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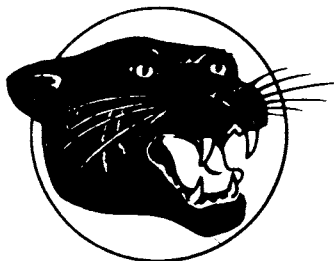
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CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University's field hockey team officially opens the season this weekend travelling to Valparaiso Friday (Sept. 10) and then to Ball State Saturday (Sept. 11).

The Panthers played four non-regulation games last weekend splitting four contests. They defeated Western Illinois and the Iowa club team and lost to the Central club team and the University of Iowa.

"I'm pleased that we beat Western because we play them three more times throughout the season . . . the win gives us an edge," said Coach Beth Reichel. "But we did not have a good game against Iowa although it is one of the top eight teams in the country.

"I feel that our lineups are more secure now that I've had a chance to see some games. Everyone played well and now we need to work on consistency.

"Judy Waterbury (Hoffman Estates-Conant) saw a lot of action Saturday . . .she had a high percentage of saves at goalie. I even had some surprises from our bench as Nancy Fanta (Western Springs-LaGrange Lyons) and Cheryl Holthaus (Pana) both went into games and played well," Reichel said.

"Holthaus scored a goal and hopefully her efforts will carry over into this weekend as we start playing for keeps."

The Panthers return home the following weekend to host SIU-Carbondale and Principia in a triangular Saturday, Sept. 18.