



Football – Around the Grounds

6A

The boys started well against a very determined St Pat's team. The score was locked at 1-1 at half time and finished 5-2 with goals coming in a hurry in the second half. Giacomo was the man of the match after another strong display at the back.

6B

A resilient and dogged performance by the 6B Football team proved too much for their opponents from Shorncliffe. Ashgrove were put on the back foot early, conceding a goal that led to the visitors dominating the first half. The men in green had Ashgrove in strife; however, the boys never gave in and played with enormous amounts of courage and heart. The pressure that Ashgrove amounted after conceding ultimately led to an SPC own goal to level up the scoreline, and unbeknownst to our opposition, was just the start of the comeback. St. Patrick's then thought they had the game won after once again taking the lead thanks to some very dubious substitutions. However, Ashgrove scored two late goals to ensure a courageous win and a miserable drive back home for the visitors! Ashgrove with a come from behind victory to steal a 3-2 victory.

6C

What an incredible game! Our defenders worked so hard that our keeper didn't even touch the ball in the first half. This was with only eight players on the field for the first 15 minutes! A huge well done to Patrick Tealby in particular who managed to clear the ball from our half every time he touched it. Well done boys!

6 Gold

With one less player, the boys still displayed their best performance throughout the game. Our man of the match Leo Pigott was injured at the start of the game but still carried on and showed great spirits, scoring two goals and having two assists. Overall it was great performance from all the boys; it was an exciting game to watch.

6 White

The mighty 6 White followed up last week's win with a similar effort this weekend defeating St Pat's 6 – 1, with goals by Joe Lafferty (2), Ruben Smythe (2), Sam Imlay (1) & Ethan Barbaro (1). Another goalie star has emerged in the team with the safe hands of Mitchell McCormick saving much from the attack of the opposition. Ruben positioned himself well throughout the game, and coupled with the tandem efforts of Matthew Stower & Joe Lafferty was able to ensure the game was played well in the St Pat's half of the field. Sam Imlay's skill in taking corners assisted the team in placing the ball well for our succession of goals. With Massimo Tsiros showing skill in attack and Josh Gannon doing similar in defence, the team is setting themselves well for a successful season all-round.





5A

Marist came out hungry for another win and put on a clinic, finishing with an emphatic 6-0 win. It was a whole team victory with four players contributing to the scoreboard (Aidan Mansul 2, Riley Peacock, Alexander Brown, Salem Tamer and Harry Cootes assisting for an own goal) The boys pushed forward all game and held possession in the opponents half majority of the game. Connor Campbell was excellent in defence as well as Elliot Broadfoot keeping his first clean sheet of the season.

5B

Tough start to the game, conceding early, but the team managed to get one back before half time to go 1-3 down into the break. Huge effort from both Massimo and Curtis, who never gave up, were always running and getting stuck in. A few late goals to St Pats secured them the win.

5C

Ashgrove began the match with a bang, as Felix scored within the opening minutes. However, the game became a bit more of a stalemate as the St Pats goalkeeper made save after save to deny MCA any more goals before halftime. However, as has been the case in previous weeks, the 5Cs put on the afterburners in the second half, scoring three more goals in quick succession, before a late goal from St Pats got them on the board. Ashgrove finished off the game the way that they started with a final goal from Aiden Baker that turned out to be the final play of the match, securing a 5-1 win for Ashgrove.

5 Gold

Marist started the game well, with a great penalty goal early in the first half. Success from the corner kick yielded two quick goals following this, putting the team in a commanding position at half time. A determined St Pat's side showed great grit in the second half, scoring a goal and giving everything they had. Clutch goalkeeping and defence, however, put Ashgrove over the line in a win for their first game of the season.

5 White

The 5 Whites started the game with two men down, but this made for a very good first half with the boys keeping control of the ball the entire half. The second half saw the MCA boys pretty exhausted and very quickly running out of gas; this allowed SLC into the game and the boys Marist boys let four goals slip through. In the final moments of the game, Sam was able to score a very good goal which earned him the player of the match. Final score 1-4.

