2024-25: 8.2 ppg., 6.9 rpg., 1.8 apg., 1.65 blkpg.</b>  Led (or tied) the team in rebounding nine times...Scored in double figures eight times, including a season-high 17 points on Nov. 18 @ Phoenix...Had six double-doubles.
Guard	3	Kentavious Caldwell-Pope	6-5	204	<b>2024-25: 8.3 ppg., 2.2 rpg., 1.8 apg., 1.63 stlpg.</b>  Scored in double figures six times and 20+ points once, including a season-high 24 points on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago.
Guard	4	Jalen Suggs	6-5	212	<b>2024-25: 15.5 ppg., 4.0 apg., 3.9 rpg., 1.50 stlpg.</b>  Led (or tied) the team in scoring twice, in rebounding once and in assists five times...Scored in double figures 20 times, 20+ points six times and 30+ points once, including a career-high 31 points on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago.



### 2024-25 SCHEDULE (\* NBA CUP)

Date	Opponent	Results
Oct. 23	@ Miami	W, 116-97
Oct. 25	BROOKLYN	W, 116-101
Oct. 26	@ Memphis	L, 111-124
Oct. 28	INDIANA	W, 119-115
Oct. 30	@ Chicago	L, 99-102
Nov. 1	@ Cleveland	L, 109-120
Nov. 3	@ Dallas	L, 85-108
Nov. 4	@ Oklahoma City	L, 86-102
Nov. 6	@ Indiana	L, 111-118
Nov. 8	NEW ORLEANS	W, 115-88
Nov. 10	WASHINGTON	W, 121-94
Nov. 12	CHARLOTTE*	W, 114-89
Nov. 13	INDIANA	W, 94-90
Nov. 15	PHILADELPHIA*	W, 98-86
Nov. 18	@ Phoenix	W, 109-99
Nov. 20	@ L.A. Clippers	L, 93-104
Nov. 21	@ L.A. Lakers	W, 119-118
Nov. 23	DETROIT	W, 111-100
Nov. 25	@ Charlotte	W, 95-84
Nov. 27	CHICAGO	W, 133-119
Nov. 29	@ Brooklyn*	W, 123-100
Dec. 1	@ Brooklyn	W, 100-92
Dec. 3	@ New York*	L, 106-121
Dec. 4	@ Philadelphia	W, 106-102
Dec. 6	@ Philadelphia	L, 94-102
Dec. 8	PHOENIX	
Dec. 10	@ Milwaukee*	
Dec. 14-17	Emirates NBA Cup (TBD)	
Dec. 19	OKLAHOMA CITY	
Dec. 21	MIAMI	
Dec. 23	BOSTON	
Dec. 26	MIAMI	
Dec. 27	NEW YORK	
Dec. 29	BROOKLYN	
Jan. 1	@ Detroit	
Jan. 3	@ Toronto	
Jan. 5	UTAH	
Jan. 6	@ New York	
Jan. 9	MINNESOTA	
Jan. 10	MILWAUKEE	
Jan. 12	PHILADELPHIA	
Jan. 15	@ Milwaukee	
Jan. 17	@ Boston	
Jan. 19	DENVER	
Jan. 21	@ Toronto	
Jan. 23	PORTLAND	
Jan. 25	DETROIT	
Jan. 27	@ Miami	
Jan. 30	@ Portland	
Feb. 1	@ Utah	
Feb. 3	@ Golden State	
Feb. 5	@ Sacramento	
Feb. 6	@ Denver	
Feb. 8	SAN ANTONIO	
Feb. 10	ATLANTA	
Feb. 12	CHARLOTTE	
Feb. 14-16	NBA All-Star Break (San Francisco, CA)	
Feb. 20	@ Atlanta	
Feb. 21	MEMPHIS	
Feb. 23	WASHINGTON	
Feb. 25	CLEVELAND	
Feb. 27	GOLDEN STATE	
Mar. 2	TORONTO	
Mar. 4	TORONTO	
Mar. 8	@ Milwaukee	
Mar. 10	@ Houston	
Mar. 12	CHICAGO	
Mar. 14	@ Minnesota	
Mar. 16	@ Cleveland	
Mar. 17	@ San Antonio	
Mar. 19	HOUSTON	
Mar. 21	@ Washington	
Mar. 24	L.A. LAKERS	
Mar. 25	@ Charlotte	
Mar. 27	DALLAS	
Mar. 29	SACRAMENTO	
Mar. 31	L.A. CLIPPERS	
Apr. 3	@ Washington	
Apr. 6	@ New Orleans	
Apr. 8	ATLANTA	
Apr. 9	BOSTON	
Apr. 11	@ Indiana	
Apr. 13	@ Atlanta	

**INJURY REPORT:****Total player games missed to injury/illness (2024-25): 50**For official injury report, please visit: <https://official.nba.com/nba-injury-report-2024-25-season/>**PRONUNCIATION GUIDE:**

Assistant Coach Jesse Mermuys: MURR-miss  
 Assistant Coach Bret Brielmaier: BREEL-meyer  
 Assistant Coach/Staff Coordinator Ameer Bahhur: bah-HER  
 Paolo Banchemo: pow-loh ban-CARE-oh  
 Goga Bitadze: GO-guh bih-TAH-zay  
 Wendell Carter Jr.: when-DELL  
 Franz Wagner: VOG-ner  
 Moritz Wagner: MORE-rhertz VOG-ner

**RECENT TRANSACTIONS:**\*For complete transactions list, please see 2024-25 Orlando Magic media guide ([OrlandoMagic.com/MediaGuide](https://OrlandoMagic.com/MediaGuide)).

**Oct. 4:** Exercise third-year team options on Anthony Black and guard-forward Jett Howard, as well as fourth-year team option on Paolo Banchemo...**Oct. 7:** Sign Wendell Carter Jr. to a contract extension...**Oct. 12:** Sign free agent Robert Baker II; Waive Javonte Smart...**Oct. 16:** Sign free agent Alex Morales; Waive Robert Baker II...**Oct. 19:** Convert contract of Mac McClung to a two-way contract; Waive Jarrett Culver, Alex Morales, Jalen Swanson and Ethan Thompson...**Oct. 21:** Sign Jalen Suggs to a contract extension...**Nov. 14:** Assign Caleb Houston to Osceola of the NBA G League; Recall Houston from Osceola.

**STREAKS:**

	OVERALL	HOME	ROAD
<b>CURRENT</b>	L1 (Dec. 6)	W9 (Oct. 25-present)	L1 (Dec. 6)
<b>LONGEST WINNING</b>	W6 (2x, Nov. 21-Dec. 1)	W9 (Oct. 25-present)	W4 (Nov. 21-Dec. 1)
<b>LONGEST LOSING</b>	L5 (Oct. 30-Nov. 6)	--	L6 (Oct. 26-Nov. 6)

**RECORDS – 2024-25 REGULAR SEASON:**

	Record:	Home:	Road:	Overtime:
<b>OVERALL:</b>	<b>16-9 (.640)</b>	<b>9-0 (1.000)</b>	<b>7-9 (.438)</b>	--
<b>EASTERN:</b>	13-5 (.722)	8-0 (1.000)	5-5 (.500)	--
<b>ATLANTIC:</b>	5-2 (.714)	2-0 (1.000)	3-2 (.600)	--
<b>CENTRAL:</b>	4-3 (.571)	4-0 (1.000)	0-3 (.000)	--
<b>SOUTHEAST:</b>	4-0 (1.000)	2-0 (1.000)	2-0 (1.000)	--
<b>WESTERN:</b>	3-4 (.429)	1-0 (1.000)	2-4 (.333)	--
<b>NORTHWEST:</b>	0-1 (.000)	--	0-1 (.000)	--
<b>PACIFIC:</b>	2-1 (.667)	--	2-1 (.667)	--
<b>SOUTHWEST:</b>	1-2 (.333)	1-0 (1.000)	0-2 (.000)	--

**JAMAHL MOSLEY - MEDIA AVAILABILITY:**

Orlando Magic Head Coach Jamahl Mosley will be available to the media pregame tonight approximately 105 minutes prior to tip-off (4:45 p.m. ET) in-person in the Magic's designated media area (visiting media area).

**UPCOMING SCHEDULE (HOME GAMES IN CAPS):**

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME (ET)	TELEVISION	RADIO (ORL)
Sunday, Dec. 8	PHOENIX	Kia Center	6:30 p.m.	FanDuel SN Florida	FM 96.9 The Game
Tuesday, Dec. 10#	Milwaukee	Fiserv Forum	7 p.m.	FDSNFL/TNT	FM 96.9 The Game
Dec. 14-17	TBA				
Thursday, Dec. 19	OKLAHOMA CITY	Kia Center	7 p.m.	TNT	FM 96.9 The Game
Saturday, Dec. 21	MIAMI	Kia Center	7 p.m.	FanDuel SN Florida	FM 104.5 The Beat

#Emirates NBA Cup Quarterfinals game

\*All games locally televised by FanDuel Sports Network Florida

\*All games broadcast on Magic Radio Network (flagship: FM 96.9 The Game/740 AM)

\*All games broadcast outside the Magic listening area on SiriusXM app (<https://sxm.app.link/Magic>)**Ticket Information:** For more information, call 407-89-MAGIC (407-896-2442) or log on to [OrlandoMagic.com/tickets](https://OrlandoMagic.com/tickets).

#### **LAST GAME:**

**Dec. 6 @ Philadelphia – Sixers 102, Magic 94:** Paul George scored 21 points, as Philadelphia defeated Orlando, 102-94, at Wells Fargo Center. KJ Martin scored 20 points off the bench for the Sixers, while Guerschon Yabusele added 16 points. Franz Wagner led the Magic and all scorers with 30 points, while Jalen Suggs netted 22 points. Orlando struggled on the offensive end, shooting 42.3 percent from the floor, including 13-of-46 from three-point range, and committing 21 turnovers. Philadelphia trailed 27-25 after the opening stanza, but outscored the Magic during the second quarter, 25-14, including a 14-2 run to open the frame. The Sixers never looked back, leading by as many as 17 points.

#### **RECENT GAMES:**

**Dec. 4 @ Philadelphia – Magic 106, Sixers 102:** Franz Wagner poured in 35 points, including a perfect 10-of-10 from the free throw line, as Orlando defeated Philadelphia, 106-102, at Wells Fargo Center. Jalen Suggs had 17 points, six assists and three steals for the Magic, while Jonathan Isaac netted a season-high 14 points. Jared McCain led the Sixers with 24 points, while Tyrese Maxey added 16 points. Orlando scored 64 of their points in the paint and pulled down 16 offensive rebounds. Wagner scored 10 of his points during the final stanza, helping the Magic win for the 13th time in 15 games.

**Dec. 3 @ New York (Emirates NBA Cup Group Play) – Knicks 121, Magic 106:** Karl-Anthony Towns tallied 23 points and 15 rebounds, as New York defeated Orlando, 121-106, at Madison Square Garden during Group Play of the Emirates NBA Cup. The Knicks won East Group A with a 4-0 record, while Orlando also advanced to the quarterfinals as the East Wild Card. Six Knicks scored in double figures. Jalen Brunson netted 21 points, while Jaso Hart recorded a triple-double with 11 points, 13 rebounds and 10 assists. Franz Wagner led the Magic and all scorers with 30 points, while Moritz Wagner recorded 20 points and 12 rebounds. New York shot 50.6 percent from the field, was 15-of-35 from three-point range and a perfect 20-of-20 from the free throw line. The Magic struggled from beyond the arc, going just 9-of-39, and committed 16 turnovers that led to 32 points. New York led 36-27 after the first quarter, 71-51 at halftime and by as many as 37 points during the second half.

#### **TONIGHT'S OPPONENT:**

**Dec. 8 vs. Phoenix:** Orlando is 29-41 all-time vs. Phoenix (17-18 at home, 12-23 on the road) during regular season action, including 1-0 this season (see recap below)...The two teams split both meetings last season...Orlando has won nine of the last 16 meetings against Phoenix overall...The Magic have won 12 of the last 19 games at home, but split the last 14 trips to Phoenix...Assistant Coach Jesse Mermuys is a native of Tucson, AZ and graduated from the University of Arizona...Assistant Coach Bret Brielmaier played collegiately at the University of Arizona and earned his first coaching job as an undergraduate assistant with the Wildcats...For all-time results vs. Phoenix, see p. 370 of the media guide...**Nov. 18 @ Phoenix – Magic 109, Suns 99:** Franz Wagner poured in 32 points, including 4-of-8 from three-point range, as Orlando defeated Phoenix, 109-99, at Footprint Center. It was the Magic's sixth straight win and their first win at Phoenix since Nov. 30, 2018. Anthony Black had 20 points and a career-high nine assists for the Magic, while Goga Bitadze tallied 17 points and 10 rebounds. Tyus Jones led the Suns, who were without Kevin Durant and Bradley Beal, with 18 points. Orlando shot 51.3 percent from the field and dished out 28 assists. The Magic outscored Phoenix during the second quarter, 38-26, and took a commanding 64-48 lead at halftime. After trailing by as many as 19 points during the fourth quarter, the Suns went on a 16-4 run to trim the deficit to 98-91 with 3:36 left. However, it would be as close as they would get. Wagner scored 10 of his points during the final stanza.

**BEST ALL-TIME SCORING PERFORMANCE VS. SUNS: 44 pts., Tracy McGrady (@ Orlando, 2-20-01)**

**BEST ALL-TIME SCORING PERFORMANCE VS. MAGIC: 44 pts., Devin Booker (@ Orlando, 1-28-24)**

#### **UPCOMING OPPONENTS:**

**Dec. 10 @ Milwaukee (Emirates NBA Cup Quarterfinals):** Orlando is 55-73 all-time vs. Milwaukee (39-26 at home, 16-47 on the road) during the regular season, including 2-2 last season...Orlando is 2-7 vs. Milwaukee in the playoffs (2001 first round, 2020 first round)...The Magic snapped a 14-game losing streak to Milwaukee on Nov. 11, 2023...Orlando has lost 25 of the last 31 matchups with the Bucks...Orlando has lost nine of the last 11 games at home and 19 of the last 21 at Milwaukee, including the final regular season home game for the Bucks at Bradley Center on Apr. 9, 2018...The series has been one of several streaks - Orlando lost ten straight meetings from Apr. 20, 1999-Jan. 18, 2002, but won nine straight matchups from Feb. 20, 1994-Feb. 23, 1996...President of Basketball Operations Jeff Weltman spent five seasons as assistant GM with the Bucks from 2008-13...Head Coach Jamahl Mosley is a native of Milwaukee...Senior Advisor John Hammond spent nine seasons as general manager of the Bucks from 2008-17...For all-time results vs. Milwaukee, see p. 364 of the media guide.

**BEST ALL-TIME SCORING PERFORMANCE VS. BUCKS: 48 pts., Tracy McGrady (@ Orlando, 3-5-03; @ Orlando, 3-19-02)**

**BEST ALL-TIME SCORING PERFORMANCE VS. MAGIC: 40 pts., Michael Redd (@ Milwaukee, 1-21-04)**

**Dec. 14-17:** Orlando's next game/opponent is to be determined...If Orlando wins on Dec. 10 @ Milwaukee, the Magic will advance to the Semifinals of the Emirates NBA Cup and take on the winner of New York/Atlanta on Dec. 14 @ T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas, NV...If Orlando loses and New York wins, the Magic will play on Sunday, Dec. 15 @ Atlanta at 5 p.m....If Orlando loses and Atlanta wins, the Magic will play on Sunday, Dec. 15 vs. New York at 6 p.m.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS NOTES:**

##### **MAGIC MEDIA CENTRAL...**

The Orlando Magic have created a website exclusively for the media to assist in the coverage of both the team and the NBA...Log on to [OrlandoMagic.com/MagicPR](https://OrlandoMagic.com/MagicPR) and view the latest practice schedule, updated stats, the team's media guide, game notes and much more...You can also follow the Communications Department for updates on Twitter/X: [@Magic\\_PR](https://twitter.com/Magic_PR) and [@Magic\\_MediaInfo](https://twitter.com/Magic_MediaInfo) (media-only account for schedules and availabilities).



### THIS DATE IN MAGIC HISTORY – DECEMBER 8...

December 8, 2023 – The Magic blew out Detroit at Amway Center, 123-91. Franz Wagner scored 27 points and Paolo Banchero had 24 points. The 32-point win was Orlando's largest margin of victory all-time against Detroit.

December 8, 2021 – Robin Lopez scored the 8,000<sup>th</sup> point of his NBA career. Cole Anthony poured in 33 points, but the Magic lost at Sacramento, 142-130.

December 8, 2008 – Dwight Howard recorded his third 20-point/20-rebound game of the season, scoring 23 points and grabbing 22 boards during a 95-88 road win against the Clippers.

December 8, 2004 – The Magic won at Utah, 106-100, completing a season series sweep of the Jazz. It marked the first time Orlando swept Utah in a season series since the 1993-94 campaign. Cuttino Mobley led the Magic with 26 points.

December 8, 2003 – Tracy McGrady nearly recorded a triple-double with 16 points, 11 rebounds and nine assists, as Orlando snapped its 19-game losing streak with a 105-98 victory over Phoenix at TD Waterhouse Centre. The win also stopped the Magic's 11-game home losing streak. Orlando overcame a 22-point deficit, making it the third-largest comeback win in franchise history.

December 8, 2001 – After being throttled by 35 points in Orlando the night before, the Hawks rallied to edge the Magic, 107-104, in Atlanta. Tracy McGrady led all scorers with 40 points, the most ever a Magic player has scored against the Hawks.

December 8, 1995 – Anfernee Hardaway scored 28 points and dished out 13 assists, while Dennis Scott added 25 points, including 13 in the fourth quarter, as Orlando defeated Charlotte, 105-95, at home. Charlotte led the contest, 93-92, with 4:35 left, but was held scoreless by the Magic until the final nine seconds.



### EMIRATES NBA CUP...

Orlando finished Emirates NBA Cup group play with a 3-1 record in East Group A (see standings below)...The Magic advanced to the Quarterfinals as the East Wild Card and will play on Tuesday, Dec. 10 @ Milwaukee...The winner of that game advances to the Semifinals to be played at the T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas, NV, on Saturday, Dec. 14.

Emirates NBA Cup 2024, the NBA's second-ever in-season tournament, tipped off on **Tuesday, Nov. 12** and culminates with the playing of the Semifinals (**Saturday, Dec. 14**) and Championship (**Tuesday, Dec. 17**) at T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas...The Emirates NBA Cup will consist of two stages: Group Play and the Knockout Rounds...Orlando's Emirates NBA Cup Group Play games are listed below:

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (ET)/RESULT
Tuesday, Nov. 12	vs. Charlotte	W, 114-89
Friday, Nov. 15	vs. Philadelphia	W, 98-86
Friday, Nov. 29	@ Brooklyn	W, 123-100
Tuesday, Dec. 3	@ New York	L, 106-121

Here are the final standings in East Group A...New York and Orlando both advanced to the Knockout Round:

TEAM	GROUP PLAY RECORD	POINT DIFFERENTIAL	TOTAL POINTS	NEXT GAME
New York	4-0	+30	455	Dec. 10/11 vs. ATL
<b>ORLANDO</b>	<b>3-1</b>	<b>+45</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>DEC. 10/11 @ MIL</b>
Philadelphia	2-2	-3	408	--
Brooklyn	1-3	-39	436	--
Charlotte	0-4	-33	406	--

After Group Play, eight teams will advance to the Knockout Rounds: the team with the best standing in Group Play games in each of the six groups (Milwaukee, New York and Atlanta in the East; Oklahoma City, Houston and Golden State in the West) and two "wild cards" (Orlando in the East; Dallas in the West)...The Knockout Rounds will consist of single-elimination games in the Quarterfinals (played in NBA team markets on **Tuesday, Dec. 10** and **Wednesday, Dec. 11**) and Semifinals and Championship (played in Las Vegas on **Dec. 14** and **Dec. 17**, respectively)...The Knockout teams will compete for a prize pool and a trophy, the NBA Cup.

### MAKE IT MAGIC...

Last season, the Orlando Magic advanced to the NBA Playoffs for the 17<sup>th</sup> time during their relatively short 35-year history...The Magic also won their seventh division championship (1995, 1996, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2019, 2024)...Orlando made two NBA Finals appearances after capturing Eastern Conference titles in 1995 and 2009...During their first trip in 1995, Orlando became the second-fastest team in NBA history to reach the Finals in just its sixth year of existence.

### LEVEL UP...

Last season, the Orlando Magic finished 47-35 (.573)...The 47 victories were the most for Orlando since the 2010-11 season, where they finished 52-30...Orlando also secured a winning percentage above .500 for the 15<sup>th</sup> time in franchise history.



### MAKING STRIDES...

Last season, Orlando tallied 13 more wins than in 2022-23, the largest improvement in the Eastern Conference and the fourth-largest in the NBA (Houston +19, Oklahoma City +17, Minnesota +14, Dallas +12, Indiana +12)...It tied for the fourth-biggest win improvement in team history...The largest is a 20-game improvement from 1991-92 (21 wins) to 1992-93 (41 wins)...Here are the biggest improvements from one season to another in Magic history:

SEASON/RECORD	FOLLOWING SEASON/ RECORD	IMPROVEMENT
1991-92: 21-61	1992-93: 41-41	+20 wins
2017-18: 25-57	2018-19: 42-40	+17 wins
2003-04: 21-61	2004-05: 36-46	+15 wins
<b>2022-23: 34-48</b>	<b>2023-24: 47-35</b>	<b>+13 WINS</b>
1989-90: 18-64	1990-91: 31-51	+13 wins
2021-22: 22-60	2022-23: 34-48	+12 wins
2006-07: 40-42	2007-08: 52-30	+12 wins
2014-15: 25-57	2015-16: 35-47	+10 wins

### WE'RE GOING STREAKING!...

Orlando won six consecutive games from Nov. 8-18, then again from Nov. 21-Dec. 1...This season marks the first time the Magic have had multiple winning streaks of six-or-more games since 2010-11 (W6 from Nov. 24-Dec. 3, 2010; W9 from Dec. 23, 2010-Jan. 8, 2011)...Last season, the Magic tied a franchise record by winning nine straight games from Nov. 15-Dec. 1, 2023.

### HOMELAND...

Orlando is 9-0 at home this season...Last season, the Magic were 29-12 at home (includes a loss on Nov. 9 @ Mexico City)...Orlando won nine straight home games from Nov. 11-Dec. 11, 2023, the Magic's longest home win streak since Feb. 28-Apr. 5, 2019, where they also won nine in a row...Orlando has gone 269-286 (.485) at the Kia Center since it opened in 2010-11...The Magic closed Amway Arena after 2009-10 with an all-time record of 535-309 (.634) in that building.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME\*\*

With a 9-0 record at home, Orlando stands as the only undefeated team at home in the NBA...The Magic have opened the regular season with nine straight home victories for the first time ever since moving into Kia Center, the most since winning their first 10 in 1998-99 and for just the fourth time in franchise history...The most home wins all-time to start a season is 33, set back in 1995-96:

CONSECUTIVE HOME WINS TO START A SEASON	SEASON
33	1995-96
21	1994-95
10	1998-99
<b>9 (*Most ever since moving into Kia Center)</b>	<b>2024-25</b>

Orlando has won 13 consecutive regular season games at Kia Center, dating back to Mar. 30, 2024...That ties for the third-longest home winning streak in franchise history...The longest is 40 games, from March 21, 1995-March 19, 1996, which is the fourth-longest in NBA history (54 games, Golden State, Jan. 31, 2015-Mar. 29, 2016):

CONSECUTIVE HOME WINS	DATES
40	Mar. 21, 1995-Mar. 19, 1996
24	Apr. 17, 1994-Jan. 28, 1995
<b>13</b>	<b>MAR. 30, 2024-PRESENT</b>
13	Apr. 6, 1998-Mar. 6, 1999
12	Mar. 10-Apr. 15, 2006

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – HISTORIC HOMESTAND\*\*

The Orlando Magic went a perfect 5-0 during a five-game homestand from Nov. 8-15...It marks the third time in franchise history that Orlando has gone undefeated during a homestand of five-or-more games...The Magic went 5-0 from Mar. 14-25, 2019 and 6-0 from Nov. 21-Dec. 1, 2023...Here's a look at some of the statistics during their most recent perfect homestand:

CATEGORY	AVERAGE (TOTAL)
Points scored	108.4 ppg. (542 points)
Points allowed	89.4 ppg. (447 opp. points)
Field goal percentage	.455 (197-433 FG)
Opponent field goal percentage	.404 (160-396 opp. FG)
Opponent three-point field goal percentage	.325 (53-163 3FG)
Steals	9.20 stlpg. (46 steals)
Blocked shots	7.20 blkpg. (36 blocked shots)
Opponent turnovers	18.0 topg. (92 turnovers)





### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – HOME SWEET HOME\*\***

Last season, Orlando had 29 victories at Kia Center...The only teams in the Eastern Conference with more home wins than Orlando were Boston (37) and Milwaukee (31)...It was the sixth-most in the NBA.

The 29-12 record was tied for the third-best at home for Orlando in the last 25 seasons (since 1999-2000)...Orlando actually went 29-11 (.725) at Kia Center, with one of their “home” games taking place in Mexico City...It tied for the most wins ever at Kia Center, matching the 2010-11 season, their first in the building, where they went 29-12:

SEASON	HOME RECORD
2009-10	34-7 (.829)
2008-09	32-9 (.780)
2023-24	29-12 (.707)
2010-11	29-12 (.707)
2001-02	27-14 (.659)

### **ON THE ROAD AGAIN...**

Orlando is 7-9 on the road this season...The Magic finished 18-23 last season away from home...The 18 road wins were the most for Orlando since 2010-11, when they went 23-18...Orlando has finished above .500 on the road five times in franchise history, with its best record being 27-14, done in both 2007-08 and 2008-09.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – ROAD WARRIORS\*\***

Orlando won four straight road games from Nov. 21-Dec. 1...It marked the first time the Magic has won four “true” consecutive road outings since Feb. 9-24, 2019...Orlando won four straight road games from Mar. 6-Jul. 31, 2020, but the Jul. 31 contest was played at Disney during the NBA bubble.

### **BIG TIME...**

Orlando is 11-6 this season in games decided by 10 points-or-more...The 11 wins by 10+ points are tied for fourth-most in the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...Last season, the Magic were 27-20 in those situations.

From Nov. 8-12, Orlando won three straight games by 25+ points...It marks only the second time in franchise history that the Magic won three consecutive games by 25+ points...The only other time was Dec. 3-7, 2001.

### **CLOSE CALLS...**

Orlando is 4-1 this season in games decided by five points-or-less...Last season, the Magic were 10-11 in those situations...In fact, Orlando was 5-4 in games decided by two points or less...The Magic had nine losses by three points-or-less, which was third-most in the NBA.

### **OFFENSIVE BEHAVIOR...**

Orlando is averaging 107.3 ppg. (2,683 points)...Orlando has scored 100+ points 17 times (13-4 record), 110+ points 12 times (10-2 record), 120+ points three times (3-0 record) and 130+ points once (1-0 record), including a season-high 133 points on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago...Last season, the Magic averaged 110.5 ppg. (9,058 points)...The Magic scored 100+ points 68 times (45-23 record), 110+ points 46 times (36-10 record), 120+ points 13 times (11-2 record) and 130+ points four times (3-1 record), including a season-high 139 points on Nov. 29 vs. Washington.

### **STAY ON TARGET...**

Orlando is shooting .451 (959-2,125) from the floor and shot 50 percent-or-better six times (5-1 record), including a season-high .530 (44-83) on Nov. 29 @ Brooklyn...Last season, the Magic shot .476 (3,318-6,964) and shot 50 percent-or-better 26 times (25-1 record), including a season-high .632 (48-76) on Feb. 14, 2024 vs. New York.

Since the 2019-20 season, Orlando is 71-11 (.866) when shooting 50 percent-or-better from the field...In fact, since the 2008-09 campaign, the Magic are 211-52 (.802) in those situations.

### **THREE’S COMPANY...**

The Orlando Magic have made at least one three-point field goal in 1,400 consecutive games, dating all the way back to Mar. 17, 2007 (last game without a three-pointer: Mar. 14, 2007 vs. Utah, 0-for-9)...It stands as the fifth-longest active streak in the NBA and fifth-longest streak in NBA history...The Phoenix Suns have connected on at least one three-pointer in 1,634 games dating back from Mar. 29, 2004, the longest streak in NBA history...The last time an NBA team did not make a three-pointer was Feb. 5, 2016, when Miami went 0-for-9 @ Charlotte.

Orlando is shooting .310 (295-951) from three-point range and made 10+ three-pointers 17 times (13-4 record), including a season-high 18 three-pointers on Oct. 23 @ Miami and Nov. 29 @ Brooklyn...Last season, the Magic shot .352 (903-2,568) from three-point range and made 10+ three-pointers 55 times (34-21 record), including a franchise-record 25 three-pointers on Jan. 3, 2024 @ Sacramento.

Orlando is averaging 11.8 three-pointers per game (295 3FG)...The Magic are also averaging 38.0 three-point field goal attempts per game (951 3FGA).



### **BUY ONE, GET ONE FREE...**

Orlando is shooting .793 (470-593) from the free throw line, which ranks eighth in the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...Last season, the Magic shot .759 (1,519-2,002) from the free throw line...During the 2021-22 campaign, the Magic set a new franchise record for highest free throw percentage in a season, shooting .787 (1,270-1,614).

Orlando is averaging 18.8 free throws made per game (470 FTM), which ranks third in the league, and 23.7 free throws attempted per game (593 FTA), which ranks sixth in the NBA...Last season, Orlando averaged 24.4 free throw attempts per game (2,002 FTA), which ranked first in the NBA, and 18.5 free throws made per game (1,519 FTM), which tied for fifth in the league.

### **QUARTERLY REPORT...**

Orlando has scored 30+ points in a quarter 34 times, including a season-high 39 points during the third quarter on Oct. 23 @ Miami...Last season, the Magic scored 30+ points in a quarter 115 times and 40+ points six times, including a season-high 42 points three times, the last during the second quarter on Jan. 29, 2024 @ Dallas.

### **BALANCING ACT...**

Orlando has had five-or-more players score in double figures 13 times (10-3 record) and six-or-more players four times (3-1 record)...Last season, the Magic had five-or-more players score in double figures 56 times (38-18 record), had six-or-more players score in double figures 25 times (17-8 record), seven-or-more players score in double figures six times (4-2 record) and eight players score in double figures once (1-0 record) – Feb. 24, 2024 @ Detroit, which ties the franchise record.

Orlando has had a team-record eight players score 10+ points 15 times in franchise history, including the last time occurring on Feb. 24, 2024 @ Detroit.

### **THIS SPACE IS RESERVED...**

Orlando's reserves are averaging 38.7 ppg. (968 points), which ranks sixth in the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...Orlando's bench outscored (or tied) its opponents 15 times (11-4 record), scored 40+ points 13 times (8-5 record), 50+ points four times (4-0 record) and 60+ points once (1-0 record), including a season-high 64 points on Nov. 10 vs. Washington...Last season, the Magic's reserves averaged 41.5 ppg. (3,405 points), which ranked fourth in the NBA...The Magic bench scored 40+ points 48 times (27-21 record), 50+ points 17 times (12-5 record) and 60+ points four times (3-1 record), including a season-high 69 points on Jan. 19, 2024 vs. Philadelphia...Orlando's bench outscored (or tied) the opposition 65 times (38-27 record)...The most points scored off the bench in team history is 85, done on Mar. 26, 1995 vs. Golden State.

### **EVERYONE DESERVES A SECOND CHANCE...**

Orlando is averaging 13.24 second chance points per game (331 points)...The Magic scored 20+ second chance points three times (2-1 record), including a season-high 25 second chance points on Oct. 23 @ Miami...Last season, Orlando averaged 14.39 second chance points per game (1,180 points), which ranked 11<sup>th</sup> in the NBA...The Magic scored 20+ second chance points 15 times (10-5 record) and 30+ points once (1-0 record), including a season-high 36 second chance points on Nov. 4, 2023 vs. L.A. Lakers, which tied for the most the Magic have ever scored since the stat began being tracked in 1996-97...Orlando also had 36 second chance points on Oct. 29, 2013 @ Indiana.

On the other hand, Orlando is allowing 10.52 second chance points per game (263 points), which leads the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...Last season, the Magic allowed 12.12 second chance points per game (994 points), which ranked second in the league.

### **PAINT JOB...**

Orlando is averaging 48.24 points in the paint per game (1,206 points)...The Magic have scored 50+ points in the paint 10 times (7-3 record), 60+ points four times (3-1 record) and 70+ points twice (1-1 record), including a season-high 74 points on Nov. 8 vs. New Orleans...Last season, Orlando averaged 51.78 points in the paint per game (4,246 points), which ranked eighth in the NBA...The Magic scored 50+ points in the paint 51 times (35-16 record), 60+ points 22 times (18-4 record) and 70+ points three times (3-0 record), including a season-high 74 points on Nov. 26, 2023 vs. Charlotte and Dec. 8, 2023 vs. Detroit...The most points in the paint Orlando has ever scored since the stat began being tracked in 1996-97 is 78 points, set on Nov. 5, 2022 vs. Sacramento.

On the other hand, Orlando is allowing 44.00 points in the paint per game (1,100 points), which ranks third in the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...Last season, the Magic allowed 47.34 points in the paint per game (3,882 points), which ranked eighth in the league.

### **DISHING IT OUT...**

Orlando is averaging 24.3 apg. (608 assists), dished out 20+ assists 23 times (15-8 record) and 30+ assists twice (2-0 record), including a season-high 31 assists on Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers...Last season, the Magic averaged 24.7 apg. (2,023 assists)...The Magic dished out 20+ assists 73 times (46-27 record) and 30+ assists 10 times (9-1 record), including a season-high 35 assists on Dec. 1, 2023 vs. Washington.

### **HAVE TO PROTECT THE ROCK...**

Orlando is averaging 15.1 topg (378 turnovers)...The Magic committed a season-low eight turnovers on Nov. 25 @ Charlotte...Last season, the Magic averaged 14.7 topg. (1,206 turnovers)...The Magic committed a season-low seven turnovers on Dec. 21, 2023 @ Milwaukee.



Orlando has allowed 17.72 points off turnovers per game (443 points)...Last season, the Magic allowed 16.41 points off turnovers per game (1,346 points).

#### **GETTING DEFENSIVE...**

Orlando is allowing 103.0 ppg. (2,575 points), which leads the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...The Magic have held their opponents to less than 100 points nine times (9-0 record), which ranks second in the league, including a season-low 84 points on Nov. 25 @ Charlotte...Last season, Orlando allowed 108.4 ppg. (8,892 points), which ranked fourth in the NBA...The Magic held opponents to less than 100 points 23 times (21-2 record), which tied for the most in the league, including a season-low 81 points on Feb. 27, 2024 vs. Brooklyn.

Orlando is allowing opponents to shoot .458 (934-2,038) from the floor, which ranks eighth in the league...The Magic held their opponents to shoot less than 50 percent 19 times (14-5 record) and less than 40 percent four times (4-0 record), including a season-low .380 (30-79) on Dec. 1 @ Brooklyn...Last season, the Magic allowed opponents to shoot .474 (3,264-6,884) from the floor...The Magic held opponents to less than 50 percent shooting 54 times (36-18 record) and less than 40 percent eight times (8-0 record), including a season-low .353 (30-85) on Dec. 11, 2023 vs. Cleveland.

Orlando is allowing opponents to shoot .362 (293-810) from three-point range...Last season, the Magic allowed opponents to shoot .358 (945-2,636) from three-point range, which ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in the league.

Orlando is allowing 13.36 fastbreak points per game (334 points), which ranks sixth in the NBA...Last season, the Magic allowed 14.50 fastbreak points per game (1,189 points).

Orlando is averaging 20.84 points per game off opponent turnovers (521 points), which ranks third in the league.

On Nov. 25 @ Charlotte, Orlando forced the Hornets to commit 27 turnovers...That tied for the second-most forced turnovers during a game in franchise history...The Magic have forced 27 turnovers nine other times, with the last time being on Oct. 29, 2003 @ New York...The franchise record for most forced turnovers in a game is 32, set on Nov. 12, 2000 @ Golden State.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – DEE-FENSE!!\*\***

Orlando has a defensive rating of 105.5, which ranks third in the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...Last season, the Magic had a defensive rating of 110.8, which ranked third in the NBA...Team defensive rating calculates the number of points a team allows per 100 possessions...Since the NBA All-Star break, Orlando had a defensive rating of 108.2, which was the best in the league.

During the last 16 games (Nov. 8-present), Orlando has held its opponents to 99.3 ppg. (1,588 points), .451 (578-1,282 FG) shooting from the floor and .350 (180-515 3FG) from beyond the three-point arc...The Magic have also forced 17.88 turnovers per game (286 turnovers) and have a defensive rating of 103.4, which is best in the NBA during that span.

Orlando held its opponents to less than 100 points in six straight games from Nov. 8-18...The last time any NBA team held its opponent to less than 100 points in six consecutive games was Dec. 9-21, 2018, when San Antonio did it in seven straight contests...The last time Orlando held the opposition to less than 100 points in six consecutive outings was Nov. 14-25, 2016...The last time the Magic did it in seven straight games was Feb. 6-Mar. 1, 2015, when Orlando did it in nine outings in a row.

#### **ON THE REBOUND...**

Orlando is averaging 42.04 rpg. (1,051 rebounds) and pulled down 50+ rebounds three times (3-0 record), including a season-high 57 rebounds on Oct. 23 @ Miami...The Magic have outrebounded (or tied) their opponents 15 times (13-2 record)...Orlando is averaging 10.68 orpg. (267 offensive rebounds) and 31.36 drpg. (784 defensive rebounds)...Last season, the Magic averaged 42.30 rpg. (3,469 rebounds)...The Magic averaged 10.50 orpg. (861 offensive rebounds) and 31.80 drpg. (2,608 defensive rebounds)...The Magic pulled down 50+ rebounds five times (3-2 record), including a season-high 57 rebounds on Jan. 7, 2024 vs. Atlanta and outrebounded (or tied) their opponents 54 times (38-16 record).

Orlando has an offensive rebounding percentage of .249 (267 offensive rebounds/1,071 possible rebounds), a defensive rebounding percentage of .783 (784 defensive rebounds/1,001 possible rebounds), which ranks second in the NBA (as of Dec. 7), and a total rebounding percentage of .516 (off. reb % + def. reb % / 2), which ranks fifth in the league...Last season, the Magic had an offensive rebounding percentage of .253, which ranked seventh in the league, a defensive rebounding percentage of .781, which ranked third in the NBA, and a total rebounding percentage of .517, which ranked third in the league.

#### **THOU SHALL STEAL...**

Orlando is averaging 9.52 stlpg. (238 steals), which ranks third in the NBA (as of Dec. 7), and had 10+ steals 13 times (9-4 record), including a season-high 13 steals three times, the last on Dec. 4 @ Philadelphia...Last season, the Magic averaged 8.16 stlpg. (669 steals), which ranked fifth in the NBA...The Magic had 10+ steals 26 times (17-9 record), including a season-high 16 steals on Nov. 2, 2023 @ Utah and Jan. 17, 2024 @ Atlanta.

Orlando has a steals-to-turnover ratio of 0.63 (238/378), which is tied for sixth in the league.





### BLOCK PARTY...

Orlando is averaging 6.88 blkpg. (172 blocked shots), which ranks second in the NBA (as of Dec. 7), and had 10+ blocks twice, including a season-high 13 blocked shots on Nov. 29 @ Brooklyn...Last season, the Magic averaged 5.16 blkpg. (423 blocked shots)...The Magic had a season-high 10 blocked shots three times, the last on Mar. 8, 2024 @ New York.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – RISING ‘STOCKS’\*\*

On Nov. 29 @ Brooklyn, Orlando recorded 13 steals and 13 blocked shots...Then on Dec. 1 @ Brooklyn, the Magic had 10 steals and 11 blocked shots...It is only the second time in franchise history that Orlando has had 10+ steals and 10+ blocked shots in consecutive games...The Magic also did it Nov. 6-8, 2019.

### DON'T CALL IT A COMEBACK...

Orlando has overcome double digit deficits to win three times, including a season-high 12-point deficit on Nov. 13 vs. Indiana...Last season, Orlando overcame double digits to win 11 times, including a season-high 21-point deficit to win on Mar. 6, 2024 @ Washington...That tied for the sixth-largest deficit overcome to win in team history...The largest overall comeback ever in Orlando Magic history is 25 points, set back on Nov. 8, 1989 @ Cleveland...Here's a look at the biggest comebacks in Orlando Magic history:

DEFICIT OVERCOME TO WIN	DATE/OPPONENT
25	Nov. 8, 1989 @ Cleveland
24	Mar. 3, 2011 @ Miami
23	Nov. 21, 2014 @ Charlotte
23	Apr. 21, 1996 @ Charlotte
22	Dec. 8, 2003 vs. Phoenix
21	Four times, last on Mar. 6, 2024 @ Washington

### HUEVOS BANCHEROS...

Paolo Banchero has led (or tied) the team in scoring three times, in rebounding twice and in assists three times...He has scored in double figures five times, 20+ points three times, 30+ points three times, 40+ points once and 50+ points once, including a career-high 50 points on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana...Banchero has also recorded two double-doubles...Last season, Banchero scored 20+ points 54 times, 30+ points 11 times and 40+ points twice.

During his brief NBA career, Banchero has now scored 20+ points 97 times (three times this season), 30+ points 20 times (three times this season) and 40 + points three times (once this season), including a career-high 50 points on Oct. 28, 2024 vs. Indiana.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – P5-0\*\*

Paolo Banchero poured in a career-high 50 points on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana...He became only the fourth player in franchise history to score 50+ points in a game, joining Tracy McGrady (four times), Nick Anderson and Shaquille O'Neal...Banchero's 50 points ties for the fifth-most ever scored in a game in team history:

PLAYER	POINTS SCORED	DATE/OPPONENT
Tracy McGrady	62	Mar. 10, 2004 vs. Washington
Shaquille O'Neal	53	Apr. 20, 1994 vs. Minnesota
Tracy McGrady	52	Feb. 21, 2003 vs. Chicago
Tracy McGrady	51	Nov. 14, 2003 @ Denver
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>OCT. 28, 2024 VS. INDIANA</b>
Tracy McGrady	50	Mar. 8, 2002 vs. Washington
Nick Anderson	50	Apr. 23, 1993 @ New Jersey

In addition to the 50 points, Banchero also tallied 13 rebounds and nine assists...At 21 years-351 days old, not only did he become the youngest player in Magic history with a 50-point game, Banchero became the second-youngest player in NBA history with 50+ points, 10+ rebounds and 5+ assists in a game:

PLAYER	PTS/REBS/ASTS	AGE	DATE/OPPONENT
LeBron James	56/10/5	20 years-80 days	Mar. 20, 2005 @ Toronto
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>50/13/9</b>	<b>21 years-351 days</b>	<b>OCT. 28, 2024 VS. INDIANA</b>
Rick Barry	57/15/7	22 years-215 days	Oct. 29, 1966 @ Cincinnati
Rick Barry	50/13/5	22 years-255 days	Dec. 8, 1966 vs. St. Louis
Bob McAdoo	51/20/6	23 years-174 days	Mar. 18, 1975 @ Houston

Banchero followed up his 50-point performance on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana with 31 points on Oct. 30 @ Chicago, giving him a combined 81 points during the two-game span...He became only the third player in franchise history to score 80+ points in consecutive games...Tracy McGrady did it an astonishing 12 times, while Shaquille O'Neal did it twice...The most points scored during a two-game span in team history is 102 by McGrady, Mar 10-13, 2004 (a team record 62 points on Mar. 10, 2004 vs. Washington, followed by 40 points on Mar. 13, 2004 vs. Seattle).



### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – HALF-AND-HALF\*\***

During the first half on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana, Banchemo recorded 37 points, seven rebounds and six assists, while shooting 13-of-17 from the floor...His 37 points tied the franchise record for most points in a half (Tracy McGrady, Mar. 9, 2003 vs. Denver), while his 13 field goals made also tied the team record for most field goals made in a half (several times, most recently, Vince Carter, Feb. 8, 2010 vs. New Orleans in second half).

Banchemo became the third player during the play-by-play era (since 1996-97) to have 30+ points, 5+ rebounds and 5+ assists in a half, and the first to ever do it during a first half...He joins James Harden (36 points, seven rebounds, six assists, 2nd half on Jan. 27, 2017 @ Philadelphia) and Donovan Mitchell (42 points, six rebounds, eight assists, 2nd half on Jan. 2, 2023 vs. Chicago) as the only players to accomplish the feat.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – BANCHERO IN ELITE COMPANY\*\***

Through the first five games of the season, Paolo Banchemo was averaging 29.0 ppg....It is the most points per game through five games to start a season by a player 21 years old-or-younger since LeBron James also averaged 29.0 ppg. in 2005.

Last season, Banchemo was one of only six players in the NBA with 1,500+ points, 500+ rebounds and 400+ assists, joining Giannis Antetokounmpo, Nikola Jokic, LeBron James and Domantas Sabonis.

Banchemo joined Michael Jordan, LeBron James and Luka Doncic as the only players during the last 40 years (since 1983-84) to have career averages of 20+ points, 6+ rebounds and 4+ assists at age 21-or-younger.

Banchemo joined Luka Doncic, LeBron James, Magic Johnson and Michael Jordan as the only players in NBA history to average 20+ points, 5+ rebounds and 5+ assists at age 21-or-younger on a playoff team.

On Dec. 26, 2023 @ Washington, Banchemo played in his 100<sup>th</sup> career NBA regular season game...He became one of only eight players during the last 40 years (since 1983-84) to average 20+ points, 6+ rebounds and 4+ assists during his first 100 career games:

PLAYER	POINTS PER GAME	REBOUNDS PER GAME	ASSISTS PER GAME
Mark Aguirre	28.2	6.0	4.2
Michael Jordan	27.2	6.0	5.3
Larry Bird	25.2	10.1	6.5
Luka Doncic	23.3	8.3	6.8
Jeff Ruland	21.5	12.1	4.0
Sidney Moncrief	21.0	6.5	4.6
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>4.0</b>
Grant Hill	20.2	7.0	5.3

On Mar. 27, 2024 vs. Golden State, Banchemo scored his 3,000<sup>th</sup> career NBA regular season point...Then on Apr. 14, 2024 vs. Milwaukee, he dished out his 700<sup>th</sup> career NBA assist...Banchemo became one of only eight players in NBA history to compile 3,000+ points, 1,000+ rebounds and 700+ assists during his first two pro campaigns:

PLAYER	SEASONS	POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
Oscar Robertson	1960-61, 1961-62	4,597	1,701	1,589
Jerry West	1960-61, 1961-62	3,699	1,202	735
Sidney Wicks	1971-72, 1972-73	3,915	1,813	790
Larry Bird	1979-80, 1980-81	3,486	1,747	821
Grant Hill	1994-95, 1995-96	3,012	1,228	901
LeBron James	2003-04, 2004-05	3,829	1,020	1,042
Luka Doncic	2018-19, 2019-20	3,285	1,136	967
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>2022-23, 2023-24</b>	<b>3,241</b>	<b>1,051</b>	<b>700</b>

On Apr. 10, 2024 @ Milwaukee, Banchemo joined Luka Doncic as the only two players in NBA history to amass 3,000+ points, 1,000+ rebounds and 200+ three-point field goals made during their first two seasons.

Banchemo became the first player younger than 22 to ever lead his team in scoring, rebounding and assists in NBA history...There have only been four players younger than 23 to ever pace their team in scoring, rebounding and assists:

PLAYER	AGE	SEASON	PTS/REBS/ASTS PER GAME
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>21 years-154 days</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>22.6/6.9/5.4</b>
Michael Jordan	22 years-56 days	1984-85	28.2/6.5/5/9
Giannis Antetokounmpo	22 years-127 days	2016-17	22.9/8.8/5.4
Maurice Stokes	22 years-271 days	1955-56	16.8/16.3/4.9
Kevin Garnett	22 years-351 days	1998-99	20.8/10.4/4.3



### FRANZ BOOGIE...

Franz Wagner has led (or tied) the team in scoring 19 times, in rebounding six times and in assists 16 times...He has scored in double figures 23 times, 20+ points 20 times and 30+ points eight times, including a season-high 37 points on Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers...Last season, Wagner scored 20+ points 33 times and 30+ points seven times.

During his brief NBA career, Wagner has now scored 20+ points 105 times (20 times this season) and 30+ points 19 times (eight times this season), including a career-high 38 points on Dec. 28, 2021 vs. Milwaukee and Feb. 4, 2024 @ Detroit.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – BOOGIE WONDERLAND\*\*

Franz Wagner is one of only seven players in the NBA averaging 20+ ppg., 5+ rpg., 5+ apg. and 1.50+ stlpg. (as of Dec. 7)...He joins Luka Doncic, De'Aaron Fox, Shai Gilgeous-Alexander, James Harden, Nikola Jokic and Jalen Williams.

Wagner has had 10 games this season with 25+ points, 5+ rebounds and 5+ assists, which is tied for third-most in the NBA...Entering this season, Wagner had seven such games during the first three seasons of his career.

During his last 18 games (Nov. 4-present), Wagner is averaging 27.3 ppg., 6.3 apg., 5.8 rpg. and 1.83 stlpg., while shooting .891 from the free throw line (491 points, 113 assists, 105 rebounds, 33 steals, 173-375 FG, 106-119 FT)...He scored 20+ points in nine consecutive games from Nov. 21-present, which is the longest streak of his NBA career.

Wagner scored 30+ points in three straight games from Dec. 3-6, marking the second time he has done that during his career (he also scored 30+ points in three consecutive outings Nov. 26-Dec. 1, 2023)...He becomes only the third player in franchise history to score 30+ points in three-or-more games multiple times, joining Shaquille O'Neal (did it 14 times) and Tracy McGrady (13 times)...The last Magic player to score 30+ points in four straight games was Dwight Howard, Feb. 13-25, 2011...The most consecutive 30+ point games in team history is 14, set by McGrady from Mar. 5-Apr. 1, 2003.

On Nov. 15 vs. Philadelphia, Wagner tallied 31 points, including 5-of-11 from three-point range, a career-high-tying 11 rebounds and six assists without committing a turnover...He became only the 10th player in NBA history to have 30+ points, 10+ rebounds, 5+ assists and 5+ three-point field goals with no turnovers in a single game.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – BOOGIE NIGHTS\*\*

On Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers, Franz Wagner tallied 37 points, including the game-winning three-pointer with 2.5 seconds left, and dished out a career-high 11 assists during a 119-118 win...Wagner became just the third player in franchise history to have 35+ points and 10+ assists in a game, joining Anfernee Hardaway (three times) and Tracy McGrady (three times)...The last time a Magic player had 35+ points and 10+ assists in a game was Mar. 15, 2004 @ L.A. Lakers, when McGrady had 37 points and 10 assists...At 23 years-86 days old, Wagner is the youngest player in team history to accomplish the feat.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – NBA EAST PLAYER OF THE WEEK\*\*

Franz Wagner was named the NBA's Eastern Conference Player of the Week for the period ending Nov. 17...It marks the first time that he has won the league's top weekly honor in his career...Wagner becomes the 14th player in Orlando Magic history to be named NBA's Eastern Conference Player of the Week and the first since Paolo Banchemo on Nov. 26, 2023...During three games (3-0 record), Wagner averaged 30.7 ppg., 7.3 rpg., 5.7 apg. and 2.00 stlpg. in 36.5 minpg., while shooting .889 (16-18) from the free throw line...He led (or tied) the Magic in scoring three times, in rebounding twice and in assists three times...Wagner scored 20+ points in all three games and 30+ points twice.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – FRANZ-TASTIC!\*\*

On Apr. 3, 2024 @ New Orleans, Franz Wagner scored his 4,000<sup>th</sup> career NBA regular season point... He became one of only six players 22-or-younger in NBA history to compile 4,000+ points, 1,000+ rebounds and 700+ assists during his first three pro seasons:

PLAYER	SEASONS	POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
LeBron James	2003-04 to 2005-06	6,307	1,576	1,563
Luka Doncic	2018-19 to 2020-21	5,115	1,663	1,534
Anthony Edwards	2020-21 to 2022-23	4,871	1,137	836
Russell Westbrook	2008-09 to 2010-11	4,371	1,179	1,757
<b>FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>2021-22 to 2023-24</b>	<b>4,103</b>	<b>1,066</b>	<b>783</b>
Chris Paul	2005-06 to 2007-08	4,046	1,001	2,105

### DYNAMIC DUO...

Paolo Banchemo and Franz Wagner scored 20+ points each in the same game once this season (1-0 record) and 44 times during their careers (24-20 record).



### AND THIS IS MY OTHER BROTHER, DARRYL...I MEAN MOE...

Moritz 'Moe' Wagner has scored in double figures 19 times and 20+ points once this season, including a season-high 20 points on Dec. 3 @ New York...He has scored 307 points off the bench (12.8 ppg., 24 games as reserve), which ranks second in the NBA (as of Dec. 7)...Last season, the elder Wagner led (or tied) the team in scoring three times, in rebounding eight times and in assists once...He scored in double figures 49 times and 20+ points four times, including a season-high 27 points on Nov. 24, 2023 vs. Boston...Wagner scored 849 points off the bench (10.7 ppg., 79 games off bench), which ranked sixth in the NBA.

### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – BROTHERS DON'T SHAKE HANDS...BROTHERS GOTTA SCORE!\*\*

From Nov. 8-12, Franz Wagner led Orlando in scoring in all three games, scoring 27 points on Nov. 8 vs. New Orleans, 23 points on Nov. 10 vs. Washington and 32 points on Nov. 12 vs. Charlotte...During the same games, his brother, Moritz Wagner, was the second-leading scorer (17 points on Nov. 8, 16 points on Nov. 10 and 18 points on Nov. 12)...It is only the second time in NBA history that brothers on the same team were their team's top two scorers for three straight games...The only other time was Nov. 21-23, 1946 when Connie and Johnny Simmons of Boston accomplished the feat.

### SUGGS TO BE YOU...

Jalen Suggs has led (or tied) the team in scoring twice, in rebounding once and in assists five times...He has scored in double figures 20 times, 20+ points six times and 30+ points once, including a career-high 31 points on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago...Last season, he scored 20+ points 11 times...To compare, entering 2023-24, Suggs had scored 20+ points 10 times.

Suggs was named to the 2023-24 NBA All-Defensive Second Team...He became the first Orlando player since 2011-12 (Dwight Howard) to be named to either the NBA All-Defensive First or Second Team.

Suggs has recorded at least one steal 19 times and two-or-more steals 10 times, including a season-high four steals on Oct. 26 @ Memphis and Oct. 30 @ Chicago...He also has had at least one blocked shot 17 times and two-or-more blocks six times...Last season, Suggs recorded at least one steal 57 times and two-or-more steals 31 times, including a career-high six steals on Nov. 9, 2023 vs. Atlanta...He also had at least one blocked shot 35 times and two-or-more blocks 11 times.

### BACK-TO-BACKS...

The Orlando Magic have 13 back-to-back sets during the 2024-25 campaign, and have their latest set Dec. 26 vs. Miami and Dec. 27 vs. New York...Orlando is 5-5 in back-to-backs situations (2-3 in first game, 3-2 in second game)...Last season, Orlando had 15 back-to-back situations and were 12-18 in those outings (7-8 in the first game, 5-10 in the second game).

### MAGIC MILESTONES...

The following players are approaching career milestones with the Orlando Magic:

COLE ANTHONY	NEXT CAREER MILESTONE
275 games played	Needs 25 games to reach 300
372 three-point field goals made	Needs 28 three-point field goals to reach 400
186 steals	Needs 14 steals to reach 200
3,492 points	Needs 508 points to reach 4,000

  

PAOLO BANCHERO	NEXT CAREER MILESTONE
157 games played	Needs 43 games to reach 200
837 free throws made	Needs 163 free throws made to reach 1,000
728 assists	Needs 272 assists to reach 1,000
134 steals	Needs 66 steals to reach 200
90 blocked shots	Needs 10 blocks to reach 100
3,387 points	Needs 613 points to reach 4,000

  

GOGA BITADZE	NEXT CAREER MILESTONE
269 games played	Needs 31 games to reach 300
993 rebounds	Needs 7 rebounds to reach 1,000
270 blocked shots	Needs 30 blocks to reach 300

  

KENTAVIOUS CALDWELL-POPE	NEXT CAREER MILESTONE
859 games played	Needs 41 games to reach 900
1,455 three-point field goals made	Needs 45 three-point field goals to reach 1,500
997 steals	Needs 3 steals to reach 1,000
9,698 points	Needs 302 points to reach 10,000

  

WENDELL CARTER JR.	NEXT CAREER MILESTONE
2,774 rebounds	Needs 226 rebounds to reach 3,000



<b>GARY HARRIS</b>	<b>NEXT CAREER MILESTONE</b>
587 games played	Needs 13 games to reach 600
892 three-point field goals made	Needs 108 three-point field goals to reach 1,000
650 steals	Needs 50 steals to reach 700

<b>JONATHAN ISSAC</b>	<b>NEXT CAREER MILESTONE</b>
1,853 points	Needs 147 points to reach 2,000

<b>CORY JOSEPH</b>	<b>NEXT CAREER MILESTONE</b>
491 three-point field goals made	Needs 9 three-point field goals to reach 500
5,666 points	Needs 334 points to reach 6,000

<b>JALEN SUGGS</b>	<b>NEXT CAREER MILESTONE</b>
848 field goals made	Needs 152 field goals to reach 1,000
314 three-point field goals made	Needs 86 three-point field goal to reach 400
268 steals	Needs 32 steals to reach 300

<b>FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>NEXT CAREER MILESTONE</b>
256 games played	Needs 44 games to reach 300
1,746 field goals made	Needs 254 field goals to reach 2,000
925 assists	Needs 75 assists to reach 1,000
264 steals	Needs 36 steals to reach 300
91 blocked shots	Needs 9 blocks to reach 100
4,713 points	Needs 287 points to reach 5,000

<b>MORITZ WAGNER</b>	<b>NEXT CAREER MILESTONE</b>
358 games played	Needs 42 games to reach 400
180 steals	Needs 20 steals to reach 200

The following players are also ready to move up on the Orlando Magic's all-time franchise leader boards:

<b>JONATHAN ISAAC</b>	<b>MAGIC ALL-TIME LIST</b>
310 blocked shots	Needs 29 blocks for 7th all-time (Anderson – 338)

#### **G LEAGUE GOSSIP...**

The Osceola Magic, Orlando's NBA G League affiliate, dropped to 4-7 in the Tip-Off Tournament with a 113-10 overtime loss on Dec. 6 @ Birmingham...Ethan Thompson led the Magic with 22 points, while Jarrett Culver had 21 points...Osceola's next game is Dec. 8 vs. Oklahoma City...Osceola plays its home games at Osceola Heritage Park at Silver Spurs Arena.

The NBA G League schedule will be divided into two parts: the newly minted 16-game Tip-Off Tournament, followed by a 34-game regular season...All 31 NBA G League teams will compete in at least 50 games during the 2024-25 season...The Tip-Off Tournament, which marks the start of the 2024-25 season, begins on Friday, Nov. 8 and culminates when a champion is crowned during the 2024 NBA G League Winter Showcase in December...For the Tip-Off Tournament, teams are placed into four regions to play 14 games exclusively against each other...The teams with the best winning percentage in each region, along with the next four teams with the best winning percentages regardless of region, will advance to compete for the championship at the NBA G League Winter Showcase...Every team will play at least two games at the Winter Showcase.

Following the Tip-Off Tournament, team records will reset before the 34-game regular season, which begins on Friday, Dec. 27...At the conclusion of the regular season, the top six teams in each conference will qualify for the NBA G League Playoffs presented by Google Pixel, which conclude with the NBA G League Finals presented by YouTube TV in April 2025.

On April 11, 2023, the Orlando Magic announced that it relocated its NBA G League affiliate to Kissimmee, Fla., and it was rebranded as the Osceola Magic...Osceola finished the 2023-24 regular season with a record of 22-12 and as the #1 seed in the Eastern Conference...They were eliminated from the NBA G League Playoffs by Long Island in the Eastern Conference Semifinals with a 120-112 loss on Apr. 5.

The Orlando Magic's G League affiliate captured the 2021 NBA G League championship, defeating Delaware in the title game on Mar. 11, 2021, 97-78...All games were played at a single-site location at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex at Walt Disney World Resort near Orlando, Fla.

**\*For updated Osceola stats, please click [HERE](#).**

For information about tickets, merchandising and much more, visit [OsceolaMagic.com](https://OsceolaMagic.com)...You can also follow them on Instagram, Facebook, and X - @OsceolaMagic.





### **DeVOS FAMILY CONTINUES TO GIVE BACK...**

More than 30 years ago, shortly after acquiring the Orlando Magic franchise, Rich DeVos had one request – please don't call him the owner...“The real stake in the team is the community and people who are the fans who come to the games,” DeVos said at the time...“We're just the caretakers of your team and we'll try to do a good job for you”...On Aug. 14, as part of the Orlando Magic's continuing commitment to the Central Florida community, the team announced \$1,000,000 in grants to be distributed through the Orlando Magic Youth Foundation (OMYF) in three ways – a summer grant cycle, a winter grant cycle and microgrants...The first set of grants (summer grant cycle) totaling \$370,000 were distributed in surprise visits on Aug. 10 nonprofit organizations in Orange and Seminole counties assisting at-risk youth in Central Florida...Magic Community Ambassadors Nick Anderson and Bo Outlaw presented the 10 organizations an OMYF novelty check with the amount they will be granted at each of the visits...The second set of grant recipients (winter grant cycle) will be announced in February 2024 through surprise visits as well...In addition, the Magic will award microgrants to smaller, up-and-coming local nonprofits to assist them in growing their organizations...Approximately \$530,000 will be distributed to the second set of grantees (to be determined) in February along with \$100,000 in microgrants for a total of \$1 million to assist at-risk youth in Orange, Seminole, Brevard, Lake, Polk, Volusia, and Osceola counties...This marks the 16<sup>th</sup> time the team has distributed at least \$1 million to the community with the Magic granting more than \$29 million over the past 34 years to local nonprofit community organizations through the OMYF.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – HURRICANE RELIEF EFFORTS\*\***

On Oct. 14, the DeVos family announced a \$500,000 donation to the United Way of Florida through the DeVos Family Foundation to assist with Hurricane Helene and Milton relief efforts across the state...In addition, Magic Vice President of Shareholder Engagement Ryan DeVos and his wife, Michelle, have announced a \$100,000 contribution to the Heart of Florida United Way to assist Central Florida with relief efforts...The DeVos Family Foundation (DVFF) and the Orlando Magic organization are working closely with local partners and officials to ensure help is available to those most impacted in Central Florida and throughout the entire region...“We want Central Floridians and the entire state of Florida to know they are not in this alone,” said Orlando Magic Chairman Dan DeVos. “This resilient community has always come together to assist others, and we are so proud to be a part of that support. Our hearts are with everyone who calls Orlando and Florida home. We are so grateful for the entire community of first responders, leaders, and neighbors, who continuously work to help each other.”

### **ABOUT THE ORLANDO MAGIC...**

Orlando's NBA franchise since 1989, the Magic's mission is to be world champions on and off the court, delivering legendary moments every step of the way. Under the DeVos family's ownership, the Magic have seen great success in a relatively short history, winning seven division championships (1995, 1996, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2019, 2024) with seven 50-plus win seasons and capturing the Eastern Conference title in 1995 and 2009. Off the court, on an annual basis, the Orlando Magic gives more than \$2 million to the local community by way of sponsorships of events, donated tickets, autographed merchandise and grants. Orlando Magic community relations programs impact an estimated 100,000 kids each year, while a Magic staff-wide initiative provides more than 7,000 volunteer hours annually. In addition, the Orlando Magic Youth Foundation (OMYF) which serves at-risk youth, has distributed more than \$30 million to local nonprofit community organizations over the last 35 years. The Magic's other entities include the team's NBA G League affiliate, the Osceola Magic, 2021 G League champions, and the Orlando Solar Bears of the ECHL, which serves as the affiliate to the NHL's Tampa Bay Lightning. The Magic play their home games at the award-winning Kia Center – voted by fans no. 1 in the NBA for game experience; honored with TheStadiumBusiness Awards' Customer Experience Award; named SportsBusiness Journal's Sports Facility of the Year; and awarded the Venue Excellence Award (VEA) by the International Association of Venue Managers. The Magic practice at the award-winning AdventHealth Training Center. The Magic was also recognized by the Sports Business Journal as one of the “Best Places to Work” in sports in 2023 and 2024. For ticket information, visit [OrlandoMagic.com](https://OrlandoMagic.com) or call 407-89-MAGIC.

### **ABOUT THE ADVENTHEALTH TRAINING CENTER...**

The AdventHealth Training Center, opened in summer 2022, is the downtown state-of-the-art practice and training home to the Orlando Magic and AdventHealth's destination sports medicine hub to Central Florida. The 130,000-square-foot facility is located on a nearly four-acre site at S. Division Ave. and W. Central Blvd. one block from Amway Center. Together, AdventHealth and the Orlando Magic are building an innovative health and wellness model that brings whole-person medicine, science and research together to optimize sports performance, while bringing those learnings to the broader community.

### **ABOUT THE KIA CENTER...**

Kia Center, owned and operated by the City of Orlando on behalf of the Central Florida community, hosts major national events, concerts and family shows since its opening in the Fall 2010. The Orlando Magic served as the developer and the facility was designed to reflect the character of the community, meet the goals of the users and build on the legacy of sports and entertainment in Orlando. The building's exterior features a modern blend of glass and metal materials, along with ever-changing graphics via a monumental wall along one facade. A 180-foot tall tower serves as a beacon amid the downtown skyline. The 875,000 square foot, Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Gold-certified building features a sustainable, environmentally-friendly design and unmatched technology, including 1,100 digital monitors, the tallest high-definition video board in an NBA venue and multiple premium amenities available to all patrons in the building. Kia Center was honored with the International Association of Venue Managers' Venue Excellence Award, which is bestowed upon facilities that excel in the management and operation of public assembly venues. Kia Center was the only arena to garner this distinction. Additionally, the arena has earned numerous awards, which most notably includes TheStadiumBusiness Awards' 2013 Customer Experience Award and was named SportsBusiness Journal's 2012 Sports Facility of the Year. For more information about the Kia Center, visit [KiaCenterOrlando.com](https://KiaCenterOrlando.com).



## NOTHING BUT THE NET...

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## 2024-25 REGULAR SEASON

### Orlando's Record When:

#### Offense...Defense...Hustle Stats...

Scoring 100-plus points: 13-4	Scoring less than 100 points: 3-5
Allowing 100-plus points: 7-9	Allowing less than 100 points: 9-0
Shooting 50 percent or better FGs: 5-1	Shooting under 50 percent FGs: 11-8
Opponent shooting 50 percent or better FGs: 2-4	Opponent shooting under 50 percent FGs: 14-5
Making 10-or-more 3 FGs: 13-4	Making nine-or-less 3 FGs: 3-5
Attempting more (or same) FTs than opponent: 12-6	Attempting less FTs than opponent: 4-3
Having more (or same) rebounds than opponent: 13-2	Being outrebounded by opponent: 3-7
Having more (or same) assists than opponent: 14-3	Having less assists than opponent: 2-6
Having more (or same) blocks than opponent: 14-8	Having less blocks than opponent: 2-1
Having more (or same) steals than opponent: 14-7	Having less steals than opponent: 2-2
Having more (or same) turnovers than opponent: 7-5	Having less turnovers than opponent: 9-4

#### Days...Months...Back-to-Backs...

Playing on Sundays: 2-1	Playing in October: 3-2
Playing on Mondays: 3-1	Playing in November: 11-5
Playing on Tuesdays: 1-1	Playing in December: 2-2
Playing on Wednesdays: 4-3	Playing in January: n/a
Playing on Thursdays: 1-0	Playing in February: n/a
Playing on Fridays: 4-2	Playing in March: n/a
Playing on Saturdays: 1-1	Playing in April: n/a
Playing in back-to-backs: 5-5	
Playing in first game of back-to-back: 2-3	Playing in second game of back-to-back: 3-2

#### Misc....

Leading (or tied) after the first quarter: 10-2	Trailing after the first quarter: 6-7
Leading (or tied) after the first half: 12-1	Trailing after the first half: 4-8
Leading (or tied) after the third quarter: 13-1	Trailing after the third quarter: 3-8
Game margin is 1-5 points: 4-1	Game margin is 6-10 points: 2-2
Game margin is 11+ points: 10-6	5+ players scoring in double figures: 10-3
6+ players scoring in double figures: 3-1	Playing in overtime: n/a
Playing in Association uniform (white): 4-4	Playing in Icon uniform (black): 4-3
Playing in Statement uniform (blue): 5-1	Playing in City uniform (gray): 3-1
Largest margin of victory: 27 pts. (2x, last on Nov. 10 vs. WAS)	Largest margin of defeat: 23 pts. (Nov. 3 @ DAL)
Largest lead during a game: 33 pts. (Nov. 10 vs. WAS)	Largest lead surrendered in loss: 20 pts. (Oct. 30 @ CHI)
Largest deficit during a game: 37 pts. (Dec. 3 @ NY)	Largest deficit overcome to win: 12 pts. (Nov. 13 vs. IND)

**Magic game-high scoring honors (including ties):** F. Wagner (19), Banchemo (3), Suggs (2), Black (1)

**Magic game-high rebounding honors (including ties):** Bitadze (9), F. Wagner (7), Carter Jr. (5), M. Wagner (4), Banchemo (2), Anthony (1), Isaac (1), Suggs (1)

**Magic game-high assist honors (including ties):** F. Wagner (15), Black (7), Suggs (5), Banchemo (3), Anthony (1)

**Double-Doubles:** Bitadze (6), Banchemo (2), F. Wagner (2), Carter Jr. (1), M. Wagner (1)

**Triple-Doubles:** n/a

#### Starting lineup and record:

FORWARD	FORWARD	CENTER	GUARD	GUARD	RECORD
F. Wagner	Banchemo	Carter Jr.	Caldwell-Pope	Suggs	3-2
Caldwell-Pope	F. Wagner	M. Wagner	Suggs	Black	0-1
da Silva	F. Wagner	Carter Jr.	Caldwell-Pope	Suggs	0-2
da Silva	F. Wagner	Bitadze	Caldwell-Pope	Suggs	7-3
da Silva	F. Wagner	Bitadze	Harris	Suggs	1-0
da Silva	F. Wagner	Bitadze	Caldwell-Pope	Harris	1-0
F. Wagner	Carter Jr.	Bitadze	Caldwell-Pope	Suggs	4-1



## 2024-25 REGULAR SEASON QUARTER-BY-QUARTER RECAP

	1 <sup>ST</sup> QUARTER	2 <sup>ND</sup> QUARTER	3 <sup>RD</sup> QUARTER	4 <sup>TH</sup> QUARTER	OT	TOTAL
MAGIC	695 (27.8 ppg.)	637 (25.5 ppg.)	673 (26.9 ppg.)	678 (27.1 ppg.)	--	2,683 (107.3 ppg.)
OPPONENTS	707 (28.3 ppg.)	658 (26.3 ppg.)	626 (25.0 ppg.)	584 (23.4 ppg.)	--	2,575 (103.0 ppg.)

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?\***

Orlando has a point differential of +4.3 (107.3-103.0), which ranks ninth in the NBA (as of Dec. 7).

During the fourth quarter, Orlando has allowed 23.4 ppg. during the final stanza, which is best in the NBA...The Magic have allowed 25.0 ppg. during the third quarter, which is also first in the league.

**\*\*For complete bios, please see the 2024-25 Orlando Magic media guide\*\*** ([OrlandoMagic.com/MediaGuide](https://www.orlandomagic.com/MediaGuide))

### **HEAD COACH'S BIO:**

#### **Jamahl Mosley**

**Overall Record:** 119-152 (.439)

**Overall Playoff Record:** 3-4 (.429)

**Seasons in League:** 4th

**Record with Orlando:** 119-152 (.439)

**Playoff Record w/ Orlando:** 3-4 (.429)

**Seasons with Orlando:** 4th

Became the 15th head coach in Orlando Magic history on July 11, 2021...Went 47-35 during the 2023-24 season, clinched the team's first playoff berth since 2020 and their seventh division title all-time...Orlando had a 13-game improvement, which was the best in the Eastern Conference and fourth-best in the NBA...Was second in voting for the NBA Coach of the Year award to Mark Daigneault of Oklahoma City...Finished the 2022-23 season with a record of 34-48, a 12-game improvement, which was the best in the Eastern Conference and third-best in the NBA...During his first season as head coach, finished with a record of 22-60 (.268)...Made his NBA head coaching debut on Oct. 20, 2021 @ San Antonio and recorded his first NBA head coaching win on Oct. 24, 2021 @ New York...He coached his 200<sup>th</sup> career NBA regular season game on Jan. 7 vs. Atlanta...Recorded his 100<sup>th</sup> career head coaching victory on Apr. 1 vs. Portland.

Comes to Orlando after spending seven seasons (2014-21) as an assistant coach with the Dallas Mavericks...While on the coaching staff, the Mavericks reached the NBA Playoffs four times...Has also served as the head coach on the Mavericks summer league team that competed in Las Vegas.

Prior to joining the Mavericks, spent four seasons (2010-14) as an assistant coach with the Cleveland Cavaliers...Before joining the Cavaliers, spent five seasons (2005-10) with the Denver Nuggets...Tenure began in player development and advance scouting, before becoming an assistant coach for his last three seasons (2007-10) with the franchise...The Nuggets reached the playoffs, winning 50 games or more, each of his final three years...They won the Northwest division twice and earned a trip to the Western Conference Finals in 2009.

Was a four-year letterman at the University of Colorado (1997-2001), where he is one of 33 players in school history to score more than 1,000 points...Following his collegiate career, played four seasons of professional basketball overseas, including two years for the Victoria Titans (Australia), one year with Baloncesto Leon (Spain) and one year in Korea.

A native of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was named an assistant coach for the 2021 USA Select Team and served as an assistant coach at the 2018 USA Basketball Men's National Team mini-camp...Also participated in Basketball Without Borders in Africa on several occasions.

He and his wife, Kristina, have three children, Jemma, C.J. and Chance.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – EXTENSION FOR MOSE\***

The Orlando Magic have agreed to a multi-year contract extension with Head Coach Jamahl Mosley, President of Basketball Operations Jeff Weltman announced on Mar. 12, 2024...The contract extension runs through the 2027-28 season..."Jamahl (Mosley) and his staff have done a tremendous job not only this season, but since we hired him back in 2021," said Weltman. "His preparation, work ethic, ability to connect with the players, and passion he brings to the job every day brings positive results, both on the court and off. We are very happy to have Jamahl lead the Magic for years to come."

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – COACH'S CHALLENGES\***

Before the 2019-20 season, the NBA implemented the Coach's Challenge, which allows a head coach to trigger one instant replay review per game of a called foul, called out-of-bounds violation or called goaltending/basket interference violation.

Orlando is 11-of-18 (.611) this season on Coach's Challenge attempts...The Magic are 88-of-156 (.564) all-time on Coach's Challenge attempts: (21-of-36 (.583) in 2023-24; 15-of-26 (.577) in 2022-23; 10-of-24 (.417) in 2021-22; 16-of-25 (.640) in 2020-21; 15-of-27 (.556) in 2019-20).



**PLAYER BIOS:****#50 Cole Anthony (G, 6-3, 198, North Carolina, NBA Exp. 4 years)**

	10+ PTS: 3	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	3 (1-1, 1-1, 0-0)	0	1	1 stl., 3:17
Dec. 1 @ BKN	3 (1-4, 1-2, 0-0)	2	1	4:59
Dec. 3 @ NY	10 (3-5, 1-2, 3-3)	2	3	13:06
Dec. 4 @ PHI	DNP-CD			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	6 (2-3, 2-3, 0-0)	1	4	13:38

**Noting Anthony:****2024-25: Averaging 4.9 ppg., 2.0 rpg. and 1.8 apg. in 10.1 minpg. (22 games)**

- Led (or tied) the team in rebounding once and in assists once.
- Scored in double figures three times, including a season-high 16 points on Nov. 10 vs. Washington and Nov. 25 @ Charlotte.
- Had at least one steal seven times and two-or-more steals once, including a season-high three steals on Oct. 25 vs. Brooklyn.
- Had at least one blocked shot once.
- DNP-CD three times (Oct. 30, Nov. 6, Dec. 4).

**2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – ANTHONY (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
16 (2)	8	6	3	1	26:41
Nov. 25 @ CHA	Nov. 25 @ CHA	Oct. 23 @ MIA	Oct. 25 vs. BKN	Oct. 28 vs. IND	Nov. 25 @ CHA

**#5 Paolo Banchero (F, 6-10, 250, Duke, NBA Exp. 2 years)**

	10+ PTS: 5	10+ REBS: 2	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	DNP-torn right oblique			
Dec. 1 @ BKN	DNP-torn right oblique			
Dec. 3 @ NY	DNP-torn right oblique			
Dec. 4 @ PHI	DNP-torn right oblique			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	DNP-torn right oblique			

**Noting Banchero:****2024-25: Averaging 29.0 ppg., 8.8 rpg. and 5.6 apg. in 36.4 minpg. (five games-five starts)**

- Led (or tied) the team in scoring three times, in rebounding twice and in assists three times.
- Scored in double figures five times, 20+ points three times, 30+ points three times, 40+ points once and 50+ points once, including a career-high 50 points on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana...Became the fourth player in franchise history to score 50+ points in a game.
- At 21 years-351 days old, became the youngest player in franchise history with a 50+ point game...Became the second-youngest player in NBA history with 50+ points, 10+ rebounds and 5+ assists in a game (James, 20 years-80 days, 2005).
- Scored 37 points during the first half on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana, tying the team record for most points in a half...Went 13-of-17 from the floor during the first half, tying the team record for most field goals made during a half.
- Had 10+ rebounds twice, including a season-high 13 rebounds on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana.
- Had two double-doubles.
- Had at least one steal three times.
- Had at least one blocked shot three times and two-or-more blocks once.
- Missed 20 games (Nov. 1-Dec. 6) due to a torn right oblique.

**2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – BANCHERO (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
50*	13	9 (2)	1 (3)	2	39:37
Oct. 28 vs. IND	Oct. 28 vs. IND	Oct. 28 vs. IND	Oct. 28 vs. IND	Oct. 28 vs. IND	Oct. 28 vs. IND

### #35 Goga Bitadze (C, 6-11, 235, Republic of Georgia, NBA Exp. 5 years)

	10+ PTS: 8	10+ REBS: 7	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	8 (2-6, 0-0, 4-4)	6	3	5 blks., 1 stl., 26:51
Dec. 1 @ BKN	12 (4-6, 0-0, 4-6)	13	2	3 stls., 2 blks., 31:48
Dec. 3 @ NY	DNP-right ankle sprain			
Dec. 4 @ PHI	6 (3-4, 0-0, 0-0)	6	1	1 stl., 1 blk., 20:55
Dec. 6 @ PHI	9 (3-5, 0-1, 3-4)	4	2	2 blks., 25:54

#### Noting Bitadze:

**2024-25: Averaging 8.2 ppg., 6.9 rpg., 1.8 apg. and 1.65 blkpg. in 22.4 minpg. (20 games)...Shooting .673 (68-101) from the floor...Made 17 starts – Averaging 9.3 ppg., 7.8 rpg., 2.0 apg. and 1.88 blkpg. in 25.3 minpg. (158 pts., 132 rebs., 34 asts., 32 blks., 16 stls., 430:25 played)**

- As of Dec. 7, ranks ninth in the NBA in blocked shots and 40th in rebounding.
- Led (or tied) the team in rebounding nine times.
- Scored in double figures eight times, including a season-high 17 points on Nov. 18 @ Phoenix.
- Made his 500th career NBA field goal on Nov. 10 vs. Washington.
- Had 10+ rebounds seven times, including a career-high-tying 15 rebounds on Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers.
- Had six double-doubles.
- Had at least one blocked shot 18 times and two-or-more blocks 10 times, including a career-high-tying five blocked shots on Nov. 29 @ Brooklyn.
- Had at least one steal 13 times and two-or-more steals twice, including a career-high-tying three steals on Dec. 1 @ Brooklyn.
- Missed five games due to injury: missed four games (Oct. 28-Nov. 3) due to a left foot tendon strain and one game (Dec. 3) due to a right ankle sprain.

#### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – BITADZE (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
17	15#	4	3#	5#	31:48
Nov. 18 @ PHX	Nov. 21 @ LAL	Nov. 4 @ OKC	Dec. 1 @ BKN	Nov. 29 @ BKN	Dec. 1 @ BKN

### #0 Anthony Black (G, 6-7, 212, Arkansas, NBA Exp. 1 year)

	10+ PTS: 11	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	5 (1-2, 0-0, 3-4)	1	1	2 blks., 16:04
Dec. 1 @ BKN	5 (2-2, 0-0, 1-3)	4	1	1 blk., 20:00
Dec. 3 @ NY	6 (3-4, 0-1, 0-0)	1	3	20:19
Dec. 4 @ PHI	10 (5-10, 0-2, 0-0)	5	7	29:52
Dec. 6 @ PHI	0 (0-5, 0-3, 0-0)	2	0	2 blks., 1 stl., 17:35

#### Noting Black:

**2024-25: Averaging 8.0 ppg., 3.9 apg. and 2.7 rpg. in 23.9 minpg....Made one start – Averaging 7.0 ppg., 6.0 apg. and 2.0 rpg. in 27.5 minpg. (7 pts., 6 asts., 2 rebs., 27:30 played)**

- Led (or tied) the team in scoring once and in assists seven times.
- Scored in double figures 11 times and 20+ points once, including a season-high 20 points on Nov. 18 @ Phoenix.
- Made go-ahead three-pointer with 33.3 seconds left on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana.
- Dished out a career-high nine assists on Nov. 18 @ Phoenix.
- Had at least one blocked shot 12 times and two-or-more blocks six times, including a career-high three blocked shots on Oct. 30 @ Chicago.
- Had at least one steal 11 times and two-or-more steals seven times, including a career-high-tying four steals on Nov. 13 vs. Indiana.

#### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – BLACK (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
20	6	9*	4#	3*	32:44
Nov. 18 @ PHX	Oct. 23 @ MIA	Nov. 18 @ PHX	Nov. 13 vs. IND	Oct. 30 @ CHI	Nov. 18 @ PHX



### #3 Kentavious Caldwell-Pope (G, 6-5, 204, Georgia, NBA Exp. 11 years)

	10+ PTS: 6	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	19 (7-8, 4-5, 1-1)	2	3	2 stls., 1 blk., 29:05
Dec. 1 @ BKN	16 (6-11, 4-9, 0-0)	1	0	2 stls., 1 blk., 34:11
Dec. 3 @ NY	9 (3-7, 3-7, 0-0)	3	0	26:37
Dec. 4 @ PHI	7 (2-7, 1-5, 2-2)	2	1	5 stls., 32:02
Dec. 6 @ PHI	2 (1-7, 0-5, 0-0)	3	2	3 stls., 1 blk., 33:40

Noting Caldwell-Pope:

**2024-25: Averaging 8.3 ppg., 2.2 rpg., 1.8 apg. and 1.63 stlpg. in 30.1 minpg. (24 games-24 starts)...Shooting .966 (28-29) from the free throw line.**

- As of Dec. 7, ranks sixth in the NBA in steals-to-turnover ratio (2.05, 39/19) and 13th in steals.
- Scored in double figures six times and 20+ points once, including a season-high 24 points on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago.
- Started the season 23-of-23 from the free throw line, before his first miss on Nov. 25 @ Charlotte...It is the most consecutive free throws made to start a season in franchise history.
- Had at least one steal 19 times and two-or-more steals 10 times, including a career-high-tying five steals on Dec. 4 @ Philadelphia.
- Had at least one blocked shot 11 times and two-or-more blocks three times.
- Missed one game (Nov. 21) due to personal reasons.

**2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – CALDWELL-POPE (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
24	5 (4)	5	5#	2 (3)	37:24
Nov. 27 vs. CHI	Nov. 13 vs. IND	Nov. 8 vs. NO	Dec. 4 @ PHI	Nov. 23 vs. DET	Nov. 6 @ IND

### #34 Wendell Carter Jr. (C, 6-10, 262, Duke, NBA Exp. 6 years)

	10+ PTS: 4	10+ REBS: 4	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	12 (4-5, 1-1, 3-4)	7	4	1 blk., 26:16
Dec. 1 @ BKN	14 (5-5, 1-1, 3-4)	7	1	2 blks., 1 stl., 27:36
Dec. 3 @ NY	2 (1-3, 0-2, 0-0)	7	3	1 stl., 19:33
Dec. 4 @ PHI	2 (1-4, 0-1, 0-2)	6	2	1 blk., 31:47
Dec. 6 @ PHI	8 (2-3, 1-2, 3-4)	9	3	26:11

Noting Carter Jr.:

**2024-25: Averaging 7.7 ppg., 7.8 rpg. and 2.3 apg. in 25.6 minpg. (12 games-12 starts)**

- Led (or tied) the team in rebounding five times.
- Scored in double figures four times, including a season-high 14 points on Oct. 30 @ Chicago and Dec. 1 @ Brooklyn.
- Scored his 4,000th career NBA point on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago.
- Had 10+ rebounds four times, including a season-high 14 rebounds on Oct. 23 @ Miami.
- Had one double-double.
- Had at least one steal eight times and two-or-more steals three times.
- Recorded his 200th career NBA steal on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana.
- Had at least one blocked shot six times and two-or-more blocks once.
- Missed 13 total games due to injury: missed one game (Nov. 1) due to right knee tendinitis, one game (Nov. 4) due to a left foot plantar fascia strain and 11 games (Nov. 6-25) due to left foot plantar fasciitis.

**2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – CARTER JR. (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
14 (2)	14	4 (2)	2 (3)	2	31:58
Dec. 1 @ BKN	Oct. 23 @ MIA	Nov. 29 @ BKN	Nov. 3 @ DAL	Dec. 1 @ BKN	Oct. 28 vs. IND

## #23 Tristan da Silva (F, 6-8, 217, Colorado, NBA Exp. Rookie)

	10+ PTS: 5	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	13 (5-9, 3-4, 0-1)	1	1	2 stls., 19:41
Dec. 1 @ BKN	4 (2-7, 0-5, 0-0)	4	3	1 stl., 22:45
Dec. 3 @ NY	8 (3-5, 2-3, 0-0)	2	0	22:19
Dec. 4 @ PHI	5 (2-3, 0-1, 1-2)	4	1	16:06
Dec. 6 @ PHI	0 (0-1, 0-1, 0-0)	3	0	13:21

### Noting da Silva:

**2024-25: Averaging 7.1 ppg., 3.6 rpg. and 1.6 apg. in 23.2 minpg. (21 games)...Made 14 starts – Averaging 7.4 ppg., 4.0 rpg. and 1.8 apg. in 26.5 minpg. (103 pts., 56 rebs., 25 asts., 5 stls., 3 blks., 371:12 played)**

- As of Dec. 7, ranks among all NBA rookies in scoring (12th), rebounding (12th), assists (T-12th), three-point field goal percentage (9th, .333) and minutes played (10th).
- Scored in double figures five times, including a career-high 17 points on Nov. 1 @ Cleveland.
- Had at least one steal six times and two-or-more steals twice.
- Had at least one blocked shot twice and two-or-more blocks once.
- Played a career-high 33:48 on Nov. 4 @ Oklahoma City.
- Made his NBA debut on Oct. 23 @ Miami...Did not score in 5:21 played...Scored his first NBA points on a layup with 3:50 left during the first quarter on Nov. 1 @ Cleveland...Made his first NBA start on Nov. 3 @ Dallas, tallying seven points (2-7 FG, 1-4 3FG, 2-2 FT), five rebounds, two assists and one blocked shot in 31:07.
- Missed one game (Oct. 26) due to an illness...DNP-CD three times (Oct. 25, 28-30).

### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – DA SILVA (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
17*	9*	6*	2 (2)*	2*	33:48*
Nov. 1 @ CLE	Nov. 13 vs. IND	Nov. 18 @ PHX	Nov. 29 @ BKN	Nov. 12 vs. CHA	Nov. 4 @ OKC

## #14 Gary Harris (G, 6-4, 205, Michigan State, NBA Exp. 10 years)

	10+ PTS: 2	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	DNP-left hamstring strain			
Dec. 1 @ BKN	DNP-left hamstring strain			
Dec. 3 @ NY	DNP-left hamstring strain			
Dec. 4 @ PHI	DNP-left hamstring strain			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	DNP-left hamstring strain			

### Noting Harris:

**2024-25: Averaging 4.1 ppg. and 1.4 rpg. in 16.6 minpg. (17 games)...Made two starts – Averaging 7.0 ppg. in 16.4 minpg. (14 pts., 1 reb., 1 ast., 32:49 played)**

- Scored in double figures twice, including a season-high 18 points on Oct. 23 @ Miami.
- Had at least one steal five times and two-or-more steals three times, including a season-high three steals on Nov. 23 vs. Detroit.
- Had at least one blocked shot four times and two-or-more blocks once.
- Missed six games (Nov. 27-Dec. 6) due to a left hamstring strain...DNP-CD twice (Nov. 4, 13).

### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – HARRIS (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
18	3 (3)	2	3	2	26:02
Oct. 23 @ MIA	Nov. 12 vs. CHA	Nov. 8 vs. NO	Nov. 23 vs. DET	Oct. 23 @ MIA	Oct. 28 vs. IND

## #2 Caleb Houston (F, 6-8, 235, Michigan, NBA Exp. 2 years)

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	0 (0-2, 0-2, 0-0)	0	0	2:40
Dec. 1 @ BKN	DNP-CD			
Dec. 3 @ NY	3 (1-2, 1-2, 0-0)	0	0	1 blk., 7:13
Dec. 4 @ PHI	DNP-CD			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	0 (0-0, 0-0, 0-0)	0	0	4:48

### Noting Houston:

#### 2024-25: Averaging 0.9 ppg. in 4.7 minpg. (15 games)

- Had at least one blocked shot twice.
- DNP-CD 10 times (Oct. 25, 28-30, Nov. 6, 13, 18, 21, 25, Dec. 1, 4).
- Averaging 10.0 ppg., 7.0 rpg., 7.0 apg., 1.00 stlpg. and 1.00 blkpg. in 31.0 minpg. with Osceola of the NBA G League (one game-one start) during the Tip-Off Tournament....Assigned to Osceola of the NBA G League on Nov. 14 (Recalled on Nov. 14).

### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – HOUSTAN (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
6	2	--	--	1 (2)	9:05
Oct. 26 @ MEM	Nov. 3 @ DAL			Dec. 3 @ NY	Nov. 4 @ OKC

## #13 Jett Howard (G-F, 6-8, 215, Michigan, NBA Exp. 1 year)

	10+ PTS: 3	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	8 (3-6, 2-4, 0-0)	2	0	1 stl., 16:13
Dec. 1 @ BKN	0 (0-1, 0-1, 0-0)	0	0	9:47
Dec. 3 @ NY	0 (0-6, 0-5, 0-0)	3	1	1 stl., 11:27
Dec. 4 @ PHI	DNP-CD			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	5 (2-5, 1-4, 0-0)	1	0	16:14

### Noting Howard:

#### 2024-25: Averaging 3.8 ppg. and 1.3 rpg. in 10.5 minpg. (23 games)

- Scored in double figures three times, including a career-high 12 points in a career-high 22:08 played on Nov. 3 @ Dallas.
- Had at least one blocked shot six times.
- Had at least one steal three times.
- Played a career-high 23:23 on Nov. 25 @ Charlotte.
- DNP-CD twice (Nov. 18, Dec. 4).

### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – HOWARD (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
12*	4*	2 (3)*	1 (3)#	1 (6)#	23:23*
Nov. 3 @ DAL	Nov. 23 vs. DET	Nov. 25 @ CHA	Dec. 3 @ NY	Nov. 20 @ LAC	Nov. 25 @ CHA

## #1 Jonathan Isaac (F, 6-10, 240, Florida State, NBA Exp. 7 years)

	10+ PTS: 4	10+ REBS: 2	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	8 (2-6, 1-3, 3-4)	4	0	2 stls., 1 blk., 19:10
Dec. 1 @ BKN	2 (1-1, 0-0, 0-0)	1	0	1 blk., 7:33
Dec. 3 @ NY	4 (2-4, 0-2, 0-0)	1	0	1 blk., 12:39
Dec. 4 @ PHI	14 (6-8, 2-3, 0-0)	4	0	2 stls., 2 blks., 14:52
Dec. 6 @ PHI	DNP-sore right hamstring			

### Noting Isaac:

#### 2024-25: Averaging 6.5 ppg., 4.7 rpg. and 1.43 blkpg. in 16.9 minpg. (21 games)

- As of Dec. 7, ranks 12th in the NBA in blocked shots.
- Led (or tied) the team in rebounding once.
- Scored in double figures four times, including a season-high 14 points on Dec. 4 @ Philadelphia.
- Had 10+ rebounds twice, including a season-high 12 rebounds on Nov. 23 vs. Detroit.
- Had at least one blocked shot 17 times and two-or-more blocks eight times, including a season-high three blocked shots five times, the last on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago.
- Recorded his 300th career NBA blocked shot on Nov. 23 vs. Detroit...Moved into eighth place on the Magic's all-time blocked shots list on Nov. 18 @ Phoenix, passing Tracy McGrady (292).
- Had at least one steal 13 times and two-or-more steals five times.
- Missed four games due to injury: missed three games (Oct. 25-28) due to a left hip contusion and one game (Dec. 6) due to a sore right hamstring.

#### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – ISAAC (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
14	12	1 (5)	2 (5)	3 (5)	24:54
Dec. 4 @ PHI	Nov. 23 vs. DET	Nov. 27 vs. CHI	Dec. 4 @ PHI	Nov. 27 vs. CHI	Nov. 15 vs. PHI

## #10 Cory Joseph (G, 6-3, 200, Texas, NBA Exp. 13 years)

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	3 (1-1, 1-1, 0-0)	1	1	2:40
Dec. 1 @ BKN	DNP-CD			
Dec. 3 @ NY	DNP-CD			
Dec. 4 @ PHI	DNP-CD			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	DNP-CD			

### Noting Joseph:

#### 2024-25: Averaging 1.2 ppg. in 3.5 minpg. (13 games)

- Had at least one steal twice.
- Had at least one blocked shot twice.
- DNP-CD 12 times (Oct. 25, 28-30, Nov. 6, 13, 18, 21, 25, Dec. 1-6).

#### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – JOSEPH (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
3 (5)	2 (3)	2 (2)	1 (2)	1 (2)	5:21
Nov. 29 @ BKN	Nov. 20 @ LAC	Nov. 10 vs. WAS	Nov. 23 vs. DET	Nov. 10 vs. WAS	Oct. 23 @ MIA

**#8 Mac McClung (G, 6-2, 185, Texas Tech, NBA Exp. 2 years) \* Two-way contract\***

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 1 @ BKN	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 3 @ NY	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 4 @ PHI	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	Inactive: two-way			

**Noting McClung:**

**2024-25: Has not scored, averaging 2.0 apg. and 1.0 rpg. in 4.9 minpg. (one game)**

- On the Inactive List 21 times (Oct. 23, Oct. 30-Nov. 12, Nov. 15-Dec. 6)...DNP-CD three times (Oct. 25, 28, Nov. 13).
- Averaging 17.7 ppg., 4.4 apg. and 4.3 rpg. in 33.6 minpg. with Osceola of the NBA G League (11 games-11 starts) during the Tip-Off Tournament.

**2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – McCLUNG (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
--	1	2	--	--	4:53
	Oct. 26 @ MEM	Oct. 26 @ MEM			Oct. 26 @ MEM

**#12 Trevelin Queen (G, 6-6, 190, New Mexico State, NBA Exp. 3 years) \* Two-way contract\***

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 1 @ BKN	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 3 @ NY	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 4 @ PHI	Inactive: two-way			
Dec. 6 @ PHI	Inactive: two-way			

**Noting Queen:**

**2024-25: Averaging 1.5 ppg. in 2.5 minpg. (two games)**

- On the Inactive List 21 times (Oct. 23-25, Oct. 30-Nov. 10, Nov. 15-Dec. 6)...DNP-CD twice (Oct. 28, Nov. 13).
- Averaging 23.3 ppg., 5.8 rpg., 5.3 apg. and 1.88 stlpg. in 33.4 minpg. with Osceola of the NBA G League (eight games-eight starts) during the Tip-Off Tournament.

**2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – QUEEN (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
3	--	--	--	--	3:03
Nov. 12 vs. CHA					Oct. 26 @ MEM



#### #4 Jalen Suggs (G, 6-5, 212, Gonzaga, NBA Exp. 3 years)

	10+ PTS: 20	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	12 (5-12, 2-6, 0-0)	3	6	1 stl., 1 blk., 26:35
Dec. 1 @ BKN	12 (4-11, 1-3, 3-3)	3	5	2 stls., 27:11
Dec. 3 @ NY	14 (5-16, 0-8, 4-4)	3	3	2 stls., 1 blk., 39:26
Dec. 4 @ PHI	17 (6-15, 4-8, 1-2)	2	6	3 stls., 37:06
Dec. 6 @ PHI	22 (8-19, 4-12, 2-2)	1	3	3 stls., 32:41

##### Noting Suggs:

**2024-25: Averaging 15.5 ppg., 4.0 apg., 3.9 rpg. and 1.50 stlpg. in 30.0 minpg. (24 games-24 starts)...Shooting .928 (64-69) from the free throw line.**

- As of Dec. 7, ranks third in the NBA in free throw percentage, tied for 19th in steals and ranks 35th in blocked shots (0.96 blkpg.).
- Led (or tied) the team in scoring twice, in rebounding once and in assists five times.
- Scored in double figures 20 times, 20+ points six times and 30+ points once, including a career-high 31 points on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago.
- Made his 300th career NBA three-point field goal on Nov. 27 vs. Chicago.
- Had at least one steal 19 times and two-or-more steals 10 times, including a season-high four steals on Oct. 26 @ Memphis and on Oct. 30 @ Chicago.
- Had at least one blocked shot 17 times and two-or-more blocks six times.
- Recorded his 100th career NBA blocked shot on Nov. 3 @ Dallas.
- Played in his 200th career NBA regular season game on Dec. 6 @ Philadelphia.
- Missed one game (Nov. 25) due to a left hamstring strain.

##### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – SUGGS (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
31*	8	7 (3)	4 (2)	2 (6)	39:42
Nov. 27 vs. CHI	Nov. 1 @ CLE	Nov. 27 vs. CHI	Oct. 30 @ CHI	Nov. 21 @ LAL	Nov. 21 @ LAL

#### #22 Franz Wagner (F, 6-10, 230, Michigan, NBA Exp. 3 years)

	10+ PTS: 23	10+ REBS: 1	10+ ASTS: 1	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	29 (12-20, 3-6, 2-2)	8	8	2 stls., 1 blk., 35:10
Dec. 1 @ BKN	20 (4-17, 0-6, 12-14)	9	8	2 blks., 37:58
Dec. 3 @ NY	30 (10-22, 1-5, 9-9)	3	6	3 stls., 38:54
Dec. 4 @ PHI	35 (12-23, 1-6, 10-10)	7	2	1 blk., 36:17
Dec. 6 @ PHI	30 (10-23, 3-12, 7-7)	5	5	1 stl., 1 blk., 38:16

##### Noting F. Wagner:

**2024-25: Averaging 24.4 ppg., 5.7 apg., 5.6 rpg. and 1.72 stlpg. in 33.2 minpg. (25 starts)...Shooting .881 (119-135) from the free throw line.**

- As of Dec. 7, ranks 11th in the NBA in steals, 17th in scoring, 20th in free throw percentage and tied for 28th in assists.
- Named NBA Eastern Conference Player of the Week for the period ending Nov. 17...During three games (3-0 record), averaged 30.7 ppg., 7.3 rpg., 5.7 apg. and 2.00 stlpg. in 36.5 minpg., while shooting .889 (16-18) from the free throw line.
- Led (or tied) the team in scoring 19 times, in rebounding seven times and in assists 15 times.
- Scored in double figures 23 times, 20+ points 20 times and 30+ points eight times, including a season-high 37 points on Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers.
- Hit game-winning three-pointer with 2.5 seconds left on Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers.
- Had 10+ rebounds once – a career-high-tying 11 rebounds on Nov. 15 vs. Philadelphia.
- Had 10+ assists once – a career-high 11 assists on Nov. 21 @ L.A. Lakers.
- Had two double-doubles.
- Had at least one steal 21 times and two-or-more steals 14 times, including a season-high four steals three times, the last on Nov. 25 @ Charlotte.
- Had at least one blocked shot 10 times and two-or-more blocks twice.

##### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – F. WAGNER (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
37	11#	11*	4 (2)	2 (2)#	40:44
Nov. 21 @ LAL	Nov. 15 vs. PHI	Nov. 21 @ LAL	Nov. 21 @ LAL	Dec. 1 @ BKN	Nov. 15 vs. PHI



## #21 Moritz Wagner (C, 6-11, 250, Michigan, NBA Exp. 6 years)

	10+ PTS: 19	10+ REBS: 1	10+ ASTS: 0	
LAST FIVE GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
Nov. 29 @ BKN	3 (1-4, 0-1, 1-2)	5	1	1 stl., 1 blk., 16:18
Dec. 1 @ BKN	12 (5-9, 0-1, 2-2)	8	2	2 blks., 1 stl., 16:12
Dec. 3 @ NY	20 (7-13, 1-2, 5-9)	12	1	2 stls., 1 blk., 28:27
Dec. 4 @ PHI	10 (4-10, 0-3, 2-3)	6	1	2 stls., 2 blks., 21:03
Dec. 6 @ PHI	12 (5-7, 2-3, 0-0)	9	2	17:42

### Noting M. Wagner:

**2024-25: Averaging 12.8 ppg., 5.3 rpg. and 1.4 apg. in 19.3 minpg....Shooting .549 (117-213) from the floor...Made one start – Averaging 14.0 ppg., 5.0 rpg. and 2.00 stlpg. in 27.6 minpg. (14 pts., 5 rebs., 2 stls., 27:34 played)**

- As of Dec. 7, ranks second in the NBA in total bench points (307) and 17th in field goal percentage.
- Led (or tied) the team in rebounding four times.
- Scored in double figures 19 times and 20+ points once, including a season-high 20 points on Dec. 3 @ New York.
- Scored his 3,000th career NBA point on Nov. 1 @ Cleveland.
- Had 10+ rebounds once – a season-high 12 rebounds on Dec. 3 @ New York.
- Had one double-double.
- Dished out his 400th career NBA assist on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana.
- Had at least one steal 14 times and two-or-more steals five times.
- Had at least one blocked shot nine times and two-or-more blocks twice.
- Recorded his 100th career NBA blocked shot on Nov. 4 @ Oklahoma City.

### 2024-25 SEASON HIGHS – M. WAGNER (\*=career-high; #=tied career-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
20	12	5	2 (5)	2 (2)	28:27
Dec. 3 @ NY	Dec. 3 @ NY	Nov. 23 vs. DET	Dec. 4 @ PHI	Dec. 4 @ PHI	Dec. 3 @ NY

# 2024-25 ORLANDO MAGIC ROSTER

(as of October 19, 2024)

NO.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BIRTHDATE	PRIOR TO NBA/COUNTRY	YRS. PRO
50	Cole Anthony	G	6-3	198	5-15-00	North Carolina/USA	4
5	Paolo Banchero	F	6-10	250	11-12-02	Duke/USA	2
35	Goga Bitadze	C	6-11	235	7-20-99	KK Basket/Republic of Georgia	5
0	Anthony Black	G	6-7	212	1-20-04	Arkansas/USA	1
3	Kentavious Caldwell-Pope	G	6-5	204	2-18-93	Georgia/USA	11
34	Wendell Carter Jr.	C	6-10	262	4-16-99	Duke/USA	6
23	Tristan da Silva	F	6-8	217	5-15-01	Colorado/Germany	R
14	Gary Harris	G	6-4	205	9-14-94	Michigan State/USA	10
2	Caleb Houston	F	6-8	235	1-9-03	Michigan/Canada	2
13	Jett Howard	G-F	6-8	215	9-14-03	Michigan/USA	1
1	Jonathan Isaac	F	6-10	240	10-3-97	Florida State/USA	7
10	Cory Joseph	G	6-3	200	8-20-91	Texas/Canada	13
8*	Mac McClung	G	6-2	185	1-6-99	Texas Tech/USA	2
12*	Trevelin Queen	G	6-6	190	2-25-97	New Mexico State/USA	3
4	Jalen Suggs	G	6-5	212	6-3-01	Gonzaga/USA	3
22	Franz Wagner	F	6-10	230	8-27-01	Michigan/Germany	3
21	Moritz Wagner	C	6-11	250	4-26-97	Michigan/Germany	6

\*= two-way contract

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**Head Coach:** Jamahl Mosley (Colorado)

**Assistant Coaches:** Jesse Mermuys (Arizona), Dale Osbourne (South Alabama), Bret Brielmaier (Arizona), Lionel Chalmers (Xavier), Randy Gregory (Kentucky)

**Assistant Coach/Head of Player Development:** Jeremiah Boswell (Columbia)

**Assistant Coach/Staff Coordinator:** Ameer Bahhur (Loyola-Marymount)

**High Performance Director:** Arnie Kander (Wayne State)

**Head Athletic Trainer:** Ernest Eugene (George Washington)

## HOW THEY WERE BUILT

### NBA Draft (9):

Cole Anthony	First round, 15th pick overall in 2020
Paolo Banchero	First round, first pick overall in 2022
Anthony Black	First round, sixth pick overall in 2023
Tristan da Silva	First round, 18th pick overall in 2024
Caleb Houston	Second round, 32nd pick overall in 2022
Jett Howard	First round, 11th pick overall in 2023
Jonathan Isaac	First round, sixth pick overall in 2017
Jalen Suggs	First round, fifth pick overall in 2021
Franz Wagner	First round, eighth pick overall in 2021

### Trades (2):

Wendell Carter Jr.	From Chicago along with Otto Porter Jr. and two future first round draft picks in exchange for Al-Farouq Aminu and Nikola Vučević on Mar. 25, 2021
Gary Harris	From Denver along with R.J. Hampton and a future first round draft pick in exchange for Gary Clark and Aaron Gordon on Mar. 25, 2021

### Free Agency (6):

Goga Bitadze	Originally signed on Feb. 13, 2023
Kentavious Caldwell-Pope	Originally signed on Jul. 6, 2024
Cory Joseph	Originally signed on Jul. 19, 2024
Mac McClung	Originally signed on Sep. 19, 2024
Trevelin Queen	Originally signed on Sep. 12, 2023
Moritz Wagner	Originally signed on Apr. 27, 2021



## MEET THE MAGIC

### **COLE ANTHONY – X: @The\_ColeAnthony; IG: @the\_cole.anthony**

Born in Portland, OR, and moved to New York City as a young child, he is the son of Crystal McCrary and former NBA player Greg Anthony. He was the MVP of both the McDonald's All-American Game and the Jordan Brand Classic in 2019. Meet Cole Anthony.

### **PAOLO BANCHERO – X: @Pp\_doesit; IG: @paolo5**

Both of his parents were athletes at the University of Washington. His father, Mario, who is of Italian descent, played football for the Huskies. His mother, Rhonda, was a two-time All-America center for Washington and played professionally in the WNBA. He received his Italian citizenship in 2020. While at O'Dea High School in Seattle, WA, he not only led the basketball team to the Class 3A state championship as a sophomore (2018-19) and was named the game's Most Valuable Player, he also played quarterback on his high school football team. Meet Paolo Banchero.

### **GOGA BITADZE – X: @GogaBiitadze; IG: @gogabitadze**

A native of Georgia, he has been playing against professional competition since he was 16 years old. Prior to being drafted by Indiana in 2019, he spent his international career playing in Georgia, Serbia and Montenegro. He has been a member of the Georgian National Team. Meet Goga Bitadze.

### **ANTHONY BLACK – X: @AnthonyBlack24 ; IG: @anthonyblack**

His father, Terry, played basketball at Baylor and was inducted into the Baylor Sports Hall of Fame in 2015. His mother, Jennifer, played soccer at Texas and Baylor. He was also highly-recruited as a wide receiver, receiving offers from Arkansas, Baylor and Texas among others. Meet Anthony Black.

### **KENTAVIOUS CALDWELL-POPE – X: @CaldwellPope; IG: @caldwellpope**

Born in Greenville, GA, he was one of only nine players in NCAA Division I to score in double figures in each of his team's games in 2012-13. He is married to his wife, McKenzie and has four children. He lists his parents, Rhonda Caldwell and Lawrence Pope, as his role models. He won the NBA Championship in both 2019-20 and 2022-23. Meet Kentavious Caldwell-Pope.

### **WENDELL CARTER JR. – X: @wendellcarter34; IG: @wendellcarterjr**

While a senior at Pace Academy in Atlanta, Georgia, he claimed the Lance and Shield Award as the school's top scholar-athlete. When making his collegiate decision, he chose Duke over Harvard. His father played professional basketball in the Dominican Republic after a collegiate career at Delta State, while his mother played at the University of Mississippi. Meet Wendell Carter Jr.

### **TRISTAN DA SILVA – X: None; IG: @tristan.da.silva**

Born and raised in Munich, Germany, he majored in finance while at the University of Colorado. His father, Valdemar, was a professional boxer in his native Brazil. He is an accomplished trumpet player and speaks three languages – German, Portuguese and English. Meet Tristan da Silva.

### **GARY HARRIS – X: @thats\_G\_ ; IG: @thats\_g\_**

His mother, Joy (Holmes), was a four-year letter winner at Purdue from 1988-91, where she still ranks seventh in school history with 1,747 points. She played in the WNBA with the Detroit Shock in 2000, as well as Seattle and Nashville in the American Basketball League. He also played wide receiver while at Hamilton Southeastern High School, helping them win three league championships. Meet Gary Harris.

### **CALEB HOUSTAN – X: None; IG: None**

Born in Mississauga, Ontario, Canada, he spent three years at Montverde Academy in Montverde, FL. During his sophomore (2019-20) and junior (2020-21) seasons, helped Montverde to a No. 1 prep ranking in the nation and back-to-back Geico Prep National titles. As a junior (2020-21), named Florida's Gatorade Player of the Year, while also being named a 2021 McDonald's All-American, a Naismith Second Team All-American and to the *Sports Illustrated* All-American Third Team. Was a member of the Canadian National Team during the 2021 FIBA U19 World Cup, helping Canada to the bronze medal, only its second medal in World Cup history. He also reclassified from the Class of 2022 to 2021, foregoing his senior season to head to Michigan. Meet Caleb Houston.

### **JETT HOWARD – X: @JettHoward5; IG: @jetthoward**

His father, Juwan, was a member of the famed "Fab 5" at the University of Michigan, played 19 years in the NBA (including the 2003-04 season with Orlando), served as an assistant coach for Miami for six years and is the head coach at the University of Michigan. He also played with his older brother, Jace, at Michigan in 2022-23. Meet Jett Howard.



**JONATHAN ISAAC – X: @JJudahIsaac; IG: @jonisaac\_01**

Born in Bronx, New York, he was raised with his six siblings: an older sister, Kalilah, two older brothers, Jacob and Joel, and two younger brothers, Winston and Jeremiah. He competed in the Jordan Brand All-American Game and the USA Basketball Junior National Select Game. He spent his last season of high school at the IMG Academy in Bradenton, Florida prior to committing to Florida State University to continue his career. He turned pro at the age of 19 after he was drafted in the 2017 Draft in the first round (6<sup>th</sup> overall) by the Magic. An ordained minister, he invested in a program with his local church, J.U.M.P Ministries, to feed children under the age of 18. Meet Jonathan Isaac.

**CORY JOSEPH – X: @Cory\_Joe; IG: None**

A native of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, he played on the Canadian National Team during the 2019 FIBA World Cup. His parents, David and Connie Joseph, met at Mt. Royal College in Alberta, Canada, where they both played basketball. He won the NBA Championship in 2013-14. Meet Cory Joseph.

**MAC McCLUNG – X: @McclungMac; IG: @macmcclung37**

Born in Gate City, VA, his father, Marcus played football at Virginia Tech, while his mother, Lenoir, served as dance team captain. He won the NBA Slam Dunk contest at All-Star Weekend in both 2023 and 2024. He was also named the NBA G League's Most Valuable Player in 2023-24. Meet Mac McClung.

**TREVELIN QUEEN – X: @trev\_up; IG: @trevupnow\_**

Born in Baltimore, MD, he has seven siblings – two older brothers, a younger brother, an older sister and three younger sisters. He was the NBA G League Finals Most Valuable Player in 2022, leading Rio Grande Valley to the NBA G League championship. Meet Trevelin Queen.

**JALEN SUGGS – X: @jalensuggs; IG: @jalensuggs**

A second cousin of NFL linebacker Terrell Suggs, he was named the National MaxPreps Male Athlete of the Year as a high school senior (2019-20) at Minnehaha Academy in Minneapolis. He won three straight 2A state basketball titles and was the first athlete in Minnesota history to be named the state's Mr. Basketball and Mr. Football in the same year. He was a four-star dual-threat quarterback who had more than a dozen college football offers, and also played defensive back. Meet Jalen Suggs.

**FRANZ WAGNER – X: @franzboogie; IG: @franz\_weasley**

A native of Berlin, Germany, he is the son of Beate Wagner and Axel Schulz. His brother, Moritz, is currently a member of the Magic. He majored in organizational studies while at Michigan and was an Academic All-Big Ten selection in 2020-21. He helped Germany to a gold medal during the 2023 FIBA Men's Basketball World Cup and idolized Dirk Nowitzki. Meet Franz Wagner.

**MORITZ WAGNER – X: @moritz\_weasley; IG: @moritz\_weasley**

A native of Berlin, Germany, he is the son of Beate Wagner and Axel Schulz. His brother, Franz, is currently a member of the Magic. He played with Germany during the 2020 Olympics in Tokyo and helped them capture a gold medal during the 2023 FIBA Men's Basketball World Cup. His full name is Victor Moritz Wagner. Meet Moritz Wagner.

