

Norfolk & Suffolk Youth League Division 1
Sunday 18 October, Waveney Youth U12A 5 Caister 2

Waveney U12A entertained Caister at Denes High School on Sunday and after trailing at the break to a superbly struck opener, the home team put on a tremendous second-half performance to take the points. Despite a host of first-half chances, Waveney eventually scored when Gallant beat the offside trap to calmly stroke the equaliser. Shortly afterwards skipper Butler powered home a bullet header from Nichols' pinpoint corner to put Waveney ahead.

Caister fought-back and fashioned a quick leveller down the left, but Waveney restored their lead when Anderson was first to react from another Nichols' corner. This goal seemed to finally settle the home team and after clever play by Evans and Nichols, Anderson was on hand to pick up the pieces again for the fourth. There was still time for Phillips to slot home a fifth from the spot after Evans was upended in the box.

This was a hard-earned victory for Waveney and all the players can be proud of their efforts in coming from behind to defeat a good Caister side who always carried a threat up-front.