

**BIGGLESWADE UNITED (2) v HANWELL TOWN (2)**  
**SATURDAY 10TH APRIL 2010**  
**MOLTEN SPARTAN SOUTH MIDLANDS LEAGUE**  
**PREMIER DIVISION**

Playing our third game in the space of just five days, we travelled to meet Biggleswade United fielding possibly our youngest ever side as we included four of our Under 18 Allied Counties Squad, three of whom Scott Ensom, Harry Hopkins and Tyrone McMaster were making their first full start in a first team shirt. All three as well as Jamal Gohil acquitted themselves well in a game where the final result was a fair reflection on the game overall.

The first half was a very mundane affair with both sides struggling to come to terms with a light ball on a difficult playing surface and the only real incidents of note came when Keiran Jimmy made a fine double save from a Biggleswade free kick on the edge of our penalty area, blocking Sean Murrey's fierce drive and then reacting quickly to beat away Bryn Williams's follow up effort whilst at the other end, the Biggleswade keeper Adam Lawrence did well to turn away a long cross by Tyrone which looked destined for the far corner of the net.

The game burst into life after the interval and we took the lead in the 48th minute. A surging run into the box by Keith Rowlands and then a neat interchange of passes with Harry and Jamal culminated in Jamal being tripped by the Biggleswade skipper Martin Russell and Keith notched his 283rd goal from the spot as he sent Lawrence the wrong way. Minutes later, Keiran made a tremendous save to turn a shot by Williams over the bare. However, on the hour mark he was picking the ball out of our net. Aonghus Martin way out on the left hand side of the pitch tried an ambitious cross field ball in the direction of Yassine Fehmi-Gil. The ball was cut out by Chris Balazs who played it through to Jack Gabbitas in yards of space. Gabbitas given time and room cut inside before drilling the ball home. Shortly afterwards Gabbitas went down in our box under a challenge by Ian Jimmy, but the referee waved aside Biggleswade's claims for a spot kick. With fifteen minutes remaining, we regained the lead when another good movement down the right involving Yassine and Matt O'Brien gave Matt the chance to poke the ball across Lawrence into the far corner. Biggleswade pushed forward in search of an equaliser and scored it with five minutes remaining when a quick throw in down the right sent Gabbitas clear and he headed for the by line before pulling the ball back into the path of Ross Kane who swept it across Keiran into the far corner. In what was a spirited performance by our side special mention must be made of Ian Jimmy who was almost faultless in the centre of our defence.

**Side: K Jimmy, S Ensom, T McMaster, I Jimmy, J Tucker, H Hopkins, Y Fehmi-Gil, K Rowlands, J Gohil, M O'Brien and A Martin.**