



# Waveney Youth F. C.

## Match Report

Competition	TESCO SUFFOLK COUNTY CUP				Round	QTR FINAL
Date:	13/12/2009		Kick Off:	13.30		
Waveney Youth U13A	3	V.	2	Elmswell Youth U13		
Joe Dowsing Ben Testoni Ryan Nixon						
Referee:	Jordan Duncan					

### Report.

It was Waveney who offered all the Christmas spirit against strong Ipswich based Elmswell Youth in this Suffolk county cup Qtr final match.

Firstly Waveney had to play the game with only a starting 11 players as the influential left side pairing of Sam and Liam Brown were out injured ( and boy were they missed) they then continued to give 2 really soft goals away and then had to work their socks off to finally get something from this game. Waveney started brightly against a team they had never faced before and for the opening 10 minutes looked really up for the game. Some super crisp passing got Waveney and Jordan in particular in 3 fantastic positions to score but neither chance was taken. Bradley then had to be alert as Elmswell came more in to the game and saved well. By now Elmswell were sharper to the ball, wanted the ball and were better with their passing.

Bradley again produced a really good save and Bailey covered well in what looked like a certain goal. Some ridiculous Waveney marking from a throw in left a player unmarked in the penalty area and the luxury to turn and shoot high in to the net for the visitors to take the lead. Bradley again had to be alert to save well. Joe was released down the left and was unlucky with his chip shot and with a minute to go to half time Joe played a neat one two with Ben and Joe nestled his shot high in to the net.

Waveney came out the second half looking determined and Ryan inside a minute had a great chance to take the lead but the momentum was taken away from them when some crazy defending and failure the clear twice allowed the Elmswell forward to score from an acute angle. Waveney tried hard but all too often huffed and puffed and never really got the fluent football going that we know they are capable off. Shaun popped off a shot and midway through the half Joe made strides down the left, played in Jordan who had 2 attempts at goal that the keeper saved both times but the loose ball fell to Ben who made no mistake with a low drive.



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Self belief was now restored and Waveney finished the half the stronger, Ryan had a great chance to take the lead but the keeper saved well and then Liam SS worked his magic down the right crossing right in to the danger area to Joe who shot for goal but the keeper parried, the loose ball fell to Ryan who fired high over the cross bar. In the final minute Joe was sent through who tricked his way round the keeper but went a little wide and fired his shot in to the side netting. A hectic 20 minute period of extra time followed, although Elmswell had good possession it was Waveney who had the chances and a fantastic defence splitting pass from Joe released Ryan who with the keeper coming out to him knocked the ball passed him and carried on his run to score in the empty net.

**Wavetrade crane hire M.O.M**

Jordan Goldspink who started as centre forward , then played centre midfield and ended up at centre half to cover the injured Bailey.

Guys.

Not what we are used to in terms of foot balling ability but great to see that you can roll up your sleeves and battle for all your worth. Must say after a good opening 10 minutes the remainder of the first half was horrifying. We were unlucky with injuries that made us play with only 11 players but at least we have 3 weeks before we play again to get them fit and ready. Not to much Christmas pud guys and keep yourself fit.

The training session over the Christmas period is on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> December starting at 10 a.m. **Please do not forget.**

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and all the best for the New Year.

