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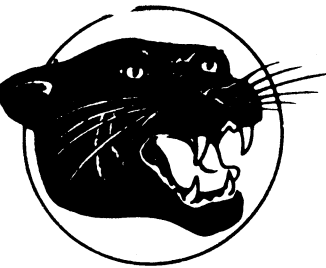
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Panther Sports News

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CHARLESTON, IL--The moveable force (Eastern Illinois' offense) against the moveable object (Evansville's defense) may be the best way to describe Eastern Illinois' women's basketball game at 7:30 p.m. Friday night at Lantz Gym.

The Lady Panthers (6-2) own the top offense in the Gateway Conference while averaging 76.1 points a game. EIU is also number one in the league in scoring margin (11.5) and ranked second in field goal percentage (.472). Evansville sports an 0-9 record and has been giving up an average of 73.6 points per contest. The Purple Aces have been scoring at 55.3 ppg clip.

"I hope our team will be ready for Evansville," states sixth-year EIU mentor Barbara Hilke. "Exams have been our primary concern this week so it will be a good test for our players to see if they are mentally tough. We need to get more help on the boards if we intend on being successful."

EIU's balanced attack is paced by senior forward Toni Collins (Lincoln/Jamaica-Sidell) with a 13.9 scoring average. She became the second all-time leading scorer in EIU history against Wisconsin with 20 points. Collins has accumulated 1,442 points in 97 games. The two-time all-Gateway selection also leads the club in rebounding with a 7.2 mark.

Junior forward Chris Aldridge (Taylorville) compliments Collins at the other forward spot. She averages 13.3 points and 6.1 rebounds a game while working diligently under the boards. Aldridge is fourth in the league in FG percentage (.518) and sixth in FT percentage (.714).

Sue Hynd (Ottawa) handles the middle for the Lady Panthers. She is averaging 10.5 points a game while also hauling in 4.3 rebounds a game. Hynd was just recently selected to participate in an Athletes in Action Summer tour in Australia.

(6-2 overall) HOME: 3-0, AWAY: 2-2, NEUTRAL: 1-0

1984-85 EASTERN ILLINOIS WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STATISTICS

Name	ST-GM	MTS	FCM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	PTS	AVG	REB	AVG	PF-D	AST	BS	ST	TO
Toni Collins, Sr., Forward	8-8	259	45-92	.489	21-37	.568	111	13.9	57	7.2	15-0	20	9	13	20
Melanie Hatfield, Jr., Guard	7-8	260	46-96	.479	18-25	.720	110	13.8	34	4.3	26-2	29	1	25	31
Chris Aldridge, Jr., Forward	8-8	258	43-83	.518	20-27	.741	106	13.3	49	6.1	20-1	8	3	14	25
Lori Conine, Sr., Guard	6-8	290	43-85	.506	7-12	.583	93	11.6	24	3.0	12-0	25	4	20	24
Sue Hynd, Jr., Center	4-8	167	35-70	.500	14-19	.737	84	10.5	34	4.3	12-0	1	5	4	9
Kim Maxey, Jr., Guard	6-8	268	24-64	.375	8-16	.500	56	7.0	45	5.6	17-0	31	1	12	33
Kerry Walsh, Fr., Center	0-7	63	7-15	.467	4-5	.800	18	2.3	10	1.3	4-0	1	0	0	2
Michelle Newman, Fr., Forward	0-7	57	5-10	.500	6-6	1.000	16	2.0	8	1.0	1-0	1	0	2	4
Ann Brown, Fr., Forward	0-6	50	5-16	.313	1-2	.500	11	1.8	14	2.3	3-0	2	1	4	2
Pat Hamilton, So., Guard	1-1	18	2-10	.200	0-0	-	4	4.0	6	6.0	2-0	4	1	3	3
EASTERN ILLINOIS	8-8	1100	225-540	.472	99-149	.664	609	76.1	292	36.5	110-3	122	22	94	153
OPPONENTS	8-8	1100	228-533	.428	60-95	.632	516	64.6	285	35.6	141-3	109	41	73	191

DEAD BALL REBOUNDS--EIU (21), OPPONENTS (25)

GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

Date	W-L	EIU	OPP	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER
Nov. 23 W	77	73 (OT)	at Florida International *	Aldridge	Hatfield
Nov. 24 L	49	75	at Central Florida *	Collins	Collins
Nov. 28 W	69	41	at Butler	Hynd	Maxey
Dec. 1 W	76	56	MIAMI (O)	Hatfield	Hatfield, Maxey
Dec. 7 W	87	44	XAVIER \$	Conine	Collins, Hynd
Dec. 8 W	94	85 (30T)	EASTERN WASHINGTON \$	Hynd	Aldridge
Dec. 12 W	81	59	at Ball State	Collins	Collins
Dec. 14 L	83	76	at Wisconsin	Collins	Collins, Maxey

* at Central Florida Sunroast Invitational
 \$ Heath Candy Classic