



## SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS MEDIA RELATIONS

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### San Diego State vs. Wyoming Postgame Notes

Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif.

January 23, 2024

**Final Score:** San Diego State 81, Wyoming 65

**Next Game:** Tuesday, Jan. 30 | 7 p.m. MT | at Colorado State | Moby Arena | Fort Collins, Colo. | TV: CBS Sports Network | Radio: San Diego Sports 760

Lead Changes: 14 | Ties: 7

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### Big Notes

- SDSU's two turnovers were:
  - the fewest in program history
  - the fewest in Viejas Arena history
  - tied for the second fewest in Mountain West history (all games and league games)
  - tied for the second fewest in a Division I game this season
- The Aztecs outscore Wyoming, 19-0, in points off turnovers
- San Diego State improves to 25-3 in its last 28 games immediately following a loss. When the loss is immediately followed by a home game, the Aztecs have won 32 consecutive times.
- The Aztecs win their 16th straight home game and have gone 374 days since their last home loss (76-67 vs. New Mexico on Jan. 14, 2023).
- SDSU has won 32 of its last 33 home games.
- Wyoming took a 41-36 lead on a Sam Griffin three-pointer with 17:53 remaining in the game. San Diego State outscored the Cowboys, 45-24, the rest of the way.

### Team Notes

- SDSU is now 93-10 under Brian Dutcher in games played at Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena, which includes a 53-6 record in Mountain West home games.
- San Diego State has won 74 of its last 80 (74-6) home games.

- SDSU has won 21 straight games when leading at the half, including a 15-0 record this season. San Diego State is 150-16 under Brian Dutcher and 158-8 in its last 166 home games when it has a lead at intermission.
- SDSU is 122-13 under Brian Dutcher and 263-39 in its last 302 games when it outrebounds the opponent.
- Under Brian Dutcher, the Aztecs are 38-16 in games in January and as a program has won 82 of its last 109 (82-27) games in the first month of the year.
- As a program, SDSU is now 253-141 (.642) all-time in Mountain West games.
- Since the start of the 2009-10, the Aztecs 111-15 (.880) record in Mountain West home games is the best in the conference and is 100 percentage points better than the next-closest team, Boise State (84-25; .780).
- SDSU stands at 112-25 under Brian Dutcher and 238-50 in its last 288 games when outscoring the opponent's bench.
- The Aztecs move to 60-17 in its last 77 games played on Tuesday under Brian Dutcher is 28-10 in games on the day.
- After shooting 36.8 percent from the field in the first half (14-for-38), San Diego State shot 66.7 percent in the second half (18-for-27).
- SDSU outscores Wyoming in the following situations:
  - 19-0 off turnovers
  - 17-2 off the bench
  - 34-22 in the paint
  - 5-0 in fast break opportunities

### **Series Notes**

- San Diego State improves to 51-41 all-time against Wyoming.
- In the Mountain West era (since the start of the 1999-00 season) SDSU is 33-17 against the Cowboys.
- Head coach Brian Dutcher's record against Wyoming improves to 11-1 and his teams have won 11 in a row.
- At Viejas Arena, the Aztecs move to 19-5, have won 16 straight against the Cowboys and have defeated Wyoming by double digits in 14 of those 16 wins.

### **Game Flow**

- San Diego State won the tip.
- Lamont Butler scored the first points of the game on a layup at 19:11.
- San Diego State started the game 2-of-3 from 3-point range and then missed 14 of its next 16 attempts from distance for the remainder of the first half.
- The Aztecs did not commit a turnover in the first half but forced nine Cowboys miscues and turned those into 13 points.
- San Diego State made back-to-back baskets on three occasions in the first half prior to the final 3:44.
- SDSU used a seven-point run in the final 3:44 of the first half to take a 34-32 lead into the intermission.
- The Aztecs trailed, 41-36, at the 17:37 mark and then went on a 9-0 run over the next 2:52 to take a 45-41 advantage.
- San Diego State did not commit a turnover until 14:01 of the second half.
- Scores at each media timeout:

First Half, 15:22: San Diego State 11, Wyoming 6 (+5)  
First Half, 11:55: Wyoming 13, San Diego State 12 (+1)  
First Half, 6:43: Wyoming 24, San Diego State 23 (-1)  
First Half, 3:54: Wyoming 32, San Diego State 27 (-5)  
Halftime: San Diego State 34, Wyoming 32 (+2)  
Second Half, 16:31: Wyoming 41, San Diego State 40 (-1)  
Second Half, 15:33: San Diego State 45, Wyoming 41 (+4)  
Second Half, 11:50: San Diego State 54, Wyoming 45 (+9)  
Second Half, 7:00: San Diego State 64, Wyoming 49 (+15)  
Second Half, 3:22: San Diego State 72, Wyoming 57 (+15)  
Final: San Diego State 81, Wyoming 65 (+16)

### **Player Notes**

#### **Lamont Butler – 23 points, 10-14 FG, 5 rebounds, 4 assists, 3 steals**

Matched a career high with 23 points (also at Wyoming on Jan. 7, 2023) and now has two career 20-point games... Scored in double figures for the fifth time in the last nine games, eighth time this season (SDSU is 8-0) and 34th time of his career (29-5)... Led the team in scoring for the second time this season (SDSU is 2-0) and eighth time of his career (7-1)... His 10 field goals were a career high, while his 14 attempts were a season high and one off a career high... Logged three steals, giving SDSU 15 straight wins when he has at least three steals.

#### **Jaedon LeDee – 17 points, 7 rebounds, 1 block, 1 assist, 2 steals**

Scored in double figures for the 19th time this season in 19 appearances... Now has 38 career double-figure scoring games, 30 of which have come in the 58 games he has played as an Aztec... Led SDSU in rebounding for the 15th time this season and 34th time of his career.

#### **Darrion Trammell – 12 points, 5-6 FG, 3 rebounds, 1 assist, 1 steal**

Scored in double figures for the seventh time this season (SDSU is 5-2) and 74th time of his career... Shot 5-for-6 from the field and is now 14-for-25 over this last three games, averaging 11.0 points per contest.

#### **Elijah Saunders – 9 points, 3-8 3PTFG, 5 rebounds, 2 assists, 1 steal**

Scored his most points (9) since scoring 13 at UC San Diego on Dec. 1, 2023... Matched a career high with three 3-point field goals (third time, all this season)... His eight 3-point attempts doubled his previous high of four (five times).