



# RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES

## 2019 GAME NOTES

**Tuesday, June 25th at 6:00 PM**  
**Game #74 (#6), Road Game #41 (#6)**

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### RANCHO CUCAMONGA QUAKES (43-30 / 2-3) AT Lake Elsinore Storm (38-35 / 3-2)



LHP Austin Hamilton (2-1, 3.86 ERA) vs. RHP Caleb Boushley (3-1, 2.81 ERA)

**TODAY'S GAME:** Tonight's matchup with the Lake Elsinore Storm (San Diego Padres affiliate) represents game two of a three-game series, the first series meeting of the second half. The next time these two ball clubs meet is on July 1st, as Rancho welcomes the Storm to town for another three-game set. The Quakes play Lake Elsinore a total of nine times in their first 20 second-half games. The Quakes will head home on Thursday, opening a seven-game home stand against Lancaster and this Storm club.

**VS LAKE ELSINORE:** This is the 17th of 30 total meetings between the Quakes and the Storm this season and the eighth of 15 games to be played at The Diamond. In the first half, Rancho posted a 10-5 record against the Storm, going 5-4 at home, but 5-1 at Lake Elsinore. The prowess has continued into the second half, as the Quakes grabbed a win on Monday, making them 11-5 overall.

**SOLID START TO THE SET:** In game one of the three-game series, the Quakes (43-30, 2-3) took care of business over the Storm (38-35, 3-2), defeating them by a final score of 10-6. Niko Hulsizer and Connor Wong led the way with the lumber, as they recorded 7 out of the 10 RBI on the night. Hulsizer had an RBI single in the second, and a three-run homer in the fifth, serving as his first Cal League home run. Wong's three-hit, three RBI night was highlighted by his two-run, insurance triple in the ninth. Deacon Liput joined Wong with three hits on the night. On the bump, Leo Crawford (2-3) got the win, finishing his outing with four scoreless frames. As for the Storm's SP, Elliot Ashbeck (3-1), he surrendered a season-high eight earned runs in 4.1 innings for the loss.

**HULK-SIZER:** For the first time in Rancho blue, Niko Hulsizer hit his first hulk smash of the year. The six-foot-two, 225-pounder scorched an Elliot Ashbeck pitch over the left-field wall for three runs on one swing of the bat, highlighting the Quakes' four-run top of the fifth. The swat not only served as the game-winning hit, but also as Hulsizer's 16th total blast of the season.

**RBI'S O'PLENTY:** Two-year Cal-Leaguer Connor Wong is driving in runs at a blistering pace in the last couple of days. Wong, who had a four-RBI performance on Sunday due to the salami, drove in three more last night. That gives the Houston, TX native seven RBI in the last two days. Rancho's catcher now has 39 RBI on the season, and has raised his average to a respectable .237.

**MANN LOVES THE HANGAR:** Over the weekend, Devin Mann went 10-for-17, highlighted by the multi-homer effort on Sunday where he posted a 3-for-4 performance. Throughout the four-game series, Mann tallied six RBI, five runs, four doubles, and three jacks. The Columbus, IN seems to love The Hangar, as most Cal League hitters do, as he is now 26-for-47 when playing in Lancaster, good enough for a .553 batting average. A third of Mann's 15 home runs on the campaign have been tallied in Lancaster, while 14 out of his team-leading 49 RBI have been recorded there as well. After a day off on Monday, Mann is back in Tuesday's lineup, batting second and playing third base.

**THE FORMER FRIAR:** With a three-hit outing on Monday, Storm utility man Allen Cordoba now finds himself hitting at a .298 clip in 44 games. Compared to 2018, Cordoba is showing huge signs of improvement, as the Panama native hit just .206 with Lake Elsinore in 45 games last season. Cordoba played 100 games with San Diego in 2017, posting a .208 batting average.

**A TALE OF TWO JUNES:** The path to the first-half title for the Quakes was back-to-back winning months in April (16-10) and May (15-12), and an 8-2 start in June. However, despite the victory on Monday evening, Rancho is 4-6 in their last ten games. In order to tally their third-consecutive winning month, the Quakes need two wins in their final six June games.

**AUSTIN HAMILTON:** The Okeechobee, FL native, LHP Austin Hamilton, takes the ball for Rancho on Tuesday night for his second start of '19 and just his seventh career start in pro baseball. Hamilton has posted a 2-1 record and a 3.86 ERA so far in his third professional season. The last appearance for Hamilton, on June 20th, was his first start of the season, resulting in a no-decision, as he hurled four innings, with three earned runs and six strikeouts in an eventual 7-6 loss to Lancaster. The southpaw has faced the Storm once before this season, tossing three scoreless back on April 30th. The Dodgers signed Hamilton as an undrafted free agent on June 19, 2017 after he pitched collegiately at Valdosta State in Georgia.

**CALEB BOUSHLEY:** The Hortonville, Wisconsin native makes his 17th appearance and fifth start of the year, his fourth appearance and second start against the Quakes in 2019. In three prior outings, Boushley has allowed six runs on ten hits over nine innings, but has recorded 16 strikeouts to just one walk. In his last appearance overall, he allowed two hits over two scoreless innings in a relief appearance vs. Inland Empire on June 21st. In 2018, Boushley spent six games (one start) with the Storm, going 1-1 with a 3.09 ERA over just 11.2 innings. Originally drafted by San Diego in the 33rd round of the 2017 draft out of Wisconsin - La Crosse.

**ROSTER MOVES:** On Monday, Rancho made room for SP Leo Crawford, who was activated from the Injured List. The corresponding move was sending LHP Wes Helsabeck to the Injured List.

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**MAMA, WE'RE COMING HOME:** Circle the date Thursday, June 27th, as the Quakes will play their first home game of the second half, taking on the Lancaster JetHawks for a Punch Bowl Social Thirsty Thursday. The following day, Friday, June 28th, Smile Generation presents Cody Bellinger Bobblehead Giveaway. Make sure to purchase tickets online at [rcquakes.com](http://rcquakes.com) or by calling (909) 481-5000.

### 2ND HALF STANDINGS

NORTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Stockton	4	1	.800	-
Visalia	3	2	.600	1
Modesto	2	3	.400	2
San Jose	1	4	.200	3
SOUTH	W	L	PCT	GB
Lancaster	4	1	.800	-
Lake Elsinore	3	2	.600	1
RANCHO CUCAMONGA	2	3	.400	2
Inland Empire	1	4	.200	3

### CAL LEAGUE SCOREBOARD YESTERDAY

RANCHO CUCAMONGA 10 at Lake Elsinore 6
Lancaster 8 at Inland Empire 7
Modesto 11 at San Jose 2
Visalia 3 at Stockton 11

### TODAY

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

### TOMORROW

RANCHO CUCAMONGA at Lake Elsinore, 11:00 AM
Modesto at San Jose, 12:30 PM
Lancaster at Inland Empire, 7:05 PM
Visalia at Stockton, 7:10 PM

### 2019 QUAKES AT A GLANCE

2nd Half Record:	2-3
vs Lake Elsinore:	11-5
vs LE Home	5-4
vs LE Road	6-1
Home Record:	16-17
Road Record:	27-13
Current Streak:	W1

### PROBABLE QUAKES LINEUP

1. #10	Brayan Morales	CF
2. #33	Devin Mann	3B
3. #6	Deacon Liput	2B
4. #15	Jeter Downs	SS
5. #25	Donovan Casey	RF
6. #24	Jeren Kendall	DH
7. #30	Jordan Procyshen	C
8. #19	Nick Yarnall	1B
9. #34	Starling Heredia	LF
P #14	Austin Hamilton	LHP

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLES				
Date	Opp	Pitching Probables	Time	Radio
6/26	@ Lake Elsinore	RHP Michael Grove vs. LHP MacKenzie Gore	11:00 AM	NewsTalk 1290
6/27	vs. Lancaster	RHP Garrett Schilling vs. RHP Josiah Gray	7:05 PM	NewsTalk 1290
6/28	vs. Lancaster	LHP Ryan Rolison vs. RHP Andre Jackson	7:05 PM	NewsTalk 1290
6/29	vs. Lancaster	RHP Antonio Santos vs. LHP Leo Crawford	7:05 PM	NewsTalk 1290