

Women's Basketball Nationals



Claire Mitton goes up for a basket as Cathy Reesor of the Regina Cougettes looks on. Claire scored 18 points against the Cougettes.

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stopped. It was only after Guelph coach found out that they had lost that she launched the appeal. It seems to me to be a "cheap" display and while she was correct in that a mistake still existed she should have seen it resolved at the point at which it occurred.)

The last 8 minutes of the game, was replayed at 10:00 AM Saturday morning and in the finest display of poetic justice I have ever seen Victoria downed Guelph 63-60 and proved they would have won anyway.

The Laurention-Victoria championship game was exactly that, a game of champions. On one side was Laurention with 4 National victories running and only one lost game in 4 1/2 years. Opposing the giant was Victoria, the underdog who upset the 2nd and 4th ranked teams to get a crack at the Vees dominance and return the "Bronze Baby" to British Columbia.

Suffice to say, the game went to DOUBLE OVERTIME as Laurention won their 5th consecutive NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP. It was tied 49-49 at the end of regulation time, then 51-51 at the end of the first overtime. Finally the Vees (sans the services of Sylvia Sweeney and Allison Towriss) held on to defeat the Vikettes (sans Tracie Acara) 61-53.

I congratulate both teams and give them fair warning that next year will be different...Nuff said.

TOURNAMENT STATISTICS — 3 GAMES

#PLAYER	REB.	STEALS	POINTS
4 Patti Moffitt	0	1	2
6 Carolyn Gammon	0	0	1
7 Laura Sanders	12	0	3
8 Claire Mitton	22	3	52
9 Cathy Maxwell	18	8	73
10 Lois Scott	3	2	6
11 Moira Pryde	17	4	26
12 Marleigh Moran	0	0	2
13 Kathy Jennings	2	2	18
14 Liedy Scholten	2	2	2
15 Patty Sheppard	9	7	14



Red Bloomers Patty Sheppard, Lois Scott, and Cathy Maxwell look on as Liedy's shot is about to score for another 2 points against Bishop's University.



Coach Joyce Slipp and assistant coach Dick Slipp look on as the Red Bloomers sharpen their aim during warmup before the Regina game.

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