



CAMOSUN COLLEGE

CHARGERS SPORT REPORT

Jan. 4-5 Re-Cap & Upcoming Games Jan. 11-12, 2013



Weekend Re-Cap for January 4-5, 2013

CHARGERS BASKETBALL

The Chargers basketball teams opened the second-half of the PACWEST season with the collection of two losses in Nanaimo last Friday night against Island rivals, the VIU Mariners.

Despite being down by only six points at the half (23-17) and outscoring VIU by one (14-13) in the third quarter, the Chargers women presented the Mariners with big opportunities in the fourth and were outshot 21 points to 11 to fall 57-42 at the buzzer. First-year wing Melissa Van Dyk (Claremont) led Camosun with 11 points, 5 rebounds and 1 assist. The Chargers women are 3-6 and tied with Langara for sixth spot in the PACWEST.

On the men's side, the Chargers had a slow start which resulted in a 37-16 lead for the Mariners at the half and a 30 point deficit at the end of the third quarter (57-27). A determined Camosun squad came out blasting in the fourth to score more than half their total points in the final frame but it was not enough to close the gap and the game ended 75-60 in favor of VIU. First-year Chargers forward James Giuffre (Esquimalt) made a great debut as the evening's leader with 17 points, 8 rebounds and 2 assists. Third-year forward Rulon Schmidt posted 12 points, 5 rebounds and 2 assists. Camosun sits in 8th place with a conference record of 2-7.

CHARGERS VOLLEYBALL

Both Chargers volleyball teams suffered losses on the weekend but not before taking their opponents to the limit.

While Camosun's women's team forced Douglas to five on Friday (24-26, 27-25, 28-26, 23-25, 15-13), the squad lost in straight sets on Saturday, 25-22, 28-26, 25-14. The Chargers fall one spot to number five with a record of 5-7 in the PACWEST. Second-year middle Morgan Marshall moved up the CCAA Individual Stats with a fourth-place national ranking for blocks (0.92/set).

The Chargers men were also defeated in contests that could have gone either way, losing to the PACWEST's top men's team 3-1 on Friday (25-14, 17-25, 25-16, 29-27) and 3-2 on Saturday (22-25, 25-20, 21-25, 25-17, 15-13). The Chargers are 8-6 and in fourth place in the PACWEST standings. A huge win over the Red Deer College Kings (the top ranked team in the CCAA prior to the Christmas break) in exhibition play over the holidays helped move Camosun up to No. 4 in the National Rankings. Second-year middle Alex Sadowski is also making a steady climb up the ladder to fifth spot on the Men's Individual Stats in blocks with 0.96/set.

The Chargers volleyball teams hit the road again this weekend to take on the College of the Rockies Avalanche in Cranbrook. Watch the matches LIVE from COTR here: <http://www.sportscanada.tv/index.php/cotr-avalanche>

Fri, Jan. 11	Women 6pm	Camosun (#5) vs. COTR (#7)
	Men 8pm	Camosun (#4) vs. COTR (#5)

Sat, Jan. 12	Women 1pm	Camosun vs. COTR
	Men 3pm	Camosun vs. COTR

Find official results, standings, individual leaders and more on the [PACWEST](#) website

Home Games January 11-12, 2013

The Chargers basketball teams play their first home games of 2013 this weekend. Both teams will be challenged as the men face off against the nation's top CCAA team the Langara College Falcons on Friday night and the women take on the PACWEST's second-ranked Douglas College Royals on Saturday. Catch the games at PISE or watch the LIVE webcast on [SportsCanadaTV](#).

Fri, Jan. 11	Women 6pm	Camosun (T#6) vs. Langara (T#6)
	Men 8pm	Camosun (#8) vs. Langara (#1)

Sat, Jan. 12	Women 1pm	Camosun vs. Douglas (#2)
	Men 3pm	Camosun vs. Douglas (#4)