Saturday 5th February 2022

LSFA U12's v Barnsley, ESFA Cup

Leeds lost George Proctor to illness in the warm up.

Barnsley we're on the offensive from the off, and put Leeds under pressure, but the resilient defence of Michael Fotherby, Olivier Ahmetaj and Paddy Holmes was holding firm.

Leeds' middle of Aiden Huggett, Rufus Scott and Lennon Kelly battling hard to feed Fletcher Snowden and Rhyley Davis up front. It was an open game and Barnsley broke the deadlock with a well-executed goal. Leeds pushed forward and a shot from Rhyley Davis was deflected into the path of Rufus Scott who slotted in the equaliser.

The second half was a similar tempo with Leeds hitting the post and Harry Hainsworth making some great saves in the Leeds goal. Barnsley broke on the left and crossed for the winger to slot in their second. Leeds kept pushing forward with the tenacious Leo Scott being brought down outside the box. The free kick was bent brilliantly over the wall into the net by Fletcher Snowden.

Extra time concluded a great game 2-2, onto penalties. Barnsley missed first penalty. Fletcher Snowden goal 1-0 Barnsley goal. 1-1 Rhyley Davis goal. 2-1 Barnsley goal. 2-2 Lennon Kelly goal. 3-2 Harry Hainsworth save for Leeds 3-2 Rufus Scott goal 4-2 A well-deserved win