



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES 2024 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

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Game #36, Home Game #15

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LoanMart Field
Rancho Cucamonga, CA



Inland Empire 66ers (11-25) AT RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (22-13)



RHP Andre Sanchez (0-2, 8.31 ERA) vs. RHP Waylin Santana (0-0, 5.40 ERA)

TODAY'S GAME: Welcome to LoanMart Field, as your first-place Quakes continue a 12-game home stand, with game five of a six-game set against the Inland Empire 66ers (LAA). Today is Star Wars Night, sponsored by San Antonio Regional Hospital, with Star Wars characters on the field and special jerseys auctioned throughout the night. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

VS THE 66ERS: Today's game is the 11th of 24 head-to-head meetings between the two clubs and the fifth of 12 at home. The Quakes are currently 8-2 against the 66ers in 2024, with the first six games taking place at San Manuel. Last year, the Quakes went 6-9 at LoanMart Field, 14-13 overall against the 66ers.

LAST GAME: In an absolute classic, the Quakes outlasted the 66ers in front of more than 4,000 fans at LoanMart Field on Friday, scoring a run in the bottom of the ninth inning to walk it off for a 13-12 win. Logan Wagner's RBI double down the right-field line off Chris Barraza (0-2) scored Samuel Munoz with the game-winner, giving the Quakes three out of four in the series and six wins in their last seven games overall. The teams combined for 30 hits, including six home runs, with Josue De Paula (3,4) drilling a pair, while Jesus Galiz smashed his third of the year. Rancho reliever Joseilyn Gonzalez (2-0) got the win, despite giving up a two-run go-ahead homer in the eighth, as well as a solo shot to tie the game in the ninth. With another win over either of the next two days, Rancho will win their fifth series in seven tries.

WELCOME TO THE WILD WEST: The Quakes and 66ers played in a wild game last night, one that saw a ton of offense. Both teams set new season-highs for both runs (Rancho 13, Inland 12) and hits (Rancho 16, Inland 14). In addition, both teams swatted three homers each, also season-bests.

DE PAULA, DA BOMB: The Quakes have gotten some serious production from Josue De Paula this series, as he's homered in each of his last three games, including a two-homer game last night, the first of his career. De Paula had not hit a single home run in 24 games prior to this current streak, but now has four on the year. De Paula is the highest ranking Dodgers' prospect on the Rancho roster, with MLB Pipeline naming him number three, behind only outfielder Andy Pages and catcher Dalton Rushing.

ROSTER MOVES: The Quakes made a number of roster moves on the 12-game road trip. The final move came on Sunday, when they added RHP Waylin Santana to the active roster. He took the roster spot of RHP Carlos Duran, who went on the Development List earlier in the week.

WAYLIN SANTANA: Right-hander Waylin Santana makes his first start and second appearance tonight, his first start against Inland Empire. In his lone appearance since joining the team from Arizona last week, he allowed one run on three hits over 1.2 innings in a no-decision at Visalia on May 12. Santana appeared in just one game for the Quakes in 2023, allowing one run on four hits over three innings in a loss at home against Inland Empire on June 3 of last year. Santana was signed by the Dodgers in 2019 out of the Dominican Republic.

ANDRE SANCHEZ: Right-hander Andre Sanchez makes his fourth start of the year and his first against the Quakes. In his last start overall, he allowed five runs on five hits over 3.1 innings in a loss at Lake Elsinore on May 12. Sanchez was signed by the Angels in 2022 out of Veracruz, Mexico.

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 Quakes finish their series against the 66ers on Sunday, but are home all next week against Modesto. Coming up tomorrow, it's another U.S. Bank Youth Baseball Clinic, as local little leaguers will get baseball instruction from Quakes' players and coaches on Sunday morning at 10am. The game will follow at 2pm! Get tickets at rcquakes.com.

1st HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Modesto	24	11	.686	-
Fresno	20	16	.556	4.5
San Jose	19	17	.528	5.5
Stockton	14	21	.400	10.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
RANCHO CUCAMONGA	22	13	.629	-
Lake Elsinore	17	18	.486	5.0
Visalia	15	21	.417	7.5
Inland Empire	11	25	.306	11.5

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Inland Empire 12 RANCHO CUCAMONGA 13
San Jose 5 Modesto 2
Lake Elsinore 8 Visalia 12
Fresno 4 Stockton 2

TODAY'S GAMES

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

TOMORROW'S GAMES

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

2024 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	22-13
vs Inland Empire:	8-2
vs Inland Empire at home:	3-1
vs Inland Empire on road:	5-1
Home Record:	11-3
Road Record:	11-10
Extra Inning Record:	0-1
One-Run Games:	4-2
Shutouts	4-0
Longest Winning Streak:	7
Longest Losing Streak:	4
Current Streak:	W1
Largest Division Lead	5.0

Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#7	Kendall George	DH
2.	#27	Josue De Paula	LF
3.	#9	Jordan Thompson	SS
4.	#36	Samuel Munoz	CF
5.	#16	Logan Wagner	1B
6.	#33	Oswaldo Osorio	3B
7.	#5	Juan Alonso	RF
8.	#51	Carlos Rojas	C
9.	#13	Wilman Diaz	2B
P.	#46	Waylin Santana	RHP

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
5/19	vs Inland Empire	RHP Barrett Kent at RHP Patrick Copen	2:00pm	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live
5/21	vs Modesto	TBD at RHP Jose Rodriguez	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live
5/22	vs Modesto	TBD at RHP Garrett McDaniels	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live
5/23	vs Modesto	TBD at RHP Cam Day	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In/ Bally Live