

Last-second Shot Torpedoes Cats' Drive

Defense is the name of the game and Tuesday night, Mulvane head basketball coach Roger Pock was looking—but not finding—any of it.

The Wildcats played well at Circle in a Chisholm Trail League game but left their defense at home and fell, 63-61, on a last-second shot.

"We just didn't play any good defense," complained Pock, whose club closes its regular-season schedule

Friday night, Feb. 25, at home against league-leading Valley Center. "We didn't get a hand in their faces and they were shooting the ball 50 per cent. We played good offense, got inside of them and got them in foul trouble but our defense hurt us. We didn't play with

any good intensity."

Mulvane, which fell to 6-12 for the season and 3-9 in the conference, had the ball and a chance to win with 30 seconds left but a turnover with 20 seconds remaining gave the Thunderbirds an opportunity to repeat the

narrow victory they gained over the Cats earlier this season.

The Cats had some of their best balanced scoring of the year, too, as junior Courtney Gammon scored 14 points and sophomore Gary Fortner added 13, with Brad Butts and Perry Caldwell each hitting 10 points.

The Mulvane B-team squeezed out a 52-50 victory in overtime over Circle and the Cats' sophomore squad suffered similar fate in losing to the Thunderbirds, 47-45.

BOYS A-TEAM

Mulvane 14 22 16 11-61
Circle 18 20 12 13-63

Mulvane—Jeff Arroyo 1, Courtney Gammon 14, Dale Walker 8, Perry Caldwell 10, Brad Butts 10, Gary Fortner 13, Mark Smith 5. FG 24-49, FT 13-23, F 13.

Circle—Bob Nellen 6, Chris Turner 6, Mike Burden 10, Tom Hendrich 18, Steve King 7, Kevin Chase 10, Jeff Turner 6. FG 29-57, FT 5-12, F 21.

BOYS B-TEAM

Mulvane 11 16 8 13 (4)-52
Circle 6 14 16 12 (2)-50

Mulvane—Tom Fagan 10, Mark Smith 9, Troy Wayman 18, Kevin Wyant 4, Grant Sorenson 2, Ted Powers 2, Lon Pribble 6, Brad Hendricks 1. FG 19-51, FT 14-26, F 8.

Circle—Hole 12, Henn 6, Johnson 14, Wilman 2, Schmemmer 4, Waggoner 4, Richard 8. FG 23-63, FT 4-5, F 4.

SOPHOMORE GAME

Mulvane 10 18 5 12-45
Circle 6 11 16 14-47

Mulvane—Brad Hendricks 6, Troy Dossey 4, Jeff Staska 4, Rick Baker 6, Mark Storey 11, Rafe Jones 2, Ed Nelson 4, Mark Wohlford 6. FG 18, FT 9, F 16.

Circle—Orndorff 4, Paschal 2, Waggoner 17, Edwards 2, Schmemmer 15, Richard 3, Haas 4. FG 16, FT 15, F 21.

BOYS' A-TEAM

Kingman 11 13 12 9-45
Mulvane 9 9 10 19-47

Kingman—Jon Messenger 5, Randy Leroux 15, Bruce Hawkins 5, Alan Adelhardt 4, Randy Blumanhourst 11, Brad Oller 2, Allen Keiter 1, Robert Wimer 2. FG 19-55, FT 7-15, F 14.

Mulvane—Courtney Gammon 10, Dale Walker 14, Perry Caldwell 3, Brad Butts 6, Chad Scott 4, Gary Fortner 6, Mark Smith 4. FG 18-52, FT 11-14, F 14.

BOYS' B-TEAM

Kingman 9 10 23 14-56
Mulvane 13 10 21 14-58

Kingman—Danny Rohlman 9, Allen Keiter 2, Robert Wimer 11, Abe Erdman 22, Tim Swope 3, Brad Oller 9. FG 24-80, FT 8-14, F 18.

Mulvane—Mark Smith 17, Tom Fagan 11, Grant Sorenson 14, Troy Wayman 14, Brad Hendricks 1, Kevin Wyant 1. FG 24-52, FT 10-24, F 13.

BOYS STATISTICS

Player	FG	FGA	FT	FTA	RB	Pts.
Dale Walker	87	185	40	63	73	214
Brad Butts	62	161	38	62	163	162
C. Gammon	57	143	24	47	92	138
Perry Caldwell	45	94	43	69	97	133
Gary Fortner	49	79	15	39	69	113
Gary Arroyo	32	101	42	62	46	106
Chad Scott	16	38	3	5	22	35
S. Steinbach	3	6	11	18	12	17
Mark Smith	3	5	3	4	3	9
Troy Wayman	2	11	2	5	4	6
Others	3	6	2	4	6	8
Totals	359	830	235	376	583	952
	(.430)		(.620)		32.4	52.9
Opponents	430	872	195	330	522	1054
	(.440)		(.600)		29.0	58.6