

## **TUCKER VALLEY BOYS' BASKETBALL UPDATE**

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The Tucker Valley Middle School Boys' Varsity Basketball team traveled to Central Preston for the Championship game of the Holiday Tournament on Tuesday January 2<sup>nd</sup> against Southern Garrett Middle. The Wildcats took fell in the contest by the final score of 52-30. Zach Long led Tucker Valley with 11 points and Bryson Harper added 8 points for the Wildcats in the loss.

On Saturday January 6<sup>th</sup> Tucker Valley hosted Davis-Thomas at Tucker County High School for a JV and Varsity contests. In the first game the Wildcats JV team took the victory by the final score of 54-32. Ashton Lycliter led Tucker Valley with 17 points and Rory Nestor had 10 points for the Wildcats in the win. In the varsity contest Tucker Valley fell in a close contest as Davis-Thomas hit a jumper as time expired to give the Bears the win 39-37. Zach Long led all scorers with 23 points and Wesley Strawderman added 7 points for Tucker Valley in the loss.

The Wildcats(6-4) will travel to Petersburg on Thursday January 11<sup>th</sup> and the JV team will host Kasson on Monday January 15<sup>th</sup>. For more info or complete schedules go to TuckerCountySports.Com.



Tucker Valley's Zach Long dribbles the ball against the Davis-Thomas defender Blake Anderson.

Davis-Thomas got the victory by the final score of 39-37. Photo by Brittany Channell