

AU men's basketball falls at home

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ALFRED, NY The Alfred University men's basketball team lost to SUNY Potsdam, 72-63, at home Friday night. The Saxons (1-6, 0-0 Empire 8) came out on fire in the first half, shooting 52 % from the field and went in at the break down by one. The solid first half was also due to a stellar free-throw effort, where they went 10-10 from the line. In the second half, Alfred continued to battle but did not get to the line as much and turned the ball over 11 times. Leading the fight for AU was sophomore guard Chris Lemasters (Mansfield, PA/mansfield) who led all Saxon scorers with 20 points. He also grabbed seven boards and had an assist. Both, freshman forward Dillon Stein (N. Huntington, PA/Norwin) and junior guard Bruce Nober (Lake Huntington/Narrowburg) recorded nine points and had four and five rebounds, respectively. Junior forward Tate Williams (N. Clarendon, VT) added 8 points off the bench. The Saxons are in action next on Saturday, Dec. 13 at 3:00p.m. against St. Lawrence University .