



Cerebral Palsy Sport - Regional Ambulant Football League

Round 4: Soccer Dome, Derby January 16th 2010

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As round four moved to The Soccer Dome adjacent to Pride Park in Derby, all footballers were eager to get back into action following the Christmas break and the recent inclement weather disruption.

Peter Collins 'Derbyshire football in the community officer' ensured the day ran smoothly, with excellent refereeing duties throughout the festival from Ben Wormleighton and Matt O'Connor.

Aston Villa opened the first fixture against their near neighbours Sporting Albion, the Villa were on top throughout the game and put 6 past the Albion without reply, a Ryan Taylor hat trick supported by Tommy O'Callaghan 2 and Rohit Bhardwaj were the scorers for Villa.

Aston Villa then faced league leaders Yorkshire CP FC, and in a game which could have gone either way Yorkshire edged out the Villa by two goals to one, Dale Spencer 2 for Yorkshire and Rohit Bhardwaj in reply for the Villa.

Last month the Manchester United v Sporting Albion fixture went to the wire, not on this occasion Man Utd running out by five goals to two. Sam McGovern-Scott 2, Steven Kitching 2 and Harry Crooke for United, Matt Hampton 2 in reply for the Albion.

An eagerly awaited fixture next saw the ever improving Manchester United team against Aston Villa, 0-0 at half time a draw looked likely until Harry Crooke found the breakthrough for United, quick as a flash Rohit Bhardwaj replied for Villa and in the dying seconds Harry scored his second for a Man Utd 2-1 victory.

Sporting Albion gave the Yorkshire team a real fright last month at Aston Villa but not at Derby, Yorkshire were far too strong and ran out by five goals to nil. In the process Craig Taylor scored a hat trick, supported by Josh Percival and Dale Spencer.

Man Utd verses Yorkshire what a fixture, with both teams in good form Yorkshire had the edge and were extremely creative in their play and were worthy 3-0 winners with goals from Joe Jackson, Josh Percival and Dale Spencer.

The final game of Round 4 saw a reverse of the first game with Sporting Albion against Aston Villa, Albion were one up at half-time through Ben Clarke and it was Lucy Hall who put Albion 2 up straight after the restart.

Phil Barker made good substitutions in the second half and it paid off with Ryan Taylor and Rob Bates linking well for a Taylor reply. In the next minute it was Rob Bates who was on the score sheet to level matters, with a draw looking likely the league's top scorer Ryan Taylor popped up for his second and a win for Aston Villa.

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Trent Outlaws played very well in the opening fixture against league leaders Yorkshire CP FC 1, the game which could have gone either way ended 2-2. Chris Farnell with 2 for Yorkshire and in reply for the Outlaws Barney Corral and Ben Lewis.

Yorkshire CP FC 2 were up against Aston Villa Marvels and in a very close encounter the Marvels ran out 2-1, with 2 goals from Daniel Rowe and Reece Wheeler in reply for Yorkshire.

In a Yorkshire 1 v 2 fixture it was Yorkshire 1 who were far too strong for their fellow club players scoring seven without reply. The goal machine Chris Farnell netting five in the process, and Owen Millington adding two.

Aston Villa Marvels then faced Trent Outlaws, and this season the Marvels have been the stronger side but not today, the Outlaws opened the scoring through Barney Corral in the first half and Kieran Owen sealed matters in the second half with his first of the season.

Rampant Trent Outlaws then took Yorkshire 2 apart scoring five without reply, Barney Corral 2, Ben Lewis 2 and a screamer from John McAneaney.

The Marvels next game were close rivals Yorkshire 1, and it was Yorkshire who dominated the match winning 3-0, once again Chris Farnell with his scoring boots on netting two and Luke French the other.

The Yorkshire 1 V 2 fixture saw Chris Farnell score 4 against the Yorkshire 2 outfit, although the Yorkshire 2 were unlucky not to get on the score sheet with Reece Wheeler going close on a couple of occasions.

Trent Outlaws had to compete for every opportunity against Aston Villa Marvels, and deserved the 2-0 victory thanks to goals from Barney Corral and Ben Lewis.

Yorkshire 2 then faced inform Trent Outlaws, and it was Yorkshire 2 who opened the scoring through Adam Storey, John McAneaney the levelled for the Outlaws in the first half. After the restart Reece Wheeler put Yorkshire two up and a shock looked on the cards, until Ben Lewis scored a brilliant individual goal to level matters and a fair result in a 2-2 drawn game.

Aston Villa Marvels and Yorkshire 1 have both been strong all season, no doubt this fixture would go to the final whistle and it was Chris Farnell who opened the scoring for Yorkshire, just before the break Daniel Godfrey popped up to level for the Marvels. In the closing seconds Callum Japes scored the winner for Yorkshire and his first of the season.

Aston Villa Marvels were too strong for the Yorkshire 2 team winning by 3-1, two goals for Daniel Godfrey, one for Callum Burns and a Joe Devins reply for Yorkshire.

Trent Outlaws had played very well all afternoon at Derby but were no match for Yorkshire 1 going down 7-0, Chris Farnell scoring a record six goals and Luke French the other.