



# The Weekly Wrap

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The informal Newsletter of the Essendon Water Polo Club Inc.

## State Championships Round 10 - Match Reports



Rachel

Tuesday night saw Essendon take on Nunawading in a vital game, with both clubs eyeing off the all important fourth spot. The game reflected this importance as both teams worked hard to create chances against committed defences. Whilst Essendon created a number of chances it was Nunawading that was able to draw first blood. The score line was close right throughout the game but each time we were able to score our opponents were able to reply. The game was nip and tuck right up until the final minute when Essendon was able to draw level. Unfortunately Nunawading was able to draw a major foul and in the subsequent extra man play, scored the winning goal with seconds left on the clock.

**WSL1**

**Essendon were defeated by Nunawading : 6 – 7**

Report by Brett Pullyblank

With the U18's warm up consisting of playing in SL1 then sprinting to the diving pool it would have been reasonable to expect our girls to show the effects of a tough game just completed. It was greatly to our girl's credit that they played a controlled game against some physical opponents and were able to come away with a comfortable win.

**WSL2**

**Essendon 18s defeated St Catherine's : 7 – 1** Goals : AlexC 4, Millie 1, Stella 1, Charlotte 1

Report by Brett Pullyblank



Brittany

There was some excitement about this game. Not only was it just our second MSAC appearance for the comp, but we were also being beamed live on the waterpolo scorer app/facebook. The game started well as we took control with a couple of quick goals. Things settled and NYP came back. We kept our noses ahead for most of the game as they played catch-up. With only a few dangerous players, we tried to ensure they were covered at all times, but got caught out and allowed them to score. The game was tied with about 90 secs on the clock, and we did well to keep them out under immense pressure. Kate was sensational in goals and really kept us in. A great game against the top team, with a win within our grasp....

**WSL3**

**Essendon drew with NYP Dragons : 5 – 5**

Report by Lisa Murray-Segal

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Special "gold star" award to Susan Mills who sat on the table for four games in a row this week!

## 2013 State Championships - Ladders After Round 10

WSL1		WSL2		WSL3		YthG		MSL4		MSL5 – 2	
Melb Coll	28	Essendon 18s	26	NYP Dragons	28	Essendon Black	30	MC Soviets	26	Essendon	27
Footscray	27	Melb Coll 18s	26	DVE Aquatic	23	MC Marlins	26	La Trobe Uni	23*	MC Gold	24
Richmond	21	Richmond	26	La Trobe Uni	21	Richmond	22	Melb Uni	22	Melb Uni	24
Essendon	16	NYP Dragons	23	Monash Uni	20	NYP Dragons	15	DVE Aquatic	19*	NYP Dragons	18
NYP Dragons	16	NYP Dragons 18 s	22	Essendon	15	Essendon Red	13	Old Melb Blue	18*	Ajax	14
Monash	12	Melb Uni	19	Melb Uni	10			Essendon	17*	Monash Uni 5s	13
		Melb Coll	17					Old Melb White	15		
		Monash Uni	14								
		Footscray	14								
		St Cath's	11								

TOP 4 TEAMS PLAY FINALS

\* Round 10 game result not yet included

# State Championships Round 10 - Match Reports

The girls had a scheduled bye this week, but will face their club colleagues next week, **YthG-Black** in the local Derby... Essendon Vs Essendon! We can't lose !

**YthG-Red**

Essendon Red were defeated by Richmond : 0 – 15

**MSL4**

**MSL5**

Essendon defeated the NYP Dragons : 9 – 4

## Latest WaterRatz addition!



This is Sophie Deery, born to Erika and Dave Deery on October 13 weighing in at 3.3kg. Congratulations to the proud parents!!!