

USJN Midwest Summer Showcase

July 23-24 Indianapolis, IN



Thirty nine Indiana teams opened up the second half of the July exposure period in their backyard at the USJN Midwest Showcase in Indianapolis in the three day event. At the conclusion of the event Indiana had two bracket runner ups in BCG Fire, out of Ft Wayne, and Sky Diggs Elite Parrish, while Gym Rats- Duncan, also out of Ft Wayne area, won their respective bracket championship. Following are just a few of several Indiana players who had a strong showing, in games we were able to attend, to kick off the viewing period..



- IN-Always 100 - Buck (U17) – Pool winners. 2016 G **K.Strunk, Norwell**, tiny guard but plays stronger and bigger than size. Athletic, quick, and high motor with solid game.
- IN-Always 100 - Davis 2016 (U17) 2016 6'1 C **D.Green, Leo**, big body post that post-up strong and works for position on both ends. Rebounds well, while displaying agility along with good hands and feet. 2016 CG **T.Sutorius, FW Wayne**, smooth scoring athletic combo that handles well, good instincts for the game.
- IN-Indy Magic – Blanding (U17) – Pool winners. 2017 6'0 W **M.Wise, Greenfield Central**, really showed her versatility throughout the event, with her play around the basket, from the wing, and especially in the transition game. Had one the most dominate halves we've seen in July. She has 10+ D1 offers, high D1s take note her game is still growing.
- IN-Gym Rats IN - Lahr (U17) - 2016 F 5'9 **S.Conrad, Norwell**, was active on both ends and played aggressive with and without the ball. Was efficient with her chances in the lane.

- IN-Flight - Strike (U17) 2017 CG **M.Willoughby, Carroll-Flora**, continued her impressive play in July. Shooting the ball really well, handling point duties when needed, and making good decisions with ball. Playing with confidence.
- IN-Bluechips Elite (U17) 2016 F **K.Nash, South Knox**, long athletic and played well around the basket, strong on the boards. Created matchup issues with her combination of length, athleticism and skill.
- IN-Elite - Team Indiana (U17) 2018 6'1 C **M.Blazek, Whiteland**, combination of length, big frame and wingspan. Contends for post position on both ends with good touch and footwork around the hoop. One of the top "biggs" in 2018 class.



- IN-Elite - Bailey (U17) 2016 SG **T.Robinson, Pike**, lethal shooter from downtown with good length and athleticism, able to put it on the floor and attack when needed.
- IN-Flight - Silver (U17) 2017 5'10 **D.Courtney, Brownsburg**, nice combination of size and skill set. Wing skills with plus jumper but has frame and strength to go to work in lane against smaller matchups. 2019 6'0 **M.Fee, Seymour**, a young forward / wing prospect to keep an eye on as she develops, long with wing skill set.
- IN-Faith (U17) 2016 G **C.Danz, Indian Creek**, nice versatility can play and defend several spots. Makes good decisions with the ball and solid overall skill set. 2016 5'9 W **E.Young, Ben Davis**, great athlete with long frame that gets her hands on a lot of balls on the defensive end. Good going to the rim and rebounds well from the wing/guard spot.
- IN-Flight - Duke (U17) Pool winners. 2016 PG **B.Goodman, Benton Central**, high motor point that's quick with the ball, ability to create for teammates and herself. Small but plays physical with and without ball. 2016 W **C.Hackler, New Palestine**, showed ability to knock down open jumpers, physical getting to the rim with the ball and on the boards. Played aggressive on both ends



- IN-Galaxy (U17) – 2017 5'3 PG **K.Hines, Franklin Central**, high motor guard that plays physical for size. Good creating going to basket and in the transition game. Has improved with decision making with ball. Plays tough hard nose on ball D.

IN-Hoosier Premier – White 2017 6'0 F **A.Mulligan, LaPorte**, big post frame, runs the floor fairly well. Showing improved skill on the offensive end. Attacked ball off the rim and works for position in post on both ends.

- IN-BGC Fire (U15)- Pool winners, bracket runner-ups. 2018 PG **S.Tyson , FW Wayne**, quick smooth guard that slashes to basket but has capable jumper. Quick hands and feet on D, creates deflections and steals.
- IN-Flight - Xtreme (U17) – 2016 5'8 W **M.Fulton, Union County**, good fluid athlete that has skill, size and strength to play or defend several spots. Active, plays to contact going to the rim and gets herself to the line.
- IN-Heat (U14) 2018 PG **K.Whitaker, Greensburg**, exceptional handles with high bball IQ. Small frame but with athleticism plays both bigger and stronger than size. Very skilled and smooth on both ends of floor. 2018 F **T.Tuker, South Ripley**, hard working interior presence, showed some nice athleticism and hops around the basket with solid skill set at the forward position.



- IN-Gym Rats IN - Duncan (U14) – Pool winners, Bracket Champions. 2018 6'0 F **E.Ross, FW Bishop Luers**, big strong frame that creates matchup problems with her skills to play from the wing with solid jump shot and ability to go off the bounce. Along with skills and footwork in the paint.
- IN-Southern Indiana Flight (U14) 2018 5'8 CG **A.Davis, South Central**, smooth with good feel for the game on both ends. Scored in multiple ways, demonstrated good body control and ability to play through contact going to the rim.



- IN-Hoosier Premier - Green (U14) 2018 PG **S.Doï, Penn**, fundamental point that does a good job of valuing the ball by making solid decisions and sets up teammates both in half court and transition. Good handles, bball IQ, can score when needed.
- IN-Northwestern Tigers – good things to come for Northwestern basketball. Four future standouts on this squad with the guard play of **2019 T.Boruff** and **2020 M.Layden** along with the interior play of forwards **2019 S.Burns** and **2020 K.Bostic**. Keep an eye on this IHSAA squad in the years to come.
- N-Indy Lady Gym Rats - White (U13) – 2019 6’0 C **D.Richason, Zionsville**, one of the premier 2019 post players. Strong around the basket with good feet and hands but sets herself apart with the ability to handle the ball some and pass well out of the post.
- IN-Indy Lady Gym Rats - Yellow (U13) – 2019 SG **A.Fugates, BNL**, had another nice showing. Shoots the ball extremely well and just has a smooth, easy flowing game.
- IN-Sky Digg Elite - Parrish (U13) Pool winners, bracket runner-up. 2020 6’0 **S.Parrish, Fishers**, one of the premier youngsters in the 2020 class. Length to go with guard skill set is what sets her apart. Can shoot the 3, handle from the point, and slash to basket using length with handles.
- IN-Sky Diggs Elite - McIntire (U13) 2019 PG **K.Real, Greenfield Central**, fundamental point with good handles. Able to get to the basket, shoots the 3 and does good job of valuing ball.
- IN-Flight - Phillips (U12) 2020 6’0 W **L.Styrek, University**, long athletic wing that has lots of upside. Nice smooth stroke on jumper, handles ball well for size, and displayed ability to post or play face up game from wing.



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