

WWHSHL  
All Star Day  
Game Report  
January 22, 2017  
Blue Vets v. White Vets

The first game of the WWHSHL All Star Game between the Blue Vets and the White Vets got off to a rousing start with a large and enthusiastic crowd in attendance. The initial play was evenly matched with good chances on both sides. Blue #7, Taylor Herold of the Garden City Golphers, had one of the best chances as she skated down 2 on 1 with Blue #13, Sierra Sutherland of the St. Mary's Flames, to her right. Using her teammate as a decoy, Taylor cut in only to be hauled down for her troubles. Up went the referee's arm and he then pointed to centre ice for a penalty shot. With the crowd hushed, Taylor skated in, cut to her right and fired high to the glove side, but White #33, Dana Schultz of the Springfield Sabres, flashed leather and made the save. With her team thus encouraged, White began to take control of the play. They were finally rewarded when White #4, Siara Chelle of the Springfield Sabres, skated down left wing and fired a beautiful shot, crossbar and in. 1-0 White. White #8, Tayla Kendall of the Sanford Sabres, got the assist. With time winding down in the first period, White #2, Samantha Bernardin of the Lorette Scorpions, started a rush, firing a shot which the Blue goaltender #33, Haley Swidnicki of the PCI Saints, stopped but couldn't corral. The puck came back to White #11, Hailee Morriseau of the PCI Saints, who passed to White #6, Taylor Hildebrand of the Sanford Sabres, who tucked the puck under Hailee. 2-0 White. The period ended shortly thereafter with shots 15 each.

In the second period the White Vets continued to have the balance of the play and the Blue Vets struggled to contain them. Finally White #8, Tayla, started the play, keeping the puck in the offensive zone. White #2, Samantha, controlled behind the net with White #6, Taylor, helping control the puck. Finally a pass out onto the stick of White #11, Hailee, was fired home. 3-0 White. At this point the goaltenders switched with Blue #31, Kailee Anderson of the Kildonan East Reivers, taking over and White #31, Taylor McDermott of the Vincent Massey Trojans, in net relieving White #33, Dana, who was perfect for her stint on goal. The Blue Vets tried to respond with Blue #10, Jaime McNicholl of the CJS Olympiens, passing to Blue #2, Cassidy Berzuk of the SJR Eagles, in perfect position in the slot. Her one timer was right on goal but White #31, Taylor, made the save. Still the balance of the play favoured the White team and a rush by the Blue Vets was intercepted by White #6, Taylor, who passed to White #2, Samantha. Her shot fooled Kailee and the White team had a 4-0 lead. With time winding down in the second period, Blue #6, Fiona Dunn of the SJR Eagles, led a rush and fired a shot high to the glove side. It looked labeled for the inside of the net but the puck was deflected off the crossbar and out to keep the score perfect for the White Vets.

In the third the White dominance continued with White #3, Brianna Bucci of the Fort Richmond Centurions, blocking a slap shot attempt and skating down right wing, sliding it in glove side to stake the White team to a 5-0 lead. The scoring was completed with another clearing attempt being intercepted by White #7, Chelsea Hobson of the Sturgeon Heights Huskies, who skated in 2 on 0 and fired it home. 7-0 White. With that the Blue team fought back, getting some good chances, thanks to Blue #13, Sierra, and Blue #10, Jaime. Then with two minutes left in a bold move, the Blue coaches pulled their goalie and the fans were treated to some very high tempo hockey as the Blue team tried to break the goose egg, and the White team did their best to score into the empty net. Neither were successful but the fans were treated to some exciting play, particularly by Blue #15, Breanna Vince of the Beliveau Barracudas, who held the puck in

the offensive zone despite being double teamed by White fore checkers who could smell the seventh goal. However, the buzzer sounded to seal a convincing 6-0 White victory. Final shots on goal: White 40; Blue 31.

Third Star for the White team was #3, Brianna Bucci. Second Star for the Blue team was #13, Siarra Sutherland. First Star for the White team was #6, Taylor Hildebrand.