



## SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS MEDIA RELATIONS

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### San Diego State vs. Fresno State Postgame Notes Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif. January 3, 2024

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**Next Game:** Saturday, Jan. 6 | 1 p.m. PT | vs. UNLV | Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif. | TV: CBS | Radio: San Diego Sports 760

Lead Changes: 3 | Ties: 0

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### Big Notes

- Out of SDSU's 71 all-time wins over Fresno State, tonight's 27-point victory was its second-largest winning margin, only trailing a 38-point win over the Bulldogs on Jan. 6, 1940 (W, 62-24).
- San Diego State's 27-point win was its largest margin of victory of the season against a Division I opponent and largest since a 34-point triumph over Kennesaw State on Dec. 12, 2022 (W, 88-54).
- The Aztecs win their 13th straight home game, and has won 44 of their last 46 home games (44-2), 62 of their last 67 (62-5) and 71 of their last 77 (71-6).
- San Diego State has won 63 of its 68 home games (63-5) since the start of the 2019-20 season, and its five home losses are tied for the third fewest in the nation in that time frame.
- The Aztecs improve to 46-5 (.902) in their last 51 Mountain West home games and 26-2 (.929) in their last 27 MW home contests.
- SDSU records a season-high 52.6 field goal percentage, its highest since a 53.8 percent clip vs. Cal State Fullerton on Nov. 7, 2022.
- San Diego State wins its 97th straight home game (last loss was Jan. 26, 2002) and 44th overall when shooting at least 50 percent from the floor.
- The Aztecs are 56-1 under Brian Dutcher when shooting at least 50 percent from the field.
- SDSU wins its 17th straight game and is now 53-2 under Brian Dutcher when holding its opponent to under 35 percent shooting from the floor.
- San Diego State has won 43 of its last 44 home games when holding its opponent under 35 percent shooting.

## **Team Notes**

- SDSU improves to 90-10 under Brian Dutcher at home.
- The Aztecs are now 17-8 in their 25 opening games of Mountain West Conference play.
- San Diego State improved to 92-11 in its last 103 games against Division I programs in the state of California and 141-35 under Brian Dutcher against DI California schools.
- Under Brian Dutcher, the Aztecs move to 35-14 in games in January and as a program has won 79 of its last 104 (79-25) games in the first month of the year.
- SDSU improves to 250-139 (.643) all-time in Mountain West games, including a 153-44 (.777) mark in home conference games.
- The Aztecs win their 17th straight game when leading at the half. SDSU is 155-8 in its last 163 home games and has won 209 of their last 233 (209-24) when leading at intermission.
- San Diego State was up, 68-42, with five minutes left and moves to 399-14 (.966) in its last 413 games when leading with five minutes to play. The Aztecs are now 146-10 (.936) under Brian Dutcher when leading with five minutes, including 17 straight wins.
- SDSU moves to 108-23 under Brian Dutcher and 234-48 in its last 282 games when outscoring the opponent's bench.
- The Aztecs move to 27-7 (.794) on Wednesdays under Brian Dutcher and have won their last six on the day.
- SDSU is now 104-16 in its last 120 games under Brian Dutcher wearing its white uniforms.
- San Diego State wins its 19th straight game when outrebounding its opponent.
- The Aztecs have won 70 of their last 73 games when outrebounding their opponent (70-3) and 259 of their last 297 (259-38).
- The Aztecs won the battle of the boards and moves to 118-12 under Brian Dutcher when they rebound their opponent.
- The Aztecs improve to 132-9 (.936) under Brian Dutcher when shooting better than their opponent.
- SDSU outscored Fresno State in the following situations:
  - 50-32 from the starting five
  - 24-15 off the bench
  - 38-30 in the paint
  - 18-12 off turnovers
  - 4-3 on fast-break opportunities

## **Series Notes**

- San Diego State improves to 71-56 against Fresno State and has won its last nine in a row against the Bulldogs.
- SDSU's nine-game win streak against Fresno State is currently its third longest against a Mountain West opponent trailing San Jose State (11 straight) and Wyoming (10 straight).
- Head coach Brian Dutcher improves to 10-4 against Fresno State.
- San Diego State's 42 all-time home wins against Fresno State are the program's most against any current Mountain West program.

## Game Flow

- Fresno State won the tip.
- Fresno State scored the first points, on a runner in the lane, at 19:12.
- San Diego State's first points, a 3-pointer from Elijah Saunders, came at the 18:54 mark.
- San Diego State used a 9-0 run over two minutes in the first half to turn a 3-4 deficit into a 12-4 lead.
- San Diego State scored 23 points in the first 10:34 of the game compared to 23 points in the entire first half of last year's game in Fresno.
- In the first 20 minutes, Fresno State scored back-to-back buckets only twice versus San Diego State which failed to score back-to-back baskets on only three times.
- San Diego State used an 11-4 run to open the second half to extend its lead to 20 points (50-30).
- Through the first 10 minutes of the second half, San Diego State shot 10-of-12 (83.3 percent).
- SDSU shoots 58.3 percent in the second half.
- San Diego State's 31-point lead (74-43) was its largest lead of the season against a Division I opponent.
- Scores at each media timeout:
  - First Half, 15:19: San Diego State 12, Fresno State 6 (+6)
  - First Half, 11:55: San Diego State 18, Fresno State 7 (+11)
  - First Half, 6:27: San Diego State 25, Fresno State 16 (+9)
  - First Half, 3:54: San Diego State 28, Fresno State 18 (+10)
  - Halftime: San Diego State 39, Fresno State 26 (+13)
  - Second Half, 15:35: San Diego State 50, Fresno State 30 (+20)
  - Second Half, 11:43: San Diego State 60, Fresno State 34 (+26)
  - Second Half, 7:47: San Diego State 64, Fresno State 38 (+26)
  - Second Half, 6:01: San Diego State 68, Fresno State 40 (+28)
  - Second Half, 3:52: San Diego State 69, Fresno State 42 (+27)
  - Final: San Diego State 74, Fresno State 47 (+27)

## Player Notes

### **Jaedon LeDee – 21 points, 9-12 FG, 1 rebound, 1 block, 2 assists, 1 steal**

Scored in double figures for the 13th time this season in 13 appearances... Logged his eighth 20-point game of the season and 11th of his career... Now has 32 career double-figure scoring games, 24 of which have come in the 52 games he has played as an Aztec... Led the Aztecs in scoring for the 13th time of the season... Made his final four shots of the game (all in the second half).

### **Micah Parrish – 11 points, 7 rebounds, 2 assists, +27 plus/minus ratio**

Reached double figures for the ninth time in 13 appearances this season and 51st time of his career... SDSU outscored its opponents by 27 points when he was on the floor, tied for the largest plus/minus rating on the team.

### **Lamont Butler – 11 points, 1 rebound, 4 assists, 1 steal**

Recorded his fifth double digit scoring game, second in the last three games, this year and 31st time of his career.

### **Other Player Notes**

- **Darrion Trammell** recorded a season-high four rebounds... **Jay Pal** logged a season-high six rebounds and matched a career best with two blocked shots...

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