Hawks sweep Eagles. .

The Galena Hawks swept a two-game weekend series with the visiting Fort Yukon Eagles in boys high school basketball action this past weekend. The Hawks grabbed an early lead on Friday and went on to win, 69-53. On Saturday, Galena had to hold off a determined fourth quarter comeback by the Eagles before prevailing, 58-51.

Marvin Thurmond captured game high honors with 22 points to lead Galena while teammate Joe Demoski added 16. Fort Yukon was led by Jerry Carol who tallied 17 points.

On Saturday, the Eagles rallied from a ten point deficit at the end of the third quarter, to pull within three points with 2 minutes left. However, Galena pulled away in the final 2 minutes utilizing a balanced scoring attack led by Gary Thurmond with 10 points. Jerry Carrol led Fort Yukon with 20 points and captured game scoring honors.

The two teams square off against each other next weekend in Fort Yukon.