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Eastern opens basketball season with big wins

WILBURTON, OK (Nov. 2, 2011) – Eastern Oklahoma State College opened the basketball season with two home wins against Rhema Bible College on Tuesday night.



The Lady Mountaineers defeated the defending 2011 ACCA National Champions 77-58. Sophomore Demetra Howlingwolf led the way with 13 points and six assists. Sophomore Ashley Catlett contributed 12 points and six steals, while sophomore Patrina Goree and Freshman Fantasia Jass each had 11 points. Sophomore Rodneisha Milum scored 10 points and grabbed 15 rebounds.

The Rhema Eagles were no match for the No. 12 ranked Mountaineers as Eastern opened the season with a 92-67 win. Sophomores Bobby Jones and Billy Rowland both finished with 24 points and seven rebounds each. Freshman Joe Ebondo pulled down 10 rebounds.

Eastern's Homecoming game is Saturday, Nov. 5. The Lady Mountaineers will take on the Dallas Diesel at 1:30 p.m. and the Mountaineers face the University of the Ozarks at 3:30 p.m.

Photo 1: Sophomore Demetra Howlingwolf led Eastern's Lady Mountaineers with 13 points and six assists in Tuesday's season opening 77-58 win over Rhema Bible College, the defending 2011 ACCA National Champions.

Photo 2: Sophomore Billy Rowland finished with 24 points and seven rebounds in 12th ranked Eastern's season opening 92-67 win over Rhema Bible College on Tuesday.

