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Adversity has the effect of eliciting talents which, in prosperous circumstances, would have lain dormant.

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Three games to go, and a win would put us a point behind Brazilians. Jay was out, so Joby went in goal. The sloping pitch had puddles in the goalmouth, so we were moved to the main pitch!

The line up was:

		Joby		
Reece	Brandon	Aaron	Joel	
Sam	Josh	Sammie	Max	
	Tom	Callum		

Substitutes: Bryn & Charlie

The ball was hit into our left area where Joel did well to win it, beat his man and then play in Max down the line. He found Callum who attacked down the left and crossed for the back post, but Sam just couldn't get there. Brandon threw long, Tom flicked it over the defender, and Callum's shot was pushed out for a corner. Their first real attack saw them win a corner which they hammered across. It hit the wrong side of Aaron, then ricocheted off of Joel, and was in before anyone could move **0-1**. Max controlled it wide left and played it down the line for Callum, and he passed in to Tom whose lay off to Max was hit wide. From the goal-kick Callum won it and played it out to Reece, and he floated it into the area to **Tom**, whose touch took it away from him towards the 'keeper, but as he slipped, he got his foot to the ball and lifted it over the 'keeper into the net **1-1**. Reece played the ball to Sammie, and he then found Callum who saw the 'keeper off of his line and chipped it from well out, but unfortunately it went just wide. The ball was played into the middle by Aaron to Callum, and he turned it wide for Max to run onto, and he returned it to Callum. Callum crossed and Tom hit it back across goal, and as their defender

went to clear it, **Bryn** had run in, and it hit him and cannoned into the back of the net **2-1**. Callum saw Tom free with some quick thinking, and Tom flicked it past the 'keeper, but a defender ran after it and was able to clear it from the line. We cleared a corner with not enough conviction, and then failed to close it down, and the shot was hit back in, low, and into the bottom corner **2-2**. Tom then brought down a cross and shot first time, but the 'keeper got his hands to it. A throw was controlled by Tom, played out to Max, who whipped it in but Aaron at the back post just missed it.

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They attacked from the kick, and their attacker ran at every challenge, with each one going his way, and the final one saw the bounce evade Joby and fly in **2-3**. Sammie worked hard down the left and won a throw. Callum took it to him and he laid it to Tom to shoot/cross, and it fell towards the back post where **Josh** was sliding in **3-3**. From a bad goal-kick, Sammie laid the ball off to Tom and he heard Callum's shout and played it across goal to where **Callum** had the tap in unmarked **4-3**. Callum chased a lost cause wide to the right and kept it in, before crossing to the back post where **Max** had ghosted in and squeezed it inside of the back post **5-3**. They broke very quickly and Joby made the right choice to charge out of the box and clear it just in front of them. They then had a throw, which their attacker won and shot from the edge of the area, hitting the top of the crossbar. Tom won it from the resulting kick and turned first time for Sammie, who found Callum, but his right foot shot was just over.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 5 BRAZILIANS 3

<p>Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for excellent play and effort – Max</p>

Afterthoughts.....

I felt that we deserved to win this game. We had the better of the play and possession, although they always looked dangerous with the ball. I was pleased with the effort of the whole team, and for me bodes well for next season as we definitely now finish out of the bottom two.