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Argos Fall to 16th Ranked Saints

Great Falls, Mont. – Coming off an impressive 17 point routing of Rocky Mountain College on Friday night, the University of Great Falls men's basketball team was poised to hand the nation's 16th ranked team, Carroll College, their second loss in as many days. The Argos shot only 34 percent, after shooting almost 52 percent the night before, as they fell to the Saints 58-72.

The Argos had some good runs, which included a display of athletic dunks, to keep the game close throughout most of the game. However, Great Falls struggled to hit much need shots down the stretch and made only 10 percent of their shots from behind the arc (2-of-20).

Junior Melvin Williams put up 14 points to lead the team in scoring. Senior Mark Celaya would add 11. Senior Dyston Madsen again had a team-high in rebounds with eight. Marcel Towns, Lukas Hamsch and Williams each had seven boards.

Andy Garland and Sam Cartmell led the Saints with 12 points apiece. The Argos defense did well to hold Garland, the NAIA Division I player of the week, to zero field goals. Garland was 0-for-12 from the field but made 12-out-of-14 free throw attempts.

The Argos will face another top-25 team in Westminster College on Thursday, January 27 as they travel to Salt Lake City, UT. The Griffins hold the 22nd spot in the latest NAIA poll.