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PREVIEWING THE WEEK (Jan. 14-21)

- Wednesday, Jan. 14 **MEN'S BASKETBALL HOSTS CHICAGO STATE** (7:30, Lantz
Women's Basketball at Indiana State
Wrestling at SIU-Edwardsville
- Friday, Jan. 16 Men's & Women's Swimming at Evansville
- Saturday, Jan. 17 **MEN'S BASKETBALL HOSTS ILLINOIS-CHICAGO** (7:30, Lantz Gym)
MEN'S & WOMEN'S TRACK HOSTS SOUTHEAST MISSOURI, INDIANA
STATE (1:00, Lantz Fieldhouse)
- Sunday, Jan. 18 Women's Basketball at Illinois State
- Tuesday, Jan. 20 **WRESTLING HOSTS ILLINOIS** (7:30, Lantz Gym)

REVIEWING THE WEEKEND (Jan. 10-11)

MEN'S BASKETBALL

WEEKEND RESULTS: The Panthers won their third in a row defeating Augustana, 66-60 . . . earlier in the week EIU defeated Indiana State, 61-59, in overtime.

TEAM RECORD: EIU has evened its record at 5-5.

NEXT GAME: The Panthers hosts Chicago State on Wednesday (1/14) and begin AMCU-8 play on Saturday (1/17) hosting Illinois-Chicago.

AURORA (WEST): JAY TAYLOR, sophomore guard, leads the team with a 15.2 scoring average including a career high 25 points, 10 rebounds in the win over Indiana State. . . he made six of seven free throws including the game winners with 11 seconds left in overtime. . . he's second on the team in rebounding with a 5.0 average and is shooting 47.5% from the field.

JOLIET (CENTRAL): NORM EVANS, junior guard, has been the most consistent player thus far . . . he is second on the team in scoring average (11.1) and is third in rebounding at 4.7 . . . **NORM** is the only regular shooting 50% from the field (42-84), and leads with 21 assists and 16 steals.

INDIANAPOLIS, IN (PARK TUDOR): TONY HEMPHILL, junior swingman, is No. 3 on the team with an 11.0 scoring average and leads the team shooting 84.4% from the free throw line . . . however he's only hitting 35.1% field goals . . . is tied for the team lead with 21 assists.

MOUNDS (MERIDIAN): JERRY STRICKLAND, junior swingman, started his first collegiate game vs. Augustana Saturday night and responded with a career high 15 points . . . playing in all 10 games, **STRICKLAND** is averaging 12 minutes p/games and is scoring 4.0 with 2.8 rebounds.

ROSELLE (LAKE PARK): DAVE VANCE, sophomore forward, is one of just two players who has started all 10 games this year . . . he's averaging 8.7 points and 3.9 rebounds.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

WEEKEND RESULTS: The Lady Panthers lost to nationally ranked Southern Illinois, 71-55, last Saturday . . . earlier in the week they downed Drake, 68-61.

RECORD: EIU is now 6-7 overall and 2-3 in the Gateway Conference.

NEXT GAME: Eastern will play at Indiana State on Wednesday (1/14) in a Gateway Conference game and then go to Illinois State for a league contest on Sunday (1/18).

AURORA, IN (SOUTH DEARBORN): LISA TYLER, sophomore forward, leads the women in scoring (14.8) and rebounding (7.8) . . . she is shooting 48.3% from the field and 79.7% from the line.

TRENTON (BREESE MATER DEI): BARB PERKES, freshman starting guard, is NO. 2 on the team with a 12.1 scoring average . . . she also has hit 11-26 from three point range for a 42.3% mark. . . teammate **SHELLY ETHRIDGE,** sophomore guard, is coming off the bench to average 3.5 ppg.

DECATUR (EISENHOWER): PAT HAMILTON, senior guard, is scoring 8.4 ppg and leads the team with a 52.7% field goal percentage.

ANNA-JONESBORO: LAURA MULL, freshman center, has started all 13 games and is scoring 6.7 p/game with 5.5 rebounds.

WRESTLING

WEEKEND RESULTS: EIU placed 3rd out of eight teams in the Redbird Duals at Illinois State Friday but then lost to Tennessee-Chattanooga, 22-15, on Sunday.

RECORD: The Panthers are 3-2 in dual meets.

NEXT MATCH: EIU wrestles at SIU-Edwardsville on Wednesday (1/14) and then hosts the University of Illinois at 7:30 on Tuesday, Jan. 20.

CHICAGO HEIGHTS (RICH CENTRAL/LINCOLN CC): DEMETRIUS HARPER, senior heavyweight, has a 15-2 record overall . . . he was undefeated this past weekend with four straight wins at the Redbird Duals and then decisioned UTC's Mike Wallace, 4-2.

WHEATON (CENTRAL): MARTY MOLINA, sophomore 177 lber., has a 15-7 record and was undefeated in four matches at the Redbird Duals . . . his widest margin of victory was 14-2 over Bill Phillips of Mankato State.

JOLIET (WEST): CRAIG STERR, sophomore 118 lber., is 13-5 and also was undefeated in four matches at the Redbird Duals.

WAUKEGAN: CHRIS BONDS, sophomore 158 lber., was 3-0-1 at the Redbird Duals and was a 9-4 winner in the Tenn-Chattanooga dual meet Sunday.

MEN'S TRACK

WEEKEND RESULTS: The Panthers opened the year by hosting a multi-team non-scoring invitational.

NEXT MEET: EIU will host Indiana State, Southeast Missouri, DePaul and Parkland CC Saturday (1/17) with field events at 12:30, track at 2:00.

BERWYN (MORTON WEST): JEFF GENNARELLI, junior weightman, took first in the shot put with a throw of 53-0 1/4 inches.

SHELBYVILLE: PHIL MATON, senior middle distance runner, won the 1000 run which normally is dominated by his brother Jim (who did not run) . . .PHIL won in a time of 2:13.64.

CAIRO: ERIC CHILDS, sophomore sprinter, won the 300 in 32.44 seconds and was 2nd in the 60 dash in 6.51.

BUFFALO GROVE: STEVE CONLON, freshman middle distance runner, won the mile in 4:28.44.

STERLING: BRUCE NIE, sophomore middle distance runner, was second in the mile (4:32.99) and third in the 880 (2:01.67).

ZION-BENTON: DERRICK LEE, sophomore horizontal jumper, was second in the long jump (22-4 1/2) and fourth in the triple jump (44-3 1/4).

CHICAGO (WRIGHT CC): DARNELL THOMPSON, was second in the 300 (32.7) and sixth in the 60 (6.7).