

**Mountain Heritage
Boys Varsity
Friday, January 2
At North Buncombe**

	1	2	3	4	Total
North Buncombe	23	15	13	16	67
Mountain Heritage	11	15	12	18	56

North Buncombe built as much as an 18 point lead in the first half and the held off a number of Mountain Heritage runs to beat the Cougars 67-56. The Black Hawks set the pace for the game in the first five minutes employing a pressure defense. North Buncombe was able to use that defensive pressure to create numerous turnovers by the Cougars. They also did a good job rebounding missed Mountain Heritage shots that turned into may lay ups on their end. The Black Hawks also hit 77.7% of their free throws, many in the second half, that allowed them to maintain a working lead that the Cougars could not overcome. The Cougars were also unable to utilize their three point shooting in comeback attempts, connecting only 1 of 8 shots attempted. Steven Wilson led Mountain Heritage with 19 points and added six rebounds. John Cannon added 10 points and four rebounds to go with six blocks - three of which were on one possession. The Cougars saw their six game winning streak snapped as their record fell to (1-0, 7-3). Mountain Heritage resumes conference play Tuesday night with a trip to Owen High School.

	FG	FTA	FT	3PT	TOTAL
NORTH BUNCOMBE					
Ledbetter	6	14	12	2	30
Westbrook	1	3	2	1	7
Magee	1				2
Roberson	1	1	1		3
Brazil					
Fox	2	3	2	1	9
Ingle		2	1		1
Pike		2	2		2
Pressley	1				2
McDonald	4	5	3		11
	16	30	23	4	67

	FG	FTA	FT	3PT	TOTAL
MOUNTAIN HERITAGE					
Kardulis	1	2	1		3
Johnson					0
Wilson	7	7	5		19
Mauney					0
McMahan	1	2	0		2
Fender	2	6	4		8
McCurry	3			1	9
Cannon	5				10
Badgley					0
Letterman	1	2	1		3
Burleson		2	1		1
Neill		2	1		1
	20	23	13	1	56