Kansas 79, Emporia State 52

Thursday, November 1, 2018 Allen Fieldhouse // Lawrence, Kan.

TEAM NOTES

- Improved Bill Self's exhibition record to 56-2, including 32-0 in Allen Fieldhouse.
- Kansas is now 61-5 in exhibition games in Allen Fieldhouse.
- Kansas started the game with assists on the first six baskets totaling 12 assists on 13 baskets made in the first half. Finishing with 23 assists on 30 field goals made in the game.
- Kansas shot 11-26 from three totaling a percentage of 42
- Kansas junior Udoka Azubuike shot 6-6 from the field with five dunks. In addition, he shot 5-6 from the free throw line.
- Kansas improved their overall record against Washburn 38-3 including 9-0 in exhibition games. This win made Kansas 88-10 all-time in exhibition games.
- This win extended Kansas' home exhibition winning streak to 50 games dating back to the 1994 season.
- Gave KU its 29th-consecutive victory in exhibition play.
- For the second straight game the Jayhawks shot in double digit three-pointers.
- In KU's two exhibition outings the Jayhawks hit 23-56 from beyond the arch (41.1 percent).
- The 79 points made by the Jayhawks are the fewest in a pre-season exhibition game since Kansas scored 73 against Pittsburgh State on Nov. 14 2005.
- The Jayhawk starters (Lawson, Azubuike, Garret, Moore, Vick) combined to shoot 20 of 32 for 62.5 shooting percentage.
- The Jayhawks committed 20 or more turnovers in both of their preseason exhibitions. Only twice over the past two regular seasons (76 games) have the Jayhawks turned the ball over 20 or more times in a game.
- Washburn scored the seven points of the first half, cutting the KU lead to 8 at the 18:13 mark. From that point the Jayhawks outscored the Ichabods 44-24.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- Redshirt-junior Dedric Lawson led the team in scoring for the second straight with 18 total points.
- Lawson was a perfect 4-4 from the three-point range. Had this been a regular season contest the four three-point field goals would have tied a career high.
- After scoring just two points against Emporia State (10/25) junior Udoka Azubuike rebounded with 17 points off a perfect 6-6 from the field. His 17 points tied his career high in an exhibition game.
- Azubuike was 5-6 from the cherry stripe (83.3 percent). This is a promising sign for the Junior, who last season shot 41.3 percent from the free throw
 line.
- Sophomore Marcus Garrett dished out seven assists to one turnover in his two exhibition outings.