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San Diego State Postgame Notes at San Diego

Jenny Craig Pavilion | San Diego, Calif.

November 20, 2019

FINAL SCORE: San Diego State 66, San Diego 49

Next Game: Friday, Nov. 29 | vs. LIU, 7 p.m. PT | Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | Mountain West Network | 101.5 KGB & XTRA 1360

Next MBB Media Availability: Tuesday, Nov. 26 | Time and location to be announced

Big Notes

- San Diego State's 17-point victory is the largest in program history in the nine games played at Jenny Craig Pavilion.
- Senior forward **Yanni Wetzell** recorded his third double-double with a career-high 20 points and a career-high 12 rebounds.
- **Wetzell**, who was 9-for-11 from the field, produced the best shooting night for an Aztec (minimum 9 FGM) since Billy White was 10-of-12 against Wichita State on Dec. 4, 2010.
- Sophomore forward **Nathan Mensah** posted his second straight double-digit game (10 points tonight) for just the second time in his 38-game career.
- San Diego State has won 26 straight games when holding its opponent to less than 60 points.
- San Diego State is 4-0 for the first time since 2014-15.
- San Diego State has won its last seven games at Jenny Craig Pavilion. That is the nation's longest win streak in the building.
- San Diego State is 12-2 in its last 14 games against San Diego.

Fast Starts

- San Diego State improves to 4-0 for the first time since the 2014-15 campaign when the Aztecs opened with wins over CSUN, No. 25 Utah, Bakersfield and vs. Brigham Young. The Aztecs went on to finish 27-9 and advanced to the third round of the 2015 NCAA tournament.
- For just the fifth time in the last 35 seasons, SDSU has opened a campaign 4-0. On each of the previous four occasions, the Aztecs has advanced to postseason play (2 NCAA tournaments, 2 postseason NIT).
- This is the first time since 2010-11 that the Aztecs have opened 4-0 with at least two of those victories coming in road games.
- Entering today, there were only 63 remaining unbeaten Division I teams (there are 351 Division I teams).

Road Success

- San Diego State improves to 2-0 in road games this season and has won its last three road games dating back to last season.
- SDSU has won its first two road games of a season for the first time in six seasons (since the 2013-14 campaign).
- San Diego State is 66-43 in its last 110 road games and 65-34 in its last 99 games against non-AP Top 25 teams.
- San Diego State is 10-2 in its last 12 road games at teams from the West Coast Conference.

The Series

- San Diego State leads the all-time series 32-19.
- The Aztecs are 11-8 in games played at USD and 7-2 at Jenny Craig Pavilion.
- San Diego State is 12-2 in its last 14 games against USD, including victories in 12 of the last 13 games played indoors.

- San Diego State wins its seventh straight game at Jenny Craig Pavilion. The Aztecs own the nation's longest active win streak in the building. The win streak includes a victory over Kansas State in the 2009 postseason NIT.
- The Aztecs have defeated USD in its last six visits to the JCP. SDSU's last defeat in the venue was Nov. 30, 2005.
- The last four times the Aztecs have defeated USD at the JCP, the Aztecs have advanced to the NCAA tournament. During those four seasons, San Diego State has averaged 26.0 wins during the season.

Other Notes

- San Diego State improves to 48-13 in its last 61 November games.
- SDSU is 24-9 in its last 33 games played on Wednesday.
- San Diego State has won 11 consecutive games when leading at intermission and improves to 43-8 when ahead at the half in the Brian Dutcher era.
- SDSU's 14 steals are a season high.
- The Aztecs outrebounded their opponent for the fourth time this season and improves to 36-8 in the Dutcher era when leading in that statistic.
- San Diego State has won 11 straight games and is 33-3 when holding its opponent to 40 percent or less from the floor.

Player Notes

Yanni Wetzell – career-high 20 pts, career-high 12 rebounds, 9-11 FGs

Set career-highs for point (20) and rebounds (11)... Reached double figures for the first time this year and ninth time in his career... Recorded his and the team's first double-double of the season and the third of Wetzell's career... Wetzell scored 13 of his career-high 20 points before intermission, connecting on 6-of-7 field goal attempts and 1-of-2 from the free throw line... His 12 rebounds are a career-high and the most by an Aztec this season... Wetzell became the fifth Aztec player to record a double-double against USD at the JCP (also: Mohamed Camara, Josh Davis, Randy Holcomb and Xavier Thames)... His 12 rebounds were the most by an Aztec in the series since Josh Davis pulled down 13 boards on Dec. 5, 2013... He was 9-for-11 from the field, produced the best shooting night for an Aztec (minimum 9 FGM) since Billy White was 10-of-12 against Wichita State on Dec. 4, 2010.

Nathan Mensah - 10 points, 5 rebounds, 2 blocks

Reached double figures for the second time this season and eighth of his career... Has now recorded double-figure scoring games in consecutive outings for just the second time in his career... In his last two games he is 12-for-17 from the field, 24 points and 14 rebounds in 43 minutes of action.

Malachi Flynn - 10 points, 3 rebounds, 2 assists, 1 steal

Reached double figures for the fourth time this season and 42nd time of his career.

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