



Squad Report

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| Hurricanes Team Name Under 7's | |
| Opposition Haywards Heath, Hastings and Bexhill | |
| Date 6 th Feb | Location Hastings |
| Report Author Mark Greenless | |
| Players Names | |

Session/Match/Festival Report

We met on a cold and blustery day at the Hastings and Bexhill grounds which are based high up overlooking the town with the sea in the background. On top of the world, the pitch was exposed to the elements with the wind so strong it was regularly blowing the marker cones away.

Heathfields team consisted of 8 players being: Eddie, Ethan, Thomas, Alex, Callum, Freddie, Marcus and Max so we were able to rotate the team with 1 sub coming on at half time for each game.

The games were set to last 8 mins each way and first up was Hastings & Bexhill vs Haywards Heath. The hosts defended well to start but then Haywards Heath stepped up a gear and finished with a concise win.

Next to play was Heathfield vs Haywards Heath. This proved to me a very close game. Some excellent runs by Thomas and Freddie with Alex, Callum and Max showing some great defensive play to keep HH at bay. Eddie, Marcus and Ethan also providing good support. It was still 3 - 3 with 2 mins to go in the second half when eventually Haywards Heath managed to break through to score a winning try and clinch the game.

However, Heathfield were now in the groove going into the final game against Hastings & Bexhill. Heathfield took an early lead and after that never really looked like losing the game with some great tries from Thomas, Ethan and Callum. Alex was captain for this game and showed some strong leadership skills helping to ensure our players maintained their defensive positions. Whilst Hastings & Bexhill managed a late try in the second half, Heathfield came away with a decisive win to close the day.

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Well done to our Heathfield U7s and a big thankyou to the parents who showed their usual restraint on the touchline. Thankyou also to Hastings & Bexhill for hosting a well run tournament which produced some great rugby.

Final scores:

Hastings & Bexhill vs Haywards Heath: 6 - 2

Heathfield vs Haywards Heath: 3 - 4

Heathfield vs Hastings & Bexhill: 4 - 3

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