

Offense Untracks Late

Cat Girls Mangle Orioles

When Bill Stinson left the arena at Augusta Friday night, Jan. 20, he still wasn't happy. His Mulvane High School girls had bloodied but not knocked out the host Augusta Orioles.

"I was disappointed in the first half with a 20-16 lead because we didn't come out and play impressively," said Stinson, whose Cats walked away in the second half to record a 43-27 Chisholm Trail League Division I victory, raising their loop mark to 2-3. "We finally pulled it out with a lot of pressure in the second half. But we had a chance to really get things rolling and didn't."

It wasn't until the fourth quarter that the Cats started turning turnovers and pressure defense into points, out-scoring the Orioles, 17-7, in the last eight minutes.

One bright spot in addition to the team's fourth win in 10 outings this season was shooting and the Wildcats hit a season-high 44% from the field (19 of 43). "That comes from getting shots underneath the basket," said Stinson. "In the second half, we moved better and got the ball deeper off the press. We got better shots and that made all the difference in the world."

Senior Tawnya Infinger had another big game and made eight of her 12 field attempts. She finished with a game-

Girls Varsity

Mulvane	5	15	6	17-43
Augusta	6	10	4	7-27

Mulvane—Diane Mohnney 6, Tawnya Infinger 16, Melody Carey 8, Darla Reekie 4, Lori Cox 8, Lisa Jones 1. FG 19-43, FT 5-14, F 12.

Augusta—Steph Tillett 2, Lisa Resa 5, Stacey Slyter 3, Angie Rash 6, Stacy All 11. FG 10-33, FT 7-12, F 15.

Girls Junior Varsity

Mulvane	8	6	12	6-32
Augusta	6	7	2	10-25

Mulvane—Tiane Dossey 1, Terri Lawless 5, Theresa Graybeal 16, Shella Mahlandt 2, Melinda Storey 2, Lisa Jones 6. FG 14-44, FT 4-11, F 13.

Augusta—Christy Marr 6, Cindy Turner 2, Darla Sille 1, Angie Rash 2, Tamera Smith 8, Stacy All 2, Stacey Slyter 4. FG 11-42, FT 3-9, F 16.

high 16 points. Junior Melody Carey added eight points, as did sophomore Lori Cox.

Cox also paced the Cats to a edge in rebounding. She pulled down 12 rebounds, seven off the offensive

boards. Darla Reekie and Infinger had four rebounds apiece.

"We look to Tawnya inside against a team like that," said Stinson. "Then she's able to put the ball on the floor and get her points. And Darla had another good game for us with several steals."

The Wildcats' junior varsity also squirmed past the Augusta jayvees, 32-25, as Theresa Graybeal led the way with 16 points off the inside game.

Coach Tony Gourlay's gals hit 32% from the field and kept the Orioles off-balance as they hit only 26%. Lisa Jones was next-high for the Cats with six points and Terri Lawless scored five points.

The girls will meet Goddard in a round of games in Mulvane Friday, Jan. 27.