

Tilbury 2 Coggeshall Town 0

Tilbury looked to change their fortunes following the departure of Marc Harrison & Liam Wallace with a home tie against Coggeshall Town. Under the guidance of interim Manager Luke Wilson who was supported by Eljay Worrell The Dockers started the game with confidence.

Coggeshall without in form Sam Bantick matched the dockers in a competitive first 15 mins with both sides having their chances, Aryton Coley with a side foot chance from close range on 2 mins easily collected by Tilbury Stopper Harry Girling. Coggeshall again went close on 10 min with Alex Teniola heading just wide. 2 Mins later Ola Ogunwamide used his explosive pace down the right flank only to see his shot blocked.

The deadlock was finally broken on 31 mins with Roman Campbell pushing his way through 3 Coggeshall players to strike and find the back of the net slightly aided with a small deflection off a Coggeshall defender.

Tilbury with their tails up continued this phase of pressure straight from the re-start and doubled their lead 3 mins later. A back heel from Roman Campbell across the D allowed Oli Spooner to pick the ball up on the edge of the box and his strength carried him through allowing him to slot home.

Coggeshall continued a fight back for the remainder of the half Jermaine Francis who looked dangerous for Coggeshall all game making runs and hitting balls into the box meant the Tilbury back line had to be on point not to concede.

The second half started much the same as the first with Ola Ogunwamide having a 20 yrd shot well saved by Matthew Cafer on 50 mins. Coggeshall had a number of attacks to follow Tariq Issa going close and Josh Pollard blasting over, With Harry Girling equal to anything else.

A close range header from Alex Teniola on 74 mins forced a fantastic save from Girling, 2 mins later Teniola tried an overhead kick again for Girling to collect.

Coggeshall Best opportunity came on 81 when the Ref controversially adjudged Jamal Allen had handled the ball in the box. Alex Teniola stepped up to take the kick but an in form Harry Girling made a strong 1 handed save down to his right, denying Teniola once more.

Tilbury done enough to see the game out and take a well deserved 3 points moving them to 13th in the league table.

Next up is a home game to Hullbridge Sports on 13th November

Tilbury: Girling, Boswell, Peart, Wilson, Allen, Kendall (Wright), Coombes, Spooner, Smith, Ogunwamide, Campbell

Unused subs: Tomlinson, Metalia, Stone, Mensah

Man of The Match: Harry Girling