

HOLY FAMILY U16 GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM DEFEATS Cnoc MUIRE IN SHIELD COMPETITION

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On the 10th of December, the Holy Family U16 girls' basketball team took on Cnoc Mhuire Granard as part of their shield competition.

The girls started strong with an amazing score from Mary Uchendu, putting the team on the right foot. After scoring some incredible baskets, the girls were up by 5 points at the end of the first quarter. It was an intense, aggressive match, with Cnoc Mhuire defending strongly, but the Holy Family girls were working smarter than their opponents, keeping Cnoc Mhuire on their toes throughout the game. The girls led 12-6 going into the second quarter.

Cnoc Mhuire began to lose focus and the HFSS used this to their advantage, pushing ahead with a strong purple patch. They scored basket after basket consistently and with determination, going ahead 19-6 into the final quarter. The girls played a fast-paced game and made sure to stand in the way of any chances Cnoc Mhuire had. Cnoc Mhuire's were playing strong, and they began to rally and closed the score to 24-16 with only 3 minutes and 30 seconds left to play. However, Beth O'Donoghue stepped up for the HFSS girls, scoring an amazing 3-pointer. The Cnoc Mhuire girls were getting frustrated, but the HFSS girls remained calm and, in the end, pulled through with a well-deserved win. The atmosphere and the amazing plays from the girls gave everyone chills.