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MANSFIELD — Mansfield needed a total team effort to close out its season-opening victory over non-league foe East Bridgewater in a contest that remained within 10 points throughout.

Mansfield led by six points down the stretch when Rebecca Hottleman hit both of her free throws with just over a minute remaining to extend the lead for good.

Senior captain Maggie Danehy led the Hornets with 16 points, including 10 in the first half, and nine rebounds.

Senior teammate Syd Mulkern knocked down three 3-pointers and scored eight of her 11 points in the first half.

Mansfield (1-0) heads to Foxboro for its Hockomock opener Tuesday.

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Girls Basketball

Mansfield, 40 vs. East Bridgewater, 31 – Final – Mansfield held a six-point lead at half, and again after three quarters before pulling away in the final minutes to secure the win in an MIAA Endowment game.

Maggie Danehy led the Hornets with 16 points and nine rebounds, Sydney Mulkern added 11 points, and Mady Bendanillo chipped in with five points, six assists, and four steals.