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I will prepare and someday my chance will come.

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We travelled to St Aldhelms for the first of back to back fixtures against them. Everyone was fit and available.

The line-up was:

Harry

Josh Aaron Reece Joel

Bryn Sam Del Max

Lore Ben

Substitutes: George, Noah & Tom

Joel dived in, in front of our area for a free-kick. It was swung in at Harry under pressure from attackers, and he punched it over. They swung the corner in, headed back across goal and shot, Reece making the block, before Sam finished the clearance. Josh went on an adventurous run down the wing, but unfortunately his cross was too close to the 'keeper. Lore then broke away from the defender down the line, but his cutback for Max was just behind him. Ben received the ball from a throw and crossed diagonally into the area to where Sam rose with his head, but what appeared destined for the top left was well saved by their 'keeper. Harry kicked from the edge of his area and Aaron flicked it on for Ben, who controlled it before lifting it right for Bryn, who did very well to control it and flicked it inside for Sam who did the same back for Brvn and he forced a corner. Ben floated it over and Sam rose highest to head it down and in 0-1. Another free-kick to us saw Ben float it over and we jumped higher again, but the header was blocked for a corner. Ben delivered and they headed clear and broke, passing quickly through us, playing an attacker in behind our defence, and he gave Harry no chance 1-1. We kicked off and played it back to Joel, but he was closed down quickly and they nicked it off of him, in on Harry, forced wide by Harry's dive, but with Reece on the line blasted low 2-1. Ben played the ball through them for Bryn, but their 'keeper was out quickly and got it. They won the ball in their half and ran at us, and the player ran more than 40 yards unchallenged before shooting, Harry saved, but another player had followed up and tapped it in from a yard out 3-1. Tom won the ball and found Bryn wide, but a last ditch tackle took it off of him as he was about to shoot, then they played it high and long, beating our offside, and one-on-one with Harry blasted it high over Harry and into the roof of the net 4-1.

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We miss-controlled the ball in the centre of the field, saw it nicked and stroked wide down the line, before the cross was blasted high into the net 5-1. Sam and Lore combined very well down the left to win a corner. Ben floated it over which was headed towards goal but at the back, so Tom headed it back across goal, but their 'keeper snatched the dangerous ball out of the air. George controlled the ball and played Ben through, and he found Sam wide right and he crossed it in for Lore to shoot. Joel then brought the ball down and switched play to the right for Sam to cut in and shoot with his left foot, but just wide. Noah strode forward into the box and tried to pass it past the 'keeper. but he got down well and saved. They attacked well down the left and fired a shot past Harry, off of the post, and Joel cleared. We were attacking well, moving the ball around, passed it into Joel in the area and they broke quickly, crossed to the back post and it was in 6-1. We won the ball in the middle with some hard challenges, and George passed through for both Lore and Ben, however it was Lore who took it on, flicking it past the 'keeper, and it rolled in off of the right post 6-2. From a throw Joel volleyed through the crowd, and it was blocked by the 'keeper, bounced back off of Lore and went agonisingly wide. They then broke quickly down the right, crossed it in, hitting Josh and heading for goal, but Harry dived well to save. Del worked it well down the left and forced a corner which he took to Lore who shot. It was blocked right to Bryn, and he got to the line and laid it back, however Noah was leaning back as he shot and it flew over. They had a corner at the end, it was rolling as it was taken which Rob flagged for, so we stopped and they didn't, and the cross in was shot into the corner, and the ref ignored Rob's flag and allowed the goal to stand 7-2.

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Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for excellent play and effort **– Sam**

Afterthoughts.....

What is very apparent from listening to the Match Report as I type, is that we created numerous chances, and easily as many as they did. So why did it end 7-2? That's simple, they were clinical and efficient in front of goal, making sure everything was on target and keeping the pressure up, whereas when we had chances we would blast them over or take too many touches, essentially not working their 'keeper enough. We face them next week and this must change if we are to get revenge. As for the final goal, the referee was in the wrong, however he did warn us before the game to play to the whistle!