



MATCH REPORT

Headcase Vs Bowmore

19/6/2019

POM: A Clarke (Bowmore)

POM: Claire Hurst (Headcase)

On what was a pleasant evening, after the threat of rain, Bowmore started the match first, but unlucky in converting their centre to a goal, Headcase picked up on the missed chance, and brought the ball swiftly down the court for Vic White (GA) to convert, Headcase continued strong play to lead 9-2 in the first quarter.

The 2nd quarter passed by with a total of only 3 goals scored, but Aviva Harwood (GS) scoring Headcases 2 from the edge of the shooting circle, and cheered by both teams ... left Headcase winning that quarter 2-1.

The 3rd quarter is generally Headcases weakest, a change was made midway through the 3rd qtr., WA & Centre, due to a fall by the Centre, (I'm ok!).

A tall A. Clarke, Bowmores (GD) worked tirelessly to intercept and block the passes into the Headcases shooting circle, with her long reach did prevent a few goals being passed through Headcases net, During centre court play Headcase made a few passing errors, and Bowmores WD M Griffiths was quick to pick on these errors, and smoothly move the ball down the court, but, the long reach and quick reaction of Headcases Claire Hurst was able to stop any further goals been scored.. Bowmores shooters were working very hard to bring the ball closer to the net, but the defenders did it very difficult. Headcase winning that qtr 8-4.

Last quarter saw Headcase extend their lead, but both teams, kept the fighting form until the final whistle. A lovely game with great sportsmanship from both sides.

Final Score: Headcase 24 - Bowmore 7



MATCH REPORT

Thunderbirds 4 vs Headcase

17/4/2019

POM: (TB4)

POM: (Headcase)

In the first quarter both the teams started strongly with accurate shooting from Headcase GS and the Thunderbirds GS Okeyo. Towards the end of the 10 minutes, Headcase were leading 9 : 5.

Second quarter, Thunderbirds pulled the score back with accurate passing and movement onto the ball. At half time the score was 14 : 9 to Headcase.

In the third quarter, Headcase came out strongly but Thunderbirds battled hard to bring the score within 2. There were some good feeds into the D at the Thunderbirds end from C Hewison and WA Mould, with great shooting from GS Hanham. The score was 18 : 16 to Headcase.

Then in the final quarter, it was goal for goal with Thunderbirds going ahead by 1 goal, but then Headcase pulled it away and won an exciting match by 2 goals.

Final Score: Thunderbirds 4 24 - Headcase 26



MATCH REPORT

Reading Juniors Orange Vs Headcase

13/03/2019

POM: Jasmine Patel (Reading Juniors Orange)

POM: Maddie Hurst (Headcase)

In the 1st Quarter, both teams started off well, with excellent feeds from both WA's Emillie Grant (Juniors) and Angela Hutson (Headcase) to their shooters. Also interceptions were made on both sides resulting in a tight first quarter with Headcase leading by 3 goals (6-3).

Quarter 2 started off well for juniors scoring two successive goals by their shooters Louise Lambert (GS) and Bex Worth (GA) however by the end of the quarter, Headcase's circle defence worked hard to prevent balls into the circle, this resulted in the score being 17-5.

Quarter 3 was Headcase's best quarter with POM Maddie Hurst putting pressure on the Juniors attack and picking up every loose ball, in addition shooting was extremely accurate from Headcase's shooters due to excellent long range feeds, headcase pulled ahead with the quarter ending 26-5.

In quarter 4, Juniors switched up their defence and GK Tia and GD Maya who worked hard in the circle to intercept however unfortunately it was not enough for Juniors who lost the game 36-7

Final Score: Reading Juniors Orange 7 – 36 Headcase



MATCH REPORT

Reading Juniors Green Vs Headcase

06/03/2019

POM: Latasha Lowe (Reading Juniors Green)

POM: Vic White (Headcase)

A close fought battle saw Juniors Green come out on top but only by 4 goals and had the game continued for longer Headcase may well have snatched victory.

The first quarter was very tight with both ends shooters settling into their game. Cooper missing some long range shots for Greens but Gill followed up on the rebounds. Juniors were 2 goals up at the end of the first quarter 5-3.

The second quarter continued in the same vein. Both defensive circles working hard to keep the scores low. Great defending from Hurst kept the Juniors shooters away from the post. Harwood netted some lovely long range shots for Headcase when Chawama wasn't tipping them off the back line and Lowe kept White out of the action with some great interceptions. The score at the end of Q2 was 10-5 to Juniors.

The third quarter took a little while to settle as both teams changed players around - Juniors bringing on new players to keep their legs fresh. Some great shots from the Cooper/Gill combination saw Juniors keep their 5 goal advantage and some great defensive centre court play from Priestly, Rajoriya, Murray & Blight meant the ball moved at speed between the ends of the court. The quarter ended with a score of 15-11 to Juniors.

The final quarter saw Headcase up their game with great interceptions from Cook & Hutson and some great goals from White & Harwood. Some lovely court play between Claire Hurst, her daughter Maddy & Centre Dellar seamlessly kept the whole team together with great passing down the court. Juniors held on for the win but given extra time Headcase would definitely have caught them. Final score 20-16 to Juniors Green.

A really friendly game enjoyed by all.

Final Score: Reading Juniors Green 20 – 16 Headcase



MATCH REPORT

Williams Home Heat Vs Headcase

05/12/2018

POM: (Headcase)

POM: (WHH)

It was a cold night at theale but both teams turned up for battle! Williams home heat missing the superstar player linny but still determined to try and bring home a win.

Headcase came out strong and both teams fought for the points! Both shooting combinations showed fantastic accuracy and movement in the D.

Centre court play was full of magnificent interceptions and beautiful play to bring the ball down for their teams.

Defensive circle was dominated with elegant looking leans and strongly contested rebounds.

Fantastic game from both teams with Williams home heat just pulling away to secure the win.

Players of the match went to Maddy and Charlie. Well done ladies!!

Final Score: Williams Home Heat 20 – Headcase 17



MATCH REPORT

Headcase vs Mortimer Rubies

24/10/2018

POM: Sharon Deller (Headcase)

POM: Emily Hutchinson (Mortimer Rubies)

The first quarter saw Mortimer Rubies steam ahead to a 7-2 lead, with Headcase struggling due to starting with 6 players, the hard defence work from (M)Stephanie Kape & D West kept the Headcase shooters from scoring.

The 2nd quarter saw Headcase reduce the score by reading & initiating some good interceptions and bringing the score to 11-6, (4-4 2nd qtr.). At the break Headcase re positioned some of their players which brought a better flow of play in the centre court, with accurate and stable play, giving Headcase a stronger quarter.

As always with the 3rd quarter Headcase always dip their performance, although defenders Becky Cook (H) & Leigh Facey (H) provided some great blocking & interceptions.

Mortimers GA Emily Hutchinson worked tirelessly to bring the ball accurately with speed, into their shooting circle, and scoring with ease, 18-8 (7-2 qtr. 3).

The last quarter saw Headcase move some players around again, moving Becky Cook from defence to GA, and adding some on point shooting, but wasn't quite enough, Headcase worked hard till the end, the final score ended 23-12 (5-4 last qtr.)

Final Score: Headcase 23 - Mortimer Rubies 12



MATCH REPORT

Bowmore v Headcase

26/09/2018

POM: Anne Clark (Bowmore)

POM: E Sibley (Headcase)

The first quarter got off to a friendly yet competitive start with some fantastic defending at both ends. This was reflected in the low scoring quarter, with Headcase sinking 4 and Bowmore (due to an incredible lean from GK) not sinking any.

The competitive yet positive vibe continued this quarter, with some brilliant passing down the court. Bowmore C made a fantastically impressive interception as the whistle went. The defending proved themselves again this quarter with low scoring: Bowmore 3 – Headcase 8.

A dynamic switch up in Bowmore's defence lead to some longer leavers matching the height at the other end. GK (Headcase) used her lean impressively well but GS & GA (Bowmore) began using their angles and movement well. There was little play for either team in centre court, but lots of lovely play down the court from both sides, using their triangles effectively. Bowmore 6 - Headcase 15

The last quarter was still energetic and focussed with some wonderful shooting from Bowmore despite the best lean in the league from H GK! A well played and enjoyable game had by all.

Final Score: Bowmore 9 – Headcase 18