



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES

2025 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

Tuesday, May 27, 2025 6:40pm
Game #46, Road Game #25

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John Thurman Field
Modesto, CA



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (30-15)

AT

Modesto Nuts (28-17)



RHP Hyun-Seok Jang (0-1, 5.02 ERA) vs. LHP Harold Melenge (1-2, 5.22 ERA)

TODAY'S GAME: The Quakes continue their longest road trip of the year, as they take on the Modesto Nuts (SEA), the two-time defending Cal League Champions, in the first game of a six-game set and game seven of a 12-game, 13-day road trip. The Quakes will return to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, June 3rd to face the San Jose Giants. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

VS THE NUTS: Today's game is the first of 12 against the Nuts and the first of six at John Thurman Field. In 2024, the Quakes went just 2-10 against the Nuts, 1-5 here in Modesto. In 2023, they went 3-6, just 1-5 here in Modesto. The last time the Quakes won a series here in Modesto was in 2021, when they went 4-2.

LAST GAME: The Quakes got knocked around on Sunday, dropping a 10-3 decision to the Stockton Ports at Banner Island Ballpark. Jared Sprague-Lott (4) smacked a three-run homer as part of a six-run fourth to blow the game open, as the Ports took the series by winning four of six. Rancho starter Sterling Patick (0-2) suffered the loss, allowing three runs (two earned) on four hits over 2.1 innings. Stockton starter Donny Troconis (4-0) allowed one unearned run on three hits over five innings to notch the win. Eduardo Quintero had two hits and two runs scored to lead the offense.

ROSTER MOVES: Earlier, today, the Quakes activated C Gio Cueto from the Injured List. He takes the roster spot of C Angel Diaz, who was sent back to the Arizona Complex League. Also joining the Quakes is RHP Domingo Geronimo from Great Lakes. RHP Michael Vilchez (DEV LIST) and LHP Octavio Becerra (IL) also leave the roster.

SO LONG, MODESTO: 2025 marks the final season of professional baseball in Modesto, CA. In 2026, the franchise rights will be moved to Ontario, CA. The city of Modesto has had professional baseball and has been a member of the California League since 1946. Modesto has won 11 Cal League titles, including the last two (2023-2024). They have played at John Thurman Field since 1955 and have gone by the Nuts, the Athletics, the Red and the Colts.

SERIES STUFF: The Quakes lost four of six in Stockton, giving them just their second series-loss of the year, both coming in Stockton. The series-loss snapped a streak of five straight series-wins. Rancho's series record is now 6-2-0.

DON'T WALK: Rancho pitching struggled overall in the Stockton series, allowing 30 runs on 30 hits with 42 walks over the first 33 innings pitched (four games). On Sunday, the Quakes walked a series-low three batters, leaving them with 50 walks issued over 50 innings against the Ports. The Quakes now have an ERA of 3.78, second behind San Jose's 3.39. Rancho pitching now has 241 walks, third most in the league.

OH, WHAT A NIGHT!?: Jaron Elkins had a night to remember on Saturday, tying multiple career-marks. The first-year player had four hits for the second time in his career, five RBIs for the second time in his career and four runs scored for the second time. In addition, he enjoyed his first two-homer game and his first career grand slam. He also walked and stole two bases for good measure. He's now hitting .320 in the month of May, with 4 homers and 21 RBIs.

HYUN-SEOK JANG: 21-year-old right-hander Hyun-Seok Jang makes his tenth start of the year, his first against Modesto. In his last outing overall, he allowed one run on one hit, but with three walks, while recording just two outs over 29 pitches (14 strikes) in the first inning of a no-decision at Stockton on May 21st. Jang, who signed with the Dodgers in August of 2023 out of South Korea, was regarded as the top pitching prospect coming out of Korea in 2023 and is rated by MLB Pipeline as the Dodgers' 17th best prospect.

HAROLD MELENGE: 23-year-old left Harold Melenge makes his eighth start of the year and his first against the Quakes. In his last outing overall, he allowed one run on five hits over four innings in a no-decision at Inland Empire on May 20th. Melenge signed with Seattle in December of 2018 out of Cali, Colombia.

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 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 return to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, June 3rd to face the San Jose Giants for a Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday. Check rcquakes.com to learn how to score a free ticket for the game!

FIRST HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Modesto	28	17	.622	-
San Jose	25	20	.556	3.0
Stockton	23	22	.511	5.0
Fresno	19	26	.422	9.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Rancho Cucamonga	30	15	.667	-
Visalia	21	24	.467	9.0
Lake Elsinore	19	26	.422	11.0
Inland Empire	15	30	.333	15.0

\$ - First Half Division Champions

- Second Half Division Champions

SUNDAY'S GAMES

San Jose 2 Fresno 1
Lake Elsinore 2 Visalia 1
Modesto 8 Inland Empire 2
RANCHO CUCAMONGA 3 Stockton 10

TODAY'S GAMES

Inland Empire 2 San Jose 11 (Monday)
Stockton Lake Elsinore, 6:05pm
RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Modesto, 6:40pm
Visalia at Fresno, 6:50pm

TOMORROW'S GAMES

Inland Empire at San Jose, 1:00pm
Stockton Lake Elsinore, 6:05pm
RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Modesto, 6:40pm
Visalia at Fresno, 6:50pm

2025 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	30-15
2nd Half Record:	--
vs Modesto:	0-0
vs Modesto at home:	0-0
vs Modesto on road:	0-0
Home Record:	17-4
Road Record:	13-11
Extra Inning Record:	1-0
One-Run Games:	4-2
Shutouts:	5-2
Longest Winning Streak:	8
Longest Losing Streak:	3
Current Streak:	L1
Largest Division Lead:	11.0

Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#46	Eduardo Quintero	CF
2.	#35	Joendry Vargas	SS
3.	#23	Samuel Munoz	LF
4.	#41	Jaron Elkins	RF
5.	#27	Jose Meza	1B
6.	#7	Elijah Hainline	2B
7.	#31	Roger Lasso	DH
8.	#29	Eduardo Guerrero	3B
9.	#16	Gio Cueto	C
P.	#18	Hyun-Seok Jang	RHP

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
5/28	at Modesto	RHP Aidan Foeller at RHP Ryan Sloan	6:40pm	iHeart, Tune-In
5/29	at Modesto	LHP Jakob Wright at RHP Jeter Martinez	6:40pm	iHeart, Tune-In
5/30	at Modesto	RHP Christian Zazueta at RHP Walter Ford	6:40pm	iHeart, Tune-In
5/31	at Modesto	LHP Sterling Patick at RHP Christian Little	6:40pm	iHeart, Tune-In