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Men Close Season with Win over UMM

The men's basketball team overcame a disappointing 92-88 overtime loss Friday night against Crown to defeat Minnesota-Morris 71-66 in the season finale Saturday.

Playing in his final basketball game for the Knights, senior **Galen Holzhueter** (*MVL*) finished with a game-high 27 points on 11-17 shooting to go with his 11 rebounds, while **Todd Brassow** (*MLS*) came off the bench for the first time all season to score 16 points. **Luke Rothe** (*LPS*) scored 14 points, but made his mark on the game with a career-best 11 assists to go with seven rebounds.

MLC finished the season 6-19 overall and 5-9 in conference play.



Brassow lays it up and in

Records Fall in Final Weekend of Regular Season



Rothe kicks it out

Galen Holzhueter (*MVL*), **Luke Rothe** (*LPS*), and **Hannah Hackbarth** (*Lakeside*) set new school records in the final weekend of the basketball regular season.

Holzhueter set the new men's basketball record for career rebounds, finishing his career with 680 to break the previous record of 671.

Rothe set a new single-season record for assists in men's basketball with 137, topping the previous record of 131, which stood for 17 seasons.

Hackbarth is now the all-time leader in MLC women's basketball with 156 career three-pointers, and she also set a new single-season record with 60 three-pointers.

Women Enter UMAC Tournament as Fourth Seed

The women's basketball team finished the regular season with a record of 13-12 following a loss to conference champion Minnesota-Morris in the season finale.

Upcoming Events at MLC

2/26 WBB @UMAC Tournament

3/6 BB @Fort Pierce FL

3/7 BB @Fort Pierce FL

The Knights' 10-4 conference record was good for a third-place tie in the final standings, but they now must face UMM in the first round of the UMAC Postseason Tournament on Thursday, February 27.

MLC has been unsuccessful in defeating the Cougars in two attempts this season, but has reached the finals of the conference tournament in each of the last two seasons, including a win over UMM to win the tournament in 2012.



Leah Nass (*Manitowoc LHS*) at the line