

SPORTS

ELMS Raiders fall short to Hempstead, Bellville

The Eagle Lake Middle School seventh and eighth grade boys traveled to Hempstead Thursday, Nov. 18, for a disappointing two defeats as they began their winter season of basketball.

The eighth grade Raiders lost 27-48. They were not able to get going and fell far behind in the first period. They held their own in the second quarter but could not make a dent in Hempstead's 16 point lead.

The third quarter was another tough time for the ELMS team as they again lost ground. They made a final comeback of 12 points but the game ended with Hempstead out in front by 21 points.

Scoring for the ELMS eighth grade were Hollis Shorter with 11 and 9 rebounds; Eric Johnson, 7 and 1; Jarmarcus Brooks with 6 and 3; Clint Gertson with 2 and 6; and Horace Hodges with 1 and 2. Others getting rebounds were Jason Waddell and Juan Rodriguez with 3 each, Nicholas Teague with 2 and Ben Turner with 1.

Scoring by Quarters

ELMS	1	2	3	4	Total
Hemp.	17	6	19	6	48

The seventh grade ELMS boys were totally overrun by Hempstead in their game, 58-8. The Bobcats pressed the young Raiders throughout the game.

"It was a tough way for these kids to start their season," commented Coach Dennis Jackson. "We will just need to work harder and improve our basketball skills."

Scoring for the ELMS seventh grade were Coy Sunderman with 3 points, Matt Gertson with 2, Brian Cardenas with 2 and Warren Scott with 1.

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Bell	6	12	10	7	35

Seventh grade Raiders also lost 23-43 to Bellville Monday night. The young ELMS team showed improvement from their first game but Coach Dennis Jackson noted they need more work and effort to figure it all out.

Scoring for ELMS were Johnson with 8 points, 3 rebounds; Shorter with 8 points, 17 rebounds; Brooks with 4 and 2; H. Hodges with 4 and 2; C. Gertson with 2 and 8.

Also making rebounds were

Lady Raiders take on Alumni

The Lady Raiders play Saturday, Nov. 27 in a special Rice Alumni Game beginning at 7 p.m. in the Rice gym. Everyone in the area is encouraged to attend the game for a lot of fun.

Any former Lady Raiders who would like to play are asked to contact Coach Susan Pittman at 234-3543 or 234-2006. Everyone planning to participate in the game should report to the Rice High School gym by 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 27.

ELMS Lady Raiders battle Hempstead, Bellville

The eighth grade girls basketball team at Eagle Lake Middle School have two games behind them so far this season. The Blue team lost their first game, Nov. 18 to Hempstead, 11-23, then fell to Bellville Nov. 22, 10-37.

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In their match with Hempstead, from the minute the jumpball was tossed in the air until the last buzzer sounded, the Lady Raiders were in a battle. The Hempstead team got control early and kept it throughout.

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JV Ladies open season with loss to Falcons

The Rice Lady Raider Junior Varsity played Brookshire Royal Friday, Nov. 19, for a final score of Royal 34, Rice 27.

Although the Rice girls came up short on points, they played a solid game as basketball for their first game of the year.

JV team members are Kristi Gertson, Rachelle Kallina, Lea Ann Spangenberg, Terrika Shropshire, Andrea Machac, Robyn Rucka, Breana Wood, Ericka Fields, Michelle Parker, Adriana Cordova and Naketra Johnson.

The girls have some hard practice and tough games ahead of them this season but each of them is a dedicated team player," commented Coach Tracey Wienecke.

The JV ladies play Austin Reagan Nov. 24 at 1 p.m. in the Rice main gym. Everyone is encouraged to come support the team.

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ELMS	1	2	3	4	Total
Bell	5	10	11	11	43

The ELMS Raider teams play in Smithville on Dec. 2. The first game is 5 p.m. with the eighth grade game to follow.

The Rice Raider varsity basketball team ran up a high total but still could not overcome the lead of the Ricebirds from El Campo Friday night. The final score was Rice 72, El Campo 81.

In the opening quarter, EC made 25 points to Rice's 17 and in the second made 26 to the Raiders' 19 for a half-time lead of 51 to 36. The Raiders came back stronger in the second half but could not make up the difference in points.

Coach Ray Reynolds said of the Raiders, "The young men played a very good second half. They need to learn how to play a complete ballgame. They are working hard in practice and they will learn this."

Darian Barrow made 14 points and Antrone Clark made 13 for Rice. Also adding to the score were Ernest Sims and Jason Brunner with 9 each, Brad Chohike, Jerome Haynes and Louis Barrow with 6 each, Chris Clemens with 4, Brandon Mathis with 3 and Sam Mader adding 2.

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EC	25	26	19	11	81

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Washington led the scoring for the Rice team with 19 points, followed by Valdez with 4, Klein, McTeague and Barrow contributed 2 each and Baird added 1.

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The varsity girls play again Wednesday evening against Austin Reagan at the Rice gym. The JV game begins at 1 p.m. and the varsity game will start after that one.

The Lady Raiders play again Saturday, Nov. 27, in the Rice Alumni Game beginning at 7 p.m. in the gym.

Rice High School will host both a boys and girls junior varsity tournament the weekend of Dec. 2-4.

The girls JV tournament games begin Thursday at 4 p.m. with Edna meeting Giddings in the PAC.

At 5:30, Wharton and Waller JV meet in the main gym.

Bellville will play Palacios at 7 p.m. in the PAC with the final game of the evening at 8:30 p.m. between Rice and Waller freshmen in the main gym.

The boys JV tourney gets underway also at 4 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 2, with Victoria and Boling playing in the main gym.

Schulenburg plays Tidehaven at 5:30 p.m. in the PAC.

Needville and East Bernard will play at 7 p.m. in the main gym.

Rice will meet St. Joseph for the final game of the day at 8:30 p.m. in the PAC.

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Games This Week!

Saturday, Nov. 27 ... Lady Raiders Varsity Alumni Game, Here, 6 p.m.
 Raiders vs. Gonzales, Alamodome (San Antonio), 3 p.m.
 Monday, Nov. 29 ... Garwood basketball at Schulenburg, 5 p.m.
 Tuesday, Nov. 30 ... Lady Raiders vs. Schulenburg, Here, 5 p.m.
 Thursday, Dec. 2 ... Sheridan basketball vs. Sacred Heart, Hallettsville, Here, 5 p.m.
 Garwood basketball, open date, TBA
 ELMS girls basketball vs. Smithville, Here, 5 p.m.
 ELMS boys basketball at Smithville, 5 p.m.
 Varsity Lady Raiders at Giddings Tournament, There, TBA
 JV Raiders at Rice JV Tournament, TBA

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