

**Orlando Magic vs. Boston Celtics**  
**NBA Playoffs – First Round – Game #5 (BOS leads, 3-1)**  
**TD Garden – Boston, MA**  
**Tuesday, April 29, 2025 – 8:30 p.m. ET**

**PROBABLE STARTERS:**

Position	#	Player	Ht.	Wt.	Comments
Forward	22	Franz Wagner	6-10	230	<p><b>2025 Playoffs:</b> 26.0 ppg., 6.0 apg., 5.0 rpg., 1.25 stlpg.</p> <p><b>2024-25:</b> 24.2 ppg., 5.7 rpg., 4.7 apg., 1.25 stlpg.</p> <p>Led (or tied) the team in scoring once and in assists three times during the playoffs...Scored in double figures four times, 20+ points four times and 30+ points once during the postseason, including a playoff-high 32 points on Apr. 25 vs. Boston in Game #3.</p>
Forward	5	Paolo Banchero	6-10	250	<p><b>2025 Playoffs:</b> 32.0 ppg., 8.3 rpg., 3.8 apg., 1.00 blkpg.</p> <p><b>2024-25:</b> 25.9 ppg., 7.5 rpg., 4.8 apg.</p> <p>Led (or tied) the team in scoring three times, in rebounding once and in assists once during the playoffs...Scored in double figures four times, 20+ points four times and 30+ points three times during the postseason, including a playoff-high 36 points on Apr. 20 @ Boston in Game #1...Had one double-double.</p>
Center	34	Wendell Carter Jr.	6-10	262	<p><b>2025 Playoffs:</b> 9.8 ppg., 11.0 rpg., 1.3 apg.</p> <p><b>2024-25:</b> 9.1 ppg., 7.2 rpg., 2.0 apg.</p> <p>Led (or tied) the team in rebounding three times during the playoffs...Scored in double figures twice during the postseason, including a career playoff-high 16 points on Apr. 23 @ Boston in Game #2...Had one double-double.</p>
Guard	3	Kentavious Caldwell-Pope	6-5	204	<p><b>2025 Playoffs:</b> 4.3 ppg., 3.0 rpg., 2.0 apg., 1.50 stlpg.</p> <p><b>2024-25:</b> 8.7 ppg., 2.2 rpg., 1.8 apg., 1.29 stlpg.</p> <p>Had playoff-high eight points on Apr. 27 vs. Boston in Game #4.</p>
Guard	10	Cory Joseph	6-3	200	<p><b>2025 Playoffs:</b> 6.3 ppg., 3.0 apg., 1.8 rpg.</p> <p><b>2024-25:</b> 3.5 ppg., 1.5 rpg., 1.4 apg.</p> <p>Scored in double figures once during the postseason – a playoff-high 12 points on Apr. 27 vs. Boston in Game #4.</p>



**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	W, 115-110
Dec. 10	@ Milwaukee*	L, 109-114
Dec. 15	NEW YORK	L, 91-100
Dec. 19	OKLAHOMA CITY	L, 99-105
Dec. 21	MIAMI	W, 121-114
Dec. 23	BOSTON	W, 108-104
Dec. 26	MIAMI	L, 88-89
Dec. 27	NEW YORK	L, 85-108
Dec. 29	BROOKLYN	W, 102-101
Jan. 1	@ Detroit	L, 96-105
Jan. 3	@ Toronto	W, 106-97
Jan. 5	UTAH	L, 92-105
Jan. 6	@ New York	W, 103-94
Jan. 9	MINNESOTA	L, 89-104
Jan. 10	MILWAUKEE	L, 106-109
Jan. 12	PHILADELPHIA	W, 104-99
Jan. 15	@ Milwaukee	L, 93-122
Jan. 17	@ Boston	L, 94-121
Jan. 19	DENVER	L, 100-113
Jan. 21	@ Toronto	L, 93-109
Jan. 23	PORTLAND	L, 79-101
Jan. 25	DETROIT	W, 121-113
Jan. 27	@ Miami	L, 119-125 (2OT)
Jan. 30	@ Portland	L, 90-119
Feb. 1	@ Utah	L, 99-113
Feb. 3	@ Golden State	L, 99-104
Feb. 5	@ Sacramento	W, 130-111
Feb. 6	@ Denver	L, 90-112
Feb. 8	SAN ANTONIO	W, 112-111
Feb. 10	ATLANTA	L, 106-112
Feb. 12	CHARLOTTE	W, 102-86
Feb. 14-16	NBA All-Star Break (San Francisco, CA)	
Feb. 20	@ Atlanta	W, 114-108
Feb. 21	MEMPHIS	L, 104-105
Feb. 23	WASHINGTON	W, 110-90
Feb. 25	CLEVELAND	L, 82-122
Feb. 27	GOLDEN STATE	L, 115-121
Mar. 2	TORONTO	L, 102-104
Mar. 4	TORONTO	L, 113-114
Mar. 6	CHICAGO	L, 123-125
Mar. 8	@ Milwaukee	W, 111-109
Mar. 10	@ Houston	L, 84-97
Mar. 13	@ New Orleans	W, 113-93
Mar. 14	@ Minnesota	L, 111-118
Mar. 16	@ Cleveland	W, 108-103
Mar. 19	HOUSTON	L, 108-116
Mar. 21	@ Washington	W, 120-105
Mar. 24	L.A. LAKERS	W, 118-106
Mar. 25	@ Charlotte	W, 111-104
Mar. 27	DALLAS	L, 92-101
Mar. 29	SACRAMENTO	W, 121-91
Mar. 31	L.A. CLIPPERS	L, 87-96
Apr. 1	@ San Antonio	W, 116-105
Apr. 3	@ Washington	W, 109-97
Apr. 8	ATLANTA	W, 119-112
Apr. 9	BOSTON	W, 96-76
Apr. 11	@ Indiana	W, 129-115
Apr. 13	@ Atlanta	L, 105-117

**INJURY REPORT:****Total player games missed to injury/illness (Playoffs): 8****Total player games missed to injury/illness (2024-25): 247**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-rhetz 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...**Dec. 11:** Assign Caleb Houston to Osceola of the NBA G League...**Dec. 12:** Recall Caleb Houston from Osceola...**Dec. 14:** Assign Caleb Houston to Osceola of the NBA G League...**Dec. 15:** Recall Caleb Houston from Osceola...**Feb. 7:** Sign free agent Ethan Thompson to a two-way contract.

**RECORDS – 2024-25 REGULAR SEASON:**

	Record:	Home:	Road:	Overtime:
<b>OVERALL:</b>	<b>41-41 (.500)</b>	<b>22-19 (.537)</b>	<b>19-22 (.463)</b>	<b>0-1 (.000)</b>
<b>EASTERN:</b>	<b>31-21 (.596)</b>	<b>17-9 (.654)</b>	<b>14-12 (.538)</b>	<b>0-1 (.000)</b>
<b>ATLANTIC:</b>	<b>11-8 (.579)</b>	<b>6-4 (.600)</b>	<b>5-4 (.556)</b>	<b>--</b>
<b>CENTRAL:</b>	<b>8-9 (.471)</b>	<b>5-3 (.625)</b>	<b>3-6 (.333)</b>	<b>--</b>
<b>SOUTHEAST:</b>	<b>12-4 (.750)</b>	<b>6-2 (.750)</b>	<b>6-2 (.750)</b>	<b>0-1 (.000)</b>
<b>WESTERN:</b>	<b>10-20 (.333)</b>	<b>5-10 (.333)</b>	<b>5-10 (.333)</b>	<b>--</b>
<b>NORTHWEST:</b>	<b>0-10 (.000)</b>	<b>0-5 (.000)</b>	<b>0-5 (.000)</b>	<b>--</b>
<b>PACIFIC:</b>	<b>6-4 (.600)</b>	<b>3-2 (.600)</b>	<b>3-2 (.600)</b>	<b>--</b>
<b>SOUTHWEST:</b>	<b>4-6 (.400)</b>	<b>2-3 (.400)</b>	<b>2-3 (.400)</b>	<b>--</b>

**JAMAHL MOSLEY - MEDIA AVAILABILITY:**

Orlando Magic Head Coach Jamahl Mosley will be available to the media pregame tonight approximately 90 minutes prior to tip-off (7 p.m. ET) in-person in the Magic's designated media area (home interview room).

**2025 NBA PLAYOFFS FIRST ROUND SCHEDULE VS. BOSTON (BEST-OF-7 SERIES, HOME GAMES IN CAPS):**

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME (ET)	TELEVISION	RADIO (ORL)
#5: Tuesday, Apr. 29	Boston	TD Garden	8:30 p.m.	FDSN FL/NBA TV	FM 96.9 The Game
*#6: Thursday, May 1	BOSTON	Kia Center	TBA	FDSN FL/TBA	FM 96.9 The Game
*#7: Saturday, May 3	Boston	TD Garden	TBA	TBA	FM 96.9 The Game

*\*If necessary**All games locally televised by FanDuel Sports Network Florida (if not on ABC)**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:**

**First Round, Game #4: Apr. 27 vs. Boston – Celtics 107, Magic 98:** Jayson Tatum tallied 37 points and 14 rebounds, including a perfect 14-of-14 from the free throw line, as Boston defeated Orlando, 107-98, at a sold-out Kia Center in Game #4 of their First Round playoff series. The Celtics now lead, 3-1. Jaylen Brown had 21 points and 11 rebounds for the Celtics, while Kristaps Porzingis added 19 points. Paolo Banchero led the Magic with 31 points, while Franz Wagner added 24 points. Wendell Carter Jr. scored on a putback with 4:18 remaining to tie the game at 91. From that point, Boston went on a 16-7 run to close the game. Tatum scored 16 of his 37 points during the fourth quarter.

#### **2025 NBA PLAYOFFS – FIRST ROUND VS. BOSTON:**

**First Round, Game #3: Apr. 25 vs. Boston – Magic 95, Celtics 93:** Franz Wagner recorded 32 points, eight rebounds and seven assists, as Orlando defeated Boston, 95-93, at a sold-out Kia Center in Game #3 of their First Round playoff series. The Celtics now lead, 2-1. Paolo Banchero scored 29 points for the Magic, while Wendell Carter Jr. had 10 points and 12 rebounds. Jayson Tatum scored a game-high 36 points for the Celtics, while Jaylen Brown added 19 points. Orlando held Boston to 9-of-27 from three-point range and forced 21 turnovers, which led to 26 points. Trailing at halftime, 59-49, the Magic opened the second half with a 16-3 run and outscored Boston during the third quarter, 24-11. With the score tied at 91, Wagner scored on consecutive possessions to give Orlando the lead for good.

**First Round, Game #2: Apr. 23 @ Boston – Celtics 109, Magic 100:** Jaylen Brown tallied 36 points 10 rebounds and five assists, including 5-of-7 from three-point range, as Boston defeated Orlando, 109-100, at TD Garden in Game #2 of their First Round playoff series. The Celtics now lead, 2-0. Boston was playing without Jayson Tatum, who missed the game due to a wrist injury. Kristaps Porzingis had 20 points and 10 rebounds for the Celtics, while Derrick White added 17 points. Paolo Banchero led the Magic with 32 points, nine rebounds and seven assists, while Franz Wagner scored 25 points. Boston outrebounded Orlando, 46-34, including 13-7 on the offensive glass. The Celtics also scored 20 second chance points. Leading 50-47 at halftime, Boston opened up the third quarter with an 11-2 run. The Magic trimmed the deficit to 90-83 with 6:52 remaining, but it was as close as they would get.

**First Round, Game #1: Apr. 20 @ Boston – Celtics 103, Magic 86:** Derrick White scored 30 points, including 7-of-12 from three-point range, as Boston defeated Orlando, 103-86, at TD Garden in Game #1 of their First Round playoff series. Payton Pritchard netted 19 points for the Celtics, including 4-of-6 from three-point range, while Jayson Tatum tallied 17 points and 14 rebounds. Paolo Banchero led the Magic with a game-high 36 points and 11 rebounds, while Franz Wagner scored 23 points. After trailing 49-48 at halftime, Boston opened the third quarter with a 15-4 run and never looked back. The Celtics outscored Orlando in the period, 30-18, and led by double digits for most of the second half. Boston was 16-of-37 from beyond the three-point arc.

#### **2025 NBA PLAY-IN TOURNAMENT GAME:**

**Apr. 15 vs. Atlanta (NBA Play-In Tournament Game) – Magic 120, Hawks 95:** Cole Anthony poured in 26 points off the bench, as Orlando routed Atlanta, 120-95, at a sold-out Kia Center in an NBA Play-In Tournament game. The win clinched a playoff berth for the Magic for the second consecutive season. Wendell Carter Jr. scored 19 points for the Magic, while Paolo Banchero tallied 17 points, nine rebounds and seven assists. Trae Young scored 28 points, but was 8-of-21 from the field, before being ejected in the fourth quarter. Five Orlando players scored in double figures. The Magic bench outscored Atlanta, 57-30. Orlando held the Hawks to 38.1 percent shooting from the floor, including just 4-of-21 from three-point range. The Magic led 32-17 after the first quarter and by as many as 22 points during the first half, before the Hawks fought to within 71-68 with 3:00 left in the third quarter. However, Orlando exploded during the final stanza, outscoring Atlanta, 41-22, including an 18-3 run to put the game away.

#### **2025 NBA PLAYOFFS - FIRST ROUND VS. BOSTON (BEST-OF-SEVEN SERIES):**

Orlando is 56-77 all-time vs. Boston in regular season action (39-26 at home, 17-50 on the road, 0-1 at Disney), including 2-1 this season (see recaps below)...The Magic were 1-2 last season against the Celtics...The Magic are 9-9 vs. the Celtics all-time in the playoffs (1-1 at home, 2-0 on the road, 1995 First Round; 2-1 at home, 2-2 on the road, 2009 Eastern Conference Semifinals; 1-2 at home, 1-2 on the road, 2010 Eastern Conference Finals; 0-1 on the road, 2025 First Round)...Orlando has won six of the last 10 regular season meetings with the Celtics, but lost 19 of the last 30 meetings overall...Orlando has won 10 of the last 18 meetings at home, but lost 21 of the last 26 in Boston...Orlando defeated Boston in the last game ever played at the Boston Garden, 95-92, on May 5, 1995...Moritz Wagner appeared in nine games during the 2020-21 season with the Celtics...For all-time results vs. Boston, see p. 349 of the media guide...**Dec. 23 vs. Boston – Magic 108, Celtics 104:** Tristan da Silva led five players in double figures with 18 points, including a three-pointer with 9.9 seconds left, as Orlando overcame a 15-point deficit and defeated Boston, 108-104, at a sold-out Kia Center. Trevelin Queen scored a career-high-tying 17 points during his first career NBA start for the Magic, while Jalen Suggs added 16 points. Jaylen Brown led the Celtics and all scorers with 35 points. Orlando went a perfect 21-of-21 from the free throw line and held Boston to just 8-of-33 from three-point range. The Magic trailed 58-43 at halftime, but stormed back during the third quarter, outscoring the Celtics, 36-21. Orlando led 103-93 late in the fourth quarter, but Boston went on an 11-2 run to cut the deficit to 105-104 with 59.6 seconds left. After an Al Horford three-pointer was off the mark, da Silva drained a three-pointer of his own from the left corner, sealing the victory for the Magic...**Jan. 17 @ Boston – Celtics 121, Magic 94:** Jayson Tatum poured in 30 points, as Boston defeated Orlando, 121-94, at TD Garden. Kristaps Porzingis scored 23 points for the Celtics, while Jaylen Brown netted 20 points. Cole Anthony led the Magic with 23 points, while Paolo Banchero scored 21 points. Boston shot 52.5 percent from the floor and was 17-of-37 from beyond the three-point arc, while Orlando shot 41.5 percent from the field and was just 5-of-32 from three-point range. Boston led for the majority of the contest, jumping out to a 35-28 lead after the first quarter and 66-54 at halftime...**Apr. 9 vs. Boston – Magic 96, Celtics 76:** Franz Wagner scored 23 points, as Orlando defeated Boston, 96-76, at a sold-out Kia Center during their final home game of the



regular season. The win secured the seventh seed in the NBA Play-In Tournament for the Magic. Cole Anthony tallied 18 points and eight rebounds off the bench for the Magic, while Paolo Banchero added 15 points. Payton Pritchard recorded 15 points and 10 assists for the Celtics, who were playing without all of their regular starters. Orlando held Boston to just 39 percent shooting from the floor, including 7-of-40 from three-point range. The Magic led for most of the contest and used a 20-4 run midway through the third quarter to take over for good.

**BEST ALL-TIME SCORING PERFORMANCE VS. CELTICS: 44 pts., Tracy McGrady (@ Orlando, 1-16-04)**

**BEST ALL-TIME SCORING PERFORMANCE VS. MAGIC: 50 pts., Jaylen Brown (@ Boston, 1-2-22)**

#### **2025 NBA PLAYOFFS – EASTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS (BEST-OF-SEVEN SERIES):**

The winner of the Orlando-Boston series will advance to the Eastern Conference Semifinals and face the winner of the #3 New York-#6 Detroit series.

#### **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 – APRIL 29...**

April 29, 1997 – Anfernee Hardaway scored a then-Magic playoff record 42 points in Game #3 of Orlando's First Round playoff series vs. Miami, as Orlando defeated the Heat, 88-75.

April 29, 1996 – John Gabriel was promoted to general manager and Pat Williams to senior executive vice president.

##### **EVERYBODY IN...**

The Orlando Magic advanced to the NBA Playoffs for the 18th time during their relatively short 36-year history...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.

On Apr. 9, the Orlando Magic won their eighth division championship (1995, 1996, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2019, 2024, 2025)...It also marks the first time since 2008-09 and 2009-10 that Orlando has captured consecutive division titles.

##### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – WINNING WAYS\*\***

Orlando finished the 2024-25 campaign with a .500 record-or-better for the second straight season...It marks the first time since 2010-11 and 2011-12 that the Magic will have consecutive .500 seasons.

##### **EAST SIDE...**

Here is a quick look at how Orlando has fared against the other Eastern Conference playoff teams during the 2024-25 campaign:

OPPONENT	2024-25 RECORD (HOME, ROAD)
<b>#2 BOSTON</b>	<b>2-1 (2-0, 0-1)</b>
#1 Cleveland	1-2 (0-1, 1-1)
#3 New York	1-3 (0-2, 1-1)
#4 Indiana	3-1 (2-0, 1-1)
#5 Milwaukee	1-3 (0-1, 1-2)
#6 Detroit	2-1 (2-0, 0-1)
#8 Miami	2-2 (1-1, 1-1)

##### **GIMMIE FIVE...**

Orlando takes on Boston in Game #5 of its First Round playoff series on Apr. 29...The Magic are 7-10 all-time in Game #5's during their playoff history (7-1 at home, 0-8 on the road, 0-1 at Disney).

##### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – DOWN 3-1\*\***

Orlando finds itself down 3-1 heading into Game #5 @ Boston on Apr. 29...Orlando is 2-5 all-time in Game #5's in those situations (2-1 at home, 0-4 on the road).





## NBA PLAY-IN TOURNAMENT...

On Apr. 15, the Orlando Magic defeated Atlanta, 120-95, at a sold-out Kia Center in the NBA Play-In Tournament...It was the first time Orlando has appeared in the NBA Play-In Tournament...Orlando clinched the #7-seed in the Eastern Conference and will face the #2-seed Boston Celtics in the First Round of the 2025 NBA Playoffs...Cole Anthony led five Magic players in double figures with 25 points (see recap above).

The NBA Play-In Tournament will determine the teams that fill the seventh and eighth seeds in each conference for the NBA Playoffs...The teams with the seventh-highest and eighth-highest winning percentages in each conference will each have two opportunities to win one game to earn a playoff spot...The teams with the ninth-highest and 10th-highest winning percentages in each conference will each have to win two consecutive games to earn a playoff spot.

## WE'RE GOING STREAKING!...

Orlando won six consecutive games from Nov. 8-18, then again from Nov. 21-Dec. 1...This season marked 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 1-1 at home during the playoffs.

Orlando was 22-19 at home this season...Last season, the Magic were 29-12 at home (includes a loss on Nov. 9 @ Mexico City)...Orlando has gone 283-305 (.481) 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 from 1989-2010.

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

Orlando began the 2024-25 campaign by winning its first 10 home games and was the last team to lose a home game in the NBA...The Magic opened the regular season with 10 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
<b>10</b>	<b>2024-25 (*Most ever since moving into Kia Center)</b>
10	1998-99

Orlando won 14 consecutive regular season games at Kia Center, from Mar. 30-Dec. 8, 2024...That is 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>14</b>	<b>MAR. 30-DEC. 8, 2024</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.

## ON THE ROAD AGAIN...

Orlando is 0-2 on the road during the playoffs...The Magic's last true road playoff victory was Apr. 13, 2019 @ Toronto...Orlando also won Game #1 on Aug. 18, 2020 during the NBA Bubble "at" Milwaukee.

Orlando was 19-22 on the road this season...The 19 road wins are the most for Orlando since 2010-11, when they went 23-18...Last season, the Magic finished 18-23 away from home...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 six straight road games from Mar. 16-Apr. 11...It  tied for the third-longest road win streak in team history...It also marked the first time the Magic have won six consecutive road outings since Nov. 10-Dec. 8, 2009, when they won eight in a row...The longest road win streak in franchise history is nine games, set during the 2006-07 and 2007-08 seasons combined, from Apr. 14-Nov. 19, 2007:

CONSECUTIVE ROAD WINS	DATES
9	Apr. 14-Nov. 19, 2007
8	Nov. 10-Dec. 8, 2009
<b>6</b>	<b>MAR. 16-APR. 11, 2025</b>
6	Nov. 12-27, 2008
6	Mar. 15-Apr. 3, 1996
5	Mar. 1-22, 2010
5	Jan. 7-17, 2009

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – THE BIG EASY\*\***

On Mar. 13 @ New Orleans, Orlando defeated the Pelicans, 113-93...It was the Magic's eighth straight win @ New Orleans, a marking the longest road winning streak against any opponent in franchise history (Oct. 30, 2017-present)...Orlando's last loss @ New Orleans was Jan. 18, 2017...The Magic won seven games @ Charlotte from Nov. 16, 2008-Dec. 30, 2011.

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

Orlando was 22-20 this season in games decided by 10 points-or-more...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 was 11-9 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.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – TIGHT FIT\*\***

Orlando had seven losses by three points or less, which is tied for ninth-most in the NBA.

From Mar. 2-6, Orlando lost three consecutive games by two points-or-less, marking the first time in franchise history that has ever occurred...It is also just the third time in team history that the Magic have had three games decided by two points-or-less...The other times were Dec. 31, 2007-Jan. 4, 2008 and Apr. 8-11, 2015.

From Mar. 2-8, Orlando had four straight games decided by two points-or-less (1-3)...It is the first time it has occurred in team history...Detroit also had four consecutive outings decided by two points-or-less from Nov. 6-12...The last time a team had five straight games decided by two-or-less was San Antonio, Mar. 24-Apr. 1, 2013.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – WORKING OVERTIME\*\***

Orlando was 0-1 this season in overtime games...The Magic lost 125-119 in double overtime on Jan. 27 @ Miami...Orlando has now had 15 games in franchise history end in double overtime...The Magic have played in triple overtime four times in team history (last time, Jan. 15, 2014 vs. Chicago, 128-125 loss).

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

Orlando is averaging 94.8 ppg. (379 points) during the playoffs and scored 100+ points once (0-1 record) – a playoff-high 100 points on Apr. 23 @ Boston.

Orlando averaged 105.4 ppg. (8,645 points)...Orlando scored 100+ points 54 times (37-17 record), 110+ points 33 times (26-7 record), 120+ points 10 times (9-1 record) and 130+ points twice (2-0 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 .434 (145-334) from the floor during the playoffs.

Orlando shot .445 (3,130-7,034) from the floor and shot 50 percent-or-better 14 times (12-2 record), including a season-high .576 (49-85) on Apr. 11 @ Indiana...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 78-12 (.867) when shooting 50 percent-or-better from the field...In fact, since the 2008-09 campaign, the Magic are 218-53 (.804) in those situations.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – AS GOOD AS IT GETS\*\***

On Feb. 5 @ Sacramento, Goga Bitadze went 7-of-7 from the floor, while teammate Tristan da Silva was 5-of-5...It was the first time in franchise history that two players with at least five attempts both shot 100% from the field in the same game.

#### **THREE'S COMPANY...**

The Orlando Magic have made at least one three-point field goal in 1,457 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 1,695 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 .280 (33-118) from three-point range during the playoffs and had 10+ three-pointers once (0-1 record) – a playoff-high 10 three-pointers on Apr. 20 @ Boston.

Orlando shot .318 (921-2,892) from three-point range and made 10+ three-pointers 53 times (36-17 record), including a season-high 19 three-pointers on Jan. 3 @ Toronto...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.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – HITTING THE TRIFECTA\*\***

On Jan. 3 @ Toronto, Orlando hit nine three-pointers during the first quarter, tying the franchise record for most three-pointers made in a quarter...The Magic also made nine from beyond the arc during the third quarter on Jan. 31, 2018 vs. L.A. Lakers and during the third quarter on Feb. 8, 2024 vs. San Antonio.

On Oct. 26, 2024, Orlando made 14 three-pointers during the second half, setting a new team record for most three-pointers made in a half...The old record was 13, done several times, the last on Mar. 30, 2024 vs. Memphis.

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

Orlando is shooting .691 (56-81) from the free throw line during the playoffs.

Orlando shot .775 (1,464-1,890) from the free throw line...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 averaged 17.9 free throws made per game (1,464 FTM), which ranked fifth in the NBA, and 23.0 free throws attempted per game (1,890 FTA), which ranked seventh in the league...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.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – PERFECTION\*\***

On Dec. 21 vs. Miami, Kentavious Caldwell-Pope went a perfect 12-of-12 from the free throw line...It was the 22nd time in team history that an Orlando player was 100% from the free throw line with 12+ attempts...The team record for most free throws made in a game without a miss by a player is 17, set by Grant Hill on Nov. 1, 2002 @ Minnesota.

On Dec. 23 vs. Boston, Orlando went a perfect 21-of-21 from the charity stripe...It was the third-most free throws made in a game without a miss in franchise history...The team record for most free throws made in a game without a miss is 27, set on Mar. 3, 2021 vs. Atlanta:

FREE THROWS MADE WITHOUT A MISS	DATE/OPPONENT
27	Mar. 3, 2021 vs. Atlanta
22	Apr. 7, 2019 @ Boston
<b>21</b>	<b>DEC. 23, 2024 VS. BOSTON</b>
20	Nov. 1, 2022 @ Oklahoma City

In fact, from Dec. 21-26, Orlando made 43 consecutive free throws, which is the most free throws made in a row in team history, since play-by-play started being tracked in 1996-97.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – CHARITY STRIPE\*\***

On Feb. 1 @ Utah, Franz Wagner went 18-of-20 from the free throw line...The 18 free throws made tied for the second-most during a game in franchise history...Dwight Howard holds the team records for most free throws made and attempted in a game, when he went 21-of-39 on Jan. 12, 2012 @ Golden State.



PLAYER	FREE THROWS MADE	DATE/OPPONENT
Dwight Howard	21	Jan. 12, 2012 @ Golden State
<b>FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>FEB. 1, 2025 @ UTAH</b>
Seven times, last by Dwight Howard	17	Jan. 13, 2011 @ Oklahoma City

#### QUARTERLY REPORT...

Orlando scored 30+ points in a quarter twice during the playoffs.

Orlando scored 30+ points in a quarter 97 times and 40+ points four times, including a season-high 43 points during the second quarter on Apr. 11 @ Indiana, which tied the franchise record for most points scored during a second quarter...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 had five-or-more players score in double figures 32 times (20-12 record), six-or-more players 11 times (6-5 record), seven-or-more players three times (1-2 record) and a team-record-tying eight players once (1-0 record) – Apr. 11 @ Indiana...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 now had a team-record eight players score 10+ points 16 times in franchise history, including the last time occurring on Apr. 11 @ Indiana.

#### THIS SPACE IS RESERVED...

Orlando's reserves averaged 35.8 ppg. (2,935 points)...Orlando's bench outscored (or tied) its opponents 44 times (27-17 record), scored 40+ points 35 times (22-13 record), 50+ points 10 times (8-2 record) and 60+ points twice (2-0 record), including a season-high 82 points on Apr. 11 @ Indiana...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).

On Apr. 11 @ Indiana, the Magic reserves scored 82 points, tying for the second-most points scored off the bench in franchise history and the most-ever on the road...The most points scored by the bench in team history is 85, done on Mar. 26, 1995 vs. Golden State:

POINTS SCORED OFF THE BENCH	DATE/OPPONENT
85	Mar. 26, 1995 vs. Golden State
<b>82</b>	<b>APR. 11, 2025 @ INDIANA</b>
82	Jan. 3, 2000 vs. Detroit
76	Nov. 2, 1990 @ Atlanta

#### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – SUPER SUBS\*\*

On Dec. 21 vs. Miami, Cole Anthony poured in 35 points off the bench...Anthony tied for the third-most points scored by a reserve in franchise history...On Dec. 15 vs. New York, Moritz Wagn7r netted 32 points coming off the bench, which tied for the 11th-most...An Orlando player has now scored 30+ points off the bench 28 times in team history, including Anthony twice (the other time was Nov. 26, 2023 vs. Charlotte)...The franchise record is 50 points, set by Nick Anderson on Apr. 23, 1993 @ New Jersey:

PLAYER	POINTS SCORED	DATE/OPPONENT
Nick Anderson	50	Apr. 23, 1993 @ New Jersey
Dennis Scott	38	Apr. 23, 1995 @ New York
<b>COLE ANTHONY</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>DEC. 21, 2024 VS. MIAMI</b>
Terrence Ross	35	Mar. 4, 2020 @ Miami
Terrence Ross	35	Apr. 10, 2019 @ Charlotte
Dennis Scott	35	Feb. 3, 1995 @ Indiana

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

Orlando averaged 14.01 second chance points per game (1,149 points)...The Magic scored 20+ second chance points 14 times (7-7 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 allowed 11.84 second chance points per game (971 points), which led the NBA...Last season, the Magic allowed 12.12 second chance points per game (994 points), which ranked second in the league.

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

Orlando averaged 45.73 points in the paint per game (3,750 points)...The Magic scored 50+ points in the paint 26 times (15-11 record), 60+ points five times (3-2 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 allowed 45.68 points in the paint per game (3,746 points), which ranked third in the NBA...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 18.5 apg. (74 assists) during the playoffs and dished out 20+ assists once (0-1 record) – a playoff-high 23 assists on Apr. 27 vs. Boston.

Orlando averaged 23.0 apg. (1,887 assists), dished out 20+ assists 63 times (36-27 record) and 30+ assists nine times (7-2 record), including a season-high 32 assists three times, the last on Apr. 11 @ Indiana...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 11.50 topg. (46 turnovers) during the playoffs...The Magic had a playoff-low seven turnovers on Apr. 23 @ Boston.

Orlando averaged 14.21 topg (1,165 turnovers)...The Magic committed a season-low seven turnovers on Jan. 19 vs. Denver...Last season, the Magic averaged 14.71 topg. (1,206 turnovers)...The Magic committed a season-low seven turnovers on Dec. 21, 2023 @ Milwaukee.

Orlando allowed 17.28 points off turnovers per game (1,417 points)...Last season, the Magic allowed 16.41 points off turnovers per game (1,346 points).

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

Orlando is allowing 103.0 ppg. (412 points) during the playoffs and held their opponent to less than 100 points once (1-0 record) – a playoff-low 93 points on Apr. 25 vs. Boston.

Orlando allowed 105.5 ppg. (8,655 points), which ranked first in the NBA...The Magic held their opponents to less than 100 points 21 times (17-3 record), which was the most in the league, including a season-low 76 points on Apr. 9 vs. Boston...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 .446 (140-314) from the field during the playoffs and held their opponent to less than 50 percent four times, including a playoff-low .436 (34-78) on Apr. 27 vs. Boston.

Orlando allowed opponents to shoot .468 (3,125-6,680) from the floor...The Magic held their opponents to shoot less than 50 percent 58 times (35-23 record) and less than 40 percent eight times (7-1 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 .348 (46-132) from three-point range during the playoffs.

Orlando allowed opponents to shoot .365 (938-2,571) from three-point range...Last season, the Magic allowed opponents to shoot .358 (945-2,636) from three-point range, which ranked 10th in the league.

Orlando allowed 13.87 fastbreak points per game (1,137 points), which ranked sixth in the NBA...Last season, the Magic allowed 14.50 fastbreak points per game (1,189 points).



Orlando forced an average of 16.21 turnovers per game (1,329 turnovers), which ranked second 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.

Orlando averaged 18.99 points per game off opponent turnovers (1,557 points), which ranked sixth in the NBA...The Magic also held opponents to 22.8 apg. (1,870 assists), which ranked first in the league.

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

Orlando had a defensive rating of 109.1, which ranked second in the NBA...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.

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 Dec. 21 vs. Miami, Orlando held the Heat to just eight points during the fourth quarter...It marked the 12th time in franchise history that the Magic held their opponents to eight points-or-less in a quarter...The team record for fewest points during a fourth quarter is six, done on Dec. 7, 1993 vs. Detroit and Jan. 3, 2020 vs. Miami...Orlando also allowed only six points on Jan. 6, 2008 vs. Washington during the second quarter.

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

Orlando is averaging 38.75 rpg. (155 rebounds) during the playoffs – 10.50 offensive rebounds per game (42 total) and 28.25 defensive rebounds per game (113 total).

Orlando averaged 41.84 rpg. (3,431 rebounds) and pulled down 50+ rebounds nine times (7-2 record), including a season-high 57 rebounds on Oct. 23 @ Miami...The Magic outrebounded (or tied) their opponents 44 times (32-12 record)...Orlando averaged 11.15 orpg. (914 offensive rebounds) and 30.70 drpg. (2,517 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 had an offensive rebounding percentage of .253 (914 offensive rebounds/3,617 possible rebounds), a defensive rebounding percentage of .770 (2,517 defensive rebounds/3,268 possible rebounds), which ranked second in the NBA, and a total rebounding percentage of .511 (off. reb % + def. reb % / 2), which ranked fourth 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.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – WINDOW WORK\*\***

Orlando averaged 11.15 orpg. (914 offensive rebounds), while holding its opponents to 9.16 orpg. (751 opponent offensive rebounds), the fewest in the NBA...The +1.99 difference is the largest offensive rebound differential in franchise history:

SEASON	OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS PER GAME	OPP. OFF. REBOUNDS PER GAME	DIFFERENCE
<b>2024-25</b>	<b>11.15</b>	<b>9.16</b>	<b>+1.99</b>
1998-99	13.76	11.90	+1.86
1990-91	15.04	13.35	+1.69
1989-90	15.90	14.30	+1.60
2023-24	10.50	8.91	+1.59

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

Orlando is averaging 6.25 stlpg. (25 steals) during the playoffs.

Orlando averaged 8.89 stlpg. (729 steals), which ranked sixth in the NBA, and had 10+ steals 35 times (19-16 record), including a season-high 18 steals on Jan. 1 @ Detroit...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 had a steals-to-turnover ratio of 0.63 (729/1,165), which tied for fifth in the league.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – STEALS\*\***

Orlando had a season-high 18 steals on Jan. 1 @ Detroit...It tied for the fourth-most steals in a game in franchise history...The team record is 20, set on Feb. 10, 1999 @ New Jersey and Mar. 21, 2003 vs. Cleveland:



STEALS	DATE/OPPONENT
20	Mar. 21, 2003 vs. Cleveland
20	Feb. 10, 1999 @ New Jersey
19	Apr. 11, 2016 vs. Milwaukee
<b>18</b>	<b>JAN. 1, 2025 @ DETROIT</b>
18	Jan. 8, 2020 vs. Washington
18	Nov. 20, 1995 vs. Golden State

#### BLOCK PARTY...

Orlando is averaging 4.25 blkpg. (17 blocked shots) during the playoffs.

Orlando averaged 5.95 blkpg. (488 blocked shots), which ranked first in the NBA, and had 10+ blocks five times, 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.

Orlando averaged 14.84 “stocks” (steals + blocks) per game...That is the largest average in franchise history:

SEASON	STEALS PER GAME	BLOCKS PER GAME	‘STOCKS’ PER GAME
<b>2024-25</b>	<b>8.89 stlpg.</b>	<b>5.95 blkpg.</b>	<b>14.84</b>
1999-2000	9.06 stlpg.	5.70 blkpg.	14.76
1998-99	9.92 stlpg.	4.26 blkpg.	14.18
1994-95	8.20 stlpg.	5.95 blkpg.	14.15
2000-01	8.22 stlpg.	5.87 blkpg.	14.09

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

Orlando overcame an 11-point deficit to win on Apr. 25 vs. Boston.

Orlando overcame double digit deficits to win 12 times, including a team-record tying 25-point deficit on Dec. 21 vs. Miami...The other time the Magic overcame a 25-point deficit was Nov. 8, 1989 @ Cleveland...Last season, Orlando overcame double digits to win 11 times, including a season-high 21-point deficit to win on Mar. 6, 2024 @ Washington...Here's a look at the biggest comebacks in Orlando Magic history:

DEFICIT OVERCOME TO WIN	DATE/OPPONENT
<b>25</b>	<b>DEC. 21, 2024 VS. MIAMI</b>
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
<b>21</b>	<b>DEC. 29, 2024 VS. BROOKLYN</b>
21	Three other times – last Mar. 6, 2024 @ Washington

#### \*\*MAGIC TRICKS – COMEBACK FOR THE AGES\*\*

On Dec. 21 vs. Miami, Orlando overcame a 25-point deficit to win, 121-114...The Magic trailed by 22 points entering the fourth quarter, 106-84...Per Sportradar, it tied the seventh-largest deficit overcome to start a fourth quarter in NBA history:

DEFICIT AT START OF 4TH QTR. OVERCOME TO WIN	TEAM	DATE/OPPONENT
28	Milwaukee	Nov. 25, 1977 @ Atlanta
27	L.A. Lakers	Dec. 6, 2002 vs. Dallas
26	Atlanta	Apr. 9, 2017 vs. Cleveland
25	Brooklyn	Mar. 19, 2019 @ Sacramento
23	Toronto	Dec. 22, 2019 vs. Dallas
23	L.A. Lakers	Apr. 4, 2003 @ Memphis
<b>22</b>	<b>ORLANDO</b>	<b>DEC. 21, 2024 VS. MIAMI</b>
22	Philadelphia	Feb. 20, 1977 vs. Cleveland



Orlando outscored Miami during the fourth quarter, 37-8...The +29 point differential tied for the seventh-largest during a fourth quarter in NBA history and is the highest in the NBA since Feb. 19, 2021, when Phoenix outscored New Orleans, 41-12.

During the next game on Dec. 23 vs. Boston, Orlando overcame a 15-point halftime deficit to beat the Celtics, 108-104...It marked the first time since Feb. 7-9, 2014 that the Magic had come back from 15+ point deficits to win in consecutive games.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – MORE COMEBACKS\*\***

Eight days after tying the largest comeback in franchise history, on Dec. 29 vs. Brooklyn, Orlando overcame a 21-point deficit to win, tying for the seventh-largest comeback in team history...It was the first time the Magic had two 20+ point comebacks during the same season since 2020-21 and fourth time since play-by-play began being tracked in 1996-97 (1996-97, 2014-15 and 2020-21)...Orlando has never had three victories where they had to overcome 20+ point deficits during the same season.

On Feb. 20 @ Atlanta, Orlando came back from a 19-point deficit and defeated the Hawks, 114-108...It marked the first time in franchise history that the Magic overcame deficits of 19 points-or-more three times during the same season.

### **PLAYOFF P...**

Paolo Banchero has scored 30+ points three times during the 2025 NBA Playoffs, including a playoff-high 36 points on Apr. 20 @ Boston in Game #1 of their First Round series...Banchero now is tied for the fourth-most 30+ point games in franchise playoff history with six (in 11 games played):

PLAYER	CAREER 30-POINT PLAYOFF GAMES WITH ORLANDO	GAMES PLAYED
Tracy McGrady	9	15
Dwight Howard	8	57
Anfernee Hardaway	7	41
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>
Shaquille O'Neal	6	36
Nikola Vučević	3	10

Last year, Banchero scored 30+ points three times during the postseason against Cleveland...He joins Tracy McGrady as the only players in franchise history to record three-or-more 30+ point games in multiple playoff series...McGrady did it three times.

Banchero has scored 25+ points in seven straight playoff games, dating back to Apr. 30, 2024...That is tied with Kobe Bryant and Kareem Abdul-Jabbar for the most consecutive games with 25+ points in NBA playoff history for players before the age of 23:

PLAYER	CONSECUTIVE 25+ POINT GAMES	DATES
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>APR. 30, 2024-PRESENT</b>
Kobe Bryant	7	May 6-25, 2001
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	7	Mar. 25-Apr. 13, 1970
LeBron James	6	Apr. 22-May 5, 2006
Anthony Edwards	5	Apr. 19, 2023-Apr. 20, 2024
Kevin Durant	5	Apr. 23-May 3, 2011
Amar'e Stoudemire	5	May 22-June 1, 2005

### **HUEVOS BANCHEROS...**

Paolo Banchero led (or tied) the team in scoring 27 times, in rebounding 14 times and in assists 27 times...He scored in double figures 44 times, 20+ points 35 times, 30+ points 18 times and 40+ points four times, including a career-high 50 points on Oct. 28 vs. Indiana...Banchero also recorded 11 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 129 times (35 times this season), 30+ points 35 times (18 times this season) and 40+ points six times (four times this season), including a career-high 50 points on Oct. 28, 2024 vs. Indiana.

Banchero scored 20+ points in 20 consecutive games from Feb. 25-Apr. 8, which is the longest streak of his NBA career and the sixth-longest streak in franchise history...He averaged 30.3 ppg. during that span (606 points)...Banchero joins Tracy McGrady and Shaquille O'Neal as the only players in franchise history to have 20+ points in 17-or-more games...The longest streak in team history is 45 games, set by McGrady from Dec. 25, 2002-Apr. 1, 2003:



PLAYER	CONSECUTIVE 20+ POINT GAMES	DATES
Tracy McGrady	45	Dec. 25, 2002-Apr. 1, 2003
Shaquille O'Neal	26	Dec. 30, 1993-Feb. 27, 1994
Shaquille O'Neal	23	Mar. 3-Apr. 21, 1995
Tracy McGrady	21	Jan. 2-Feb. 18, 2004
Shaquille O'Neal	21	Apr. 20-Dec. 10, 1994
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>FEB. 25-APR. 8, 2025</b>
Tracy McGrady	17	Jan. 31-Mar. 7, 2001
<b>FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>NOV. 21, 2024-FEB. 5, 2025</b>
Shaquille O'Neal	14	Nov. 12-Dec. 12, 1993

Banchero scored 30+ points in five consecutive games from Mar. 19-27...He became the first Magic player to score 30+ points in five straight games since 2003, when Tracy McGrady did it in a team-record 14 consecutive outings (Mar. 5-Apr. 1, 2003)...Banchero joins McGrady and Shaquille O'Neal as the only players in franchise history to have 30+ points in at least five straight contests:

PLAYER	CONSECUTIVE 30+ POINT GAMES	DATES
Tracy McGrady	14	Mar. 5-Apr. 1, 2003
Tracy McGrady	8	Jan. 16-Feb. 2, 2003
Tracy McGrady	7	Nov. 10-20, 2002
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>MAR. 19-27, 2025</b>
Shaquille O'Neal	5	Jan. 15-22, 1994
Dwight Howard	4	Feb. 13-25, 2011
Tracy McGrady	4	3x, last Jan. 23-28, 2004
Shaquille O'Neal	4	4x, last Feb. 25-Mar. 2, 1996

Banchero has scored 30+ points in three-or-more straight games three times during his career (Jan. 3-7, 2024, Oct. 28, 2024-Jan. 10, 2025 and Mar. 19-27, 2025)...Banchero became only the fourth player in franchise history to score 30+ points in three-or-more straight games multiple times, joining Shaquille O'Neal (did it 14 times), Tracy McGrady (13 times) and Franz Wagner (twice).

#### **\*\*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, Banchero 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).

Banchero 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 – PAOLO'S 40-TIME\*\***

On Feb. 27 vs. Golden State, Paolo Banchero poured in 41 points, his second 40+ point game of the season...He became only the  third player in franchise history to record multiple 40+ point games in a single season more than once, joining Tracy McGrady (four times) and Shaquille O'Neal (three times)...On Mar. 4 vs. Toronto, Banchero scored 41 points and on Mar. 14 @ Minnesota, he poured in 43 points...He became the  first Magic player with three-or-more 40+ point games during a single season since 2003-04, when Tracy McGrady had eight...The team record for most 40+ point games in a season is  11, set by McGrady in 2002-03:

PLAYER	40+ POINT GAMES	SEASON
Tracy McGrady	11	2002-03
Shaquille O'Neal	9	1994-95
Shaquille O'Neal	9	1993-94
Tracy McGrady	8	2003-04
Tracy McGrady	6	2001-02
Tracy McGrady	5	2000-01
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2024-25</b>
Six other times: last by Paolo Banchero	2	2023-24

Banchero now has the third-most 40+ point games in franchise history with six:

PLAYER	CAREER 40-POINT GAMES WITH ORLANDO
Tracy McGrady	30
Shaquille O'Neal	21
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>6</b>
Dwight Howard	4
Nikola Vučević	3
Nick Anderson	3

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

Paolo Banchero was named the  NBA's Eastern Conference Player of the Week for the period ending Mar. 30... It marks the  second time  that he has won the league's top weekly honor in his career...During four games (3-1 record), Banchero averaged 30.3 ppg., 7.5 rpg. and 4.3 apg. in 35.6 minpg., while shooting .543 (44-81) from the field...He led (or tied) the Magic in scoring three times, in rebounding once and in assists three times...Banchero scored 20+ points in all four games and 30+ points three times.

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

Paolo Banchero has  55 games during his brief career with 20+ points, 5+ rebounds and 5+ assists (15 this season)... Among forwards all-time in the NBA before their 23rd birthday, Banchero trails only LeBron James (177) and Giannis Antetokounmpo (59)...His 55 games of 20+ points, 5+ rebounds and 5+ assists ranks  ninth all-time among all players 22 years old-and-younger... Antetokounmpo is eighth among all players with 59.

On Apr. 1 @ San Antonio, Banchero became  one of only three players 22-or-younger in NBA history to compile 4,000+ points, 1,300+ rebounds and 900+ assists during his first three pro seasons, joining LeBron James and Luka Doncic:

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
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO</b>	<b>2022-23 to 2024-25</b>	<b>4,432</b>	<b>1,396</b>	<b>919</b>

*\*Banchero became the 12th player in NBA history to tally 4,000+ points, 1,300+ rebounds and 900+ assists during his first three pro seasons, regardless of age...The others are James, Doncic, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, Oscar Robertson, Elgin Baylor, Larry Bird, Grant Hill, Jerry West, Steve Francis, Brad Daugherty and Sidney Wicks.*



On Feb. 20 @ Atlanta, Banchero tallied 36 points, 10 rebounds and five assists...It was the second time during his career that he had a game with 35+ points, 10+ rebounds and 5+ assists...Banchero becomes only the third player in franchise history to have multiple games with 35+ points, 10+ rebounds and 5+ assists, joining Tracy McGrady (16 times) and Shaquille O'Neal (three times).

Last season, Banchero 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 and joined Jordan, James, Doncic and Magic Johnson 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 Apr. 10, 2024 @ Milwaukee, Banchero 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.

### **FRANZ BOOGIE...**

Franz Wagner led (or tied) the team in scoring 33 times, in rebounding 12 times and in assists 30 times...He scored in double figures 58 times, 20+ points 48 times and 30+ points 14 times, including a season-high 37 points three times, the last on Feb. 10 vs. Atlanta...Last season, Wagner scored 20+ points 33 times and 30+ points seven times.

During his brief NBA career, Wagner has now scored 20+ points 133 times (48 times this season) and 30+ points 25 times (14 times this season), including a career-high 38 points on Dec. 28, 2021 vs. Milwaukee and Feb. 4, 2024 @ Detroit.

### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – QUARTER POUNDER\*\***

During the fourth quarter on Jan. 25 vs. Detroit, Franz Wagner scored 25 points, shooting 9-of-10 from the floor, 4-of-4 from three-point range and 3-of-3 from the free throw line...His 25 points tied the franchise record for most points in a quarter (Tracy McGrady, Mar. 9, 2003 vs. Denver), while his nine field goals made also tied the team record for most field goals made in a quarter (Shaquille O'Neal, Feb. 16, 1996 vs. Milwaukee and Dennis Scott, Mar. 10, 1991 vs. L.A. Lakers).

Since the league began tracking quarter play-by-play in 1996-97, Franz Wagner became the 29th player in the NBA to ever score 25+ points in a fourth quarter...The most scored is 29, set by Dirk Nowitzki (Nov. 3, 2009) and Isaiah Thomas (Dec. 30, 2016).

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

Franz Wagner had 15 games this season with 25+ points, 5+ rebounds and 5+ assists, which was tied for 10th-most in the NBA...Entering this season, Wagner had seven such games during the first three seasons of his career.

Wagner scored 20+ points in 16 consecutive games from Nov. 21-Feb. 5, the eighth-longest streak in team history...It marked the first time a Magic player had scored 20+ points in 15-or-more straight outings since 2004, when Tracy McGrady did it in 21 consecutive games (Jan. 2-Feb. 18, 2004).

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 became only the third player in franchise history to score 30+ points in three-or-more straight games multiple times, joining Shaquille O'Neal (did it 14 times) and Tracy McGrady (13 times)...Paolo Banchero would join the group later this season.

On Nov. 15 vs. Philadelphia, Wagner tallied 31 points, including 5-of-11 from three-point range, 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 Banchero 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 Feb. 12 vs. Charlotte, Franz Wagner scored his 5,000th career NBA regular season point... He is one of only seven players 23-or-younger in NBA history to compile 5,000+ points, 1,300+ rebounds and 1,000+ assists during his first four pro seasons:

PLAYER	SEASONS	POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
LeBron James	2003-04 to 2006-07	8,439	2,102	2,033
Luka Doncic	2018-19 to 2021-22	6,962	2,256	2,102
Anthony Edwards	2020-21 to 2023-24	6,920	1,567	1,241
Russell Westbrook	2008-09 to 2011-12	5,929	1,480	2,119
Chris Paul	2005-06 to 2008-09	5,827	1,433	2,966
<b>FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>2021-22 to 2024-25</b>	<b>5,552</b>	<b>1,408</b>	<b>1,067</b>
Nikola Jokic	2015-16 to 2018-19	5,006	2,946	1,586

*\*Wagner became the 43rd player in NBA history to tally 5,000+ points, 1,300+ rebounds and 1,000+ assists during his first four pro seasons, regardless of age.*

**DYNAMIC DUO...**

Paolo Banchero and Franz Wagner have scored 20+ points each in the same game four times during the playoffs (1-3 record) and five times during their postseason careers (2-3 record).

Banchero and Wagner is the only duo in franchise playoff history to have four 20+ point games each in a single series...Shaquille O'Neal and Anfernee Hardaway both had 20+ points three times in a series - during the 1995 NBA Finals vs. Houston and the 1996 Eastern Conference Semifinals vs. Atlanta.

Banchero and Wagner are fifth in franchise playoff history with five games both scoring 20+ points...The most is 12, set by O'Neal and Hardaway:

PLAYERS	20+ POINT GAMES BY DUO
Shaquille O'Neal/Anfernee Hardaway	12
Dwight Howard/Rashard Lewis	9
Shaquille O'Neal/Nick Anderson	7
Dwight Howard/Jameer Nelson	6
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO/FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>5</b>
Shaquille O'Neal/Horace Grant	4
Shaquille O'Neal/Dennis Scott	4
Nick Anderson/Anfernee Hardaway	4

Banchero and Wagner scored 20+ points each in the same game 22 times this season (14-8 record) and 65 times during their careers (36-28 record).

Banchero and Wagner each scored 20+ points in 11 consecutive games from Mar. 16-Apr. 8...It is the longest streak by a duo in Orlando Magic history...Shaquille O'Neal and Anfernee Hardaway had 20+ points in eight straight contests from Nov. 21-Dec. 6, 1994:

PLAYERS	CONSECUTIVE 20+ POINT GAMES BY DUO	DATES
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO/FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>MAR. 16-APR. 8, 2025</b>
Shaquille O'Neal/Anfernee Hardaway	8	Nov. 21-Dec. 6, 1994
Shaquille O'Neal/Anfernee Hardaway	5	Mar. 8-15, 1996
Shaquille O'Neal/Nick Anderson	5	Jan. 22-29, 1994
Shaquille O'Neal/Nick Anderson	5	Mar. 7-14, 1993

It was also the second-longest streak in NBA history by a duo age 23-or-younger...The longest is 16 straight outings by Karl-Anthony Towns and Andrew Wiggins (Minnesota) from Jan. 26-Mar. 1, 2017:

PLAYERS	CONSECUTIVE 20+ POINT GAMES BY DUO	DATES
Karl-Anthony Towns/Andrew Wiggins (MIN)	16	Jan. 26-Mar. 1, 2017
<b>PAOLO BANCHERO/FRANZ WAGNER</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>MAR. 16-APR. 8, 2025</b>
Shaquille O'Neal/Anfernee Hardaway (ORL)	8	Nov. 21-Dec. 6, 1994
Walt Bellamy/Terry Dischinger (CHI Zephyrs)	8	Jan. 4-25, 1963
5 other times: Last, Williamson/Ingram (NO)	7	Feb. 19-Mar. 3, 2021



Banchero and Wagner scored 30+ points each in the same game three times this season...It marked the first time that a Magic duo has scored 30+ points multiple times during the same season since 1995-96 when Shaquille O'Neal and Anfernee Hardaway did it three times, while Hardaway and Dennis Scott also did it twice...Banchero and Wagner are the second duo in team history with 30+ points in the same game three-or-more times in a single season (O'Neal/Hardaway, five times in 1994-95 and three times in 1995-96)...The most 30+ point games by a pair of teammates during the same season in franchise history is five, done by O'Neal and Hardaway in 1994-95.

Banchero and Wagner have scored 30+ points each in the same game four times during their careers...That stands second in franchise history, only to O'Neal and Hardaway, who did it 10 times.

On Feb. 8 vs. San Antonio, Wagner recorded 33 points, a career-high 12 rebounds and five assists...On Feb. 20 @ Atlanta, Banchero tallied 36 points, 10 rebounds and five assists...They became just the fifth and sixth players in franchise history to have multiple games with 30+ points, 10+ rebounds and 5+ assists during the same season...Wagner and Banchero join Tracy McGrady (11 in 2002-03, 4 in 2001-02, 2 in 2000-01, 2 in 2003-04), Shaquille O'Neal (4 in 1993-94, 2 in 1994-95, 2 in 1995-96), Nikola Vučević (3 in 2018-19, 3 in 2020-21) and Steve Francis (3 in 2004-05)...It also marks the first time in franchise history that a pair of teammates have both had multiple 30-10-5 games during the same season.

On Mar. 13 @ New Orleans, Banchero (24) and Wagner (20) each scored 20+ points during the first half...It marked the first time since play-by-play began being tracked in 1996-97 that two players scored 20+ points during a first half in franchise history.

Wagner was named NBA Eastern Conference Player of the Week for the period ending Nov. 17...Banchero earned NBA Eastern Conference Player of the Week for the period ending Mar. 30...It marks the first time two-or-more Orlando players earned the league's weekly honor during the same season since 2008-09, when Jameer Nelson (twice) and Dwight Howard (four times) both won it.

#### **\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – TYE'S 20+ TIDBIT\*\***

Paolo Banchero averaged 25.9 ppg., while Franz Wagner averaged 24.2 ppg....It is only the third time in Orlando Magic history that a pair of teammates have finished the season both averaging 20+ points per game, courtesy of Tye Eastham, Orlando's television game producer and vice president of broadcasting...Shaquille O'Neal and Anfernee Hardaway accomplished the feat in both 1994-95 (O'Neal, 29.3 ppg.; Hardaway, 20.9 ppg.) and 1995-96 (O'Neal, 26.6 ppg.; Hardaway, 21.7 ppg.).

Banchero and Wagner averaged a combined 50.1 ppg., which is the second-highest combined average in franchise history...The highest combined average for a pair of teammates in Magic history is 50.2 ppg., done by O'Neal and Hardaway in 1994-95.

#### **BACK-TO-BACKS...**

The Orlando Magic had 14 back-to-back sets during the 2024-25 campaign...Orlando was 14-14 in back-to-backs situations (7-7 in first game, 7-7 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).

#### **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 eight division championships (1995, 1996, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2019, 2024, 2025) 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).

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### 2025 PLAYOFFS

#### Orlando's Record When:

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

Scoring 100-plus points: 0-1	Scoring less than 100 points: 1-2
Allowing 100-plus points: 0-3	Allowing less than 100 points: 1-0
Shooting 50 percent-or-better FGs: n/a	Shooting under 50 percent FGs: 1-3
Opponent shooting 50 percent-or-better FGs: n/a	Opponent shooting under 50 percent FGs: 1-3
Making 10-or-more 3 FGs: 0-1	Making nine-or-less 3 FGs: 1-2
Attempting more (or same) FTs than opponent: 1-0	Attempting less FTs than opponent: 0-3
Having more (or same) rebounds than opponent: 1-0	Being outrebounded by opponent: 0-3
Having more (or same) assists than opponent: 1-2	Having less assists than opponent: 0-1
Having more (or same) blocks than opponent: 0-2	Having less blocks than opponent: 1-1
Having more (or same) steals than opponent: 1-1	Having less steals than opponent: 0-2
Having more (or same) turnovers than opponent: 0-1	Having less turnovers than opponent: 1-2





**Days...Game #s...**

Playing on Sundays: 0-2	Playing in Game #1: 0-1
Playing on Mondays: n/a	Playing in Game #2: 0-1
Playing on Tuesdays: n/a	Playing in Game #3: 1-0
Playing on Wednesdays: 0-1	Playing in Game #4: 0-1
Playing on Thursdays: n/a	Playing in Game #5: n/a
Playing on Fridays: 1-0	Playing in Game #6: n/a
Playing on Saturdays: n/a	Playing in Game #7: n/a

**Misc....**

Leading (or tied) after the first quarter: 1-0	Trailing after the first quarter: 0-3
Leading (or tied) after the first half: 0-1	Trailing after the first half: 1-2
Leading (or tied) after the third quarter: 1-0	Trailing after the third quarter: 0-3
Game margin is 1-5 points: 1-0	Game margin is 6-10 points: 0-2
Game margin is 11+ points: 0-1	5+ players scoring in double figures: n/a
6+ players scoring in double figures: n/a	Playing in overtime: n/a
Playing in Association uniform (white): n/a	Playing in Icon uniform (black): 0-2
Playing in Statement uniform (blue): 1-1	Playing in City uniform (gray): n/a
Largest margin of victory: 2 pts. (Apr. 25 vs. BOS)	Largest margin of defeat: 17 pts. (Apr. 20 @ BOS)
Largest lead during a game: 12 pts. (Apr. 25 vs. BOS)	Largest lead surrendered in loss: 8 pts. (Apr. 27 vs. BOS)
Largest deficit during a game: 19 pts. (Apr. 20 @ BOS)	Largest deficit overcome to win: 11 pts. (Apr. 25 vs. BOS)

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

**Magic game-high rebounding honors (including ties):** Carter Jr. (3), Banchemo (1)

**Magic game-high assist honors (including ties):** F. Wagner (3), Banchemo (1)

**Double-Doubles:** Banchemo (1), Carter Jr. (1)

**Triple-Doubles:** n/a

**Starting lineup and record:**

FORWARD	FORWARD	CENTER	GUARD	GUARD	RECORD
F. Wagner	Banchemo	Carter Jr.	Caldwell-Pope	Joseph	1-3

**2025 PLAYOFFS 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
<b>MAGIC</b>	99 (24.8 ppg.)	94 (23.5 ppg.)	93 (23.3 ppg.)	93 (23.3 ppg.)	--	379 (94.8 ppg.)
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	108 (27.0 ppg.)	102 (25.5 ppg.)	98 (24.5 ppg.)	104 (26.0 ppg.)	--	412 (103.0 ppg.)

**\*\*MAGIC TRICKS – LATE LOCKDOWNS\*\***

During the fourth quarter, Orlando allowed 25.3 ppg., which was best in the NBA...The Magic allowed 26.0 ppg. during the third quarter, which was also first in the league.

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

**HEAD COACH'S BIO:****Jamahl Mosley**

**Overall Record:** 144-184 (.439)

**Overall Playoff Record:** 4-7 (.364)

**Seasons in League:** 4th

**Record with Orlando:** 144-184 (.439)

**Playoff Record w/ Orlando:** 4-7 (.364)

**Seasons with Orlando:** 4th

Became the 15th head coach in Orlando Magic history on July 11, 2021...During the 2024-25 campaign, led Magic to 41-41 record (.500), clinched their second consecutive berth in the NBA Playoffs and their second straight Southeast Division title, the first time that was accomplished since 2008-09 and 2009-10...In 2023-24, Orlando went 47-35 (.573), 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 (Mark Daigneault, Oklahoma City)...Finished the 2022-23 season with a record of 34-48 (.415), 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 300th career NBA regular season game on Feb. 8, 2025 vs. San Antonio...Recorded his 100<sup>th</sup> career head coaching victory on Apr. 1, 2024 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 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 0-3 during the playoffs on Coach's Challenges...The Magic were 37-of-55 (.673) this season on Coach's Challenge attempts...The Magic are 114-of-193 (.591) 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: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
*Apr. 15 vs. ATL	26 (10-17, 4-9, 2-2)	3	6	20:07
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	4 (1-3, 0-1, 2-2)	0	3	10:09
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	0 (0-1, 0-0, 0-0)	0	0	5:08
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	4 (2-4, 0-1, 0-0)	4	2	14:29
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	0 (0-0, 0-0, 0-0)	0	0	2:11

Noting Anthony:

2025 Playoffs: Averaging 2.0 ppg., 1.3 apg. and 1.0 rpg. in 8.0 minpg.

2024-25: Averaged 9.4 ppg., 3.0 rpg. and 2.9 apg. in 18.4 minpg. (67 games)...Made 22 starts – Averaging 13.7 ppg., 4.2 rpg., 3.5 apg. and 1.05 stlpg. in 27.3 minpg.

#### **2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – ANTHONY (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
4 (2)	4	3#	--	--	14:29
Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS			Apr. 25 vs. BOS



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

	10+ PTS: 4	10+ REBS: 1	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>17 (4-13, 0-3, 9-11)</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1 stl., 1 blk., 33:12</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	36 (14-27, 4-7, 4-6)	11	4	1 stl., 1 blk., 42:14
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	32 (12-25, 2-6, 6-11)	9	7	2 blks., 43:22
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	29 (10-25, 2-4, 7-8)	6	1	2 stls., 41:34
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	31 (12-32, 2-6, 5-9)	7	3	1 blk., 40:16

#### Noting Banchero:

**2025 Playoffs: Averaging 32.0 ppg., 8.3 rpg., 3.8 apg. and 1.00 blkpg. in 41.9 minpg. (four starts)...Shooting .435 (10-23) from three-point range.**

- Led (or tied) the team in scoring three times, in rebounding once and in assists once during the postseason.
- Scored in double figures four times, 20+ points four times and 30+ points three times during the postseason, including a playoff-high 36 points on Apr. 20 @ Boston.
- Had 10+ rebounds once – a playoff-high 11 rebounds on Apr. 20 @ Boston.
- Had one double-double.
- Dished a career playoff-high seven assists on Apr. 23 @ Boston.
- Had at least one blocked shot three times and had two-or-more blocks once during the postseason.
- Had at least one steal twice and two-or-more steals once during the postseason.
- Played a career playoff-high 43:22 on Apr. 23 @ Boston.

**2024-25: Averaged 25.9 ppg., 7.5 rpg. and 4.8 apg. in 34.4 minpg. (46 games-46 starts)**

- Named NBA Eastern Conference Player of the Week for the period ending Mar. 30...During four games (3-1 record), averaged 30.3 ppg., 7.5 rpg. and 4.3 apg. in 35.6 minpg., while shooting .543 (44-81) from the field.

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – BANCHERO (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
36	11	7*	2	2#	43:22*
Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS

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

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>2 (1-1, 0-0, 0-0)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1 blk., 3:52</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	0 (0-0, 0-0, 0-0)	0	0	1:14
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	2 (1-1, 0-0, 0-0)	3	1	1 blk., 7:45
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	DNP-CD			
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	DNP-CD			

#### Noting Bitadze:

**2025 Playoffs: Averaging 1.0 ppg. and 1.5 rpg. in 4.5 minpg. (two games)**

- Had at least one blocked shot once during the postseason.
- DNP-CD twice (Apr. 25-27).

**2024-25: Averaged 7.2 ppg., 6.6 rpg., 2.0 apg. and 1.40 blkpg. in 20.4 minpg. (70 games)...Shot .611 (207-339) from the floor...Made 42 starts – Averaged 9.1 ppg., 8.4 rpg., 2.3 apg. and 1.79 blkpg. in 24.9 minpg.**

- Tied for 11th in the NBA in blocked shots and ranked 34th in rebounding.

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – BITADZE (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
2*	3#	1#	--	1*	7:45*
Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS		Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS

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

	10+ PTS: 2	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>16 (6-7, 3-3, 1-2)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2 blks., 27:51</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	3 (1-4, 1-1, 0-0)	4	0	1 blk., 13:45
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	11 (4-8, 0-2, 3-5)	4	0	22:36
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	9 (3-8, 0-4, 3-4)	2	0	2 stls., 13:20
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	10 (4-7, 0-3, 2-2)	4	0	1 stl., 18:17

#### Noting Black:

#### 2025 Playoffs: Averaging 8.3 ppq. and 3.5 rpg. in 17.0 minpq.

- Scored in double figures twice during the postseason, including a career playoff-high 11 points on Apr. 23 @ Boston.
- Had at least one steal twice and two-or-more steals once during the postseason.
- Had at least one blocked shot once during the postseason.

#### 2024-25: Averaged 9.4 ppq., 3.1 apq., 2.9 rpg. and 1.10 stlpq. in 24.2 minpq. (78 games)...Made 10 starts – Averaged 9.3 ppq., 3.4 rpg., 2.7 apq. and 1.20 stlpq. in 28.9 minpq.

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – BLACK (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
11*	4 (3)*	--	2*	1*	22:36*
Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS		Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS

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

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>5 (1-8, 1-7, 2-2)</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>25:57</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	6 (2-5, 2-4, 0-0)	4	2	3 stls., 35:24
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	3 (1-9, 0-6, 1-2)	4	0	34:33
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	0 (0-3, 0-2, 0-0)	2	2	1 stl., 1 blk., 31:38
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	8 (2-4, 2-4, 2-2)	2	4	2 stls., 2 blks., 31:58

#### Noting Caldwell-Pope:

#### 2025 Playoffs: Averaging 4.3 ppq., 3.0 rpg., 2.0 apq. and 1.50 stlpq. in 33.4 minpq. (four starts)

- Had at least one steal three times and two-or-more steals twice during the postseason, including a playoff-high three steals on Apr. 20 @ Boston.
- Had at least one blocked shot twice and two-or-more blocks once during the postseason.

#### 2024-25: Averaged 8.7 ppq., 2.2 rpg., 1.8 apq. and 1.29 stlpq. in 29.6 minpq. (77 games-77 starts)...Shot .863 (82-95) from the free throw line.

- Ranked fifth in the NBA in steals-to-turnover ratio (1.60, 99/62) and 27th in steals.

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – CALDWELL-POPE (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
8	4 (2)	4	3	2	35:24
Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS

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

	10+ PTS: 2	10+ REBS: 3	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>19 (8-12, 1-3, 2-4)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2 blks., 26:13</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	4 (2-6, 0-2, 0-0)	13	0	28:18
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	16 (6-8, 3-3, 1-2)	8	1	32:55
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	10 (4-8, 0-1, 2-2)	12	1	1 blk., 30:36
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	9 (4-8, 0-1, 1-2)	11	3	1 blk., 35:49

#### Noting Carter Jr.:

**2025 Playoffs: Averaging 9.8 ppg., 11.0 rpg. and 1.3 apg. in 31.9 minpg. (four starts)...Shooting .533 (16-30) from the floor.**

- Led (or tied) the team in rebounding three times during the postseason.
- Scored in double figures twice during the postseason, including a career playoff-high 16 points on Apr. 23 @ Boston.
- Had 10+ rebounds three times during the postseason, including a career playoff-high 13 rebounds on Apr. 20 @ Boston.
- Had at least one blocked shot twice during the postseason.
- Played a career playoff-high 35:49 on Apr. 27 vs. Boston.

**2024-25: Averaged 9.1 ppg., 7.2 rpg. and 2.0 apg. in 25.9 minpg. (68 games)...Made 51 starts – Averaged 9.2 ppg., 7.8 rpg. and 2.0 apg. in 27.2 minpg.**

- Ranked 29th in the NBA in rebounding.

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – CARTER JR. (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
16*	13*	3#	--	1 (2)	35:49*
Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS		Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS

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

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>4 (1-3, 0-1, 2-2)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3:52</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	0 (0-0, 0-0, 0-0)	1	0	1:14
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	DNP-CD			
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	DNP-CD			
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	DNP-CD			

#### Noting da Silva:

**2025 Playoffs: Has not scored and averaging 1.0 rpg. in 1.2 minpg. (one game)**

- DNP-CD three times (Apr. 23-27).

**2024-25: Averaged 7.2 ppg., 3.3 rpg. and 1.5 apg. in 22.0 minpg. (74 games)...Shot .873 (55-63) from the free throw line...Made 38 starts – Averaged 9.2 ppg., 4.3 rpg. and 1.9 apg. in 28.2 minpg.**

- Ranked among all NBA rookies in scoring (20th) and assists (19th).

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – DA SILVA (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
--	1*	--	--	--	1:14*
	Apr. 20 @ BOS				Apr. 20 @ BOS



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

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
*Apr. 15 vs. ATL	3 (1-2, 1-1, 0-0)	0	0	1 stl., 12:59
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	0 (0-2, 0-2, 0-0)	1	0	13:31
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	4 (2-2, 0-0, 0-0)	0	2	2 stls., 13:27
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	0 (0-2, 0-2, 0-0)	2	0	1 stl., 1 blk., 22:12
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	0 (0-1, 0-1, 0-0)	1	0	18:21

Noting Harris:

2025 Playoffs: Averaging 1.0 ppg. and 1.0 rpg. in 16.9 minpg.

- Had at least one steal twice and two-or-more steals once during the postseason.
- Had at least one blocked shot once during the postseason.

2024-25: Averaged 3.0 ppg. and 1.3 rpg. in 14.8 minpg. (48 games)...Made three starts – Averaged 8.0 ppg. and 1.0 rpg. in 16.7 minpg.

2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – HARRIS (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
4	2	2	2	1	22:12
Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS

### #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
*Apr 15 vs. ATL	0 (0-1, 0-1, 0-0)	3	0	11:57
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	3 (1-5, 1-2, 0-0)	2	1	1 blk., 13:13
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	0 (0-2, 0-2, 0-0)	0	0	10:39
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	3 (1-1, 1-1, 0-0)	1	0	3:17
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	0 (0-4, 0-3, 0-0)	1	0	13:13

Noting Houston:

2025 Playoffs: Averaging 1.5 ppg. and 1.0 rpg. in 10.1 minpg.

- Had at least one blocked shot once during the postseason.

2024-25: Averaged 4.1 ppg. and 1.3 rpg. in 13.6 minpg. (58 games)...Shot .400 (64-160) from three-point range...Made six starts – Averaged 7.3 ppg., 2.2 rpg. and 1.17 stlpg. in 25.6 minpg.

2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – HOUSTAN (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
3 (2)#	2#	1*	--	1*	13:13 (2)*
Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS		Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS

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

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
*Apr. 15 vs. ATL	0 (0-2, 0-1, 0-0)	0	0	3:52
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	DNP-CD			
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	DNP-CD			
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	DNP-CD			
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	DNP-CD			

Noting Howard:

2025 Playoffs: Has not played.

- DNP-CD four times (Apr. 20-27).

2024-25: Averaged 4.5 ppg. and 1.2 rpg. in 11.7 minpg. (60 games)

2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – HOWARD (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
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### #1 Jonathan Isaac (F, 6-10, 240, Florida State, NBA Exp. 7 years)

	10+ PTS: 0	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>6 (3-4, 0-1, 0-0)</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2 stls., 1 blk., 17:55</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	7 (3-4, 1-1, 0-1)	2	0	18:23
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	0 (0-0, 0-0, 0-0)	1	0	6:38
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	2 (1-1, 0-0, 0-0)	3	1	1 stl., 1 blk., 17:18
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	4 (1-2, 0-1, 2-2)	3	0	1 stl., 12:41

#### Noting Isaac:

**2025 Playoffs: Averaging 3.3 ppg. and 2.3 rpg. in 13.8 minpg.**

- Had at least one blocked shot once during the postseason.
- Had at least one steal twice during the postseason.

**2024-25: Averaged 5.4 ppg., 4.4 rpg. and 1.13 blkpg. in 15.4 minpg. (71 games)...Made one start – Averaged 12.0 ppg., 10.0 rpg., 2.0 apg., 3.00 blkpg. and 1.00 stlpg. in 19.0 minpg.**

- Tied for 21st in the NBA in blocked shots.

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – ISAAC (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
7	3 (2)	1#	1 (2)	1	18:23
Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS

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

	10+ PTS: 1	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>9 (3-6, 1-4, 2-2)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1 blk., 18:16</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	0 (0-1, 0-1, 0-0)	0	2	26:11
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	7 (3-6, 1-3, 0-0)	1	3	2 stls., 1 blk., 22:45
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	6 (2-4, 2-4, 0-0)	3	1	27:41
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	12 (5-8, 2-4, 0-0)	3	6	1 stl., 27:24

#### Noting Joseph:

**2025 Playoffs: Averaging 6.3 ppg., 3.0 apg. and 1.8 rpg. in 26.0 minpg. (four starts)...Shooting .526 (10-19) from the floor and .417 (5-12) from three-point range.**

- Scored in double figures once during the postseason – a playoff-high 12 points on Apr. 27 vs. Boston.
- Had at least one steal twice and two-or-more steals once during the postseason.
- Had at least one blocked shot once during the postseason.

**2024-25: Averaged 3.5 ppg., 1.5 rpg. and 1.4 apg. in 12.2 minpg. (50 games)...Made 16 starts – Averaged 6.9 ppg., 3.0 rpg. and 2.9 apg. in 22.5 minpg.**

#### 2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – JOSEPH (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
12	3 (2)	6	2	1	27:41
Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 27 vs. BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS

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

#### Noting Suggs:

**2025 Playoffs: Will not play due to a left knee trochlea cartilage tear.**

- Underwent arthroscopic surgery on Mar. 4 to remove a cartilage fragment, which also involved a mosaicplasty to repair the trochlear joint surface, and will miss the remainder of the 2024-25 season.

**2024-25: Averaged 16.2 ppg., 4.0 rpg., 3.7 apg. and 1.46 stlpg. in 28.6 minpg. (35 games-35 starts)...Shot .882 (97-110) from the free throw line.**



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

	10+ PTS: 4	10+ REBS: 0	10+ ASTS: 0	
RECENT GAMES	PTS (FG, 3FG, FT)	REBS	ASTS	OTHER
<b>*Apr. 15 vs. ATL</b>	<b>13 (6-15, 0-5, 1-2)</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2 stls., 1 blk., 33:57</b>
Gm 1: Apr. 20 @ BOS	23 (10-24, 1-6, 2-2)	3	5	2 blks., 1 stl., 36:24
Gm 2: Apr. 23 @ BOS	25 (10-20, 1-7, 4-4)	4	4	2 stls., 40:12
Gm 3: Apr. 25 vs. BOS	32 (11-27, 3-13, 7-12)	7	8	2 stls., 37:55
Gm 4: Apr. 27 vs. BOS	24 (10-22, 2-7, 2-3)	6	7	39:50

Noting F. Wagner:

**2025 Playoffs: Averaging 26.0 ppg., 6.0 apg., 5.0 rpg. and 1.25 stlpg. in 38.6 minpg. (four starts)**

- Led (or tied) the team in scoring once and in assists three times during the postseason.
- Scored in double figures four times, 20+ points four times and 30+ points once during the postseason, including a playoff-high 32 points on Apr. 25 vs. Boston.
- Dished out a playoff career-high eight assists on Apr. 25 vs. Boston.
- Had at least one steal three times and two-or-more steals twice during the postseason.
- Had at least one blocked shot once and two-or-more blocks once during the postseason.

**2024-25: Averaged 24.2 ppg., 5.7 rpg., 4.7 apg. and 1.25 stlpg. in 33.7 minpg. (60 games-60 starts)...Shot .871 (271-311) from the free throw line.**

- Ranked 15th in the NBA in scoring, 24th in free throw percentage, 31st in steals and tied for 33rd in minutes played.
- 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.

**2025 PLAYOFF HIGHS – F. WAGNER (\*=career playoff-high; #=tied career playoff-high)**

POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
32	7	8#	2 (2)*	2	40:12
Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 25 vs. BOS	Apr. 20 @ BOS	Apr. 23 @ BOS

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

Noting M. Wagner:

**2025 Playoffs: Will not play due to a torn left ACL.**

- Suffered the injury on Dec. 21 vs. Miami...Underwent surgery on Jan. 8 and will miss the remainder of the 2024-25 season.

**2024-25: Averaged 13.3 ppg., 5.1 rpg. and 1.4 apg. in 19.4 minpg. (30 games)...Shot .562 (140-249) from the floor...Made one start – Averaged 14.0 ppg., 5.0 rpg. and 2.00 stlpg. in 27.6 minpg.**



# 2025 ORLANDO MAGIC POSTSEASON ROSTER

(as of April 15, 2025)

<u>NO.</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>POS</u>	<u>HT</u>	<u>WT</u>	<u>BIRTHDATE</u>	<u>PRIOR TO NBA/COUNTRY</u>	<u>YRS. PRO</u>
50	Cole Anthony	G	6-3	198	5-15-00	North Carolina/USA	5
5	Paolo Banchemo	F	6-10	250	11-12-02	Duke/USA	3
35	Goga Bitadze	C	6-11	235	7-20-99	KK Basket/Republic of Georgia	6
0	Anthony Black	G	6-7	212	1-20-04	Arkansas/USA	2
3	Kentavious Caldwell-Pope	G	6-5	204	2-18-93	Georgia/USA	12
34	Wendell Carter Jr.	C	6-10	262	4-16-99	Duke/USA	7
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	11
2	Caleb Houston	F	6-8	235	1-9-03	Michigan/Canada	3
13	Jett Howard	G-F	6-8	215	9-14-03	Michigan/USA	2
1	Jonathan Isaac	F	6-10	240	10-3-97	Florida State/USA	8
10	Cory Joseph	G	6-3	200	8-20-91	Texas/Canada	14
4	Jalen Suggs	G	6-5	212	6-3-01	Gonzaga/USA	4
22	Franz Wagner	F	6-10	230	8-27-01	Michigan/Germany	4
21	Moritz Wagner	C	6-11	250	4-26-97	Michigan/Germany	7

## STAFF

**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 Banchemo	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 (4):

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
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.

**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.

