

## TULLOW C.S MATCH REPORT



## U16 GIRLS BASKETBALL SEASON OPENER!!

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On Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> of September our U16 girls team got their basketball season underway when they took on Gaelcholaiste Phort Lairge at home in Tullow Community School which resulted with a fantastic win for our girls with a scoreline of 47-11.

The Tullow Girls were quick out of the blocks and got their first basket from Lyn Walsh in the first 15 seconds of the game, but Gaelcholaiste retaliated with a quick basket in return which led the teams even. The Tullow girls proceeded to score the next 9 baskets which showed their dominance in the opening quarter, the baskets were scored by Lyn Walsh, Aoife O'Sullivan, Arta Pilmane, Amie Cushe and Hannah Hutton. The score at the end of the first quarter: 18-2.

In the second quarter Ms Roberts made some impact subs which brought on Mia Nolan, Orlaith Donoghue, Katie Keegan and Sine Myers who all worked effortlessly to keep their reign on the court. This didn't stop Gaelcholaiste from keeping going through and scoring though as they scored a free throw. Great skills and teamwork were evident on the court from the Tullow girls which seen Katie Keegan and Sine Myers scoring brilliant baskets with brilliant defending from Mia Nolan keeping the opponents out of scoring ranges. Score at end of second quarter: 24-7.

TCS opened the third quarter very strongly with 3 greatly worked baskets from Hannah Hutton and Lyn Walsh. There were plenty of free throws and great chances from both teams, but some excellent blocks kept the scoring to a minimum. The Waterford side never gave up and kept TCS from scoring as much as they could and in the doing, they scored a greatly worked basket. Score at the end of third quarter: 30-7

TCS finished the last Quarter of the match with excellent baskets from Aoife O'Sullivan and Sine Myers which really secured the win for the girls and underlined their determination to win the match, this didn't make Gaelcholaiste give up by any means though as they scored a greatly executed basket and a free throw which also showed their determination throughout the match. The final whistle came for our girls with a win of 47-11, this performance showed how bright this team's future really is and how skilled as a team they really are!!

## Tullow CS team:

Amie Cushe	Orlaith Donoghue
Lyn Walsh	Katie Keegan
Kayleigh Garry	Arta Pilmane
Chelsea Kelly	Sine Myers
Aoife O'Sullivan	Daisy Moran
Hannah Hutton	,