

Storm Lake 50, Denison 9th boys 39
Denison drops to 1-8 this season

Score by quarters: Storm Lake 12, 12, 12, 14 = 50
Denison 8, 8, 19, 4 = 39

Team stats: 2 point field goals: Storm Lake 13, Denison 8
3 point field goals: Denison 7, Storm Lake 7
Free throws: Storm Lake 3-5 (60%), Denison 2-7 (28.6%)
Team fouls: Storm Lake 12, Denison 15

Denison points: Kole Towne 14 (2) 3 pointers
Austin Aviles 10 (3) 3 pointers
Cody Schulte 6
Nash Langenfeld 4 (1) 3 pointer
Anthony Arambula 3 (1) 3 pointer
Dominik Garcia 2

Comments by Coach Eller: "The difference in the game was Storm Lake's 2nd chance points. They had a lot of sophomores/JV players play in the game and their physicality inside was a big difference. Storm Lake had the best point guard we have played against this season and he went for 28 points against us. Their offense was pretty basic - let the point guard create/shoot and then crash the boards. They probably had somewhere from 12-16 points off offensive rebounds. Offensively, we did a good job creating open 3 point shots for our teammate and we made 7 of them. However, we really struggled to get the ball inside and finish inside. We had too many turnovers again as we got stagnant on offense and didn't have enough movement without the ball at times. When we moved without the ball and set good screens after we passed, we created good shots. We had a really good 3rd quarter as we shot the 3 ball well and did get a couple layups. However, we had far too many empty possessions in the other 3 quarters and eventually we quit trying to get the ball inside or penetrate and just settled for 3s most of the 4th quarter. We got really cold in the 4th quarter and Storm Lake got hot at the same time to turn a pretty close game into an 11 point deficit".