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Roadrunners Sweep Sussex CC in Basketball Doubleheader

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The men's and women's teams took identical 5-8 records into their Saturday matchup with visiting Sussex CC. Both teams improved to 6-8 overall in the season and can now start setting their sights on getting back to the .500 mark.

In the women's game, the Roadrunners stormed out to a 22-4 advantage to start the game and never looked back. Nine players scored in the game, led by 21 points from freshman guard Devan Solari (Williamstown, NJ/Williamstown HS). Solari connected on three 3-pointers in the game. Freshman Nichole Terreri added nine points in the 74-22 victory.



GCC frosh Kevin Booth (#10) converted 13-14 FT's in Saturday's win.

The men's game proved to be a much tougher test as the Roadrunners played another game that would come down to the wire. GCC led 38-32 at halftime but gave up an 8-2 run to start the second half and Sussex tied the score at 40-40 on a putback by Demetrius Boards (18 pts.). However, GCC freshman guard Kevin Booth (Williamstown, NJ/Williamstown HS) started to drive to the basket and draw fouls and put the Roadrunners back ahead as he converted on 11-12 free throws and gave GCC a two point lead heading into the last 2:00. Anthony Talley and Marquis Jones both made plays down the stretch to put the game away for the Roadrunners in their 77-71 win.

The Roadrunners will play next on Tuesday night against visiting Atlantic Cape CC. The women will take the floor at 5pm followed by the men at 7pm. On Saturday both teams will travel to Bergen CC in a matchup that will feature the #1 ranked team in the nation in Bergen CC's men's team. This should be an exciting matchup.

See photos from the action...

