Henley College Match Report

Tactic Premier League

Henley College 2 Oxford City FC 2

Monday’s Tactic League Premier Fixture saw Henley College Premier host league leaders Oxford City from the National League South. Oxford City winning 4 out of their first 6 games suggested this would prove to be a testing match for Tactic League cup holders. City had a couple of early chances which were dealt with by (Man of the Match) centre back Adam Hunt and goalkeeper Dan Holdsworth who pulled off an excellent save to palm the ball out for a corner. Midway through the half Oxford broke through the stubborn defence to break the deadlock. The rest of the half saw chances for both teams with Henley forward James Spruyt made a darting run down the left hand side of Oxford’s half cutting sharply into the oppositions box and slotting the ball into the bottom right corner of City’s goal, pulling it back to 1-1. Henley College showed more determination to compete with the league leaders in the second period. But again Oxford found themselves in front, beating Holdsworth with a breakaway after Henley conceded possession cheaply. Henley pressed high up the pitch and created a lot of chance in the last 10-15 minutes with Scott Brown, Luis le Pais and Miguel Martin all going close. The pressure finally reaped rewards when a ball was played in behind City’s back four and Spruyt has another shot excellently saved by the keeper which fell to Edo Nielson, who on his debut, scored his first goal for Henley College. The last 5 minutes was entertaining end to end football with more goal scoring chances to Henley but credit to Oxford City’s keeper who pulled off some great saves to keep the game level as the final whistle was blown. Overall a good game and a great result against the league leaders. Henley looks forward to the next fixture which is away to Oxford City on the 7th of December.

**Tactic League Premier Division**

POS  P W D L GD PTS

FAB Academy 6 5 1 0 16 16

Stevenage FC (EDP) 6 4 1 1 10 13

Oxford City FC 7 4 1 2 4 13

GPS Premier 4 2 1 1 9 7

Soccer Chance Academy 6 2 1 3 -3 7

Henley College 6 2 1 3 -5 7

Milton Keynes College 4 1 0 3 -5 3

Hungerford FC 4 0 1 3 -7 1

Bucks Sports Academy 5 0 1 4 -19 1