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Golden Eagles Hit The Road Against St. Cloud State and Minnesota Duluth



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GAME NOTES

CROOKSTON, Minn. - The University of Minnesota Crookston men's basketball team will take on St. Cloud State University and University of Minnesota Duluth this weekend. The Golden Eagles will take on the Huskies at 8 p.m. Fri., Jan. 9 and the Bulldogs Sat., Jan. 10 at 6 p.m. Minnesota Crookston is 6-6 (4-4 NSIC) on the season.

The Golden Eagles have been led this season by *Derrick Redd, Jr.* (Jr., G, Menifee, Calif./Sports and Rec Management) is averaging 13.0 points and 4.5 rebounds per game. In addition to Redd, *Tyler West, Jr.* (Sr., G/F, Portland, Ore./Communications) is averaging 11.8 points and 7.6 rebounds per game.

St. Cloud State currently owns a record of 7-7 (3-5 NSIC). The Huskies have been led by Jordan Poydras, who is averaging 16.1 points per game and 4.5 rebounds per game, while James Fort is averaging 11.6 points and 5.9 rebounds per game.

Minnesota Duluth is 6-8 (3-5 NSIC) on the weekend. The Bulldogs have been led by Brett Ervin, who is averaging 18.6 points and 5.3 rebounds per game, while Pierre Newton is averaging 11.8 points and 6.2 rebounds per game on the season.

Fri., Jan. 9
Minnesota Crookston at St. Cloud State • 8 p.m. • Halenbeck Hall • St. Cloud, Minn.
Live Stats: <http://www.sidearmstats.com/stcloudstate/mbball/>
Live Video: <http://portal.stretchinternet.com/scsu/>
Sat., Jan. 10
Minnesota Crookston at Minnesota Duluth • 6 p.m. • Romano Gymnasium • Duluth, Minn.
Live Stats: <http://portal.stretchinternet.com/umd/>
Live Video: <http://portal.stretchinternet.com/umd/>

#SEEINGREDD

UMC junior guard Derrick Redd, Jr. has gotten back on track in recent weeks after struggling on the road against Wayne State and Augustana. Redd is averaging 16 points per game and is shooting 19-of-37 for 51.3 percent from the field over the last three games

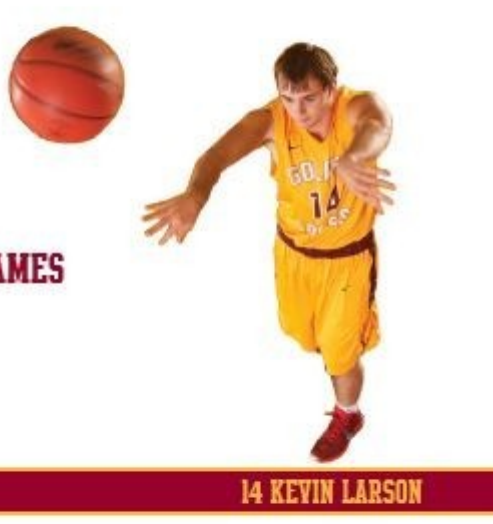


16.0 POINTS/GAME OVER LAST 3 GAMES

10 DERRICK REDD, JR.

#COMINGINTOISOWN

UMC senior point guard Kevin Larson has been playing some of the best basketball of his career. Larson is averaging 11.4 points per game and four rebounds per game over the last five games. Larson averaged 13.5 points and 6.5 rebounds last weekend.



11.4 POINTS/GAME OVER LAST FIVE GAMES

13.5 POINTS/GAME LAST WEEKEND

14 KEVIN LARSON

#SIXWINS

UMC has a 6-6 (4-4 NSIC) mark. The Golden Eagles reached six wins the fastest they ever have in program history. The Golden Eagles had not won six games overall since the 2011-12 season, when they finished 7-19 overall. UMC is currently tied for third in the NSIC North.

#42

UMC junior John Hughes has been a bigger factor in UMC's games as of late. The Golden Eagle forward is averaging 9.5 points and 3.7 rebounds per game over the last six games for UMC. Hughes was averaging 4.2 points and 5.2 rebounds prior to the previous six games. Hughes is averaging 6.8 points and 4.4 rebounds on the season.



9.5 POINTS/GAME OVER LAST 6 GAMES

3.7 REBOUNDS/GAME OVER LAST 6 GAMES

42 JOHN HUGHES

#THREEPOINTDIFFERENTIAL

The three-pointer has been a huge difference maker in UMC's six wins this season. In the Golden Eagle's four wins this year they are shooting 44-of-112 for 39.3 percent from beyond the arc, while UMC is 27-of-125 for 21.6 percent in their six losses.



#IMPACTFRESHMAN

UMC freshman Jim Warmack is becoming more and more of an impact player for the Golden Eagles. Warmack is averaging 8.5 points per game over the last four years. Warmack tallied 10 points against Minot State University and 11 versus Augustana College (S.D.). Warmack is averaging 5.9 points and 3.0 rebounds on the season.



8.5 POINTS/GAME OVER LAST 4 GAMES

54 JIM WARMACK

#STORYLINES

1. Can the Golden Eagles pick up seven wins for the first time since the 2011-12 season?
2. Will Derrick Redd, Jr. continue his roll of late, after averaging 16.0 points per game over the last three games?
3. Will the Golden Eagles, shoot the three-ball well against UMD and SCSU? UMC is shooting 39.3 percent in wins, while they are shooting just 21.6 percent from beyond the arc in games they lose.
4. Will freshman Jim Warmack continue to develop as an impact player off the bench? Jim Warmack is averaging 8.5 points per game over the last four games.
5. Can the Golden Eagles pick up a sweep of St. Cloud State after defeating the Huskies at home earlier this season?

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PLAYERS MENTIONED ▾

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| #32 Tyler West, Jr. F / 6' 6" / Junior | #10 Derrick Redd, Jr. G / 6' 0" / Redshirt Junior |
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