League Match

Leeds A Schools FA **8 – 0** East Riding Schools FA

Saturday 25th March 2023

Leeds A went into their penultimate league game full of confidence following their impressive West Yorkshire Tournament win last week.

The first 5 minutes were even with both teams trying to get their passing game flowing on a difficult playing surface. Leeds then stepped it up a gear when the Leed's skipper, Flynn Pryde, led by example dribbling past a few defenders only to be fouled in the opposition's penalty box. He picked himself up to then slot the penalty accurately past the East Riding goalkeeper.

The second goal quickly followed when the ever-eager Billy Marsden coolly rounded the keeper in a one-on-one situation. It was then 3-0 when right winger Charlie Eteen finished brilliantly into the far corner after Joseph Sekker's deflected shot.

Leed's dominance continued to be relentless and Kian Windsor's quality finish after being put through cleverly by Abdullah Abdulrahma made it 4-0. There was then time for one more before half-time when Charlie's delivery from a free kick was met emphatically by Flynn for his second of the game.

Leeds started the second half as they finished the first, quickly making it 6-0, when Charlie Eteen's skillful run and cross was met at the near post by the impressive Blazej Staszkiewicz for his first of the game.

The Leed's keeper Spencer Grand then got himself in the action assisting Blazej for his second, launching a colossal throw from his own goal mouth over the opposition's defenders. The best team goal of the day then finished the scoring, making it 8-0, when a ball down the line from defender Stevie Cochrane to Flynn Pryde, was then crossed to Lucas Horne who finished precisely in the corner.

The match ended 8-0 reflecting a dominant all-round team performance. Even when East Riding did try to break away, it was quickly cancelled out by the Leed's defence, including Rafael Burton who was supreme at the back on the day, backed up by Spencer who kept another clean sheet.