



TULLOW C.S MATCH REPORT



1ST YEAR GIRLS NARROWLY LOSE IN FANTASTIC FINAL

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On 10th of April our 1st year girls' basketball team made their way to Mercy Secondary School in Waterford to battle it out with Scoil Mhuire Greenhills in the Southeast Cup final. This was a very intense game where our first years left everything on the court. Both sides showed great ability and determination.

In the first quarter Greenhill got two points on the board with a free throw but our girls did not drop their heads and with fantastic efforts from Ella McDonald, TCS got the game back with a great shot from Oliwia Zaborniak, despite great battle by the end of this quarter the score resulted in 9 to 2 in favour of Greenhill.



The second quarter began, and the Tullow girls were on it from the start with a great steal from Ella O'Neill. Although Greenhills went ahead on the board, they did not go ahead on effort. With great work from Una McFarland, Sally Butler and Allie Lacey, our girls were unfortunate not to get more scores on the score board and the second quarter ended 5 points to 14 points to Scoil Mhuire Greenhills.

The third quarter was underway, and our girls kept their heads high. Cree Deegan and Ellen-Mai O'Toole played a stonemason's role in this quarter holding down the fort while Una McFarland was breaking through Greenhills defence and putting scores on the board for TCS. Great team spirit and encouragement was displayed from our 1st years throughout the game and only got stronger as they made their way into the fourth and final quarter.



During the last quarter, the TCS girls fought until the final buzzer and were extremely unfortunate not to come away with the win. Our first years came runners up in the southeast cup and they deserve a massive congratulations for making it so far in the competition. Well done to a wonderful bunch of players and to their fantastic coaches Ms Roberts & Ms Smyth for all their hard work and dedication. As a School we are very proud of our 1st years girls and can't wait to see them take to the court again next year!!

Tullow C.S team:

2.Olivia Zaborniak	8.Allie Lacey
3.Meadhbh Ward	9.Ciara O'Byrne
4.Una McFarland	10.Meave Wallace
5.Kate Rooney	11.Sally Butler
6.Ellen Mai O'Toole	12.Libby Maher
7.Jane Dillon	13. Ella McDonald

