



Tuesday, June 24, 2025 6:30pm Game #70, Road Game #37

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RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (2-1, 43-26)

San Jose Giants (2-1, 44-25)





RHP Christian Zazueta (7-2, 2.37 ERA) vs. RHP Hunter Dryden (3-2, 2.19 ERA)

TODAY'S GAME: The Quakes open a six-game road trip to San Jose's Excite Ballpark today, taking on the San Jose Giants (SF Giants) in game one of the six-game set. The Quakes return to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, July 1, opening a three-game series against the Visalia Rawhide. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

VS THE GIANTS: Today's game is the 13th of 18 games against the Giants and the first of six in San Jose. Just three weeks ago, the Giants swept the Quakes in a six-game set at LoanMart Field, as Rancho is 4-8 against the Giants in 2025. The Quakes won four of six earlier in 2025. Rancho was 7-5 against San Jose in 2024, 3-3 here at Excite Ballpark. **LAST GAME:** The Quakes finished a strong series-win over the Lake Elsinore Storm, winning for the fifth time in six games with a 6-3 victory in the finale on Sunday at LoanMart Field. Jose Meza had a season-high three hits with three RBIs, including his fifth homer of the year. Rancho led 2-0, but was forced to rally from a 3-2 deficit against Storm reliever Braian Salazar (2-1), as Meza gave them the lead for good at 4-3 with an RBI single in the fifth. Rancho reliever Domingo Geronimo (4-0) was sharp with two scoreless, hitless innings, while Dilan Figueredo earned his second save with a scoreless ninth. Dodgers' rehabbing right-hander Luis Garcia fired a scoreless first inning to start the day.

ANOTHER "POW": OF Jaron Elkins had a strong series last week against the Storm and on Monday, was named the Cal League Player of the Week. Elkins hit .450 (9-for-20) with four RBIs, five stolen bases and three walks for a .542 on-base percentage. Elkins is the seventh weekly winner for the Quakes this year.

"ALL GOOD THINGS...: The Quakes saw their season-high nine-game win streak end on Saturday night with a loss to the Storm. Their longest winning streak of 2024 was eight straight games. Their longest winning streak since moving from High-A to Low-A is 10 straight (2023). Their best winning streak in franchise history was back in their third and most recent championship season of 2018, when they won 15 straight in the second half.

FIRST HALF SOUTH DIVISION CHAMPS: After stumbling a bit over a two-week stretch with an eight-game losing streak while both Visalia and Lake Elsinore were in the middle of seven-game win streaks, respectively, the Quakes put all doubt behind them by wrapping up the First Half South Division with last Friday's win over the 66ers in San Bernardino. The Quakes will now return to the playoffs for the first time since 2023, when they made it to the Championship Series, where they were swept by Modesto. The Quakes will have qualified for the playoffs in nine of the 14 seasons (2011, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2023 and 2025) of affiliation with the Los Angeles Dodgers. Ran cho has won three Championships in franchise history (1994, 2015 and 2018) with the last two coming as a Dodgers' affiliate. This will mark the second time in five seasons they'll make it to the playoffs under Manager John Shoemaker. CHRISTIAN ZAZUETA: 20-year-old right-hander Christian Zazueta makes his 14th start of the year and his third against San Jose. In his last start, he dominated over five one-hit innings, with a new career-high in strikeouts (10) win a win over Lake Elsinore on June 18th. He's 1-1 against the Giants this season. Last year in Rancho, Zazueta went 1-5 with a 6.36 ERA over 14 games (11 starts) and 52.1 innings. Zazueta, who was named as the Cal League Pitcher of the Month for May, signed with the Yankees in 2022 out of Mexico and then was traded to the Dodgers in February of 2024 in the trade that saw former Quake Caleb Ferguson go to the Yankees.

HUNTER DRYDEN: Right-hander Hunter Dryden makes his tenth start of the year and his third against the Quakes. In two starts against Rancho, he's 1-0, allowing just two runs over nine innings. In his last start overall, he allowed six runs on eight hits over just 3.1 innings in a loss at Modesto on June 17th. Dryden was a 17th-round selection by the Giants in the 2024 draft out of Whitworth College in Spokane, Washington.

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 are on the road this week in San Jose, but return to LoanMart Field on Tuesday, July 1st against Visalia for another Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday. Get tickets at RCQuakes.com.

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES				
Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
6/25	at San Jose	LHP Sterling Patick at RHP Niko Mazza	1:00pm	iHeart, Tune-In
6/26	at San Jose	RHP Aidan Foeller at LHP Charlie McDaniel	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In
6/27	at San Jose	RHP Jholbran Herder at LHP Jacob Bresnahar	n 7:00pm	iHeart, Tune-In
6/28	at San Jose	RHP Logan Tabeling at RHP Gerelmi Maldonado	5:00pm	iHeart, Tune-In

SECOND HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Fresno	2	1	.667	-
San Jose \$	2	1	.667	_
Modesto	1	2	.333	1.0
Stockton	1	2	.333	1.0
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SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Inland Empire	2	1	.667	-
\$ Rancho Cucamonga	2	1	.667	_
Visalia	1	2	.333	1.0
Lake Elsinore	1	2	.333	1.0

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

SUNDAY'S GAMES

Lake Elsinore 3 RANCHO CUCAMONGA 6 Fresno 5 Visalia 1 San Jose 3 Modesto 1 Inland Empire 2 Stockton 7

TODAY'S GAMES

Modesto at Lake Elsinore, 6:05pm RANCHO CUCAMONGA at San Jose, 6:30pm Visalia at Inland Empire, 6:35pm Stockton at Fresno, 6:50pm

TOMORROW'S GAMES

Modesto at Lake Elsinore, 6:05pm RANCHO CUCAMONGA at San Jose, 1:00pm Visalia at Inland Empire, 6:35pm Stockton at Fresno, 6:50pm

2025 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	41-25
2nd Half Record:	2-1
vs: San Jose	4-8
vs San Jose at home:	4-8
vs San Jose on road:	0-0
Home Record:	22-11
Road Record:	21-15
Extra Inning Record:	1-2
One-Run Games:	5-5
Shutouts:	6-3
Longest Winning Streak:	9
Longest Losing Streak:	8
Current Streak:	W1
Largest Division Lead:	11.0

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	Proba	ble Quakes Lii	neup
1.	#46	Eduardo Quintero	CF
2.	#41	Jaron Elkins	RF
3.	#35	Oswaldo Osorio	DH
4.	#27	Jose Meza	1B
5.	#9	Mairo Martinus	3B
6.	#23	Samuel Munoz	LF
7.	#10	Niko Perez	2B
8.	#7	Elijah Hainline	SS
9.	#17	Victor Rodrigues	C
P.	#45	Christian Zazueta	RH