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Despite a slow start in the Jan. 25 match-up against the Wiggins Tigers, the Dragons held on for their fifth straight win by a score of 64-51.

After falling behind 10-0 in the first four minutes of the game, Holyoke's bench players provided the spark needed to make the comeback.

"The second five guys came in and they played unbelievable," coach Scott Dille said. "I was real proud of how the bench guys game in and fought hard and got us back in the game. They had a lot of energy and just did a phenomenal job."

By the end of the first quarter the Dragons were down 14-19.

HHS was more energized in the second quarter, gaining ground on the Tigers through their defensive play. Ball pressure and lock-down defense around the perimeter helped the Dragons force many turnovers.

Holyoke forced 28 turnovers by Wiggins while only giving up 10 turnovers of their own.

Ryan Parker's dunk late in the second quarter gave the team the momentum they would need to put the visiting team away. The Dragons entered half up 30-26.

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The Dragons of Solway High School have extended their win streak to five games after a victory over the Wiggie team on Tuesday night. The game was a close contest, with Solway leading 34-31 at the end of the first half. In the second half, Solway's defense tightened up, forcing several turnovers from the Wiggie team. The Dragons' offense was also clicking, with several players contributing to the team's success. The final score was 54-40 in favor of Solway. The Dragons will look to continue their winning ways in their next game on Friday night.