

Girls' Portugal Hockey Report

After a very early start, we had our first training session. Names were learnt and the bant started.

The next day we had our second training session and some free time to go to the beach.

After a quick dip, we then got ready for our first match of the season. We started strong with lots of possession but quickly learnt they were very skilful and strong in the defensive. With some great teamwork we came away with a score of 2-2 which is very promising for the future.

Day 3 saw a quick gym session outside and then back to training. After more pool time, we had our second match. We started well and put together all that we had learnt from our training. Amazing passing from the back 4, great speed from the mids and good finishes from the forwards led to a 3-1 win.

The team showed its potential for the coming season and we are looking forward to our next matches against Marden Ladies and the OCs.

Well done especially to Connie Turner for being nominated as Man of the Match from the opposition and Olivia Tomalin for achieving MVP for her fantastic passing and slight aggression!

Big thanks goes to Mrs Coleman and Mr Johnson for all their organisation, support and coaching!



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