

LP Tornadoes Vs Whiteknights

27/03/2019

POM: Ellen Few (LP)

POM: Tracey Fox (Whiteknights)

The game took place at Theale and thankfully the weeks of strong winds and wet weather seem to have ended. The game got off to a slow start with the ball travelling to both ends of the court twice before a goal was scored. With both teams settling down Tornadoes managed to turn over and convert three consecutive centre passes and a call for breaking gave them a 10-3 lead at the end of Q1.

It was a messy second quarter with both teams frequently giving away the ball and Whiteknights were able to capitalise on their defence's tight marking. There were two flying interceptions from GD R.Lane and super fast C Tracey Fox brought the ball down the court time and time again but they were not able to close the gap. Half Time 19-11.

Both sets of shooters had their eyes in now and it was goal for goal with 9 apiece scored.

Both teams were fighting hard to keep possession and there were very little opportunities for either set of defenders. The score at the end of Q3 was 28-20.

In the final quarter Tornadoes came out fighting, they moved the ball more quickly up the court, often only needing three passes to goal at the centre pass. Tornadoes WA Sam Ellis was firing beautiful overhead passes into GS Shelli who did not miss a shot in this quarter. A great defensive effort restricted Whiteknights to only 3 goals and Tornadoes were able to pull safely ahead for the win.

Players of the Match went to both centres for their tireless running and excellent passing up and down the court.

Final Score: <u>LP Tornadoes 40 – Whiteknights 23</u>



Whiteknights Vs Mortimer Diamonds

06/03/2019

POM: Tara Lacy (Whiteknights)

POM: Sarah Conran (M Diamonds)

I'm afraid there isn't a lot to report for this game, it was a wet and miserable night and even more miserable for Whiteknights who only had 6 players.

The first quarter was more even that the rest of the game with Whiteknights managing to score 4 goals but it was easy for Mortimer Diamonds who controlled the game with their extra player advantage. They led the first quarter with Sarah Conran, their player of the match, showing good court play and Mortimer's shooters converting their chances to lead 10-4.

The second quarter was much the same, Whiteknights only managing 2 goals, and unable to get the ball into their shooters. Mortimer scored another 10 goals and continued to dominate the game, leading 20-6 at half time.

It was pouring with rain and everyone was getting soaked going into the second half.

Whiteknights swapped their WA (and player of the match), Tara Lacey, into C at half time and C, Jo Awbery, went into WD which left them with no WA and this saw Mortimer stretch ahead further scoring 11 goals, and Whiteknights only managed 1 this time.

Mortimer led 31 7 going into the final quarter.

Final quarter, at least the rain had stopped but it didn't stop Mortimer scoring goals, GS Rachel Wasylciw was on form and GA, V Rood, providing good support. Whiteknights swapped WD to WA and went back to having no WD but it didn't make any difference.

Final Score: Whiteknights 8 – 41 Mortimer Diamonds



Zodiac Vs Whiteknights

21/11/2018

POM: Emma Tuvey (Zodiac)

POM: Brenda Laccy (Bombprint)

On a cold Wednesday night, the game got underway with a Whiteknights centre pass and was end to end for the entire quarter. The defence at both ends worked really hard to make it difficult for the shooters which meant the teams went into the break evenly matched at 5–5. After both teams requested the ball to be changed, Zodiac restarted the second quarter and once again it was end to end stuff, this time both sets of shooters were on point but with the score at 11-all there was still nothing to split the two teams at half time. Whiteknights restarted the game, but Zodiac soon took control. Zodiac's shooters managed to capitalise on some great defending and centre court play helping them take the lead and go into the final quarter with scores at 19–14. Zodiac continued their momentum into the final quarter, but Whiteknights never gave up the fight and their shooters continued to find the net and push Zodiac until the final whistle.

Final Score: Zodiac 25 – Whiteknights 21



Whiteknights Vs Bomb Print

12/09/2018

POM: Brenda Lacey (Whiteknights)

POM: Lauren Forcett (Bomb Print)

First game back of the season. Both teams started the 1st quarter with like for like goals. Whiteknights took an early lead and finished the quarter ahead by 3 goals. Each team played well but Whiteknights continued their lead going into half time 12-7

Bomb Prints Defending duo had numerous excellent interceptions into the shooting circle in the third quarter helping bomb print close the gap with only 3 goals in it ending the quarter 19-16. In The final quarter Whiteknights again extended their lead with both Whiteknights shooters not missing a single shot all game.

Final Score: Whiteknights 31 - Bomb Print 18