

Youth Sport



Under-12 Surrey Primary League Division One Byfleet Village 2

AFC Brooklands Hawks 2

THIS local derby was a spirited battle with honours ending even.

The match started with Byfleet making the most of sustained attacks that the Brookland' defenders managed to control.

Brooklands broke free of their shackles only for the Byfleet keeper to tip the shot round the post.

From the ensuing corner the ball was met with a stunning volley from Tommy Mason that fizzed into the bottom corner.

Both teams traded attacks and Charlie Budd made two excellent saves to keep Brooklands in the lead at half time. The home team flew into the second half and caught Brooklands cold, their first coming when a parried shot was thumped into the net.

As Brooklands tried to recover they conceded again before

starting to really battle. The equaliser came when Matthew Taylor battled past the strong Byfleet centre-backs and finished low passed the diving keeper.

Under-10 Surrey Primary League Division Nine

AFC Brooklands 4 Hersham 7

IT was a tale of 10 minutes that gave Hersham all three points in this clash.

Brooklands started slowly and paid the price as within the first five minutes they found themselves 3-0 down. Steadily they pulled themselves back into the game and Brooklands' hot-shot Ryan King was denied on two occasions by the woodwork.

With the hosts limiting Hersham to a few breakaway attacks it was a defensive error that gave them a chance when a Hersham defender sliced the ball into his own net.

In the second half it was Brooklands who came out the blocks the quickest and Thomas Leach-Walton found

himself free to lash the ball in to the back of the net and this was quickly followed by a goal from King who broke way to bring the scores level.

Brooklands then went to sleep for five minutes and Hersham seized the opportunity scoring four goals.

The home team tried in vain to recover the difference and a second goal from Leach-Walton was not enough to rock Hersham.