

AL hoops teams roll

The Andrew Lewis basketball teams swept James Madison opponents in Roanoke on Thursday, November 21.

The boys won 34-21 to improve to 5-2 on the season. Jaelyn Allen and Grant Clemens led the Wolverines in scoring and Payton Lewis had a big game on the boards.

Last Monday Lewis beat Cave Spring, 45-21. Clemens, Lewis and Allen led the scoring while Allen, Ryan Coe, Lewis and Jayveon Jones did a good job on the boards.

"We played great team ball, everyone contributed by fulfilling their roles, and we closed out the game strong," said coach Brandon Keith.

The girls beat Madison 39-5 behind 14 points and five rebounds by Shan'ya Robinson. Liz Smith had eight points and three steals while Bailey Stratton had 10 points and six assists.

"This was our best start to a game to this point," said coach Nat Franklin. "I thought our defensive intensity was great and carried us through the game."

The girls are still undefeated after seven games. They beat Cave Spring last Monday, 38-9. Daisya-Ann Dawyot had 14 points and seven boards and Robinson had eight points.

"We came out a little slow and missed of some easy shots," said Franklin. "In the second half we played with more energy, which I thought was the difference."

The Wolverines played Franklin County on Monday but results were too late for early Thanksgiving deadlines. Lewis is back in action December 3 with the girls at Read Mountain and the boys at home against Read Mountain.



Left, Payton Lewis scores for the Lewis boys and, right, Faith Nance saves one in for the Wolverine girls.

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