

Panthers Vs Razzlers

3/4/2019

POM: (Panthers)

POM: Sophie Georghiou (Razzlers)

Razzlers started strong dictating a fast pace of play and with very accurate shooting from Sophie Georghiou and Nathalie Cox went 5 goals ahead in the first quarter.

Panthers worked hard to try and narrow the gap profiting from some well timed interceptions from their player of the match Vicky McLaughlin but Razzlers extended their lead to end the second quarter 18-9.

In the third quarter Panthers made a change to their attacking formation switching Diane Williams and Angela O'Neill. This tactical decision paid off due to accurate feeds into the circle from Carmelle Bell and Steph Jones. Panthers won the third quarter narrowing Razzlers lead to only 5 goals.

Razzlers came out strong in the final quarter with key interceptions and tight defending from their GK L Farrell and GD Penny Gardner they managed to extend their lead. Razzlers player of the match Sophie Georghiou faultless shooting made it extremely hard for Amber Rhind to defend in the circle. Razzlers C A. Mills and WA K. Ogilvie fed clean well timed balls into their shooters throughout the final quarter and the final score was 39-25 to Razzlers.

Final Score: Panthers 25 – Razzlers 39



RG7 Comets Vs Panthers

20/3/2019

POM: RacheLisa Maskery (Panthers)

POM: Nikki Smith (RG7 Comets)

No wind or rain for a change meant a nice, pleasant evening for a netball match!

Both teams started well, Panthers' C Lisa Maskery (player of the match) and WA Amanda Stevens, and Comets' C Tina Wood and WA Alex Henney, finding their shooters with ease. The shooters had their eye in from the start and each pairing sunk the first few shots, meaning a goal for goal first few minutes.

Comets were first to get a turnover, with great work from defensive pairing GD Clare Harvey & GK Tish Rizan, enabling their team to go ahead by 2 goals at the first break (8-6).

Some good play in the second quarter by Comets gave their reunited shooting partnership of GS Jo Starling and GA Nikki Smith (player of the match) every opportunity to pull ahead, which they gladly took.

Panthers defensive pairing of GD Keren Gillis and GK Vicki Shopland worked hard and secured some vital turnovers, making life difficult for Comets, but Comets pulled ahead to lead 16-11 at half time.

RG7 continued to gel in the 3rd quarter, with their WD Helena Moore working tirelessly and earning some great tips and turnovers to help her team pull further ahead, but Panthers' shooting duo ensured they took the opportunity to keep the pressure on Comets when given it.

Despite some good interceptions by Panthers defensive trio of Shopland, Gillis and WD Steph Jones, Comets had their best quarter and led 27-15 going into the last break.

Panthers' GS Angie O'Neill and GA Di Williams switched in the final quarter but struggled with the height of GK Rizan, as the defence won many of the rebounds and took the ball down the court to their shooters.

Panthers fought well but Comets had the upper hand and increased their lead in the final quarter to win 35-20.

Final Score: RG7 Comets 35 – Panthers 20



Thunderbirds 5 Vs Panthers

13/2/2019

POM: Abi Collins (TB5)

POM: Carmelle Bell (Panthers)

TB5 came out strong, with seamless passing between their WA, Centre, and WD Julie Kinsella, they took panthers by surprise and took a quick lead. Panthers simply couldn't find their shooters and it showed in the 1st quarter score of 1-10 to TB5.

In the second quarter Panthers made some quite substantial changes, changing up their shooting circle. These changes were the right decision with Nikki Barrie and Panthers Best Player Carmelle Bell being able to now find their shooting duo of Di Williams and Amber Rhind. Quarters 2 and 34 were much more even between the 2 teams, with Panthers not letting TB5 extend their lead any further.

The damage had however been done in the 1st quarter, and with TB5 continuing to make great interceptions and passes, and Panthers looking defeated, TB5 monopolised and stormed the last quarter to take a comfortable win with the final score being 16-36 to TB5

Final Score: Thunderbirds 5 36- Panthers 16



Thunderbirds 2 Vs Panthers

19/09/2018

POM: Jane Hodgetts (TB2)

POM: Rebecca Wright (Panthers)

The Netball season is definitely here..... dark, tick... rainy, massive tick... cold, actually no, but super windy... Not ideal, and I certainly didn't want to leave my house to play...

But all teams did... In the game between Thunderbirds 2 (TB2) and Panthers, TB2 were quick out the block turning over Panthers centre pass and their GA (Jane Hodgetts and TB2's Player of the Match) and GS (Jenny Orbin) shooting effortlessly despite the wind to score 6 quick goals in succession. Panther soon settled but Thunderbirds were ahead at the end of the 1st quarter finishing 8-4.

In the second quarter Panthers settled, taking their time with their passes and their WA (Carmelle Bell) and C (Steph Jones) driving forward onto the ball and therefore safely bring the ball into their attacking quarter and giving their GA (Di Williams) and GS (Ang O'Neill) opportunity to take a shot at goal. This steady play by the whole team saw Panthers quickly catch TB2 up to finish the second quarter within 2 goals.

The third quarter saw Panthers defence GD (Rebecca Wright and Panthers Player of the Match), WD (Claire Smith) and GK (Amber Rhind) continue to work hard to win ball, but Thunderbirds defence threesome of WD (Sandra Timney) GD (C Mlambo) and GK (Sandra Fulford) worked even harder in the TB2 defensive end stopping Panthers from converting the turned over ball. The third quarter ended with a goal difference of 5.

The last quarter saw frustration show in the Panthers attack, and Thunderbirds lead extend for the game to finish.

Final Score: <u>TB2 30 – Panthers 18</u>



Sweaty Netty's Vs Panthers

05/09/2018

POM: Olivia James (Sweaty Nettys)

POM: Nikki Barrie (Panthers)

The first match of the new season saw Sweaty Nettys enter the court with full determination, managing to get a good interception on Panthers first centre and scoring the first goal. Time away from the court did not phase Sweatys GS Amy Chesswas as she continued to effortlessly swish the ball into the net. Ended 8-4.

Sweatys high spirits continued into the next quarter, putting pressure on Panthers to cause a few loose balls. However, Panthers WA Nikki Barrie's agile movements around the court kept the attacking team strong and allowed the ball to be fed into the circle to close the gap. Ended 11-9.

Panthers came out fighting in this quarter with superb defending by GK Claire Smith making it difficult for Sweatys to get the ball into the circle. However, Sweatys GD Olivia James also put up a good front and defended the ball well managing to keep the score equal. Ended 14-14.

Panthers maintained the momentum in the final quarter, and with some great shooting by Angela O'Neil and Diana Williams managed to edge ahead and seize the win. Ended 16-20.

A friendly and competitive game played by all.

Final Score: Sweaty Netty's 16- Panthers 20