

CHICAGO SKY

POSTGAME NOTES & QUOTES

CHICAGO SKY (11-6) vs. INDIANA FEVER (5-11)

BRADENTON, FLA. | HOME OF 2020 WNBA SEASON | AUGUST 31, 2020

					FINAL	
	CHI	21	29	21	29	100
	IND	18	19	23	17	77

LEADERS

CHICAGO

INDIANA

POINTS

WILLIAMS, COPPER (21)

MCCOWAN (15)

REBOUNDS

HEBARD (11)

MCCOWAN (11)

ASSISTS

VANDERSLOOT (18)

ALLEMAND (11)

KEY RUNS

- Sky opened the second quarter on a 13-2 run that gave it its largest of the game at the time (14, leading 34-20).
- Fever responded with a quick 7-0 run halfway through the second frame, cutting the Sky's lead to seven (34-27).
- Indiana chipped away on Chicago's lead with a 10-0 run that put the score to 64-58 late in the third.
- Chicago led the game from the 8:27 mark of the first quarter, with its biggest lead hitting 25 points.

KEY STATS

- Both teams shot above 90% from the free throw line in the first half, with the Sky going 9-10 and the Fever shooting 12-13.
- Sky scored 26 of its 50 points in the paint during the first half. It finished with over half of its points (52) in the paint.
- Indiana shot 1-9 (12.5%) from the three through the first two quarters. The Fever came into game shooting 34.4% from beyond the arc.
- The Fever's bench scored 39 of the team's 77 points.

CHICAGO NOTES

- Today's game is just the fourth time in Sky franchise history that the team played on a Monday. The previous three times being May 27, 2013 vs. Phoenix, May 26, 2014 vs. Minnesota, and August 10, 2020 vs. Seattle.
- **Ruthy Hebard** made her second career WNBA start, scoring 12 points while shooting at least 60% for the 10th straight game.
- **Allie Quigley** and **Kahleah Copper** scored 15 of the Sky's first 17 points. With her 19 points, **Quigley** has now gone five straight outings with a double-digit scoring total, and in 16 of 17 games this season.
- **Copper** extended her double-digit scoring streak to 14 games off her 21-point performance. It was the 10th time this season she scored at least 15 points, including her fourth straight.
- **Gabby Williams'** season-high of 21 points off the bench on 8-12 (66.7%) shooting marked the third straight game where she reached a double-digit scoring total. She has a plus-minus of 35 over her last five games.
- With her 18 assists tonight, **Courtney Vandersloot** has now gone six straight games with at least nine assists. It was her 52nd game with a double-digit assist total, and her 34th career double-double (13 points, 18 assists).

INDIANA NOTES

- Fever leading scorer **Kelsey Mitchell** was limited to just two points tonight, shooting 0-7 from the field.
- No player on the Fever reached a double-digit scoring total until the third quarter.
- **Kennedy Burke**, **Kelsey Mitchell** and **Julie Allemand**, who all started for Indiana tonight, shot a combined 0-11 in the first half.
- Indiana has lost four straight games and six of its last seven.