



Vienna Timberwolves win U17 tournament

The sixth U17 tournament took place in the Slovak city of Košice. The Austrian team Vienna Timberwolves presented the best performances and deservedly won the gold medals.

The first match of the tournament was a Slovak derby between the home team ŠBK Galaxy Košice and the BKM Iskra Svit team. The home team defended its title in a relatively calm match. In the second match, we could watch the Czech-Polish duel, when the teams Basketpoint Frýdek-Místek and TS Wisla Jura Basket are presenting themselves for the first time in the tournament. It should be mentioned that the Czech team fared better and won comfortably. The last match of the first round, as it turned out later, was a direct duel for first place between the Polish team Lublinianka KUL Basketball and the Austrian team Vienna Timberwolves. And in this case, "Wiener Schnitzel" surpassed "Žurek", but it was probably not only due to the proximity of the Christmas holidays. On Friday, Svit played a solid game with Vienna, which they did not let breathe throughout the match, but it was not enough to win.

On Saturday morning, Svit had to pull out all the stops against Basketpoint, which, due to circumstances, arrived at the tournament with a combined younger team. The fierce youth of the Czech team overwhelmed both Svit and the tournament favorites from Vienna and Lublinianka. They usually only have enough strength for the first half of the match, so it was not enough to win against these teams. The most interesting match of Saturday was the last one. The home team and Lublinianka play a match full of emotions, fighting situations, and great individual performances. However, Košice misses some key shots in the end and their disappointment in the loss is more than evident.

On Sunday, Vienna defeated the enthusiastically fighting Frýdek-Místek and confirmed the gold medals. Svit had a great effort to "avenge" their Slovak brothers from Košice in a duel with Lublinianka, which they ultimately failed to do and the Polish team won silver medals. And the home team overcame Saturday's disappointment in the last match of the tournament and came away with a clear victory and thus bronze medals in a duel with the Polish team TS Wisla Jura Basket.

On the pitch, a battle, but in the background, a pleasant family atmosphere, which is taken care of by parents and volunteers of the home club. All participating teams praise the high-quality refreshments, complemented by barbecue. The atmosphere of the match was captured perfectly by the home photographer. So thank you for us too.

Final tournament standings:

1. Vienna Timberwolves (Austria)
2. Lublinianka KUL Basketball (Poland)
3. ŠBK Galaxy Košice (Slovakia)
4. BKM Iskra Svit (Slovakia)
5. Basketpoint Frýdek-Místek (Czech Republic)
6. TS Wisla Jura Basket (Poland)

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The following players received individual awards:

MVP:

Jakob Edegger (Vienna Timberwolves)

All-star team:

Franek Wankiewicz (Lublinianka KUL Basketball)

Michal Krcho (ŠBK Galaxy Košice)

Adam Cyprian (BKM Iskra Svit)

Samuel Rider (Basketpoint Frýdek-Místek)

Maksym Furin (TS Wisla Jura Basket)

Top scorer of the tournament:

Michal Krcho (ŠBK Galaxy Košice) - 133 points (26.6 points per game)

On the website you can find all the results, including statistics, as well as a rich photo gallery.

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