MONDAY

SOCCER	Time	TV
UEFA European Championship, Croatia vs. Spain UEFA European Championship,	8:30 a.m.	ESPN
France vs. Switzerland	11:30 a.m.	ESPN
Copa America, Bolivia vs. Argentina	5 p.m.	FS1
Copa America, Uruguay vs. Paraguay	5 p.m.	FS2
TENNIS		
Wimbledon	8:30 a.m.	ESPN2
Wimbledon	3 a.m. (Tue)	ESPN
BASEBALL		
College World Series finals,		
Vanderbilt vs. Mississippi St.	4 p.m.	ESPN2
MLB, regional coverage	4 p.m.	MLB
MLB, San Francisco at L.A. Dodgers (in progress)	9 p.m.	MLB
HOCKEY		
NHL, Stanley Cup Final, Montreal at Tampa Bay	5 p.m.	NBCSN
BASKETBALL		
NBA playoffs, L.A. Clippers at Phoenix	6 p.m.	ESPN
CYCLING		
Tour de France, Stage 4	4:30 a.m. (Tue) NBCSN
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Tour de France, Stage 4	4:30 a.m. (Tue) NBCSN	
TUESDAY		
SOCCER		
UEFA European Championship,		
England vs. Germany	8:30 a.m.	ESPN
UEFA European Championship, Sweden vs. Ukraine	e 11:30 a.m.	ESPN
TENNIS		
Wimbledon	8:30 a.m.	ESPN2
Wimbledon	3 a.m. (Wed)	ESPN
BASEBALL		
College World Series finals,		
Vanderbilt vs. Mississippi St.	4 p.m.	ESPN
MLB, regional coverage	4 p.m.	MLB
MLB, Seattle at Toronto	4 p.m.	Root
MLB, San Francisco at L.A. Dodgers	7 p.m.	ESPN
BASKETBALL		
WNBA, Connecticut at Washington	4 p.m.	ESPN2
NBA playoffs, Milwaukee at Atlanta	5:30 p.m.	TNT
CYCLING		
Tour de France, Stage 5	3:30 a.m. (Wed	I) NBCSN

SPORTS BRIEFING

Listings are the most accurate available.

MEN'S GOLF

English wins Travelers, beating Hickok — Harris English birdied the eighth hole of sudden death to win the Travelers Championship on Sunday, beating Kramer Hickok after both birdied the final hole of regulation to force the playoff. It matched the second-longest sudden-death playoff in PGA Tour history. English shot a 5-under 65 to finish the fourth round at 13 under, then made a 5-foot putt on the seventh trip down the 18th hole of the day. Hickok had missed a 36-foot birdie putt and finished the playoff with eight consecutive pars.

SOCCER

MLS looks into alleged racial abuse — Major League Soccer is investigating allegations of racial abuse directed at Portland Timbers midfielder Diego Chara. Timbers coach Giovanni Savarese said after Portland's 1-0 loss to Minnesota United on Friday night that a "discriminatory word" had been used by a Loons player toward Chara, who is Black and from Colombia. "MLS has zero tolerance for abusive and offensive language, and we take these allegations very seriously," the league said in a statement. Minnesota United released a statement saying the Loons player involved, who was not identified, denied making "any derogatory remarks."

TOUR DE FRANCE

Van der Poel honors grandfather — What his grandfather failed to do in 14 editions of the Tour de France, Mathieu van der Poel achieved at his first attempt. The Tour debutant pointed a finger toward the sky in memory of his grandfather, Raymond Poulidor, as he crossed the finish line of the second stage at cycling's biggest race on Sunday to snatch the coveted yellow jersey. "It's a shame he is not here, but what can I do," the 26-year-old Van der Poel said about Poulidor, while holding back tears after his maiden Tour stage win following a blazing attack. Poulidor, who died in November 2019, took part in 14 Tours from 1962-76, finishing in second place overall three times and third five times. The younger Van der Poel jumped out of the group of favorites in the 2-kilometer climb leading to Mur-de-Bretagne, where the finish was set. The Dutchman used his greater power with 700 meters left to drop all the main contenders in the long stretch of road. Defending champion Tadej Pogacar was next across the line.

— Bulletin wire reports

Korda

Continued from A5

"The past few days, the battle with Lizette, it's been a lot of fun. It's been stressful. I think it's had everything," Korda said. "But I just can't believe it. I'm still in shock."

At 19-under 269, she tied the Women's PGA record to par last matched by Inbee Park at Westchester Country Club in 2015.

Korda won for the second straight week — her third LPGA title this year — and it was enough to become the first American at No. 1 in the women's world ranking since Stacy Lewis in 2014.

Jin Young Ko had held the No. 1 spot for nearly two years. Her only mistake came

when it didn't matter. Korda seized control with a 6-iron she caught heavy enough to worry it might not clear the pond on the par-5 12th and was relieved when it rolled out to 8 feet for eagle.

That turned into a three-shot swing when Salas — who spent the weekend hitting hybrids on holes that Korda had short irons — hit wedge over the green into a bunker and made bogey.

"That was my favorite wedge, too," Salas said. "The good thing is I was committed to that shot. This wind is pretty swirly. Maybe a little drop-kick, Í don't know. Got a few extra yards out of it."

Korda's older sister, Jessica, was among the first to embrace her on the 18th green as the emotions began to emerge.

It was a big celebration for one of the top sporting families in the world. The Korda sisters each have six LPGA victories. Their younger brother, Sebastian, is at Wimbledon this week as the 50thranked player in men's tennis and has a chance to join them

in Tokyo for the Olympics. Their father is Petr Korda, who won the Australian Open in tennis in 1998.

SCOREBOARD

15

GB

31/2

BASKETBALL

NBA playoffs CONFERENCE FINALS (Best-of-7) x-if necessary Eastern Conference

Atlanta 1, Milwaukee 1 Sunday: Milwaukee at Atlanta, 5:30 p.m. Tuesday: Milwaukee at Atlanta, 5:30 p.m. Thursday: Atlanta at Milwaukee, 5:30 p.m. x-Saturday: Milwaukee at Atlanta, 5:30 p.m. x-July 5: Atlanta at Milwaukee, 5:30 p.m. Western Conference

Phoenix 3, L.A. Clippers 1 Monday: L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 6 p.m. x-Wednesday: Phoenix at L.A. Clippers, 6 p.m. x-Friday: L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 6 p.m.

(Best-of-7) Conference Finals winners, TBA

	V	VNBA						
EASTERN CONFERENCE								
	W	L	Pct	GB				
Connecticut	10	5	.667	_				
Chicago	9	8	.529	2				
New York	8	8	.500	21/2				
Washington	7	8	.467	3				
Atlanta	5	9	.357	41/2				
Indiana	1	15	.063	91/2				
١	WESTERN CONFERENCE							
	W	L	Pct	GB				
Seattle	12	4	.750	_				
Las Vegas	11	4	.733	1/2				
Dallas	8	8	.500	4				
Phoenix	7	7	.500	4				
Minnesota	7	7	.500	4				
Los Angeles	6	8	.429	5				
Sunday's Games								

Connecticut 74, Chicago 58 Las Vegas 95, Seattle 92, OT Phoenix 88, Los Angeles 79 Monday's Games No games scheduled Connecticut at Washington, 4 p.m. New York at Atlanta, 4 p.m.

Chicago at Dallas, 5 p.m. Minnesota at Phoenix, 7 p.m. Las Vegas at Los Angeles, 7:30 p.m.

	BAS	EBA	LL	
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		AN LEAG Division	UE	
	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	47	31	.603	_
Tampa Bay	47	32	.595	1/2
Toronto	40	36	.526	6
New York	40	37	.519	61/2
Baltimore	24	54	.308	23
	Centra	al Divisio	1	
	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	45	32	.584	_
Cleveland	41	33	.554	21/2
Detroit	34	44	.436	111/2
Kansas City	33	43	.434	111/2
Minnesota	33	43	.434	111/2
	West	Division		
	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	48	30	.615	_
Oakland	47	33	.588	2
Seattle	41	38	.519	71/2
Los Angeles	37	40	.481	101/2
Texas	30	48	.385	18

Saturday's Games Detroit 3, Houston 1, 7 innings, 1st game Toronto 12, Baltimore 4 Tampa Bay 13, L.A. Angels 3 Texas 8, Kansas City 0 Houston 3, Detroit 2, 7 innings, 2nd game Boston 4, N.Y. Yankees 2 San Francisco 6, Oakland 5, 10 innings Seattle at Chicago White Sox, sus.

Cleveland at Minnesota, ppd.

Sunday's Games
Boston 9, N.Y. Yankees 2 Toronto 5, Baltimore 2 L.A. Angels 6, Tampa Bay 4 Detroit 2, Houston 1, 10 innings Minnesota 8, Cleveland 2 Texas 4, Kansas City 1 Seattle 3, Chicago White Sox 2, 1st game

Oakland 6, San Francisco 2 Chicago White Sox 7, Seattle 5, 7 innings, 2nd game Monday's Games L.A. Angels (Bundy 1-7) at N.Y. Yankees (King 0-3), Detroit (Manning 1-1) at Cleveland (Morgan 0-2), 4:10 p.m. Kansas City (Duffy 4-3) at Boston (Richards 4-5), 4:10 p.m. Baltimore (Eshelman 0-1) at Houston (Greinke 8-2),

Minnesota (Maeda 3-2) at Chicago White Sox (Giolito

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NATIONAL LEAGUE At A Glance East Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB				
New York	40	33	.548	_				
Washington	37	38	.493	4				
Atlanta	37	40	.481	5				
Philadelphia	36	39	.480	5				
Miami [']	33	44	.429	9				
Central Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB				
Milwaukee	45	33	.577	_				
Chicago	42	36	.538	3				

St. Louis 29 47 West Division .382 Pittsburgh San Francisco .649 .603 Los Angeles San Diego Colorado 33 47 57 31

Saturday's Games

St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 1 Cincinnati 4, Atlanta 1 Miami 3, Washington 2 N.Y. Mets 4, Philadelphia 3 Milwaukee 10, Colorado 4 L.A. Dodgers 3, Chicago Cubs 2 Arizona 10, San Diego 1 San Francisco 6, Oakland 5, 10 innings

Arizona

Sunday's Games Washington 5, Miami 1 Atlanta 4, Cincinnati 0 Philadelphia 4, N.Y. Mets 2 Pittsburgh 7, St. Louis 2 Milwaukee 5, Colorado 0 Oakland 6, San Francisco 2 San Diego 5, Arizona 4 L.A. Dodgers 7, Chicago Cubs 1

Monday's Games
Pittsburgh (Anderson 3-7) at Colorado (Freeland 0-2), Philadelphia (Howard 0-2) at Cincinnati (Miley 6-4),

N.Y. Mets (Eickhoff 0-0) at Washington (TBD), 4:05 p.m. Chicago Cubs (Hendricks 10-4) at Milwaukee (Peralta 7-2), 5:10 p.m. Arizona (Faria 0-0) at St. Louis (LeBlanc 0-1), 5:15 p.m. San Francisco (DeSclafani 8-2) at L.A. Dodgers (Bauer 7-5), 7:10 p.m.

HOCKEY

NHL playoffs STANLEY CUP FINALS Tampa Bay vs. Montreal Monday: Montreal at Tampa Bay, 5 p.m. Wednesday: Montreal at Tampa Bay, 5 p.m. Friday: Tampa Bay at Montreal, 5 p.m. Monday, July 5: Tampa Bay at Montreal, 5 p.m.
x-Wednesday, July 7: Montreal at Tampa Bay, 5 p.m. x-Friday, July 9: Tampa Bay at Montreal, 5 p.m. x-Sunday, July 11: Montreal at Tampa Bay, 4 p.m.

GOLF

Women's PGA Championship KPMG Women's Championship Scores Sunday At Atlanta Athletic Club Johns Creek, Ga. Purse: \$4.5 million

Yardage: 6,740; Par: 72 Final Round Nelly Korda, \$675,000 70-63-68-68—269 Nelly Korda, 50/5,000 (70-65-68-68-269 Lizette Salas, \$418,716 67-67-67-71—272 Hyo Joo Kim, \$269,361 71-69-70-68—278 Giulia Molinaro, \$269,361 70-70-66-72—278 Danielle Kang, \$171,934 73-67-73-67—280 Patty Tavatanakit, \$171,934 70-71-65-74—280 Austin Ernst, \$121,501 69-71-71-70—281 Celine Boutier, \$121,501 73-64-69-75—281 Amy Yang, \$93,608 72-72-74-64—282 Cydney Clanton, \$93,608 70-67-75-70—282 Xiyu Lin, \$93,608 69-71-70-72—282 Sei Young Kim, \$75,343 76-69-70-68—283 Wichanee Meechai, \$75,343 73-67-72-71— Dottie Ardina, \$75,343 70-70-68-75—283 Leona Maguire, \$58,839 72-70-71-71—284 Nanna Koerstz Madsen, \$58,839 70-71-72-71-Jessica Korda, \$58,839 69-72-72-71—284 Yealimi Noh, \$58,839 69-72-70-73—284 Esther Henseleit, \$58,839 71-68-70-75—284 Madelene Sagstrom, \$58,839 70-68-71-75—284 Yuka Saso, \$48,142 73-70-75-67—285 Georgia Hall, \$48,142 75-67-72-71—285 Brooke M. Henderson, \$48,142 74-70-69-72—285 Charley Hull, \$48,142 68-71-74-72—285 Yu Liu, \$42,985 72-69-72-73—286 Alena Sharp, \$42,985 69-68-75-74-286 Alison Lee, \$36,793 74-72-74-67—287 Moriya Jutanugarn, \$36,793 76-67-75-69—287 Dani Holmqvist, \$36,793 69-74-75-69—287 Megan Khang, \$36,793 73-73-70-71—287 Lindsey Weaver, \$36,793 73-70-71-73—287 In Gee Chun, \$36,793 70-73-70-74—287 Jeongeun Lee, \$28,229 73-73-74-68-288 Marina Alex, \$28,229 72-69-78-69—288 Mariah Stackhouse, \$28,229 74-70-74-70-So Yeon Ryu, \$28,229 72-70-73-73—288 Chella Choi, \$28,229 70-72-72-74—288 Chelia Choi, 5,28,229 76-72-72-74—288 Gabriela Ruffels *, 528,229 76-65-72-75—288 Ryann O'Toole, 528,229 71-69-72-76—288 Hinako Shibuno, \$21,587 76-70-76-67—289 Minjee Lee, \$21,587 73-72-74-70—289 Lauren Stephenson, \$21,587 77-68-73-71—289 Brittany Lang, \$21,587 71-68-77-73—289 Cerisp Billet \$21,587 70-27,71-75—289 Gerina Piller, \$21,587 70-73-71-75—289 Perrine Delacour, \$17,116 76-70-75-69—290 Gerina Piller, \$21,587 70-73-71-75—289
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Ally Ewing, \$14,442 73-70-72-76—291
Lexi Thompson, \$14,442 73-70-72-76—291
Caroline Masson, \$13,066 76-68-73-75—292
Angela Stanford, \$11,600 72-74-76-71-293
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PGA Tour Travelers Championship Scores Sunday
At TPC River Highlands Cromwell, Conn. Yardage: 6,841; Par: 70 Purse: \$7.4 Million Final Round x-won on the eighth playoff hole x-Harris English (500), \$1,332,000 67-68-67-65—267

Kramer Hickok (300), \$806,600 63-69-68-67-267 Marc Leishman (190), \$510,600 69-66-69-64—268 Abraham Ancer (135), \$362,600 72-66-66-65—269

Brice Garnett (93), \$253,820 65-68-69-68-270 Brian Harman (93), \$253,820 68-68-67-67—270 Kevin Kisner (93), \$253,820 70-63-74-63—270 Brooks Koepka (93), \$253,820 69-67-69-65—270 Hank Lebioda (93), \$253,820 69-68-67-66—270 Jason Day (70), \$186,850 69-62-70-70—271 Beau Hossler (70), \$186,850 65-70-72-64—271 Sepp Straka (70), \$186,850 66-70-69-66—271 Guido Migliozzi, \$132,583 69-65-71-67—272 Andrew Putnam (54), \$132,583 70-67-69-66—272 Sam Burns (54), \$132,583 66-71-67-68—272 Patrick Cantlay (54), \$132,583 68-66-70-68—272 Mark Hubbard (54), \$132,583 69-65-69-69—272 Adam Scott (54), \$132,583 69-69-67-67—272 Bryson DeChambeau (42), \$87,690 69-66-68-70-273 Russell Henley (42), \$87,690 67-66-68-72—273 Lucas Herbert, \$87,690 70-67-67-69—273 Seamus Power (42), \$87,690 66-67-71-69-273 Robert Streb (42), \$87,690 68-68-67-70—273 Bubba Watson (42), \$87,690 66-66-68-73—273 Jim Herman (33), \$58,090 68-69-67-70—274 Dustin Johnson (33), \$58,090 70-68-65-71—274 Zach Johnson (33), \$58,090 66-70-69-69—274 Chez Reavie (33), \$58,090 70-67-69-68—274 Patrick Reed (33), \$58,090 69-66-70-69—274 Stewart Cink (24), \$45,325 68-67-74-66—275 Charley Hoffman (24), \$45,325 72-63-70-70—275 Maverick McNealy (24), \$45,325 65-70-70-70—275 Cameron Smith (24), \$45,325 67-68-66-74—275 Brian Stuard (24), \$45,325 69-66-70-70—275 Brendon Todd (24), \$45,325 68-69-67-71—275 Jonas Blixt (15), \$30,744 68-68-72-68—276 Faul Casey (15), \$30,744 71-67-69-69—276 Kevin Chappell (15), \$30,744 68-67-72-69—2 Talor Gooch (15), \$30,744 64-70-73-69—276 JB. Holmes (15), \$30,744 70-68-67-71—276 Joaquin Niemann (15), \$30,744 68-67-73-68—276 Justin Rose (15), \$30,744 70-63-74-69—276 Matt Jones (15), \$30,744 70-66-67-73—276 Satoshi Kodaira (15), \$30,744 63-72-68-73—276 Troy Merritt (15), \$30,744 68-65-70-73—276 lan Poulter (15), \$30,744 68-66-70-72—276 Austin Eckroat, \$19,377 72-66-69-70—277 Tom Lewis (9), \$19,377 67-67-74-69—277 Tom Lewis (9), 519,377 67-67-74-69—2/7 Carlos Ortiz (9), 519,377 70-65-71-71—277 Scottie Scheffler (9), 519,377 69-65-71-72—277 JJ. Spaun (9), 519,377 71-67-69-70—277 Harold Varner III (9), 519,377 70-68-68-71—277 Kevin Na (9), 519,377 69-68-68-72—277 Tyler Duncan (6), 517,094 69-67-72-70—278 Doug Ghim (6), 517,094 68-66-72-72—278 December 16), 517,094 68-66-72-72—278 Peter Malnati (6), \$17,094 68-70-69-71—278 Ryan Moore (6), \$17,094 72-65-72-69—278 Cameron Percy (6), \$17,094 70-66-72-70—278 Sam Ryder (6), \$17,094 69-69-70-70—278 Sam Ryder (6), \$17,094 69-69-70-70—278 Kyle Stanley (6), \$17,094 70-68-69-71—278 Kyle Stanley (6), \$17,094 70-68-69-71—278 Ryan Armour (4), \$16,206 69-67-13—279 Phil Mickelson (4), \$16,206 69-69-72-69—279 Henrik Norlander (4), \$16,206 69-65-71-71-72—279 Doc Redman (4), \$16,206 69-66-73-71-279 Andrew Svoboda, \$16,206 69-69-72-69—279 Tom Hoge (4), \$15,540 67-71-72-0—280 Kevin Tway (4), \$15,540 73-65-71-71—280 Aaron Wise (4), \$15,540 73-65-71-71—280 Lanto Griffin (3), \$15,022 71-67-73-70—281 Kris Ventura (3), \$15,022 71-67-73-70—281 Kris Ventura (3), \$15,022 69-69-71-72—281 David Hearn (3), \$14,578 69-68-73-71—282 K.H. Lee (3), \$14,578 69-64-69-80—282 David Health (3), \$14,578 69-64-69-80—282 Denny McCarthy (3), \$14,578 72-66-71-73—282 Mackenzie Hughes (2), \$14,134 67-71-71-74—283 Nate Lashley (2), \$14,134 69-67-73-74—283 Patrick Rodgers (2), \$14,134 65-71-74-73—283 Will Gordon (2), \$13,838 71-67-76-75—289

SOCCER

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	Easte	rn Co	nferer	ıce		
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	G/
New England	7	2	2	23	18	13
Orlando City	6	1	3	21	18	
Phila.	5	2	4	19	15	10
NY City FC	5	3	2	17	18	1
Columbus	4	3	3	15	9	
Nashville	3	1	6	15	13	1
New York	4	5	1	13	14	13
D.C. United	4	6	1	13	10	13
CF Montréal	3	3	4	13	11	10
Atlanta	2	2	6	12	11	10
Cincinnati	3	5	1	10	9	1.
Inter Miami CF	2	6	2	8	9	16
Toronto FC	1	7	2	5	12	20
Chicago	1	7	2	5	7	1.
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Sporting KC LA Galaxy 22 17 15 10 15 13 14 12 12 15 15 11 12 16 15 11 12 20 15 11 Colorado 16 14 14 13 13 Minnesota United Houston Real SL 12 10 10 LA FC 3 FC Dallas Austin FC 10 Vancouver 2 6 2 8 10 NOTE: Three points for victory, one point for tie.

Saturday, June 26 Sporting KC 2, LA FC 1 Cincinnati 2, Toronto FC 0 Houston 1, Real SL 1, tie Phila. 3, Chicago 3, tie CF Montréal 1, Nashville 1, tie Vancouver 2, Seattle 2, tie LA Galaxy 3, San Jose 1 Minnesota 1, Portland 0

Sunday, June 27 New York 0, Atlanta 0, tie NY City FC 2, D.C. United 1 Columbus 0. Austin FC 0. tie FC Dallas 2, New England 1

Thursday, July 1

Portland at Austin FC, 6:30 p.m

NWSL						
	W	L	Т	Pts	GF	GA
Orlando	4	1	3	15	12	8
North Carolina	4	2	1	13	12	4
Portland	4	3	0	12	12	6
Washington	3	1	3	12	8	7
Gotham FC	3	1	2	11	6	2
Louisville	3	3	1	10	6	10
Houston	3	3	1	10	8	8
Chicago	2	4	2	8	5	13
Reign FC	2	4	1	7	5	8
Kansas City	0	6	2	2	4	12
NOTE: Thrée poir	nts for	victor	y, one	point f	or tie.	

MOTOR SPORTS

NASCAR Cup Series

Sunday Pocono Result Long Pond, Pa. Lap length: 2.50 miles (Start position in parentheses)

1. (19) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 140 laps, 44 points 2. (12) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 140, 38. 3. (11) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 140, 50. 4 (13) Kevin Harvick, Ford, 140, 33 5. (7) Bubba Wallace, Toyota, 140, 38. 6. (16) Ryan Blaney, Ford, 140, 38. 7. (20) Alex Bowman, Chevrolet, 140, 30. 8. (23) Ryan Preece, Chevrolet, 140, 29. 9. (10) Tyler Reddick, Chevrolet, 140, 31. 10. (14) Joey Logano, Ford, 140, 28. 11. (3) Martin Truex Jr, Toyota, 140, 41. 12. (18) William Byron, Chevrolet, 140, 35. 13. (21) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 140, 24. 14. (17) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 140, 32. 15. (8) Daniel Suarez, Chevrolet, 140, 24. 16. (5) Aric Almirola, Ford, 140, 32. 17. (2) Michael McDowell, Ford, 140, 25. 18. (32) Matt DiBenedetto, Ford, 140, 19. 19. (1) Chris Buescher, Ford, 140, 18. 20. (15) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 140, 17. (15) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 140, 16.
 (24) Chase Briscoe, Ford, 140, 16.
 (37) Ryan Newman, Ford, 140, 15.
 (36) Corey Lajoie, Chevrolet, 139, 14.
 (38) Cole Custer, Ford, 139, 13.
 (27) Justin Allgaier, Chevrolet, 139, 0.
 (33) Ross Chastain, Chevrolet, 139, 12.
 (9) Chase Elliott, Chevrolet, 139, 16. 28. (25) Cody Ware, Chevrolet, 139, 0. 29. (30) BJ McLeod, Ford, 138, 0. 30. (28) James Davison, Chevrolet, 137, 7. 31. (22) Erik Jones, Chevrolet, 136, 6, 32. (4) Christopher Bell, Toyota, 135, 12. 33. (31) Quin Houff, Chevrolet, 135, 4. 34. (26) Anthony Alfredo, Ford, 134, 3. 35. (34) Josh Bilicki, Ford, 132, 2. 36. (29) Garrett Smithley, Chevrolet, engine, 122, 0. 37. (35) Timmy Hill, Toyota, handling, 113, 0.

Race Statistics
Average Speed of Race Winner: 143.023 mph Time of Race: 2 hours, 26 minutes, 49 seconds Margin of Victory: 8.654 seconds. Caution Flags: 4 for 15 laps. Lead Changes: 12 among 10 drivers. Lead Changes: 12 among 10 drivers. Lap Leaders: CBuescher 0-6; M.McDowell 7-13; M.Truex 14-32; B.Keselowski 33-45; Ky.Busch 46-73; B.Wallace 74-76; W.Byron 77-93; C.Bell 94-96; A.Bowman 97-114; B.Keselowski 115-132; W.Byron 133-137; D.Hamlin 138; Ky.Busch 139-140 Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): B.Ke-selowski, 2 times for 31 laps; Ky.Busch, 2 times for 30 laps; W.Byron, 2 times for 22 laps; M.Truex, 1 time for 19 Japs; A.Bowman, 1 time for 18 Japs; M.McDowell, 1 time for 7 Japs; C.Buescher, 1 time for 6 Japs; B.Wallace, 1 time for 3 Japs; C.Bell, 1 time for 3 Japs; D.Hamlin, 1

38. (6) Ricky Stenhouse Jr, Chevrolet, engine, 111, 5.

time for 1 lap. Wins: K.Larson, 4; M.Truex, 3; A.Bowman, 3; Ky.Busch, 2; J.Logano, 1; C.Elliott, 1; R.B.

Maylori, 17. Loudy, 1, C. Linder, 1, C. Linder, 2, 1, Abdilley, 1, Backerowski, 1; C. Bell, 1, M.M.C.Dovell, 1.

Top 16 in Points: 1. D. Hamlin, 761; 2. K. Larson, 759; 3.

W. Byron, 690; 4. J. Logano, 651; 5. K. Busch, 650; 6. C. Elliott, 633; 7. M. Turex, 606; 8. R. Blaney, 586; 9. K. Harvick, 585; 10. B. Keselowski, 569; 11. A. Bowman, 543; 12.

A. Dillon, 518; 13. T. Reddick, 475; 14. Ku. Busch, 430; 15. C.Buescher, 427; 16. C.Bell, 424.

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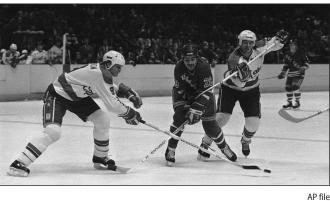
"Both organizations have really strong ownership, passionate fan bases, good coaching, strong support staff and ultimately really good players, and that's why we're going to be facing each other in the Stanley Cup finals this year."

Montreal is looking to hang a 25th Cup banner in the rafters at Bell Centre with a team that has plenty of similarities to Tampa Bay's 2015 group. That was the last time these teams met in a playoff series, and it was in the second round.

The Lightning now are a grizzled group with a handful of heartbreaking losses and the 2020 bubble triumph in the rearview mirror.

"It took a lot to get here: the heartbreak in 2015 getting all the way to the final and losing and then 2016 going to Game 7 against Pitt, losing that one, 2018 against Barry Trotz (and the Washington Capitals) — he beat us in Game 7 in this building, the heartbreak to Columbus in 2019," coach Jon Cooper said. "It was all building blocks to get to here."

Until this improbable run led by goaltender Carey Price, the Canadiens hadn't won a round since losing to the Lightning six years ago. Qualifying for the playoffs just twice in the previous five seasons made for plenty of turnover, so this young Montreal team reflects Tampa Bay



At a 1982 game, New York Rangers Mikko Leinonen gets hooked by Washington Capitals Alan Haworth as teammate Brian Engblom steals the puck. Leinonen was charging the net for a shot on goal during a power play when the two Caps put the pressure on.

teams of the recent past.

And the Lightning have over time learned how translate the lessons that come from losing into winning.

"For us now, we've been in a lot of these series," veteran forward Alex Killorn said. "Just going through that you learn a ton. You learn how in series you've got to be even keel. You've got to realize that things aren't always going to go your way. You might get a bad call, this might happen, that might happen. ... And I think the older you get, you might have just more experience."

BriseBois' experience in Montreal's organization as a young executive helped make the Lightning into a perennial contender. With an office next to Hall of Famer Jean Beliveau, BriseBois said he was "learning a lot more than I was contributing" and soaked up genera-

tions of Habs success. After working under longtime Tampa Bay GM Steve Yzerman, Brisebois took over in 2018. Their combined knowledge from the Canadiens and Detroit Red Wings became the blueprint in a far more nontra-

ditional market in Florida. The Lightning's 66 playoff and 333 regular-season victories since 2015 are the most in the NHL in that time.

"It's tough to do nowadays with keeping everybody once you win," said Luke Richardson, a one-time Tampa Bay defenseman who's filling in as Canadiens coach while Dominique Ducharme is in isolation for at least the first two games of the final. "Contracts go up, and you're in a salary cap era. But they somehow did it. And they are a solid team. And it's

not just a one-year-off team. They're a solid team built to win for a while."

Montreal wasn't expected to win this soon, though this is the kind of postseason GM Marc Bergevin envisioned when he traded for defenseman Shea Weber in 2016. The Canadiens may be ahead of schedule, much like the Lightning were when they lost to Chicago in the 2015 Final, but it took some tinkering from management to get to this point.

"He did a lot of good things, filled some holes for us this offseason, and it's paying off right now," Weber said. "There's been some hard times, there's been some good times, but it's a part of the journey and a part of the story. It's been a good ride so far and hope to keep it going here."

While Montreal is looking to end the organization's and Canada's 28-year Cup drought, the Lightning aim to join the 2016 and 2017 Pittsburgh Penguins as the only back-to-back champions since the salary cap era began in 2005. Tampa Bay won the last title before the cap went into place, which Engblom believes is part of the process of developing a winning franchise.

'You have to win somewhere along the way in order to really get people interested in a pretty new franchise," he said. "That's the part you can't compare. Montreal's been around for 100 years, so that's the huge difference. It takes time."