

Volume Vs TRBL

11/09/2019

POM: Leanne Smith (TRBL)

POM: Lauren Jennings (Volume)

TRBL completely dominated quarter 1 with quick play throughout the court & accurate short & long shots from their new signing GA Holly Humphreys. The play was easy for them with great movement, space & passing from all players. Volume just couldn't keep up & made lots of basic errors causing the centre pass to be turned over several times. Defensive interceptions from TRBL & missed shots from Volume meant they only scored 2 goals to TRBL's 14

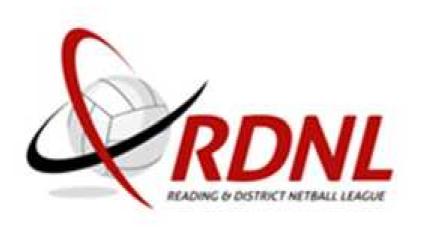
Volume made a defensive change & their player of the match Katie Antcliffe switched to GD. The impact of her extra height on court was immediate with some early interceptions of high balls allowing Volume to settle & find their stride scoring 9 to TRBLs 7 with the quarter ending 21-11 to TRBL

It was TRBLs turn to make defensive changes for Q3 with their player of match Leanne Smith moving from her usual C position to GD. Her tight marking in the circle & depth on court really put the pressure on Volumes attack but GS Elizabeth Craig's positioning & holding allowed C Bethan Beazley to make some fantastic passes in to the circle which were quickly converted to goals. The quarter ended 26-18 to TRBL

Another change for TRBL with Claire Beasley taking the C bib. She had great control in mid court & directed TRBL to take their time with passing & movement. Volume's circle defenders continued to fight & minimised TRBLs goals to 2 this quarter. Volume gained in confidence throughout the game & managed to claw back the scoreline to within 5 goals gaining the extra point.

A competitive but friendly game to start off the season. TRBL kept up the pressure & speed throughout the game determined to hold on to their early lead & gain the win. Volume kept on fighting winning the last 3 quarters but the initial 12 goal gap was just too much to make up

Final Score: Volume 23 – 28 TRBL



2018/2019 Season



TRBL Vs LP Hurricanes

3/4/2019

POM: Jody Penny (LP Hurricanes)

POM: Nikki Coleman (TRBL)

A fast paced game started goal for goal for LP and TRBL, one interception from Tilehurst defence making the difference in the first quarter to give a lead of 3 at the end of the 10 minutes, LP 8 TRBL 11

LP moved the ball quickly and directly through centre court, with Jody Penny C gaining POM from TRBL for her great driving and pace, she impacted enough for GA Charlotte to sink her goals along with Libby in GS not missing any opportunities bringing them level at half time, 18 all

A change from TRBL of Donna and Nancy to GD/GK switch saw TRBL pull away in the third quarter, lovely driving to the circle from GA and POM Nikki Coleman saw her not miss to convert defences turnovers to take the lead by 6 going into the final 10 minutes

TRBL only had to keep their centres to maintain the lead, and although LP got one goal back score ended 35 - 40 to TRBL, a lovely game, well contested with a joint cheer at the end

A great Wednesday night evening of netball, if even a little cold!

Final Score: <u>Tilehurst 40 – LP Hurricanes 35</u>



CGL Vs TRBL

20/3/2019

POM: Shan Randhawa (CGL)

POM: (TRBL)

Tilehurst had first centre but CGL matched each goal they scored with a welcome return from Clare Ramalho from maternity leave. Strong defence for both teams worked very hard with a fairly low scoring quarter. However, quick work from Tilehurst's centre court, POM Leanne Smith and Chloe Reschwamm allowed Tilehurst to get one more goal in before the quarter ended as 6-5 to them.

Both teams started the second quarter fighting, it was a fiercely contested game. Once again each goal was matched like for like and some nice court play from Charlotte Southall and Sarah Key feeding into shooters Zanna Bolton and Jane Rees meant CGL managed to bring their one goal deficit up to a draw at the end of the first half 13-13.

The start of the second half saw lots more interceptions from Tilehurst's defence Nancy Leadley, Donna Hancock and Claire Beasley allowing them to have more shots on goal. CGL's defence Shannon Holmes, Katie Sanford and POM Shan Randhawa worked hard, but Tilehurst's experience on court allowed them to force more errors and intercept more balls. The third quarter ended 22-17 to TRBL.

The fourth and final quarter saw Tilehurst's strongest attacking quarter scoring 12 goals to CGL's 7. Tilehurst gradually pulled away to a comfortable lead, both shooters Lou Hancock and Nikki Coleman performing at their best and barely missing a shot and Tilehurst's defence working hard to turn over as many balls as possible. CGL didn't give up and whilst they still got a few interceptions and turned over some of Tilehurst's balls it wasn't enough and the game ended 34-23 to Tilehurst.

Final Score: CGL 23 - Tilehurst 34



TRBL Vs LP THUNDER

28/11/2018

POM: Jodie Penny (LP Hurricanes)

POM: (TRBL)

Tilehurst came out with a strong defence with Nikki Coleman normally GA starting as WD making a fantastic team along with Nancy Leadley and Donna Hancock to let in just 2 goals by LP by the end of the first quarter. Unforced mistakes by Tilehurst as a slightly different starting 7 to usual.

LP had Charlotte and Adele in the shooting circle and they began to find their flow more in Q2, not enough to put Tilehurst defence under too much pressure scoring only another 2 goals this quarter

This quarter saw changes from LP where they began to pull back into the game Tilehurst ahead now with sure shooting from Lorraine Hancock and Lou Grainger and fantastic feeding by Izzy Kemp.

Final quarter saw continuation for Jody Penny driving the ball end to end for LP and gaining POM from Tilehurst, but LP not quite getting the shots in today meant a lead gained in the first half stopped them from catching up, getting half points though after a slow start was a good fight from LP

Final Score: <u>TRBL 30 – LP Hurricanes 16</u>



TRBL Vs LP THUNDER

19/09/2018

POM: Florence Wilson (LP Thunder)

POM: Donna Hancock (TRBL)

Game started well goal for goal until Donna Hancock POM GK for TRBL started making interceptions to give them a small margin lead of 3 goals first quarter ended 7-4 to TRBL

With some lovely centre court play from POM Florence Wilson WD and centre Nicole LP were able to get some turnovers to bring it to within 1 goal apart Tilehurst now leading just 10-9

Amazing defence from Tilehurst saw LP unable to find their circle players much in the 3rd and 4th quarters, scoring just one goal each quarter. But Tilehurst were able to capitalise on this and storm ahead with busy quarters ending the game 21 v 11 to Tilehurst!

In worsening rainy conditions, I think all players were happy to call it a day with a friendly cheer and good sportsmanship displayed.

Final Score: <u>TRBL 21 – LP Thunder 11</u>



CGL Vs TRBL

05/09/2018

POM: Lauren Mallins (CGL)

POM: Isabel Kemp (TRBL)

TRBL put out at strong performance in their first Wednesday fixture of the season, to bring to an end CGL's three match winning streak against the reining division one champions. As was to be expected it was a tight opening quarter. A new look TRBL started well and raced into an early lead, but CGL clawed their way back into the game to leave the teams level at 5-5 at the end of the first quarter.

CGL struggled to keep pace with TRBL in the second quarter as TRBL capitalised on every CGL error and gained the momentum. TRBL goal shooter Lou Grainger had a great game, rarely missed a shot on goal and controlled the attacking end beautifully, ably supported by their talented new centre and player of the match Isabel Kemp. Her fake passes successfully drew the CGL defence on numerous occasions and her pin point feeds ensured TRBL had the higher number of shots on goal. At half time the score sat at 15 – 10 to TRBL.

CGL entered the second half determined and worked hard to get back into the match. Their player of the match Lauren Mallins was dynamic in the wing attack position and made herself available for a large percentage of CGL's centre passes, whilst centre Sarah Key took some crucial interceptions in the centre third. CGL's circle defenders (Katie Sanford and Jane Rees) worked hard to try to contain the TRBL attack, whilst up the other end the balls finally started to land to CGL shooter Leigh De Klerk. The quarter was tied up at 6-6 but TRBL still led the game 21-16.

CGL fell away again in the final quarter as TRBL pressured every CGL pass and continued to punish every mistake by effortlessly finishing off their possession in front of goal. The TRBL defensive unit (Donna Hancock, Nancy Leadley and Claire Beasley), who combined well and were solid throughout the game, had a particularly strong final quarter and closed down a number of CGL's attacking plays. TRBL won the quarter 9-5 and the game ended with in a well deserved 30-21 victory to TRBL.

Final Score: <u>CGL 21 – TRBL 30</u>