



NINERS Chemnitz Academy wins the U17 tournament

Chemnitz wins the seventh U17 tournament hosted by Ostrow Wielkopolski. The German team dominated the tournament with a match record of 5-0. It was definitely not an easy victory, at least the Slovak teams put up strong resistance to Chemnitz.

The home team challenged MBK Karlovka Bratislava in the first match of the tournament. The home team kept their opponents within striking distance in the first half. In the second half, Karlovka switched to a higher gear and dominated the match. The next match offered a duel between the newcomer in CEYBL tournaments, BC Gurjaani Delta team, who came from faraway Georgia, and their opponent was the Slovak team BKM Iskra Svit . Before the Georgian team could even look up, they were losing by a double-digit margin and Svit gave them a beating almost as high as Gerlachovský štít (the highest Slovak mountain), which is almost in sight from Svit. The last pair of the first round was the German NINERS Chemnitz Academy and SKM Zastal Zielona Góra . Chemnitz also had no mercy on Zastal and gave them a real beating.

Saturday was full of challenges with big differences in scores.

In the first match on Sunday morning, Chemnitz and Karlovka played each other, which entered the match better and built a slight lead in the first quarter. In the second quarter, Chemnitz woke up and turned the match in their favor by several points, in the third quarter they increased the lead to a double-digit difference. However, Karlovka does not give up and with great pressure they get close to the shooting range, but they fail to turn the tables and lose by a difference of seven points. They lost to Svit, which thus confirms the silver medal. And the tournament closes with the home team's duel with BC Gurjaani Delta . Despite the loss, the Georgian team plays its best game of the tournament.

### Final tournament standings:

- 1. NINERS Chemnitz Academy (Germany)
- 2. BKM Iskra Svit (Slovakia)
- 3. MBK Karlovka Bratislava (Slovakia)
- 4. AK Stal Ostrów Wielkopolski (Poland)
- 5. SKM Zastal Zielona Góra (Poland)
- 6. BC Gurjaani Delta (Georgia)

The following players received individual awards:

#### MVP:

Max Müller ( NINERS Chemnitz Academy )

#### All-star team:

Lucas Kubala (BKM Iskra Svit)

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Noam Burmad ( MBK Karlovka Bratislava )

Gabriel Kaczmarzyk ( AK Stal Ostrów Wielkopolski )

Dawid Krasinski (SKM Zastal Zielona Góra)

Giorgi Jibladze ( BC Gurjaani Delta )

## **Top scorer of the tournament:**

Samuel Kokavec (BKM Iskra Svit) - 97 points (19.4 points per game)

On the website you can find all the results, including statistics, as well as a rich photo gallery.

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