Balanced Kohawks knock off La Crosse

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Four players scored in double digits to lead the Coe College men's basketball team to a 76-70 win over Wisconsin-La Crosse on Friday at Eby Fieldhouse.

Matt Vonderhaar had 18 points and seven rebounds for the Kohawks, Marshall Shedeck added 17 points, and Matt Meyer and Lincoln Verba each chipped in 11 points. Jake Timm had nine assists.

Coe (3-2) shot 20-for-22 from the free-throw line, including 4-for-4 in the final 11 seconds to seal the win.

Ben Meinholz scored 26 points to lead Wisconsin-La Crosse (3-4).

WISCONSIN-LaCROSSE (70): Meinholz 10 0-0 26, Staege 4 6-7 14, Fritz 4 0-0 8, Rihn 1 0-0 3, Yurk 3 5-6 13, Finco 0 0-0 0, Kruser 0 0-0 0, Wheeler 1 0-0 2, Manning 1 2-2 4, Collom 0 0-0 0. Totals 24 13-15 70.

COE (76): Vonderhaar 5 7-8 18, Meyer 5 1-1 11, Shedeck 7 2-2 17, Timm 2 2-2 6, Haaland 0 5-6 5, Jirak 0 0-0 0, Vorba 3 2-2 11, Pflughaupt 2 0-0 6, Reichelt 1 0-0 3. Totals 25 20-22 76.

Halftime – Coe 35, Wisconsin-LaCrosse 26. 3-point goals – Wisconsin-LaCrosse 9 (Meinholz 6, Yurk 2, Rihn), Coe 6 (Vorba 2, Pflughaupt 2, Vonderhaar, Shedeck).