RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES 2024 GAME NOTES

Tuesday, April 23, 2024 6:00pm
Game #14, Home Game #6

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LoanMart Field
Rancho Cucamonga, CA

Lake Elsinore Storm (8-5) AT RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (9-4)

LHP Fernando Sanchez (0-0, 3.00 ERA) vs. LHP Garrett McDaniels (0-1, 3.38 ERA)

TODAY'S GAME: Welcome to LoanMart Field for the opening game of a six-game set, as your Rancho Cucamonga Quakes take on the Lake Elsinore Storm (Padres). Tonight is Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday, as fans that pledge to recycle ten CRV-eligible bottles on our website will receive a free Club Seat Ticket. The Quakes will also be wearing special uniforms tonight and playing as the Malmo Oat Milkers, part of nation-wide Minor League Baseball Promotion!

VS THE STORM: This is the fourth of 30 match-ups and the first of 15 here at LoanMart Field. The Quakes are 1-2 against the Storm in 2024. Last season, the Quakes won the season-series (17-13), but were 11-7 at LoanMart Field.

LAST GAME: The Quakes got incredible pitching from Jose Rodriguez and beat the 66ers on Sunday afternoon at San Manuel Stadium, 9-4, giving Rancho five of six in the series and eight wins in their last nine games. Rodriguez (3-0) struck out a career-high 11 over just 4.2 innings of relief. Joe Vetrano and Wilman Diaz each had two hits to lead a 14-hit attack. Inland Empire starter Barrett Kent (0-3) took the loss.

PEREZ PLAYER OF THE WEEK: For the second time in as many weeks to start the year, the Quakes have had an offensive player recognized as Cal League Player of the Week. This week, it's Jeral Perez, who hit .360 (9-for-25) with three home runs and eight RBIs. Last week, Jake Gelof was recognized as the league's Player of the Week.

FAMILIAR FACES ON THE FIELD: The Quakes have 29 active players on their 30-man roster to open this road trip. Of the 29, 23 have seen time in Rancho within the last two years. Returning Quakes include pitchers Patrick Copen, Carlos Duran (2022), Gabe Emmett, Jorge Gonzalez, Roque Gutierrez, Edgardo Henriquez (2022), Carlos Martinez, Garrett McDaniels, Jose Rodriguez, Christian Ruebeck, Noah Ruen, David Tiburcio and Reynaldo Yean. Returning position players include Jesus Galiz, Cameron Decker, Wilman Diaz, Jake Gelof, Jeral Perez, Jordan Thompson, Joe Vetrano, Juan Alonso, Josue De Paula and Kendall George.

PROSPECTS TO WATCH: The Quakes have four players on their current roster who are rated by MLB Pipeline as Top-30 Dodgers prospects. Three of them play in the outfield, with Josue De Paula (#4), Kendall George (#12) and Zyhir Hope (#21). Infielder Jake Gelof is the other ranked prospect, as he checks in at #23.

GARRETT MCDANIELS: Lefty Garrett McDaniels makes his third appearance and second start of the year. In his last outing, he allowed just one run on three hits over 4.2 innings in a no-decision at Inland Empire on April 17. McDaniels appeared in 13 games in relief for the Quakes in 2023, going 0-1, but with a 2.87 ERA over 15.2 innings, allowing five earned runs on 15 hits. McDaniels signed with the Dodgers as an undrafted free agent in 2023 out of Mount Olive College in North Carolina.

FERNANDO SANCHEZ: Left-hander Fernando Sanchez makes his third appearance and first start of the year, his first appearance against the Quakes. Sanchez's last outing was against Visalia on April 19, where he allowed one run on two hits over two relief innings in a no-decision against the Rawhide. Sanchez signed with the Padres out of Mexico in 2019.

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 take Monday off, then return to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, April 23, as they will host the Lake Elsinore Storm for a Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday. On Wednesday, it's a special IEHP Education Day, with a special start time of 11:00am. Thursday will feature another Thirsty Thursday, thanks to Tecova's, with drink specials throughout the night. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

1st HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Fresno	10	3	.769	-
Modesto	10	3	.769	-
San Jose	5	9	.357	5.5
Stockton	3	10	.231	7.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Rancho Cucamonga	9	4	.692	-
Lake Elsinore	8	5	.615	1.0
Visalia	5	9	.357	4.5
Inland Empire	3	10	.231	6.0

SUNDAY'S GAMES

Rancho Cucamonga 9 Inland Empire 4
Visalia 0 Lake Elsinore 10
Modesto 5 San Jose 3
Fresno 7 Stockton 3

TODAY'S GAMES

San Jose at Fresno, 11:05am
Lake Elsinore at Rancho Cucamonga, 6:00pm
Inland Empire at Visalia, 6:35pm
Stockton at Modesto, 7:00pm

TOMORROW'S GAMES

Lake Elsinore at Rancho Cucamonga, 11:00am
Inland Empire at Visalia, 6:35pm
San Jose at Fresno, 6:50pm
Stockton at Modesto, 7:00pm

2024 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	9-4
vs Lake Elsinore:	1-2
vs Lake Elsinore at home:	0-0
vs Lake Elsinore on road:	1-2
Home Record:	3-1
Road Record:	6-3
Extra Inning Record:	0-0
One-Run Games:	0-0
Shutouts:	1-0
Longest Winning Streak:	4 (x2)
Longest Losing Streak:	2
Current Streak:	W4

Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#7	Kendall George	DH
2.	#23	Jeral Perez	2B
3.	#27	Josue De Paula	RF
4.	#33	Jake Gelof	3B
5.	#6	Zyhir Hope	LF
6.	#30	Joe Vetrano	1B
7.	#44	Jesus Galiz	C
8.	#5	Juan Alonso	CF
9.	#13	Wilman Diaz	SS
P.	#18	Garrett McDaniels	LHP

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
4/24	vs Lake Elsinore	RHP Jose Luis Reyes vs **RHP Gabe Emmett**	11:00am	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live
4/25	vs Lake Elsinore	RHP Harry Gustin vs **TBD**	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live
4/26	vs Lake Elsinore	RHP Eric Yost vs **RHP Carlos Duran**	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live
4/27	vs Lake Elsinore	RHP Miguel Mendez vs **RHP Edgardo Henriquez**	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live