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# Panther Sports News

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## PREVIEWING THE WEEK (April 4-11)

- Wednesday, April 4      BASEBALL hosts Indiana State-Evansville (1:00, Monier Field)  
MEN'S TENNIS hosts Butler (3:00, Triad Courts)
- Thursday, April 5      MEN'S TENNIS hosts Illinois State (3:00, Triad Courts)  
Women's Tennis at Augustana
- Friday, April 6      SOFTBALL hosts Southwest Missouri (2:00, Lantz Field)  
Men's & Women's Track at SEmotion Relays (Cape Girardeau)  
Women's Tennis at Northern Illinois Tournament  
Golf at Cougar Invitational (Edwardsville)
- Saturday, April 7      SOFTBALL hosts Wichita State (2:00, Lantz Field)  
Baseball at Purdue  
Men's & Women's Track at SEmotion Relays (Cape Girardeau)  
Women's Tennis at Northern Illinois tournament  
Golf at Cougar Invitational (Edwardsville)
- Sunday, April 8      BASEBALL hosts Purdue (1:00, Monier Field)  
SOFTBALL hosts Illinois-Chicago (2:00, Lantz Field)  
MEN'S TRACK hosts Open Decathlon (1:00, O'Brien Stadium)  
Golf at Indianapolis Intercollegiate
- Monday, April 9      MEN'S TRACK hosts Open Decathlon (10:00, O'Brien Stadium)  
MEN'S TENNIS hosts Millikin (3:00, Triad Courts)  
Golf at Indianapolis Intercollegiate
- Tuesday, April 10      SOFTBALL hosts SIU-Carbondale (2:00, Lantz Field)  
Baseball at Illinois  
Men's Tennis at Sangamon State  
Women's Tennis at Indiana State
- Wednesday, April 11      BASEBALL hosts Indiana State (1:00, Monier Field)  
MEN'S TENNIS hosts IUPU-Indianapolis (3:00, Triad Courts)

## REVIEWING THE WEEKEND (March 30-31)

**BASEBALL:** The Panthers returned from a spring trip with a 4-3 record after taking two of three games from Southwest Missouri last week. Eastern won 15-10 and 12-8 but lost 6-5. EIU will play four games this weekend traveling to Purdue for a Saturday doubleheader and then returning home to host the same Boilermakers on Sunday afternoon.

STEVE HALL (Williamsville-Lincoln Land CC), senior first baseman, had seven RBIs in the three games with two homers and a double.

BERNARD HOLLAND (Olympia Fields-Thornwood), freshman designated hitter, had five hits in the three games including a grand slam homer in the 15-10 win over Southwest Missouri.

MICK FREED (Lexington), junior pitcher, picked up his first win of the season, 12-8, over Southwest Missouri. He pitched 5 2/3 innings allowing all eight runs but struck out 10.

**MEN'S TRACK:** The Panthers took a partial squad to the Florida Relays over the weekend with Claude Magee (see below) winning the 100 meter dash. EIU will compete in the prestigious SEmotion Relays which are held this Friday and Saturday (April 6-7) at Southeast Missouri State in Cape Girardeau. Over 30 men's teams and 20 women's teams are entered. Magee won the 100 meter dash two years ago in 10.25.

CLAUDE MAGEE (Clermont, FL), junior sprinter, qualified for both the NCAA national meet and the Olympic Trials by winning the Florida Relays 100 meter dash in a school record 10.21. That broke his old school record of 10.25 which he set two years ago winning the SEmotion Relays. Magee bettered the NCAA outdoor standard of 10.33 and the Olympic standard of 10.35, and is now eligible to compete in the national and Olympic Trials, both of which are at Eugene, OR in early June. "Claude has accomplished a great deal in a short amount of time," said head coach Neil Moore. "He already met two preseason goals, and has been able to stay injury free. I'm sure he would like to go back to Southeast Missouri this weekend and regain his title in their relays."

BOB MAZANKE (Palos Hills-Stagg), sophomore weightman, took fourth place in the Florida Relays with a 158-0 in the discus.

RICK FRANCIS (Oakland), senior weightman, took fifth in the hammer with a school record 169-0 feet.

**SOFTBALL:** The Lady Panthers completed their southern road swing with a second-place finish in the Southern Illinois-Edwardsville Tournament. Eastern won four of five games at Edwardsville, losing only an extra-inning contest to the tournament host 4-2 in the competition's final game. The Panthers opened the tournament with three wins Friday (March 30)-- a 27-0 thrashing of Northeastern Illinois, a 6-1 victory over St. Xavier and a 12-3 decision over DePaul. On Saturday Eastern topped Missouri Baptist 7-3 before losing to SIU-E. Earlier in the week, EIU split a twin bill with Oklahoma City, winning 4-2 and losing 2-1. The Lady Panthers' record stands at 5-6.

MARY TIEGS (Lake Bluff-Libertyville), senior outfielder/catcher, ravaged opposing pitchers during the SIU-E tournament as she stroked 11 hits in 20 at-bats (.550). She also connected for three doubles, a triple and a home run, Eastern's only round-tripper of the season. The versatile Tiegs also knocked in seven runs and stole five bases while not committing an error in the tournament's five games. She currently is second on the team with a .368 batting average.

TANGI WALDROP (Robinson/Lincoln CC), junior catcher, went on a hitting tear at Edwardsville as she gathered eight hits in 18 at-bats (.444). In Eastern's 27-0 rout of Northeastern Illinois, Waldrop went three-for-six, scored three times and knocked in three runs. She currently holds a .324 batting average, but a foul tip nipped a finger on her throwing hand in the tournament finals and she may miss a few contests.

SHELLY EDDINGTON (Brighton-Southwestern/Lewis & Clark), junior pitcher/shortstop/outfielder, raised her batting average to a team-high .429 with five hits in nine at-bats at Edwardsville. She threw a two-hit shutout as Eastern trounced Northeastern Illinois 27-0 Friday (March 30) and came back with a victory over Missouri Baptist to even her pitching record at 2-2. She leads the team with 14 strikeouts and boasts a 1.40 ERA.

DONNA RIDGWAY (Annapolis-Hutsonville), senior pitcher, split two outings at SIU-E, stopping DePaul 12-3 on five hits and suffering an extra-inning 4-2 defeat to Edwardsville as the Cougars scored two unearned runs in the eighth inning. She leads the team with a 0.97 ERA en route to her 2-3 record.