

Number 18

Going Loco Down In Acaboco

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We faced Boco, a team who had hammered us 6-1 and 5-0 in our third game of the season. The Orange team were included today so there was some changing to do. Nick Johnson kindly took the whistle.

First up were the Green Team - The line up was:

Aaron

Mark Jack

Luke Sam K Joe

Zac

Rolling Subs: Sam B & Tom

Boco attacked first but Jack was swiftly across to win it and pass down the wing but it was put out for a throw, down by their corner. From another Boco attack, Mark won the ball and passed it back to Jack, who in turn passed to Aaron to pick up and relieve the danger. For his kick however the midfield had gone too far forward and Boco picked it up again. Mark and Jack both made challenges but it needed Aaron to force the eventual shot wide. Boco's pressure was building up and from one attack, Mark tried to clear. It hit an attacker and ricocheted back into the middle where a Boco player stood unmarked. He went around Aaron and calmly slotted the ball into the back of the net 0-1. A big clearance from Boco left an attacker all on his own in our half, with Jack chasing back as hard as he could. Aaron came out and forced him wide giving Jack time to get back and make a challenge, which in turn allowed Aaron time to recover and seize the ball.

Boco attacked again and as four of our players went across to the left it was hit into the middle. Aaron came and as the player tried to go around him again, Aaron just got his foot to it. Tom won the ball in defence and broke out, going past a few players before releasing the ball to Zac but it was just short and the ball was cut out. Tom won the ball inside their half and passed it to Sam B. He in turn released Zac who hit a screamer but the 'keeper saved with his feet.

Tom tried to then beat too many players and lost it. Mark tackled but it broke to another attacker, however he got back well and Aaron was able to claim it with Mark's help. Zac then won the ball on the halfway line, beat two players and shot, but the 'keeper cleared it. Mark then defended by our right corner and elected to clear the ball into the middle rather than down the line. Unfortunately there was a Boco player waiting for it and he gave Aaron no chance **0-2**.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO 2

Tom won the ball in our half, passed to Joe who passed back well and onto Sam K who was tackled for a throw. Sam B took the throw to Tom who turned and headed across field before shooting but it was put out for a corner. Sam B took an excellent corner, which came to Joe. He shot, then Mark shot and finally Jack shot but it went out for another corner. This corner was stopped by the young girl!!! No, it was actually a young boy, and he cleared it away down field. The ball is hit into our area, deflected up off of Sam B and hit Marks arm. Nick gave the penalty. The young lad with the long hair hit it strongly but Aaron was equal to it and the ball was then held.

From the kick out, we attacked and Sam K shot hard but also wide. From our kick the ball bobbled around in the area until a Boco player took it up and we watched as he scored **0-3**. Jack cleared another Boco attack. Joe picked up his clearance and he passed to Zac. His shot however was saved. From the resulting throw, Joe had a shot, which was blocked, then Sam B before finally Zac but his was put out for a corner. The ball was cleared and Zac chased with a certain amount of youthful exuberance, which left the Boco player injured.

Sam K then went on a great run down the left but was tackled as he neared their area. From a throw, Joe got the ball and turned with a shot. It was cleared back to him. He passed to Sam B, who passed onto Tom. Tom went wide and crossed and the good passing ended with a corner, but it was cleared.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO 3

Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for a great display of effort and determination – Aaron Sutton & Jack Yeoman

The Yellow Team went next - The line up was:

Jamie G

Jamie C Jack B Oscar

Dan Ethan

Sam P

Rolling Subs: Josh & Max

Boco were straight on the attack but Jack stopped them and passed it forwards well to Dan. Dan passed it to Ethan and he onto Sam but the ball was cut out. They had a throw on our left, which bounced into the area. Jamie dived onto it but was unable to gather and the ball spilled to a Boco forward with an open goal. Somehow however he managed to hit the outside of the post and it went for a goal kick. There was then a bit of a melee in our area with all of our players seeming to stop to see what someone else would do. Eventually it was put out for a goal kick, but really could have gone anywhere.

Boco got the ball from Jamie's kick and it needed a strong stop from Oscar who passed it to Ethan. Ethan went on a run but was tackled on the halfway line however Jack who won the ball back ably backed him up. They then attacked down the left and Jamie C just managed to get the faintest of touches to put the ball out for a corner. Jamie then made a massive clearance by our corner flag to Sam. He went forward and passed to Ethan whose run was stopped for a corner. They attacked again down out left and both Jamie C & Josh combined to stop them. From our kick they came again and this time it was Oscar who stopped them.

They attacked from the halfway line and this time Max tracked all of the way back and forced them into an error that led to our goal kick. Josh and Max then launched an attack down the right, crossed it in and the partially cleared ball came to Dan whose shot was wide. Boco then broke quickly leaving three attackers onto Oscar. He made the important challenge, which allowed Max time to get back and clear the ball still further. Each time they had a corner, it was good to see our players getting close to their opponents and all standing goal side. They lined up, as a defensive unit should!

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO 0

Downhill was going to be a different prospect as a big

kick from Jamie was headed backwards by a Boco player and ended up in their 'keepers arms. Sam and Max then combined well on the attack but the ball was put out for a throw. They attacked through the middle and again Oscar was the last defender facing two. Again though he stood firm and cleared the ball. Max then won the ball and played Josh in. Josh beat two defenders and shot as the 'keeper closed him down. His shot came back off of the 'keeper's legs, hit Josh in the stomach and rolled towards goal. As Josh chased however, it rolled agonisingly wide.

They were awarded a throw that should have been ours, they attacked our goal but Jamie came out well and dived on the ball to claim it. Boco won the ball from the clearance. Dan tried to clear it but the ball ends up ricocheting around our area before finally coming to a Boco player in the clear, and he buried it in the back of the net leaving Jamie no chance. **0-1**, with just eight minutes to go.

Ethan then ran with the ball from our area, down the wing to their area but the 'keeper just managed to smother it. Josh then won the ball and ran into their box where he was taken down leaving the ref' with no alternative but to award a penalty. Josh recovered enough to take it and blasted the ball, hard, low and wide of the 'keeper. It beat the 'keeper easily but unfortunately hit the post and the follow up was cleared. Josh then attacked again but was tackled. Max took up the loose ball and his shot was turned wide for a corner. It was cleared.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO 1

Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for a great display of effort and determination – Jamie Godwin & Oscar Hutchings

The Orange Team went last - The line up was:

Jamie G

James M Callum Jack P

Aaron Jordan

Haydn

Rolling Subs: Josef & Tom (in goal)

First to attack was Aaron but he was stopped for a throw. Boco then had a corner, which Jamie held well and Aaron chased his big kick as he went for goal. Boco then attacked down our right, past the defenders and Jamie elected to stay on his line as they shot **0-1**. We then had a corner and our entire team went forward. They broke clear and with Haydn and Jack chasing back hard only Jamie stood in the way and he saved well with his feet.

From a throw on our left it went across field to an unmarked Boco player and the shot left Jamie no

chance **0-2**. Aaron then gave away a free kick on the left and as the ball came in, Callum cleared well. Boco attacked again with Callum last man and his presence forced them into an early shot which went wide. Boco attacked again and this time both Haydn and James made strong challenges with James emerging with the ball and passing it forward well. Boco attacked again and this time Haydn, then James and finally Callum all tackled and the ball was cleared to Jack who passed it forward to Jordan.

Another attack and this time James tackled hard but they carried on and Callum was on hand to clear it. Their big player attacked again and Callum made a really strong challenge in defence. Boco attacked again and despite Callum's attempts, the ball was hit hard into the bottom left hand corner of the goal **0-3**. A Boco attack is stopped by James for a throw and from that Haydn won it and went through 3 tackles to win another throw.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO 3

At half time we made a change and put Tom in goal to allow Jamie a chance on pitch. Both Jordan and Aaron made good challenges on their big player but he carried on and it needed James to make the final clearance. Aaron took a throw from about three foot onto the pitch! He then went into their area but it was cleared for a corner. Their 'keeper won the ball and cleared. **Aaron** got it, went through three challenges and left the 'keeper stranded as his shot went in off of the post **1-3**.

From their kick off, Josef was in with some good tackling and then passing which both James and Haydn continued. Aaron chased a big kick from Tom. He passed inside to Josef who returned it and ran on goal but the 'keeper saved. From his kick, Haydn controlled it well with his chest and passed forwards to Jack but he was tackled for a throw. Boco attacked again and Haydn, Callum and James all combined on their big player to clear the ball for a throw.

We attacked and good passing between Haydn, Jack and James led to Aaron having a shot, which was put just wide for a corner. From the corner, they cleared it long and left Tom with a one on one and they scored **1-4**. Aaron then ran in on goal, beat the 'keeper with his shot but it came back off of the inside of the post, across goal and, despite both Jordan and Josef having a go, the ball was cleared.

Boco then had a throw by our goal. It bounced into the area with no one really clearing it and they scored **1-5**. From a throw both Jordan and Jamie tackled well to win a corner. They broke, but Tom came right to the edge of his area to smother the ball. From his big clearance, Aaron chased, beating three players and the 'keeper with the shot, but it hit the outside of the post.

Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for a great display of effort and determination – Jack Pegram, James Moore, Callum Morris & Haydn Suffern

OVERALL RESULT: FRYS 1 BOCO 9

Afterthoughts.....

I felt that we were more than equal in the first game, and that a draw would have been a fair result. We competed well and passed around making them look like a shadow of the team that had beaten us earlier in the season. If we can play like this on a regular basis, then we will find ourselves winning more and more games.

The second game was even more ours as we again looked the better team in a game that we have lost. We passed around well, defended as a team and their defensive positioning during corners particularly impressed me. It was a game, which we should have won and I felt that Josh was particularly unlucky with his very well struck penalty. All of the players were excellent.

The third game was slow to get going as a lot of the newer boys seemed unaware of what they should do. As the game progressed however you could see them getting to grips with it and in the end they were playing as well as anyone else on the pitch. Once they understand the idea of positions and how to hold their area, we will see a massive improvement in results and if we can, we will arrange more games for them to play, starting with Portishead on the 18th April (see back page).

U7's – Appearances and Goals

 P = Played in the game M = Man of the Match G = Goals scored 	e		
	Р	Μ	G
Aaron Sutton	18	3	1
Callum Morris	2	1	
Charlie Glavin	12	2	1
Daniel Churches	18	2	
Ethan Chilcott	16	2	1
George Lewis	6		
Haydn Suffern	2	1	
Jack Burgoyne	3	1	
Jack Pegram	2	1	
Jack Yeoman	17	4	4
James Baker	16	2	
James Moore	2	1	
Jamie Charles	12	2	
Jamie Godwin	17	4	1
Jay Ashwell	1		

Joe Carreyett	18	3	12
Jordan Harris	18	3	1
Josef Hill	14	2	
Josh Batt	8	2	1
Luke Andrews	15	2	1
Mark Gratton	17	4	4
Max Stevens	17	2	3
Oscar Hutchings	16	4	
Sam Burgess	18	3	6
Sam Kipling	15	3	1
Sam Pike	17	2	
Tom Johnson	15	2	1
Zac Hallett	18	4	9

U7's Fixtures and Results

Aug	31	Н	Portishead Utd	W 3-0
Sep	7 14 21 28	A A A H		L 3-5 W 8-3 L 1-11 L 3-4
Oct	5 12 19 26	H A A A		L 0-2 L 0-3 L 2-9 W 4-2
Nov	2 9 16 23 30	H A H H		W 7-6 L 2-12 L 1-7 L 0-5 L 1-10
Mar	7 14 21 28	A A A H	Warmley BRSJ Keynsham AEK Boco	L 1-3 L 2-7 W 8-5 L 1-9
Apr	4 8 18 21 25 28	H A A H H H	Hanham Chickwell Utd (Tour) Weymouth Youth (Tour) Portishead Jnrs St Nicholas (Eve) Saltford Stars Yate Rangers (Eve)	

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CAN EVERYONE BRING BOOTS AS WELL AS TRAINERS FROM NOW ON TO TRAINING AS WE MAY BE ON THE GRASS, WE MAY BE ON THE COURTS.

Definitely, our final fixture of the season will be Sunday 9th May, playing in the paddock, KO 1.30pm, 2.30pm & 3.30pm, and then into club at 4.30pm. When the players are not playing games, they can do their skills award attempts! - In the club, the Chandos Room for the presentation. Food for all of the players - Coke/D Coke/Lemonade + Crisps + Roll = £2.00, funds will pay. A food form will appear nearer the time. Rolls for parents and other siblings can also be ordered. - ALL

PLAYERS REQUIRED!

This will be the last Match Report for a while due to the Under 7's tour. I will catch up on my return as well as having a special "Tour" Match Report.

There is no training next week (Monday 5th – Friday 9th) and then when we return to training it will be **FRIDAY** 16th April, and hopefully will stay on a Friday until the end of the season (Friday 7th May). As you may have noticed from the fixture list in this match report, there have been some changes. There is now no game on Wednesday 14th April due to the opposition being unable to raise a side at Easter. This coming Sunday we now face Hanham as Ingleside have withdrawn their team from all fixtures due to internal politics. The return leg against Ingleside is now a home game against Saltford Stars & our last game is now on Sunday 9th May against Hanham again, when ALL boys will be playing, followed by our end of season presentation.

Meeting times for Sunday 4th April at Frys:

Aaron, Joe, Tom, Mark, Max, Jamie C, Sam B, Sam K, Jack Y & Zac – **10.00am**.

Jamie G, Josef, Dan, Oscar, Sam P, Jordan, Luke, Ethan. Charlie & James B - 11.00am.

Meeting times for Sunday 18th April. Top of the drive at 9.15am, or meeting at the ground...

Aaron, Joe, Tom, Mark, Max, Sam B, Sam K, Jack Y & Zac – 10.00am.

Jamie G, Jack B, Josh, Dan, Oscar, Jamie C, Sam P, Luke, Ethan & Charlie - 11.00am.

Aaron, Jack P, Callum, James B, Haydn, James M, Josef, George, Madison & Jordan – 12.00pm.

Andy's Directions. - Gordano Secondary School Field - Get to Easton-in-Gordano services' roundabout. Go left at the 1st Head towards Portishead. roundabout (onto Portbury Common) (you should see the ground on your left) and then turn left at the oneway system (onto the Clevedon Road). The School is immediately on your right. Park in the School and walk back over the road via the footbridge to the grounds.

Meeting times for Wednesday 21st April at Frys:

Aaron, Joe, Ethan, Mark, Jordan, Jamie C, Sam B, Sam K, Charlie & James B - 6.00pm.

Jamie G, Josef, Dan, Oscar, Sam P, Max, Luke, Tom, Jack Y & Zac – **7.00pm**.

For all games, please can you let me know unavailability, as soon as possible - 07710 881441.

This space for rent!