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MEN'S BASKETBALL LOSES TWO ON THE ROAD

Richardson, TX - The UTD men's basketball team returned home Saturday after a long road trip that produced losses to Mississippi College (78-48) and Louisiana College (72-55). The losses leave the Comets with an overall record of 2-12 and 1-7 in the American Southwest Conference.

The Comets played Mississippi College on January 18 in Clinton, MS. The Comets saw two players score in double figures (SO G Justin St. Julian, 12 pts, and SO F Brian Thomas, 10 pts), however, they were unable to withstand the depth of the Mississippi College bench. The MC team played 20 players against UTD's eight that saw playing time. The final score was 78-48.

The Comets traveled from Clinton, MS to Pineville, LA to take on Louisiana College. The outcome was similar to the contest against MC. The Comets were led by sophomore forwards Brian Thomas and Tim Lazarus. Both players finished with 14 points and Thomas also pulled down 10 rebounds to give him a double-double. The Comets fell to LC by the final score of 72-55.

The Comets will play again on January 25 at home against LeTourneau University.