

2026 15/u Division 1

Wayback 27 def Wanilla Rangers 29

Waybacks and Rangers have battled it out all year, with every game being played to a high standard of netball. Waybacks finished the season as minor premiers, however Rangers won the first final, so it was always going to be a battle for the premiership. In near perfect weather conditions, both teams took some time to settle into the game, with Waybacks taking the lead by 3 goals at quarter time, 9-6

The second quarter saw Waybacks goalies and defence stay composed, working to extend their lead to 17-10 at half time.

Both teams went into the third quarter keeping their goal and defence ends the same, only making changes in the midcourt. Rangers goalies Indie Hollamby and Jessie Caulfield continued working hard to shoot over the tall and reliable defenders Isla Tromp and Brooklyn Gray, bringing Rangers to within 4 goals going into the last quarter, 21-17

The last quarter saw Waybacks defence working hard to get rebounds and intercepts, with their goalies Chloe Duncan and Piper Linsell converting the goals and extending their lead. Rangers defenders Keira Taylor and Sophie Gray then stepped it up, helping their team close the gap and draw even with only 90 seconds on the clock.

Waybacks co-captain Lily Turvey took two crucial intercepts, stopping the ball in the midcourt and helping her team maintain their lead and secure a 2-goal win, 29-27

The very deserving defender, Keira Taylor from Rangers, was awarded Best on Court.