



## **NORTHERN INDIANA CONFERENCE**

### **Girls' Basketball All-Conference Team**

**2016-2017**

#### **FIRST TEAM**

##### **DIAMOND ADAMS, Washington, 5-1 junior guard**

Adams averaged 17.7 points a game for Washington. She led the Panthers' offense with 5.6 assists and 3.8 steals.

"Diamond Adams is only 5-foot-1, but has been strong enough to carry the load to make us competitive, on most nights, despite a slew of injuries for the Lady Panthers," said Washington coach Steve Reynolds. "I'm looking forward to a run at the NIC MVP next year!"

##### **SARA DOI, Penn, 5-6 junior point guard**

Doi averaged 12.4 points per game this season. She tallied 5.4 rebounds, 3.8 assists, and 2.2 steals per game. Doi is a three-year varsity letterwinner. She was a captain of the team this season. Penn was 20-5 overall and 11-1 in the NIC.

"Sara is a tough, hard-nosed point guard," Penn coach Kristi Kaniewski Ulrich said. "She can come at you offensively, but also lock you up defensively. Nobody plays harder than Sara or outworks her. She is by far our most improved player this season, as she has really emerged after graduating eight seniors last year."

##### **TRINETEE HARRIS, Elkhart Central, sophomore guard**

Harris averaged 12.8 points in leading Elkhart Central to its first winning season in the 2000's. The Blue Blazers were 12-11 overall and 9-3 in the NIC. She also had 46 assists.

"Trinitee Harris is a special basketball player who hasn't reached her full potential yet," Elkhart Central head coach Will Coatie said. "She is an athletic basketball player with lots of talent. She loves the game of basketball and she plays with great passion

and pride. We are so blessed to have Trinitee here at Elkhart Central. The great thing about Trinitee is she takes pride in her school and in her community.”

### **LINDSY KLINE, Penn, 5-6 senior guard**

Kline, who helped lead Penn to the Class 4-A state championship as a junior, averaged 12.8 points per game this season. She also filled the stat sheet with 5.8 rebounds, 2.9 assists, and 1.8 steals. Kline has won multiple awards including Most Improved Player for 2015-2016, MVP of the North vs. South All Star Game, and First-Team All-NIC this season. Kline has been on Penn’s varsity all 4 years. The Kingsmen posted a 90-12 record in that span. Penn was 20-5 this season.

“Lindsay has been the glue that has held this team together this season,” Penn head coach Kristi Kaniewski Ulrich said. “She is one of the toughest kids I have ever coached. She sets the tone for everything that we do. Lindsay is such a solid player because of her competitive edge and willingness to fight. She has grown so much these past four years in our program. We have always pushed her, but she has always responded.”

### **NICOLE KONIECZNY, St. Joseph, 5-8 senior guard**

Konieczny hit 51 percent of her two-point field goal attempts, and hit 35 percent of her 3-pointers. She connected on 35 three-pointers. She is Saint Joe’s second leading scorer at 14.0 PPG, along with a stat line of 65 assists and 50 steals on the season entering the sectional. She was also an Indiana Junior All-Star last season. Konieczny helped lead St. Joseph to the Northern Indiana Conference championship and the sectional championship this season. St. Joe is 22-2 heading into the regional. The Indians were a perfect 12-0 in the NIC.

“Nicole is one of the toughest kids in our conference and in the state,” St. Joseph coach Sydney Smallbone said. “She is quick and uses that to her advantage while running the point. She is a great defender and has done a great job on both ends of the floor for us. Nicole is a good perpetrator, a good shooter and has a solid mid-range game making her one of the toughest players to guard in the state. She has done a great job in helping lead the Lady Indians so far this season. The sky is the limit for her as she continues her basketball career at Valpo next season.”

### **KYANNAH STULL, Glenn, 5-4 senior point guard**

Kyannah Stull is Glenn’s record holder (entering sectional play) for career assists (316) and career points (1,296). She also holds the record for most points game scored in a game with 46. Her freshman year she was voted First-Team All-Northern State Conference. In her sophomore season, she was the Bi-County MVP and voted First-Team NSC once again. She earned even more honors junior year, when she was voted

First-Team All-NIC. Her senior year she was yet again the Bi-County MVP, and also voted First-Team All-NIC. She will be an Academic All-State candidate with an impressive 4.09 GPA. She has been a captain for two years, and a starting guard for four seasons. Glenn was 21-5, with a 9-3 record in the NIC.

“Kyannah Stull is an outstanding student-athlete.” Glenn head coach Kyle Amor said. “She has been the cornerstone of our girls basketball program for years. On top of being the most decorated athlete to play basketball for John Glenn, Kyannah is an even better leader and person. What she does on and off the floor goes far beyond what is recorded in the record books. Kyannah is the definition of a true team player. Her teammates are the most important thing to her. She would give up all of her records if it meant her team could end the season with a win and a net cutting down ceremony. She will truly be irreplaceable, and has left an incredible mark here at John Glenn High School.”

### **DALY SULLIVAN, St. Joseph, 5-9 senior point guard**

Sullivan, the NIC Most Valuable Player, hit 64 percent of her two-point field goal attempts, and 43 percent of her 3-pointers. She hit 54 three-pointers entering sectional play. Sullivan leads the Indians with 17.0 points a game, and has dealt out 42 assists. She was also an Indiana Junior All-Star. Sullivan helped lead St. Joe to the Northern Indiana Conference championship and the sectional championship. St. Joe is 22-2 heading into the regional. The Indians were a perfect 12-0 in the NIC.

“Daly is a one of a kind basketball player and person,” St. Joseph coach Sydney Smallbone said. “She is one of the best guards I have seen when it comes to taking care of the basketball and execution. Daly is a lights out shooter and the best player in the conference. She has had a tremendous career so far at St. Joe and embodies what it means to be a teammate and student-athlete. I have no doubt that Daly will add immediate impact as she steps on the court at Mount St. Mary's next season.”

### **MEGHAN URBANSKI, Marian, 5-6 junior guard**

Urbanski averaged 17.5 points a game and led the Knights in points scored. She was reliable at the free-throw line, shooting 81 percent. Marian was 14-9 overall and 7-5 in the NIC.

“Meghan is a high character and dedicated student-athlete,” Marian head coach Tyler Dendy said. “She is the face of our program, and we are proud that her hard work has paid off with a First-Team All-NIC selection. She also carries a 3.7 GPA as a member of the basketball and softball teams at Marian High School.”

### **COACH OF THE YEAR**

**WILL COATIE, Elkhart Central**

Coatie is 28-82 in five seasons at Elkhart Central. The Blue Blazers were 12-11 this season and 9-3 in the Northern Indiana Conference. Elkhart Central posted its first winning season in the 2000's. Last season Elkhart Central was 7-17 overall and 3-9 in the NIC.

**FIRST TEAM:**

Daly Sullivan	12	Saint Joseph
Nicole Konieczny	12	Saint Joseph
Kyannah Stull	12	John Glenn
Linsey Kline	12	Penn
Sara Doi	11	Penn
Trinitee Harris	10	Elkhart Central
Diamond Adams	11	Washington
Meghan Urbanski	11	Marian

**SECOND TEAM:**

Samanatha Jankowski	12	Adams
Reniya Columbus	12	Adams
Abby O'Connor	12	Saint Joseph
Keagan Sullivan	9	Saint Joseph
Tia Chambers	11	Penn
Asia Strong	11	Riley
Karlee Feldman	10	Bremen
Mariah Plunkett	11	John Glenn

**HONORABLE MENTION:**

Alivia Jachimiak	11	Mishawaka
Gretta Meixel	11	Mishawaka
Matty Miller	11	Elkhart Central
Krisen Hunt	11	Elkhart Central
Anija Payne	10	Marian
Erin Coffel	9	Bremen
Timberlynn Thomas	10	Washington
Teaonna Miller	12	Adams

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Will Coatie of Elkhart Central

**FINAL NIC STANDINGS 2016-17**

**MOST VALUABLE PLAYER**

Daly Sullivan of Saint Joseph

1. Saint Joseph 12-0 NIC Champions
2. Penn 11-1
3. Elk. Central 9-3
3. Glenn 9-3 NIC South Div. Champs
5. Marian 7-5
5. Adams 7-5
5. Bremen 7-5
8. Mishawaka 6-6
9. Washington 3-9
9. Riley 3-9
11. New Prairie 2-10
11. Clay 2-10
13. Jimtown 0-12