

IC West stops Jefferson girls

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IOWA CITY – The Jefferson girls basketball team's season came to an end with a 61-51 loss to 13th-ranked Iowa City West in a Class 5A regional semifinal Saturday at West High.

The Women of Troy jumped to a 14-7 lead in the first quarter and maintained the lead the rest of the way.

Kennedy Dighton led the J-Hawks (9-13) with 14 points and 18 rebounds. Emily Oler added 12 points.

Iowa City West (15-7) will face No. 7 Waukee (16-5) in a regional final at 7 p.m. Tuesday at Waukee.

JEFFERSON (51): Kitterman 1 2-2 4, Guy 1 3-4 6, Donner 1 0-0 3, Wise 1 2-2 4, Melton 0 0-0 0, Watkins 0 0-0 0, Kuba 1 0-0 3, Thurmond 0 0-0 0, Erica Oler 2 1-3 5, Dighton 5 2-2 14, Emily Oler 5 2-5 12, Obrian 0 0-0 0. Totals 17 12-18 51.

IOWA CITY WEST (61): Morgan 2 6-8 11, Zacharias 3 0-1 7, Nock 0 0-0 0, Faulkner 0 0-0 0, Fay 1 0-0 3, Saunders 2 5-6 9, McGrane 0 0-0 0, Huinker 1 2-2 4, Cook 4 1-2 9, Harder 1 1-2 3, Koch 4 6-7 14, Morgan 0 0-0 0, Beckner 0 1-2 1. Totals 18 22-30 61.

Halftime – Iowa City West 33, Jefferson 24. 3-point goals – Jefferson 5 (Dighton 2, Guy, Donner, Kuba), Iowa City West 3 (Morgan, Zacharias, Fay).