## MATCH REPORT



HBE U9 RED vs ST IVES U9 NAVY Round 6 - 19th May 2024

Venue: Acron Oval, St Ives

It was a very evenly matched first quarter, with both sides fighting hard to clear the centre zone. HBE managed to get the ball into the attacking zone a few times but a great defensive effort from St Ives was enough to keep the score 0-0 at the end of the first quarter.

The second quarter saw HBE off to a flyer with a good centre clearance that was put away nicely by our attacking forwards for the first goal. The momentum continued with 2 more goals and 2 behinds.

After half time, St Ives came out firing with a couple of quick goals and a behind. HBE adapted quickly and worked hard to get the ball down their end with some great play down the right-hand side, leading to 2 more goals and a behind.

The final quarter was tough, with both sides keeping up the intensity in both attack and defense, with St Ives scoring 1 more maximum, and holding HBE to 1 behind.

Final score was HBE 5.4.34 - St Ives 3.1.19

Well, done both teams.

Player of the Match – Xavier, with a solid effort all over the park in attack and defence.

Courage Award – Judah, attacked the ball hard and took a few knocks for his effort, but never gave up.

Report by Steve Holder

