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CONGRATULATIONS - ROCKETS WOMEN WIN CENTRAL ABL PREMIERSHIP

In front of a large and loud crowd of Red and White supporters the Rockets women sealed their first premiership in 10 years.

It was not until the final quarter that the Rockets put their head in front of the Sturt Sabres and then it was the cheering of the enthusiastic ROCKET RED faithful that brought the ladies home for the WIN.

FANTASTIC EFFORT ROCKET SUPPORTERS

Jo Hill was her youthful self winning the game MVP award with 22 points, 12 rebounds and 5 assists.

This might be Jo's testimonial year but Jo showed why it should be no certainty that this is her last year in the ROCKET uniform. *Newsflash – Nothing is decided - Jo Hill may well be back playing for the Rockets in 2015.*

Genna Anderson kept her best game of the season for the grand final contributing 13 crucial points and 6 rebounds many after Jaimi Lee Peris pick up her 5th foul on a dubious Angela Marino dribbling charge.

Peris contributed 14 points before fouling out and Kirsty Williams chimed in for 10 valuable points. Key defensive play by Lauren Badenock and rookie guard Sarah Elsworthy were critical in containing the dribbling Angela Marino.

The WIN caps off three years of back to back to back grand finals for the Lady Rockets and sees the retirement of Barry Mansfield as the Women's ABL Coach. Coach Mansfield was both relieved and very proud that the girls finally got the win third time lucky. Barry thanks the North Adelaide Basketball Club for the opportunity to coach it's CABL team over the past 3 years and believes the key reasons for the success of the team over the three years has been installing a more team orientated and disciplined culture into the group plus also initiating and overseeing, together with assistant coaches John Della Pia and Simon Crowden, the transition of junior girls into the Women's CABL program. With

four current Under 18 players in the ABL squad the Rockets are well placed to continue their success in the future.

Many thanks to all Rockets supporters who attended the game to cheer on the Lady Rockets and also who came along for the after game celebrations at the Club. Celebrations included a Jo Hill handstand walk across the court, some interesting catwalk impersonators and the less than elegant Baz worm attempt .

Lastly, the team's would like to share with the Rocket faithful their catch phrase the "ICEBERG". The girls over the last 3 years have taken on board the concept that a team is not just the 1 or 2 or 3 stars in the team (represented by the ice tip above the water) but it also needed a strong and wide base (representing the iceberg under the water) if the team was going to succeed. Every player in the group has absolutely taken on board the ICEBERG culture, every new player or rookie added to the team has understood that is the way the LADY ROCKETS play; they are supportive of each other on and off the court no matter how many minutes they play and understand that every single squad member contributes to the success of the team. This culture and obvious enjoyment the girls show playing for each is envied by other CABL teams and has resulted in three grand finals appearances and the 2014 PREMIERSHIP WIN.



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