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It's All Coming Back To Me Now

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And this is it! At last, 11-a-side, a chance to show the world what we can do with our full squad! Well, when I say full squad... Joe was missing, as was Max, Mark, Chilly, Sam K & Tom. To make up for those missing players, Aaron came in to help us, along with Mickey Parsons, Ben Clapp and Kyle Morris from our U12's. Saltford borrowed an U12 from their team as well as Jack Dancey from the Juniors. Rob Harvey sportingly agreed to go ref and Steve Batt took on reporting duties to allow Andy to concentrate on the game.

The line up was:

	Joby		
	Callum		
Sam B	Jack	Joel	
Spike	Josh	Mickey	Ben
	Kyle	Dan	

Substitute: Aaron

Dan was Captain for the game. Mickey passed the ball to Sam B and he found Spike, but then Steve couldn't see because of the low Sun!!! Bryn got the ball wide right for Saltford and broke down the right, evading tackles from both Ben (Clappy) and Joel. He got to the line and crossed in and there was Jack Pegram running in to hit it past an unlucky Joby **0-1**. Saltford were lifted by this and attacked again, but Callum got in and passed back to Joby who cleared downfield. Callum then tried to run with the ball out of defence but was dispossessed and a high shot in was headed off of the line by Jack to keep us within one goal. We worked hard to get the ball and it went to Clappy who stroked a great ball through their defence for **Kyle** to run on to and he duly dispatched the goal as the 'keeper rushed at him **1-1**. Clappy then chipped another ball forward which Josh headed on, but Dan was tackled as he was about to shoot. Saltford tried again to get at us but Joel came across with a great sliding challenge to win the ball. Saltford won the ball back and charged into our area, but this time Sam was alert and cleared for a throw. Kyle won the ball, attacked down the right and crossed to win a corner. Clappy took it from the left and there was **Kyle** to head it in **2-1**. The ball was gotten to Kyle again and his dink went past the

'keeper but hit the post, however no one was following up and they were able to get back and clear it. Kyle won the ball, attacked and shot and the 'keeper could only parry it. It came back to Josh, but his shot was just too high and flew over. They were still fighting for everything however and a run from Bryn again saw a shot which Joby held well. Aaron fought for the ball and went down the right. His cross in wasn't cleared and **Josh** got to it. He swivelled and hit it past the 'keeper who got a touch to slow it and it trickled towards the line where, to his credit, Mickey shielded it in rather than grab the glory himself **3-1**. Aaron won the ball in defence, ran forward the length of the wing and crossed to where Josh was running in, however he slipped as he went to shoot and the ball rolled to the 'keeper. Clappy got the ball, passed inside to Mickey and he hit it over the top for **Kyle** to run onto. His shot beat the 'keeper and just rolled the right side of the upright **4-1**.

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Sam B played the ball into Aaron and he found Josh. Josh returned the favour and Aaron shot which the 'keeper was not able to hold and it fell for a corner. Callum found Sam B and his pass inside was well controlled by Mickey. His through ball found **Kyle** and his shot from distance nestled in the back of the net **5-1**. The next thing I hear on the Dictaphone is that there is a baby on the pitch followed by some gurgling and baby laughter! Also I hear that the ref is doing brilliantly.... For his age! Aaron won the ball and drove in from the right at the goal, but his shot was well saved by the 'keeper. Kyle then won the ball and passed it into the box where **Mickey** was running in and he shot past the 'keeper **6-1**. Their 'keeper drop kicked the ball to halfway where Callum brought it down. He passed forward to Dan who passed back out to Spike to keep possession well. He got it to Sam who passed to Kyle and his cross was just too high for Dan. We won the ball back and got it wide to Clappy on the left. He crossed it inwards straight towards the 'keeper's arms, however **Kyle** came sprinting in and just got in there ahead of the rooted 'keeper and headed it in **7-1**.

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<p>Man of the Match – Chosen by Rob H for excellent play and effort – Kyle & Jack</p>

Afterthoughts.....
Not the best of games to judge the coming season with so many enforced changes. That said it was good to start getting the rustiness out of the players and that was more and more evident as the game wore on.