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CREDIT UNION 1 MW WOMEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP – FIRST ROUND

#2 UNLV vs. #7 Fresno State Postgame Notes

Championship Notes

- UNLV advanced with a 79–65 victory over Fresno State in the quarterfinals of the 2026 Credit Union 1 Mountain West Women's Basketball Championship. The Rebels will take on the winner of No. 3 Seed Colorado State and No. 6 Seed Grand Canyon.
- UNLV is now 23-22 all-time in the Mountain West tournament and has now made the semifinals in five-consecutive years.
- UNLV connected on 12 of their 25 3-point attempts. That is the third-highest 3-point percentage in MW tournament history (min. 25 attempts).

UNLV Notes

- With the win, UNLV is now 121-0 since 1999-00 when leading by at least 14 points at halftime.
- Destiny Leo connected on 4-of-5 from 3-point range. This is her 65th career game with 3+ made threes, the most among active Division I players.
- UNLV's 41 first-half points are the fourth most first-half points in MW tournament history.
- Additionally, the Lady Rebels went 8-for-12 from three in the first half. Since 2013-14, only one team has shot a better percentage in a MW tournament half. Air Force went 7-for-10 from deep in the first half against Nevada on 3/7/22.
- UNLV is just the fifth MW team to have 12+ twos, 12+ threes and 12+ free throws in a conference tournament game. The Lady Rebels were also the last team to accomplish this, also against Fresno State, in the 2024 tournament.

Fresno State Notes

- For the second-straight MW tournament game, Emilia Long paced Fresno State with 19 points and seven rebounds. It marked the 10th-straight game that Long has reached double figures in scoring. Her 10-straight games are the third longest active streak in the Mountain West.
- Danae Powell added 17 points and made two 3-pointers. She finished the season with 17 games with multiple made 3-pointers.
- Fresno State had multiple players recording 2+ steals for the 25th time this year. They have now passed Air Force for the most such games by any Mountain West team this season.