ESF vs. Green Mountain College – January 22, 2014
ESF 83 – Green Mountain 74, Double OT

ESF basketball continues their winning ways Wednesday night at the SRC Arena with a 83-74 double OT thriller against Green Mountain College.

The Eagles of Green Mountain were the first to strike, jumping on a 16-2 run to start the game as their offensive rebounding led to some early points in the paint. A Ryan Caldwell layup in transition helped settle the Oaks down and the strong perimeter play of Kyle Peck and Danny MacElrath helped ESF enter the half only down 35-40.

The Oak came out in the second frame ratcheting up their defense as they continued to chip away at the Eagle lead taking their first lead at 61-60 with just under five minutes to play by holding Green Mountain to only 15 points in the half to that point.

The pace slowed as Green Mountain was able to grind the final minutes down and took a 62-65 lead with just over 50 seconds to play. An ESF miss on the offensive end led to a game-altering defensive possession for ESF which result in a key stop and a subsequent Green Mountain foul on Danny MacElrath, sending him to the line with just over 20 seconds to play. Going 1-2 from the line and inching ESF closer at 63-65, ESF was able to tie it up after the miss for a jumpball to set up the game's final play as Dan Treadwell (11 points, 6 steals) made a game tying runner in traffic with 5 seconds remaining took the game to overtime.

Green Mountain started hot early grabbing a quick five point advantage to start the first overtime, but the Oak D again came up big with critical stops in the final two minutes and a Kyle Peck jumper at the close of overtime propelled the game to yet another extra frame.

With Green Mountain beginning to suffer with foul trouble, ESF was able to come out strong and capitalized on two key Eagle turnovers leading to Dan Treadwell and Kyle Peck layups in transition as the Oaks clinched the game from the foul-line scoring 11 points to Green Mountain's 2 in the second overtime, securing ESFs 783-74 victory.

The Oaks were led by freshman Kyle Peck, in his first career start, with a career high and team season high 29 points along 8 rebounds. Suthod Young continued his string of double-doubles, dropping 19 points and securing 15 rebounds.

ESF, now with a three game win streak and winners of four of their last five, travel to SUNY-Canton on Friday for a 7pm tip.