Boys Basketball, Coming Back By Ruben Fernandez

Basketball is an important part of White Swan. The stands are always full and loud, but the student section is of course the loudest. Even though we know our voices are going to be gone the next day, it's all worth it.

It's been off to a rough start for the boys varsity basketball team, their current record being 0-5. With a league record of 0-2, they keep in mind that matters is the league games, the other games just help them get prepared.

One important piece that plays a big part in this is that they had some varsity players from last year that were injured. Junior Jermaine Bass got a serious injury in football, but thankfully he has returned back onto the court. Now they are waiting for senior David Zuniga that got cleared to go back on the first of January to join them on the court once again.

The head coach Saul Arambul said, "It was alright that the season started off how it did, it is just the beginning. It does not end today, we still have four league games this December then nine this upcoming January & February. As long as we survive December, we will be fine."

Their next game is on Friday, December 21st at Mabton. Saul said, "The motivation is that it's a league game, so the game plan is we have to take care of the ball and out rebound them. Yes, they are shorter than us, but they make it up by their strength and the intensity they play with. So we just take advantage of the height and take care of the rock, then we will be fine."

So good luck to the basketball team for the upcoming games, as always GO COUGARS!