



1988-89 BASKETBALL
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The 1988-89 basketball season has drawn to a close for the University of Southern Indiana. The men's team, under first-year coach Dr. Lionel Sinn, finished 15-13 overall and 6-10 in the Great Lakes Valley Conference. The women's team, under first-year coach Felicia Cavallini, finished 6-21 overall and 2-14 in the GLVC.

The men's team concluded the season at home with wins over St. Joseph's College and Lewis University. The Screaming Eagles improved on last year's 12-16 mark and are looking to bring in two or three top-notch recruits.

Sophomore center Ilo Mutombo, brother of Georgetown University's Dikemba Mutombo, set a new single-season field goal percentage mark. Mutombo hit 137 of 219 shots from the field for a .626 shooting percentage. He breaks former USI great Julian Hall III's record of .619 (177 of 286), which he recorded during the 1986-87 season. Also, Mutombo was selected GLVC Player-of-the-Week for the last week of February.

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Although the 6-21 record did not show, Cavallini did a remarkable job with the women's program. In all, the team set nine new USI team records including most points in a season (1843), most rebounds in a season (997) and best free throw percentage in a season (.712).

Sophomore forward Shelly Scott also set 15 new individual records. Among the records she set are most points in a game (39), one season (542), most rebounds one season (281), best free throw percentage one game (1.000 14-14) and career (.767 198-258). The McCordsville, Ind. native also set GLVC records for most free throws in a game (15) and most free throws attempted in a game (19).