# Ravens crash Luck's homecoming with victory

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**INDIANAPOLIS** — The Baltimore Ravens spoiled Andrew Luck's Indianapolis homecoming.

They picked him off before

Ravens.....20 Colts.....19

allowing completion, and Terrell Suggs nearly chopped the

ball out of Luck's hands on a sack. The Ravens then secured a 20-19 preseason win over the Colts by stopping a late 2-point conversion run.

Luck was just OK in his first home start since Jan. 1, 2017. But he did receive a roaring ovation from the crowd when he took the field, led the Colts to one score and apparently emerged unscathed after going down twice on sacks.

"Not too sharp, certainly red-zone turnovers are a negative, missed a couple of throws I'd like to hit," he said. "And I didn't feel like we, as an offense, got into any semblance of a sustained rhythm."

Expectations were high fol-

lowing a solid start in Seattle.

This time, the Colts (1-1) looked sloppy.

Luck missed his first three throws, the third winding up in the hands of Ravens safety Anthony Levine Jr. Luck rebounded to finish 6 of 13 for 50 yards and set up 45-year-old Adam Vinatieri for a 57-yard field before leaving in the second quarter.

If Luck had his way, he might have played longer. But firstyear coach Frank Reich wasn't taking any chances with Luck's surgically repaired arm.

'We just never found a rhythm for him and some of his balls were not his best balls," he said. "But I still have a lot of confidence we're headed in the right direction.'

Joe Flacco, Lamar Jackson and the Ravens looked better.

Flacco went 7 of 9 for 72 yards and one touchdown. Jackson then showed flashes of what helped him win the 2016 Heisman Trophy.

Jackson was 7 of 15 for 49 yards and a TD and carried four times for 26 yards before giving way to another Heisman winner Robert Griffin III, in the fourth quarter.

Indy still had a chance at the

end after Tarell Basham recovered a fumble at the Ravens 9. Five plays later, Phillip Walker threw a 9-yard TD pass to Zach Pascal with 2:24 left. But the Ravens (3-0) stopped Walker on the 2-point try, recovered the onside kick and ran out the clock.

"Happy to get the win," Ravens coach John Harbaugh said. "We did a lot of things that weren't winning football, especially in the second half."

The Ravens made it tough on Indy all night.

They stopped Indy twice in the red zone and nearly had a third when Jordan Wilkins fumbled the ball into the end zone, where it bounced right into the hands of receiver Chester Rogers.

Flacco gave the Ravens a 7-3 lead early in the second quarter when he hooked up with John Brown on a 7-yard score, and Jackson's masterful hurry-up drive at the end of the first half ended with Justin Tucker's 38yard field goal with 2 seconds

When Colts rookie Nyheim Hines fumbled away the opening kickoff of the second half, Jackson hooked up with Chris Moore on a 7-yard TD pass to make it initiatives such as the team's 17-10.

#### STAYING CALM

Saturday's joint practice between the teams was marred by two skirmishes, one which resulted in both teams running from the sideline to the middle of the field.

Though the officials called 21 penalties, including five that went for at least 15 yards, there were no such incidents Monday after Reich publicly criticized his team for being undisciplined in practice.

#### NATIONAL ANTHEM

There were no protests by either team during the national anthem.

During pregame warmups, Colts players donned T-shirts promoting their new message "Breaking Barriers," a community effort team officials and players hope will promote equality and justice for everyone while unlocking more opportunities for those who don't always get them.

Players want to create more dialogue within the community, inspire local citizens to become leaders and fund community

newly established Social Justice Club Fund. The Colts also plan to award grants from the Players Action Fund, which was boosted by a \$100,000 donation from team owner Jim Irsay when it formed last year.

#### **INJURIES**

Ravens: Right guard Marshal Yanda and cornerback Jimmy Smith did not play. Rookie Orlando Brown Jr. made the start on the offensive line. But the Ravens did not announce any significant injuries during the game.

Colts: Indy played without receiver T.Y. Hilton (shoulder), running back Marlon Mack (hamstring), left tackle Anthony Castonzo (hamstring) and safety Malik Hooker (knee) - all projected starters. They lost another back, Josh Ferguson (groin), in the first half. Starting safety Clayton Geathers saw his first game action since undergoing offseason knee injury.

#### UP NEXT

**TELEVISION** 

Ravens: Visit Miami on

Saturday,

Colts: Seattle Saturday.

#### SCOREBOARD

#### Local schedule

#### ■ TODAY, AUGUST 21 Prep Volleyball

Jasper at Heritage Hills (F/JV/V) 6:00 Forest Park at Evansville Mater Dei (F/JV/V) 6:00 Southridge at Princeton (JV/V) 6:30

#### **Prep Boys Soccer** Tell City at Southridge 5:30

Forest Park at Heritage Hills (V) 6:00 **Prep Girls Soccer** Providence at Forest Park (JV/V) 6:00

Heritage Hills at Evansville Day 6:00 Tell City at Southridge 7:00 **Prep Boys Tennis** 

### Southridge at Loogootee 4:30

Crawford County at Forest Park 5:00 Evansville Bosse at Heritage Hills 5:30 Boonville at Jasper 6:00

#### **Prep Girls Golf**

Southridge, S. Spencer at Heritage Hills 5:00 Vincennes Lincoln at Forest Park 5:00

Prep Cross Country
Paoli at Northeast Dubois 4:30 Shoals, HH, Pike C, SV at Southridge 5:00

#### Jasper at KY/IN Border Clash at Owensboro 6:00 ■ WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22 Prep Volleyball

Floyd Central at Jasper (F/JV/V) 5:30 **Prep Boys Tennis** 

Northeast Dubois at Barr-Reeve 4:30 ■ THURSDAY, AUGUST 23

#### **Prep Football** Evansville Harrison at Jasper (F) 6:30

Southridge at Evansville North (F) 6:30 Heritage Hills at Evansville Mater Dei (F) 7:00 **Prep Volleyball** 

Forest Park at Crawford County (JV/V) 6:00 Northeast Dubois at North Knox (JV/V) 6:00 Southridge at Boonville (JV/V) 6:30

#### Heritage Hills at Evansville North (JV/V) Prep Boys Soccer

Jasper at Evansville Harrison (JV/V) 6:00 Mitchell at Southridge 6:00 Evansville Mater Dei at Heritage Hills (JV/V) 6:30 Northeast Dubois at Washington Catholic (V) 6:45

#### Prep Girls Soccer

Northeast Dubois at Washington Catholic (V) 5:00 Princeton at Jasper (V) 6:30 Prep Boys Tennis North Posey at Southridge 5:30

Forest Park at South Spencer 5:30 Wood Memorial at Northeast Dubois Heritage Hills at Gibson Southern 5:30 Prep Girls Golf

Jasper at Washington 4:30 Southridge, North Posev at Gibson Southern 5:30 South Spencer at Forest Park 5:30

### Grade soccer

AT JASPER

■ Forest Park 3, Jasper Gold 2

Jasper Gold ..... ..0 2 -2...... 2

Goals: (J) Basra, Ortiz

# AT TELL CITY/Hoosier Heights Golf Club

■ Southridge 216, Tell City 244 Medalist - Schneider (SR) 41

SOUTHRIDGE — Schneider 41, Buechler 54, M. Marley 60, Morrison 61, Heim 64, Nalley 65 TELL CITY — Arnold 58, Gray 58, Lamb 61, Pledger 67, Kessans 69, Rhodes 75

JUNIOR VARSITY

Assists: (J) Ortiz

Forest Park 2. Jasper 1

Goals: (FP) Smith, Dilger

Prep golf

SOUTHRIDGE — E. Marley 64, Mattingly 65, Hewitt 73, Ka. Evans 73, Ky. Evans 75, Guth 77

### Prep soccer

AT BOONVILLE/Big Eight Conference

#### VARSITY

■ Jasper 3, Boonville 0 .....3 0 -3 .....0 0 -0 Boonville Goals: (J) Elizarraras, Fladseth, Kabrick Assists: (J) Dall, Rawlins

■ Jasper 6, Boonville 1 

 Jasper
 2
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 -6

 Boonville
 1
 0
 -1

 Goals: (J) Sermersheim 2, Menjivar, Wigand, Guillen, Enriquez

■ Shoals 2, Southridge 1 Southridge.....

Shoals.. Goals: (SR) Soto AT MITCHELL

VARSITY

■ Northeast Dubois 3, Mitchell 1 Northeast Dubois......2 1 -3.....1 0 -0 Mitchell ..... Goals: (NED) Knies 2, Ivey; (M) Petty

AT JASPER/Big Eight Conference GIRLS

■ Jasper 5. Boonville 1 

Assists: (J) Nottingham, Budd, Blazey JUNIOR VARSITY ■ Jasper 4, Boonville 3 

Goals: (J) Schwenk 2, Vaal, Clauss

AT SHOALS VARSITY Assists: (NED) Tretter

Kills: (FP) Zazzetti 9, Sermersheim 9, K. Giesler 8. Zink 7 Assists: (FP) Werner 23

Digs: (FP) K. Giesler 21 Blocks: (FP) Zazzetti 4 Aces: (FP) Sermersheim 3 Points: (FP) Boehm 10

JUNIOR VARSITY

### Prep tennis

AT TELL CITY/Pocket Athletic Conference VARSITY

■ Forest Park 5, Tell City 0

Singles Steffe (FP) def. Hollinden 6-0, 6-2

Jarboe (FP) def. Young 6-0, 6-1 Stout (FP) def. Hughes 6-0, 6-0

A. Hurst/J. Hurst (FP) def. Goffinet/Koch 6-0, 6-1

Persohn/Steinmetz (FP) def. Johnson/Ahl 6-1, 6-0

AT LOOGOOTEE/Blue Chip Conference B0YS

■ Loogootee 4, Northeast Dubois 1

**Singles** 

Bauer (NED) def. M. Christmas 6-0. 6-2 Ja. Wildman (L) def. Et. Ziegler 7-6 (7-5), 6-4 Seals (L) def. R. Mehringer 6-3, 6-4

Doubles S. Christmas/Jo. Wildman (L) def. L. Mehringer/

Dearwester/Tov (L) def. Knies/Nuekam 3-6, 6-3, 6-2

Singles

Tippery (L) def. Hemmerlein 8-2

Eckerle/Leatherman (L) def. Lampert/Thewes 8-1 Nonte/Tippery (L) def. Ea. Ziegler/Atkins 8-2

AT LINCOLN CITY

VARSITY ■ Heritage Hills 5, Evansville North 0

L. Smallwood (HH) def. Peak 6-0, 6-1

Dellamuth (HH) def. Zimmerman 6-2, 6-2 Weaver (HH) def. Stippler 6-0, 6-2

J. Smallwood/Nelson (HH) def. Conklin/B. Bittner 7-5, 5-7, 6-4 Peters/Sisley (HH) def. A. Bittner/Smith 6-3, 6-4 JUNIOR VARSITY

Singles Wagner (HH) won 8-3

Jo. Smith/Ja. Smith (HH) lost 6-3, 6-4 Eubank/Ayer (HH) lost 6-3

### Prep volleyball

AT FERDINAND/Pocket Athletic Conference

■ Forest Park 3, South Spencer 0 25-17, 26-24, 25-23

Forest Park 2, South Spencer 1

25-7, 20-25, 15-11 Kills: (FP) Welp 11 Assists: (FP) Brandes 18 Digs: (FP) Welp 10 Aces: (FP) Brandes 4, Burger 4 Points: (FP) Burger 11 C-TEAM

■ Forest Park 2, South Spencer 0 25-16, 25-11 Kills: (FP) Welp 5

Assists: (FP) Brandes 13 Digs: (FP) Welp 6 Aces: (FP) Welp 5, Burger 5

AT LYNNVILLE/Blue Chip Conference ■ Tecumseh 3. Northeast Dubois 1

#### Note: Individual stats not available

On the air All Times EST ■ TODAY, AUGUST 21

TELEVISION 11 a.m. — Little League World Series: Consolation

game (ESPN) 3 p.m. — Little League World Series: International Bracket, elimination game (ESPN)

3 p.m. — Men's soccer: UEFA Champions League, Benfica vs. PAOK (TNT) 7 p.m. — WNBA basketball: Playoffs First Round, Dallas Wings at Phoenix Mercury (ESPN2) 7:30 p.m. - Little League World Series: United

States Bracket, elimination game (ESPN) 8 p.m. — MLB baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Milwaukee Brewers (FOXSMW) 9 p.m. — WNBA basketball: Playoffs First Round Minnesota Lynx at Los Angeles Sparks (ESPN2) 10 p.m. — MLB baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at

Los Angeles Dodgers (ESPN) **RADIO** 7 p.m. — Auto racing: NASCAR Live (WITZ 104.7

9:15 p.m. — MLB baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Los Angeles Dodgers (WQKZ 98.5 FM) **■ WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22** 

2 p.m. — MLB baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Milwaukee Brewers (FOXSMW) 3 p.m. - Little League World Series: Seoul vs. Kawaguchi, International Semifinal (ESPN)

3 p.m. - Men's soccer: UEFA Champions League, Ajax vs. Dynamo Kyiv (TNT) 7 p.m. - MLS soccer: New York City FC vs. New York Red Bulls (FS1)

7:30 p.m. — Little League World Series: Staten Island vs. Honolulu, United States Semifinal

10 p.m. — MLB baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Los Angeles Dodgers (ESPN) 10 p.m. — Men's soccer: Liga MX, Tijuana vs.

Santos Laguna (FS1)

RADIO 9:15 p.m. — MLB baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Los Angeles Dodgers (WQKZ 98.5 FM)

### BRIEFLY

## Cats/Raiders tickets to go on sale

**HUNTINGBURG** — Tickets for the Jasper vs. Southridge football game at Raider Field will be on sale this Wednesday through Friday in the Southridge High School main office. The cost of the ticket is \$5. Tickets will also be on sale at the gate.

Kick off is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. on Friday at Raider Field. Jasper ans will sit on the east side and Southridge fans will sit on the west

### Jasper alumni named All-Star

Jasper alum Craig Shepherd was named to the Prospect League All-Star team after his 2018 summer league season with the Terre

Shepherd, who played high school baseball at Jasper and spent last season with the Dubois County Bombers, was a major part of the Rex's successful season. He finished with a batting average of .267, 28 RBIs, 47 base hits and 26 total runs scored.

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she tries to work with her teammates and learn what techniques and ways to cope with bad situations work for each of them.

"Most of us are upperclassmen so we've played with each other for years now so we're pretty close

with each other," Wiseman said. "I know that certain players I have to go over and talk to them and tell them to breathe and that it's going to be okay. I'm the same way, I know how I operate too."

The Rangers aren't just happy to get their first victory of the season under their belt, they're

also excited to see what this win will do to their confidence with Evansville Mater Dei coming up tonight — a sectional rival that Forest Park always has their eyes

Rasche is hoping that the team takes what they learned in the victory on Monday and continues to play with that same intensity for the rest of the season no matter who their opponent is.

"I think we'll start to utilize the fact that energy really plays into the flow of the game and they can't lose that energy or momentum," Rasche said. "(Monday) was a great learning experience for them and I hope it fuels their fire for (tonight). I'm excited to see how it plays out."

Giesler added: "Mater Dei has always been a big rival of ours so this (confidence) is going to definitely help (tonight). I think having the momentum will help us