

Football practice 1

- 1 It's football practice after school
My friends all think it's great.
I'm worried that I'll look a fool,
Can't back out now – too late.
- 2 My mum, she says I have to go,
While she is out at work.
A thousand times I've told her 'no'
'Cos I look such a jerk.
- 3 I don't know what is wrong with me,
I just can't kick the ball.
There's places I would rather be,
But I can't escape at all.
- 4 When it's time to pick the team
I'm always chosen last.
The other players never seem
To forget my dreadful past.
- 5 I had to go in goal one day
The ball came straight to me.
Trouble is, the way I play,
I knocked it with my knee.
- 6 It bounced just once then hit the net,
A goal! That was my dream,
But why did I just have to get
The goal for the other team?
- 7 Thank goodness that game's over now
I'd like to start afresh.
I still have dreams about just how
My goal would hit the mesh.
- 8 So here I am, stood in the cold,
My legs have turned to jelly.
The ball's in play, to me it's rolled,
And their goalie's on his belly!