

Indiana needs two overtimes

Staff and wire reports

Top-ranked Indiana withstood a scare from Big Ten newcomer Penn State Tuesday night in State College, Pa., winning 88-84 in double overtime on a baseline jump shot by freshman Brian Evans with 6.5 seconds left.

College basketball

After Evans made the shot, Penn State's Greg Bartram threw a long inbound pass that was intercepted by Indiana's Damon Bailey. Bailey was fouled and made two free throws with 1.4 seconds remaining to clinch the victory for Indiana (21-2, 10-0 Big Ten). Penn State is 6-12, 1-8.

A controversial call against Penn State helped Indiana overcome a 68-64 deficit with 31 seconds left in regulation. Penn State got the last shot in the first overtime but it was an air ball.

Seton Hall 91, Pittsburgh 79: Arturas Karnishovas had a career-high 32 points as the No. 19 Pirates (17-6, 7-4 Big East) beat No. 17 Pittsburgh (14-5, 7-5) in East Rutherford, N.J. The Panthers are 14-5 and 7-5.

St. John's 73, Providence 64: In Providence, Shawnelle Scott scored 15 points to lead St. John's (13-6, 8-3 Big East). Providence (10-9, 3-8) shot only 22 percent in the first half as St. John's built a 33-19 lead.

North Carolina 77, Maryland 63: In College Park, Md., North Carolina coach Dean Smith moved into a tie for third place on the all-time winning list with victory No. 759 as the No. 6 Tar Heels won. North Carolina is 19-3, 8-2 ACC; Maryland is 10-10, 1-9.

Women

Georgetown 90, Miami 88 (3 OT): In Washington, Leni Wilson had 19 points to lead the Hoyas. The victory moved Georgetown (15-5, 9-3 Big East) into a first-place tie with Miami (14-5, 9-3) and UConn (14-5, 9-3), which plays at Boston College today at 7 p.m.

Kowolenko leads ECSU

Staff reports

Senior forward Missy Kowolenko scored a career-high 32 points and sophomore center Nicole Walker added 16 on 8-for-8 shooting from the field as the Eastern Connecticut women's basketball team beat Western New England College 68-56 Tuesday in Willimantic to end WNEC's 17-game winning streak.

State colleges

Eastern (10-9) used a 14-3 run midway through the second half to break open a two-point game. Kim Coia, the 15th-leading scorer in Division III, led WNEC with 28 points.

St. Thomas Aquinas (15-7) had four players in double figures in an 83-63 victory over Teikyo Post in Waterbury. Felicia Burke led Post (3-17) with 22 points. . . . Kathy Gauthier had 13 points and 13 rebounds to lead Albertus Magnus to a 63-51 victory over Coast Guard in New Haven. Denise Minakowski led Coast Guard with 25 points. . . . Esty Wood had 18 points and 15 rebounds as Conn College (14-1) defeated Wesleyan 67-58 in New London. Angie Palmer led Wesleyan (5-12) with 14 points. . . . Jennifer Hadfield scored 18 points to help rally Trinity (11-7) to a 68-64 victory over Williams in Hartford.

Men's basketball

Tom Kaminski and Steve Marston each had 11 points as Coast Guard (13-3) defeated Wesleyan 68-54. Jeff DeCicco led Wesleyan (6-10) with 24 points. . . . Western New England had four players in double figures in an 85-66 victory over Conn College in New London.

Men's hockey

Sophomore forward David Bliss and junior forward Brian Sutherland each had two goals to lead UConn to a 5-2 victory over Conn College in New London. The Huskies, 16-3-1, are 7-0-1 in their last eight games. . . . Ken Golden and Geoff Kelley each had two goals as Trinity rolled to a 9-2 victory over Wesleyan in West Hartford.

Auriemma to coach at Festival

UConn women's basketball coach Geno Auriemma has been selected to coach the West Team at the U.S. Olympic Festival this summer in San Antonio. The men's and women's basketball competition is July 21-27 at the HemisFair Arena. Women's basketball tryouts will be at four regional sites April 23-26. The West trials will be at the University of Arizona in Tucson. . . . Hartford senior center Vin Baker is No. 2 in scoring among Division I players with an average of 29.3. Greg Guy of Texas-Pan American in Edinburg, Texas, is No. 1 (29.5). Baker, 6 foot 11, is also 11th in rebounding (11.2) and 14th in blocked shots (2.9). . . . UConn softball assistant Bonnie Coutu was named coach at the University of Southern Colorado, which is starting a new program.



FLIP SIDE — Wethersfield's Marisa Goudreau heads for a landing at a tri-meet at Wethersfield. Southington (131.9 points) won. Farmington had 129.5, Wethersfield (124.8).

Local report

Windsor unfazed, wards off Weaver

Extends victory streak to 10 games

By KEVIN LYONS
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Windsor High, unfazed by the championship banners hanging overhead at Doc Hurley Field House that pointed to Weaver High School's glorious past, took a step toward a bright future Tuesday.

Windsor, ranked seventh in The Courant's coaches boys basketball poll, defeated Weaver 67-58 in a CCC West game for its 10th consecutive victory.

Windsor (14-1, 9-0 league) converted 6 of 8 free throws in the final minute, 8 seconds to secure the victory and solidify its hold on first place in the CCC West.

Weaver (7-7, 6-4) is close to finishing out of first in the CCC West for the first time in six seasons.

The achievement was not lost on Windsor coach Ken Smith.

"It feels good to beat anyone in any gym," Smith said. "But when you play Weaver, you play a tradition. This is one of the hardest places in the state to play and come away with a victory. I've seen teams beat Weaver on their home court and then come in here and get beat by 15. It's tough."

Forward Terrance Christie, whose third-period three-pointer gave Windsor a lead, 48-45, it would never relinquish, scored a team-high 16 points.

Windsor's Russell Scott added 11 points and a game-high 13 rebounds.

"It feels good to come into [Weaver's] gym and get a win," said Windsor forward Keith Armstrong,

who drew high praise from Smith for strong defensive play. "We played with intensity, and that was the key for us."

Weaver's Khari Lightner led all scorers with 17 points and had 11 rebounds. His two free throws with 2:38 left brought Weaver to within seven, 61-54.

But Windsor did not falter in the final minutes. In the final 1:08, Tylan Cobb and Rondell Richardson both went 3-for-4 from the free-throw line for Windsor.

"Everybody just put in an honest effort," said Smith of Windsor's second victory over Weaver this season. "In the second half, we started playing like I knew we could play."

Weaver went on a 5-0 run to start the second half and take a 32-26 lead.

After two Windsor baskets, Lightner made three consecutive lay-ups to give Weaver its biggest lead of the game, 38-30, with 4:56 left in the third quarter.

But the play of Christie (11 points in the third quarter) helped Windsor go on an 18-7 run and take the lead just before the quarter ended, 48-45.

Despite the loss, Weaver coach Dwight Tolliver was not upset.

"Compared to the first time we played [Windsor, a 68-53 loss], we did an excellent job," Tolliver said. "We hung in there, but we lost our composure."

"This team is so different from the past teams. We started 1-4, and now we are 7-7. I saw some good things tonight."

Camby, Dunstan lead HPHS, 80-51

No. 1 Owls (13-0) remain undefeated

Staff reports

Marcus Camby scored 21 points and Courtney Dunstan 19 to lead unbeaten Hartford Public to an 80-51 victory at East Hartford in CCC East boys basketball Tuesday night.

The Owls (13-0) are ranked No. 1 in The Courant's coaches poll.

Kevin Moore scored 18 points and Tylon Outlaw 10 to lead East Hartford (4-10).

In other CCC East games:

Windham 60, Rockville 37: Robert Marquez scored 18 points as Windham (8-6) won at Rockville (4-9). The Whippets broke it open with a 23-2 run in the second quarter.

Manchester 60, Enfield 37: Tahari Turner scored 13 points and Rafael Lopez 10 as Manchester (13-1) won at home over Enfield (4-9). Leading 39-33, Manchester finished with a 21-4 run.

South Windsor 81, Fermi-Enfield 41: Justin Adams scored 16 points as South Windsor (8-6) won at Fermi (1-12). The Bobcats, who got 12 points from each of Kevin Gozdeck and Matt Landry and 11 from Kevin Narcisse, opened the game with a 19-4 run.

CCC West

Wethersfield 59, Conard-West Hartford 58: Leroy Baylor made three free throws down the stretch as Wethersfield (7-7) defeated Conard (2-10) in West Hartford. Chet Kasper scored 14 points to lead Wethersfield, which outscored Conard 23-6 in the third quarter.

Conard, which trailed by 10 with 4 minutes left, got a basket by David Main (13 points) at the buzzer for the final margin. Wyatt Crosswhite scored 16 for Conard.

Glastonbury 76, Bloomfield 67: Keith Bergquist scored 24 points and had 19 rebounds as Glastonbury won at home. The victory qualifies Glastonbury (8-6) for the state tournament. Bloomfield is 6-8. Lucas Penney scored 16 points and was 7 for 9 from the free-throw line for Glastonbury.

Hall-West Hartford 49, Simsbury 44: Krill Misychenko had 14 points and nine rebounds as Hall (10-5) won at Simsbury (5-10). Joe Jacobson (six points) went 4 for 4 from the free-throw line in the final minute to seal the victory for Hall, which outscored Simsbury 17-11 in the fourth quarter.

Willie Gladden and Rick Diniz each scored 10 for Hall. Mark Darbyshire led Simsbury with 11 points.

CCC South

Bulkeley-Hartford 52, Newington 47: Marcos Rodriguez scored 17 to lead Bulkeley (5-9) at Newington (2-11).

Bulkeley outscored Newington 20-10 in the fourth quarter.

Bristol Eastern 64, Platt-Meriden 48: Todd Ziogas scored 22 points to lead Bristol Eastern (10-4) over Platt (10-5) in Meriden.

Mark Teller led Platt with 20 points.

Southington 43, Bristol Central 41: Mike Galati (14 points) hit a basket at the buzzer to lead Southington (9-5) past Central (8-7) in Bristol.

New Britain 73, Maloney-Meriden 65: Tebucky Jones scored 10 points,

Boys

Malcolm Yelling 15 and Chris Strickland 14 as New Britain (10-2) won at home. The Hurricanes trailed by eight after one quarter, but outscored Maloney 27-10 in the second.

Dave Bertuglia scored 23, Albert Walton 14 for Maloney (5-9).

NWC

East Catholic-Manchester 61, St. Paul-Bristol 49: Victor Maldonado scored 18 and Derek Henderson 17 as East Catholic (4-9) defeated St. Paul (1-14) in Bristol.

St. Paul's Sean O'Brien led all scorers with 24.

Berlin 46, Middletown 43: Dave Bosso scored 18 points as visiting Berlin (6-9) upset Middletown (10-5).

Jason Maule scored 10 for Berlin. Demont Highsmith led Middletown with 12.

Northwest Catholic 66, Farmington 50: Rodney Wizzard scored 15 and Luis Montalvo 12 as Northwest Catholic (11-4) defeated visiting Farmington (3-13). Brian Pollack led Farmington with 13.

CCC

Cromwell 50, Rocky Hill 44: Mike Kulpa scored 16 and Nick Carroll 13 as Cromwell (14-1) defeated Rocky Hill (5-10) in Rocky Hill.

Jon Marshall led Rocky Hill with 14.

RHAM-Hebron 68, Bolton 52: Jon Moynihan scored 15 and Dave Moore 11 as visiting RHAM defeated Bolton.

Bolton's Ron Morin led all scorers with 25.

Cheney Tech 67, Coventry 65 (OT): Brian Rouleau (16 points) scored on a lay-up from Todd Mercier as visiting Cheney Tech (10-5) edged Coventry (11-4).

Kala Williams had 18 points and eight rebounds and Mercier 15 points for Cheney Tech.

Ken Brigham scored 18 points and Josh Walters, who tied the game with two free throws with 1:13 remaining, 13 points for Coventry.

East Hampton 65, Portland 47: Kris King scored 17 and Brian Fleming 15 to lead East Hampton (11-4) past Portland (3-12) in Portland.

Bacon Academy-Colchester 61, Vinal Tech-Middletown 51: Erik Martin scored 13 of his 23 points in the fourth quarter and had 17 rebounds to lead Bacon Academy (9-6) past Vinal Tech (3-12) in Colchester.

Others

American School for the Deaf 56, Rhode Island School for the Deaf 53: Trailing by a point with 24 seconds left, Tony Berrigan (20 points) rebounded a missed shot by RISD (16-1) and passed to Alex DeJesus (18 points), who scored the winner for ASD (8-6) in West Hartford.

Emmanuel Christian Academy 62, Springfield Christian Academy 44: In Newington, Matt Frazee scored a game-high 23 points to lead Emmanuel (6-5) over Springfield (2-9). Emmanuel outscored Springfield 19-4 in the second quarter.

Today's schedule

7:30 p.m. unless noted

BOYS BASKETBALL

NCCC: Tolland at Somers; Avon at Granby; Canton at Windsor Locks; Ellington at E.O. Smith; East Windsor at Stafford; Suffield at East Granby. **CVTQ:** Goodwin Tech at Prince Tech, 7 p.m. **Preps:** Kingswood-Oxford at Loomis Chaffee, 4 p.m.; Guernsey at Salisbury, 4:30 p.m.; Oxford Academy at Mary Immaculate Academy, 4 p.m.; Deerfield at Taft, 4 p.m.; Northfield-Huron at Suffield Academy, 3:15 p.m.; Portsmouth Abbey at Williams, 3:30 p.m.; Berkshire at Trinity-Pawling, 4 p.m.; Avon Old Farms at Kent, 4:30 p.m.; Woodhall at Watkinson, 4 p.m.; ASD at Forman, 4:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

QVC: Plainfield at Putnam; Hale-Ray at Holy Family, 5:30 p.m. **Preps:** Worcester at Kingswood-Oxford, 4 p.m.; Forman at Hamden Hall; Williston at Loomis Chaffee, 2:30 p.m.; Williams at Lincoln, 4:15 p.m.; MA at Ethel Walker, 4 p.m.; Holykisses at Kent, 3 p.m.; Taft at Westminster, 2:30 p.m.; Miss Porter's at Watkinson, 2:30 p.m.; Suffield Academy at Deerfield, 3 p.m.

BOYS HOCKEY

CCC West: Conard vs. Windsor at Loomis Chaffee, 7:20 p.m. **CCC Inter:** Rockville vs. Glastonbury at South Windsor Arena, 3:30 p.m.; Wethersfield vs. Manchester at Bolton Ice Palace, 8:20 p.m. **Housatonic:** Shelton at Lyman Hall, 8:30 p.m. **Preps:** Watkinson at Suffield Academy, 1:30 p.m.; Salisbury at Yale JV, 2:30 p.m.; Providence Country Day at Pomfret, 4 p.m.; Kingswood-Oxford, 2:30 p.m.; Westminster at Holykisses, 2:30 p.m.; Trinity-Pawling at Canterbury, 2:30 p.m.; Deerfield at Loomis Chaffee, 3 p.m. **Others:** Suffield vs. South Windsor at South Windsor Arena, 8:30 p.m.; Farmington at Enfield, 8:10 p.m.; Branford vs. Cheshire at East Haven, 8:30 p.m.; Notre Dame-West Haven at Fairfield Prep, 8:30 p.m.

GIRLS HOCKEY

Preps: Taft at Kent, 2:30 p.m.; Loomis Chaffee at Holykisses, 4:30 p.m.; Kingswood at Northfield-Mount Hermon. **Others:** Simsbury at Berkshire, 4:30 p.m.

WRESTLING

Hartford Public at Windham, 6:30 p.m.; Simsbury at Windsor, 6 p.m.; Platt at Maloney, 6 p.m.; Rockville at Conard, 6 p.m.; Newington at Weaver, 5 p.m.; Wethersfield at East Hartford, 6 p.m.; Loomis Chaffee at Choate, 3 p.m.; Taft at Avon Old Farms, 3 p.m.; Salisbury at Trinity-Pawling, 2:30 p.m.; Griswold at Grassco Tech, 6 p.m.; Cheshire at Southington, 6 p.m.; Hand at Manchester, 6 p.m.; Berlin at East Lyme, 6 p.m.; Morgan, Gilbert at Rocky Hill, 5 p.m.; Cheshire Academy at ASD, 3:30 p.m.; Terryville, Wolcott Tech at Portland, 8 p.m.; Farm at Somers, 6:30 p.m.; Guilford at St. Bernard, 6 p.m.

BOYS SWIMMING

Naugatuck at Cheshire, 7 p.m.; Northwestern Regional at Lewis Mills, 7 p.m.; Kent at Scotch-Kiss, 2:30 p.m.; Suffield Academy at Loomis Chaffee, 2:30 p.m.; Bristol Eastern at Southington, 3:30 p.m.; Canterbury at Avon Old Farms, 3 p.m.

GIRLS SWIMMING

Suffield Academy at Loomis Chaffee, 2:30 p.m.

GIRLS GYMNASIICS

Berlin at Haddam-Killingworth, 6:30 p.m.; Hand at Holy Cross, 6 p.m.

BOYS SQUASH

Salisbury at Millbrook, 2:30 p.m.; Brunswick at Kent, 4 p.m.; Taft at Choate, 3 p.m.; Deerfield at Avon Old Farms, 3 p.m.

GIRLS SQUASH

Kent at Holykisses, 2 p.m.; Choate at Taft, 3 p.m.; Kingswood-Oxford at Choate JV, 4 p.m.

FENCING

St. Lukes at Old Lyme, 3:30 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Loomis Chaffee at Stonleigh-Burnham, 2:30 p.m.

No. 1 Newington defeats Bulkeley

Berk leads Glastonbury past Bloomfield

Staff reports

Jen Kelly scored 16 of her game-high 20 points in the first half to lead top-ranked and undefeated Newington over Bulkeley-Hartford 52-27 in a CCC South girls basketball game Tuesday in Hartford.

Girls

Beth Kelly had 11 points, including three three-point field goals for Newington (15-0). Campbell scored eight points for Bulkeley (7-8).

In other CCC South games:

Maloney-Meriden 51, New Britain 37: Kathy Jachym scored 18 points to lead Maloney (6-9) past New Britain (7-9) in Meriden.

Jen DiMella added 11 points for Maloney.

Jamie Blass scored 17 points for New Britain.

CCC West

Glastonbury 60, Bloomfield 54: In Bloomfield, Carla Berk scored 16 points and Nicole Posillico made four free throws in the final minute to lead Glastonbury (12-2) past Bloomfield (10-5).

Sara Shellington and Karen Hefernan each scored 12 points for Glastonbury.

Nykesha Sales scored 22 points, 18 in the second half for Bloomfield, which trailed 33-13 at halftime. Tami Wilson had 11 points for Bloomfield.

Simsbury 35, Hall-West Hartford 29: Lauren Kaplan scored 10 points, Heather Handler and Melissa Mercury each added eight as Simsbury (9-6) won at Hall (3-11).

Simsbury trailed by one after three quarters, but outscored Hall 9-2 in the fourth.

Kristen Hunter and Megan Schuck each scored eight for Hall.

Windsor 51, Weaver-Hartford 32: Cynthia Young scored 22 points and had eight steals to lead Windsor (7-7) past Weaver (2-17) in Windsor. Keisha Boyd led Weaver with 10 points.

Wethersfield 49, Conard-West Hartford 21: Erin Murphy had 15 points and Crystal Hall had 11 points and 10 rebounds to lead Wethersfield (7-8) over Conard (1-14) in Wethersfield.

The Wethersfield defense held Conard to four-first half points on the way to the win. Denine Keaton had six points for Conard.

CCC East

East Hartford 49, Hartford Public 40: Lynn Gaglioti scored 24 points to lead East Hartford (7-8) past Hartford Public (0-18) in East Hartford.

Yazmin Mulero scored 22 points to lead Hartford Public.

Manchester 45, Enfield 29: In Enfield, Sara Sutor and Beth Gerhard each scored 10 points to lead Manchester (14-3) past Enfield (8-5).

Karen Hebert scored nine points for Enfield.

South Windsor 39, Fermi-Enfield 23: J.B. Billie scored 11 points and pulled down 12 rebounds as South Windsor (8-7) rallied in the second half to win at home over Fermi (6-7).

AnnKera Jones scored 11 points

Despite injury, Nadeau gets 1,000

Staff report

Terryville senior guard Jill Nadeau, playing with a torn anterior cruciate ligament in her left knee, scored her 1,000th career point Tuesday with 1 minute, 8 seconds remaining in a 67-40 loss to Northwestern Regional-Winsted in Terryville.

Unable to run the floor, Nadeau, who is awaiting reconstructive knee surgery and was likely playing her final high school game, came in with 3:23 left and scored all 10 of her points on layups to finish with 1,003 for her career.

Nadeau, who had been averaging 23.8 points a game, was injured Jan. 29 in a loss to Housatonic-Falls Village. Terryville is 7-9; Northwestern 16-0.

for Fermi. The game was tied 14-14 at halftime.

Windham 44, Rockville 33: Angie Mitchell scored 15 points to lead Windham (11-4) past Rockville (6-9) in Windham.

Karen Marshall led Windham with nine points.

Elin Lewis scored 11 for Windham.

Berkshire

Housatonic Reg.-Falls Village 47, Shepaug Valley-Washington 32: Jamie Baker scored 16 points and Angel Martin had 14 points and 13 rebounds as Housatonic (11-6) beat Shepaug (5-13) in Falls Village.

Lori Williams led Shepaug with 10 points.

Thomaston 51, Lewis Mills-Burlington 29: Amy Mathews scored 19 points as Thomaston (13-5) defeated Lewis Mills (7-10) in Burlington.

Thomaston took a 24-7 lead at halftime.

Erin Binney led Lewis Mills with eight points.

NCCC

Windsor Locks 43, Avon 33: Tara Malcolm led all scorers with 16 points as Windsor Locks (12-5) beat Avon (6-10) in Windsor Locks.

Stafford 39, Tolland 31: Rose Aspelin scored 15 points to lead Stafford past Tolland in Stafford.

Granby 44, Suffield 29: In Suffield, Carolyn Demyon scored 14 points to lead Granby (11-4) past Suffield (3-13).

E.O. Smith-Storrs 43, East Windsor 26: Shari Bullard and Kathleen Csiki each had eight points to lead E.O. Smith (3-14) past East Windsor (1-15) in Storrs.

Somers 54, Ellington 49 (OT): Somers (14-2) scored all their overtime points on 10-of-12 shooting from the free-throw line and defeated Ellington (14-3) in Somers.

Erin Beck led Somers with 20 points and nine rebounds. Randi Jones scored 10 for Ellington.

Canton 55, East Granby 34: Sharon Eifes scored 18 and Cheyenne Pronga 14 as Canton (14-3) defeated East Granby (8-9) in East Granby.

Darlene Berrios led East Granby with 10.

Notebook