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NHL schedule changes 2021: List of games postponed, rescheduled because of COVID-19

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The NHL announced on Dec. 20 that the 2021 regular season was a go and would begin on Jan. 13.

The schedule, a 56-game condensed sprint to the Stanley Cup playoffs, was devised with the expectation that some games would have to be postponed because of the COVID-19 pandemic. According to TSN's Pierre LeBrun: "The key word this season is 'nimble.'" The rise in cases in the United States and Canada was expected, unfortunately, to impact games.

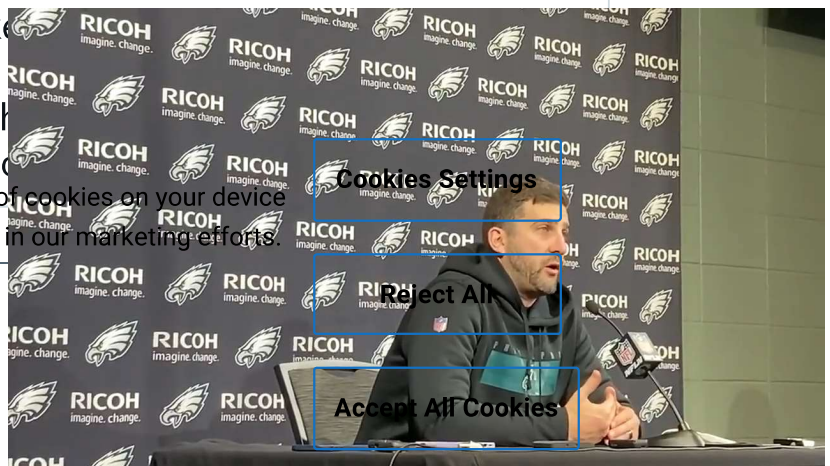


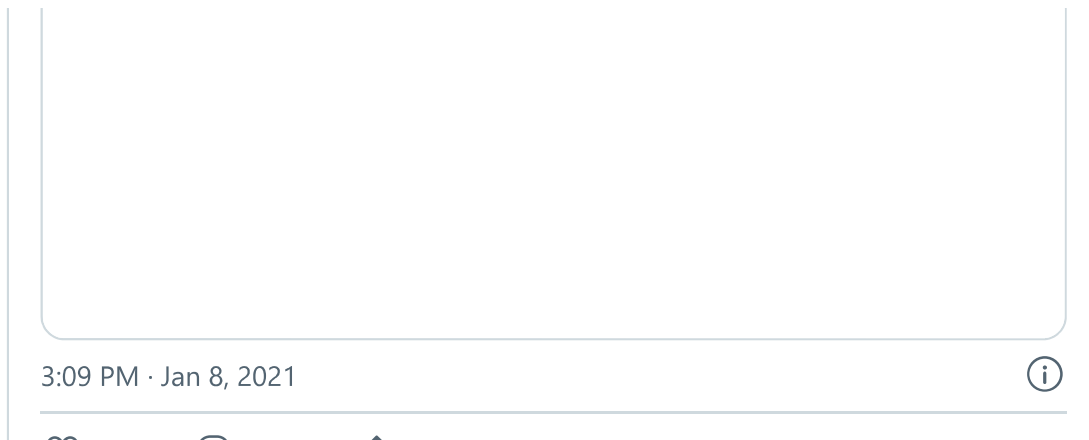
As mentioned before, the key word is 'nimble'. My guess is the schedule is going to be flexible throughout the season due to several teams throughout the league testing positive for COVID-19. Get used to it.

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NHL statement on the Dallas Stars.





On Jan. 8, that expectation came to fruition after the Stars announced six players and two staff members tested positive for the coronavirus. The team shut down its training facility as a precaution, and because the news came six days before the start of Dallas' season, its first three games were postponed.

Also on Jan. 8, the Blue Jackets announced the same day that they "held a number of players out of" the team's practice that day "out of an abundance of caution and in accordance with NHL COVID-19 protocols." The team did not yet postpone any games.

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As of Feb. 2, a total of 18 games have been postponed due to COVID-19 impacting at least one club.

NHL games impacted by COVID-19

Date of game ppd. Game

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Fri., Jan. 15 Stars at Panthers

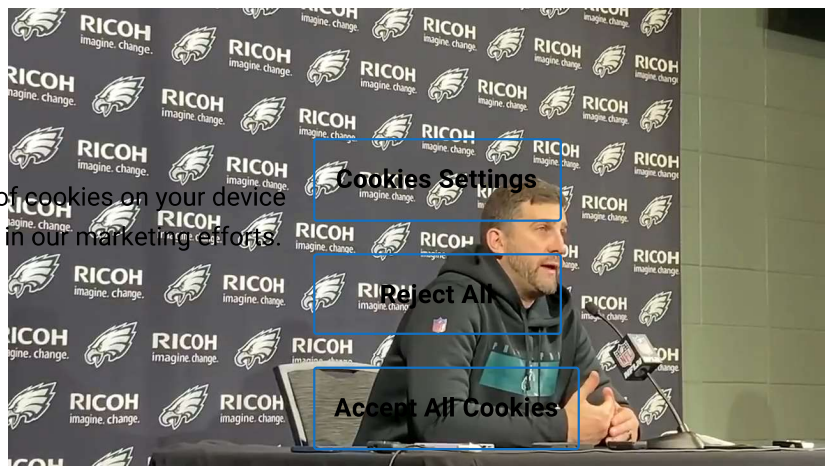
Sun., Jan. 17

Tues., Jan. 1



Tues., Jan. 19	Hurricanes at Predators*	Tues., March 2
Thurs., Jan. 21	Panthers at Hurricanes	Wed., Feb. 17
Sat., Jan. 23	Panthers at Hurricanes	Sun., March 7
Tues., Jan. 26	Lightning at Hurricanes	Mon., Feb. 22
Thurs., Jan. 28	Blues at Golden Knights	Mon, March 22
Mon., Feb. 1	Golden Knights at Sharks	Sun., Feb. 13
Tues., Feb. 2	Devils at Penguins	Sun., March 21
Tues., Feb. 2	Sabres at Islanders	Mon., Feb. 22
Wed., Feb. 3	Golden Knights at Sharks	Thurs., Feb. 25
Thurs., Feb. 4	Devils at Penguins	Tues., April 20
Thurs., Feb. 4	Sabres at Islanders	Thurs., March 4
Thurs., Feb. 4	Wild at Avalanche	Wed., Feb. 24
Sat., Feb. 6	Rangers at Devils	Thurs., March 4
Sat., Feb. 6	Sabres at Bruins	Sat., March 27
Sat., Feb. 6	Coyotes at Wild	Tues., March 16
Sat., Feb. 6	Avalanche at Blues	Wed., April 14
Sun., Feb. 7	Avalanche at Blues	
Sun., Feb. 7	Coyotes at Wild	
Mon., Feb. 8	Sabres at Bruins	
Tues., Feb. 9	Blues at Wild	
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Thurs., Feb. 11	Coyotes at Avalanche	Mon., April 12
Thurs., Feb. 11	Capitals at Sabres	Mon., March 15
Thurs., Feb. 11	Blues at Wild	Thurs., March 25
Thurs., Feb. 11	Devils at Flyers	Sun., April 25
Sat., Feb. 13	Capitals at Sabres	Fri., April 9
Sat., Feb. 13	Wild at Kings	Fri., April 23
Sat., Feb. 13	Devils at Flyers	Mon., May 10
Sun., Feb. 14	Flyers at Rangers	Thurs., April 22
Mon., Feb. 15	Devils at Bruins	Sun., March 7
Thurs., Feb. 25	Golden Knights at Sharks	Fri., April 23
Sat., March 20	Bruins at Sabres	Tues., April 20
Mon., March 22	Oilers at Canadiens^	Tues., March 30
Tues., March 23	Islanders at Bruins	Mon., May 10
Wed., March 24	Oilers at Canadiens	Mon., May 10
Fri., March 26	Oilers at Canadiens	Tues., May 11
Sun., March 28	Senators at Canadiens	Sat., April 17
Wed., March 31	Flames at Canucks	
Sat., April 3	Canucks at Oilers	
Sun., April 4	Canucks at Jets	
Tues., April 6	Canucks at Jets	
Thurs., April		
Sat., April 10		

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Mon., April 12 Canucks at Oilers Sat., May 8

Wed., April 14 Canucks at Oilers Sat., May 15

Fri., April 16 Kings at Avalanche

Fri., April 16 Oilers at Canucks

Sun., April 18 Kings at Avalanche

*Hurricanes at Predators was the first NHL game to be postponed on the day of.

^First North Division game postponed.

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Due to Dallas' games being postponed in January, the following games were also impacted:

- Panthers at Red Wings, originally scheduled for Feb. 21, is now Sat., Feb. 20.
- Stars at Panthers, originally scheduled for Feb. 23, is now Wed., Feb. 24.
- Sabres at Penguins, originally scheduled for March 27, is now Fri., March 26.
- Bruins at Capitals, originally scheduled for April 11, is now Sat. April 10.
- Penguins at Sabres, originally scheduled for April 20, is now Mon., April 19.
- Panthers at Lightning, originally scheduled for Mon., March 16, is now Tue., March 16.

After Carolina's games were postponed

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- Blue Jackets at Hurricanes, originally scheduled for March 15.
- Panther:
- Hurricar



With the postponement of three Golden Knights games, the following games were changed as well:

- Ducks at Sharks, originally scheduled for Feb.13, is now Tues., April 6
- Golden Knights at Ducks, originally scheduled for Feb. 26, is now Fri., April 23.
- Blues at Sharks, originally scheduled for Feb. 26, is now Mon., March 8.

After the Avalanche and Wild were shut down for a week, the NHL adjusted the schedule and moved two games from March to February:

- Coyotes at Blues, originally scheduled for March 29, is now Sat., Feb. 6.
- Coyotes at Blues, originally scheduled for March 31, is now Mon., Feb. 8.



27 games changed



The @NHL today announced updates to the 2020-21 regular-season schedule.

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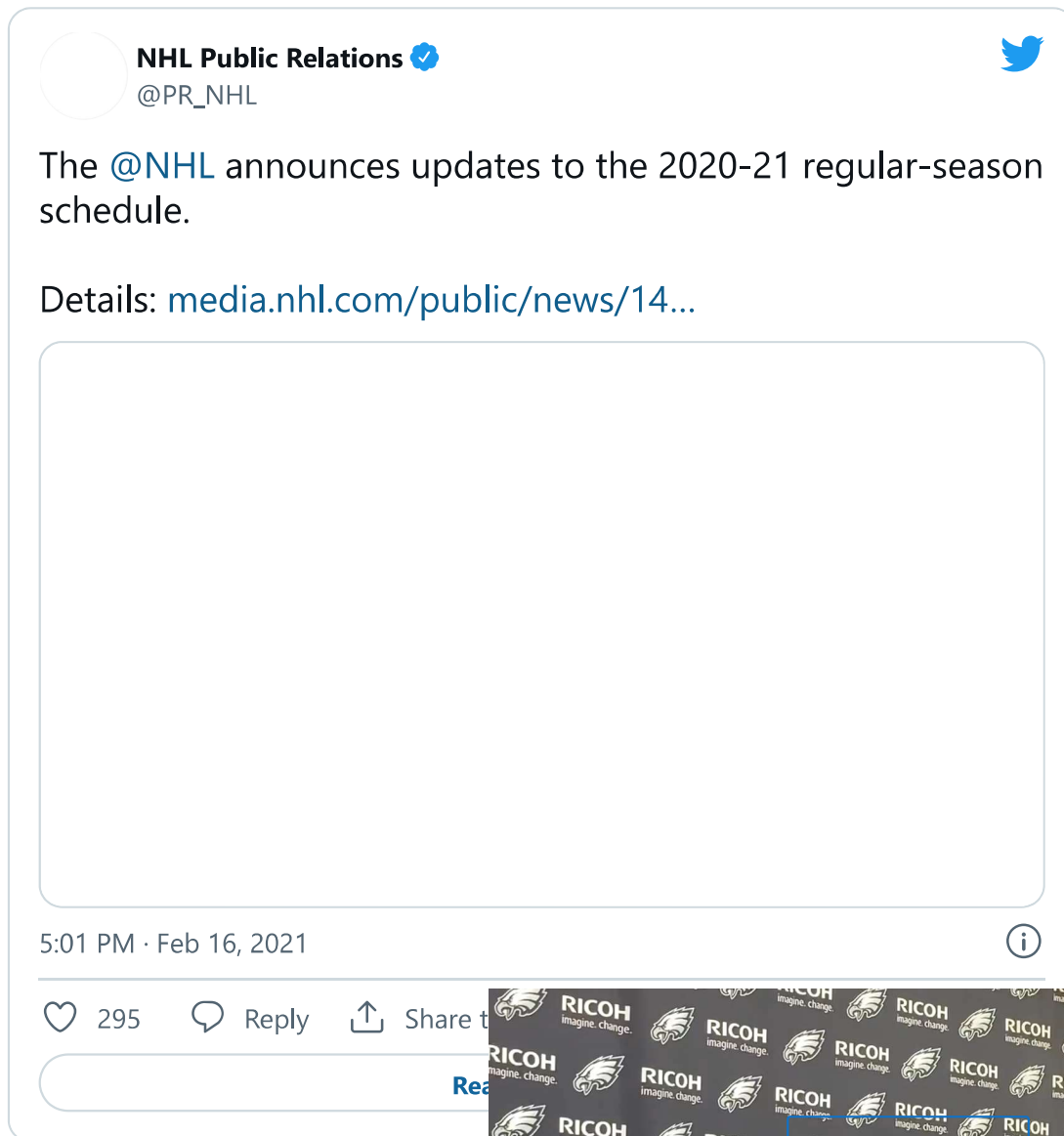
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With a number of teams shut down, on Feb. 9, the NHL shifted another game and now the Blues and Coyotes will play seven straight games against each other.

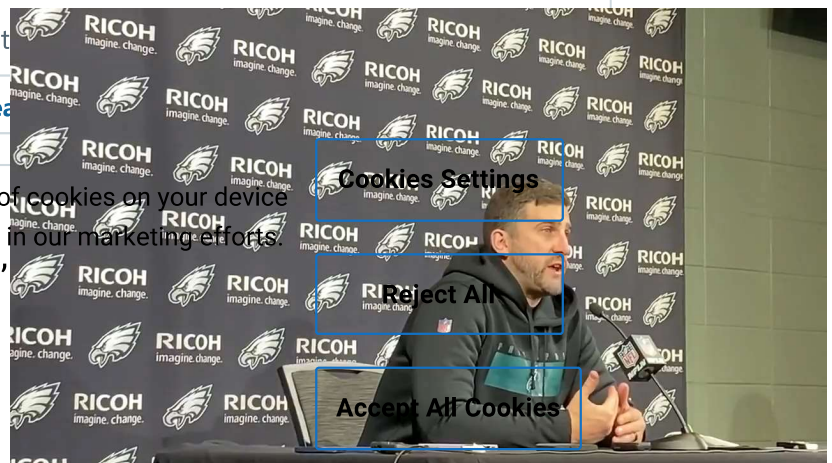
- Blues at Coyotes, originally scheduled for April 15, is now Fri., Feb. 12

On Feb. 16, the NHL announced the shifted of 30 games on the 2021 schedule (29 date changes, one is a time change).



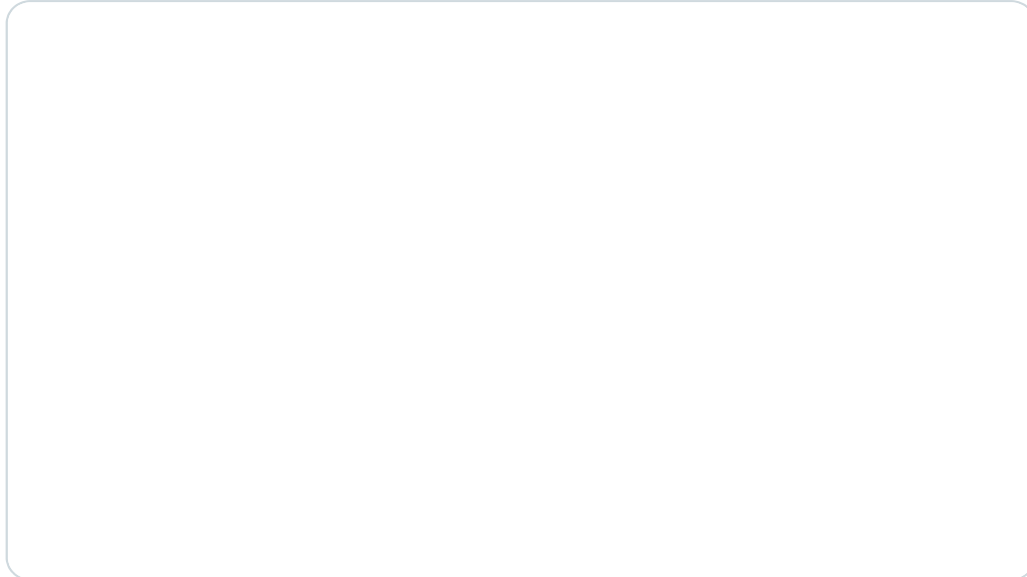
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The NHL announced the rescheduling, games on Feb. 23.



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More schedule changes were announced on March 28, including seeing a number of games set for May 10.



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The [@NHL](#) has announced updates to the 2020-21 regular-season schedule.

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With the Canucks shut down

(<https://www.sportingnews.com/ca/nhl/news/canucks-shut-down-covid-19-timeline-variant-concerns-schedule-whats-next/n6upbnvyqigl1r3fffwx37pck>) on March 31 due to positive COVID-19 tests, and eight games postponed, the NHL announced on April 10 a number of changes to the entire North Division. The Canadian teams will now end the regular season on May 16.



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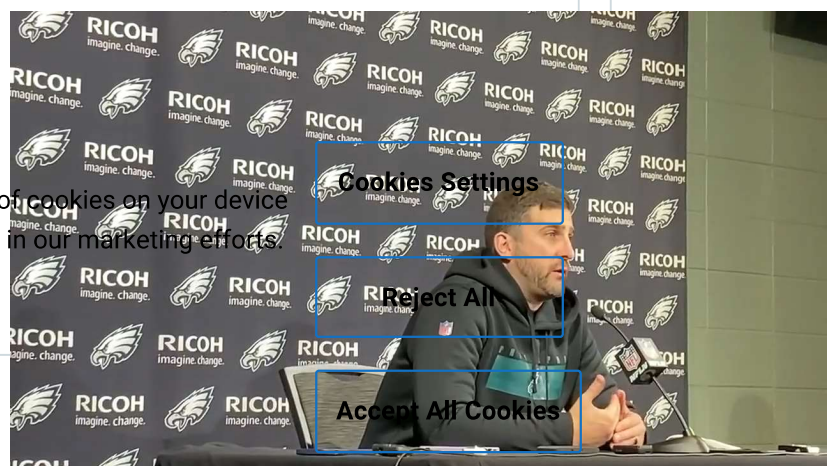


The @NHL announced today that, pending today's test results, the @Canucks will re-open their facilities for practice on April 11, with a return to game play on April 16.



Schedule changes impacting 15 games in the North Division also were announced: bit.ly/3wOd9AL


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The North Division's season is extended to May 19.

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