

Varsity Boys Beat Bluejays

The varsity boys basketball team traveled to Viburnum Friday night for a Gasconade Valley Conference game.

The boys got off to a slow start only leading by one point at the end of the first quarter, 12-11. They picked up the pace in the second quarter and extended their lead to 10 at the half, 25-15. The Eagles lead by 10 at the end of the third quarter, 39-29 and broke away in the final quarter to defeat the Bluejays 64-46.

Chris Helton led the Eagles with 18 points (one 3-pointer), 5-6 FT, 5 rebounds, 2 assists; Neil Copeland, 17 points, 5-6 FT, 4 rebounds, 4 steals, 7 assists; Jarret Struempf, 7 points, 1-3 FT, 4 rebounds, 2 steals, 1 assist; Jason Roberson, 6 points (two 3-pointers), 1 assist; Shaun Potter, 5 points (one 3-pointer), 1 rebound, 2 steals, 1 assist; Chad Russell, 5 points, 1-4 FT, 3 rebounds, 1 assist, 1 steal; Jeff Stricklan, 3 points, 1-2 FT, 5 rebounds, 2 assists; and John Schwartze, 3 points, 1-2 FT, 6 rebounds, 2 assists.

Vienna committed 10 team fouls in the game while Viburnum committed 21. The Bluejays shot only two free throws in the contest.

The varsity team is now 19-2 overall and 8-0 in the GVC.

JV Boys Lose To Bluejays

The VHS junior varsity boys basketball team traveled to Viburnum for a Gasconade

Valley Conference game Friday, Feb. 21.

The JV Eagles started off good, trailing a very experienced, very tall Bluejay team by only six points after the first quarter, 12-18. Viburnum extended their lead to nine points at halftime, 26-35.

Viburnum, wanting to get revenge on the Eagles for beating them earlier in the season, came out of the locker room fired up, scoring 42 points in the second half to defeat Vienna 77-43.

Ben Hodson led the Eagles with 11 points (two 3-pointers), 5-5 FT; Darrick Davis, 10 points, 2-4 FT; Jimmy Allan, 6 points, 2-2 FT; Jimmy Buschmann, 5 points, 1-4 FT; Chad James, 5 points, 1-4 FT; Ramey Workman, 2 points; Korbey Canuto, 2 points; and Kevin Schwartze, 2 points.

Vienna shot 15-23 from the free throw line for 65% and Viburnum shot 7-9 for 78%.

The junior varsity team is now 6-8 overall.