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GAME PREVIEW

This Sunday, the UC Capitals will look to make their 13th consecutive win at home, carrying on their 2018-19 season success.

The UC Capitals are coming off a mixed but ultimately successful season opener against the Adelaide Lightning. The effect of missing bigs Marianna Tolo and Mikaela Ruef seemed to be too hard to overcome during that forgettable second quarter, but the team's ability to bounce back after half-time proved that even without some of their most illustrious players, the UC Capitals have got the talent to go far this season.

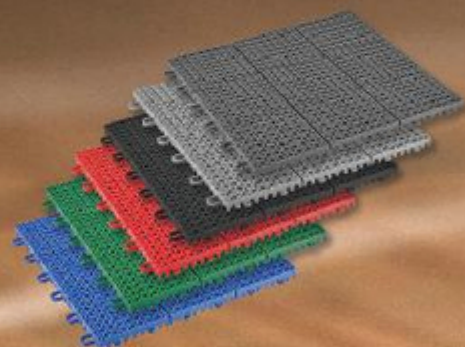
Keely Froling's standout performance combined with the usual showstoppers Kelsey Griffin and Kia Nurse made for a highly entertaining game and one that boosted the confidence of all fans. Griffin, on the back of becoming the WNBL Player of The Week record holder, was selected again for the opening round and Kia Nurse joined her on the Team of The Week.

Now that co-captain and starting centre Marianna Tolo will be back, things will only continue to improve. Coach Paul Goriss will have to restrict her minutes to manage her workload coming off injury, leaving plenty of opportunity for Froling to continue her stride.

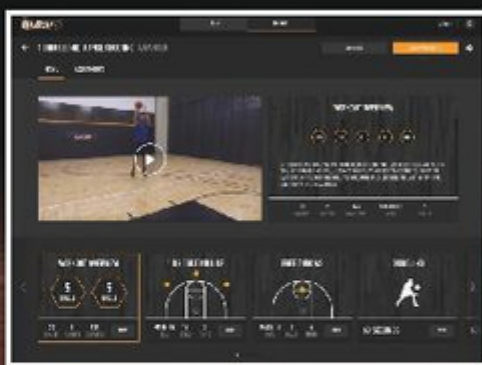
The Fire will be coming off their Round 1 loss to Southside. Despite Abby Bishop missing in action, they did well to keep up with one of the most competitive teams in the league this season. If all goes to plan for the Fire, Bishop will make her return on Friday when they take on the Adelaide Lightning and will face off against Griffin in Canberra.

After their Round 1 performances, Canadian import Bridget Carleton as well as Tess Madgen and Darcee Garbin will be critical to the Fire's chances this weekend.

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KELSEY GRIFFIN

Height: 188cm

DOB: 02/07/1987

Position: Forward



MARIANNA TOLO

Height: 196cm

DOB: 02/07/1989

Position: Centre



KIA NURSE

Height: 183cm

DOB: 22/02/1996

Position: Guard



OLIVIA EPOUPA

Height: 165cm

DOB: 30/04/1994

Position: Point Guard



MADDY ROCCI

Height: 169cm

DOB: 01/06/1998

Position: Guard



MIKAELA RUEF

Height: 191cm

DOB: 20/10/1990

Position: Forward-Centre



KEELY FROLING

Height: 188cm

DOB: 31/01/1996

Position: Forward



ABBY CUBILLO

Height: 168cm

DOB: 18/05/1999

Position: Guard



ALEX DELANEY

Height: 183cm

DOB: 21/06/1995

Position: Forward



KRISTY WALLACE

Height: 180cm

DOB: 03/01/1996

Position: Guard



LILY SCANLON

Height: 175cm

DOB: 21/02/2001

Position: Point Guard



GEMMA POTTER

Height: 183cm

DOB: 27/02/2002

Position: Guard-Forward



SHAKERA REILLY

Height: 178cm

DOB: 08/09/1999

Position: Forward



MADDY WHEATLEY

Height: 180cm

DOB: 03/06/2002

Position: Guard



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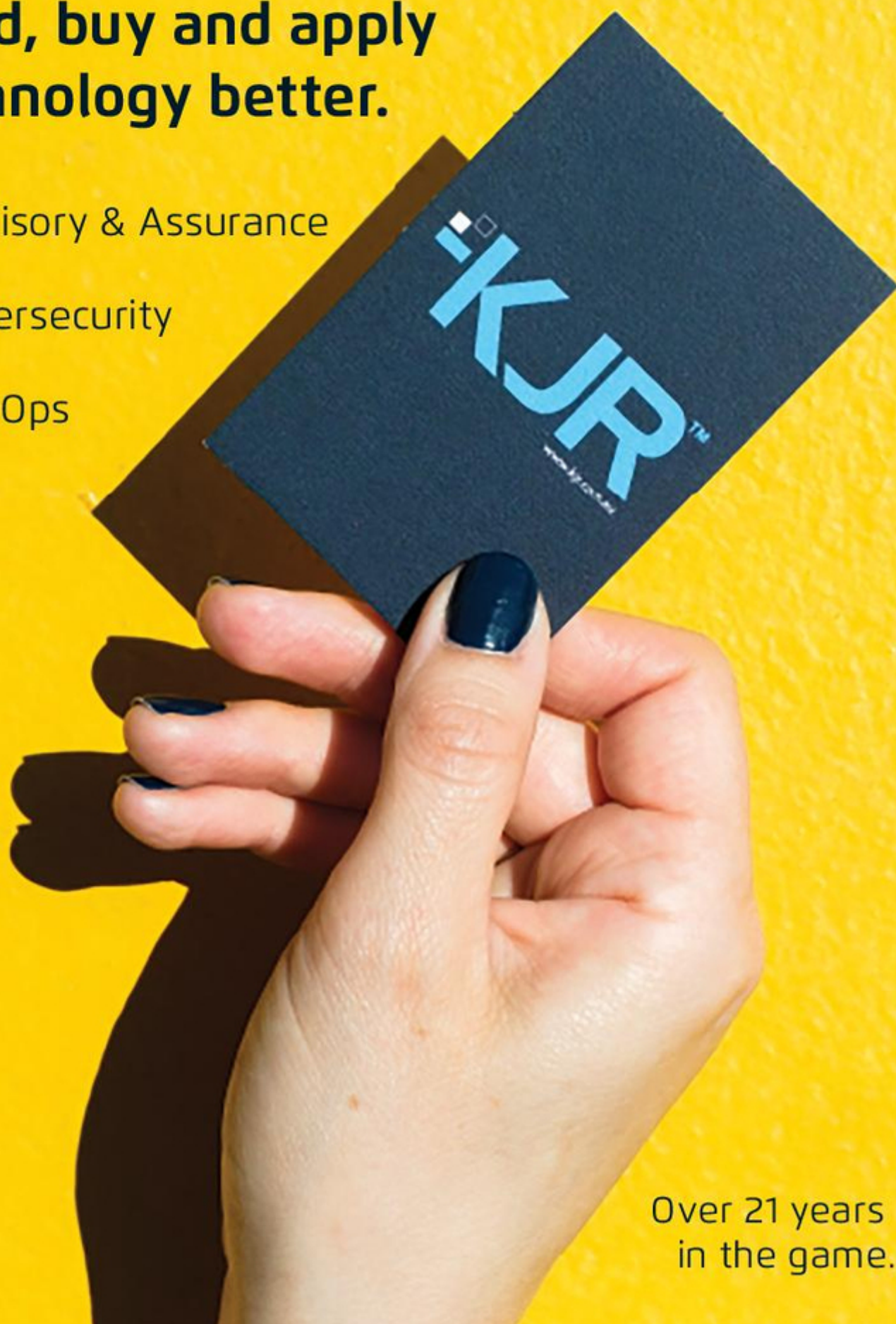
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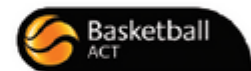


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NO.	PLAYER	HEIGHT (CM)	POSITION
4	Hannah Young	185	Forward
9	Tess Madgen	180	Guard
10	Abby Bishop	191	Forward
11	Kate Gaze	173	Guard
12	Alison Ebzery	178	Guard
14	Darcee Garbin	188	Forward
15	Zitina Aukoso	194	Centre
21	Bridget Carleton	186	Forward
22	Christina Boag	188	Forward
32	Micaela Cocks	174	Guard
35	Julie Vanloo	173	Guard

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