



DODGE CALIBER SWEEPSTAKES 2006 OFFICIAL RULES


Contest details (open only to residents of the United States, must at least 13 years old to enter)

The NHL's Stanley Cup Playoffs are two months of grueling, hard-nosed hockey played by some of the toughest athletes to ever hit the ice, all in the pursuit of the most coveted trophy in all of sport - the legendary Stanley Cup.

The Sweepstakes is now final and registration is closed. Thank you for stopping by.


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The Prizing Details:


One (1) Grand Prize: A 2007 Dodge Caliber RT AWD. Winner to be announced on or about June 22, 2006. 

- The all-new 2007 Dodge Caliber breaks the mold with bold design - a sporty five-door compact car with a powerful stance that gives you the functional flexibility of an SUV
- Available MusicGate Power™ 458 watt Boston Acoustics system features nine speakers with subwoofer and swing down liftgate speakers
- Clever features like the available Chill Zone™ beverage storage bin that keeps four 20 ounce beverages cool in the confines of a three tiered glove box

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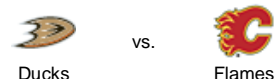
 **One (1) First Place Prize:** Trip for the winner and one guest to Games Three and Four of the 2006 NHL Stanley Cup Finals. Such trip includes round-trip economy air transportation from the international airport nearest winner's residence to the international airport nearest the location of such games, two tickets to Games Three and Four of the 2006 NHL Stanley Cup Finals and three nights lodging (double occupancy). Winner to be announced on or about May 18, 2006.

One (1) Second Place Prize: Trip for the winner and three guests to the 2006 NHL Awards Show and 2006 NHL Entry Draft in Vancouver, British Columbia from June 22 to June 25, 2006. Such trip includes round-trip economy air transportation for four from the international airport nearest winner's residence to Vancouver, British Columbia, four tickets to the 2006 NHL Awards Show and 2006 NHL Entry Draft and three nights lodging (double occupancy) in Vancouver. Winner to be announced on or about May 26, 2006. 

 **Sixteen (16) Third Place Prizes:** NHL authentic autographed player jerseys. Winners to be announced at the conclusion of each playoff round (on or about May 5, May 18, June 4 and June 22, 2006). Jerseys for those teams that have been eliminated from contention will be awarded on a random basis. One jersey for each playoff team. Is your team tough enough to make it to the end?

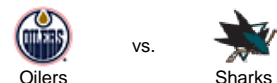
Eighty (80) Fourth Place Prizes: NHL authentic team pucks. Winners to be announced on or about June 22, 2006.

Round One Series Winner



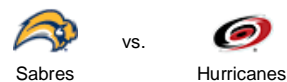
2,085 Votes

Round Two Series Winner



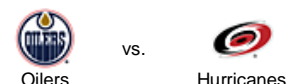
4,986 Votes

Round Three Series Winner



5,923 Votes

Round Four Series Winner



6,135 Votes



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Round Three Series Winner



In the third installment of "Vote for the NHL's Toughest Playoff Series Presented by the All-New 2007 Dodge Caliber," Carolina's seven-game vanquish of Buffalo was the overwhelming choice as the toughest third round series.

The teams alternated hard-fought victories in the first four games and then exchanged overtime wins in

Games Five and Six to take the series to the limit. In Game Seven, Carolina netted three consecutive third-period goals to pull out a 4-2 triumph on home ice.

Carolina's battle-scarred captain, Rod Brind'Amour, came through with a clutch performance in the final game. His goal with 8:38 remaining in the third period put the Hurricanes ahead 3-2, their first lead of the night. Brind'Amour also assisted on Justin Williams' insurance goal in the final minute to send the RBC Center crowd into a frenzy.

The Hurricanes won this battle by the slimmest of margins, as five of the seven games were decided by one goal. The series was also closely contested along the boards and in the open ice as Buffalo out-hit Carolina 164 to 161. Andrew Ladd was a standout force, leading the Canes in hits four out of the seven games. Buffalo received thunderous hits from Paul Gaustad, Jeff Jillson and Toni Lydman in Game One, but couldn't sustain the momentum. Lydman and Mike Grier paced the Sabres twice each in hits during the series.

Carolina advanced to the Stanley Cup Final for the second time in four seasons, earning a date with the Edmonton Oilers.



Round Two Series Winner



You the fans have voted once again, and the toughest second round series in the "Vote for the NHL's Toughest Playoff Series Presented by the All-New 2007 Dodge Caliber" is Edmonton's upset of San Jose.

The race wasn't close, and for good reason. The underdog Oilers ousted the Sharks in six rough-and-tumble games, the most memorable of which was Game Three. In the second period, Oilers captain Ryan Smyth took an errant clearing attempt in the mouth from teammate Chris Pronger. Dazed, but not down for the count, Smyth skated off the ice to receive medical attention, leaving behind a pool of blood and several of his teeth. Ouch! Smyth received a rousing ovation from the hometown fans while heading off the ice as a member of the arena crew removed the blood and a linesman put the teeth in a towel for safekeeping.

After receiving stitches in his mouth, think Smyth was entitled to take the rest of the game off? Probably, but the captain returned to battle behind the net for a loose puck and assist on Shawn Horcoff's goal in the third overtime, giving the Oilers a pivotal 3-2 win. Had Edmonton not been victorious, they would have trailed 3-0 in the series, a deficit overcome only twice in NHL playoff history.

Smyth's courageous effort inspired his teammates to win four straight and take the series after dropping the first two contests in San Jose. On to the Western Conference Final for the Oilers, a place they hadn't been since 1992.

In the six games, Edmonton dished out 150 hits and San Jose countered with 163, including an incredible 15-hit performance by Ville Nieminen in Game One. Which series will be voted as the toughest of the third round? Cast your vote now!



Round One Series Winner



You the fans have voted, and the toughest first round series in the "Vote for the NHL's Toughest Playoff Series Presented by the All-New 2007 Dodge Caliber" is the Anaheim-Calgary matchup.

The Mighty Ducks ousted the defending Western Conference champ Flames in seven grueling games, the only first round series to go the distance. The series drew more than twice as many votes as any of the other seven first round matchups.

Anaheim-Calgary was also one of only four series that featured multiple overtime games, with the Flames taking Game 1 on home ice and the Mighty Ducks winning Game 4 in Anaheim.

But this series was voted the toughest for a good reason. In the seven games, Anaheim dished out 133 hits and Calgary responded with 128. The Mighty Ducks were driven by Flames fans that were anticipating a Calgary victory and a "Battle of Alberta" second-round showdown with the archrival Edmonton Oilers.

The Anaheim-Calgary series was also where rookie goaltender Ilya Bryzgalov established himself as a force to be reckoned with. After allowing a first-period goal in Game 6, he blanked the Flames for the remaining 109:42 of the series, including a Game 7 shutout on the road. Bryzgalov became the first rookie goaltender to post a Game 7 shutout since 1993.

Which series will be voted as the toughest of the second round? Cast your vote now!