

Left to right Finlay Briggs, Daniel Squires, Bobby, Oliver Hewitt, Ben Murray, Ted Gode, Lewis Spellman, Aiden Surtees, Joe Bhaskaran, Joe Biedka.

LSFA u11's were crowned West Yorkshires regional winners at Saturdays 7 a side tournament and earnt their place in the ESFA Northern finals, which take place in Sunderland early next year.

A water logged pitch played its part throughout the tournament but the team quickly adapted to the boggy conditions which saw Lewis Spellman and Ted Gode score past Bradford to win the first of 5, 20 minute games. Next up Rotherham, Leeds had numerous efforts at goal but couldn't seem to score. Finally Spellman found himself one on one with the keeper and knocked it into goal, quickly followed by another. A quick attack from Rotherham saw centre back Joseph Biedka forced to make a goal line clearance keeping the score at 2-1 unfortunately Rotherham won a free kick in the dying seconds of the game and SCORED, making it 2-2. A game the Leeds youngsters should have won.

Games against York and Barnsley saw Spellman and Finlay Briggs score 2 more brilliant goals. Centre back Biedka kept down the goal difference again with another goal line clearance much to the relief of the keeper. Our last game against Sheffield saw Leeds really apply the pressure, a feisty performance from the entire squad allowed Leeds to score 4 goals, Spellman finding the net 3 times, and a win that made Leeds move to the top of the table and through to the Northern Finals in Sunderland.