

# Sports

Covering Kickoff to the Final Out in Clinch County Athletics

## Panthers pour on points in three wins

By Len Robbins  
Publisher

The Clinch County Panthers put up some big numbers in defeating three opponents last week.

Monday, Terrence George's Panthers ripped Scintilla Charter 95-58. Tuesday, they drilled Pierce County, 82-51. And Friday, they won by 70 on the road at Echols County, 88-18.

The Panthers are now 20-3 going into the last week of the regular season, with two more games remaining. The Panthers will be the second seed going into the Region 2-A (D2) tournament, meaning they have an automatic berth in the state hoops tournament.

Monday against Scintilla, Clinch came out hot, up 34-12 after one quarter, then 54-24 at intermission. They led 76-31 going into the fourth.

Jakyri Posley and Traavian Miller led Clinch scorers with 18 apiece. Other Panther scorers Monday were: Shane Burns-14, Tykeem Carter-10, Jeremiah White-9, DeMarco Simon-8, A.J. Barr-6, Fred Causey-6, Thomas Johnson-6.

Tuesday against Pierce, the Bears hung around early, trailing 15-10 after one quarter. Clinch then built a 20-point halftime lead, 37-17, going on to win by 31.

Kamarion Johnson led CCHS scorers with 25, while Miller had 17. Other Panther scorers were: Posley-10, Simon-9, Causey-8, Barr-4, Kyiis Mingo-6, Carter-2, and John-



Clinch's Demarco Simon goes up for two against Echols County Friday – Photo by Joy Sumner Photography.

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At Echols Friday, Clinch was up 17-7 after one quarter, then 40-13 at halftime. The score was 68-18 going into the final quarter, as the Wildcats didn't score in the fourth quarter.

Posley had 15, and Burns 12 to lead the

Panthers. Other CCHS scorers were: Kamarion Johnson-10, Mingo-9, Carter-9, Simon-8, White-7, Barr-6, Causey-5, Miller-5, Jarvis Henderson-2.

This week, the Clinch cagers will close out the season with two home games – Tuesday against

Appling County, and Friday against Lanier County. Girls varsity will start at 6 p.m. each night, with boys following at 7:30 p.m. The region tournament will be held the following week, with the finals being played at Charlton County.

## Clinch split with Pierce, Echols

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The Clinch County Pantherettes split their slate last week, falling at Pierce County and throttling Echols County on the road.

Casey Daniel's girls are now 8-13 going on the season going into the regular season's final week.

At Pierce County Tuesday, the Pantherettes lost 68-38 to the Class AA hosts. D'marreya Magby led the Clinch girls with 10 points. Other scorers were: Journee Johnson-5, Tara Stevens-5, Jhinerial Mingo-4, Takyra Causey-3, and Arielle Dewitt-1.

Clinch dominated from the tipoff Friday in Statenville, winning 66-24.

Journee Johnson led the Clinch scorers with 16 points, while Mingo had 13 and Magby had 11 points. Other CCHS scorers Friday were: KaMya Jones-6, Aleece Pearson-4, Stevens-4, Leaja Oliver-3, Dewitt-3, and Brekhia Gainey-2.

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Clinch County's Aleece Pearson takes a shot against Echols County Friday – Photo by Joy Sumner Photography.

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