

# UNC's Higgins Providing Punch Off Pine

### Sophomore Jackie Higgins, the team's strongest player, gives the Tar Heels another offensive option in the post.

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UNC center Jackie Higgins isn't too afraid of shooting the rock when she gets into a game.

Higgins, a 6-foot sophomore transfer who averaged 16 points and almost 12 rebounds a game for Louisburg College a year ago, is the Tar Heels' best scoring threat off the bench this year. She leads

all Tar Heel reserves and is fifth on the team with 9.6 points per game, and leads UNC in field goal percentage, hitting 52.3 percent of her shots.

She's also one hell of a weightlifter — breaking all of North Carolina's lifting records in her first week.

So naturally, one would expect it would take a lot to keep Higgins — who has played in 19 of UNC's 20 contests — out of a game.

But after Higgins co-lead the Tar Heels (along with senior Chanel Wright) in scoring with 14 points in UNC's 87-70 loss to N.C. State last Thursday, she missed her first game of the season against Maryland at Carmichael Auditorium on Sunday due to illness.

"Sick," UNC coach Sylvia Hatchell said of Higgins condition. "Sick on her stomach." She said in warmups she was sick, she didn't go to the pre-game meal because she was sick. She came to the bench (before the game) and said she was dizzy and light-headed. I don't know whether it was a stomach virus or what."



UNC center Jackie Higgins is averaging 9.6 points and 6.3 rebounds per game off the bench.

Lucky for the Tar Heels, Higgins' services weren't needed on Sunday. UNC squashed the Terrapins 87-59 in a game in which every Tar Heel saw more than nine minutes of action. Ten of the 11 players on the roster scored, and the Tar Heels shot eight of nine from 3-point range in the rout, leaving Maryland coach Chris Weller the sickest of all.

"They're just so balanced all over the court," Weller said. "Because they were shooting so well, they were also able to put it inside pretty easily."

### Speaking of Balance

No. 6 UNC (18-2, 5-1 in the ACC) has one of its most balanced teams in years in 1998-99, with four players aver-

aging double figures in scoring.

Point guard Nikki Teasley, last season's ACC Rookie of the Year, leads the Tar Heels with 15.8 points per game average, in addition to her team-high 5.4 assists and 3.8 steals per game.

Wright, a forward, is averaging 14.7 ppg. She tallied a season-high 33 points in UNC's win against St. John's in December. Sophomore guard Juana Brown, known as a defensive specialist last season, has picked up the pace offensively averaging 13.9 points per game — five more than her average last season.

Forward LaQuanda Barksdale, who spent last season backing up ACC Player of the Year Tracy Reid, has flourished in her starting role. Barksdale is

averaging 13.2 ppg, including a 26-point effort against Wake Forest on January 2.

### No Redemption in Reynolds

Last Thursday's loss to N.C. State marked the Tar Heels' fifth-straight loss to the 'Pack in Reynolds Coliseum. State shot 70 percent and scored 56 points in the second half — the most UNC has given up in a half all season — in the win.

State's 6-6 center Summer Erb, who was shut down considerably in the first half, exploded for 15 points in the second stanza, finishing with a game high 24 points and 11 rebounds.

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