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Men's Basketball

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NEW ORLEANS – The Sun Belt Conference announced today that Georgia Southern redshirt junior [Quan Jackson](#) has been named the league's Men's Basketball Player of the Week.

He is the third Eagle to earn the honor this season, joining [Elijah McCadden](#), who won the award Nov. 26, and [Ike Smith](#), who earned the honor Dec. 30.

Jackson averaged 23.5 points, 4.5 steals and three rebounds in a 2-0 week for the Eagles, who are tied for second place in the Sun Belt standings. He scored his 1,000th career point with a 3-pointer from the wing with 7:15 remaining in the first half Saturday at Louisiana. Jackson shot 60 percent from the floor in the two contests, canning 18 of 30 shots, including 7 of 12 from long distance.

Georgia Southern opens a two-game Sun Belt homestand Thursday when the Eagles play host to Coastal Carolina at 7 p.m. in Hanner Fieldhouse. GS also hosts Appalachian State Saturday at 4 p.m. It is the Chanticleers' and Mountaineers' first visit to Statesboro since the 2016-17 season.

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