



# RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES 2024 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

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Game #73, Road Game #39

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The Diamond  
Lake Elsinore, CA

## RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (4-4, 34-38)

AT

## Lake Elsinore Storm (5-3, 37-35)

RHP Eriq Swan (0-0, 0.00 ERA) vs. RHP Isaiah Lowe (5-2, 2.94 ERA)

**TODAY'S GAME:** Your Rancho Cucamonga Quakes finish their six-game series today, with game six against the Lake Elsinore Storm at The Diamond. The Quakes will return to LoanMart Field on Monday, July 1, as they host the Visalia Rawhide in a brief three-game series. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

**VS THE STORM:** This is the 21st of 30 match-ups and the last of 15 here at The Diamond during the regular season. The Quakes are 7-13 against the Storm in 2024, just 2-12 here at The Diamond. Last season, the Quakes won the season-series (17-13), going 6-6 here at The Diamond.

**LAST GAME:** The Quakes let a seventh-inning lead slip away, as the Storm tallied two in the seventh and then put it away with three in the eighth for a 6-3 win over Rancho on Saturday night at The Diamond. Ethan Long slugged a back-breaking three-run home in the eighth and drove in five of the six runs for the Storm. Quakes' reliever David Tiburcio (2-2) was charged with the loss, while Storm reliever Maikel Miralles (1-1) got the win with three scoreless innings. Rancho starter Luke Fox was strong in just his second start, allowing one run on two hits, while striking out five over four innings in the no-decision. Rancho's Wilman Diaz doubled twice and had two of the six hits. The loss sends the Quakes to a series defeat, their third in Lake Elsinore this year.

**TOUGH TIMES:** Friday night's win in Lake Elsinore was badly needed, after three straight losses to open this series and nine straight here at The Diamond. The Quakes never led on Tuesday, but blew a four-run lead, then a late one-run lead on Wednesday. On Thursday, Rancho blew a six-run lead, then a two-run lead in the tenth. The Quakes held their lead on Friday, but blew a 2-1 lead in the seventh, losing 6-3 on Saturday night for their fourth loss in five games.

**WELCOME TO TOWN:** The Quakes got an exciting debut from Alexander Albertus Tuesday night. He saved a run in the fourth inning, when he made a diving catch at third base with a runner at second. He later tied the game with his first hit in a Rancho uniform, a solo blast to left field. He finished the game 1-for-4 and followed it up on Wednesday with two sacrifice flies. On Thursday, he again made a huge impact, as he went 2-for-5 with two runs scored and an RBI. Friday night, he struck out three times, but also had a two-run double. Albertus hit .342 in 32 games in the ACL this year, slugging two homers with 26 RBIs and more walks (27) than strikeouts (20) for an OBP of .479.

**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.

**ERIQ SWAN:** Right-hander Eriq Swan makes his second start against the Storm and his third appearance for the Quakes tonight and second since he made his pro debut on April 10, when he pitched two scoreless innings in a no-decision against Stockton at LoanMart Field. On Tuesday against the Storm, he tossed three scoreless frames in a no-decision. Swan went on the Injured List immediately after that start and has recently rehabbed a total of three games in the ACL, where he went 0-0 with a 7.94 ERA, allowing five runs on seven hits over 5.2 innings. Swan was drafted by the Dodgers in the fourth round as a compensation pick (#137 overall) in the 2023 draft out of Middle Tennessee State.

**ISAIAH LOWE:** Isaiah Lowe makes his 13th appearance and ninth start of the year, his fourth appearance and second start. In three games against the Quakes, he's 1-1 with a 2.92 ERA, allowing four runs on four hits over 12.1 innings. Lowe's last start was on June 23, a win over Visalia, allowing four runs (two earned) on five hits over five innings. He was drafted in the 11th round by the Padres in 2022 out of Combine Academy in Lincolnton, North Carolina.

**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 return home on Monday, July 1 to face Visalia. Wednesday, July 3, is Independence Day Fireworks Celebration, sponsored by Ontario International Airport. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

### UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
7/1	vs Visalia	TBD at RHP Christian Zazueta	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/Bally Live
7/2	vs Visalia	TBD at LHP Wyatt Crowell	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/Bally Live
7/3	vs Visalia	TBD at RHP Cam Day	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/Bally Live
7/4	at Visalia	LHP Luke Fox at TBD	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In

### 2ND HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
San Jose	6	2	.750	-
Modesto \$	4	4	.500	2.0
Stockton	3	5	.375	3.0
Fresno	3	5	.375	3.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Lake Elsinore \$	5	3	.625	-
Visalia	5	3	.625	-
Rancho Cucamonga	4	4	.500	1.0
Inland Empire	2	6	.250	2.0

\$ - Clinched First Half Division Title

### YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Fresno 6 San Jose 7 F/10  
Visalia 14 Inland Empire 4  
RANCHO CUCAMONGA 3 Lake Elsinore 6  
Modesto 7 Stockton 6 F/10

### TODAY'S GAMES

RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Lake Elsinore, 1:15pm  
Modesto at Stockton, 2:09pm  
Fresno at San Jose, 5:00pm  
Visalia at Inland Empire, 5:35pm

### TOMORROW'S GAMES

Inland Empire at Lake Elsinore, 5:05pm  
Stockton at San Jose, 6:30pm  
Visalia at RANCHO CUCAMONGA, 6:30pm  
Fresno at Modesto, 7:05pm

### 2024 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	30-34
2nd Half Record:	4-4
vs Lake Elsinore:	7-13
vs Lake Elsinore at home:	5-1
vs Lake Elsinore on road:	2-12
Home Record:	19-15
Road Record:	15-23
Extra Inning Record:	2-6
One-Run Games:	8-8
Shutouts	5-2
Longest Winning Streak:	7
Longest Losing Streak:	7
Current Streak:	L1
Largest Division Lead	5.0

### Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#36	Samuel Munoz	CF
2.	#33	Oswaldo Osorio	SS
3.	#44	Jesus Galiz	C
4.	#18	Alexander Albertus	3B
5.	#35	Jose Meza	LF
6.	#57	Sean McLain	DH
7.	#27	Cam Decker	1B
8.	#5	Juan Alonso	RF
9.	#13	Wilman Diaz	2B
P.	#17	Eriq Swan	RHP