



TULLOW C.S MATCH REPORT



1ST YEAR GIRLS ENJOY GREAT DAY IN RUGBY BLITZ

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On the 22nd of February our first-year girls took part in a Rugby Blitz with two mini matches taking place against Colaiste Bride Enniscorthy and Presentation Secondary School Wexford.

In their first match against Presentation School Wexford both teams started very strong with good tackling from our girls who were quick to find their feet in their first competitive outing. Two quick tries by the Wexford team saw them snatch a lead as half time approached but the TCS girls kept fighting and were rewarded with a try just before half time to cut the deficit.

The Tullow team were much improved in the second half and were unlucky to concede a try to go 3-1 down. However, they were not to be so easily brushed aside and two brilliant tries first by Sally Butler and followed soon after by Orla Nolan seen the girls level up the score. A shoulder injury to Hannah Wall halted the TCS momentum and in the end the game finish on a fair result of a 3-3 draw.



As the second match kicked off against Colaiste Bride Wexford you could see the girls had grown in confidence and learned a lot from the first game. They were working hard together and the communication skills and teamwork were brilliant. In a very even contest the Wexford side were a bit fortunate to be two tries up at half time. Once again Tullow rallied for the second half and another Orla Nolan try got them right back into the game. It was a helter skelter finish to the game with both teams pushing for one last score and unfortunately for Tullow it was the Wexford side who knicked a try late on to win on a score line of 3-1. Well done to all the girls who took part and the future looks bright for TCS rugby.



TCS Squad:

- Sally Butler
- Libby Maher
- Meadhbh Ward
- Annie Fadden
- Ellen Mai O'Toole
- Molly Bolger
- Abby Keppell
- Clodagh Fitzpatrick
- Lauren Kehoe
- Katie Wilson
- Hannah Wall

- Una McFarland
- Ella McDonald.
- Oliwia Zahorniak.
- Jane Dillon
- ciara obryne
- Croi Deegan
- Saoirse Cahill
- Saoirse Gibbons
- Rachel Haskins
- Molly Lobaiza Heydon
- Meabh Wallace