



St. Mary's Football Club

Match Report

Was a tough start to the season for St. Mary's Thunderhawks team. Rosario came out all guns blazing putting the St Mary's defense straight under pressure.

Despite defending their own goal for a lot of the first period, once St Mary's strung a few passes together they got their just rewards when Séan Hagans scoring with a great solo effort in off the bar early in the second period. Was fully deserved with his man of the match performance.

In the final period, St Mary's started to play some nice stuff with Niall McCaffrey and Patrick O' Hanlon solidifying themselves at the back. Dawid Smychzek and Conor Mowbray made a few clinical passes that opened up an organised Rosario team creating a few more chances. Odhran O ' Boyle, who was making his debut for St Mary's put it in a great performance with his 100% effort and made some excellent tackles.

Overall, an organised Rosario team played some excellent football. St Mary's have a lot to take from the game and certainly learnt from their first period mistakes and started to play some nice football with Fionn Nagle nearly adding a second goal, only to be denied by the post.

The players outlined how they are eager to get back to training during the week to sort out a few chinks in the armour!