

## Dec. 7 – Borah 59, Mountain View 38

**Story of the game:** Cody Spjute scored 17 points to lift Borah past Mountain View in an early season battle among teams expected to be among the SIC leaders.

**Mountain View’s highlights:** The Mavericks trailed 48-22 at one point, but rallied in the fourth quarter to create some momentum. Branson Trube led with 11 points. Ryan Ball and Tanner Percifield added eight each.

**Borah’s highlights:** Spjute had one of his best games, hitting shots from 10-15 feet. Joe Nelson had 12 points and Isaiah Wright and Patrick Muteba contributed 10 each. The Lions had the home-court advantage and dominated much of the game.

**Statistical notes:** Borah had the advantage in almost every aspect. MV played without Marcus Slocum (illness) and Kody Olson, who hurt his knee early in the game. This was the Mavs’ biggest loss of the season.

**What we learned from this game:** The outcome of this contest was expected to be closer, but MV couldn’t dent Borah’s defense in the middle two quarters and the score got out of hand. It was a learning experience about how much the Mavs had to improve to be a contender.

**Coach Nettleton’s comments:** *“Marcus Slocum didn’t play due to being sick. That hurt us a lot. When Olson hurt his knee, we were down two big guys and we had no answer for Spjute. We also shot poorly. Won’t win too many big games like this. We played with a lot of energy on defense and didn’t play too bad...but gave up a few easy transition scores due to turnovers at half court. Trube played good again for us. His energy and quickness are pretty hard to miss on the floor.”*

<u>GAME SUMMARY</u>				
<b>Mountain View</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>16 - 38</b>
<b>Borah</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>11 - 59</b>
<b>MOUNTAIN VIEW (38)</b> – Tanner Percifield 2-11 3-5 8, Randall Robinson 1-5 2-4 4, Carlton Egner 1-3 0-0 2, Branson Trube 5-10 0-1 11, Kody Olson 0-2 0-0 0, Ryan Ball 3-5 2-3 8, Matt Micone 1-1 0-0 3, Tanner Page 1-2 0-0 2, Jason Maughan 0-3 0-0 0, Ethan Secrist 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 14-43 7-13 38.				
<b>BORAH (59)</b> – Nick Reed 0-1 0-0 0, Patrick Muteba 5-7 0-0 10, Isaiah Wright 4-13 1-2 10, Cody Spjute 7-12 3-3 17, Joe Nelson 4-8 3-3 12, Kai Corpus 1-2 0-0 3, Zak Studebaker 1-2 0-1 2, Troy Dennis 0-1 2-2 2, Parker Dial 1-1 0-0 3, Kion Williams 0-1 0-0 0, Nick Burt 0-0 0-0 0, Austin Burgess 0-0 0-0 0, Carlton Strough 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-51 9-11 59.				
<b>Total fouls:</b> Borah 12, Mountain View 10.				
<b>Fouled out:</b> None.				
<b>Three-point shooting:</b> Mountain View 3-16 (Percifield, Trube, Micone), Borah 4-16 (Wright, Nelson, Corpus, Dial).				
<b>Rebounds:</b> Borah 38 (Nelson 8), Mountain View 24 (Secrist 4).				
<b>Turnovers:</b> Mountain View 9, Borah 9.				

## Dec. 8 – Mountain View 45, Timberline 36

**Story of the game:** Tanner Percifield scored 15 points and Randall Robinson had 10 as Mountain View rallied in the second half to bounce Timberline for its first 5A SIC win.

**Mountain View’s highlights:** Trailing 24-22 at halftime, the Mavs’ defense took control. It was a low-scoring game and MV held Timberline to 30 percent shooting. At the other end, MV’s three-point shooting helped. Branson Trube had three treys by himself.

**Timberline’s highlights:** The Timberwolves got nine points from Jack Tate and Gibson Berryhill, who had the hot hand from the perimeter. Skyler Wilner had seven points and pulled down seven rebounds.

**Statistical notes:** Both teams handled the ball well (17 combined turnovers). Marcus Slocum returned. He came off the bench and provided a big lift. The Mavs made 8-10 free throws.

**What we learned from this game:** Timberline couldn’t get its offense into any rhythm in the second half and MV made its free throws at the end. MV got good scoring efforts from several different players.

**Coach Nettleton’s comments:** *We played great defense after the first quarter. We took away their dribble drive offense and limited their two good guards to jumpers instead of layups and freethrows. Carlton Egner probably had his best game defensively in his short varsity career. He was the difference maker. Trube was his normal self - all over the place.*

<u>GAME SUMMARY</u>				
<b>Timberline</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5 - 36</b>
<b>Mountain View</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11 - 45</b>
<b>TIMBERLINE (36)</b> – Jack Tate 2-11 4-6 9, Grant Saetrum 2-10 0-0 4, Freddie Telez 0-2 0-0 0, Skyler Wilner 2-4 2-2 7, Tyler Langford 1-1 1-2 3, Cody Price 1-1 0-0 2, Gibson Berryhill 3-5 0-0 9, Bryce Gonser 1-3 0-0 2, Ben Salciines 0-3 0-0 0, Gage Frederick 0-0 0-0 0, Andrew Briggs 0-0 0-1 0, Chris Bringer 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 12-40 7-11 36.				
<b>MOUNTAIN VIEW (45)</b> – Tanner Percifield 4-11 5-6 15, Randall Robinson 4-8 1-2 10, Carlton Egner 0-3 0-0 0, Branson Trube 3-9 0-0 9, Kody Olson 0-0 0-0 0, Marcus Slocum 3-4 0-0 7, Ryan Ball 1-3 2-2 4, Jason Maughan 0-1 0-0 0, Ethan Secrist 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 15-39 8-10 45.				
<b>Total fouls:</b> Timberline 12, Mountain View 11.				
<b>Fouled out:</b> None.				
<b>Three-point shooting:</b> Timberline 5-17 (Berryhill 3, Tate, Wilner), Mountain View 7-19 (Trube 3, Percifield 2, Robinson, Slocum).				
<b>Rebounds:</b> Mountain View 29 (Slocum 7), Timberline 26 (Wilner 7).				
<b>Turnovers:</b> Timberline 9, Mountain View 8.				