

Leeds U11s B Team enjoyed the rare complement of a full squad for Saturday's match against East Riding, but still suffered a shaky start when the opposition scored an early, second minute goal. Leeds then found their feet and dominated the next 20 minutes of play. Corners in the 7th and 13th minutes, plus Flynn Hodge's 8th minute shot at goal were all promising moments, but the team were unable to translate the chances into goals.

Goalkeeper Freddie Prudhames-Slater kept the scoreline at 1-0 in the 23rd minute with an impressive diving save, but this marked the start of an attacking onslaught by East Riding. A 29th minute goal brought the score to 2-0, and despite valiant efforts by Shae Bryant and Jacob Keddie to drive play up the pitch, the opposition back line proved impenetrable.

The final third felt more like an endurance test than a football match, as the heavens opened to biblical levels. A missed penalty by East Riding in the 46th minute brought hope of a change in fortunes, but goals in the 49th and 59th minute secured the opposition a convincing 4-0 win. Spirits were not the only things dampened as the team swam off the pitch for the final whistle.