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With an influx of new team entering the SYCW competition in 2K11, how did they fair in their first test? Not to mention some old powerhouses still getting the job done...

We had to wait a day before we saw a result that was within 29 points with Saturday's winners doing it very easily, but come Sunday we found some absolute gems.

Saturday we saw the Waverley Falcons inflict serious damage on Hume City Saturday night, pounding the Broncos by 54 points. The game was pretty well won and done by the end of the first with the scoreboard reading 30-4 in the Falcons favour. This allowed them to spread the minutes around with everyone getting in on the action.

Last years runner up Hawthorn applied the same defensive pressure and heart that they did in 2010 on Sunday afternoon, but there struggles to put the ball in the hole remained an issue. They held the Broncos to a measly 12 points in the first half, forcing the home team to shoot 12% from the field in that time.

The Broncos rallied in the fourth, taking the final period 19-5 to wind up 5 points losers in a gallant effort.

The Melbourne Tigers were forced to earn

In her first Big V game in an Altona Gators singlet, Natalie Pegoraro had a night to remember. 28 points in just 29 minutes in an inspiring performance.

their win over the Boomers, with now no Isabella Brancatisano to fall back on when times get tough. But they spread the love offensively with Sarah Wright leading the Tigs with 13 and Courtney Gaze dropping in 10.

But the best game of the weekend came when old foes Eltham and DV faced off in E-Town. The Wildcats controlled the game from the tip, winning the first three quarters as Abbi Weatherald did as she pleased on the way to a team high 16 points. But despite the Eagles being soundly beaten for the most

"The Venom never gave up and kept pressing and running all night. They showed some good signs in the middle of the game but could not break down the size factor".- A scouts take.

part, they showed why they have won two youth championships in a row as they pulled out a 29-13 final quarter to snag an unlikely win- Amy Faulkner the hero with 20 points.

In other results, Ringwood drilled Craigieburn by 19, the Gators bit the Venom, Bulleen crunched Whittlesea and the Cats belted Sunbury 80 to 42 to finish off an entertaining round of ball in State Youth Championship Women.

ROUND 1 RESULTS

Ringwood	75	defeated	Craigieburn	56	Bulleen	76	defeated	Whittlesea	47
Altona	86	defeated	Warrandyte	51	Hawthorn	49	defeated	Hume City	44
Waverley	100	defeated	Hume City	46	Diamond Valley	77	defeated	Eltham	76
Melbourne	58	defeated	Bulleen	49	Geelong	80	defeated	Sunbury	42