



Dunmurry Rec 1-2 Ballyclare Comrades

Tuesday 16th July 2019 – Pre-season Friendly

Ballyclare Comrades team (4-1-3-2)

- 19. Tom Hegan 🏹 (46')
- 2. Curtis Woods 🏹 (46')
- 5. Kyle Crawford
- 23. Jonathon Doey
- 18. Matthew Henry 🏹 (46') 🟢 (66')
- 4. Samuel McIlveen 🏹 (80')
- 8. JB Dobbin 🏹 (46') 🟢 (65')
- 10. Jake McNeill 🏹 (61')
- 24. Gary Donnelly 🏹 (65') 🟢 (80')
- 14. Joe Tully 🟡 (68')
- 16. Jamie Willighan 🟡 (37')

Substitutes:

- 1. Ben McCauley 🟢 (46')
- 12. Nathan Sloss 🟢 (46')
- 17. Trialist 🟢 (46')
- 15. Jordan Malone 🟢 (46')
- 11. Ciaran Dobbin 🟢 (61')

Comrades continued their pre-season preparations with a game away to Dunmurry Rec.

After an early effort finished off by Joe Tully was ruled out for an infringement, there was little in the way of goalmouth action in the first half, despite both sides showing a lot of endeavour. However Jake McNeill did come close with an effort from 20 yards, which flew inches wide of the base of the post.

The opening goal came in the 37th minute. Samuel McIlveen struck an effort from 25 yards out which came back off the underside of the bar, where Jamie Willighan was well placed to finish from close range.

The second half again saw chances at a premium, with neither side being able to find the right final ball. However, this was not the case on 68 minutes when Nathan Sloss played a perfectly weighted long pass through to Joe Tully, who had arrived in the box and finished deftly past the 'keeper.

Six minutes later Comrades conceded their first goal of their pre-season campaign, when a penalty was scored by Dunmurry after Ben McCauley had brought an attacker down in the box in an attempt to get to the ball.