

## FRY CLUB COLTS



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Both Tom & Luke were away for our last game before Christmas. The sun was shining and it was a beautiful crisp morning. Who could have known...

The Green Team went first - The line up was:

Aaron

Mark Oscar

Charlie Ethan James

Sam K

Rolling Subs: Josh, Sam P & Joe

They attacked straight away, Aaron dived in on one but the ball came to another, Mark was covering on the line but the attacker shot wide. Oscar and Mark combined well to clear the ball to Sam K. He skipped past a wild challenge and passed forward to Ethan but he was crowded out for a throw. Warmley had a corner. The ball was hit in, and under the challenge, one of their players went down. All of our team stopped to watch the player on the floor whilst another attacker calmly slotted it in **0-1**. Warmley attacked again down the left wing, a few of our players ran along side but not one of them actually made a challenge and from an acute angle, the shot beat Aaron at the near post **0-2**. On the halfway line Sam K got the ball and attacked down the wing, but unfortunately his shot went wide for a goal kick.

Warmley attacked again and no one challenged until right on the edge when Mark had to come across and brought the player down. The ref (well done Dick, although blow the whistle louder) decided it was just outside the box. The free kick was hit into our area and again there was just no tackling. Aaron came for it and injured his foot and whilst he was recovering, the ball went into our net 0-3. Aaron had to recover quickly as he was pretty soon having to make a good save to stop a fourth goal. They soon did score however. Their centre forward got the ball and ran at us... and ran at us... and ran at us! No challenge again 0-4. They attacked, and funnily enough, we stood still again. The ball was crossed in, off of the knee of an attacker and in 0-5. We decided to attack with Joe and Josh but the ball was lost through not passing, they ran up the other end and shot,

through Aaron's legs 0-6.

#### HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 WARMLEY 6

I hesitate to use the term 'roasting', but verbally it's what the players had during the break, after such an abysmal half. We started much better with some passing around, and when it was lost, James was there to tackle back and clear it. From the throw however they ran cross-field and hit a shot into the far corner 0-7. They had a corner, which Sam K won on the edge of our area. He ran the length of the pitch with the ball whilst Warmley chased and was tackled two metres from goal just as he was about to shoot. We were competing better in the second half but they were still forcing Aaron to make saves. Aaron threw a good ball out to Josh, but he elected to go across the face of the goal rather than down the line with the ball and was tackled. Aaron came out, the ball was struck hard, and it deflected off of Aaron, but not enough 0-8.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 0 WARMLEY 8

Man of the Match – Chosen by Elaine Harris for excellent play and non-stop hard work – Sam Kipling

Yellow Team - The line up was:

Jamie G

Jack Jamie C

Jordan Max Josef

Zac

Rolling Subs: Sam B & Dan

They launched straight into an attack with the player through on goal. Jamie stayed on his line allowing the attacker to shoot, but he completely missed the ball and Jamie calmly picked the ball up. Max got the ball and passed forward to Zac but he was tackled as he bore in on the goal. They attacked back at us, three players against Jack, but he was able to clear for a corner. Jordan passed forward to Zac, but he was tackled, it came to Max and he passed forward well to Zac but again he was tackled by the last man. Josef won the ball and passed it forward to Zac who shot but a Warmley player got in the way. Sam passed a long ball forward to Dan who knocked it on to Zac but he was challenged and won a corner. Zac passed the ball to Jordan, he turned and passed to Josef who played a lovely ball up to Dan, and he saw his shot deflected for a corner. Warmley then had one of their rare attacks but Jamie came out and

won the ball well. Sam picked it up and ran past four of their players before finally being tackled up by their goal. We then had to defend and Jamie C had the ball wide on the right. Instead of clearing down the line he passed into the middle where there was only one player. Unfortunately it was a Warmley player and he struck a hard shot back across the face of the goal giving Jamie G no chance **0-1**.

#### HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 WARMLEY 1

Jordan passed well to Josef and he passed to Sam who played a good ball forward but it was cut out. The whole team at this point were passing the ball around really well. Max won the ball wide and passed to Sam. Sam cut inside onto his right foot just metres from goal and hit a good shot but unfortunately Josef was in the way and it came off of him for a goal kick. As the ball came down from the kick, Sam was there to control it and go forward. He passed to Max in a good position but on his right foot. He tried to hit it with his left instead and the 'keeper got it. Sam got the ball wide, crossed into Josef and onto Max but he was tackled in the area and their 'keeper gathered it. Jack went on a mazy run forward and just missed at the last second. They attacked straight back with just Dan on his own, but he made two successive excellent tackles and the ball went forward to Max. He went forward and crossed in to Sam bearing down on goal but he was tackled on the line. They had a throw, which came in and Jack caught perfectly with a volley. Sam chased but the 'keeper got there first only to fumble and as Sam took a big swipe at it, the 'keeper grabbed it out of the

Jack won the ball in defence, passed it to Zac, he hit it forward to Max who passed it on to Sam and his shot was saved on the line. Warmley then had their second real attack, the player wasn't closed down and again his shot gave Jamie no chance 0-2. Sam ran forward with the ball but was fouled just over the half way line. Jack took it, and instead of shooting aimlessly, passed it wide to Sam, who cut inside onto his right foot and his shot was just wide. The ball came forward to Sam, and he passed it to Max who went down the line. Max then passed it back inside to Sam but the 'keeper gathered it at his feet. Warmley broke out and Max chased back well into our half before winning it and passing forward to Zac. He played a lovely ball to Jack who attacked down the left wing. With Sam waiting in the middle, Jack elected to shoot and beat the 'keeper at the near post 1-2. From a Warmley throw, Jack won the ball and passed forward to Zac. He shot hard but the 'keeper did well to save it. During some defending, Dave Churches shouted out "Dan, he's behind you", to which there followed much "Oh no he isn't, Oh yes he is!" Sam hit a great ball out to Dan and he passed forward to Max who passed it forward to Zac. Zac then ran at goal and hit a thunderous shot which the 'keeper failed to stop. A Warmley player on the line cleared but there was some dispute as to whether it had crossed the line first. Near the end they attacked down the line and Dan was after them. Dave shouted "Dan, he's got your sweets, get him" and the tackle was made...

#### FULL-TIME: FRYS 1 WARMLEY 2

**Man of the Match –** Chosen by Sue Pike for a great display of passing, hard work and good play **– The Team** 

#### **OVERALL RESULT: FRYS 1 WARMLEY 10**

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The first game was easily the worst game that I have seen our team play. Only four players in my mind can hold their head up

and say that they tried their best. At one point I saw two Fry's players stand and watch an attacker get the ball on the halfway line, run towards them, past them and score whilst they did not move an inch.

After the first game we thought, surely it cannot get any worse, and we were right. From the worst game of the season to the best. Everything that the Green team did wrong, the Yellow team did right. They tackled, chased and passed. It can be summed up with, when a Green player got the ball, he ran until he lost it, when a Yellow player got the ball, he passed it. It was a joy to watch.

A few of us discussed it in the bar afterwards. After an initial "They are only young, you can't expect them to know what to do" we moved on to "Yes we can, as the Yellow team proved that they do know what to do". Much to practice inside & Warmley next...

#### U7's - Appearances and Goals

Discount in the second

<b>P</b> = Played in the game			
<b>M</b> = Man of the Match			
<b>G</b> = Goals scored	_		
	Р	M	G
Aaron Sutton	14	1	
Callum Morris	1		
Charlie Glavin	9	1	
Daniel Churches	14	2 1	
Ethan Chilcott	13	1	
George Lewis	6		
Haydn Suffern	1		
Jack Burgoyne	1		
Jack Pegram	1		
Jack Yeoman	13	3	4
James Baker	13	1	
James Moore	1		
Jamie Charles	9	2	
Jamie Godwin	13	2	
Jay Ashwell	1		
Joe Carreyett	14	2	11
Jordan Harris	14	2 2	1
Josef Hill	10		
Josh Batt	5	1	
Luke Andrews	12	1	
Mark Gratton	13	3	3
Max Stevens	13	2	3
Oscar Hutchings	12	3 2 2 3 2	
Sam Burgess	14	3	6
Sam Kipling	12		1
Sam Pike	13	1	
Tom Johnson	11	1	
Zac Hallett	14	3	6

#### U7's Fixtures and Results

Aug	31	Н	Portishead Utd	W 3-0
Sep	7 14 21 28	A A H	St Nicholas Clevedon Boco Clevedon	L 3-5 W 8-3 L 1-11 L 3-4
Oct	5 12 19 26	H A A	BRSJ Stoke Lane Bitton Portishead Utd	L 0-2 L 0-3 L 2-9 W 4-2
Nov	2 9 16 23 30	H A H H	Keynsham Yate Utd Portishead Jnrs Bradley Stoke Warmley	W 7-6 L 2-12 L 1-7 L 0-5 L 1-10
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