

ELITE SPORTS SUPER 32

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Elite Sports Events put on another great tournament this weekend at the INSPORTS Facility in Trumbull. Teams 13U to 17U gathered together from all over the Connecticut area and competed for the title of champion in this elite event.

In the 13U Division, Ct Premier Hoops Carothers put on relentless pressure and rode their defensive intensity to a hard fought 60-45 victory against a very game West Hartford Magic team from Connecticut. PHD led at half by only 9 but extended their lead early in the second half and never looked back led by Steve Padini with 21 points and Jack Thereault with 10 points. The Magic were led by Justin Collins with 12 and Nolin Storo with 10 in defeat.

In the 14U Division, Connecticut Elite Menta dominated the division and the final was no different. They used a tenacious half court and full court trap to pull away 24-12 early and maintained that lead throughout finally winning the game by a final score of 46-33 over a very talented West Hartford Magic team. Connecticut Elite was led by Michael Haren with 12 and Tion Sheffield with 11 points. The magic were led by James with 9 points and Matt kicked in 7 in defeat.

In the 15U Division, Connecticut Elite battled with team 914 in another great battle of two very talented and equal teams! This game was much like the 17U final, came down to the last possession! Down by one, elite had the ball and had a great look as Chris Hyzy was open from 3 and it just rimmed off and Team 914 held on to a thrilling 46-45 victory! It was a see saw back and forth affair the entire way! Team 914 was led by Rudepileus who scored a game high 18 with four 3-pointers!!! Wilson added 8 as well in ye victory! Elite was led by Matt St Louis with 13 and Sean Breslin added 10 in defeat.

In the 17u/16U division, the best battle of the day ensued as the Connecticut Elite Vinnie team took on the Hoop Stars! This game was close throughout, with neither team leading by more than 5 points at any point of the game. This game came down to

the wire as the Hoop Stars team executed better down the stretch to narrowly pull out a 72-70 victory in the battle of the oldest division! The Hoop Stars were led by Devin Rodriguez with 21 points and D'andre Gibbs with 14. CT Elite was led by Bryan Acevedo with a game and tournament high 37 points in defeat. Kyle Congillo also chipped in an additional 18 in the defeat.