



FRY CLUB COLTS

U7 MATCH REPORT U7

Number 24

Colts In "Better Than Other Teams Realise" Shock!

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My thanks again to Maurice Baker, who took the whistle for the first game and Tim Carreyett, who took over for the second.

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

Aaron

Jack Y Sam B

Sam P Max Ethan

Jack B

Rolling Subs: Zac & Jamie C.

From the start Bitton showed us what a bit of guile and misdirection can achieve. From a throw the player pointed forwards. We all ran that way and he turned and threw backwards to a now unmarked player! A bit of a goalmouth melee was cleared by Jack B and Sam B after Jack Y had led down across the goal to stop it going in. From our attack Bitton broke. Jack Y came across but missed it and Sam had to get to it. The ball broke for Bitton but in that time Jack Y had gotten back to put them off enough to allow Aaron a chance to run out and clear it.

A loose ball was hit high and wide, but from Aaron's kick they won it again and he was forced to make a great save at the expense of a corner. One of their players stood directly in front of Aaron, backing in to him and Maurice eventually had to tell their manager that he would not allow gamesmanship at this age! Jack Y cleared the ball almost for a throw but it stopped on the line. As we all stopped they seized the initiative and threaded the ball through the advancing Aaron's legs but luckily just wide.

Ethan went on a great run down the right and won a throw in their corner, they cleared quickly however and

Aaron was forced to clear for a corner. Their number 14 was the centre of all of their attacks and Jamie had to be alert as he pushed him wide and out for a goal kick. Another melee in our area had shot after shot coming in but our players stood firm and were chucking themselves in the way of the ball to prevent a goal and in the end Aaron came to the edge of his area to clear to Zac. He went past two players but couldn't get past his school friend Jacob and we won a throw. Bitton attacked again and Jack Y & Sam P combined well to clear it for a corner. A high cross was palmed away by Aaron as far as a Bitton attacker but Aaron got to that as well. His clearance was to Zac wide on the left and he ran down the wing and shot from an acute angle which the 'keeper was forced to put out for a corner.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 BITTON 0

Bitton attack from the off and although our players were diving in the way of the ball, they had players spare and the last one blasted it high into the goal **0-1**. Max fought hard to win the ball on the halfway line, passed it wide to **Zac** who came inside and hit it hard past the 'keeper **1-1**. Bitton won a corner and as it came in Aaron and Jamie went for it but it came off of Jamie, inside of Aaron straight to a Bitton forward **1-2**. Sam B put in a good tackle as did Jamie but it still came in. Aaron could only get a hand to it and it dropped invitingly in front of the goal but the Bitton player somehow put it wide. They tried a short corner but Jamie dived in to force a goal kick. They had a throw which Max won. He played it inside to Zac but it was just wide. A Bitton shot was cleared on the line by Jamie out to Sam P he passed it inside to Max and from him onto Ethan but it was just slightly overrun. At the end, a high shot came in but Aaron was equal to it.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 1 BITTON 2

<p>Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for a great display of effort and determination – The Team</p>

The Yellow Team went next – The line up was:

Jamie G

James Tom Luke G

Aaron Josh

Jordan

Rolling Subs: Luke A, Charlie & Joe

They attacked straight from the kick but Aaron tackled well to clear. They attacked down our left, past our defenders and Jamie came out really well to tackle. Jordan then fought his way through three tackles to win a throw by their corner. They attacked and Jamie saved the ball loose to Luke G who passed the ball down the line well to Jordan. Tom was then forced to chase back half the length of the pitch and make a good sliding tackle. James left the ball for Jamie but an attacker nipped in, Jamie came out well and got a touch but the Bitton player still had it until Aaron slid in and cleared it. We make a substitution and as our players are just entering the pitch, Tim the ref played on and Bitton took the advantage of facing less players **0-1**.

They attacked again and Jamie came out really well to clear the ball to Luke A but he was fouled. From the free kick, with shouts of shoot, Luke looked left and passed to Joe, but he was tackled. It was good from Luke though to look for his team-mates. Bitton broke through and Jamie came out. The shot went past Jamie, hit the post and trickled across goal and out. A speculative shot was missed by Jamie **0-2**. They attacked again and ran through James and Luke G. Jamie saved well but the ball broke loose **0-3**. James decided that he wasn't going to be beaten again and as Bitton attacked, he wrestled their player to the floor!

HALF-TIME: FRY'S 0 BITTON 3

A ball was played early past our defenders and the attacker left Jamie no chance **0-4**. Another ball into the middle but this time Luke G was there with a great clearance. They attacked again and this time James made a great tackle and the follow up was dived on by Jamie. A bouncing ball flew in next however and Jamie was unable to stop it **0-5**. Another ball was played in and our team were chasing shadows **0-6**. We had a corner, which Charlie won. He dragged the ball back and had a shot. Tom then went on a great run from left to right, riding three tackles before crossing the ball to Luke A. Just as he was about to shoot however, he was tackled. Aaron then broke out of defence and ran the field before being fouled badly with just one man to beat.

Joe's resulting shot didn't trouble the 'keeper. From his kick however, **Joe** won the ball, took one touch and blasted it high **1-6**. The biggest celebration jump came from the ref... From a throw, **Tom** won the ball, ran across field and shot past the 'keeper **2-6**. Joe in our corner passed a good ball to Josh. Josh took a touch and past it inside to Charlie and he played it on to Aaron only to see it cut out. It was a good passing

move however. Tom got the ball, went wide right to Joe who crossed/shot passed the 'keeper onto the post and **Aaron** made sure **3-6**. They had what was by now a rare attack and Tom tackled back well, and Jamie cleared.

FULL-TIME: FRY'S 3 BITTON 6

Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for a great display of effort and determination – **Josh Batt & Luke Andrews**

OVERALL RESULT: FRY'S 4 BITTON 8

Afterthoughts.....

The first game had everything that has been good about our team this year. They worked hard, never gave up and put 100% into the game. In the end we were unlucky to lose.

The second game found us slow to wake up. When we did however, we dominated it and with 10 more minutes could have won easily. Again, this is a team seen as one of the best and yet for a lot of both games we were far superior.

U7's – Appearances and Goals

P = Played in the game

M = Man of the Match

G = Goals scored

	P	M	G
Aaron Sutton	24	5	7
Callum Morris	3	1	
Charlie Glavin	18	2	4
Daniel Churches	22	3	
Ethan Chilcott	20	5	3
George Lewis	8	1	
Haydn Suffern	2	1	
Jack Burgoyne	5	2	
Jack Pegram	5	1	
Jack Yeoman	23	5	5
James Baker	22	3	
James Moore	3	1	
Jamie Charles	16	4	
Jamie Godwin	21	5	1
Jay Ashwell	1		
Joe Carreyett	24	4	17
Jordan Harris	24	4	1
Josef Hill	20	2	
Josh Batt	9	3	1
Luke Andrews	18	3	1
Luke Glover	2	1	
Madison Walsh	1		
Mark Gratton	23	5	6
Max Stevens	22	4	3
Oscar Hutchings	22	4	
Sam Burgess	24	4	9
Sam Kipling	20	3	2
Sam Pike	23	4	
Tom Johnson	21	4	6
Zac Hallett	22	5	14

U7's Fixtures and Results

Apr	18	A	Portishead Jnr's	L 1-13
	25	A	Saltford Stars	W 11-0
May	2	H	Bitton	L 4-8
	5	H	Stoke Lane (Eve)	