



Sunday, June 16, 2024 5:05pm Game #61, Road Game #33

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RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (28-32) Fresno Grizzlies (36-25)





RHP Cam Day (1-3, 4.93 ERA) vs. RHP German Marquez (0-0, -.-- ERA)

TONIGHT'S GAME: The Quakes finish a crucial six-game road trip today, with the final game of a six-game set against the Fresno Grizzlies (COL) at Chukchansi Park in Fresno. After Monday's off-day, the Quakes will return to LoanMart Field for the final three games of the first half, as part of a six-game series against the Inland Empire 66ers on Tuesday, June 18. Tickets are available at rcquakes.com.

VS THE GRIZZLIES: Today's game is the sixth of 12 against the Grizzlies in 2024 and the last of six at Chukchansi Park. Last season, the Quakes went 5-7 against the Grizzlies, just 1-5 here in Fresno. Last night's loss gives the Quakes a 2-3 record in this series and just six wins in 23 games in Fresno since they joined the Cal League in 2021.

LAST GAME: The Grizzlies scored three times in the ninth inning, walking off the Quakes by a final of 6-5 on Saturday night in front of an announced crowd of more than 6,700 fans at Chukchansi Park. Pinch-hitter Jason Hinchman slapped an RBI single to left off Felix Cabrera to complete Fresno's comeback. Callum Wallace (0-2) retired just one of the five hitters he faced and suffered the defeat. Fresno reliever Welinton Herrera (8-2) pitched a scoreless ninth and got the save. Rancho built an early 5-1 lead thanks to a pair of homers, as Logan Wagner (4) slugged a two-run shot, while Josue De Paula (6) had a three-run blast. Rancho starter Sean Paul Linan was solid in his Rancho debut, allowing two runs on seven hits with six strikeouts over 4.1 innings.

WARMING UP?: Last night's loss cooled them off, but the Quakes were starting to build some momentum after two straight wins in this series. After dropping 13 of 14 and falling from first place, the Quakes have now three of their last six. Back-to-back wins for the Quakes in this series gives Rancho their first two-game winning streak at Chukchansi Park in team history, dating back to Fresno's first year in the Cal League in 2021. The Quakes had also not won consecutive games in a full month, since they downed Inland Empire in back-to-back home games on May 14 and 15, respectively. The Quakes, who need to finish a game ahead of the Storm due to the tie-breaker, are still two games back with just four to play. Rancho will finish their series with Fresno today, then finis the half at home with Inland Empire (3). The Storm are at home today against Stockton and then play at Visalia (3) to end the half. A Rancho loss, paired with a Lake Elsinore win today would eliminate the Quakes from first-half contention.

MORE ROSTER MOVES: On Saturday, the Quakes added tonight's starting pitcher, Sean Linan, as he fills a vacant spot on the roster. Infielder Jordan Thompson was promoted to Great Lakes of the High-A Midwest League on Friday. Taking his spot on the roster is outfielder Jose Meza, who joins the team from the Arizona Complex League, where he was hitting .368 with three homers and 25 RBIs in just 26 games.

CAM DAY: Cam Day will make his seventh start and 12th appearance of the year, his second start of this series against Fresno. In his only outing against the Grizzlies, he allowed two runs (one earned) on five hits over four innings in a no-decision on Tuesday night. Day has only allowed one earned run over his last 8.2 innings. Day signed as an undrafted free agent with the Dodgers, after playing collegiately at the University of Utah.

GERMAN MARQUEZ: Colorado Rockies right-hander German Marquez is slated to make a rehab start today for Fresno. Marquez is coming off Tommy John surgery and will be making his third rehab start and first outside of the Arizona Complex League, where he went 0-1 with a 8.10 ERA, allowing four runs (three earned) on six hits over 3.1 innings of work. Marquez has not thrown in a big-league game since late-April of 2023. Marquez is 65-56 in 176 career games, with an ERA of 4.41 over 1016.0 innings of work. Marquez originally signed with Tampa Bay in 2011 out of Venezuela, but was traded to Colorado in January of 2016 for a package of players.

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 Tuesday the 18th for another Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday, as fans can learn how to score a FREE Club Seat Ticket by visiting requakes.com.

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES				
Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio/TV
6/18	vs Inland Empire	RHP Barrett Kent at RHP Alex Makarewich	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live
6/19	vs Inland Empire	LHP Francis Texido at RHP Patrick Copen	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live
6/20	vs Inland Empire	RHP Riley Bauman at RHP Christian Zazueta	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live
6/21	vs Inland Empire	RHP Andre Sanchez at RHP Sean Paul Linan	6:30pm	iHeart, Tune-In / Bally Live

1st HALF DIVISION STANDINGS

NORTH	\mathbf{W}	L	PCT	GB
Modesto	39	21	.650	-
Fresno	36	25	.590	3.5
San Jose	35	26	.574	3.5
Stockton	25	35	.417	14.0

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Lake Elsinore	30	30	.500	-
RANCHO CUCAMONGA	28	32	.467	2.0
Visalia	27	34	.443	3.5
Inland Empire	22	39	.361	8.5

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

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

TODAY'S GAMES

Modesto at Visalia, 12:05pm Inland Empire at San Jose, 1:00pm Stockton at Lake Elsinore, 1:15pm RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Fresno, 5:05pm

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Inland Empire at RANCHO CUCAMONGA, 6:30pm Lake Elsinore at Visalia, 6:30pm Stockton at Fresno, 6:50pm San Jose at Modesto, 7:05pm

2024 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	28-32
vs Fresno:	2-3
vs Fresno at home:	0-0
vs Fresno on road:	2-3
Home Record:	15-13
Road Record:	13-19
Extra Inning Record:	0-5
One-Run Games:	6-7
Shutouts	5-2
Longest Winning Streak:	7
Longest Losing Streak:	7
Current Streak:	L1
Largest Division Lead	5.0

	Probal	ble Quakes	Lineup
1.	#16	Logan Wagner	3B
2.	#36	Samuel Munoz	CF
3.	#27	Josue De Paula	DH
4.	#23	Jeral Perez	2B
5.	#5	Juan Alonso	RF
6.	#44	Jesus Galiz	C
7.	#57	Sean McLain	1B
8.	#35	Jose Meza	LF
9.	#13	Wilman Diaz	SS
P.	#8	Cam Day	RH