



# RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES

## 2025 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

Wednesday, July 9, 2025 6:30pm  
Game #83, Home Game #38

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LoanMart Field  
Rancho Cucamonga, CA



Inland Empire 66ers (6-10, 24-58)

AT

RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (7-9, 48-34)



RHP Peyton Olejnik (2-6, 4.62 ERA) vs. RHP Christian Zazueta (7-2, 2.37 ERA)

**TODAY'S GAME:** Welcome to LoanMart Field, as your Rancho Cucamonga Quakes continue their series with game two of a six-game home stand against the Inland Empire 66ers (Angels). Tonight is another Raising Cane's Bark in the Ballpark, as four-legged friends are welcome to the game with the purchase of a \$3 Pet Pass. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

**VS THE 66ERS:** Today's game is the 20th of 24 between these two teams in 2025 and the eighth of 12 here at home. The Quakes have taken five of six in all three series so far against the 66ers, and with last night's win, now have a 15-3 mark against the 66ers. In 2024, Rancho went 7-5 here at home vs Inland Empire, 17-7 overall.

**LAST GAME:** The Quakes scored the last nine runs of the game, defeating Inland Empire on Tuesday night at LoanMart Field by a final of 10-3. After falling behind 3-1, the offense came alive and the bullpen tossed five innings of scoreless relief, with Justin Chambers (1-0) firing two innings and getting the win in his Cal League debut. Niko Perez snapped a 3-3 tie with a two-run double in the third, finishing the game with three RBIs. Mairo Martinus went deep, his second of the year and also finished with three RBIs. Eduardo Quintero smacked his league-leading 14th homer.

**NIKO PEREZ ON FIRE:** Quakes' infielder Niko Perez has been red-hot with the bat, driving in 12 runs over his last ten games, including three games where he has at least three RBIs. He's hit safely in nine of those ten games, going 15-for-39 (.385 average). During that stretch, he's raised his average from .210 to .277.

**ROAD NOT SO FRIENDLY, LATELY:** The Quakes have had a tough go of it recently on the road, as they've dropped seven of their last nine road games overall. The recent San Jose series finished poorly for Rancho, as they dropped decisions of 9-2, 12-4 and 20-2. With Friday night's 15-3 loss at Visalia, they had been outscored by 45 runs (56-11) over a four-game road losing streak. Sunday's loss in Visalia drops Rancho to just 23-22 on the road this year.

**ROSTER MOVES:** The Quakes have made a few roster moves over the last few days, including one today, as RHP Christian Zazueta has been activated from the Development List. LHP Myles Caba has been promoted to High-A Great Lakes of the Midwest League. C Angel Diaz has landed on the Injured List. Joining Rancho is LHP Justin Chambers from the ACL and C Carlos Avila, also from the ACL.

**CHRISTIAN ZAZUETA:** 20-year-old right-hander Christian Zazueta makes his 14th start of the year and his fifth against the 66ers. This will be Zazueta's first start since June 18, when he allowed one hit with no walks and ten strikeouts over five innings in a win over Lake Elsinore. In his next scheduled start, Zazueta was pulled just minutes before first pitch with an injury. He was placed on the Development List a few days later. In four games against Inland Empire, he's 4-0 with a 1.29 ERA, allowing three earned runs on 11 hits over 21 innings. Last year in Rancho, Zazueta went 1-5 with a 6.36 ERA over 14 games (11 starts) and 52.1 innings. Zazueta, who was named this past Thursday as the Cal League Pitcher of the Month for May, signed with the Yankees in 2022 out of Mexico and then was traded to the Dodgers in February of 2024 in the trade that saw former Quake Caleb Ferguson go to the Yankees.

**PEYTON OLEJNIK:** 22-year-old righty Peyton Olejnik makes his 16th start and his fifth against the Quakes. In four previous starts against Rancho, he's gone 0-1 with a 4.00 ERA, allowing eight runs on 14 hits over 18 innings with 17 strikeouts and 18 walks. In his last outing, he allowed one run on six hits over six innings in a win at Lake Elsinore on July 3. Olejnik was drafted by the Angels in the sixth round of the 2024 draft out of Miami (OH).

**BROADCAST HOME:** Catch all the 2025 action with the "Voice of the Quakes" Mike Lindskog from the ease of your phone, smart device or computer. Listen on the iHeartRadio app, the Tune-In Radio app (Keyword: Quakes) or through the MLB First Pitch app. From your computer, you can listen by visiting iheart.com, tunein.com or by visiting the Quakes website at rcquakes.com. To listen LIVE at LoanMart Field, tune your portable FM radio to 91.3 FM. Home games are now available to WATCH for free via the Bally Live app!

**NEXT HOME GAME:** Coming up on Thursday, it's another Thirsty Thursday, with drink specials throughout the night, presented by All Pro Cooling, Heating, Plumbing and Electrical. On Friday night, the Quakes will become Las Chaquetas as 1,500 fans will take home a free bobblehead of former Quake, Joe Kelly! Game time is 6:30pm. Get tickets at RCQuakes.com.

### UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
7/10	vs Inland Empire	RHP Brandon Dufault at RHP Jholbran Herder	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/MILB.TV
7/11	vs Inland Empire	RHP Yeferson Vargas at RHP Logan Tabeling	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/MILB.TV
7/12	vs Inland Empire	RHP Chris Clark at LHP Sterling Patick	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/MILB.TV
7/13	vs Inland Empire	LHP Francis Texido at RHP Samuel Sanchez	2:00pm	iHeart, Tune-In/MILB.TV

### SECOND HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
San Jose	12	4	.750	-
Fresno	10	6	.625	2.0
Modesto	8	8	.500	4.0
Stockton	4	12	.250	8.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Visalia	9	7	.563	-
Lake Elsinore	8	8	.500	1.0
Rancho Cucamonga	7	9	.438	2.0
Inland Empire	6	10	.375	3.0

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### YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Lake Elsinore 2 Visalia 7  
Inland Empire 3 **RANCHO CUCAMONGA** 10  
Stockton 4 Modesto 10  
San Jose 4 Fresno 6

### TODAY'S GAMES

Lake Elsinore at Visalia, 6:30pm  
Inland Empire at **RANCHO CUCAMONGA**, 6:30pm  
Stockton at Modesto, 6:40pm  
San Jose at Fresno, 6:50pm

### TOMORROW'S GAMES

Lake Elsinore at Visalia, 6:30pm  
Inland Empire at **RANCHO CUCAMONGA**, 6:30pm  
Stockton at Modesto, 6:40pm  
San Jose at Fresno, 6:50pm

### 2025 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	41-25
2nd Half Record:	7-9
vs: Inland Empire	16-3
vs Inland Empire at home:	6-1
vs Inland Empire on road:	10-2
Home Record:	25-12
Road Record:	23-22
Extra Inning Record:	2-2
One-Run Games:	6-7
Shutouts:	6-3
Longest Winning Streak:	9
Longest Losing Streak:	8
Current Streak:	W1
Largest Division Lead:	11.0

### Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#46	Eduardo Quintero	RF
2.	#7	Elijah Hainline	SS
3.	#23	Samuel Munoz	LF
4.	#9	Mairo Martinus	CF
5.	#10	Niko Perez	2B
6.	#27	Jose Meza	1B
7.	#35	Oswaldo Osorio	3B
8.	#29	Eduardo Guerrero	DH
9.	#56	Carlos Avila	C
P.	#45	Christian Zazueta	RHP