

Lady Dragons win four in a row

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After a disappointing loss to Bishop Brossart in the All A State Tournament in Owensboro, the Lady Dragons rebounded to win four games in a row. Only one of the wins, against North Bullitt, was close. District wins over LaRue County and Hart County were blowouts and Saturday's win against LKY was close in the first half before the Lady Dragons opened up a sizable lead in the second half to secure the win. The four wins give Green County a 17-7 record heading into the last two weeks of the regular season before the 18th District Tournament at Caverna.

Green County 64 North Bullitt 58

This game was part of the Trojan Classic at North Hardin High School as the Lady Dragons took on the Lady Eagles of North Bullitt, out of the powerful 6th Region.

Green County opened up a nice lead in the first quarter, taking a 12-9 lead midway through the quarter. A last second three point shot by North Bullitt cut the lead to six as the quarter ended.

The two teams played pretty evenly during the second and third quarters as the Lady Dragons maintained a 7-10 point lead much of the time.

North Bullitt wouldn't go away, however, and by using four three-point shots in the last quarter, continued to cut into the Lady Dragon lead. With just under a minute to go, the Lady Eagles took a one-point lead at 58-57.

That one-point lead didn't last long and the Lady Dragons scored the last seven points of the game, hitting seven of eight free throws.

Scout Brockman, who is closing in on averaging a double-double with points and rebounds, pulled down an incredible 19 rebounds for the Lady Dragons.

Scoring by quarters:

GC 21 12 13 18 64
NB 15 10 12 21 58

Individual scoring: Brockman 24, Isabella Clopton 12, Molly Dixon 12, Chloe Fortner 8, Brooklyn Jewell 4, Kylee Hargan 2, Bailee Willis 2.

Rebounds: Brockman 19, Dixon 6, Fortner 5, Jewell 3.

Green County 71 LaRue County 47

The Lady Dragons extended their winning streak over LaRue County to 10 games. The last time they lost to the Lady Hawks was February 22, 2022 in the first round of the 18th District Tournament in an overtime game.

After taking an early 5-4 lead over the Lady Hawks, Green County did not trail in the game. A 14-0 run late in the first quarter gave the Lady Dragons the edge they needed to take LaRue out of their rhythm.

The two teams shot a total of 53 free throws as lots of fouls

were called. Green County was 18 of 33 while LaRue made 12 of 20 foul shots.

The large lead allowed Head Coach Chris Blaydes to substitute freely. Nine players scored against the Lady Hawks.

Scores by quarters: GC 21 19 19 12 71
LC 10 15 15 7 47

Individual scoring: Jewell 16, Fortner 14, Clopton 12, Dixon 12, Brockman 11, Hargan 2, Willis 2, Baylee Bishop 1, Parker Hodges 1.

Rebounds: Brockman 11, Fortner 7, Jewell 4, Hargan 3, Dixon 2, Willis 2, Clopton 1.

Green County 50 Hart County 19

Green County's suffocating defense took the Lady Raiders out of their game late in the first quarter and after taking a 7-6 lead on a shot by Willis with 1:35 to go in the first period, the Lady Dragons never trailed.

Green County allowed the Lady Raiders to hit just one field goal in each of the second, third and fourth quarters. Hart County added one free throw in each of the second and third quarters and three free throws in the last period as their offense stalled.

With about seven minutes left in the game, Green County extended their lead to 35 which allowed the clock to run most of the last quarter.

The only bad part of the game was that the Lady Dragons lost Molly Dixon for the remainder of the season as she broke a bone in her foot during the third quarter.

Scoring by quarters:

GC 12 13 19 6 50
HC 6 3 3 5 17

Scoring: Fortner 19, Brockman 8, Jewell 8, Hargan 7, Dixon 4, Clopton 2, Willis 2.

Rebounds: Brockman 9, Dixon 7, Fortner 6, Jewell 3, Rebekaha Pruitt 3, Willis 2, Baylee Bishop 1, Hargan 1.

Green County 76 LKY 58

The Lady Dragons finished out last week with a win over LKY, a co-op of home school students based out of Louisville, Kentucky. The Lady Saints entered the game with a 17-5 record and Green County had their hands full during the first half.

After several lead changes in the first half, the Lady Saints held on to a narrow one-point halftime lead.

The Lady Dragons, who had hit just one three-point shot in the first half, erupted for eight three-pointers in the second half. Clopton hit five three-point shots, with Fortner hitting one. Jewell hit one three-point shot and Hargan hit two, one in each half.

After trailing 49-40, early in the fourth quarter, LKY scored nine points in a row to tie the game but three of Clopton's three-point goals gave Green County a lead they would not relinquish.

Scoring by quarters:

GC 12 16 19 29 76
LKY 13 16 11 18 58

Individual scoring: Clopton 26, Fortner 20, Hargan 8, Willis 8, Brockman 7, Jewell 5, Pruitt 2.

Rebound stats not available at press time.

The Lady Dragons

finish the regular season with three more home games. Friday night they play Nelson County and then next week, they conclude the regular season with a game on Monday night against Central Hardin and Cumberland County on Thursday night.



Scout Brockman fights through a LaRue County double team to score for the Lady Dragons. Brockman scored 11 points in the 71-47 blowout win.



Brooklyn Jewell drives to the basket and avoids the Hart County defense. She scored eight points against the Lady Raiders. Earlier in the week she scored a team high 16 points against LaRue County.



Chloe Fortner makes a move to the basket against LaRue County. Fortner scored 14 points to sew up the number one seed in the upcoming district tournament.



Molly Dixon one-hands the shot near the goal against LaRue County. Dixon scored 12 points in the win to help the Lady Dragons improve to 15-7.



Rebekaha Pruitt came off the bench to score two points for the Lady Dragons in their 50-19 romp over Hart County Friday night.



Bailee Willis, the only senior on the girls' basketball team, pushes her way to the basket against LaRue County for two points in last week's game.



Isabella Clopton is closely guarded as she nears the bucket on a fast break. Clopton scored 12 points as the Lady Dragons won their eighth game out of the last nine.