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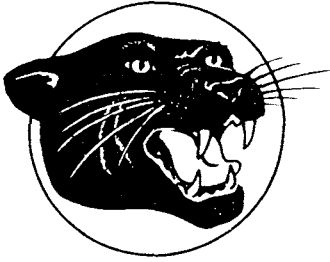
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Panther Sports News

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CHARLESTON, IL--Nancy Kassebaum (Belleville-East), 5-6 guard for Eastern Illinois University's basketball team, has been chosen First Team All-Academic District IV by the College Sports Information Directors of America.

Kassebaum's name will now be placed on the national ballot. District IV encompasses Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Kassebaum is averaging 15.1 with nearly seven assists per game, shooting 48% from the field and 71% from the line with five steals a game.

With 1372 points, she is steadily closing in on EIU's all-time leading scorer, Linda Ellsworth (1977-81), who has 1517.

Following the conclusion of the regular season this weekend the women will compete in the AIAW II State Tournament at Lewis University, March 4-6.

The AIAW Midwest Regional is the following weekend, (March 11-13) also in Illinois at Loyola University in Chicago.