

# Clearwater Wins Over Wildcats, 67-50

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The Clearwater Indians handed the Wildcats their fifth loss of the season, 67-50, last Tuesday in a non-league bout held in Mulvane.

The Wildcats shot poorly from the field hitting only 30%, while Clearwater was shooting a respectable 48%. The Indians also shot better from the line than the Wildcats, hitting 78% of their free throws to the Wildcats' 62%. Mulvane also lost the battle for the boards by a 28 to 23 margin.

The Wildcats only scored 6 points in the first period and fell to a 12-6 deficit as the period closed. Nothing much happened in the second stanza and although Mulvane added 11 to its total the Indians added 18 to theirs and took a 13-point lead to the dressing room at halftime.

In the third quarter things did not improve much for the Wildcats and they fell from the 13-point halftime deficit to 20 points in less than two minutes. Clearwater's biggest lead was 25 points, 50-25, with two minutes remaining in the third quarter.

In the final period the Wildcats cut the 24-point lead to 15 but with only one minute remaining the 'Cats ran out of time.

	FG	FT	TP
Dan Brauser	5-10	4-5	14
Ted Hill	4-15	2-2	10
Jim Crawford	5-15	6-9	16
Rick Farber	1-5	3-5	5
Max Nichols	0-1	0-2	0
Jeff Barton	0-1	3-4	3
Phil Roney	0-5	2-5	2

Rebounds	Off.	Def.
Dan Brauser	1	2
Ted Hill	2	1
Jim Crawford	1	4
Rick Farber	4	7
Max Nichols	0	1
Jeff Barton	2	0
Phil Roney	2	1

The Wildcat J. V. squad bombed the Clearwater Indians by a score of 63-39. The game was tied four times in the early going but after taking a 9-7 lead with four minutes remaining the Wildcats glided to an easy victory.

Phil Roney connected on a half-court shot as the buzzer sounded ending the first half to give the Wildcats a 33-18 first half lead.

Every Wildcat saw action as Coach Cavalier cleared the bench in the fourth quarter. The Wildcats' biggest lead of the game was 24 points held for the first and last time with 11 seconds remaining in the game.

Terry Craig and Mike Winn took scoring honors scoring 14 and 12 points respectively.

	FG	FT	TP	
D. Hukle	-	2	0	4
M. Winn	3	6	12	
P. Roney	2	2	6	
J. Barton	3	1	7	
T. Craig	5	4	14	
M. McKee	0	2	2	
G. Fleming	3	3	9	
J. Thomas	1	1	3	
T. Flinn	0	2	2	
L. Dame	1	2	4	