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Lake Michigan College's Bryce Saxton drives past Glen Oaks' Stephon Matthews during the first half of Wednesday's game.

Getting it done

LMC basketball teams rout Glen Oaks

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BENTON TOWNSHIP — Lake Michigan College men's basketball team had little trouble in hosting Glen Oaks Community College on Wednesday night. The Red Hawks dominated the Vikings with a 102-78 win, led in large part by freshman Cortez Moore.

Moore had a near triple-double with 22 points, 18 rebounds and eight assists.

"All I can do is praise him," said LMC men's coach Jeremy Schaeffer. "He was finding guys all night. He's unselfish but knows when to score when he's got the opportunity. He does the right things. He's a phenomenal player."

Lake Michigan College women's team also cruised to a triple-digit win, beating Glen Oaks 101-51.

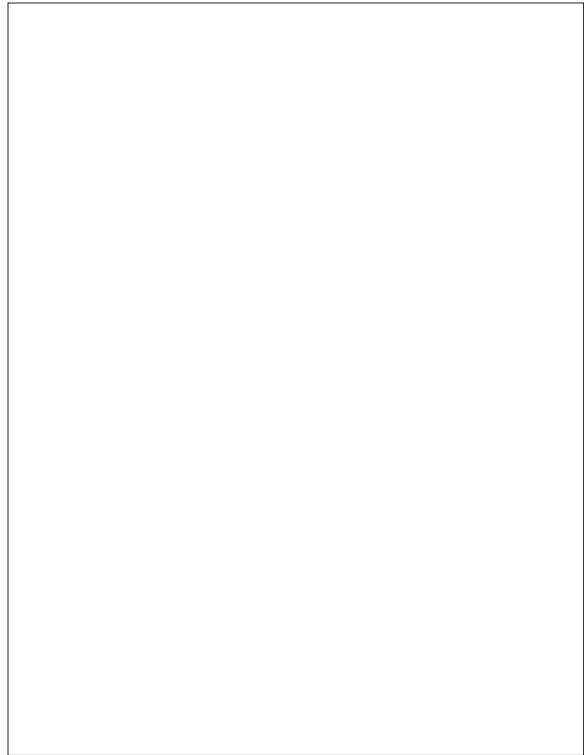
The Red Hawks (7-7 MCCA West, 10-15) used a fast-paced offense leading to a 52-41 halftime led over Glen Oaks (0-14, 0-20). Late in the second half the Red Hawks used a 19-8 run to put the game out of the Vikings' reach.



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Lake Michigan College's Haley Madison (11) and Kelsee Kinder (1) battle for a rebound against Glen Oaks' Gabrielle Russell during the first half of Wednesday's game.

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Lake Michigan College's Jordan Hess and Glen Oaks' Hannah Carr reach for a rebound during the first half of Wednesday's game.

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Gavin Rasler scored a bucket at 5:30 to start LMC. Moore followed him with his own bucket at 5:13, and Bryce Saxton scored a 3-pointer to put the Red Hawks up 87-65.

We definitely got things done, said Schaffer. We were without several of our starters. We were a different team then we usually are, and we played a bit differently tonight.

Missing from the lineup were Spencer Adams, Brian Harris and Jason Walter. Adams and Harris were out with the injury, Walter is recovering from a dislocated finger.

LMC continued to have troubles with fouls and turnovers. The Red Hawks had 19 personal fouls and turned the ball over 17 times.

We had a tendency to put our hands in there. We were a tick slow, that affected us tonight and they shot well from the free throw line, said Schaffer. Our defense could have been better. We didn't keep guys out of the passing lane. We let dribble penetration get to us. That's something we got to work on.

Deon Gatson scored 13 points, six rebounds and six assists. Bryce Saxton also had 13 points, while Adam Nicks had 12.

Stephon Matthews scored a game-high 32 points for Glen Oaks.

LMC women's team also found little resistance against the Vikings. The Red Hawks routed Glen Oaks with a 101-51 win, with Kelsee Kinder and Hailey Maas once again leading the way.

Kinder scored a game-high 25 points, while Maas

scored 20 with four rebounds and eight assists.

We had a game plan to get the ball up the court, said LMC women's coach Jason Cooper. We took care of business and we just need to build on that.

Lake Michigan College (12-3 MCCA West, 20-6) held a 52-26 halftime lead over Glen Oaks (0-15, 2-23), thanks in large part to Jordan Hess and Danielle Shaffer grabbing key rebounds.

Shaffer almost had a double-double scoring 10 points with seven rebounds.

We are trying to get our post players ready for the postseason, said Cooper.

We need our post players against bigger teams. We have to take care of the middle. We are lacking a bit in size there, so I need Danielle and Jordan to be out there and getting us some good minutes.

Madelin Adams led Glen Oaks with 20 points, six of which were 3-pointers. Leasia Jackson contributed 12 points and Gabrielle Russell added another 11.

Jade Mosier continues to be an asset for the Red Hawks since returning from injury. She scored nine points with five assists and four steals.

(Jade) is doing well in a lot of areas, said Cooper. She doesn't know how well she can be. I think that's part of being a freshman. She can shoot, she can drive and jump in the passing lane. She has that

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GLEN OAKS (78) Stephon Matthews 12 5-6 32, Gabriel Sturgis 11-2-4, Melvin DeVeaux 21-6-10, Christian Oakley 9 4-6-24, Darius Baker 2 0-0-6, Tyler Shank 0 2-2-2. Totals: 26 18-25 76.

LAKE MICHIGAN COLLEGE (102) Cortez Moore 15 4-7 22, Deon Gatson 6 0-1 13, Bryce Saxton 5 0-0 13, Adam Nicks 5 0-0 12, Gavin Rasler 4 0-1 8, John Robinson 7 0-2 6, Jaquanay Rouser 2 2-3 6, Jake Shaffer 4 0-0 12. Totals: 42 6-14 102.

Halftime, LMC 52, GOCC 41. 3-point goals, Glen Oaks 8 (Matthews 3, Oakley 2, Baker 2, Sturgis), LMC 12 (Shaffer 4, Santon 3, Nicks 2, Robinson 2, Gatson). Total fouls, Glen Oaks 16, LMC 19. Fouled out, Baker (GO). Technical fouls, Baker (GO). Rebounds, Glen Oaks 32, LMC 56.

Records, Lake Michigan College 7-7 MCCA West, 10-15, Glen Oaks 0-14, 0-20.

LMC WOMEN 101, GLEN OAKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE 51

GLEN OAKS (51) Gabrielle Russell 4 0-0 11, Madelin Adams 7 0-2 20, Hannah Carr 1 2-2 4, Leasia Jackson 4 0-0 12, Jazzmin Blue 2 0-0 4. Totals: 18 2-4 51.

LAKE MICHIGAN COLLEGE (101) Hailey Madison 6 0-2 12, Jade Mosier 4 0-0 9, Jordan Hess 1 0-0 2, Kelsee Kinder 11 0-0 25, Hailey Maas 7 2-2 20, Raasheedah Harris 2 0-0 4, Shawnee Dame 2 2-2 6, Mariah Miralis 0 0-0 4, Brooke Backer 1 1-2 3, Shannon Dingman 2 0-2 6, Danielle Shaffer 5 0-0 10. Totals: 43 5-10 101.

Glen Oaks 14 12 14 11 = 51 LMC 27 25 28 21 = 101

3-point goals, Glen Oaks 13 (Adams 6, Jackson 4, Russell 3), LMC 10 (Maas 4, Kinder 3, Dingman 2, Mosier). Total fouls, Glen Oaks 8, LMC 6. Fouled out, none. Technical fouls, none. Rebounds, Glen Oaks 26, LMC 55.

Records, Lake Michigan College 12-3 MCCA West, 20-6, Glen Oaks 0-15, 2-23.

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