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### San Diego State vs. Occidental Postgame Notes Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif. December 2, 2022

**Final Score:** San Diego State 95, Occidental 57

**Next Game:** Mon., Dec. 5 | vs. Troy, 7 p.m. PT | Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif. | TV: YurView | Radio: San Diego Sports 760

**Records:** San Diego State: 7-2 overall; Occidental: 2-1 overall

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### Big Notes

- After making just 11 three-pointers over its last three games combined, San Diego State recorded 13 in the first half tonight and a program-record 19 for the game.
- The 19 three-pointers also matched a high for Viejas Arena (Troy vs. SDSU on Nov. 30, 2003).
- The 19 three-pointers are tied for the eighth most in a game in Mountain West history (the MW started in 1999-00).
- After shooting a combined 19.0 percent from 3-point range over its last three games (11-for-56), the Aztecs shot 51.4 percent from beyond the arc tonight (19-for-37).
- SDSU's 95 points were its most in a game since scoring 98 each in MW games in January 2021 (98 at Air Force on Jan. 22 and 98 vs. Wyoming on Jan. 28).
- The Aztecs win their 11th straight game against Occidental, including the last two meetings as a nationally ranked team.
- SDSU's 59 first-half points were its most in any half since scoring 63 in the first half against Wyoming on Jan. 28, 2021.
- SDSU recorded just four fouls, its fewest in a game since at least the 1996-97 season (previous low was seven (three occasions)).
- Only six teams have had fewer fouls in a Division I game since at least the 1996-97 season.
- **G Adam Seiko** broke his previous career high of 14 points with 17 in the first half and 20 overall. He also had a career-high six three-pointers.
- **Seiko** scored 20 points in just 18 minutes, 27 seconds (18:27). Only one Aztec has scored more points in less minutes (Evan Burns - 21 in 18 minutes vs. Florida Atlantic on Dec. 28, 2002) since at least 1996-97.

### Series Notes

- San Diego State improves to 26-8 in the all-time series, however 32 of the 34 games came prior to the 1954-55 season.
- SDSU wins its 11th straight against the Tigers, with the last two victories coming after San Diego State began competing at the Division I level.

## Team Notes

- San Diego State improves to 27-1 in its last 28 home games and is 71-9 at home in the Brian Dutcher era.
- SDSU opens the December portion of its schedule with its fourth consecutive win in the month dating back to the 2021-22 season and is 63-16 in its last 79 December games.
- San Diego State improves to 40-3 in its last 43 games when leading at the half and 109-14 in the Brian Dutcher era.
- The Aztecs win for the 139th time in the last 148 home games when leading at the half (139-9).
- SDSU improves to 125-42 (.749) under Brian Dutcher.
- SDSU wins its 24th game in its last 26 tries when outshooting its opponent (24-2), 78th in its last 82 (78-4) and 108th in its last 116 (108-8). San Diego State improves to 106-8 in the Brian Dutcher era when shooting better than its opponent.
- The Aztecs improve to 41-1 in their last 42 games when outrebounding their opponent, 58-2 in their last 60 and 89-10 in the Brian Dutcher era with 12 consecutive wins.
- San Diego State wins its 29th straight game when scoring at least 90 points and improves to 39-2 since 1999-00 when scoring at least 90 points.
- In his eighth appearance as an Aztec, Micah Parrish made his first start.
- Elijah Saunders dunk at the 13:15 mark in the first half are the first two points of his college career.
- SDSU's first foul in the game didn't come until 3:40 left in the first half (Keshad Johnson reach in).
- All 12 Aztecs who played scored at least three points.
- All 12 SDSU players logged at least five minutes.
- San Diego State's bench almost outscored Occidental's entire team (53-57).
- SDSU's bench outscored Occidental's bench, 53-21.
- San Diego State outscored Occidental, 19-2, in second-chance points.
- The Aztecs scored its 35 baskets off 26 assists. SDSU's 26 assists were its most since recording 27 at Air Force on 36 made baskets on Jan. 22, 2021.

## Player Notes

### **Adam Seiko - 20 points, 7-of-11 FG, 6-of-9 3PFG, 1 rebound, 1 assist**

Broke his previous career high of 14 points with 17 in the first half and 20 overall... Led SDSU in scoring for just the second time of his career... Scored his 20 points in just 18 minutes, 27 seconds (18:27)... Only one Aztec has scored more points in less minutes (Evan Burns - 21 in 18 minutes vs. Florida Atlantic on Dec. 28, 2002) since at least 1996-97... Also had a career-high six three-pointers... Became just the fourth Aztec since at least 1996-97 with at least 20 points, 6 three-point field goals and 0 turnovers in a game (others: Jeremy Hemsley at Nevada on Jan. 4, 2017, Chase Tapley vs. San Francisco on Dec. 22, 2012 and DJ Gay vs. Air Force on Jan. 19, 2011).

### **Micah Parrish – 14 points, 4-of-9 3PFG, 2 rebounds, 1 steal**

Recorded his third double-figure scoring game as an Aztec and 36th of his career... His four 3-pointers were a season high.

### **Matt Bradley – 9 points, 3-of-4 FG, 3-of-4 3PFG, 8 assists, 4 rebounds, 1 steal, +41 plus/minus rating**

Had a career-high eight assists in just 23+ minutes, equaling his season total of eight in 177 minutes coming into the game... It was the first time he led SDSU in assists this year and 31st time of his career he has led his team in assists... His +41 plus/minus rating was the highest in the game (next highest was +25 by Keshad Johnson).

### **Miles Byrd – 8 points, 1 rebound, 6 assists, 1 steal**

Set career highs in every category in 19:35 after entering the game with three career minutes played... His six assists are tied for the second most in a game this season by an Aztec, trailing only Matt Bradley's career-high eight tonight.

**Elijah Saunders – 4 points, 8 rebounds, 3 assists, 1 block**

Set career highs in every category in 24:58 after entering the game with 13 career minutes played... His eight rebounds are the second most by an Aztec this season, trailing Nathan Mensah's 10 against Brigham Young on Nov. 11.

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