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San Diego State vs. Boise State Postgame Notes

ExtraMile Arena | Boise, Idaho

January 4, 2025

Final Score: San Diego State 76, Boise State 68

Records: San Diego State (9-3, 2-1 MW); Boise State (11-4, 3-1 MW)

Next Game: Wednesday, January 8 | vs. Air Force | Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif. | TV: FS1 | Radio: San Diego Sports 760 | Tip: 7:30 p.m. MT

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Big Notes

- San Diego State is 8-0 this season, has won 10 straight, and is 120-12 under Brian Dutcher when the Aztecs hold an opponent to under 40.0 percent shooting from the floor (Boise State shot 37.7 percent, nearly 10 percentage points off its season average of 47.5 percent).
- SDSU improves to 193-68 in Mountain West play since the start of the 2009-10 season, which is the best record in the conference in that time frame.
- The Aztecs, in Mountain West play, are now 89-13 since the start of the 2013-14 season.
- San Diego State held the Broncos four leading scorers, who average 53 points, to 36.
- SDSU held Boise State to its fewest points at home this season and handed the Broncos their first loss at home this year.
- San Diego State is 5-0 this season and 73-11 under Brian Dutcher when it scores between 70-79 points.
- The Aztecs held Tyson Degenhart, the Mountain West Preseason Player of the Year, to nine points on 1-of-7 from the floor, including 0-5 from the bonus distance. The nine points are the fewest he has had this year and more than half his season average (18.1)

Series Notes

- The Aztecs are now 19-13 all-time against Boise State, including 5-8 at ExtraMile Arena.
- SDSU is 15-13 against the Boise State since the Broncos joined the Mountain West in 2012-13.
- San Diego State snaps the Broncos three-game win streak between the programs and wins just its second game against Boise State in the last eight meetings, regardless of location.
- Head coach Brian Dutcher is now 9-8 against Boise State.
- In the last 31 games between these two teams, the point differential is 2.1, and in the last eight games the differential is 1.0.

Team Notes

- In road games, the Aztecs are now:
 - 47-31 under Brian Dutcher
 - 99-51 in its last 150 against non-AP top 25 teams
 - 2-0 this season and have won five straight
- San Diego State stands at 148-206 on the road against the current members of the Mountain West.
- In games played in the month of January, the Aztecs are now 40-17 under Brian Dutcher and as a program have won 84 of its last 112 (84-28) January tilts.
- The Aztecs are 165-17 under Brian Dutcher when leading at the half, including 96-6 in their last 102 games, 134-10 in their last 144.
- In its last 253 games when leading at the half, SDSU is 228-25.
- San Diego State is 5-0 this season and 73-11 under Brian Dutcher when it scores between 70-79 points.
- San Diego State improves to 167-13 (.928) under Brian Dutcher, including 8-1 this season when leading with five minutes to play.
- SDSU moves to 5-2 this year, 66-35 under Brian Dutcher, and 137-61 in its last 198 games when the opponent scores first.
- The Aztecs have won 107 of their last 155 (107-61) Saturday games.
- San Diego State limited the Broncos to 20 field goals, matching the fewest for Boise State this season.
- For the sixth time this year and the third time in the last four games, San Diego State did not trail in the second half.
- Every Aztec who played appeared in the scoring column for the second consecutive game.
- When out rebounding their opponent, the Aztecs are now:
 - 136-17 under Brian Dutcher
 - 104-9 in their last 113 games
 - 277-43 in their last 320 games

Game Flow

- **Lead Changes: 5 | Ties: 3**
- San Diego State won the tip, Magoon Gwath to Boyd.
- Boise State scored the first points of the game on a pair of free throws at 18:44.
- San Diego State's first points came on a layup from Nick Boyd at 18:25.
- Tyson Degenhart, who averages 18.1 points per game, was held scoreless for the first 11:05.
- San Diego State's first lead, 23-22, came on a jumper by BJ Davis at 7:23 of the first half.
- Boise State's biggest lead of the first half and the game was seven points, 16-9 at the 12:51 mark, San Diego State led by 4 points on two occasions in the first half: the last at 1:39, 33-29.
- With 3:02 in the first, SDSU took a 30-29 lead and never trailed again in the game.
- Boise State cut the lead to one point twice in the second half.
- San Diego State held Boise State scoreless from 6:43 to 3:21 in the second half and expanded its lead from one point to eight, 65-57.
- The Aztecs' biggest lead, 10 points, 73-63, came with 51 seconds remaining.
- Point comparisons:

- Off turnovers: San Diego State 13, Boise State 11 (SDSU +2)
- Second Chance: San Diego State 21, Boise State 9 (SDSU +12)
- In the paint: San Diego State 30, Boise State 22 (SDSU +8)
- Fast Break: San Diego State 13, Boise State 7 (SDSU +5)
- Bench: Boise State 34, San Diego State 30 (BSU +4)

Media Timeouts

1st Half, 15:20: Boise State 8, San Diego State 4 (BSU +4)

1st Half, 11:23: Boise State 16, San Diego State 12 (BSU +4)

1st Half, 7:56: Boise State 22, San Diego State 21 (BSU +1)

1st Half, 3:21: San Diego State 28, Boise State 28

Halftime: San Diego State 33, Boise State 32 (SDSU +1)

2nd Half, 15:10: San Diego State 43, Boise State 41 (SDSU +2)

2nd Half, 10:05: San Diego State 54, Boise State 50 (SDSU +4)

2nd Half, 7:37: San Diego State 58, Boise State 52 (SDSU +6)

2nd Half, 6:43: San Diego State 58, Boise State 57 (SDSU +1)

2nd Half, 3:21: San Diego State 65, Boise State 57 (SDSU +8)

Final: San Diego State 76, Boise State 68 (SDSU +8)

Player Notes

Miles Byrd – 22 points, 8-of-15 FG, 3-of-6 3PFG, 3-of-7 FT, 4 rebounds, 2 assists, 1 steal

Established a new career-high with ?? points ... Reached double figure scoring with 8:18 to play in the first half, the second straight game he's reached double figures with eight minutes to play in the initial 20 minutes ... Scored in double figures for the ninth time this season (SDSU is 7-2) and 11th time of his career Led the team in scoring for his fifth time this season and his career ... Had multiple 3-pointers for the eighth time this season (SDSU is 7-1) and in each of the last five ... Is 11-of-22 from the field, including 5-of-11 from distance in the last two games.

Taj DeGourville – 13 points, 4-of-7 FG, 1-of-2 3PFG, 4-of-5 FT, 6 rebounds, 1 assist, 1 steal

Established a career-high against a Division I opponent ... Scored in double figures for the second time this year and in his career ... Led the team in rebounds for the first time this season, matching his career high ... His four free throws and five free throw attempts are both career bests.

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