

**ROADRUNNERS WIN THIRD IN A ROW, BEAT BELLA VISA 68-36**  
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**CAVE CREEK, Ariz.** – For a program who had only lost one game in two years, the two losses San Tan Charter School varsity basketball program suffered to start the 2018-2019 season could have constituted a crisis. But despite the slow start, the Roadrunners (3-2) remained resolute to the process and have now won their third game in a row, defeating Bella Vista College Preparatory (0-1) 68-36.

“Tonight was a step in the right direction,” said Roadrunners coach **Derek Freeman**. “We just have to stay humble and not satisfied. I saw plenty of things we can work on.”

The Roadrunners used their full court press to set the tempo and create turnovers. They had 17 steals and forced numerous errant passes. They also received a perfect season high points and rebounds performance from junior forward **Dominic Solorza** who provided energy in the post scoring 10 points on 4-4 shooting from the floor and 2-2 from the line on two three-point plays. It was the first points Solorza had scored this year. But it was junior guard **Jaylen Webb** who provided the scoring and defensive punch with 23 points and four steals.

“He is such a solid player,” said Freeman of Webb. “His leadership is coming along and he is bringing the team together.”

This was also a coming out party of sorts for senior guard **Jadakiss Kirksey**. Kirksey, who lost his starting job due to a sluggish start, had nine points tonight after only scoring six points in the previous four games prior. He also added four boards and two steals. Kirksey was one of the Roadrunners leading scorers from a year ago.

Junior guard **Kris Sippel** also posted his fourth consecutive double digit scoring game with 12 points to go along with six rebounds, three assists and three steals.

What would qualify as a concern for the Roadrunners is its outside shooting. San Tan only shot 28 percent from beyond the arc for the game.

“We have to get better as team in that area,” said Freeman. “We need to get those shots in the rhythm of the offense and not just shoot it to shoot it. We are not the Golden State Warriors.”

San Tan finishes its string of six consecutive road games to start the season on Tuesday, December 4 as they travel to Chandler to take on AZ Compass at 6:30 p.m.

-see box score below –

## SAN TAN BASKETBALL

## BOX SCORE

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at Bella Vista 68-36 11/30/2018

San Tan Roadrunners		Total FG		3-Point		FT	FT A	Rebounds			Fouls	Points	A	T O	B L K	S
No.	Player	FG	FG A	FG	FGA			OF F	D EF	To t						
2	Anthony Bautista	0	3	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
4	Jaylen Webb	10	17	3	6	0	0	1	0	1	1	23	2	4	0	4
5	Jadakiss Kirksey	3	6	1	3	2	2	2	2	4	0	9	0	0	0	2
10	Kahan Shoulders	1	5	0	1	4	4	0	1	1	1	6	5	1	0	3
13	Dominic Solorza	4	4	0	0	2	2	5	2	7	0	10	0	2	0	0
14	Elias Vargas	2	6	0	2	0	0	2	2	4	1	4	1	0	0	3
15	Kris Sippel	5	12	1	3	1	2	3	3	6	1	12	3	2	0	3
20	Brendon Lee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
34	Kerwin Danley	1	3	0	2	0	0	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	2	0
54	Dalton Emery	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	4	5	3	1	0	1	0	2
	TEAM REBOUNDS							0	1	1						
	TOTALS	26	57	5	18	11	14	15	16	31	10	68	12	11	2	17

TOTAL FG%	1st Half	15-34, .441	2nd Half	11-23, .478	GM	26-57, .456	Deadball Rebounds	0
3-Pt. FG%	1st Half	2-11, .182	2nd Half	3-7, .429	GM	5-18, .278		
FT %	1st Half	4-4, 1.000	2nd Half	7-10, .700	GM	11-14, .786		

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