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## **CREDIT UNION 1 MW MEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP – FIRST ROUND**

### **#6 Boise State vs. #11 San José State Postgame Notes**

#### Championship Notes

- San José State advanced to the quarterfinal of the Credit Union 1 Mountain West Men's Basketball Championship with an opening round victory over Boise State, 84-74. The Spartans will take on third-seeded New Mexico at 8:30 p.m. New Mexico swept the season series.
- The No. 11 Seed is now 2-10 all-time in the opening round of the Mountain West tournament, with the only other win happening in 2020 when Wyoming upset Colorado State. That year, Wyoming also went on to win its quarterfinal matchup.
- All-time, San José State is now 3-11 in the Mountain West tournament.
- This is Boise State's first time they have failed to make the quarterfinals of the Mountain West tournament.

#### San José State Notes

- San José State's 84 points are the most points it has ever scored in a Mountain West tournament game.
- SJSU is now 7-2 this season when scoring at least 80 points.
- Colby Garland led the way for the Spartans with 22 points, marking the 11<sup>th</sup> consecutive game that he has reached at least 20 points. That is the fourth-longest streak in Mountain West history.
- Adrian Myers registered his third double-double of the season with 14 points and 10 rebounds. All three of those double-doubles have come in the last seven games.
- This was San José State's sixth game this season with four players scoring at least 13 points. That is the most such games by any Mountain West team this season.

#### Boise State Notes

- Javan Buchanan led the way for Boise State with 28 points on 7-of-18 shooting and 14-of-16 from the free throw line. This marked Buchanan's sixth career game with at least 24 points, with all six of those games coming on the road or at neutral sites.
- With the loss, Boise State fell to 0-11 this season when trailing at halftime, making them the only Mountain West team without a win when trailing at half this season.
- Boise State's 14 made free throws in the first half was its most made free throws in a first half since Nov. 17, 2024 against Clemson when the Broncos also made 14. Boise State finished the game 25-for-30 from the charity stripe.