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GAME 4 - Out West vs. BBC SINT Katelijne Waver – Aug. 26

Out West faced the Division I BBC Sint Kaelijne Waver in the first round of the tournament in Remich Luxembourg which is about 30 minutes from Luxembourg City. The Belgium team was rougher and tougher than any others Out West faced so far. The first half was foul ridden and Out West struggled to perform against the highly physical opponents. At half time Out West was down by six points, and in the third quarter Out West fell back by 12 points.

Out West then picked up the pace by playing some intense defense and began out rebounding the Belgium team. At the beginning of the fourth quarter Out West tied the game and the intensity increased and the game was virtually tied throughout the fourth quarter. Nicole Dypolt came off the bench to grab some key rebounds and scored. With 19 seconds to go, Kelsey Blair grabbed a rebound and scored to put Out West ahead by 1. The game ended with Out West winning 86-85.

Ashley Dutchak paced Out West with 26 points followed by Kelsey Blair with 19 and 15 rebounds. Lindsay Maundrell hit for 15 points and Carolyn Plummer scored 10. Out West now goes on to play the Saarlouis Royals in the final on Sunday.



Coach Russell and the Out West players celebrate after defeating their Belgium opponents at Remich. This leaves Out West with a 3 win, 1 loss record so far.



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Jordana Miltimore, Ashley Dutchak, Carolyn Plummer, Erin Jopp and Nicole Dypolt tour the beautiful town of Remich on the Mosel River which is the border between Germany and Luxembourg.



Lindsay Maudrell and Kelsey Blair present Jacques and Marion Sitz of Remich with gifts. The Sitz's, former National Team players, and the parents of Out West visiting player Ninon Sitz, were instrumental in arranging a number of European games in the past two years for Out West and hosted the Team at their home. Mr. Sitz is also the head coach of the men's professional team.



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