

# St Faith's Match Reports

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## St Faith's v Culford 1<sup>st</sup> Team Hockey

In the first match of the season, St Faith's started strong. Two goals in the first four minutes gave St Faith's an early lead. Then, Culford fought back, with a tricky midfielder and they got it back to 2-2. St Faith's reacted well, and controlled the game, to take a lead going into the second half.

In the second half St Faith's controlled the game, looking brilliant in attack, creating opportunity after opportunity in the match. We held them back to just 1 goal in the second half, but defensively needed some work. All in all, a good first match performance by St Faith's boys, eventually winning 7-3.

Our standout performer was Nate, Man of the Match, scoring 1 goal and was brilliant all round. Up front, James picked up a hattrick, Arthur got 2, and I, Jack, got 1.

Match report by Jack C

## St Faith's v Culford 2<sup>nd</sup> Team Hockey

St Faith's played Culford on Wednesday and the game got off to a great start. Ross and Pablo scored a few goals each to take an early lead. At half time, the score was 4-1 to St Faith's. Early on in the in first half, Culford caught St Faith's by surprise and put one past Danilka. St Faith's reacted to this by putting one in the other end. Danilka made an amazing save against a brilliant reverse hit, touching it over the crossbar with his glove. St Faith's showed more energy and scored a few more to extend their lead to 7-2 at the final whistle. Theo was crowned the St Faith's man of the match for his tenacious defending and some great runs on the wing.

Match report by Henry K

## St Faith's v Culford 3<sup>rd</sup> Team Hockey

At the start everyone looked nervous, but immediately after the whistle blew, I could tell that everyone was hungry for the win....

There was thought put into almost every ball that was played. There was power and there was pace on the ball constantly, which were our focus points. We concentrated hard and didn't let Culford back into the game.

The only little thing as a further step is to avoid unnecessary stick tackles and working off the ball more. Everyone gave it their all, and energy + drive was never lost. Overall, a delightful match!

Match report by William B