



# RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES

## 2019 GAME NOTES



LOANMART FIELD

Sunday, April 7th at 2:09 PM  
Game #4, Road Game #4

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Banner Island Ballpark  
Stockton, CA



RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (2-1)

AT

Stockton Ports (1-2)



RHP Gerardo Carrillo (4-1, 1.50 ERA) vs. RHP Wyatt Marks (7-6, 3.30 ERA)

\*pitchers stats are 2018 combined stats

**TODAY'S GAME:** The fourth game of the young 2019 season is set for a 2:09PM first pitch against the Stockton Ports (Oakland Athletics affiliate). Today's contest is the last game of the first series of the year. The Quakes will head to Visalia after the game for a three-game series at Rawhide Ballpark against the Visalia Rawhide. Following this set, Rancho will return to Stockton for two more series later on in the season.

**VS STOCKTON:** This is the fourth of 16 total meetings between the Quakes and the Ports and the fourth of 10 games to be played at Banner Island Ballpark. Last season, Rancho went 1-5 when playing on Stockton's home turf, but with back-to-back wins in this series, the Quakes have already exceeded their 2018 win total. After falling by a final score of 4-1 on Opening Night, the Quakes have posted back-to-back wins by the same score of 4-3.

**LAST TIME OUT:** The Quakes' (2-1) second victory of the 2019 season came last night in another 4-3 win over the Ports (1-2). Once again, Rancho found themselves trailing after the bottom of the first inning. Nick Allen was brought home on a sacrifice fly off the bat of Jeremy Eierman to give Stockton the early 1-0 lead. After the Ports tacked on another run in the third, the Quakes offense disrupted a no-hitter by opposing pitcher Brady Feigl, scoring two runs to knot up the score. The ballgame came to a stalemate for the proceeding three and a half innings, but following a Carlos Rincon throw out at the plate in the bottom of the seventh, Connor Wong hit a go-ahead solo jack to give the Quakes the 3-2 lead in the top of the eighth inning. Marcus Chiu followed Wong's lead with what would serve as the game-winning RBI, a solo home run in the top of the ninth. Rancho reliever Wes Helsabeck came in for the save, allowing one run, but stranding a runner on second thanks in part to a game-clinching, running catch in left field by Donovan Casey.

**HELLO EXTRA-BASE HITS:** They might have only had five hits yesterday and still have yet to record more than five hits in a game this season, but three out of the five hits were for extra bases. The extra-base hits were their first three extra-base hits of the season as they had not recorded an extra-base hit in games one and two. Rincon broke up Feigl's no-hitter in the top of the fourth with his first double of the season. Wong and Chiu hit their first home runs of the season in the eighth and ninth inning, respectively. The offense will look to rack up more total hits, but look to keep up the pace in the extra-base hit column moving forward.

**RANCHO BULLPEN, AGAIN:** As the offense tries to find its footing in 2019, the bullpen has seemed to have already found it. After starter Bryan Warzek's night was over after 3.1 inning of work, Max Gamboa came in for 2.2 innings of scoreless baseball. Gamboa struck out five, allowing just one hit, giving way to Jordan Sheffield as he did much of the same. Sheffield completed his own two innings of scoreless baseball, allowing one hit and one walk while striking out two Ports hitters. Helsabeck got the call in the bottom of the ninth where he did allow one run, but eventually shut the door for his first save of the season. The bullpen has allowed just one earned run in a combined 15.2 innings of work so far throughout the season. That's good enough for a 0.57 ERA.

**GERARDO CARRILLO:** RHP Gerardo Carrillo gets the ball for the first time in the 2019 season. In 2018, the Guadalajara native pitched to a stellar 1.50 ERA in 13 appearances. Carrillo spent time in the Arizona League as well as the Midwest League with the Great Lakes Loons. With the AZL Dodgers, Carrillo made four appearances with one of those as a start. He allowed just one run in 11 innings of work. With Great Lakes, he appeared nine times, all starts, allowing nine earned runs across 49 innings. The Dodgers signed Carrillo as an International Free Agent on July 5th, 2016.

**WYATT MARKS:** The Lafayette, LA native, RHP Wyatt Marks, makes his first start of the season as well. Marks pitched to a 3.30 ERA in 2018 across two levels in the Oakland farm system. He spent most of his time with the Beloit Snappers (Class A) making 20 appearances with 18 of them as starts. The 6'2", 215-pounder did get to the Stockton last season as he made five starts for the club. Marks made quite the jump from 2017 to 2018 where he went from pitching in 42 innings to a 133.2 innings. The Athletics drafted Marks in the 13th round in 2017.

**LOOKING AHEAD:** Following today's contest, the Quakes will head south to make a stop in Visalia for a three-game set. The Rawhide are off to a similar 2-1 start as they aim to take three of four from the San Jose Giants with a 2:00PM first pitch. In the 2018 regular season, the Quakes went 5-6 against the Rawhide going 1-3 at LoanMart Field and 4-3 at Rawhide Ballpark. However, in the 2018 Cal League Championship the Quakes completed a three-game sweep, outscoring the Rawhide 23-8 for their second title in four years. RHP Michael Grove will make his debut for the Quakes as they start their second series of the 2019 season.

**ROSTER MOVES:** The Quakes made their first roster moves of the season this morning as last night's starting pitcher Bryan Warzek was placed on the Temporary Inactive List and Deacon Liput was moved to the Injured List. Newcomers Moises Perez (INF) and Devin Hemmerich (LHP) will join the team from extended Spring Training.

**LISTEN TO THE QUAKES:** Listen live on the new radio home as NewsTalk 1290 will air every Quakes game of the 2019 season. The Quakes also live online via rcquakes.com and the iHeartRadio and TuneIn Radio apps with the "Voice of the Quakes" Mike Linskog and Toph Buzzard.

**FIREWORKS AT LOANMART:** On Thursday, April 11th, the Quakes will host the Lancaster JetHawks (Colorado Rockies affiliate) for their home opener and Opening Night Fireworks. Tickets are available online at rcquakes.com or by calling (909) 481-5000.

### STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Modesto	3	0	.1000	-
Visalia	2	1	.667	1
San Jose	1	2	.333	2
Stockton	1	2	.333	2

SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Lake Elsinore	2	1	.667	-
RANCHO CUCAMONGA	2	1	.667	-
Inland Empire	1	2	.333	1
Lancaster	0	3	.000	2

### CAL LEAGUE SCOREBOARD YESTERDAY

Modesto 3 Lancaster 2 (10 innings)  
San Jose 0 Visalia 1 (11 innings)  
Lake Elsinore 2 Inland Empire 8  
RANCHO CUCAMONGA 4 Stockton 3

### TODAY

San Jose at Visalia, 2:00 PM  
Modesto at Lancaster, 2:05 PM  
Lake Elsinore at Inland Empire, 2:05 PM  
RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Stockton, 2:09 PM

### TOMORROW

RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Visalia, 6:00 PM  
Lake Elsinore at Lancaster, 6:35 PM  
Modesto at Inland Empire, 7:05 PM  
San Jose at Stockton, 7:10 PM

### 2019 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

1st Half Record:	2-1
vs Stockton:	2-1
vs STK Home	0-0
vs STK Road	2-1
Home Record:	0-0
Road Record:	2-1
Current Streak:	W2

### Probable Quakes Lineup

1.	#24	Jeren Kendall	CF
2.	#15	Jeter Downs	DH
3.	#11	Connor Wong	C
4.	#16	Carlos Rincon	LF
5.	#17	Marcus Chiu	1B
6.	#25	Donovan Casey	RF
7.	#33	Devin Mann	3B
8.	#12	Brandon Montgomery	SS
9.	#50	Moises Perez	2B
P.	#3	Gerardo Carrillo	RHP

### UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES

Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio
4/8	at Visalia	RHP Michael Grove vs. RHP Cole Stapler	6:00 PM	NewsTalk 1290
4/9	at Visalia	LHP Leo Crawford vs. RHP Jeff Bain	6:00 PM	NewsTalk 1290
4/10	at Visalia	RHP Edwin Uceta vs. RHP Josh Green	11:00 AM	NewsTalk 1290
4/11	vs Lancaster	LHP Lucas Gilbreath vs LHP Bryan Warzek	7:05 PM	NewsTalk 1290