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LONGWELL GREEN DEVELOPMENT
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We welcomed Longwell Green to Frys on an overcast day in Keynsham. There was no Tyler, Ollie, Charlie or Bartus.

The Game 1 line-up was:

Keanu (Kaylum)

Tristen Kaylum

James Aran

Substitutes: Bradley W & Adam

We kicked off and immediately attacked with Aran and James combining well with Aran just shooting wide. **Aran** picked the ball up in our own half and went on a mazy run past three players to get to the edge of their area and placed the ball into the bottom right corner **1-0**. Kaylum made a great tackle and passed to **James** who went around one player and blasted the ball in the back of the net **2-0**. Under our pressure Longwell Green cleared their lines to the one player on his own upfront who just beat Tristen to the ball to get his shot away which was brilliantly saved by Keanu. Keanu rolled the ball to Kaylum who tried to pass to Aran however the ball was intercepted and was placed past Keanu **2-1**. Adam and Bradley passed to each other and

then Adam found Kaylum who in turn found Bradley W out wide, and he ran to the edge of the box and cut it back to **Kaylum** who placed the ball in the back of the net **3-1**. They had a throw in which we were not awake to and they had two players free, and they passed quickly to leave Keanu no chance as they scored **3-2**. They picked the ball up on the edge of the area and hit a big clearance up field. Adam was defending on his own and although he did well to get to the ball first and try to clear the danger he was tackled and their attacker calmly scored **3-3**.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 3 L/G DEV 3

James picked the ball up on the half way line and went on powerful run to the edge of the area and shot, and the keeper did well to save it, but then the ball rebounded to Aran who shot first time and the ball went just wide. From their clearance we were quickly tackling them and Aran got the ball and it was just the goalie in the way. **Aran** was very calm and passed the ball into the back of the net **4-3**. Aran picked the ball up and was bearing down on goal and was about to pull the trigger but was fouled for a penalty. Aran picked himself up to take the penalty which he hit well but it was also saved well by their 'keeper, and Aran hit the rebound just wide. A quick breakout from Longwell Green saw them get into our half and they shot from distance which Kaylum saved but he was unable to hold on to

the ball and they followed up to score **4-4**. Soon after we were having to defend and Adam got in a great tackle but the ball deflected to their striker on his own and he hit the ball past Kaylum **4-5**. We tried to get another goal but they kept us out 'til the end of a very good game.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 4 L/G DEV 5

Man of the Match – Chosen by Gaz & Lee for excellent play and effort – **James & Kaylum**

The Game 2 line-up was:

Cory (Bradley G)

Ethem Kruz

Bradley G Liam

Substitutes: Finn & Aaron

We started very well with Bradley going down the wing taking two of their players out of the game and he then put a cross in to Kruz who shot wide. We were playing well and we had all gone forward when they got a tackle in and hit a long ball into our half where one of their players was on his own and he smashed the ball past Cory **0-1**. We were playing well and there were some good passing between Liam and Kruz which resulted in Liam shooting just wide. Ethem was playing well at the back and setting things up well and got one ball through to Bradley who tried to place the ball in the corner but hit it just wide. Longwell Green attacked down the right side and came into the box and were going to shoot when Liam fouled them to concede a penalty. The penalty was hit well and heading to the corner until Cory dived full length to tip the ball round the post. From the corner Bradley cleared the ball and travelled to the halfway line, waited for the defender to come to him before passing to Liam who took it on a few yards before shooting wide. Aaron was quick to react to their goal-kick and beat

a defender before shooting, which was saved well by the 'keeper.

HALF-TIME: FRYS 0 L/G DEV 1

Longwell Green kicked off and attacked however Ethem made a well-timed tackle and cleared the ball to Finn who turned a defender and got a shot away which just went wide. A good throw from Ethem found Kruz in space and he ran towards the goal before looking up and shooting just wide. Cory and then Kruz combined well and as Cory was about cross he was tackled and the ball went out for a corner. Ethem took it and Finn tried to knock it in but it was saved well by the 'keeper. We got a throw in near the corner flag which was taken by Ethem who found Finn, and he looked up to see Liam in the middle and made a beautiful pass. **Liam** picked the ball up and blasted it in the back of the net **1-1**. From the kick-off Cory made a great tackle, he saw that **Liam** was making a run forward and made a pinpoint pass to find him and he ran onto the ball to smash it into the net **2-1**. It was Longwell Green's turn to attack but Ethem and Aaron were defending well and we did not let them get any more shots at our goal.

FULL-TIME: FRYS 2 L/G DEV 1

Man of the Match – Chosen by Mark & Paul for excellent play and effort – **Kruz**

OVERALL: FRYS 6 L/G DEV 6

Afterthoughts.....

This was a very good game and was another performance that showed how we are improving every week. The boys are now looking to pass to each other rather than just hit the ball aimlessly. We are staying in position and are having more of an understanding of the game. It is wonderful to see the boys playing with such joy and it is looking good going forward with the development of the team.