Lassen helps Kirkwood top Southwestern

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CRESTON - Matt Lassen and Myzeah Batie-Gaddy scored 13 points apiece Wednesday night as the Kirkwood Eagles defeated Southwestern, 69-60, in an ICCAC conference game in Creston.

Jalen Currie contributed 12 points for Kirkwood (19-9, 9-4). Ajay Lawton collected nine points, five assists and four steals.

Taylor Olson missed the game with a sprained ankle, but is expected to play Saturday when Kirkwood hosts Ellsworth.

Elliott Hamdeed scored 18 points for Southwestern (8-20, 1-12).

KIRKWOOD (69): Lawton 2 4-4 9, Lassen 5 2-2 13, Fuller 3 0-1 6, Currie 3 6-6 12, Weeks 1 0-0 2, Bussell 1 0-0 2, Batie-Gaddy 5 3-4 13, Ward 2 1-2 5, Tagarelli 2 3-4 7. Totals 22 19-23 69.

SOUTHWESTERN (60): Koyamainavure 5 3-6 13, Hamdeed 6 5-5 18, Tucker 2 2-5 6, Lenhard 0 4-4 4, Drobnjak 1 0-0 2, Lyden 0 0-0 0, Theis 3 0-0 8, Kellogg 2 4-4 9. Totals 19 18-24 60.

Halftime - Kirkwood 32, Southwestern 30. 3-point goals - Kirkwood 2 (Lawton 1, Lassen 1), Southwestern 6 (Hamdeed 3, Theis 2, Kellogg 1).