

2001

28/1/2012

Arsenal 2001's vs Thoi 2001's @ Farma

Arsenal got back on track against Thoi with a convincing 4-0 victory that saw Yousri Said possibly score goal of the season! Coach Ara was very pleased with the performance and still holds out quite high hopes of qualifying from the group.

21/1/2012

Arsenal 2001's vs Panathinaikos 2001's @ Farma

After a poor performance Arsenal only managed a 1-1 draw with a below average opponent in Panathinaikos. Coach Ara was furious with his players as he felt they could have easily taken all 3 points especially after missing a penalty at 1-0 up.

14/1/2012

Arsenal 2001's vs Tsangarides 2001's @ Farma

Arsenal got all 3 points after a comprehensive win against Tsangarides 9-0. Coach Ara was pleased to have Victor back in goal and the team showed it has the potential to beat any opposition by any score.

7/1/2012

Arsenal 2001's vs Nuevo Campo 2001's @ Farma

A great performance by all in a game against one of the top teams in the group didn't manage to yield a victory. A team depleted of it's goalkeeper and another couple of vital players managed to gain a respectable 1-1 draw with Nuevo Campo who had previously beaten Arsenal in pre-season friendlies. For Arsenal Elias Costi scored a stunning goal to take the lead but unfortunately the lead didn't last.

3/12/2011

2001 @ Farma vs Olympiakos Piraeus Nicosia

In a tightly fought match that happened at Farma on Saturday morning, Arsenal were beaten 3-2 and felt rather aggrieved by the final score as they felt they deserved much more from a game they dominated and hit the woodwork on more than one occasion. Coach Ara was very pleased with the

performance of the team especially after losing 2 integral players during the week.

27/11/2011

2001 @ Keravnos vs Young Stars Soccer Academy

Coach Ara's team were by far the better side on the day and their superiority was evident after a 16-1 score line that gave great pleasure to all involved as it was a very professional performance. Everyone got an opportunity to play ahead of the Grass Roots tournament that begins on 3/12/2011.

13/11/2011

2001 @ KERAVNOS VS APOEL 2000

Across town the 2001 team were pitted against the Apoel 2000 team in another friendly match that ended in a 6-1 defeat for coach Ara's boys. The coach was very pleased with the performance, passion and commitment of the boys who were playing against visibly bigger and older boys.

5/11/2011

2001 @ ETHA VS APOEL 2001

The second game of the day at Etha saw both Apoel and Arsenal 2001 A teams take on each other. It also saw the return to the Arsenal team of Alex Paschalides after a week's absence and he marked his return with a bang, scoring a superb hat-trick. The first half ended 1-0 to Arsenal but it could have been more with Arsenal having the lion's share of the possession and peppering the Apoel goal with shots from all angles! The 2nd half was much of the same story as Arsenal dominated possession and saw that possession rewarded with 2 more goals from Alex as he completed his match winning performance. Coach Ara was very pleased with the performance and couldn't fault any of the team for their effort.

8/10/2011

2001 Farma Tournament

The 2001 team began their matches against a familiar foe; Nuevo Campo had left Keravnos winners the previous week in a friendly match and Arsenal were

all out for revenge. Unfortunately, the woodwork didn't agree and a total of 7 shots hitting the woodwork meant it was a very frustrating morning for Ara and his team. Nuevo Campo were 3-1 victors but had Arsenal been a bit more lucky they could have been easy winners. The 2001's were playing well but the results weren't showing it so coach Ara decided to change the formation which paid off as Arsenal ran out 7-0 winners against Farma. New players were given a chance and they excelled, something which will give the coach a nice dilemma to pick between his usual starters and the new players who came in and performed well. With that victory Arsenal qualified for the next round which will take place next Saturday.