

MEADVILLE EDGES BRAYMER

The Meadville Eagles traveled to Braymer Tuesday night and squeaked out a 47-46 win over their hosts. The closely contested match saw both teams streak to 8 point leads early only to have the opponent battle back. Meadville's 8 point lead at halftime was erased by a big third quarter by the Bobcats. The 4th quarter saw both teams exchange the lead on numerous occasions, with Braymer edging out to a 5 point margin a one time.

Meadville showed why they are undefeated on the season and ranked 2nd in the state in Class 1 by pulling ahead for the last time with 38 seconds remaining in the game. Braymer used two timeouts to set up the play they wanted to finish the game with and got the high percentage shot they were looking for as time expired. Unfortunately it did not fall and Meadville picked up the win for the second time this season against the Bobcats.

James Schreier posted a double-double for Braymer with 12 points and 12 rebounds, while Clayton Brown scored 10 and hauled in 8 boards. Sophomore Brandon Taylor picked up 4 rebounds to go along with his 4 points as the Braymer post players virtually neutralized Meadville's inside presence. John Haley scored 8 for the Bobcats and picked up 5 rebounds and Trent Utt passed out 6 assists and scored 9 points. Jesse Utt rounded out the scoring for Braymer with a three-pointer.

The Bobcats next opponent will be Tina-Avalon on Thursday night. This will be senior night for Braymer as it will be the last home contest. The Wellington Lady Tigers will face the Tina-Avalon girls prior to the boys game.