



Akdemie Grand Est wins the U15 tournament

The eighth tournament of the U15 category took place in Brandýs nad Labem, where CEYBL feels like home this year. The French team Akdemie Grand Est showed the best performances and won gold medals. However, in most of the matches, they only won in the second half of the match.

In the first match of the tournament, the French team Akdemie Grand Est played against the Czech team BCM Olomouc . The Czech team did not perform convincingly and lost their first match of the tournament. In the second match, the German team Basketball Talents Potsdam challenged the Polish team MKS Strzelce Opolskie to a duel. Here too, the proceedings were quite calm and the Polish team won. Only the third match offered real drama. The actors of this match are the teams Young Rasta Dragons and Jura Basket TS Wisła . The tug-of-war for each ball was ultimately better handled by the German team, who won a hard-fought victory by two points. The afternoon offered only balanced and interesting matches. First, the French team was losing by 15 points after the first quarter to MKS Strzelce Opolskie team, who then maintained a nine-point lead at the end of the first half. The second half of the match was a completely different story. The French team showed a completely different performance and first tied after the third quarter, then won by thirteen points. In the next match, Olomouc showed a better side of its performance and held a draw with the German team Young Rasta Dragons at halftime. However, they made several mistakes in the second half of the match that cost them the victory. The Polish team Jura Basket TS Wisła had to fight hard for the victory over the German team Basketball Talents Potsdam . They eventually managed to win by twelve points.

On Saturday morning, we were treated to a surprise of the tournament, when MKS Strzelce Opolskie team "stepped on" the Young Rasta Dragons team. The Polish team, even with a limited rotation of the "seven braves", wins. We had the opportunity to watch a good dose of German precision in the afternoon program. A great match, where the Young Rasta Dragons team eventually won by three points. Olomouc also "puts its horns on St. Nicholas" when, mainly thanks to a good collective performance, it won by seven points over the Polish team MKS Strzelce Opolskie .

On Sunday, in the battle for first place, the French team "traditionally" slept through the first half of the match and gave up the lead to the German team Young Rasta Dragons . And also, as is traditional, in the second half of the match they turned on their engines for better performance and won the victory and thus the victory in the entire tournament. The Polish team Jura Basket TS Wisła managed the fourth place battle better, taking the victory by eight points. In the last match of the tournament, Olomouc defeated the German team from Potsdam and confirmed the bronze medals.

Final tournament standings:

1. Akdemie Grand Est (France)
2. Young Rasta Dragons (Germany)
3. BCM Olomouc (Czech Republic)
4. Jura Basket TS Wisła (Poland)
5. MKS Strzelce Opolskie (Poland)
6. Basketball Talents Potsdam (Germany)

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The following players received individual awards:

MVP:

Nohlan Keita (Akdemie Grand Est)

All-star team:

Stan Bart (Young Rasta Dragons)

Štěpán Raus (BCM Olomouc)

Wojciech Wścisko (Jura Basket TS Wisła)

Filip Wróbel (MKS Strzelce Opolskie)

Jonas Hanke (Basketball Talents Potsdam)

Top scorer of the tournament:

Filip Wróbel (MKS Strzelce Opolskie) - 101 points (20.2 points per game)

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