



## BK Lokomotiva Plzeň wins the U13 tournament

***The twelfth tournament of the U13 category took place in the beautiful hall of the Polish city of Zgorzelec. And BK Lokomotiva Plzeň traveled through this tournament at the speed of the French high-speed train TGV and won a well-deserved victory, thus securing a ticket to The Finals U13, which is hosted by the Polish city of Żary, which***

***Lokomotiva will defeat in a direct duel in this tournament.***

In the opening match, the home team PGE Giek Turów Zgorzelec challenged Basketball Club Overtime a new participant in the CEYBL tournaments from Georgia, to a duel. And the home team took on the role of host with verve and handed the Georgian team a defeat by more than thirty points. In the second match, the German team Academy Potsdam "caught the plums" of the Polish team BC Swiss Krono Żary, which, although it has a participation in the final tournament thanks to the organization in its home environment, certainly did not come to this tournament as a team that does not want to win. In the third match of the day, the duel of two Czech teams BK Lokomotiva Plzeň and Sršni Photomate Písek takes place. And the Pilsen "TGV" clearly has better speed than the Sršni, who enter the tournament in more of a bumblebee's gear. The day closes with the duel of Pilsen and Żary. High-quality mini-student basketball, which Lokomotiva ultimately managed better and won by nine points.

Lokomotiva did not have an easy path to victory in the Saturday part of the tournament either. First, the home team put up a great performance and thoroughly tested Lokomotiva, and even though they did not win, they left a great sporting impression. The second team that did not want to give Lokomotiv anything for free is German Potsdam. Plzeň gained a small lead, which they maintained throughout the match despite Potsdam's attacks and won by ten points. The home team also wanted to make a statement in the medal standings. The "Bulls" are trying to stomp the Hornets into the grass of the Polish prairie, which they are not able to do, and the Czech team defends the win by five points.

On Sunday, Pilsen defeats Overtime and confirms the gold medal win. The Hornets, having woken up from their winter sleep, are finally stinging as they should. Their stingers hit the German Potsdam, which missed out on the silver medal by just one basket due to the score. And in this match, the decision had to be made only in the second overtime. A good portion of mini-basketball, too. Potsdam thus wins the bronze medal at the tournament, and the Hornets, thanks to the worst score balance of the three teams, are left with the unpopular "potato" medal. The silver medal goes to the Żary, who end the tournament with a big win over the home team.

### **Final tournament standings:**

1. BK Lokomotiva Plzeň (Czech Republic)
2. BC Swiss Krono Żary (Poland)
3. Academy Potsdam (Germany)
4. Sršni Photomate Písek (Czech Republic)
5. PGE Giek Turów Zgorzelec (Poland)
6. Basketball Club Overtime (Georgia)

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The following players received individual awards:

**MVP:**

Jonáš Blacký ( BK Lokomotiva Plzeň )

**All-star team:**

Nathan Kelati ( BC Swiss Krono Žary )

Anthony Ibe ( Academy Potsdam )

Denis Humpál ( Sršni Photomate Písek )

Jan Lozowski ( PGE Giek Turów Zgorzelec )

Vasil Deisadze ( Basketball Club Overtime)

**Top scorer of the tournament:**

Nathan Kelati ( BC Swiss Krono Žary ) - 86 points (17.2 points per game)

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