

# Andrews Fishbar Premier League

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## Talbot D are 5th new Premiership Leaders!

**The Talbot D became the Fifth team to lead the Premiership after they defeated Cobra 6-4 on Tuesday night!**

Iain Guthrie and Johnny Jerman both took wins at the start of this match before Endaf Owens won the third frame for the home side. It was to be the Talbot that went in to the break at 3-2 however, after Andy McNinch and Lee Harris took the 4th & 5th frames. Jason Bright re-opened with a win for Cobra and although Mitch Harris took the 7th for the Talbot, \*Endaf Owens\* 2/2 levelled the game again 4-all with a **7-baller** over Lee Harris.

Talbot skipper Beefy Jones put his team one up with just one to play in frame 9, where upon \*Andy McNinch\* 2/2 won the last to take two very good points away with the travelling side. **Argae hall** are starting to get in to their stride now, but might be thinking of what could have been, as the **Angel A** rallied from 2-5 down to draw! The away side travelled without Aled and JV last week, and the home side looked comfortable at 3-2 at the break.

When \*James Gittins\* 2/2 **7-balled** Kev Morris and Ross Holloway went to 2/2 it seemed most likely that Argae would take two points from this match; not so however, as \*Justin Williams\* 2/2, Baz & finally Cougan Jones 2/2, won the last 3 frames for a fine draw! The **Cock A** dug deep from 4-2 down at the **Angel B**, for a gritty win that takes them to 2nd place! \*Steve Jones\* 2/2 either side of the mid-session looked to break the away side's resolve, but not so as Gary Gindrat & Darren Bowen both 2/2, started a 4 frame run to the winning line. \*Jerry Jones\* completed the win in the 10th, as the Angel B can look back ruefully as some good missed chances. The **Socialites** led 3-1 early on vs. **Castle Boys**, but had to rally from 3-5 down as \*Mark Woosnam\* 2/2 helped forge a lead with a **7-baller** over Andy Coppin. Alan Walker 2/2 & Gareth Richards salvaged a point as \*Wil Foord\* had the star award, and John Roberts was also 2/2 for the Boys...

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- **Trebles entries by Sunday 4th December**
- **Doubles Prelim by Monday 5th December, 1st round by Monday 12th!**

PREMIER LEAGUE	P	W	D	L	Dif	Pts
1. Talbot D	9	7	1	1	34	15
2. Cock A	9	7	1	1	20	15
3. Oak A	9	6	2	1	24	14
4. Breidden Lions	8	6	1	1	26	13
5. Pheasant Nomads	9	5	1	3	18	11
6. Angel A	9	3	5	1	-2	11
7. Cobra	10	3	4	3	14	10
8. Courthouse Judges	8	3	1	4	-8	7
9. Castle Boys	9	2	2	5	-20	6
10. The Lions Lsfd	8	0	4	4	-10	4
11. Socialites	9	1	2	6	-18	4
12. Argae A	10	1	2	7	-36	4
13. Angel B	9	1	0	8	-36	2

### Andrews Premier League Results

Argae A	5-5	Angel A
Oak A	PP	Breidden Lions
Angel B	4-6	Cock A
Cobra	4-6	Talbot D
Socialites	5-5	Castle Boys
The Lions Lsfd	PP	Courthouse Judges
Pheasant Nomads		BYE

Pheasant B	2-5	Cock B
Crown Studs	0-5	Lion Lansantffraid
Talbot Topdogs	5-3	Black Lion Llfr
Horse & Jockey	4-5	Cock Brockton
Horseshoe	5-3	Dragon Buttington
Breidden Tigers	4-5	Social Club B
Kings Head G'Fld	2-5	Punchbowl B
Oak B	PP	Talbot Flunkies

## Hughie Lewis 1st Round: Brockton edge Thriller!

**The Horse and Jockey and cock Brockton played some good and entertaining pool, with a dramatic "twist" coming at the end...**

The away side were ahead 3-2 after the singles as Mark Morgan and Phil Hamer both won before Ken Llewellyn and Tom Owen drew level; Graham Hamer separating the two sides after the 5th. The Colts took the two opening doubles matches for a 4-3 lead however, as Dave Manuel and Ken Llewellyn ended 2/3, but a captain's decider was forced when Tom Owen dramatically snatched defeat from the jaws of victory, as he unfortunately potted the black and the white in the same shot (Phil Hamer ending 2/3). More drama was to unfold in the decider, as Dave Powell had an

uncharacteristic moment forgetting the rules, to set Ginner up with it still being a free table! Graham took out a good finish to leave Dave saying "A big sorry to the boys please Davey", as Graham Hamer 2/2 guides his team into the next round. The Punchbowl B record an excellent 5-2 win away at the King's Head Guilsfield, after a 4-1 singles session cleared the road to victory. Aaron Lowe took the opener, and although Peter Jones levelled the away side took control as Steve Bryne, Adam Jay and Stuart Breeze all won. Steve and Adam won the first doubles match but it was nice to see all 8 games played, with Steve Bryne ending up with 3/3 wins.

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## FB 1: Punchbowl shoot down Colts!

The Punchbowl A take a big win (6-4) over then 3<sup>rd</sup> placed Horse & Jockey, as \*Jim Knight\* 2/2 “does the business” in the final frame!

With the Topdogs pp their game v Callow Inn, the Punch open up a 3 point gap after this hard earned win. They led 3-2 at the half Garry Lewis, John Morris and Jim Knight all winning to Dave Powell & Ken Llewellyn’s replies in frames 2 and 4. Garry Lewis 2/2 looked to put some distance between the teams but Dave Manuel was on hand to reduce it to 3-4. When Rick Lowe won the 8<sup>th</sup> the Punch were nearly home, but it was set up for a tense final when \*Ken Llewellyn\* 2/2 won the 9<sup>th</sup>. Step forward Jim Knight, who earned his stars in the 10<sup>th</sup> and final frame, as his win gives the Punch a little breathing space at the top of Division One! The Breidden Tigers rise a place and are within 3 points of the leaders after their 7-3 result over the Westwood Warriors, but with no card in there’s no review (who ever has card please contact me; thanks). The Cock Brockton achieve their highest standing of this season as they jump three places to 5<sup>th</sup> after a very close victory away

at a valiant Herbert Arms! Last year’s top flight team look to be getting in to their groove now, but were only 3-2 ahead after the opening 5 singles; \*James Edge\* with a “great clearance” 7-balling Graham Hamer in the 3<sup>rd</sup>, helping to keep the home side right in the match. Graham had a better opening to the 2<sup>nd</sup> session but once again Mike Beech kept his team alive at 3-4, with his team still striving for their 1<sup>st</sup> win. Steve Pulsford guaranteed a point but transfer signing Sam Pugh kept Herbert keen in the 9<sup>th</sup>, but Brockton weren’t to be denied as the ever reliable \*John Hamer\* 2/2 showed them how it’s done (reports of captain Ginner streaking naked through Chirbury at the result have been flowing in...oh sorry, that was another occasion...I have my sources lol). The Cock B also rise 3 places after a top 6-4 result at home vs. the Oak B. Alun Brooks and Shane Jackson made a 2-0 start but the Oak led at the break as Dave Baulch, \*Martin Thomas\* (for calling foul on himself) and Keith Davies turned the game around. Shane Jackson and Alun Brooks both went to 2/2 in the final session, but a great

FISH BAR DIV 1	P	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1.Punchbowl A	9	7	1	1	55	35	20	15
2.Talbot Topdogs	8	6	0	2	46	34	12	12
3.Breidden Tigers	10	5	2	3	55	45	10	12
4.Horse & Jockey	10	5	1	4	49	51	-2	11
5.Cock Brockton	9	4	2	3	46	44	2	10
6.Cock B	10	4	2	4	50	50	0	10
7.Talbot Flunkies	9	4	1	4	51	39	12	9
8.Oak B	9	3	3	3	50	40	10	9
8.Callow Inn	8	2	5	1	45	35	10	9
10.Pheasant B	9	2	4	3	44	46	-2	8
11.Westwood Warriors	9	2	3	4	37	53	-16	7
12.Welly Dukes	9	2	2	5	42	48	-6	6
13.Herbert Arms	9	0	0	9	20	70	-50	0

### Andrews Fish Bar 1 Results

Herbert Arms	4-6	Cock Brockton
Punchbowl A	6-4	Horse & Jockey
Talbot Flunkies	5-5	Pheasant B
Talbot Topdogs	PP	Callow Inn
Breidden Tigers (no card)	7-3	Westwood Warriors
Cock B	6-4	Oak B
Welly Dukes		BYE

contest was level once more, when Dave Baulch 2/2 won the 8<sup>th</sup> frame.

Kevin Jones 1/1 timed his entrance perfectly for the home side and two points were earned when \*Dan Thomas\* showed the composure to win in the final frame. The Talbot Flunkies starred defeat in the face against “bogey team” Pheasant B, trailing 4-1 to them at home... Ted Pryce, Jamie Cater & Lawrence Evison carved a 3-0 lead before Tom Manuel’s win, but Craig Neesam won the 5<sup>th</sup> and it was surely going to be an away win? Not so however, as Tom Manuel 2/2 and Brad Carr reduced it to 3-4 after the break to give some hope. \*Jamie Cater\* 2/2 seemed to settle Pheasant nerves in the 8<sup>th</sup>, but Flunkies capped off a terrific fight back as Ben Aldis and \*Ryan Manuel\* took the last two frames for a superb point!

## FB 2: Lion and Black match again!

FISH BAR DIV 2	P	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1.Lion Lansanffraid	10	9	0	1	67	33	34	18
2.Black Lion Llfr	10	7	2	1	71	29	42	16
3.Crown A	10	5	4	1	56	44	12	14
4.Social Club B	10	5	3	2	63	37	26	13
5.Horseshoe	10	5	3	2	61	39	22	13
6.Lowfield	10	5	1	4	47	51	-4	11
7.Punchbowl B	10	4	2	4	53	47	6	10
8.Courthouse B	10	5	0	5	51	49	2	10
9.Westwood Slayers	10	3	3	4	48	52	-4	9
10.KingsHead G'Fld	10	3	3	4	43	57	-14	9
11.Crown Studs	10	3	0	7	39	61	-22	6
12.Dragon Buttington	10	1	3	6	40	60	-20	5
13.Pinewood	10	2	0	8	36	64	-28	4
14.Welly Wasps	10	0	2	8	25	75	-50	2

The Lion Llansantffraid and Black Lion Llanfair seem intent on matching each other, as they both record 8-2 wins last week! The Crown Studs won the 1<sup>st</sup> frame through Ricky Jones, but the Lions rattled 7 frames off without reply to set up another big win! \*Simon Jones\* & Big Dave Jenkins were both 2/2, Robin Vaughan and Ollie Parry both 1/1 before Steve Bellerby pulled one back for the home side, but a good night was concluded when Jonty Parry 1/1 won the last frame for the Lion

(Studs new signing \*Linzi Jones\*, a rose amongst thorns lol). Another good night was had at the Pinewood as the Black Lion gain the “Tavern experience” and come away 8-2 winners (lol). Pickled Pete got the juices flowing in the first, but Lee Andrew and Kelly Brooks brought top flight knowledge and a 2-1 lead. Lorna Thomas always up for the challenge levelled in the next, but the Black made it 3-2 as Daryl Griffiths won the 5<sup>th</sup> frame. A lively contest ran away from

## Andrews Fish bar 2 Results

Westwood Slayers	5-5	Crown A
Courthouse B	3-7	Social Club B
Crown Studs	2-8	Lion Lansanffraid
Dragon Buttington	5-5	KingsHead G'Fld
Pinewood	2-8	Black Lion Llfr
Lowfield	3-7	Horseshoe
Welly Wasps	5-5	Punchbowl B

the home side however, as the Black roared away with all 5 frames in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half, with Kelly Brooks\*, Lee (nice ass) Andrews\* and Daryl Griffiths completing the match with 2/2 wins.

The **Crown A** remain in third place despite a 5-5 draw with the **Westwood Slayers**.

Thing looked very bright for the Slayers as they swash buckled their way to a 4-0 lead before J Price finally got a frame for the Crown! The comeback continued as Ratty 1/1 and J Price 2/2 helped to make it a remarkable 4-4, but \*Dan Chodecki\* 2/2 tried to finally settle the outcome with a home win.

Dave Bailey won the last frame however, as a relieved Crown steal a point from an ever improving Slayers side.

The **Social B** trailed 2-1 at the **Courthouse B**, but James Gittins 2/2 was on form to conclude a 5 frame burst for the visitors with the winning frame in the 8<sup>th</sup>!

\*Lisa G\* had won the earlier opening frame before the away side put on the after burners, and Alex Woodfine finished the match at 7-3 with his 2/2 in the 10<sup>th</sup> (\*Luke Robinson\* 1/2 for the Club).

The **Welly Wasps** pick up their 2<sup>nd</sup> point of the season as the **Punchbowl B** still rise a place despite this draw!

The away team ran out to a 4-0 lead but the non-appearance of Steve Harrison gifted Laura Davies the 5<sup>th</sup> frame. \*Zara Powell\* won the 6<sup>th</sup> frame for 2-4, but the Punch were still in control after \*Aaron Lowe\* 2/2 made it 5-2. The girls were still well in the match however, and when Heather Douglass won frame 8 it was Gail Brown's turn to receive the "gimme" frame and the chance of the draw was well and truly on!

Enter Barb Jones, as she continues a fine season with a win in the 10<sup>th</sup> frame for a terrific point in the end.

The **Dragon Buttington** and the **King's Head Guisfield** come away with honours even after a 5-5 draw last week.

The King's Head led 3-2 at the break as David Muir, John Williams and Jamie Whitehall eclipsed Dave Roberts and Steve Gittins efforts in the 1st and 4th frames. The Dragon made a great re-start however, as \*Dave Roberts\*, Carl Howard 1/1 & Steve Gittins 2/2 made a 3 frame run for 5-3 and the King's were rocking...

Captain Matt Powell 1/1 steadied the ship in the 9th frame however, and \*Jamie Whitehall\* 2/2 took a point in a great looking match up.

Finally, the **Horseshoe** continue their recent good form, with a 7-3 away win at the **Lowfields**.

Grant Edwards and Darren Williams made a good start for the Shoe before Allan Evans and Allan Wainright squared the match at 2-2; Rob L Edwards putting the away side's noses in front 3-2.

Netsah Belchoir re-started for the Shoe and his win, plus Darren Williams and \*Grant Edwards\* 2/2 gave the Shoe two great points with two frames to spare. Rob C Edwards took frame 9 for the visitors before \*Allan Wainright\* 2/2 completed the match for Lowfield.

## Hughie Lewis review continued...

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**The Talbot Topdogs come through another close contest in the Hughie Lewis 5-3, as the Black Lion Llanfair exit the cup.**

The dogs found it hard to shake off their opponents in the singles as they led 3-2, never more than a frame ahead. Andy Squibb, Jamie Jones and Dan Stephens all won their games to Lee Andrew and Paul Griffith's replies for the Black in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> frames.

The dogs opened up a 2 frame gap before Paul Griffiths 2/2 helped reduce arrears to 3-4, but Andy Squibb 3/3 was the Dog's star player on the night, as he helped out in the decisive 8<sup>th</sup> and winning frame.

The Breidden Tigers were looking for revenge over the Social Club B after their earlier Andrews Cup exit, and at 3-2 after the singles were looking likely to...

John Boy McDonald won the opener only for P Richards to level, but Steve McDonald won the 3<sup>rd</sup> to regain the lead for the Club. M Leung and S Fitzgerald gave the Tigers a half time lead but the Social stepped it up after the break by taking the first 2 doubles matches! John Boy & Steve both 2/2 watched on after doing all they could, but the Tigers ensured a Captain's decider as R Nudds (1/1) & M Brenkley took out the final doubles game.

Ben Owen 2/2, yes that's Ben Owen 2/2 won the all-important Captain's match-up, to push his team into the 2<sup>nd</sup> round to cap off a good night for the visitors.

The Pheasant B and Cock B saw another close singles session, as the Cock edged in front 3-2 at the break.

Shane Jackson made a winning start for the visitors, but Jamie Cater and Dave Dabinett took the lead for the Pheasant. Jonathon Williams and Dan Thomas changed the game back in the Cock's favour however, and the match was won as Shane Jackson 2/2 and Jonathon Williams 3/3 both starred on a good night for the visiting side.

The Lion Llansantffraid made quick work of their re-arranged tie with the Crown Studs with a 5-0 singles session to win, but the Horseshoe found strong resistance from the Dragon Buttington before eventually running out 5-3 winners!

Darren Williams was 2/2, Netsah 1/1 and Rob L Edwards 3/3!

## Trebles

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