



U11 Girls Black Go 4-0-0 at TWIST

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The Western Mass Jr. Pioneers U11 Girls "Black" attended the bronze level TWIST Tournament in Wallingford, Connecticut this past weekend recording a record of 4 wins, no losses and no ties. After playing in 3 friendly warm up games prior to the tournament, the ladies were looking for their first challenge in which the games were played with a competitive nature. The tournament is part of their preseason preparation for the upcoming fall season. Prior to the tournament, the team set specific goals of sound defense as well as putting together quality control of the ball on offense. The team was very proud to post 3 shut out games and ending the tournament with a 0.25 G.A.A. While the offense supplied a good deal of excitement averaging 4 goals per game, it was not the main story. It was the team effort in that 7 different players had goals, 9 different players chipped in with an assist and a total of 11 players getting a point on the weekend. The team now preps for the Platinum level Stars Cup in Lancaster on Labor Day weekend.