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NHL ANNOUNCES HOME OPENERS FOR 2017-18 REGULAR SEASON

NEW YORK (June 21, 2017) – The National Hockey League today announced the home openers for all 31 clubs for the 2017-18 regular season. The League's complete 1,271-game schedule will be revealed tomorrow, Thursday, June 22, at 3 p.m. ET on NHL Network during the live, hour-long **NHL Tonight: 2017-18 Schedule Release**, where host **Steve Mears** and analysts **E.J. Hradek** and Stanley Cup champion **John MacLean** will announce the regular-season schedule and provide analysis.

FULL LIST OF HOME OPENERS, 2017-18 SEASON

Anaheim Ducks: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Arizona
Arizona Coyotes: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Vegas
Boston Bruins: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Nashville
Buffalo Sabres: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Montreal
Calgary Flames: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Winnipeg
Carolina Hurricanes: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Minnesota
Chicago Blackhawks: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Pittsburgh
Colorado Avalanche: Wednesday, Oct. 11 vs. Boston
Columbus Blue Jackets: Friday, Oct. 6 vs. NY Islanders

Dallas Stars: Friday, Oct. 6 vs. Vegas

Detroit Red Wings: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Minnesota Edmonton Oilers: Wednesday, Oct. 4 vs. Calgary Florida Panthers: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Tampa Bay Los Angeles Kings: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Philadelphia Minnesota Wild: Saturday, Oct. 14 vs. Columbus Montreal Canadiens: Tuesday, Oct. 10 vs. Chicago Nashville Predators: Tuesday, Oct. 10 vs. Philadelphia New Jersey Devils: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Colorado New York Islanders: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Buffalo New York Rangers: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Colorado Ottawa Senators: Thursday, Oct. 5 vs. Washington Philadelphia Flyers: Saturday, Oct. 14 vs. Washington Pittsburgh Penguins: Wednesday, Oct. 4 vs. St. Louis San Jose Sharks: Wednesday, Oct. 4 vs. Philadelphia

Tampa Bay Lightning: Friday, Oct. 6 vs Florida Toronto Maple Leafs: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. NY Rangers Vancouver Canucks: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Edmonton Vegas Golden Knights: Tuesday, Oct. 10 vs. Arizona Washington Capitals: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs Montreal

Winnipeg Jets: Wednesday, Oct. 4 vs. Toronto

St. Louis Blues: Saturday, Oct. 7 vs. Dallas

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