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San Diego State Postgame Notes vs. UNLV
Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif.
Monday, Jan. 24, 2022

Next Game: Wednesday, Jan. 26 | at Utah State, 8:30 p.m. MT | Dee Glen Smith Spectrum | TV: FS1 | Radio: 101.5 KGB | XTRA 1360

FINAL EDITION

Big Notes

- San Diego State wins its 300th game at Viejas Arena in program history.
- San Diego State improves to 12-1 in its last 13 games immediately following a loss and has won 19-straight when the next game immediately following the loss is a home contest.
- With the Aztecs win, head coach Brian Dutcher has been on the San Diego State bench for 36 of SDSU's 40 victories over UNLV and improves his record as a head coach against the Runnin' Rebels to 8-2.
- San Diego State improves to 34-11 in its last 45 games against UNLV regardless of location and is 19-2 in the last 21.
- San Diego State had its best shooting half of the season, hitting 62.1 percent of its shots in the first half.
- San Diego State scored 42 points in the first half, which is five points more than it scored in the entire game against Boise State (1/22).
- San Diego State had an 11-0 run in the first half and has had four runs of at least 10-0 in the last three games.
- San Diego State scored a season-high 80 points.
- The Aztecs had a season-high 15 steals.
- San Diego State had 23 fastbreak points vs. UNLV after recording just 2 vs. Boise State.
- Since the start of the 2005-06 season, SDSU has lost 147 games. Over that time frame, San Diego State has failed to win its next game only 26 times following those losses.

Streaks Extended

- 7-game streak of holding its opponent to less than 39.0 percent shooting from the field
- 4-game streak of holding its opponent to under 32.0 percent shooting from the floor
- 3-game winning streak against UNLV

Big Picture

- Since the start of the 2010-11 season, San Diego State has a 193-35 (.846) record in games played in the state of California.
- Since the start of the 2010-11 season, San Diego State has 164-23 (.877) record in games played in Viejas Arena.
- San Diego State improves to 61-9 (.871) in Viejas Arena since in the start of the Dutcher era (2017-18 season).

First Half Numbers

- San Diego State's 19-point halftime lead was its largest of the season
- San Diego State's 62.1 percent field goal shooting in the first half is its best of the season.
- San Diego State's 42 points in the first half are more than it scored in the entire game against Boise State (1/22)

Trends

- San Diego State won the tip.
- Trey Pulliam had the first field goal for San Diego State and in the game at the 19:14 mark.
- San Diego State never trailed in the game; it is the third time this season the Aztecs have never trailed in a game.
- San Diego State which missed its first 8 shots vs. Boise State (1/22), made 6 of its first 8 shots against UNLV.
- SDSU dunks: 4 (Lamont Butler 2, Keshad Johnson 1, Nathan Mensah 1)
- SDSU blocks: 7 (Nathan Mensah 3, Matt Bradley 1, Tahirou Diabate 1, Chad Baker-Mazara 1, Cade Alger 1)
- SDSU outscored UNLV in points off turnovers, 18-10.
- San Diego State outscored UNLV, 48-20, in the paint.
- The Aztecs outscored UNLV, 11-5, in second chance opportunities.
- San Diego State outscored UNLV, 23-13, in fast break chances.
- SDSU outscored UNLV, 21-17, off the bench.
- SDSU improved to 10-1 this season when leading at the half.
- The Aztecs won their 26th straight game when leading with 5 minutes to go in the game.
- SDSU won its 28th consecutive game when outrebounds its opponent.
- San Diego State has won 27 straight games when shooting 50 percent or better and 86 straight when shooting 50 percent or better at home.
- San Diego State is now 10-1 on the season and 91-6 in the Brian Dutcher era when shooting better than its opponent.
- The Aztecs had 12 different players score in the game.

Entering Today

- San Diego State was 35th in KenPom
- San Diego State was 39th in BPI
- San Diego State is 47th in NET
- San Diego State was 58th in Strength of Record

Player Notes

Matt Bradley – 27 points, 10-11 FG, 3-3 3PFG, 6 rebounds, 4 assists, 1 blocked shot

Scored a season-high 27 points... Played in his 100th career game... Reached double figures for the 12th time this season and 83rd time in his career and reached 20 points for the fifth time this year and the 28th time of his career... Tied a career high with 10 field goals... Became the first Aztec since at least 1996-97 to record the following in a game: 25+ points, 5+ rebounds, 4+ assists, 3+ 3PFG, 70.0+ FG Pct... Shot 90.9 percent from the field, which is the best percentage by an Aztec (min. 11 FGA) since Malcolm Thomas also shot 90.9 percent (10-for-11) against Northern Arizona on Nov. 28, 2009.

Trey Pulliam – 11 points, 2 rebounds, 2 assists

Reached double figure scoring for the eighth time this season and 16th time in his career.

Other Notes

- **Adam Seiko** played in his 100th career game for San Diego State... He is the 26th Aztec since the 1996-97 season to reach the milestone.
- **Tahirou Diabate** grabbed a season-high five rebounds.
- **Cade Alger** and **Jared Barnett** each scored their first two points of the season.

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