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Indians face rough start to region play at Greene County

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Greensboro - The Towns County Indians Football Team traveled nearly 3 hours last Friday Sept. 29 to Greene County, where they suffered a 47-0 loss in their first region game of the season.

"We were overmatched from the start," commented head coach Jason Roquemore. "Greene is a very good football team. They're ranked No. 2 in the state [in Class A] for a reason."

Throughout the entirety of the game, Greene gained 244 total yards while Towns gained 83. In passing, the Greene County Tigers finished 3-4 for 60 yards, scoring a touchdown, with the Indians going 0 for 4 with 2 interceptions.

In rushing, Greene had 21 carries for 184 yards with five touchdowns. Towns had 35 carries for 83 yards.

The Tigers also ended with eight first downs compared to the Indians' three. Greene County faced two penalties totaling 10 yards, while Towns faced four flags for 22 yards.



Dustin Barrett looks for room on the edge. Photo/Lowell Nicholson



The Towns County defense drops a Tigers' ball carrier. Photo/Lowell Nicholson

Defensively, the Tigers pulled off the two interceptions and one fumble recovery, adding a punt return touchdown on special teams.

Despite the loss, Roquemore was proud of several players who made excellent

contributions to the game, such as Morgan Walker, who had 21 carries for 86 yards and executed seven tackles. Julian Mosley contributed six tackles, and Ian Arrowood added five more.

Looking forward,

Roquemore expects the upcoming game vs. Aquinas to be another challenge for the team.

"It's gonna be another difficult test this week. Aquinas is a very good football team with a great tradition;

they're coming off a big win vs. Lincoln County, and everybody knows how good Lincoln County is," said Roquemore.

The Indians will continue to prepare for the rest of the season with most of their

focus on getting key players back on the field.

"[Getting kids healthy] is the biggest thing," shared Roquemore. "We're still battling some injuries and we lost two more on Friday."

Softball: Lincoln takes two from Towns

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The Lady Indians opened this week with an unfortunate 16-1 loss to the Lincoln County Red Devils on Tues. Sept. 26, who they played again for another loss of 6-1 the following Thursday.

Tuesday evening facilitated a brief home match wrapping up heavily in Lincoln County's favor after a mere four innings.

"It's embarrassing. I

have no explanation for it," shared an exasperated Coach Clay Livingston. "Everything that could go wrong went wrong."

By the end of the first inning the Red Devils had already racked up 4 runs, which they added an additional six to during the second. A small dispute broke out on the field during the Lady Indians' offensive play, but was resolved quickly.

The Towns County girls made minute progress during the third inning, crossing the

plate once, in comparison to the three runs Lincoln executed, extending the score at 13-1. The fourth inning was no better for Towns, gaining Lincoln three more runs as the game concluded with a final score of 16-1.

Although the scoring outcome was rather grim, pitcher Scotlyn Fain was able to showcase her dedication to the game after a ball drilled her directly in the stomach early in the final inning. Despite the incident, Fain was persistent in finishing the

game in the circle.

Thursday was not much better, with the Lady Indians losing another region game 6-1.

With only two more region games this season, Livingston is set on turning things around in favor of his team.

"A lot of goals are still right there in front of us," he commented, "but I don't want to make the playoffs just to make the playoffs. I want to get in there and [play] well and be competitive, not just say we made it."

Local Racing: Tri-County race season winding down

By Blake Lynch
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The next-to-last race of the season took place at Tri-County Racetrack Friday night. The last scheduled race of the season will be Oct. 12 for the Tarheel 50.

Jason Deal made his first appearance at the track since his work accident. Deal's No. 7 has been driven by David Payne.

FWD: No. 5 Shawna Harkins took home her first win, followed by No. J32 Shannon Jones in second place. No. X Tank Ingram was third. No.05 Glenn Coker was fourth. No. 28 Jason Coats rounded out the top five.

602 Crate: No. 44 Bobby Elkins took home the win. No.56 Colton Berrong placed

second. No. 116 Jonathan Cope was third. No. 117 Dylan Beavers was fourth. No. 37 Michael Barnett was fifth.

Street Stock: No. 4 Roger Beavers took home another win. No. 95 Alex Vance was second. No. 192r Robby Lynch was third. No.01 Jacob Lynch was fourth.

Open Wheel: No. 77 Brawley Stillwell took home the win. No. 22 Matt Sandefur was second. No. 95c Stevie Clark came in third.

Crown Vic: No. 99 Josh Miller picked up the win. No. 1 Anderson Heisler came in second. No. 11 Ricky Dyer was third, followed by No. 9mm Mary Phillips.

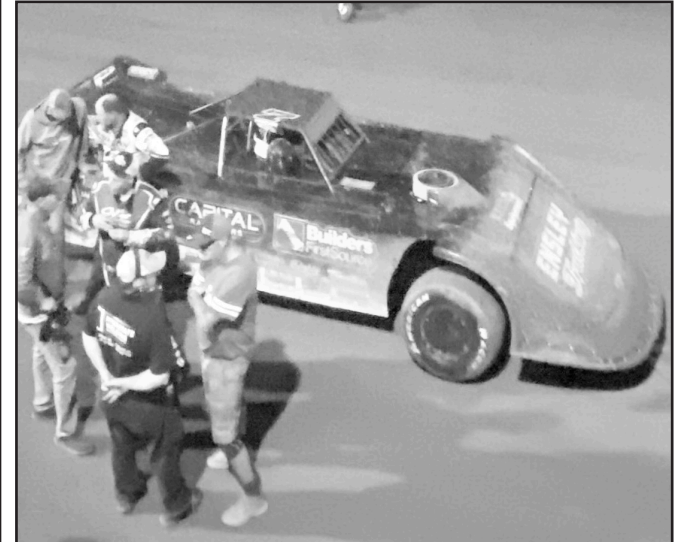
Come out to the last scheduled race of the season on Thursday Oct. 12 which is the Tarheel 50.



The Towns County Lady Indians are coming down the home stretch of the 2023 season. Photo/Lowell Nicholson



Tucker Anderson



Jason Deal visits the track