

The Natchitoches Central Lady Chiefs used a dominant second half to run past the defending Division III non-select state champion Rosepine Lady Eagles, 68-50, Tuesday during the City of Lights Basketball Tournament hosted by NCHS.

Rosepine (5-1) opened the game up taking a nine-point lead late in the first quarter, 20-11. However, NCHS stormed back to take a 32-28 lead at halftime.

The Lady Chiefs (4-2) extended their lead to as many as 20 points in the second half, 68-48, late in the fourth quarter on their way to the win. NCHS was led by Makayla Gallien with 20 points in route to their third straight win.

Natchitoches Central will take on Grant High School Tuesday, Nov. 28 at home at 6 p.m.