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**ARGONAUTS**

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### **Warriors Take Win From Great Falls**

**Great Falls, Mont.** – The University of Great Falls men’s basketball team led by 15 at half but could not maintain the momentum in the second and fell to the Warriors of Lewis-Clark State College tonight, 70-71. The Argos led by one with fewer than 20 seconds to play but a costly turnover gave the ball to Lewis-Clark State who took the lead on the ensuing play. Great Falls could not get the go-ahead basket in the waning seconds and dropped its ninth conference game.

Great Falls had double-digit performances from four players with LJ Jones leading the Argos with 18. Senior Mark Celaya hit three three-pointers to put up 15 while Norman Towns came off the bench for 14 points. Freshman Marcel Towns finished with 12 points going 5-of-9 from the field.

Great Falls guard Melvin Williams grabbed a team-high six rebounds and dished out eight assists.

Darin Stewart led the Warriors with 19 points.

Great Falls shot 50 percent from behind the arc and ended 26-of-57 (45.6 percent) from the field. Lewis-Clark State finished with a 47.1 shooting percentage.

The Argos will play Westminster College on Saturday in the last game of the regular season. Great Falls will be honoring six seniors before the game which is set for 7:30 pm. Westminster comes in as the 16<sup>th</sup> ranked team in the latest NAIA poll.