Clark College men, women sweep Centralia

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Arman Kalan had 15 points and eight rebounds to lead the Clark College men's basketball team to a 70-61 win over Centralia on Wednesday.

"Kalan was really the guy tonight," Clark coach Mike Arnold said. "We really made a big difference in the second half."

Dan Anderson also had 15 points and rebound for Clark, which led 38-35 at halftime.

"Our defense was much better than it has been in a while," Arnold said. "We stayed with it for both halves, and that was a big difference. They're big kid (Jerome Fisher) averages 22. But he only played 21 minutes and fouled out (with two points)." Mukensnable had six rebounds, and Kruse and Simmers added five each.

"It's good to get the win, but we've got to play better defense," Clark coach Nancy Boone said. "We need to stop trying to outscore people and get more defensive stops."

Women

Clark 64, Centralia 62 — Macy Mukensnabl, Lacy Kruse and Debbie Simmers scored 15 points each as the Penguins held off Centralia.