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MEET THE GANG!

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Northwich U.11s - 7 – 21 - Marple U.11s

Bedecked in their magnificent new kit the young yellows resumed match day duties entertaining Marple on a miserable grey morning at Moss Farm. The pre match pep talk consisted of “get your tackles in the first ten seconds”. . . . After 20 seconds they were a converted try behind after the Marple receiver ran the ball three quarters of the length of the pitch practically unopposed. 0 – 7

The lights obviously went on as the team set about starting the match the second time in 2 minutes. This time the boys meant business with great forward work from the front five of Kennedy, Leah, Thomas, Lewis and Campbell heaping pressure on a resolute Marple defence. Dan Tyrrell at scrum half hassled and harried around the scrum and breakdowns feeding the backs, who today moved the ball to wide men Alex Brown and Jamie Pritchard, both boys attacked and defended with great vigour. James Hayes Clarke, Cameron Gooch and Billy Cole at 10, 12 and 13 found themselves in the firing line of two strong Marple runners and had to make tackles to keep their side in the match, still the yellows pressed Jordan Kennedy and Grant Leah making devastating forays into the Marple defence.

Parity was restored 2 minutes before the break as Kennedy smashed his way over in the corner with Daniel Tyrrell converting. Unfortunately due the generous nature of the boys, slack tackling allowed the visitors to get their noses back in front in the last play of the quarter. 7 – 14

With no changes in the second quarter the large contingent of parents bore witness to a slugfest of Rugby with both teams refusing to give ground, some fine play by both teams in this quarter. 7 – 14

Changes for the next quarter, Bethany Cooper, Nathan Flaherty, Tom Bray and David Richardson with new lock partner Cameron Gooch having one of his best games for the team. were straight into the fray. Bethany particularly with three outstanding tackles on the wing. As in the second quarter both teams refused to yield and attack turned to defence for both teams. 7 – 14.

The final quarter saw both teams go for the result, Grant and Alex Brown producing fine long range runs into the opponent's danger zone, still the ball would not cross the line as desperate defending and delays in passing allowed Marple to hold out and deliver a sucker punch in the dying moments. A clearance with the boot gained no distance and allowed Marple to break through the tiring lines to add a touch of harshness to the score line.

A great effort from all the team.



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Snow?....What Snow?



The cold snap didn't halt the under 11s as they **gritted** their teeth and **ploughed** into some indoor training. A special thank you to Cloughwood School for allowing us to use their facilities.



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Stats at a glance



Stats at a Glance

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	Total
Teams Played -	4	4	1	1					10
Home games	1	1	1	1					4
Away Games -	3	3							6
Points For -	48	66	0	7					121
Points against -	257	154	78	21					510
Points difference + / -				-14					-297
Tries scored	8	10	0	1					19
Conversions	4	8	0	1					13
Maximum players used -	18	17	15	16					18
Minimum players used -	13	14	15	16					13
Different Player of Match award -	6	5	1	2					14
Miles travelled (distance from club)-	288	68	0	0					356
Average points scored per match -	76.25	52.5	78	28					234.75



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E-News – Scorers Chart

Top Points Scorer of the Year

Personal Score Accumulator	Crewe & Nantwich	Mold	Bromsgrove	Lymm	Congleton	Winnington Park	Widnes	Sandbach	Wilmslow	Ashton On Mersey	Knutsford	Oswestry	Marple	Anselmians	Helsby	Nant Conwy	Crewe & Nantwich	Caldy	Congleton	Wilmslow	Oswestry	Buxton	Total Score
	1 Alex Brown			4	4																		
2 Alex Frith					5																		5
3 Ali Behnejad																							0
4 Bethany Cooper																							0
5 Billy Cole																							0
6 Cameron Gooch			5																				5
7 Daniel Tyrrell			5	5	17	2	5	2					2										38
8 David Richardson																							0
9 Grant Leah				10	10	5																	25
10 Ieuan Lewis		5	5		10																		20
11 Jack Wade																							0
12 James Campbell																							0
13 James Hayes Clarke			5		5																		10
14 Jamie Pritchard																							0
15 Jonathon Houghton																							0
16 Jordan Kennedy								5					5										10
17 Joseph Byrne									POSTPONED					POSTPONED									0
18 Mathew Thomas																							0
19 Nathan Flaherty																							0
20 Tom Bray																							0
21																							0
22																							0
23																							0
24																							0
25																							0
26																							0
27																							0
28																							0
Score on the Day	0	5	24	19	47	7	5	7	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	121

Leading points scorers,





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E-News – Fixtures & Training



03-Feb-10	Wednesday Training		
7	Helsby	A	
14	Sunday Training		
17	Wednesday Training		
21	Nant Conwy	A	
24	Wednesday Training		
28	C&N	H	
03-Mar-10	Wednesday Training		
07-Mar-10	CALDY	H	
14	Sunday Training		
21	Congleton & Helsby	H	
28	Sunday Training		
04-Apr-10	Sunday Training		
	Wednesday Training		
11	Wilmslow	H	
	Wednesday Training		
18	CHESHIRE CUP @ Wington Park	A	Tournament
25	Hoylake 7s	A	7's Tournament



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E-News – Next Match Away -v- Helsby



Helsby RUFC
Helsby Community Sports
Club
Chester Road
Helsby
Cheshire
WA6 ODL

From Direction of Frodsham -
A56 towards Helsby, pass Helsby High on right hand side, followed by the Horse and Jockey Pub. Continue and pass the Railway pub on on the right, followed by the Robin Hood Pub. Continue through Helsby, over railway bridge, pass Tescos on the right and continue straight on at traffic lights. Co-Op is on left handside, Helsby Community Sports Club is located about 100 metres further up the road on the right handside.



Northwich RUFC Under 11's E-News – SPONSORSHIP NEWS



“Give us ya Money.....”

The squad are always looking for potential sponsors no matter how large or small the contribution, we have already been fortunate enough to update and improve the training equipment and match kit thanks to this seasons new sponsors,



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E-News – A.O.B

Team Photos are available on disc, please let one of the coaches know if you want one

Match day journalist :- If anyone has a flair for writing match reports, or we have any siblings on a journalism course please contact one of the coaches. You would be able to use journalistic license to, write reports, conduct interviews with players, coaches, parents etc for inclusion in the local newspaper, team newsletter plus club and RFU websites.

RFU Proficiency Awards: - These are certificated awards where children can gain either bronze, silver or gold awards based on their skill and technical abilities. We hope to run these as soon as possible so the awards are available for the end of season presentations, for more information go to:-
<http://www.rfu.com/ManagingRugby/ClubDevelopment/Players/PlayerProficiencyAwards.aspx>

School fetes, holiday courses, items for sale, something to say, or a blockbusting idea, send it and have it put on here.



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E-News - Info for travelling opposition

Welcome to Northwich Rugby Club, we hope you enjoy our hospitality and facilities. You will find the Under11s pitch behind the swimming pool which is to the right as you enter the complex.

We are able to offer changing facilities as well as the after match hospitality in the club house. We do though have a few rules to abide by:-



No dogs allowed at the Moss Farm complex,



• Please park considerately,



• Don't be a touchline terrorist, support good play and encourage technique and ability not results!



• Enjoy your visit and join us for a pint afterwards.