

NORTHWEST LIGHTNING YOUTH GIRLS

MATCH REPORT

NORTHWEST LIGHTNING YG14/1 5.11 (48) d CAMDEN CATS 1.3 (8) ROUND 11 – SUNDAY 16 JULY 2023 ERN HOLMES OVAL, PENNANT HILLS

The Camden Cats were the next up opponents for the NWL u/14 division 1 girls. There was only one thing on the mind of the NWL girls who lost their opening and spiteful encounter against the Cats earlier in the season. Revenge.

The first quarter was all NWL. 3.3.21 to 0.0.0 by quarter time. Claire and Sama were amongst the goals. Savannah, Lily B and Arlia were creating plenty of opportunities which saw the ball camped inside the Camden 50 metre line for the duration.

The second quarter was similar to the first albeit some inaccurate shots on goal kept the scoring down. Evana, Claire, Madi, Bree, Scarlett and Kate H were dominating the midfield battle. The girls went into halftime up 3.9.27 to 0.0.0.

Camden showed some fight in the third quarter kicking their first major for the game but it was the backline led by some marauding runs by Ava and some smart defensive work by Lily S, Lyla, Kate C and Lucy which kept the opposition scoring to a minimum.

The girls intensity dropped somewhat in the last quarter but they held on for a comfortable victory. The final score 5.11.41 to 1.3.8.

Goal scorers were Claire 3 and Sama 2.

Claire was best on ground this week. She played with high intensity throughout the game and was rewarded with 3 goals. Great games also to Ava and Lucy.

Congrats also to Lily S and Lyla who celebrated their 50th games for the club. Well done girls.

Next up is Maroubra away. The Saints sit equal second on the table with our girls so it should be a great battle.

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