

Outside shooting, turnovers cost Wildcats in loss to Spring Hill



Louisburg senior Colyer Wingfield goes up for two points Tuesday during the Wildcats' home contest against Spring Hill. Wingfield finished with 23 points and 10 rebounds in the loss.

When it came to shots inside the arc, the Louisburg boys lived well.

However, it was those attempts beyond it that hurt the Wildcats the most Tuesday in their home contest with Spring Hill. Louisburg missed all 15 attempts from the outside, which made a comeback difficult in its 48-42 loss to the Broncos

Mistakes also haunted the Wildcats as they turned the ball over 19 times, which led to 12 Spring Hill points.

"I told our guys that it's going to be hard to win in the Frontier League with 19 turnovers and going 0-15 from the 3-point line," Louisburg coach Ty Pfannenstiel said. "Those two stats were glaringly bad. We have to do a better job of taking care of the ball and being more efficient on offense."

The Wildcats trailed by just one after the first quarter and found themselves down just 24-17 at halftime.



Louisburg sophomore Myles Vohs gets on the floor for a loose ball Tuesday against Spring Hill.

Both teams played even in the second half and the Wildcats trimmed a double-digit Spring Hill lead to four with under a minute remaining, but couldn't get closer.

Louisburg got a big game from senior Colyer Wingfield who finished with a double-double. Wingfield had a team-high 23 points and pulled down 10 rebounds.

Junior Luke Hill finished with six points, while sophomore Myles Vohs came off the bench to give the Wildcats a lift with five points. It was his first varsity points of the season.

"I thought we had some guys come in and provide a lot of energy," Pfannenstiel said. "Myles Vohs came in and sparked us with his effort and toughness. His effort showed that he deserves some more varsity court time."

Louisburg will try and snap its 3-game losing skid tonight when the Wildcats travel to No. 9-ranked Baldwin. The Bulldogs handed the Wildcats their only loss prior to the holiday break

last month.

“We play a really good Baldwin team (tonight), so this game is going to demand our best effort and execution,” Pfannenstiel said.

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LOUISBURG (4-4): Colyer Wingfield 8-14 7-10 23; Luke Hill 2-7 2-3 6; Myles Vohs 2-4 1-2 5; Conlee Hovey 2-3 0-2 4; Nathan Parker 1-5 0-0 2; Mason Dobbins 0-4 2-2 2. Totals: 15-40 12-19 42. 3-point field goals, none