



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES 2024 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

Saturday, April 27, 2024 6:30pm
Game #18, Home Game #9

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LoanMart Field
Rancho Cucamonga, CA



Lake Elsinore Storm (9-8)
AT
RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (12-5)



RHP Miguel Mendez (0-0, 4.50 ERA) vs. RHP Edgardo Henriquez (0-0, 0.00 ERA)

TODAY'S GAME: Welcome to LoanMart Field for the fifth game of a six-game set, as your Rancho Cucamonga Quakes take on the Lake Elsinore Storm (Padres). After tonight's game, everyone will enjoy a Fireworks Spectacular, thanks to Children's Dental FunZone. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

VS THE STORM: This is the eighth of 30 match-ups and the fifth of 15 here at LoanMart Field. The Quakes are 4-3 against the Storm in 2024, 3-1 here at home. Last season, the Quakes won the season-series (17-13), and were 11-7 at LoanMart Field.

LAST GAME: Lake Elsinore scored two in the eighth and three in the ninth, taking the lead for good to upend the Quakes by a final of 5-2 on Friday night at LoanMart Field. Wyatt Hoffman had a game-tying hit and a go-ahead hit over the final two innings, as the Storm snapped their own three-game losing streak, also ending Rancho's seven-game win streak in the process. Rancho reliever Felix Cabrera (0-1) suffered the loss in the ninth, while Storm closer Xavier Ruiz (1-0) notched the win. Quakes' starter Patrick Copen and reliever Callum Wallace combined for seven scoreless innings, holding the Storm without a hit over that stretch. Zyhir Hope had two hits and an RBI for the Rancho offense. The loss for Rancho drops their lead in the South to three games over the Storm.

ROSTER MOVES: The Quakes made a roster move on Thursday, adding utility player Jefferson Valladares from the Arizona Complex League. On Tuesday, Rancho moved OF Cameron Decker to the Arizona Complex League and added INF Logan Wagner to the 30-man roster. Wagner was a sixth-round pick by the Dodgers in 2022 out of P27 Academy (HS) in Lexington, South Carolina.

COOLED OFF: Last night's loss stopped a season-best seven straight wins, but even so, the Quakes 11-2 in their last 13 games. The seven-game winning streak was also the longest in the league this year.

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. Jeral Perez was named this week's winner, after hitting .360 (9-for-25) with three home runs and eight RBIs last week against Inland Empire. Jake Gelof was recognized as the league's Player of the Week after the first full week of the season.

EDGARDO HENRIQUEZ: Edgardo Henriquez makes his second start against the Storm and fourth start of 2024. It's just his fourth overall since 2022, after suffering a season-ending injury with Rancho. In his only outing against Lake Elsinore, he allowed one hit and one walk, while striking out four in two scoreless innings in a no-decision at Lake Elsinore on April 6. In his last outing overall, he fired two scoreless, hitless innings in a no-decision at Inland Empire on April 21. In 2022, Henriquez went 2-3 for the Quakes, with a 4.54 ERA over 14 games (13 starts). Henriquez signed with the Dodgers out of Venezuela in 2018.

MIGUEL MENDEZ: Righty Miguel Mendez makes his second start against the Quakes and third start of the year, but his first since April 12, after missing two weeks due to injury. In his only outing against Rancho, he allowed one run on one hit over two innings in a no-decision on April 5. In his last start overall, he allowed two runs on three hits over four innings in a no-decision on April 12 at Modesto. Last season, Mendez started 15 games for the Storm, going 2-3 with a 5.96 ERA, allowing 37 runs (36 earned) on 50 hits over 54.1 innings. Mendez signed with the Padres in 2021 out of the Dominican Republic.

BROADCAST HOME: Catch all the 2024 action with the "Voice of the Quakes" Mike Linskog, 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: The home stand wraps up on Sunday with another U.S. Bank Youth Clinic and Kids Run the Bases, thanks to San Antonio Regional Hospital. The clinic begins at 10am and registration begins at 9am for your little leaguer. After Sunday's game, the Quakes will head north for two weeks, before returning to LoanMart Field on Tuesday 14 to take on Inland Empire for a Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday. Get tickets at rcquakes.com.

1st HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Modesto	13	4	.765	-
Fresno	12	5	.706	1.0
San Jose	7	11	.389	6.5
Stockton	4	13	.235	9.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
RANCHO CUCAMONGA	12	5	.706	-
Lake Elsinore	9	8	.529	3.0
Visalia	8	10	.444	4.5
Inland Empire	4	13	.235	8.0

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Lake Elsinore 5 RANCHO CUCAMONGA 2
Inland Empire 1 Visalia 3
San Jose 7 Fresno 5
Stockton 10 Modesto 13

TODAY'S GAMES

Stockton at Modesto, 6:05pm
Lake Elsinore at RANCHO CUCAMONGA, 6:30pm
Inland Empire at Visalia, 6:30pm
San Jose at Fresno, 6:50pm

TOMORROW'S GAMES

Inland Empire at Visalia, 12:05pm
San Jose at Fresno, 1:05pm
Lake Elsinore at RANCHO CUCAMONGA, 2:00pm
Stockton at Modesto, 2:05pm

2024 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	12-5
vs Lake Elsinore:	4-3
vs Lake Elsinore at home:	3-1
vs Lake Elsinore on road:	1-2
Home Record:	6-2
Road Record:	6-3
Extra Inning Record:	0-0
One-Run Games:	1-0
Shutouts	1-0
Longest Winning Streak:	7
Longest Losing Streak:	2
Current Streak:	L1
Largest Division Lead	4.0

Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#7	Kendall George	CF
2.	#23	Jeral Perez	2B
3.	#6	Zyhir Hope	LF
4.	#33	Jake Gelof	3B
5.	#44	Jesus Galiz	C
6.	#9	Jordan Thompson	SS
7.	#3	Logan Wagner	1B
8.	#45	Jefferson Valladares	DH
9.	#5	Juan Alonso	RF
P.	#46	Edgardo Henriquez	RHP

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
4/28	vs Lake Elsinore	RHP Carson Montgomery vs RHP Cam Day	2:00pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live
4/30	at Modesto	RHP Gabe Emmett at TBD	7:05pm	iHeart, Tune-In
5/1	at Modesto	RHP Carlos Duran at TBD	7:05pm	iHeart, Tune-In
5/2	at Modesto	RHP Patrick Copen at TBD	7:05pm	iHeart, Tune-In