



# RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES 2025 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

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Game #16, Road Game #7

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San Manuel Stadium  
San Bernardino, CA



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (9-6)

AT

Inland Empire 66ers (5-10)



RHP Hyun-Seok Jang (0-1, 6.52 ERA) vs. RHP Yeferson Vargas (2-1, 4.76 ERA)

**TODAY'S GAME:** The Quakes open a six-game road trip to San Bernardino, taking on the Inland Empire 66ers (Angels) in the opening game of a six-game series at San Manuel Stadium. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

**VS THE 66ERS:** Today's game is the first of 24 between these two teams in 2025 and the first of 12 here at San Manuel Stadium. Last year, the Quakes went 10-2 here in San Bernardino, 17-7 overall.

**LAST GAME:** The Quakes earned their second walk-off win of the series, as San Jose's sixth error of the game allowed Elijah Hainline to score the winning run in the last of the ninth, as the Quakes won an 11-10 thriller over the Giants on Sunday afternoon at LoanMart Field. Hainline led off the ninth with a double against Giants' reliever Cameron Pferrer (1-1) and scored when Eduardo Guerrero's ground ball to first was mishandled by the pitcher covering the bag. The Quakes rallied from an early 5-0 deficit, but couldn't hold leads of 7-5 and 10-7, as the Giants hit back-to-back homers in the eighth to even the game at 10-10. Rancho reliever Ryan Brown (1-0) tossed a scoreless ninth for the win.

**STEADY IMPROVEMENT OFFENSIVELY:** The Quakes had an up-and-down series offensively against San Jose, but were much better over the last two games. After being held to just 15 hits over a three-game stretch, the Quakes had 19 hits over their final two games, including 11 in their 11-10 victory on Sunday. Rancho is now hitting .238, fourth in the league. They have scored 85 runs, also fourth in the league.

**ROSTER MOVES:** The Quakes activated Niko Perez on Tuesday, after hitting the Injured List with a hamstring injury during the team's first road trip in Stockton.

**STILL WEARING THE SAME SHOE:** The Quakes have welcomed back Manager John Shoemaker, who returns to Rancho to guide the Quakes for a fifth straight year, a franchise record. The club is 271-243 in four seasons under "Shoe", having made the playoffs twice, including one appearance in the Championship Series (2023). The Quakes have only one returning coach to this year's club, as pitching coach Ramon Troncoso returns to Rancho, joining Shoemaker for his fifth year as well. New members of the coaching staff include hitting coach Johermyn Chavez, pitching coach Brandon Bailey, Bench Coach Dunior Zepa, Bullpen Coach and former Quake Marco Hernandez, Athletic Trainer Alfredo Casillas, Performance Coach Jake Taylor and Video Associate Max Delorme.

**PROSPECT HEAVY:** According to MLB Pipeline's rankings the Dodgers have stocked the Quakes with seven of their top-30 prospects. In order, they are: INF Kellon Lindsey (#8), OF Eduardo Quintero (#9), INF Joendry Vargas (#12), RHP Hyun-Seok Jang (#17), OF Mike Sirota (#21), OF Jaron Elkins and RHP Samuel Sanchez (#28). Of the 29 active players on the Rancho roster, 15 of them saw time in a Quakes' uniform in 2024.

**HYUN-SEOK JANG:** Right-hander Hyun-Seok Jang makes his fourth start of the year and his first against Inland Empire. In his last outing, he allowed two runs on two hits over 3.1 innings, with three walks and four strikeouts in a no-decision against San Jose on April 16th. Jang went 1-2 with an 8.14 ERA over 13 games (10 starts) and 24.1 innings pitched in the ACL last year, before finishing the year with five starts in Rancho, where he went 0-1 with a 2.19 ERA over 12 innings pitched. 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.

**YEFERSON VARGAS:** Right-hander Yeferson Vargas makes his fourth start of the year and his first against the Quakes. In his last outing, he allowed one run on two hits over five innings in a win at Modesto on April 16th. Vargas originally signed with the Boston Red Sox in June of 2023 out of the Dominican Republic. He was traded from Boston to the Angels in July of 2024 as part of the deal that sent RHP Luis Garcia to the Red Sox.

**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 home to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, April 29th, for a Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday. Visit the website to learn how to score a free ticket to the game! Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

## UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
4/23	at Inland Empire	RHP Aidan Foeller vs RHP Chris Clark	11:05am	iHeart, Tune-In /MILB.TV
4/24	at Inland Empire	RHP Sean Paul Linan vs LHP Francis Texido	5:15pm	iHeart, Tune-In /MILB.TV
4/25	at Inland Empire	RHP Christian Zazueta vs RHP Peyton Olejnik	6:35pm	iHeart, Tune-In /MILB.TV
4/26	at Inland Empire	RHP Samuel Sanchez vs RHP Andre Sanchez	6:35pm	iHeart, Tune-In /MILB.TV

## FIRST HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Modesto	12	3	.800	-
Stockton	10	5	.667	2.0
San Jose	8	7	.533	4.0
Fresno	7	8	.467	5.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Rancho Cucamonga	9	6	.600	-
Inland Empire	5	10	.333	4.0
Lake Elsinore	5	10	.333	4.0
Visalia	4	11	.267	5.0

\$ - First Half Division Champions  
# - Second Half Division Champions

## SUNDAY'S GAMES

San Jose 10 RANCHO CUCAMONGA 11  
Stockton 8 Visalia 6  
Inland Empire 1 Modesto 6  
Lake Elsinore 6 Fresno 8

## TODAY'S GAMES

Modesto at Stockton, 11:00am  
Fresno at San Jose, 11:00am  
Visalia at Lake Elsinore, 6:05pm  
RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Inland Empire, 6:05pm

## TOMORROW'S GAMES

Modesto at Stockton, 11:00am  
Fresno at San Jose, 11:00am  
Visalia at Lake Elsinore, 6:05pm  
RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Inland Empire, 6:05pm

## 2025 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	9-6
2nd Half Record:	--
vs: Inland Empire	0-0
vs Inland Empire at home:	0-0
vs Inland Empire on road:	0-0
Home Record:	7-2
Road Record:	2-4
Extra Inning Record:	1-0
One-Run Games:	3-0
Shutouts	1-2
Longest Winning Streak:	3 (x2)
Longest Losing Streak:	3
Current Streak:	W2
Largest Division Lead	4.0

## Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#6	Kellon Lindsey	SS
2.	#46	Eduardo Quintero	CF
3.	#36	Mike Sirota	LF
4.	#23	Samuel Munoz	DH
5.	#41	Jaron Elkins	RF
6.	#27	Jose Meza	1B
7.	#10	Niko Perez	2B
8.	#7	Elijah Hainline	3B
9.	#16	Gio Cueto	C
P.	#18	Hyun-Seok Jang	RHP