



## LONDON YOUTH GAMES Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017



The day started off very miserable, it was chucking it down with rain.

### Group Stage

#### **GAME ONE**

Vs St Catherine's school( from the borough of Barnet). It was freezing cold and wet. It was a very tight game, with not many chances. With the games not very long (only 6 minutes). With it getting very tense we found ourselves one-nil down. So all to play for in the last two games.

#### **GAME TWO**

Vs Goodrich (from Southall). After waiting for 45 minutes we began playing. We dominated the game but couldn't find a way to score. So it ended nil-nil. Only one point after two games.

#### **GAME THREE**

Vs Ark Brunel primary (from Kensington and Chelsea). We needed to win this no matter what. The pressure was on! We got a quick goal from Uriel and we carried on pressing for the next goal but it just wouldn't come. The game ended one-nil. We were on 4 points. Then we had a break to wait our fate. The two other teams played out and drew pushing us down to third playing for minor places. Playing three games in the afternoon winning one 4-0 and drawing two, 0-0 meaning we finished as high as we could after the morning matches. Having only conceded 1 goal, we found it very difficult to take.

The team Lucas' Oliver' Bonnie' Joseph' Junior' Uriel' Luca' Daniel' and Aron with George Domleo as media

GEORGE DOMLEO

### Thoughts from Graham

What could go wrong did in respect to conditions and circumstances it was wet cold and not a good pitch 45 minutes between matches and no shelter apart from two umbrellas that I bought with me. The only team to beat us St Catherine finished 3<sup>rd</sup> and Goodrich finished 5<sup>th</sup> out of 32 Boroughs we ended up 17<sup>th</sup> so shows you what 1 goal can do.

We need to make sure we get it right at Stamford Bridge in May having learned some harsh lessons in it only takes 1 goal to go out.

