FINALS WEEK 1 - RECAP



DIVISION ONE WOMEN

Mildura defeated Camberwell to advance to the final four, with the Heat seeing off the Dragons 97-81 at home.

The Dragons got out of the blocks early, trying to silence the home crowd at the Hothouse with some hot shooting seeing them take a 25-22 lead into the first break.

That didn't last long, however, as the home side got on top in the second, going on a 26-14 run to ensure they took a handy nine-point lead in halftime.

The Dragons needed a response early in the third but it was the Heat who again took the ascendency, going on a big run to set up a matchwinning lead.

A 29-13 third term saw the lead balloon out to 25 points by the final change, and it proved too much for the visitors despite a 29-20 final term, as the Dragons had their season ended.

Vanessa Power (30pts) starred for the home side, hitting 10 of her 17 shot attempts in a big night leading all five Heat starters in double digits.

For the Dragons, it was Sarah Stone (20pts 4reb 6ast) leading the way as she has all season as her side went down.

Keilor started hot and never looked back in a 78-63 win over Werribee.

The Thunder flew out of the blocks, grabbing the early ascendency with a blistering 31-17 opening stanza.

The Devils were struggling to get into the game as the home side put the foot down even further defensively, sucking the life out of the visitors and taking a 48-29 lead into the main break.

With Rohanee Cox missing and the rest of their offense struggling around Jessy Price, the Devs faced an uphill battle to get back into the contest despite a marked improvement in the second half.

The visitors managed to win both the third and final terms marginally but the damage had been done, as the Thunder advanced.

Aneta Bandilovski (25pts 6ast) was superb for the home side, playing a starring role as Genna Anderson (17pts 6reb 4ast) and Amy Smith (14pts 4ast) lent a helping hand to the cause.

For the Devs, too much was left to Jessy Price (24pts 7reb 7ast) as a season full of injuries and interruptions was laid to rest.

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