

Boys Go High, Then Low

The boys basketball season for Mulvane has been a series of highs and lows. The Wildcats hit one of each in the past week at Andover and Buhler.

Andover didn't roll over and play dead for the Cats. They ran the Cats out of town with a 71-52 setback Tuesday night, Feb. 23, evening Mulvane's record at 9-9 for the season. It was Andover's 6th victory.

"They're quick and the leading rebounding team in Division II," said Mulvane Coach Charlie Mason. "The transition game just killed us. If we didn't make the shot, they got the rebound and took it right down the floor. I guess we just ran out of comebacks."

Guard Dale Landes scored 24 points for the Cats and Vic Marcelle hit double figures with 12.

The Mulvane junior varsity and sophomore teams also bowed. Andover strapped the jayvees, 45-38, and nipped the Cat sophomores, 39-36. High for the MHS jayvees was Sid Colliatie with nine points and freshman Lonny Travis with six. The Cat sophs were placed by guard David Belew's nine points and five by Travis.

Buhler gave Mason's club an opportunity to log its biggest victory Friday night, Feb. 19, and that's what the Wildcats did. They ran away from Buhler with a 72-71 overtime victory over the Crusaders, the Division I leaders.

"As far as the program goes, it's

Boys Varsity

Mulvane 14 18 10 10-52
 Andover 25 6 22 18-71
 Mulvane--Dale Landes 24, Tim Warren 3, Vic Marcelle 12, David Hagerman 6, Kevin Bell 2, Pat McElravy 3, Robert Turner 2. FG 23, FT 6-8, F 18
 Andover--Trowbridge 9, Emond 13, Messner 19, Palmer 13, McGovern 3, Natale 13, Hawley 1. FG 26, FT 19-25, F 14.

Boys Junior Varsity

Mulvane 8 9 15 6-38
 Andover 4 21 14 6-45
 Mulvane--Eddie Gerlach 1, Sid Colliatie 9, J.C. Shook 6, Kevin Butler 6, McElravy 4, Kevin Bell 4, Lonny Travis 6. FG 15, FT 6-13, F 11.
 Andover--Ward 4, McGovern 4, Atchley 5, Peniston 10, Crisco 8, Hawley 10. FG 19, FT 5-10, F 15.

Sophomore Boys

Mulvane 8 9 8 11-36
 Andover 8 15 16 8-39
 Mulvane--Terry Reusser 4, Steve Nicholson 3, David Belew 9, Lonny Travis 5, Troy Walker 4, Aaron Huslig 4, Bo Jones 4, Greg Wilson 2, Jamie Lough 1. FG 13, FT 7-16, F 12
 Andover--Kirkendahl 6, Brewer 6, Hansen 2, Dicus 2, Wasson 11, T. Uhlenhop 2, D. Uhlenhop 6, Hromek 4. FG 15, FT 7-15, F 13



probably the biggest win ever because it establishes the fact that our program is to the point where we can compete with the so-called 'big boys' like Buhler and Goddard," said Mason, "not only competing but beating them. Some people will look at it and call it a fluke but we pretty much led all they way. It wasn't a fluke. The kids played a tremendous game. It was kind of like sitting at center court at Wimbledon, your head turning one way, then the other as the teams scored."

Two gutty free throws by Tim Warren with one second left in overtime brought the Cats from a 71-70 deficit to a one-point victory.

"It was a big game for us, it meant a great deal," added the Cat coach. "We hadn't beaten Buhler since they came into the league."

Boys Varsity

Mulvane 22 18 19 7 (6)--72
 Buhler 24 10 22 10 (5)--71
 Mulvane--Dale Landes 12, Tim Warren 24, Vic Marcelle 10, David Hagerman 18, Robert Turner 8. FG 32-60, FT 8-12, F 15.
 Buhler--Greg Heikes 6, John Janzen 14, Scott Scrogin 20, Randy Regehr 20, Joel Hohensee 9, Tim Fry. FG 28-61, FT 15-23, F 13.

Boys Junior Varsity

Mulvane 10 3 14 15--42
 Buhler 22 16 20 19--77
 Mulvane--Sid Colliatie 8, J.C. Shook 2, Kevin Butler 8, Allen Whitmer 2, Pat McElravy 12, Terry Reusser 2, Kevin Bell 4, Scott Erickson 2, Lonny Travis 2. FG 20-60, FT 2-7, F 12.
 Buhler--David Robertson 6, Tim Fry 14, Gordon Daman 6, Jim Lohmeyer 2, Jed Bair 7, Tim Turner 19, Steve Walters 2, Randy Zenger 6, Mark Latham 1, Kevin Harder 1, Steve Cuiot 3, Jeff Henning 6, Lyle Coertzen 2. FG 35-78, FT 5-8, F 14.

Sophomore Boys

Mulvane 12 12 13 8--45
 Buhler 18 16 8 28--70
 Mulvane--Terry Reusser 5, David Belew 4, Lonny Travis 24, Aaron Huslig 6, Jamie Lough 2, Greg Wilson 2, Bo Jones 2, Jeff Powell 2. FG 16-55, FT 11-24, F 17
 Buhler--Scott Franz 2, Steve Walters 6, Jeff Henning 18, Jed Bair 4, Lyle Coertzen 2, Steve Cuiot 14, Frank Bowlby 8, Neal Beck 8, Kevin Harder 2, Tim Voht 2. FG 28-86, FT 10-12, F 18

Warren finished with 24 points, 11 rebounds. Junior pivot David Hagerman scored 18 points and pulled down 15 rebounds for the second successive game. Dale Landes and Vic Marcelle had 12 and 10 points, respectively.

The Mulvane junior varsity was swamped, 77-42, and the Cat sophomores couldn't handle Buhler in a 70-45 loss.

Pat McElravy led the jayvees from MHS with 12 points and Kevin Butler and Sid Colliatie, each added eight points. Freshman Lonny Travis scored 24 points for the Cats in the sophomore game, his first action on the soph team. Another freshman, Aaron Huslig, finished with six points.