



# FRY CLUB COLTS MATCH REPORT U



Number 8

Valliers vanquished, but a pulverising from Patchway

6<sup>th</sup> November 2001

#### **Bristol Junior League U16: Results**

Fry Club Colts 12-0 Hengrove Athletic Fry Club Colts 1-6 Patchway Hengrove Boys 10-2 Hengrove Athletic

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#### Fry Club J F C: Results

Fry Club U10s	0-1	Shirehampton
Fry Club U11s	5-0	Patchway
Deerswood	1-1	Fry Club U12s
Avon Athletic 'A'	1-3	Fry Club U13s
Fry Club 'A' U14s	1-6	Bamford Sports
Cadbury Heath	8-0	Fry Club 'B'U14s

## Avon Youth League U15 : 28<sup>th</sup> October

Almondsbury 0-1 Avon Athletic
Thornbury Falcons 0-3 Whitchurch Sports 'A'
Whitchurch Sports 'B' 0-2 St Vallier

## Avon Youth League U15: 4<sup>th</sup> November

Avon Athletic	0-2	DRG Stapleton
Bitton Boys 'A'	6-3	Frampton Rangers 'A'
Brislington Juniors 'A'	5-2	Whitchurch Sports 'B'
St Vallier	0-5	Fry Club Colts
Warmley Rangers 'A'	8-1	Thornbury Falcons
Whitchurch Sports 'A'	2-0	Almondsbury

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Hengrove Athletic's previous results suggested that they were the weakest team in the league, so Dave used the opportunity to experiment a little! The team was:

Greg Tucker
Joe Garland Jack Gooding Dan Payne
Gareth Smith Rich Healey Mark Webb Zolly Vanyai
Ryan Perry Ross Ashman Jon Pitt

Substitute: Jamie Bryant (Gareth Smith, 43)

Five minutes in to the half and the first chance — to Athletic. A push in the back by Joe resulted in a free kick. The ball was hit in to the box, Dan swung a foot at it — missed, and Greg had to react quickly to smother the shot. We responded with a sweeping cross by Ryan from the right, over the defence to Zolly who cracked a low drive from the edge of the area that the 'keeper held at the foot of the post. A long throw from Mark then saw Rich beat a couple of players on the right before centring for Ryan to hit a shot just wide.

We took the lead after ten minutes when Jon found acres of space on the left to advance and hit a measured cross to the unmarked **Ryan** who calmly sidefooted the ball home (1-0).

A flick-on from Ross gave Jon the chance to add to the score, but his shot was too high. Another free kick almost provided Athletic with another chance, but the ball was driven low and three attackers were all caught offside as the ball was hit home.

Just over fifteen minutes gone and a couple of defensive miss kicks gave Ross the opportunity

to poke the ball under the 'keeper (2-0). A minute later and a quick throw out from Greg saw Joe advance down the right flank and centre for Ross to lay back for **Rich** to hit a shot home via the 'keeper and the bar (3-0).

Twenty minutes gone and a corner on the left was swung in and put in his own net by an Athletic defender (4-0) during the scramble for the ball.

We continued to press forward and the only real surprise was that it took another quarter of an hour to add to our tally. A long ball from Jack saw **Jon** beat Ross to the ball and knock it over the 'keeper (5-0).

#### HALF-TIME: COLTS 5 ATHLETIC 0

Three minutes in to the half and a couple of crosses saw the 'keeper flapping and the ball eventually fall to **Rich** on the edge of the area and he crashed the ball home (6-0). Jamie came on to replace Gareth, and within five minutes he had supplied the cross for **Jon** to nod the ball firmly past the 'keeper (7-0). Hengrove nearly got on the scoresheet a minute later with a dipping shot from the edge of the area that only just cleared the bar.

With a quarter of an hour gone, **Jon** completed his hat trick, calmly slotting the ball home (8-0), and was rewarded by being moved to left back – Joe moving up front.

In to the last quarter of an hour and a cross in from Jamie found **Jon** – totally out of position as a left back – at the far post for a tap-in (9-0).

A poor clearance from Greg fell straight to an Athletic player, but he drilled his shot inches the wrong side of the post. Play was soon back at the other end and Joe burst through to lob the 'keeper, the shot just going wide.

Ten minutes remaining and **Joe** – one-on-one with the 'keeper – calmly placed his shot wide of the 'keeper, and surprised everyone by getting it between the posts (10-0). A minute later and a pinpoint corner from Ross saw **Jon**, with another header, at the far post to nod home (11-0).

With just under five minutes remaining, **Ryan** wrapped up the scoring, slotting the ball home after the 'keeper had parried a shot (12-0).

FULL-TIME: COLTS 12 ATHLETIC 0

### Afterthoughts.....

We were never really extended, so not really much to say. In fact, we didn't pick a man of the match on the basis that it wasn't a game where we needed to be at our best, but could play like Bristol Rovers! Anyway, we're still waiting for Joe to return the trophy from last season.

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Several absentees, for various reasons meant that choices were restricted. The line-up was:

Ryan Perry
Tom Hamblin Dan Payne Mark Webb
Jack Gooding
Gareth Smith Rich Healey Zolly Vanyai Jay Slade
Jamie Bryant Jon Pitt

Substitutes Ross Ashman (Gareth Smith, 60) Phil Knight (Rich Healey, 66)

Patchway kicked off and took the lead after just three minutes. A midfielder was allowed to run from his own half, skip a couple of half-hearted challenges, and chip Ryan from 30 yards (0-1).

Ten minutes in to the half and Jack launched a long free kick towards the penalty area. Jon found Jamie, took the return ball, swivelled and got in a shot that was deflected for a corner that Patchway managed to clear.

Patchway seized upon a loose crossfield ball from Jack and a good cross in from our right flank was flicked just wide.

A long throw from Jay was knocked down by Jamie for Zolly to try and work an opening, but his shot was just wide. This was followed by a good move started by Tom with a ball down the line for Jamie to turn back and Gareth to fire over a cross. Jon was a whisker away from turning it in to the net, but Zolly retrieved the ball and rounded the 'keeper only for a defender's outstretched leg to divert his shot for a corner. Then, with just under a quarter of an hour gone a free kick was awarded, 30 yards out, but was hammered in to the wall by Tom, and cleared.

Jay received a word from the referee for a tackle from behind before a long ball over the top from Jack found Jon, but his shot was weak and the 'keeper wasn't troubled. Jamie was unlucky with an attempted lob that was cleared off the line before a good interception by Rich set Jon off again. Good control saw him twist and turn his way in to the area before releasing the ball to Rich who fell under the challenge of a defender -a dive according to the referee. The ball was played quickly upfield and Ryan had to sprint out of his area to clear.

A sweeping move down our right flank saw Tom, Gareth, Jack and Jamie exchange passes before Jamie pulled the ball back for Zolly to strike the ball low and hard, but just wide of the far post.

We continued to press forward. A good interception by Jay and whipped in cross was only half cleared and Rich tried a volley that was too high.

With half an hour gone Jack was caught dwelling on the ball, was robbed and Ryan could only parry the shot, but Mark was on hand to clear.

Tom and Jay then combined to set Jon on a run down the left flank. He outstripped his marker and his attempted chip was just a fraction too high. Patchway responded with a break down our left flank, but Jay managed to unsettle the player enough to make him shoot wide.

With five minutes of the half remaining, Rich was scythed down and limped off. We continued with ten men and with seconds left we launched a good move down the right flank. Jamie played a one-two with Tom before cutting back the ball for Jon to find Zolly. The 'keeper pulled off a good save, but Zolly was offside in any case.

#### HALF TIME: COLTS 0 PATCHWAY 1

Rich declared himself fit enough to carry on, and we exerted early pressure. Rich was off target with a wild shot before a through ball from Patchway beat our offside trap. Ryan made an effort to get to the ball, but failed. However he looked to have driven the Patchway forward wide enough to neutralise the threat, as Dan got back to cover. Unfortunately, the shot from an acute angle deceived Dan and the ball went under his attempted block (0-2).

A minute later and Gareth and Jack combined to release Jon who managed to get in a shot that was blocked by the 'keeper's feet. With almost twenty minutes gone, Patchway again broke through and their forward fired just wide of Ryan's

post. Ross came on to play up front as we sought the goal needed to get back in to the game. Zolly switched to the right as Gareth came off. However, two minutes later and careless play from Jack allowed a Patchway player to break through and beat the advancing Ryan (0-3). Rich hobbled off to be replaced in midfield by Mark, Phil coming on in defence.

With half an hour gone a quick throw from Zolly found Ross. He turned, appeared to lose the ball, but deftly beat off his challenger and finished unerringly, low under the 'keeper (1-3). Patchway regained their three goal cushion a couple of minutes later as Phil was outstripped for pace and his tackle from behind clipped the Patchway player's ankle. Penalty; Ryan went the wrong way, (1-4).

With five minutes remaining Phil and a Patchway player went for the ball and it ricocheted from the tackle straight in to the path of a Patchway player who gratefully accepted the opportunity to sidefoot the ball home (1-5).

Good battling from Ross saw him win the ball and play a neat through ball for Jon who shot wide with only the 'keeper to beat. Patchway attacked quickly and this time Dan was beaten for pace only to be rescued by Ryan coming out quickly to clear. In to the final minute and Patchway sealed their victory with another goal. If the fifth goal had been a bit unlucky, then the final goal was farcical. Jack took a quick free kick, sending it straight in to the referee's back from where it ballooned to a Patchway player. Ryan managed to get a hand to the shot, but not sufficient to prevent the ball dipping under the bar (1-6).

#### FULL TIME: COLTS 1 PATCHWAY 6

#### Afterthoughts.....

During the first half we must have created ten chances to Patchway's two, yet never tested their 'keeper. In the latter part of the second half we were played off the park, the midfield disintegrated, and Patchway took just about every chance they created, or were given.

#### MAN OF THE MATCH

**Tom Hamblin** just took the honours with a solid display, run close by Zolly and Jamie who both battled well.

#### U15MATCHREPORTU15MATCHREPORT ST VALLIER

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With Gareth and Phil still not 100% fit, Andy went for the following line-up:

Nick Frost

Joe Cook Tom Hamblin Curtis Jack Jason McCrossan Mark Webb Craig Palmer

Ricky Anstey Ross Malone
Danny Hunt Dan Payne

Substitutes Jay Slade (Ross Malone, 40), Ian Field (Craig Palmer, 40), Liam Kavanagh (Dan Payne, 68).

Vallier kicked off and were immediately on the attack down our right flank, Ricky coming back to clear the danger. Play then switched to our left flank, Curtis coming across to clear strongly.

Tom, Curtis and Danny did combine to send Ricky away, but a defender got back in time to put the ball out for a corner. Dan met Craig's corner from 12 yards out, but sent his header a yard over the bar.

A long throw from Jason saw Dan turn his marker and try to get a shot in, but it was blocked at the expense of another corner that the 'keeper punched away.

Ten minutes gone and Curtis was penalised for shirt pulling, but the free kick was headed clear by Tom. A good passing move down our left flank saw Jason sold a dummy but the shot when it came was straight at Nick.

Vallier were definitely playing the more controlled passing football but we were defending resolutely and their finishing was not in the same class as some of their approach play. Having said that, we weren't looking particularly threatening up front either!

Tackles were not for the faint-hearted; Nick and Joe both needed treatment following collisions.

Another shot from the left-hand corner of the area was powerfully struck but always going away from goal and another foul by Curtis saw the free kick hit deep and headed away by Joe.

A touch of obstruction followed by a dose of the verbals led to Curtis receiving a talking-to from the referee, as had a Vallier's player earlier. The

free kick was touched to one side but Nick parried the shot and the ball safely claimed at the second attempt. Another corner to St Vallier saw them win the ball but the header was weak and straight at Nick.

Mark was flattened by a challenge and required treatment – Tom hit the free kick forward but Danny was unable to control the ball and it went out for a goal kick.

A good interception and raking pass from Curtis saw Ricky on a through run, only to be crowded out. Tom and Dan both made a near post run for the corner, only for Craig to hit it deep!

It was then the turn of Ross to make a telling interception but his run down the flank saw him tackled before he got his cross in, but we gained another corner. This time Dan won the header, but was a yard wide with his effort. Another corner saw Tom just wide with a diving header at the near post.

#### HALF TIME: ST VALLIER 0 COLTS 0

A good break down the left flank by Jay in only the second minute hopefully boded well for the second half. A good tackle just as he was about to shoot resulted in a corner that Ricky hit low to the near post, but the ball was cleared.

We were let off the hook after five minutes, however. Curtis moved forward to make a tackle, but failed to win the ball, Tom and Joe were caught out as the ball came through only for the forward to blaze over the bar with only Nick to beat. A couple of minutes later and we allowed a Vallier's player time on the edge of the area to get in a shot that Nick could only fingertip on to the bar, Curtis completing the clearance.

It was ten minutes in to the half before we managed a shot, Tom and Dan combining to set up Ricky for a shot that the 'keeper held comfortably at the foot of the post.

A free kick for a trip on Dan saw Tom pump the ball in to the area where Dan attempted to trap the ball where he shouldn't have, and collapsed. Andy ran on with the spray, not that that would have done a lot of good.

With just over a quarter of an hour gone, Dan won a corner on the right, Jay swung the ball over and Tom had a downward header blocked; Dan had a shot blocked; and the ball was cleared. Fortunately, it was only cleared as far as Jay, 25

yards out; and it was on his left foot; and Jay whacked it, and the 'keeper was nowhere near it as it whistled past him (1-0). Five minutes later and a long throw from Mark and back-header from Jay saw Dan lay the ball back for **Danny** to ram the ball home (2-0).

The third goal was not long in coming. Having waited 320 minutes since his last goal against Almondsbury, **Danny** only had to wait another three for his next one. Ricky intercepted a Vallier's pass, slipped the ball forward and Dan crossed for his strike partner to score with a flying header. Ian and Ricky then combined to feed Danny and he supplied a good crossfield ball to Dan, in acres of space. Rather than an early right-foot strike he elected to take the ball forward and shoot left-footed, screwing the ball wide.

Joe and Ricky then combined down the right flank before releasing Dan who turned his man and crossed for Danny who was just beaten to the ball by a defender. From the resultant corner Jay hit the ball under the bar, but straight in to the 'keeper's hands. Ian then provided Danny with a through ball that he took early to shoot only a foot wide of the post.

With just under half an hour gone Liam came on to replace Dan, and we continued to press forward.

With twelve minutes remaining, another long throw from Mark was again flicked on by Jay, and **Danny** slid in to complete his hat trick (4-0).

A minute later and Ricky took a quick throw, received the ball back from Joe and crossed deep to the far post. Although a defender got his head to the ball it dropped nicely for **Danny** to add the killer touch (5-0). Come the end it could have been more. Liam was only inches away from connecting with a through ball, Curtis had a powerful shot saved, and from a Curtis corner Jay had a header cleared off the line.

#### FULL TIME: ST VALLIERS 0 COLTS 5

#### Afterthoughts......

I thought that in the first half we'd been outpassed in midfield, struggled to defend against attacks down our flanks and been bereft of ideas up front. A case of thank goodness for Tom and Curtis at the back and can we nick a goal from a set-piece.

The second half was much more impressive. Joe and Jason looked much sounder at the back, Danny was suddenly a yard quicker up front once his first goal had gone in, and we were playing incisive balls from midfield rather than just pumping the ball forward.

I heard no whingeing today Pete - so I guess Andy must have got everything right!

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

To **Tom** and **Dan** who were selected to represent the Bristol Junior League U15 team against Birmingham City's U14 academy side on 26<sup>th</sup> October. **Curtis** was also selected in his capacity as a Keynsham U15 player. **Phil** was picked but had to drop out with injury, while **Gareth**, **Jay** and **Mark** were also under consideration. Despite the wind and driving rain it was a good match, and Bristol triumphed 1-0.

**Tom** and **Curtis** also featured in the team that played on 1<sup>st</sup> November against a Bristol City Academy U15/16 (Dan on holiday), but the Reps lost 4-1 over a series of four 20-minute games.

#### U7sMATCHREPORT U7sMATCHREPORT

A double victory for Fry's U7s this weekend, the 'Reds' winning 1-0 and the 'Blacks' winning 4-2. Hat trick hero in the second game was:

Jack Payne

#### TEN PIN BOWLING

#### Knights rule OK!

Top performer was Phil Knight with a score of 132, although Mr Consistency was Zolly Vanyai with two 100+ scores. Linda Knight was leading lady, and Andy Glover tied with yours truly in the men's section.

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