

GameStream

Final | Postseason Game | CCR1, Strathfieldsaye

5 Falcons

Sunday, September 03  
10:30AM

Dodgers U14 Devils 17

Game over!

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
FLCN	3	2	0	X	X	X	X	5	4	0
DGRS	9	8	0	X	X	X	X	17	3	0

Scored by: **Bethany Amsing**

## Devils Dominate in Premiership Win

Having only played each other once during the season, the scene was set for an epic U14 Grand Final as the two top teams went head to head to determine the 2023 Premier.

The Dodgers Devils had an undefeated record during the home and away season and were looking to continue their winning ways against Falcons who had held 2<sup>nd</sup> place for the majority of the season.

Hamish Kelly took the mound for the Devils with the young hurler giving up three walks and singles to Strahan and Castle helping Falcons to an early 3-0 lead. With bases loaded, Kelly then dug deep to strike out the side and send the game to the bottom of the 1<sup>st</sup>.

Fletcher Cain was on the hill for Falcons and after issuing early walks, gave up singles to Kelly and Hando which plated Amsing and Shanahan to cut the lead to just one. When Jack Beard was walked, the 9<sup>th</sup> batter ruled handed the Devils a 9-run 1<sup>st</sup> inning and 9-3 lead.

Returning to the pitcher's plate in the 2<sup>nd</sup>, Kelly struck out one and after giving up two runs via drop third strikes and a wild pitch, handed the ball over to Blake Hando who had led the Tigers pitching crew in 2023. After striking out Ward, Hando got out of the inning thanks to line out catch to Sioeli Parsons at 2<sup>nd</sup> Base.

The bottom of the 2<sup>nd</sup> saw several free passes given to the Tigers hitters before Guryash Singh singled to drive home Sean Ralston. Another 9<sup>th</sup> Batter walk to Jack Beard saw the Dodgers Devils move to within reach of the U14 Premiership as eight runs crossed the plate giving the young Dodgers a 17-5 lead.

As the top of the 3<sup>rd</sup> began, Pia Amsing took to the mound giving up a single to Castle before Kelly and Beard combined to tag out a runner at 3<sup>rd</sup>. After giving up two runs, Amsing got Strahan to ground out to Nicholson at 2<sup>nd</sup> who instinctively threw the ball to 1<sup>st</sup> baseman Hando who in turn tagged a stationary runner to retire the side.

Time & Game was called shortly after handing a deserved Dodgers Devils the 2023 Under 14 Premiership.