

# EDMONTON ELKS GAME NOTES

WEEK 2 vs. MTL (7:00 p.m. MT)

## THE COACHES

<b>EDM</b>	Chris Jones (8th season (5 EDM))	vs. MTL: 7-6-0 Career: 61-66-0 (reg.)
<b>MTL</b>	Jason Maas (6th season (2 MTL))	vs. EDM: 1-0-0 Career: 51-40 (reg.)

## NEED TO KNOW

### YOU GET A CATCH! EVERYONE GETS A CATCH!

- Eight different players had a reception for the Elks in Week 1 against the Saskatchewan Roughriders. Last time Edmonton had eight plus players with a catch was on Sept. 10, 2022 vs. the Calgary Stampeders (9).

### MBT IMPRESSES IN DEBUT

- In his first CFL start since the 2022 Grey Cup, McLeod Bethel-Thompson threw for 336 yards and two touchdowns. MBT sits only behind Zach Collaros (494/2 games) and Vernon Adams Jr., in passing yards (363) after Week 1.

### ELK TRACKS

- As per CFL stats, the next win for the Elks will be their 700th win. (1938-39, and 1949-present).
- Veteran Loucheiz Purifoy returns to the field and starts at safety.
- Josh Hagerty (DB) makes his Elks debut.
- Rookie Kordell Jackson (DB) makes his second start moving from safety to halfback.
- OUT: Josiah Schakel (LB) and Devodric Bynum (DB).
- Defensive back Kai Gray recorded an interception in the opening game of the season for the second straight year.

### 2023 SEASON SERIES

- In their only meeting of 2023, the Elks lost at home to the Montreal Alouettes 35-21 on Oct. 14. Tre Ford connected with Kyran Moore for two touchdowns in the Elks final home game of the season.

## EDMONTON ELKS PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Sam Acheampong - *ACH-am-pong*  
 Woody Appolon - *app-o-lawn*  
 Boris Bede - *bee-dee*  
 DK Bonhomme - *Bahn-um*  
 Michael Brodrique - *brod-rick*  
 Jarret Doege - *day-gee*  
 David Foucault - *foo-KOH*  
 Kurleigh Gittens Jr. - *Curly*  
 Hergy Mayala - *Her-GEE MY-alla*  
 Tomas Jack-Kurdyla - *Toe-mas Jack-KUR-dee-la*  
 Robert Nkemdiche - *Kim-DEE-chee*  
 Loucheiz Purifoy - *lou-CHEZ Pure-uh-foye*  
 Josiah Schakel - *Shackle*  
 Jerminic Smith - *jir-muh-NEEK*

## GAME DETAILS

	Friday, June 14 Commonwealth Stadium Edmonton, AB
	TSN Dustin Nielson (PBP), Glen Sutor (Colour), Tom Gazzola (Sideline)
	630 CHED Morley Scott (PBP), Dave Campbell (Colour), Blake Dermott (Analyst)

## 2024 SCHEDULE (0-1-0)

WEEK	DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE/TIME
1	Sat., June. 8	vs. Saskatchewan	29-21 L
2	Fri., June. 14	vs. Montreal	7:00 PM MT
3	Sat., June. 22	@ Toronto	5:00 PM MT
4	Thu., Jun. 27	@ B.C.	8:00 PM MT
6	Sun., July. 14	@ Ottawa	5:00 PM MT
7	Fri., July. 19	vs. Ottawa	5:00 PM MT
8	Sun., July. 28	vs. Hamilton	5:00 PM MT
9	Sat., Aug. 3	@ Saskatchewan	5:00 PM MT
10	Sun., Aug. 11	vs. B.C.	5:00 PM MT
11	Sat., Aug. 17	@ Hamilton	5:00 PM MT
12	Sun., Aug. 25	@ Montreal	5:00 PM MT
13	Mon., Sept. 2	@ Calgary	4:00 PM MT
14	Sat., Sept. 7	vs. Calgary	5:00 PM MT
16	Sat, Sept. 21	vs. Winnipeg	5:00 PM MT
17	Fri., Sept. 27	@ Winnipeg	6:00 PM MT
18	Sat., Oct. 5	vs. Saskatchewan	5:00 PM MT
19	Sat., Oct. 12	@ Calgary	2:00 PM MT
21	Fri., Oct. 25	@ Toronto	7:30 p.m. MT

## THE SERIES

	30-13-0 in Edmonton Streak: 3 Losses   6-4-0 in last 10 Last: 35-21 L / Oct. 14, 2023
	19-20-2 in Montreal Streak: 1 Win   6-4-0 in last 10 Last: 32-31 W / July 14, 2022
	49-33-2 all-time Streak: 2 Losses   6-4-0 in last 10 Last: 35-21 L / Oct. 14, 2023



2024 STARTERS (DEFENCE)

WK	CB	HB	FS	HB	CB	WLB	MLB	SLB	DE	DT	DT	DE
1	GRAY	Bratton	K. JACKSON	BYNUM	M. LEWIS	ANDERSON	Morgan	O'NEAL	MCKNIGHT	NKEMDICHE	CURTIS	E. BROWN
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2024 STARTERS (OFFENCE)

WK	WR	SB	R	SB	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	RB	FB	QB
1	Lewis	GITTENS JR.	MAYALA	MITCHELL	FLOWERS	IVEY	Foucault	Korte	J. Kurdyla	Steward	Brown	Green	Bethel-T
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2024 STARTERS (SPECIALS)

WK	K	P	LS	RET
1	Bede	Julien	Burton-Krahn	Leake
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2024 STARTERS (SPECIALS)

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2024 LEADERS (PER GAME)

WEEK	VS.	RUSHES	RUSHING YDS	CATCHES	REC. YDS	TACKLES	ST TACKLES
1	SSK	Brown - 7	Brown - 23	Gittens Jr. - 9	Mitchell - 93	Morgan - 9	Muemi - 2
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2024 LEADERS (SEASON)

PASSING	GP	COMP-ATT / %	YARDS	TD	INT	EFFIC	INT %	AVG
BETHEL-THOMPSON, McLeod	1	33-42 /78.6%	336	2	1	106.8	2.4	8.0
FORD, Tre	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
PRUKOP, Dakota	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

RUSHING	GP	CARRIES	YARDS	AVG	LG	TD	10	20
BROWN, Kevin	1	7	23	3.3	13	0	1	0
PRUKOP, Dakota	1	1	6	6.0	6	0	0	0
BETHEL-THOMPSON, McLeod	1	1	6	6.0	6	0	0	0
LEAKE, Javon	1	3	4	1.3	6	0	0	0

RECEIVING	GP	REC-ATT	YARDS	YAC	AVG	LG	TD	30
MITCHELL, Dillon	1	7-7	93	32	13.3	25	0	0
LEWIS, Eugene	1	4-6	85	51	14.2	52	0	1
GITTENS JR., Kurligh	1	9-12	62	16	5.2	20	0	0
MAYALA, Hergy	1	5-6	40	5	6.7	22	2	0
BROWN, Kevin	1	5-5	26	18	5.2	7	0	0
SMITH, Jerminic	1	1-2	12	6	6.0	12	0	0
LEAKE, Javon	1	1-1	4	4	4.0	4	0	0

RETURNS	GP	PR	YARDS	AVG	LG	TD	KOR	YARDS	AVG	LG	TD
LEAKE, Javon	1	3	29	9.7	13	0	5	102	20.4	24	0
FLOWERS, Malik	1	4	24	6.0	12	0	--	--	--	--	--

PUNTS / KO	GP	PUNTS	YARDS	AVG	LG	S	KO	YDS	AVG	LG	S
JULIEN, Jake	1	7	381	54.4	69	1	--	--	--	--	--
BEDE, Boris	1	--	--	--	--	--	3	208	69.3	76	0

FG / CONVERTS	GP	FGA	MD	%	LG	<20	20-29	30-39	40-49	>=50	CVT
BEDE, Boris	1	3	2	66.7	47	1	0	1	0	-	2

DEF. TACKLES	ST TACKLES	SACKS	INT	FORCED FUMBLE
MORGAN - 9	MUEMBI - 2	BRODRIQUE - 1	BRATTON - 1	BYNUM - 1
O'NEAL - 6	BRODRIQUE - 1	NKEMDICHE - 1	GRAY - 1	
BYNUM - 3	BEDE - 1			
BRODRIQUE - 2	DUBLANKO - 1			
GRAY - 2	IVEY - 1			
ACHEAMPONG - 1	MILLER JR. - 1			
BRATTON - 1	O'NEAL - 1			
CURTIS - 1				



**WEEK 1 (vs. SSK)**  
SATURDAY, JUNE, 8  
Attendance: 20, 681

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	FINAL
<b>SSK</b>	7	0	1	21	<b>29</b>
<b>EDM</b>	3	8	7	3	<b>21</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

**1<sup>ST</sup> QUARTER**

8:49 | B. BEDE Field Goal (17 yds)----- 3-0 EDM  
5:42 | T. HARRIS completed pass to S. BANE JR., for 27 yards  
to EDM00-TD; convert kick good----- 7-3 SSK

**2<sup>ND</sup> QUARTER**

11:04 | J. JULIEN Punt (57 yds) - SINGLE----- 7-4 SSK  
1:10 | BETHEL-THOMPSON completed pass to H. MAYALA for  
22 yards to SSK00-TD; convert kick good----- 11-7 EDM

**3<sup>RD</sup> QUARTER**

4:49 | A. KORSACK Punt (62 yds) - SINGLE----- 11-8 EDM  
1:38 | BETHEL-THOMPSON completed pass to H. MAYALA for  
6 yards to SSK00-TD; convert kick good----- 18-8 EDM

**4<sup>TH</sup> QUARTER**

13:38 | B. BEDE Field Goal (30 yds)----- 21-8 EDM  
11:35 | T. HARRIS completed pass to S. BANE JR., for 40 yards  
to EDM00-TD; convert kick good----- 21-15 EDM  
9:02 | A. OUELLETTE Run (1 yard) to EDM00-TD; convert kick  
good----- 22-21 SSK  
1:10 | T. HARRIS completed pass to S. BANE JR., for 33 yards to  
EDM00-TD; convert kick good----- 29-21 SSK

**TEAM STATISTICS**

**SSK EDM**

**OFFENCE**

338 --- YARDS --- 349  
29:10 --- POSSESSION TIME --- 28:41  
131-30-4.4 --- 1ST DOWN (YARDS - ATT - AVG) --- 236-34-6.9  
199-22-9.0 --- 2ND DOWN (YARDS - ATT - AVG) --- 137-23-5.7  
0-0-0.0 --- 3RD DOWN (YARDS - ATT - AVG) --- 0-0-0.0

**RUSHING**

18 --- ATTEMPTS --- 12  
40 --- YARDS --- 39  
1.8 --- AVERAGE --- 3.3  
1 --- TOUCHDOWNS --- 0

**PASSING**

31 --- ATTEMPTS --- 42  
22 --- COMPLETIONS --- 33  
305 --- YARDS --- 336  
9.8 --- AVERAGE --- 8.0  
--- YARDS AFTER CATCH ---  
2 --- INTERCEPTIONS --- 1  
3 --- TOUCHDOWNS --- 2  
40 --- LONG --- 52  
71.0% --- COMPLETION % --- 79.0%  
107.6 --- EFFICIENCY --- 106.8

**TURNOVERS**

2 --- FUMBLES --- 3  
1 --- FUMBLES LOST --- 2  
2 --- INTERCEPTIONS --- 1  
0 --- DOWNS --- 0

**PENALTIES**

6-44 --- TOTAL PENALTIES (NO - YARDS) --- 11-101  
2-40 --- OFFENCE (NO - YARDS) --- 3-15  
2-25 --- DEFENCE (NO - YARDS) --- 5-56  
2-19 --- SPECIAL TEAMS (NO - YARDS) --- 3-30

**DEFENCE**

46 --- DEFENSIVE TACKLES --- 39  
8 --- SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES --- 8  
54 --- TOTAL TACKLES --- 47  
2 --- QB SACKS --- 2  
2 --- FORCED FUMBLES --- 1  
2 --- PASS KNOCKDOWNS --- 3  
1 --- INTERCEPTIONS --- 2  
2 --- FUMBLE RETURNS --- 1