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**YOUR WEEKLY UPDATE ON NETBALL'S 2006 NATIONAL BANK CUP**  
*Semi Finals A & B Review - 19 June 2006*



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## Magic though to final, Sting get second chance in Major Semi Final

Waikato/BOP Magic supported by Sleepyhead regained their top form in their semi final match against Ascot Park Hotel Southern Sting on Friday, booking Magic a home final. Magic's Irene van Dyk outplayed the Sting defenders to record 43 goals from 44 attempts (98%), while Tanya Lund shot at 78% (25/32). Sting coach Robyn Broughton made the most of her attacking depth rotating Tanya Dalton, Belinda Colling and Natalie Avellino in the shooting circle, finally having all three on court with Avellino donning the Wing Attack bib, but Magic's Casey Williams (player off the match) limited the Sting's ability to convert their attacking ball to goals.

Fujifilm Force hosted Ballantynes Canterbury Flames on Sunday in a hotly contested semi final at North Shore Events Centre. Although the Flames led the game 10-8 at the end of the first quarter, Force turned the game around in the second quarter, and led for the remainder of the game winning 42-39, with captain Temepara George winning player of the match.

The winning Force have now earned a place in the major semi final against the Sting on Friday 23 June, with the winner facing the Magic in the 2006 National Bank Cup final in Hamilton at Mystery Creek on Friday 30 June.



Force captain Temepara George in action

### Semi Final A Result

Ascot Park Hotel Southern Sting 51  
 Waikato/BOP Magic supported by Sleepyhead 61

Player of the Match:  
 Casey Williams (Magic)

### Semi Final B Result

Fujifilm Force 42  
 Ballantynes Canterbury Flames 39

Player of the Match:  
 Temepara George (Force)

## Shooting Statistics Semi Finals A & B

Name:	Team:	Semi Finals			Total		
		Goals	Attempts	%	Goals	Attempts	%
Tania Dalton	Sting	33	37	89%	187	194	96%
Irene van Dyk	Magic	43	44	98%	294	316	93%
Shelley Norris	Flames	17	20	85%	145	170	85%
Catherine Latu	Force	2	2	100%	135	162	83%
Megan Dehn	Force	2	4	50%	121	148	82%
Belinda Colling	Sting	11	14	79%	129	160	81%
Natalie Avellino	Sting	7	10	70%	134	168	80%
Brigitte Tapene	Force	25	32	78%	47	60	78%
Jade Topia	Flames	22	30	73%	163	224	73%
Tanya Lund	Magic	18	23	78%	116	163	71%
Daneka Wipiiti	Force	13	20	65%	93	140	66%

## The National Bank Cup 2006 Major Semi Final and Final Draw -

Game	Team 1	Team 2	Venue	Date/Time
Semi C	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Sting	Fujifilm Force	Stadium Southland, Invercargill	Fri 23 June 7:30pm
Final	Waikato/BOP Magic	Winner Semi C	Mystery Creek Events Centre, Hamilton	Fri 30 June 7:30pm

All Semis and the Final will be televised LIVE on ONE Sport, have live coverage on Radiosport and live scoring on [www.netballnz.co.nz](http://www.netballnz.co.nz)

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