



## **FRY CLUB COLTS**

# **U9 MATCH REPORT U9**

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Fish Out Of Water!

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Our last game of the season and yet again another team that we had never played before. At the start of the season these had beaten Broadwalk 35-1. Callum was the only absentee, away for the weekend. How would we fare? Nick was away at a work's game, so Andy took the referee's whistle.

Game 1 - The line up was:

Joby  
 Jack Oscar  
 Spike Josh Jordan  
 Dan

Rolling Subs: Tom & Joe

There was a great kick forward from Oscar, which both Dan & Jordan chased, but it was just too far. Great tackling from Frys, with Jack getting the ball through to Spike, but they were able to tackle back. They launched a counter attack, but Jack and Spike combined well to win it back. They attacked again, but this time it was Oscar with a great block. Fishponds won the ball and managed to work a shooting chance, but Joby made an excellent save, stopping it inches from the line. They attacked through and Jack couldn't get the tackle in, but managed to get goal side moments later and make a fantastic block. We won a throw, which Jordan threw to Dan. He returned the ball and Jordan went across field to Josh. Josh played it into Spike and went for the return, but they intercepted. It was a nice passage of passing however.

They attacked in numbers and our team seemed to follow the ball without getting a foot in to tackle, leaving Joby exposed, one on one in the middle when the ball came in, and their attacker slotted it past him **0-1**. Jordan and Joe worked the ball well, but their ball to Dan was cut out. Dan then was played down the line and hit over a lovely cross, but Joe was just short of getting to it. We started to exert a bit of pressure and a goal-mouth melee led to the ball wide with **Tom**. He went past one player, worked an opening and blasted it for the far corner **1-1**. We were lifted by this, and

another chance fell to Joe, but his shot was high and over. They attacked back in numbers and there was a goal-mouth scramble after Joby had initially made a good save. Jack and Tom both dived in on the line but Jack was injured in the process. The ball was blocked and cleared however. They then went in hard again and this time Joby was injured, but he recovered over half-time.

**HALF-TIME : FRY 1 FISHPONDS 1**

Tom played a great ball down the line for Joe to chase, and he in turn found Jordan, who played in a lovely cross, just too far for Josh and he chased it wide. He crossed it back in for Joe, but three defenders were around him. They won a corner and for a few moments the ball was ricocheting around in our box as we blocked and tried to clear and they kept hitting it back in. Eventually Joby made a great stop and the pressure was relieved. Tom played Joe down the line, but two defenders came across and crowded him out. Dan then went down the line and crossed in well, but again no one got their toe to it.

Tom took a big throw and it eventually found its way to **Joe**, and he made no mistake with the finish in front of goal **2-1**. Jack then hit a long ball down the line for Josh to run onto and he tried the cross but was deflected wide with Joe waiting. Tom then won the ball and got it to Dan, but his shot ran agonisingly across the face of the goal. They were not out of it however and a well-struck shot was saved brilliantly by Joby. Tom then cleared into the face of a Fishponds player, but he was ok. At this point there was a problem with the dictaphone, which was only sorted out near the end of the second game.

**FULL-TIME : FRY 2 FISHPONDS 1**

<p><b>Man of the Match</b> – Chosen by Dave Kipling for excellent play and continuous effort – <b>Josh</b></p>
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Game 2 - The line up was:

Jamie  
 Sam B James  
 Ethan Luke Jim  
 Josef

Rolling Subs: Mark, Max & Sam K

With the dictaphone problem, it meant that this is just the memories of Andy until near then end when they got their third. They attacked with their captain looking very strong. We managed to stop him however, Sam & James getting in the way when necessary. Ethan looked dangerous down the right and Jim the same on the left, and you felt that it was only a matter of time before we scored. It came when Sam B broke out of defence, winning the ball as he went. He went past a player and got near the area. He went right, then left but his touch took it further ahead of him and Luke was the eager recipient, three yards out, one-on-one, last game of the season, **Luke** finally scored his first **1-0**.

We heaped pressure on and a good ball from Luke out to Jim, saw Jim go down the wing and try to cut inside. It hit a Fishponds defender's foot, bounced up and fell invitingly for **Josef** to half-volley the ball into the far corner **2-0**. His celebrations said it all! They were by no means out of it however and their captain hit a thunderous drive from twenty yards, which Jamie did well to tip over. Mark was then called into action as he tried the same again, winning the ball and setting Max forward. Max went down the wing and crossed for Sam K, but their defenders got back and were able to clear the ball. They broke back, and three of them running caused confusion in our backline, and an attacker hit a powerful shot low past Jamie, giving him no chance **2-1**.

**HALF-TIME : FRY 2 FISHPONDS 1**

Into the second half and Fishponds grew more confident as the game went on. One of their players ran through our defence, with no real challenge to speak of and again Jamie was left exposed **2-2**. Suddenly it was game on. Sam K and Max passed their way through, but ran into too many players. Sam K then got the ball on the half-way line, took a touch and launched a high shot from a good 25 yards, which actually sailed over. Max then won the ball in the middle and passed wide to **Sam K**. He ran down the left, being forced closer to the line all the time. He turned away, but then cleverly cut inside the defender, and from an acute angle, beat the 'keeper at the near post **3-2**.

Max took a shot, but this was saved by the 'keeper. Their number 16 ran towards goal, Mark & Jim collided in the process of trying to stop him and the way to goal was open **3-3**. From the kick, Sam K went on a run past four players and shot in, only to find the defender hand-balling it, the ref having no choice but to give a penalty. Sam K stepped forward to take it, and promptly blasted it well left of the post. Not long afterwards the ref blew full time.

**FULL-TIME : FRY 3 FISHPONDS 3**

**Man of the Match** – Chosen by Mark Yeoman for a good game & great all round play – **Josef**

**OVERALL RESULT : FRY 5 FISHPONDS 4**

*Afterthoughts.....*

*What a nice way to end the season. We end with a win, against a nice team, on a nice day. I could not fault any of the players today, they gave everything they had, and were rewarded for it. Well done all.*

#### Results Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> April

Fry Club Juniors	4	v	1	Pucklechurch Sports
Imperial Saints	5	v	1	Saltford Stars
St Nicholas "B"	1	v	4	Brislington Juniors
Fishponds O.B. Youth	6	v	2	Deerswood

Henbury O.B. Colts	8	v	2	FDS Bristol
Oldland Abbotonians	15	v	0	Broadwalk

#### Results Week Beginning Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

Fry Club Colts	5	v	4	Fishponds O.B. Youth
Mangotsfield Utd	3	v	4	Fry Club Juniors
Broadwalk	1	v	13	St Nicholas "B"
Saltford Stars	0	v	8	Cadbury Heath Youth
Bradley Stoke Youth	2	v	4	Nicholas Wanderers
Brislington Juniors	11	v	2	FDS Bristol
Pucklechurch Sports	3	v	11	Imperial Saints
Cadbury Heath Youth	6	v	0	Pucklechurch Sports
Fry Club Juniors	6	v	2	Downend Saints
Fry Club Juniors	3	v	6	Oldland Abbotonians
Downend Saints		W/O		Ashton Boys
Downend Saints	3	v	9	DRG Stapleton
Imperial Saints	2	v	4	Henbury O.B. Colts
Henbury O.B. Colts	8	v	4	DRG Stapleton
DRG Stapleton	9	v	3	Bradley Stoke Youth
Cadbury Heath Youth	W/O			Broadwalk

#### Results Week Beginning Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April

Saltford Stars	4	v	3	Fry Club Juniors
Deerswood	4	v	3	Bradley Stoke Youth
FDS Bristol	6	v	1	Downend Saints
Lawrence Weston Colts	8	v	8	Cadbury Heath Youth
Deerswood	5	v	4	Nicholas Wanderers

#### Results Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May + Others

Downend Wanderers	0	v	8	Fry Club Juniors
Henbury O.B. Colts	W/O			Broadwalk
Brislington Juniors	W/O			Fishponds O.B. Youth
Imperial Saints		W/O		DRG Stapleton
Fishponds O.B. Youth		W/O		DRG Stapleton
Downend Saints	14	v	1	Broadwalk
Brislington Juniors	7	v	2	Downend Saints
Imperial Saints	W/O			Downend Saints
Lawrence Weston Colts	5	v	4	Deerswood
Ashton Boys	W/O			Downend Wanderers
Downend Wanderers	D	v	D	Lawrence Weston Colts
Downend Wanderers	D	v	D	Imperial Saints
Brislington Juniors	D	v	D	Oldland Abbotonians

#### Results Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May – U9 Cup Final

Bitton	6	v	2	Keynsham
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#### Final League Table - 'B' Division – 2005/06 Season

Pos	Team	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Henbury OB Colts	22	20	2	0	173	53	120	62
2	Brislington	22	20	1	1	187	35	152	61
3	Oldland Abbots	22	19	2	1	150	36	114	59
4	St Vallier	22	17	2	3	184	56	128	53
5	Imperial Saints	22	17	1	4	124	40	84	52
6	St Nicks 'B'	22	14	3	5	90	45	45	45
7	Fry Club Colts	22	14	1	7	113	78	35	43
8	Fishponds OB Youth	22	12	2	8	127	82	45	38
9	Lawrence Weston	22	12	2	8	118	97	21	38
10	DRG Stapleton	22	12	1	9	107	93	14	37
11	Cadbury Heath	22	11	1	10	116	82	34	34
12	Fry Club Juniors	22	10	2	10	81	94	-13	32
13	Mangotsfield	22	9	4	9	89	86	3	31
14	Deerswood	22	9	2	11	83	106	-23	29
15	Saltford Stars	22	8	3	11	108	119	-11	27
16	Nicholas Wanderers	22	7	2	13	77	98	-21	23
17	Bradley Stoke Youth	22	6	0	16	68	102	-34	18
18	Ashton Boys	22	4	1	17	60	155	-95	13
19	Pucklechurch	22	3	3	16	63	122	-59	12
20	FDS Bristol	22	2	5	15	74	133	-59	11
21	Downend Saints	22	3	1	18	62	146	-84	10
22	Downend Wanderers	22	2	3	17	36	135	-99	9
23	Broadwalk	22	0	0	22	15	312	-297	0