

Women's basketball fall at RIT

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The Alfred University women's basketball team fell to RIT 56-43 on Friday evening. The Lady Saxons (5-19, 1-12 Empire 8) were down by 17 at halftime. AU shot only 17 percent from the field in the first half and improved their percentage to 39 in the second half. Leading the Saxons was sophomore guard Melanie Jackson (Andover, NY/ Wellsville) who netted a game high 18 points and grabbed a game high nine rebounds. Senior forward Meg Coddington (Amherst, NH/ Souhegan) finished the game with 15 points and grabbed eight rebounds for the Saxons. RIT (6-17, 3-10 Empire 8) was led by Christina Ermie who netted 12 points, grabbed four rebounds and dished out five assists. Margot Sandy netted 11 points and dished out five assists while Ramata Diallo added 10 points to go along with four assists for RIT. Alfred will play in their season finale at Nazareth, February 18 at 2 p.m.