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HBE UNDER 12/3 vs FOREST LIONS ROUND 3 – 27th APRIL 2025 LIONEL WATTS OVAL, BELROSE

Week 3 saw the undefeated HBEs travel to Frenchs Forest to take on the also undefeated Forest Lions in a top-of-the-table clash.

After what had been a very wet lead-up, pleasingly the ground held up well.

The 1st quarter was quite tight as each side got a feel for their opponent, and as the siren sounded for the 1st change the Eagles held a slender lead.

Into the 2nd quarter the Eagles lifted their tackling intensity and combined with some good overhead marking found themselves leading by over 2 goals at the long break.

After some inspiring words from stand-in runner Toby Fenn at half time the Eagles found another gear in the 3rd quarter and their endeavour around the contest helped increase their lead as the game reached the end of the 3rd quarter.

The 4th quarter saw the ball camped inside forward 50 for the Eagles the bulk of the time, and when the final siren sounded the Eagles walked off the field rapt to have accomplished a 3-0 start to their 2025 campaign.

Eagles 6.6.42 to Lions 2.2.14

Goals: Nicko (2), Aidie (1), Elliot (1), Milo (1) and Wilbur (1)

Report by Coach Aaron



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