Lady Saxons fall to Nazareth

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ALFRED The Alfred University women's basketball team remained winless for the 2000-01 season, falling to visiting Nazareth College, 84-62, Friday evening at the McLane Center. The Lady Saxons (0-6, 0-2 Empire Eight) were paced by junior guard Amy Ratchuk (South Buffalo/Mt. Mercy) with 18 points; junior forward Lisa Valitutto (Amherst, NH/Souhegan) with 17, and senior guard Lee Ann Kushner (Bliss/Letchworth) with 12. Alfred trailed by only three points, 39-36, at the break before Nazareth (4-3, 1-0 Empire Eight) pulled away after intermission. The Lady Golden Flyers were led by senior center Laura Wheeler (Endwell/Maine-Endwell) with 16 points and 15 rebounds. The Lady Saxons are in action next on Saturday, Jan. 6, at 2 p.m. when they host RIT.