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We travelled to Warmley to play a team we have played many times before but like Imperial last week it was the first time we have played them this year. The games previously had always been close, but Warmley have been playing a league above us, so it was going to be a tough game.

The line-up was:

Alfie
Tristen Liam Ethem Josh
Kaylum James Bradley G Bartek

Substitutes: Cory & Bradley W

Warmley started well and played a good ball behind us and then crossed in a good ball and only a good block from Josh prevented them from scoring. From the corner they shot just over the bar. A good run from Josh down the left saw him pass inside to James who shot just wide. A quick throw from Tristen found Bradley G who skipped past one player before passing to James; this time the 'keeper saved the ball which went behind; however, the ref did not see the save and gave a goal kick. It was a long kick that caused us trouble and they were through on goal and Alfie made a great save, but the ball bounced back to them, and another shot was well saved by Alfie but this time they were there to knock it in **1-0**. A long ball came into the area, and we all watched the ball rather than attack it and they nipped in to knock it in the net **2-0**. We attacked them in the middle and a good ball by Bartek found Kaylum who shot just wide. A good ball by Liam played Bradley G through who worked hard, the 'keeper tried to get to the ball, but Bradley G nipped it off him and knocked it in, but the ref disallowed the goal for a foul on the 'keeper. They worked the ball well from a throw and only a good save from Alfie prevented them from extending the lead! Josh did well to win the ball from their goal kick and he played a beautiful cross which found Bradley W, but his shot was well saved by the 'keeper. We were playing some better football and for 10 minutes we were on top. They got a corner

which we did not attack, and it went straight through to them, and they knocked it in **3-0**. James did well to win the ball from a goal kick and he played the ball onto Bradley G who battled into the area, but his shot was straight at the 'keeper.

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We started the 2nd half the same as the first half some good play by Kaylum and Bartek resulted in Bartek in shooting just wide. A quick throw from Josh found Bradley G who went around the defender; he got past the 'keeper who brought him down and **Bradley G** got up and powered the penalty home **3-1**. Cory got the ball from Alfie's goal kick and played a great ball up the line to Bradley W who crossed and found Kaylum whose shot was saved by the 'keeper. A quick throw by Cory found Bradley W who played the ball in to Bradley G who ran into the box, and he cut the ball back into the area, but the ball bounced back to **Bradley G** who tucked the ball home **3-2**. We were now on top and Ethem piled through and hit a bulldozer of shot that the 'keeper saved well. A great cross from James found Liam who was unlucky to see his header just go over. We were playing well throughout the team and were playing the better football, defending soundly at the back with Ethem and Tristen making some great blocks and Liam clearing well. Ethem took a free kick from our half which found Bradley G and he lobbed it over a defender to Bradley W who hit a good shot that was well saved by the 'keeper. James took a delightful corner and **Kaylum** got to it first to head the ball into the back of the net **3-3**. Warmley were still attacking and came through the middle but a good save from Alfie was cleared by Josh and Cory. We then attacked down our left and the two Bradley's combined well to get the ball to James but just as he was about to shoot the defender came across to knock it out for a corner. James took another fantastic corner and the ball bounced in the area before coming to **Bartek** who lobbed everyone with the ball nestling in the back of net **3-4**. They got a free kick 20 yards out that went narrowly wide and this was their last chance and we held on for an amazing win.

FULL-TIME: WARMLEY 3 FRY 4

Afterthoughts.....

What a comeback from the boys to win from being 3-0 down at half time was amazing considering we have had a tough season to keep going and never give up was brilliant and the joy on all the boys' faces when Bartek scored the winning goal was priceless so well done to all! We are very proud of everyone.