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BLUE

Celtic 4 : 8 Byki

Miro Indoor Soccer League - The Max - 28 February 2012

Late surge leads to Byki win

The Blue Team snapped out of their doldrums on Tuesday and broke a 4:4 deadlock versus Chicago Celtic with a four-goal outburst in the final 4:41 to cruise to an 8:4 win. The teams were battling in the Miro Indoor Soccer League's consolation playoff bracket and the Byki will face off against LG Celtics next week for the fifth spot in the final standings.

Kieron Inalsingh bagged a hat trick, while Stefan Soegaard chipped in with a goal and two assists. In total, nine Byki found their way onto the score sheet. The balanced attack showed good ball movement for the second week in a row, as the Byki overcame a plucky Celtic squad who never really knew when they were beaten and kept pushing the issue.

Celtic took the early lead when a lazy turnover allowed a Celtic player to sprint in alone on goalkeeper Dmitriy Ofrikhter. But before panic could set in, the Byki nabbed an equalizer just 0:37 later. Ohad Garnon alertly put a kick-in into play before the Celtics were ready and Inalsingh knocked in his third goal of the season.

Both sides created great chances in the ensuing minutes and were denied by the framework. The Byki looked set to take the lead at the 13:55 mark when Marek Ciszewski intercepted a lethargic Celtic free kick in their own end. Ciszewski dribbled in alone on the keeper, who made a tremendous kick save. Moments later, Lazaro Uriza scored from downtown, as the Celtic midfield allowed him time to dribble up the gut.

The Byki went 3:1 up with 23:31 left when Soegaard drove a low ball towards the goal from the right flank. A Celtic defender got his foot in the way, but the ball deflected to the unmarked Inalsingh, who opportunistically tapped the ball home.

Celtic made it 3:2 with 18:33 to go. They sent a looping kick-in across the width of the field, where an open player delivered a first-time blast that gave Ofrikhter no chance. Things got dicey 1:09 later when Ofrikhter came off his line to punch out a long free kick. He misjudged the ball, but Jeff

Samp saved the day when he hustled back to clear a certain goal off the line.

Celtic drew level with 15:56 remaining, catching the Byki in a spell of passive defending.

The Byki responded with a well taken goal less than four minutes later. Matt Fleming sent the ball to Inalsingh, who spotted the goalie off his line and flicked the ball over his head to complete the hat trick. Not to be outdone, Celtic earned a second equalizer from the penalty spot. Robert Dec did enough to cause a Celtic player to tumble in the box and the referee decisively pointed to the spot.

The last gasp for Celtic came with 9:20 left, when a curling free kick from the left wing clanked off of the right goalpost.

The Byki found another gear and scored twice in the span of 0:22 to put the result beyond any doubt. With 4:41 to go, Maciek Kekus stole the ball and came 2 v 2 towards the Celtic goal. He passed off to Garnon on the right side of the box. Garnon had to win a tussle for possession with the goalie, but prevailed in the end to squeeze the ball home for his first goal of the season. In the blink of an eye, the score went to 6:4 when Soegaard dished off to Sam Onaissi, whose first-time shot was the dagger that the Byki had been seeking.

The Byki pumped up the winning margin with two goals in the final 1:05. A terrific passing sequence was easily the most stylish score of the night. Paul Mansur won the ball and found Fleming, who did not waste a touch to send the ball to Mike Stamatinos. The winger spotted Soegaard, whose shot took a slight deflection off of a Celtic defender before winding up in the back of the net. Adam Hodge notched his first goal after his steal caught the Celtic players, including the keeper, totally out of position. It was a simple task to stroke the ball into the empty net.

BYKI LINEUP (2-3-1): Ofrikhter – Samp, Uriza – Soegaard, Stamatinos, Hodge – Kekus. **Bench:** Ciszewski, Dec, Fleming, Garnon, Inalsingh, Mansur, Onaissi.

BYKI SCORING SUMMARY

1:1 – Inalsingh 3 (Garnon); 5:33.
1:2 – Uriza 3; 14:24.
1:3 – Inalsingh 4 (Soegaard); 16:29.
3:4 – Inalsingh 5 (Fleming); 26:14.
4:5 – Garnon 1 (Kekus); 35:19.
4:6 – Onaissi 4 (Soegaard); 35:41.
4:7 – Soegaard 2 (Stamatinos); 38:55.
4:8 – Hodge 1; 39:14

Byki Men of the Match: Kieron Inalsingh and Stefan Soegaard

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RED

Mielec 5 : 2 Byki

NSL 1st Division - The Odeum - 24 February 2012

Mielec give Byki deserved spanking

The stench emanating from the Odeum's south field last Friday was the result of a wretched performance by the Red Team in their crucial battle with Stal Mielec. The sides were level on points in the Red Section, trailing leaders Assyrian FC. The winner would likely finish the season in second spot, while the loser might still have to hunt for points to qualify for the postseason. Mielec won the game 5:2 in a contest where the Byki spent most of the 38 minutes chasing their better-prepared and highly motivated opponents.

"Mielec came ready to play and we didn't," said a dissatisfied George Gorecki. "They outplayed us in every phase of the game and we were fortunate to keep the game as close as we did. We were substandard in several fundamental areas and Mielec took full advantage."

Although the first ten minutes of the match remained scoreless, it was quite clear which team was controlling the tempo. Mielec pushed the pace of the game and the only response from the Byki was a reactive one. Eventually, Mielec would find the breakthrough that they were seeking.

Goalkeeper Ray Najera had to be at his sharpest and he made two critical interventions in the first five minutes. A Mielec player floated a cross toward the far post to an unmarked teammate. Najera reacted well to knock down the sharp header from Mielec. Moments later, a poor pass by the Byki in their own end allowed Mielec to counter in a 3 v 2. A through pass freed the striker to come in alone on Najera, who read the play expertly and snuffed out a good chance.

Mielec carved out an incredible scoring chance with 10:52 left in the first half. When Paul Mansur was dispossessed in his defensive third, Najera was faced with a three-on-none breakout. As Mansur sprinted to get back into the play, Mielec sent the ball towards an open player on the left side. Najera dove into the path of the ball and punched it away.

Goals fell quickly soon afterwards. With 9:17 to go. Alex Guzman led the counterattack for the Byki, finding Ammin Mehreioskouei on the left side. His measured shot was inches away from the prize, pinging off of the far post. Mielec turned around and took advantage of loose marking on the other end to take a 1:0 lead.

The Byki got that one back just 0:46 later. Guzman threaded the needle with an exquisite through ball for Mehreioskouei. With the keeper advancing out of his area, Mehreioskouei deftly poked the ball into the back of the net.

Keeping the far post safe on defense was a big problem for the Byki all night long. Mielec padded their lead going into the break when Najera deflected a long drive and the rebound was slammed home by an unmarked Mielec player at the back post.

Although Mielec had momentum on their side, the Byki

only needed to refocus to make up a one-goal deficit. Mielec went firmly into control just 1:32 into the second half when two Byki players went to mark the player with the ball. Predictably, Mielec swung the ball to the open man and the rest was history. "It was a crucial point in the match where we had to be the ones to score the next goal," said Gorecki. "Instead, we make a youth soccer mistake, and now it's 3:1, and we're in chase mode." Mielec nearly made it 4:1 just two minutes later when the Byki left a player open at the arc. Najera pulled another rabbit out of his hat to keep Mielec at bay.

The Byki still had plenty of fight left, however. With 9:42 left, Mehreioskouei won a ball at midfield and sent a pass up the right flank for the sprinting Jordan Stopka. The lanky forward had beaten the last defender and handily slotted underneath the advancing goalie.

But the Byki would get no closer. They went on the power play on the ensuing kickoff, after a Mielec player had been given a blue card for dissent. Mielec, however, turned the tables on the Byki with a shorthanded goal borne of Byki sloppiness. A Mielec player pressured a weak backpass to Najera, whose clearance hit the Mielec player and the ball trickled into the empty net. Mielec wrapped things up with 2:07 to go, taking advantage of slack marking by the Byki.

BYKI LINEUP (3-2): Najera – Bouzoukis, Stamatinos (c), Trowbridge – Uriza, Kekus. **Bench:** Banbor, Garnon, Guzman, Mansur, Mehreioskouei, Stevens, Stopka.

BYKI SCORING SUMMARY

1:1 – Mehreioskouei 4 (Guzman); 10:56.

3:2 – Stopka 5 (Mehreioskouei); 28:18.

Byki Man of the Match: Ray Najera

Byki Stats

RED TEAM, NSL 1st DIVISION				BLUE TEAM, MIRO SOCCER LEAGUE			
Player	G	A	Pts	Player	G	A	Pts
Ciszewski	8	3	11	Kekus	5	4	9
Stopka	5	3	8	Onaissi	4	4	8
Herholdt	2	5	7	Inalsingh	5	2	7
Banbor	4	2	6	Fleming	4	2	6
Kekus	4	2	6	Ciszewski	5	0	5
Koenig	3	3	6	Uriza	3	2	5
Mansur	2	4	6	Soegaard	2	3	5
Mehreioskouei	4	1	5	Buur	1	3	4
Guzman	2	1	3	Stamatinos	2	1	3
Trowbridge	1	2	3	Garnon	1	2	3
Stamatinos	0	3	3	Hodge	1	1	2
Uriza	2	0	2	Mansur	1	1	2
Stevens	1	1	2	Mehagic	1	1	2
Bouzoukis	1	0	1	Samp	1	1	2
Garnon	0	1	1	Worek	1	1	2
Team goals	1	x	x	Dec	1	0	1
				Gibbs	1	0	1
				Khankari	0	1	1
Goalie	Min	GA	GAA	Goalie	Min	GA	GAA
Stopka	1	0	0.00	Ofrikhter	40	4	4.00
Khankari	170	11	2.46	Khankari	200	31	6.20
Najera	323	27	3.18	Najera	80	14	7.00
Current record: 6-3-4				Current record: 3-0-5			

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MAJOR DIVISION

Red Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts	Blue Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FK Kozarac	13	7	4	2	52	32	25	RWB Adria A	13	13	0	0	87	20	39
B-H Lilies Royal	13	6	3	4	44	43	21	Albanian Stars	13	11	0	2	80	22	33
Tricycles SC A	13	6	3	4	38	40	21	Hellenic United Blue	13	6	1	6	44	37	19
SAC Wisla	13	5	2	6	54	57	17	CKS Warta A	13	6	0	7	48	46	18
B-H Lilies	13	2	2	9	47	86	8	FK Republika Srpska A	13	4	2	7	46	69	14
KF Tirana	13	1	3	9	35	60	6	Chicago Pride	13	1	0	12	27	90	3

FIRST DIVISION

Red Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts	Blue Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Assyrian FC	13	12	1	0	57	21	37	Hellenic United White	13	10	1	2	59	20	31
Stal Mielec	13	8	0	5	59	39	24	Zaglebie SC	13	8	0	5	48	24	24
Stare Byki FC	13	6	3	4	40	38	21	RWB Adria B	13	6	3	4	57	40	21
Gremio FC B	13	4	2	7	47	54	14	Winged Bull A	13	5	1	7	35	47	16
Shlama FC	13	2	4	7	29	54	10	West Bosnia SC	13	4	1	8	29	62	13
CKS Warta B	13	2	0	11	24	53	6	FK Republika Srpska B	13	2	2	9	24	56	8

SECOND DIVISION

Red Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts	Blue Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Gremio FC A	13	10	1	2	59	22	31	NK Prijedor	13	10	2	1	50	20	32
HNK Primorac	13	8	2	3	61	37	26	FC Kosova	13	8	3	2	63	45	27
Chicago Inter Yellow	13	8	2	3	55	37	26	Tricycles SC B	13	6	4	3	45	31	22
Naperville Strikers	13	6	0	7	48	41	18	Chicago Dynasty FC	13	4	3	6	30	36	15
Chicago Inter Blue	13	2	3	8	34	60	9	Pitbulls SC	13	4	0	9	40	59	12
Winged Bull B	13	0	0	13	21	76	0	Chicago Inter White	13	1	2	10	26	68	5