

Match Report: Leeds B vs Sheffield 24 November 2018

The Leeds B team will be disappointed they lost the momentum of their positive start, losing 5-3 at Sheffield in the West Yorkshire SFA U11's league.

The away team put Sheffield under immediate and sustained pressure from the kick off. Ben Furness set the pace in the first minute to win a corner and set up Leeds camp in their opponent half. Just a few minutes later the commitment from the Leeds side paid off, James Wilson clinical in putting away the first goal and then calm in setting up Evan Rose for the second.

The Leeds defence worked hard to cut out any Sheffield counter attack until just before the break when Sheffield managed a shot on goal that was initially saved by keeper Ethan Riley only to be put away on the rebound.

Taking confidence from this late first period goal, Sheffield came out in the second period a different team. Despite some brave defending from James Piotrowski and Millie Dawson, Sheffield equalized then took the lead with two excellent corners and never looked back.

Leeds had a couple of long range free kicks from Ross Cavell saved off the line before two further goals for the home side sealed the win in the final period. Leeds could only manage a late consolation goal as Morgan Crew headed home Jacob Lee's cross to end the game two goals down.