



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES 2024 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

Friday, July 5, 2024 6:30pm
Game #78, Road Game #41

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Valley Strong Ballpark
Visalia, CA



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (6-7, 36-41)

AT

Visalia Rawhide (9-4, 38-40)



LHP Luke Fox (0-0, 4.50 ERA) vs. LHP Wilkin Paredes (3-2, 5.91 ERA)

TONIGHT'S GAME: The Quakes continue a nine-game, 11-day road trip tonight, with game two of a three-game set against the Visalia Rawhide (Arizona Diamondbacks). This series will conclude on Saturday, with the Quakes then taking two consecutive days off, before opening a six-game series on Tuesday in Stockton.

VS THE RAWHIDE: Today's game is the 17th of 30 meetings between the two clubs in 2024 and the eighth of 15 at Valley Strong Ballpark. The Quakes are 8-8 against the Rawhide in 2024 after three straight losses, 4-3 here in Visalia. Last season, the Quakes went 17-13 against the Rawhide, 10-8 at Valley Strong Ballpark.

LAST GAME: The Quakes played in front of a sell-out crowd for a second straight night, as the Rawhide delighted more than 3,000 fans at Valley Strong Ballpark with a 7-4 walk-off win on Thursday night. Demetrio Crisantes blasted a two-out, three-run homer in the last of the ninth off Christian Ruebeck (2-3), giving the Rawhide their third straight win over the Quakes in this home-and-home series. Sam Knowlton (3-2) notched the win with a scoreless ninth. Jesus Galiz had three hits to lead Rancho, while Alexander Albertus drove in two with a first-inning double. Jose Meza (2) homered, helping Rancho build a 4-0 lead behind starter Cam Day, who took a shutout into the sixth inning.

ROSTER MOVES: Left-handed pitcher Moises Brito was added to the Rancho roster from the Arizona Complex League, on Thursday, where he was 0-0 with a 6.35 ERA over eight appearances, allowing eight runs on nine hits over 11.1 innings. Brito was traded to the Dodgers in 2022 from Toronto, in the trade that sent Mitch White to Toronto.

JOE KELLY: Right-hander Joe Kelly of the Los Angeles Dodgers is scheduled to throw in relief at some point tonight for the Quakes. Kelly started and threw one scoreless inning, using just five total pitches on Tuesday. Kelly has been on the Injured List since early May, making his last appearance on May 5 against the Atlanta Braves. In 15 games this year, Kelly was 0-0 with a 4.73 ERA for the Dodgers across 13.1 innings. Kelly pitched for the Quakes on rehab assignment on two occasions in 2021 and then again in 2023, when he made two more appearances. Kelly, who won a World Series with the Dodgers in 2020, is currently in his second stint with the Dodgers, after spending 2022 and part of 2023 with the Chicago White Sox. Kelly was originally drafted by the St. Louis Cardinals in the third round of the 2009 draft out of UC Riverside. All Dodgers rehabbers are sponsored by Yaamava' Resort and Casino at San Manuel.

LUKE FOX: Left-hander Luke Fox makes his third appearance for the Quakes and first against the Rawhide. Fox was added to the Rancho roster just two weeks ago from the Arizona Complex League, where he was 0-0 with an ERA of 0.00 over four games (two starts). He allowed just one unearned run on six hits with one walk and seven strikeouts over seven innings of work. In his last start on June 29 at Lake Elsinore, he allowed just one run on two hits over four innings with five strikeouts in a no-decision. Fox was a 17th-round selection out of Duke in the 2023 draft.

WILKIN PAREDES: Lefty Wilkin Paredes makes his eighth start of the year for the Rawhide and second against the Quakes. In a win over Rancho on June 8, he allowed three runs on two hits over five innings. In his last game overall, he allowed four runs on four hits over six innings in a win at Inland Empire on June 29. Paredes was signed to an international free agent contract in January, 2023, out of the Dominican Republic, but did not debut until this year.

SECOND HALF STUFF: In order to make the playoffs in 2024, the Quakes must win the second half, or else finish second in the South Division's second-half race, while having the first-half champion Storm win the division again. The Storm will meet the second-half winner or the team with the next best second-half record. Lake Elsinore last went to the playoffs in 2022, when they won the Cal League title. Modesto won the North Division First Half Title.

BROADCAST HOME: Catch all the 2024 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 MiLB 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: The Quakes are in the midst of a long road trip over a two-week stretch, finally returning home on Friday, July 19, when they host Lake Elsinore in a three-game series. Friday, June 19 will be Joe Kelly Bobblehead Night with 1,500 fans getting a bobblehead! Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
7/6	at Visalia	RHP Roque Gutierrez at LHP Adonys Perez	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In
7/9	at Stockton	RHP Eriq Swan at TBD	7:05pm	iHeart, Tune-In
7/10	at Stockton	RHP Christian Zazueta at TBD	7:05pm	iHeart, Tune-In
7/11	at Stockton	LHP Wyatt Crowell at TBD	7:05pm	iHeart, Tune-In

2ND HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
San Jose	10	3	.769	-
Modesto \$	7	6	.538	3.0
Stockton	5	8	.385	5.0
Fresno	4	9	.308	6.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Visalia	9	4	.692	-
Lake Elsinore \$	7	6	.558	2.0
Rancho Cucamonga	6	7	.462	3.0
Inland Empire	4	9	.308	5.0

\$ - Clinched First Half Division Title

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

RANCHO CUCAMONGA 4 Visalia 7
Lake Elsinore 8 Inland Empire 3
Modesto 5 Fresno 7
San Jose 6 Stockton 5

TODAY'S GAMES

RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Visalia, 7:00pm
Lake Elsinore at Inland Empire, 6:35pm
Modesto at Fresno, 6:35pm
San Jose at Stockton, 7:05pm

TOMORROW'S GAMES

RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Visalia, 7:00pm
Lake Elsinore at Inland Empire, 6:35pm
Modesto at Fresno, 6:50pm
San Jose at Stockton, 7:05pm

2024 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	30-34
2nd Half Record:	6-7
vs Visalia:	8-8
vs Visalia at home:	4-5
vs Visalia on road:	4-3
Home Record:	20-17
Road Record:	16-24
Extra Inning Record:	2-6
One-Run Games:	9-8
Shutouts	5-2
Longest Winning Streak:	7
Longest Losing Streak:	7
Current Streak:	L3
Largest Division Lead	5.0

Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#7	Kendall George	DH
2.	#35	Jose Meza	RF
3.	#23	Jeral Perez	2B
4.	#27	Cam Decker	LF
5.	#51	Carlos Rojas	C
6.	#18	Alexander Albertus	SS
7.	#57	Sean McLain	1B
8.	#13	Wilman Diaz	3B
9.	#5	Juan Alonso	CF
P.	#21	Luke Fox	LHP