

Eunan's u19 pushed aside by donegal town in a 20 point blowout



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Abbey started the game strong and three three pointers were scored by number 04 for abbey. Eunan's didn't give up yet, in a quick response Nathan Grant scored a midrange basket but was cancelled out off a fast break layup worked well by abbey. Mickey McLaughlin scored a lovely three and Eamon scored a lay up to bring the game 11-7 in favour of abbey. Abbey finished the quarter strong leading to the first quarter ending in 20-7.

Eunans kept their team the same in the second quarter hoping to find joy through their fast break outlet Issac O'Neil. But Abbey reopened the scoring with a lay up by number 9. Eunans responded well with a fast break which led to a 3 pointer and a lay up by Conor Barron. Abbey worked well to break down a stronger Eunans defence and scored a lay up. Going into half time the game was at 28-12 once again in abbey favour

In the third quarter a young Christoper Mainti who is in third year got subbed in for Nathan Grant.

Straight away the impact from Christopher was shown as he got an assist for Mickey's 3 pointer. Conor Barron got up well for a rebound and comfortably put it back in the basket to bring the game to 28-19.

But Abbey scored a comfortable fast break layup. But Eunans didn't drop their heads and scored a floater and a three pointer and a lay up back to back to back to bring the game to 30-24.

Issac finally got a breakthrough and earned himself two free throws. He scored one. But Abbey started to run away with and closed out the quarter 35-25.

At the start of the fourth quarter in a final tactical move to try and win the game Eunans sub on Cormac Crossan and Nathan Grant for Issac O'Neil and Christoper Mainti.

Abbey ran up and scored a layup but Mickey responded well and earned himself 3 free throws but he was unlucky to miss them.

The floodgates open for abbey and the game ends at 57-25

Top scorer in the game - Mickey Mcloughlin with 12 points.