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CREDIT UNION 1 MW MEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP – SEMIFINAL

#1 Utah State vs. #5 Nevada Postgame Notes

Championship Notes

- Utah State advanced to the title game of the 2026 Credit Union 1 Mountain West Men's Basketball Championship with a 79-66 victory over Nevada. The Aggies will await the winner of No. 2 San Diego State and No. 3 New Mexico.
- Utah State is now 20-10 all-time in the Mountain West tournament, and has made the championship game for the first time since 2023. Overall, it is Utah State's fifth championship game appearance.
- Utah State's Drake Allen and Mason Falsev each registered at least 10 points, five assists and five rebounds, marking just the fifth time in Mountain West tournament history that a team has had multiple players reach those numbers. Three of those five times have been by Utah State, most recently in 2021.
- Both Allen and Falsev each registered three steals as well, making it the second such game in MW tournament history that two teammates have notched at least 10 points, five rebounds, five assists and three steals in the same game.

Utah State Notes

- Utah State is now 17-0 this season when holding opponents under 70 points.
- The Aggies had five players score in double figures. It was the ninth game this season that Utah State has accomplished this, one behind Colorado State for the most by any Mountain West team this season.
- With six assists tonight, Drake Allen is up to 151 assists this season. He is just the fifth player in Mountain West history to have a season of at least 150 assists and 60 steals. Nevad's Cody Martin was the last to accomplish this in 2017-18.
- Additionally, Allen is the first player in MW tournament history to have at least seven rebounds, six assists and four steals in the same game.
- Utah State is now 21-1 when leading at the half this season, the best record in the Mountain West.

Nevada Notes

- Vaughn Weems led Nevada with 17 points. This marked Weems' sixth game this season with at least 15 points, all of which have come against conference opponents.
- Nevada falls to 6-9 this season when trailing at the half this season. They entered the day tied for the best record by a Mountain West team when trailing at the half, which included a win yesterday over Grand Canyon.