



# POSTGAME NOTES

## SEATTLE STORM vs. PHOENIX MERCURY

### KEYARENA | JUNE 3, 2016

TEAM	SCORE	RECORD	HIGH POINTS	HIGH REBOUNDS	HIGH ASSISTS
Storm	95	3-4	Loyd (32)	Stewart (10)	Stewart (9)
Mercury	81	2-5	Taylor (19)	Griner (6)	Taylor (5)

#### GAME HIGHLIGHTS

- The Seattle Storm defeated the Phoenix Mercury after scoring a season-high 95 points. Tonight's win automatically clinched the season series against the Mercury. The two teams will face off again on Sept. 15 in the desert.

#### KEY STATS OF THE GAME

- Jewell Loyd led the Storm with a career-high 32 points (30 @ Phoenix on 5/20/16). Her lay-up with 9:18 to play notched her 500<sup>th</sup> career point in the WNBA.
- Breanna Stewart finished 1 assist shy of recording the franchise's second triple-double after posting 14 points, 10 rebounds and 9 assists (Temeka Johnson, 7/24/14 vs. New York, 13 points, 10 rebounds, 11 assists). Stewart's 9 assists tripled her previous career-high of 3. Stewart's performance tonight is her third double-double of her career.
- Loyd tallied a career-high 9 rebounds on the night (7, 2 times). She pulled down 5 offensive rebounds, setting a new career-high (4, at Phoenix, 5/20/16).

#### STORM HIGHLIGHTS

- The Seattle Storm drilled a season-high 12 3-pointers on the night (9 @ Phoenix on 5/20). Seattle's franchise record for threes made in a single game is 14, achieved three times. The team connected 50.0% from distance, shattering the previous season-high of 36.8%.
- Jewell Loyd joined Sue Bird (2) and Lauren Jackson (27) as the only players in franchise history to record 30+ points in multiple games.
- Seattle went 32-of-63 from the floor (50.8%), tying its season-high in field goals made.
- Jenna O'Hea made her second start of the season, resulting in a season-high 14 points (6, two times) on 4-of-7 shooting from the 3-point line.
- Loyd was 4-of-4 from the free throw line, bringing her season average to 96.4 percent (27-28).
- The Storm had 25 assists on 32 field goals. The 25 assists are a season-high (previously 16).

#### MERCURY HIGHLIGHTS

- Penny Taylor scored 19 points on 6-of-10 shooting, going 6-of-8 from distance.
- The Mercury shot for 47.1 percent, 32-of-68, on the night.
- The loss snaps a two-game win streak for the Mercury, who fall to 2-5 on the season.
- Diana Taurasi was held to 8 points, a season-low for the guard.

**NEXT GAME:** Seattle will take on the New York Liberty at home on Sunday, June 5 at 4 p.m.