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INSIDE: FULL NIGHT OF GIRLS BASKETBALL

Five of Johnson County's six high school girls basketball teams were in action Tuesday. Only Center Grove, which moved up from No. 9 to No. 6 in this week's Class 4A state coaches' poll, was idle. Here's a quick look at how the county's teams fared Tuesday:



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Greenwood 62 Southport 50

Freshman Tessa Ratliff, with ball at left, scored a team-high 15 points and grabbed six rebounds as the host Woodmen improved to 10-6 overall with their fourth straight victory.



Whiteland 71 Washington 18

Host Whiteland didn't start its usual lineup and still cruised to its second straight win of 50 points or more. The Class 3A No. 9-ranked Warriors got 12 points from junior Brittney Wilson.



Columbus North 63 Franklin 35

Franklin fell behind 15-6 after the opening quarter on the way to a loss in Columbus. Junior Nancy Miller and sophomore Sarah Walden had eight points each for the Grizzly Cubs.



Triton Central 43 Indian Creek 33

Visiting Indian Creek jumped out to a 7-0 lead before falling behind and losing to Mid-Hoosier Conference foe Triton Central. Junior Olivia Wells led Indian Creek with 13 points.



South Decatur 66 Edinburgh 29

Visiting Edinburgh, coming off back-to-back wins, fell behind 21-4 in a loss to Mid-Hoosier Conference foe South Decatur. Junior Heather Dowell paced the Lancers with eight points.



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Huge win for IU

Hoosiers hang on to defeat Illinois

The Associated Press

BLOOMINGTON

Mike Davis wasn't even sure Marco Killingsworth could play Tuesday night.

Fortunately for the Hoosiers, Killingsworth's back proved to be strong enough to carry the Hoosiers.

Killingsworth overcame pregame back spasms to dominate the middle in the second half, and Roderick Wilmont added 17 points as the seventh-ranked Hoosiers upset No. 7 Illinois 62-60.

"I didn't even think he could go," Davis said. "But he fought through it and played a great second half."

The Fighting Illini (16-2, 2-2) had no answer for the Hoosiers' dangerous tandem.

Wilmont provided the spark in the first half after Indiana fell into an early 11-point hole. Killingsworth delivered the knockout punch by scoring 20 of his 23 points in the second half and adding 12 rebounds, one assist and four blocks.

But Wilmont was every bit as impressive. He tied a season high with 17 points, matched his career high with nine rebounds and sparked an 18-0 first-half run that gave Indiana the momentum it needed.

After the game, Hoosiers fans poured onto the court, setting off

OUT FRONT

The top teams in the Big Ten men's basketball standings:



Wisconsin 4-0



Indiana 3-1



Iowa 2-1

Four teams (Illinois, Michigan State, Ohio State and Northwestern) 2-2

Polian ponders changes

Running game Colts' first area of concern

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Colts president Bill Polian is getting right back to work.

After his team's latest playoff failure, Polian is spending this week evaluating what went wrong, what must be corrected and how to turn the Colts from Super Bowl contenders into Super Bowl champions.

"We are going to be resolved to get this worked out, we are going to be resolved to be better a football team next year, and we are going to be resolved to be a better playoff team next year," Polian said on his weekly radio show Monday night.

Despite coach Tony Dungy's plea to keep the Colts intact next year, it's clear Polian will be making some changes.

First, he must decide how to handle free agency. Four starters — running back Edgerrin James, receiver Reggie Wayne, defensive lineman Raheem Brock and linebacker David Thornton — will

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TRYING TO BE A GOOD TEAMMATE

Colts quarterback Peyton Manning called out the offensive line after he was sacked five times in Sunday's divisional playoffs loss to the Pittsburgh Steelers. Here's how many times Manning has been sacked in the regular season during his NFL career:



Season	Games	Sacks	Avg.
1998	16	22	1.38
1999	16	14	0.88
2000	16	20	1.25
2001	16	29	1.81
2002	16	23	1.44
2003	16	18	1.13
2004	16	13	0.81
2005	16	17	1.06
Totals	128	156	1.22

PREP SWIMMING

Wave of success



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Greenwood Community High School senior MaryAnn Wisner practices her stroke during swimming practice at the school Monday. Swimmers on the Greenwood boys and girls swim teams have combined to break seven school records this season.

Greenwood swimmers making big splash

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All Greenwood Community High School swimming coach Doug O'Neill wanted was for the boys and girls teams to swim faster.

Now the Woodmen are swimming so quick that school records are falling fast.

"I'm trying to get these guys to swim as fast as anybody has here before," O'Neill said. "So I want to get them to break all the records they can. I think they see to go the times they want to go, to be more competitive at the big meets, they need to work harder."

"I think it's kind of setting in, and I think we're getting more kids to work to do it."

O'Neill, in just his second year, has the boys and girls teams swimming faster than ever. Already, the Woodmen have broken a combined eight school records, including seven individual marks and one relay. By season's end, the tally could reach double figures.

And at this point, school records and faster

times are the true measure of Greenwood's progress, not team records.

Both teams have won back-to-back meets. But the girls record is 3-5. The boys are 4-2. Both marks are products of a lack of depth. Greenwood has only 15 members on the girls team and only 13 on the boys squad.

Until roster sizes increase, the Woodmen will continue measuring success by times, not by wins and losses.

"We're a small team in numbers," said senior Sam Mynsberge, who has already broken two school records on the boys team this season. "All the teams we swim against are twice our size. It's real tough for us to try to get depth and score in every event."

"It's hard for us to win a meet. We don't have enough people to fill events."

But what the Woodmen lack in numbers they compensate for in a collective desire to work hard and improve.

During Christmas break, Greenwood had two-a-day practices. O'Neill challenged swimmers

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FOR THE RECORD

Greenwood Community High School swimming records broken this season:

- Girls**
- 200 freestyle relay: 1:47.65, senior MaryAnn Wisner, sophomore Mackenzie Hassee, freshman Samantha Ashworth and sophomore Megan Webber
 - 200 freestyle: 1:58.08, Wisner
 - 100 backstroke: 1:03.44, Wisner
 - 100 butterfly: 1:02.90, Wisner
 - 200 individual medley: 2:17.03, Wisner

- Boys**
- 500 freestyle: 5:05.32, senior Sam Mynsberge
 - 100 breaststroke: 1:02.14, Mynsberge



AP PHOTO

Illinois' Dee Brown, right, drives to the basket against Indiana's Marco Killingsworth during the first half of Tuesday's Big Ten game in Bloomington. The Hoosiers won 62-60.

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