



FRY CLUB COLTS

U16 MATCH REPORT U16

Number 4

Whitchurch triumph as Colts slip to another one goal defeat

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Nick Frost

Mike Tarling Tom Hamblin Curtis Jack Phil Knight
 Rick Anstey Joe Cook Ian Field Jason McCrossan
 Dan Payne Ricky Lewis

Substitute: Danny Hunt, 26) Jason McCrossan

Whitchurch did most of the early pressing, but it wasn't until the tenth minute that they created their first chance. A corner on our left was taken short and played back for a shot from just outside the penalty area that Nick comfortably tipped over the bar. Curtis headed clear from the second corner. A couple of minutes later and a shot on the run from a good diagonal ball was off-target. Just over 20 minutes gone and Jason's knee swelling up like a balloon. Bang went Andy's plan for out-and-out pace down the left flank. Pete Hunt talked Andy in to shuffling the midfield and Joe switched to right wing and Rick moved over to the left with Danny coming on in midfield.

Half an hour gone and Ian's tenacity won the ball in midfield and a fine through ball saw Ricky break clear of the Whitchurch defence only to scuff his shot just wide of the post. With just about five minutes of the half remaining, Ricky did manage to get the ball in the back of the net, only to have been flagged offside. Ian was then scythed down – a rather rash tackle that just took the ball before taking both legs – otherwise it would have been a red card rather than the yellow that was issued. Fortunately, Ian is not too heavy, so Terry managed to carry him off the pitch for five minutes of treatment before being able to continue.

Whitchurch had done most of the attacking during the half, but despite their having the lion's share of possession, our defence had looked relatively sound.

HALF-TIME: WHITCHURCH 0 FRY CLUB 0

The second half was much like the first – except that we played a little better, and put Whitchurch under a bit more pressure. However, neither side actually had a worthwhile shot in the opening twenty minutes. We might have – if we hadn't frequently been caught offside.

With a quarter of an hour remaining, Curtis ventured forward but lost the ball, Tom came to try and recover it, but failed, and all of a sudden there was a big hole in the centre of defence that a Whitchurch player took advantage of to strike the ball low under Nick's dive.

With just over half an hour gone our best opportunity to grab an equaliser saw Ricky so surprised not to be flagged offside for once that he hesitated and then although he managed to beat the 'keeper to Danny's well-weighted through ball he couldn't manage to direct his shot on target.

In to the last few minutes and from a corner on our right a Whitchurch player got in an overhead kick that had Nick back-peddalling. The ball went wide but Nick received a crack on the head as he back-pedalled in to the post. A minute later Whitchurch again had the ball in the net – but it was their turn to be offside.

In to injury time and a foul on Curtis saw Tom hit a low free-kick from nearly 30 yards, but it was safely held by the 'keeper.

FULL-TIME: WHITCHURCH 1 FRY CLUB 0

Afterthoughts.....
Well, we were hampered by not having a full squad to choose from and Jason's injury - which both upset Andy's planning. However, we generally looked stronger than against Avon and created as many chances as Whitchurch, even if they had moiré of the ball. Although we lost there were a couple of plus points - Danny added a bit of vision to midfield and Ricky got in to some promising positions even if he wasn't able to convert the chances that fell to him.

Avon Youth League U16s Division 1 – 6th Oct

Avon Athletic		Bamfield Sports
Brislington Juniors 'A'		Thornbury Falcons
Henbury Colts 'B'	5 – 0	DRG Stapleton
St Nicholas 'A'	2 – 0	Bitton Boys 'A'
St Vallier	5 – 0	Whitchurch Spts 'A'
Whitchurch Sports 'B'	1 – 0	Fry Club Colts

Avon Youth League U16s Division 1 – 29th Sept

Brislington Juniors 'A'	4 – 0	Bitton Boys 'A'
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Avon Youth League U16s League Cup 1st round

DRG Stapleton	2 – 1	Frampton Rangers 'A'
St Nicholas 'A'	2 – 0	Bamfield Sports
Thornbury Falcons	5 – 4	Cadbury Heath
Winterbourne Utd	1 – 2	Almondsbury

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	GD
St Vallier	4	4	0	0	22	0	12	+22
Brislington 'A'	3	3	0	0	10	0	9	+10
Henbury Colts	4	3	0	1	16	9	9	+7
Whitchurch 'B'	4	3	0	1	8	5	9	+3
DRG Stapleton	4	2	0	2	4	9	6	-5
Whitchurch 'A'	4	2	0	2	10	16	6	-6
Thornbury	3	1	0	2	11	11	3	0
Avon Athletic	3	1	0	2	7	7	3	0
Fry Club	4	1	0	3	6	8	3	-2
Bitton Boys 'A'	5	1	0	4	3	9	3	-6
St Nicholas 'A'	3	1	0	2	4	20	3	-16
Bamfield Sports	3	0	0	3	3	10	0	-7

Fry Club Colts Junior Football Club – 6th Oct

St Vallier	5 – 1	Fry Club U 11s
Fry Club U 11s	5 – 0	St Nicholas 'B'
Fry Club U 12s 'A'	1 – 0	Whitchurch Sports
Fry Club U 12s 'B'	1 – 2	The Hornets
St Nicholas	3 – 0	Fry Club U13s
Fry Club U 14s	0 – 2	St Vallier
Fry Club U 15s 'B'	0 – 9	Langton Athletic
Whitchurch Spts 'B'	1 – 0	Fry Club U 16s

Fry Club Colts Junior Football Club – 29th Sept

League Cup 1st round

Fry Club U 11s	2 – 6	Bedminster Boys
Keynsham Town	7 – 1	Fry Club U 12s 'B'
DRG Stapleton	0 – 5	Fry Club U13s

League

Broadwalk	2 – 5	Fry Club U12s 'A'
Shirehampton 'A'	1 – 2	Fry Club U 14s

U 16s – Fixtures and Results

Sep	8	H	DRG Stapleton	1-2
	15	A	Henbury Old Boys 'B'	2-3
	22	H	Avon Athletic	3-2
	29		League Cup 1 st round - bye	
Oct	6	A	Whitchurch Sports 'B'	0-1
	13	H	St Vallier	
	20	A	St Nicholas 'A'	
	27		League Cup – 2 nd round	
Nov	3		Somerset Cup 2 nd round	
	10	A	Bitton Boys 'A'	
	17	H	Whitchurch Sports 'A'	
	24	A	Brislington Juniors 'A'	
			(or League Cup 3 rd round)	
Dec	1	A	Bamfield Sports	
	8	A	DRG Stapleton	
	15	H	Henbury Old Boys 'B'	

Winter break

Player details

F = Played the full game
 B = Began the game but was substituted
 P = Played in the game after coming on as a substitute
 S = Non-playing substitute
 L = League goals
 C = Cup goals

	F	B	P	S	L	C
Rick Anstey	3	1				
Joe Cook	3		1		1	
Ian Field	3	1				
Nick Frost	4					
Tom Hamblin	4				2	
Danny Hunt	2	1	1			
Curtis Jack	3		1		1	
Liam Kavanagh	1		1			
Phil Knight	2	1		1		
Ricky Lewis	1		1			
Jason McCrossan	1	1				
Ross Malone						
Dan Payne	4				1	
Ben Sinclair		1	1			
Jay Slade		1				
Mike Tarling	4				1	
Mark Webb	1		1			

END OF SEASON TOUR

Due to lack of interest, the proposed tour (Easter 2003) won't be going ahead.

That's all for this week.