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On a cold grey Mother's day the Tigers of Boco came to play. We were almost at full strength with only Adam missing.

The Game 1 line-up was:

Keanu (Kaylum)

Aran Tyler

Kaylum Bradley W

Substitutes: James, Tristen & Ollie

Boco started with some flowing football which we struggled to defend but a goal was well denied by Keanu. From our goal kick we were trying to pass our way forward when they intercepted the ball and attacked quickly. Keanu came out but their striker calmly put the ball past Keanu to score **0-1**. A good pass from Bradley set Aran away and he skipped past two players and was about to shoot when their final defender got back and made a last ditch tackle and the ball trickled to the goalkeeper. Some great skill by Bradley saw him taking on two players with some quick feet then a wonderful ball to Kaylum who was three yards out, but his shot went three yards wide. A wonderful tackle was made by Tristen who then passed to James who hit a strong shot that just went wide. Ollie took a quick throw in to find James

who got his shot away which looked like it was going into the corner until their keeper got to it and tipped it around the corner. We were playing some great football and Kaylum took on one of their players and passed to Tristen who did a quick pass to James whose shot beat the goalie and was rolling in only for one of their players to clear the ball off of the line. Next attack James got another shot away which hit the post. Tristen was defending with great skill and reading the game very well stopping the Boco attacks.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO TIGERS 1

Kaylum went in goal for the 2nd half. Some good play by Aran set himself up for a shot which just went wide. Boco had a period of sustained pressure but we were defending very well. We then looked to pass our way out and forgot the ball! They slid in and put the ball wide when it was easier to score. We cleared the ball which went to one of their players and we had no one back and they placed the ball pass Kaylum **0-2**. From kick-off they got the ball off of us and went through to score **0-3**. We were still playing good football and trying to pass and move which was very good. We switched off for a second and they pounced like the Tigers they are to make it **0-4**. Some lovely football was then seen from Boco and they scored again **0-5**. Some good football from Kaylum put through Aran whose shot was well saved. We then attacked with James finding Ollie who hit his shot just wide. We were looking for a goal and left nobody to defend and they had two strikers bearing down on goal and scored to make it **0-6**. We kept

going and played some great football and the ball found its way to **Keanu** who hit an unstoppable shot into the back of the net to make it **1-6**. The ref blew up soon after.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 1 BOCO TIGERS 6

Man of the Match – Chosen by Gaz and Lee for great overall play – **Bradley W & Tristen**

The Game 2 line-up was:

Finn (Charlie)
Ethem Charlie
Bradley G Bartus

Substitute: Cory, Kruz, Aaron & Liam

The game started with us passing the ball with some good passes between Charlie and Bradley. Boco then attacked and were looking like they were going to score but Finn made a great save to keep the score at 0-0. Ethem was making some great tackles one of these found Bradley who took on two players, passed to Charlie who shot just wide. Boco moved the ball well to the edge of our area. Bartus tackled their player and the ball bobbed up for a Boco player to shoot from outside the area which flew past Finn into the back of our net **0-1**. Bradley saw Charlie in space and played him in on goal which he followed with a good shot which was saved by the Boco Goalkeeper. Some wonderful team play by Kruz, Aaron and Cory saw the ball find Liam who shot just wide. We were defending well with all of the boys making some great tackles. Liam got the ball and threaded the ball to Cory who headed towards goal, he was tackled the ball deflected of a Boco defender and trickled just wide. We were playing really well and Aaron put the ball through to Kruz who was away and looked like he was going to score only for the ref to stop the game for a Boco player to have his laces tied up.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 BOCO TIGERS 1

Charlie went in goal for the 2nd Half. From kick-off we were not quite ready and they were through and gave Charlie no chance

to make the score **0-2**. Bradley and Bartus took our kick-off and found Finn on the wing who was away. The defender tried to stop Finn by pulling his shirt and when that did not work he fouled him with a tackle that got Finn in the chest. The manager of Boco took this player off. Finn bravely took the free kick and his shot just went wide. We had a throw in which was intercepted and then punted up the field to the one player stood on his own who scored **0-3**. Cory found Kruz who passed the ball up the line to Aaron who saw Cory charging up field and did a nice little pass, Cory took on one player and passed to **Liam** who calmly put the ball in the back of the net a great team goal **1-3**. We were dominating and had a succession of corners which we were unlucky not to score from. Kruz blocked a clearance which bounced to Cory who hit a first time shot against the post into the goalkeeper's arms. From the clearance Boco were away and looking to attack until Liam made a fantastic tackle. From the corner the ball went all the way to the player who flicked the ball into the back of the net **1-4**. The ref blew the final whistle straight after.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 1 BOCO TIGERS 4

Man of the Match – Chosen by Paul and Mark for some great passing and tackling – **Cory**

OVERALL: FRYS 2 BOCO TIGERS 10

Afterthoughts.....
This was a good match played in the right way. The Boco manager apologised for the last game against the Lions and how they utilised the substitutes and they played in the right way and were a very good side. We matched them and listening back to the game it was a lot closer and we are playing so much better as a team and all the boys are learning and coming on each week. It was also lovely to hear all the encouragement from parents and supporters on the side lines.