Washington FC Match Report

Fixture: Washington FC vs Crook Town
Competition: EBAC Northern League Division 2
Date: 03/10/2020
Venue: The Ford Hub

In a hard-fought encounter, Washington went into the break two goals up, as Lewis McGeoch and Ethan Barella scored after devastating counter attacks. Crook came into the second half full of confidence still and found themselves on level terms after 70 minutes. They kept pushing and pushing, and they weren't to be denied, as they found a winner in the 90th minute.

Washington came into this one on the back of a disappointing defeat at Esh Winning and faced tough competition, as table toppers Crook Town visited the Ford Hub.

Crook dominated the opening stages of the game, with Dan Maddison squandering an early opportunity from all of six yards out.

Washington had to withstand a serious amount of pressure though and did, as Brad Chisholm looked to make things happen. He did too, as Washy won a penalty mid-way through the first half, as a fierce strike hit a Crook arm. Lewis McGeoch made no mistake, and confidently stood up to smash home.

Harry Archer was forced to make a few saves in the Washington goal, and made a world class save to deny Crook's Corey Nicholson.

Washy kept pushing though and doubled their lead as the dangerous Brad Chisholm found Ethan Barella, who stroked the ball home from close range on the brink of half time.

That's where the positivity ended for Washington though, as the visitors pulled one back early into the second half through Matt Crossen.

They continued to pile on the pressure and levelled the game soon after, as Jamie Tumilty converted for the visitors.

They completed the turnaround late in the day, as Crook scored for a third time in the 90th minute and ensured sure they went back home with all three points.