



# RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES 2024 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

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Game #49, Road Game #27

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“The Diamond”  
Lake Elsinore, CA



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (23-25)

AT

Lake Elsinore Storm (25-23)



LHP Garrett McDaniels (0-3, 3.62 ERA) vs. RHP Miguel Mendez (0-0, 5.82 ERA)

**TODAY'S GAME:** The Quakes continue their series at The Diamond in Lake Elsinore, taking on the Lake Elsinore Storm (SD) in the final game of the six-game set. The Quakes will return to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, June 4.

**VS THE STORM:** This is the 15th of 30 match-ups and the ninth of 15 here at LoanMart Field. The Quakes are 6-8 against the Storm in 2024, 1-7 here at The Diamond. Last season, the Quakes won the season-series (17-13).

**LAST GAME:** The Quakes endured their worst defeat of the series, taking a 15-5 loss to the Lake Elsinore Storm on Saturday night at The Diamond. Storm pitcher Isaiah Lowe (2-2) was dominant, allowing one run on one hit while striking out eight over 6.1 innings in the win. Dodgers' rehabbing right-hander Bobby Miller (0-1) suffered the loss, allowing four runs on five hits over 3.1 innings of work. Rancho pitching issued 11 walks and struck out just six on the night. Ryan Wilson led the Storm with three hits and was one of three different Storm players with two RBIs. In suffering their fifth straight loss in the series, Rancho was held to eight hits, with Logan Wagner being the lone Quake to collect two hits.

**“I NEVER”:** Since becoming a Low-A affiliate in 2021, where six-game series are now standard around Minor League baseball, the Quakes have never been swept in a six-game series. Last Sunday, the Quakes were forced to win at home against Modesto in order to avoid their first six-game sweep ever. They'll need to do the same today at Lake Elsinore.

**APRIL 12:** On April 12, the Quakes started the day in second place in the South Division. With a win that night over Stockton, the Quakes moved into first and remained there until Friday night's game went final. With just 16 games to play in the first half, the Quakes now trail Lake Elsinore by two games, thanks to five straight losses in this series and 12 losses in their last 13 games overall. Lake Elsinore had dropped five of six at home prior to this series, but last night's win gives them five straight overall and first place by themselves for the first time since early-April. For the Quakes, their last 16 games of the first half will be today at Lake Elsinore (1), home against Visalia (6), on the road at Fresno (6), then finishing at home with Inland Empire (3).

**LACK OF LONG-BALLS:** The Jeral Perez two-out homer in Wednesday night's ninth inning was the first home run for the Quakes since Jordan Thompson went yard in a home game against Inland Empire on May 19, ten days and eight games ago. Josue De Paula went yard Thursday night, giving them two straight games with a round-tripper. That streak ended last night. Rancho is second the league in home runs (30), behind only Modesto (39). Lake Elsinore, by contrast, is the least prolific home run-hitting team, with 20 in 47 games, one less than Visalia (21).

**GARRETT MCDANIELS:** Garrett McDaniels makes his tenth appearance and sixth start of the year, his fourth appearance and third start against the Storm and second in this series. In three games against Lake Elsinore this year, he's 0-0 with a 5.54 ERA, allowing eight runs on 12 hits over 13 innings. In his last outing on Tuesday night, he allowed three runs on five hits over 5.1 innings in a no-decision. He signed with the Dodgers as an undrafted free agent in 2023 out of Mount Olive College in North Carolina.

**MIGUEL MENDEZ:** Righty Miguel Mendez makes his third start against the Quakes and eighth start of the year. In his two outings against Rancho, he's 0-0 with a 4.50 ERA, allowing two runs on four hits over four innings. In his last outing overall, he allowed one run on no hits, but with four walks over 1.1 innings in a no-decision against San Jose on May 26. 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 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 will return to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, June 4, hosting the Visalia Rawhide at 6pm. Tuesday is a Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday, as fans can score a free Club Seat Ticket by visiting rcquakes.com. Tickets for all home games are available at rcquakes.com.

### 1st HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Modesto	34	14	.708	-
Fresno	29	20	.592	5.5
San Jose	28	21	.571	6.5
Stockton	18	30	.375	16.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Lake Elsinore	25	23	.521	-
RANCHO CUCAMONGA	23	25	.479	2.0
Visalia	21	28	.429	4.5
Inland Empire	16	33	.327	9.5

### YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Fresno 2 San Jose 7  
Modesto 9 Stockton 3  
RANCHO CUCAMONGA 5 Lake Elsinore 15  
Inland Empire 12 Visalia 9

### TODAY'S GAMES

Inland Empire at Visalia, 12:05pm  
Fresno at San Jose, 1:00pm  
RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Lake Elsinore, 1:15pm  
Modesto at Stockton, 2:09pm

### TUESDAY'S GAMES

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

### 2024 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	23-25
vs Lake Elsinore:	6-8
vs Lake Elsinore at home:	5-1
vs Lake Elsinore on road:	1-7
Home Record:	12-10
Road Record:	11-15
Extra Inning Record:	0-4
One-Run Games:	4-5
Shutouts	4-1
Longest Winning Streak:	7
Longest Losing Streak:	7
Current Streak:	L5
Largest Division Lead	5.0

### Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#7	Kendall George	DH
2.	#23	Jeral Perez	2B
3.	#27	Josue De Paula	RF
4.	#9	Jordan Thompson	3B
5.	#16	Logan Wagner	1B
6.	#44	Jesus Galiz	C
7.	#36	Samuel Munoz	LF
8.	#57	Sean McLain	SS
9.	#5	Juan Alonso	CF
P.	#18	Garrett McDaniels	RHP

### UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
6/4	vs Visalia	RHP Casey Anderson at RHP Payton Martin	6:00pm	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live
6/5	vs Visalia	LHP Caden Grice at RHP Alex Makarewich	11:00am	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live
6/6	vs Visalia	RHP Jacob Steinmetz at RHP Patrick Copen	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live
6/7	vs Visalia	RHP Denny Larrondo at TBD	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live