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Panther Sports News

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CHARLESTON, IL--An eye for an eye . . . a tooth for a tooth. The day of reckoning has arrived for the Eastern Illinois women's basketball team. The Lady Panthers entertain Southern Illinois Saturday afternoon at 5:05 p.m. in Lantz Gym. EIU sports a 13-10 record overall and a 5-8 mark in the Gateway Conference while the Salukis are 17-6 overall and 9-3 in the league. SIU owns a commanding 14-0 lead in the series and defeated Eastern 78-46 earlier this season.

The game will be broadcast by WLBH (97 FM) in Mattoon beginning at 5:00 p.m.

Mike Bradd will do play-by-play for the game.

"I know we will be prepared to play Southern this week," EIU head coach Barbara Hilke states. "Our players don't need any motivation to get up for the game. Southern is one of our biggest rivals and our seniors have never beaten them. It is an important conference game for us in terms of making some headway in the standings. I think we will give them a whale of a game."

Throwing down the gauntlet for Eastern will be forwards Chris Aldridge (Taylorville) and Toni Collins (Lincoln). Aldridge--a junior all-conference candidate--is second on the team in scoring (14.4) and rebounding (7.2). She leads the club in field goal percentage (.525) and minutes played (776). Collins paces the Lady Panthers in scoring with a 14.9 average. The two-time all-league pick also leads the squad in rebounding with a 7.6 mark.

Handling matters in the middle of the arena will be junior Sue Hynd (Ottawa). The 6-foot-2, 155-pounder averages 9.8 ppg and 4.9 rpg. She may be the key in the contest to see how she handles SIU center Mary Berghuis. Berghuis has 35 pounds over Hynd.

Juniors Melanie Hatfield (Lawrenceburg, Ind.) and Kim Maxey (Mattoon) should receive the starting nods at guard. Hatfield is the team's third-leading scorer with an 11.4 ppg average. She also is among the league leaders in steals (56) and assists (97). She scored a career-high 32 points against SIU a year ago. Maxey is the floor-general on the court. She is averaging 8.9 ppg while coming off a career-best performance of 22-points against Drake. Maxey leads the team in assists with (106).

The Salukis "top dog" is junior guard "Pistol" Petra Jackson. The pre-season all-league pick is averaging 18.2 ppg. Forward Ann Kattreh is averaging 11.6 while Berghuis is scoring at a 10.2 ppg clip.

1984-85 EASTERN ILLINOIS WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STATISTICS (13-10 overall, 5-8 Gateway) HOME: 8-3, AWAY: 4-7, NEUTRAL: 1-0

Name	ST-GM	MTS	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	PTS	AVG	REB	AVG	PF-D	AST	BS	ST	TO
Toni Collins, Sr., Forward	23-23	767	135-267	.507	72-112	.643	342	14.9	175	7.6	61-2	57	25	42	65
GCAC	13-13	432	70-135	.519	40-63	.635	180	13.8	87	6.7	42-2	33	14	25	44
Chris Aldridge, Jr., Forward	23-23	776	139-265	.525	53-83	.639	331	14.4	166	7.2	66-1	35	1	43	72
GCAC	13-13	444	85-157	.541	26-43	.605	196	15.1	103	7.9	40-0	24	1	27	44
Melanie Hatfield, Jr., Guard	21-23	733	111-233	.476	40-63	.635	262	11.4	96	4.2	77-7	97	2	56	108
GCAC	12-13	407	55-118	.466	19-33	.576	129	9.9	45	3.5	48-5	54	1	29	72
Sue Hynd, Jr., Center	13-23	513	99-179	.553	28-37	.757	206	9.8	113	4.9	42-1	13	6	11	30
GCAC	10-13	321	60-104	.577	13-15	.867	133	10.2	67	5.2	26-1	11	1	7	19
Lori Conine, Sr., Guard	13-22	653	97-218	.445	17-33	.575	208	9.5	41	1.9	47-1	54	5	37	68
GCAC	6-12	316	53-115	.461	6-13	.462	112	9.3	13	1.1	31-0	25	1	14	40
Kim Maxey, Jr., Guard	20-23	762	90-217	.415	25-39	.641	205	8.9	94	4.1	52-1	106	2	34	77
GCAC	12-13	454	53-134	.396	13-17	.768	119	9.2	40	3.1	33-1	67	1	21	35
Kerry Walsh, Fr., Center	0-15	120	13-30	.433	12-18	.667	38	2.5	18	1.2	20-0	1	0	6	5
GCAC	0-6	48	5-13	.385	5-9	.556	15	2.5	8	1.3	12-0	0	0	5	3
Michelle Newman, Fr., Forward	0-20	134	13-34	.380	15-17	.882	41	2.1	16	0.7	8-0	7	0	8	10
GCAC	0-11	67	7-22	.328	7-9	.778	21	1.9	5	0.4	7-0	3	0	4	4
Pat Hamilton, So., Guard	1-11	92	12-35	.343	1-2	.500	25	2.3	18	1.6	8-0	11	1	10	13
GCAC	0-10	67	10-25	.400	1-2	.500	21	2.1	11	1.1	6-0	4	1	6	10
Ann Brown, Fr., Forward	0-16	94	10-26	.385	5-10	.500	25	1.6	29	1.8	11-0	4	1	8	4
GCAC	0-7	39	3-8	.370	3-4	.750	9	1.3	10	1.4	6-0	2	0	4	2
EASTERN ILLINOIS	23-23	4700	719-1494	.484	265-408	.650	1703	74.0	802	34.9	387-13	380	46	250	446
GCAC	13-13	2600	404-829	.487	133-208	.639	941	72.4	417	32.1	248-10	222	20	140	262
OPPONENTS	23-23	4700	686-1492	.462	219-338	.648	1591	69.2	824	35.8	373-10	350	81	204	496
GCAC	13-13	2600	407-822	.495	147-222	.662	961	73.9	472	36.3	214-4	212	37	125	281

GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

Date	W-L	EIU	OPP	High Scorer	High Rebounder
Nov. 23	W	77	73 (OT)	at Florida International *	Aldridge 20 Hatfield 11
Nov. 24	L	49	75	at Central Florida *	Collins 13 Collins 16
Nov. 28	W	69	41	at Butler	Hynd 16 Maxey 13
Dec. 1	W	76	56	MIAMI (0)	Hatfield 21 Hatfield, Maxey 4 Collins, Hynd
Dec. 7	W	87	44	XAVIER (0) \$	Conine 18 Aldridge 13
Dec. 8	W	94	85 (30T)	EASTERN WASHINGTON \$	Hynd 21 Aldridge 13
Dec. 12	W	81	59	at Ball State	Collins 23 Collins 9
Dec. 14	L	76	83	at Wisconsin	Collins 20 Collins, Maxey 3 Aldridge, Hatfield
Dec. 21	W	80	58	EVANSVILLE	Hatfield 20 Collins 22
Jan. 3	L	65	80	ILLINOIS STATE	Aldridge 18 Aldridge 13
Jan. 5	L	69	74	INDIANA STATE	Collins 18 Collins 10
Jan. 10	W	76	53	at Western Illinois	Collins 19 Collins, Hynd 8
Jan. 12	L	73	85	at Bradley	Collins 22 Aldridge 10

* Sunroast Invitational (Orlando, Fla.)

\$ Heath Candy Classic

GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS CONTINUED

Date	W-L	EIU	OPP	High Scorer	High Rebounder
Jan. 17	L	60	69	DRAKE	Hatfield 7
Jan. 19	W	79	59	NORTHERN IOWA	Hynd 11
Jan. 22	W	73	56	ILLINOIS-CHICAGO	Hatfield 9 Collins
Jan. 26	L	46	78	at Southern Illinois	Aldridge 9
Jan. 31	L	65	72	at Wichita State	Collins 13
Feb. 2	L	72	76	at Southwest Missouri	Collins 8
Feb. 7	W	88	79	BRADLEY	Aldridge 8 Hynd
Feb. 9	W	97	70	Western Illinois	Hynd 9
Feb. 14	W	80	76	at Northern Iowa	Collins 9
Feb. 16	L	71	90	at Drake	Aldridge 8 Maxey