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Number 6 - **You kids shouldn't play so rough. Somebody's gonna start cryin'**. - Sunday 26th October 2014

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The Game 1 line-up was:

Ethem

Bradley W Adam

Aran Lukas

Substitutes: Kaylum, James & Ollie

From the start we were on the back foot as this Boco team were evidently a strong team, with passing and awareness in their starting four. The early exchanges saw lots of shots flying in at our goal, one off of the post and quite a few saved by Ethem, however we did concede, firstly as Aran tried to dribble the ball from in front of our goal and was caught just about two yards from Ethem and they shot past him **0-1**. Then we were shouting to Lukas to take a throw forward, but instead he threw across our goal and they intercepted and scored **0-2**. Ethem kicked to Aran, and he played it across to Lukas, who then passed forward Bradley who attacked into their half. Although he was stopped, it was a nice passage of play. We then kicked forward and Kaylum was after it but was tackled. Unfortunately everyone else had run with him and so the way to Ethem's goal was clear **0-3**. We threw it forwards to James, but he was tackled by their large player who ran into a half which was again

empty as we had all gone forwards **0-4**. James broke out of our area and ran all the way towards goal before a shirt puller finally stopped him on the edge of their area for a free-kick. The free-kick was cleared and suddenly they were away and although Ethem did well to get a hand to it, it was not enough **0-5**. They had a kick out which James intercepted well, ran towards goal and then saw his shot rebound out off of the post. Boco were quicker to the loose ball whenever it came about, and a quick shot from the edge of the area saw them score another **0-6**. They attacked and shot and Ethem made a great save, and then Ollie chased the rebound, but as the player got in his way, decided to push him over! The referee had to toss-up between two players to see who took it, the loser walking off crying, the winner blasting it high into the net **0-7**.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO LIONS 7

From defending we broke out and Aran rode two wild challenges before shooting past the 'keeper however it rebounded off of the right post so Bradley retrieved it, dragged it back and shot past the 'keeper and it hit the left post and it came out to Lukas and he shot across the face of the goal but just wide. We attacked with everyone and they broke out **0-8**. Now re-read the above line **0-9**. Lukas was fouled on the edge of the area, took the kick, saw it cleared, back off of one of their players and fell to Bradley, but his shot was at the 'keeper. They attacked, Ethem raced out and smashed it clear, but only as far as Aran who it hit on the back of the head, and then looped up and over Ethem and in

0-10. James and Aran broke out passing well as they attacked, and then it fell to Kaylum who couldn't get it out from his feet, and then back to James, but his shot was saved. We were defending and Aran stopped the ball virtually on the goal-line, before passing to James to run the entire length of the pitch but his last touch was slightly too heavy and the 'keeper grabbed it. From another melee near out goal James broke out and ran all the way before shooting too close to the 'keeper. The 'keeper then kicked out at James, wo shot again, and again at the 'keeper, which made at least five shots through the game which were at the 'keeper!

FULL-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO LIONS 10

Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for excellent play and effort – **Adam & Aran**

The Game 2 line-up was:

Keanu
Bartus Cory
Ethem Charlie

Substitutes: Liam, Bradley G & Kruz

We attacked but they broke, and Keanu charged out and dived onto the ball on the edge of his area. We kept them hemmed in and Charlie had a great shot which was just wide. From a throw, Ethem got it and ran the whole pitch, but shot just wide. They had a free-kick and Charlie charged it down but his shot was too close to the 'keeper. Then we were defending and Cory broke away, but shot too early and the 'keeper saved. Ethem was fouled on the halfway line and took it quickly to **Cory** who had stayed up and he fired it through the 'keeper's legs **1-0**. We had the ball on the edge of our area, and then passed backwards without looking and fortunately it hit our post and came out! Bradley pressured them and forced his way towards goal with the ball, before finding Liam with it and he shot from a narrow angle but just the wrong side of the post. Bradley tackled on the edge of our area and got the ball to

Liam, who raced towards goal before firing it past the 'keeper **2-0**.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 2 BOCO LIONS 0

All of their best players from Game 1 were back on and they started to fire shots in, the first low past Keanu **2-1**. They then attacked again from the kick and despite good tackling from Cory, shot again **2-2**. Another shot fired in was saved brilliantly by Keanu, however it rebounded and they fired it in **2-3**. Ethem ran through but his shot was wide. They then attacked down their right and shot hard, and Keanu was unlucky to see it go in after he had made a good save **2-4**. Right on half-time their player dived in to knock the loose ball past Keanu, injuring him in the process, however he recovered well and was able to continue **2-5**. We attacked en-masse into their area as Bradley shot, then Liam and then Charlie, but all were blocked by defenders. We kept the pressure on and the pass out from their 'keeper came to **Liam** and he shot high and in **3-5**. We broke out of defence and **Bradley** won the ball halfway before attacking, and although the 'keeper got a hand to it; he was unable to stop it going in **4-5**. Bradley again ran at goal and shot, but this time the 'keeper got a hand to it, and was able to gather at the second attempt.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 4 BOCO LIONS 5

Man of the Match – Chosen by Andy for excellent play and effort – **Charlie & Keanu**

OVERALL: FRYS 4 BOCO LIONS 15

Afterthoughts.....

I was not happy at the way they used their best four players in game two to score five goals and effectively win them both games. They said it was just fair rotation, but we are building towards a league with two teams who have an identity, and you are supposed to keep it that way. As for our players, we kept going regardless of the score and walked off smiling, so well done to them.