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Weather claims most games!

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The snowy weather was the big winner last week with over **half** the fixtures having to be cancelled!

Thanks everyone for getting in touch and showing the same common sense as the league in postponing games on the day with the minimum of fuss. Please play your games within the 2 weeks allowed or contact Shaun (Fixture Secretary) on 07811553353 for extensions, particularly if you are involved in other games such as the Andrew's Cup prelim (see page 3).

Only 3 games survived the snow and ice in Division 1, with the Lion Westbury recording a large 8-2 win over Argae A. Unfortunately, despite meeting up with the Lion lads on Sunday, Steve forgot to bring the card...perhaps they're just shy for a good write up.

No such problems for the Cock A as they romped a 9-1win away to Four Crosses A!

Rob Owen won the 1st frame for the hosts but that was all they could muster as Darren Bowen, Pete Sheppard, Paul Grisdale and Paul Morris all finished with 2/2. Gary Gindrat reversing his 1st half effort over Rob to be 1/2.

The Oak A "Bossers" (give or take a letter, it's hard to read Dave's writing) were thankful to Dai Walsh 2/2 as he finally hauled his team over the line with a great red under pressure in the last over the Oak B.

The A side led 2-0 as Dai and Dave Gannon (with a break and dish 7-baller) made a solid start before Dave Baulch pulled one back. Jason Evans took frame 4 but the difference was again 1 as Lee Andrews made a 1 visit clearance for a 7-baller of his own (score 3-2).

Jason Evans and Dave Gannon both went to 2/2, but the Oak A had that déjà vu feeling as Lee Andrews 2/2 and Keith Harding reduced arrears to 4-5.

Dai Walsh 2/2 took the all important winning frame for a vital 2 points.

In Division 2, 3 of the 5 games were played as the **Socialites** break free at the top as the **Cock B** stumble!

The Socialites confirmed the gulf between themselves and the Pheasant B with 7 straight wins from the off! Ted Pryce and Lawrence Evison provided some relief but Carl Pryce 2/2 won the last to make it 8-2.

Ben Davies and Ross Harris both ended up 2/2 for the home side, with Gareth Richards and Will Foord both 1/2. Keep an eye on that table boys, Jase can't count lol!

It was a great 7-3 away win for Four Crosses B over the Cock B which sends shockwaves, but with no card in yet we'll move on to a good 6-4 home win for the Warriors over the Breidden!

The away side had the best of the 1st session as A Hilditch, S Fitzgerald and M Fellows all won, but Graig Norbury and Keith Bonner kept them in check winning frames 2 and 4.

P Jones 1/1 levelled the match after the break before W Baker 1/1 once again gave the away side the lead at 4-3. The Park finished very strong however, as Mat Bowen, J Yoxall and finally Keith Bonner 2/2 took a good 2 points in the 10th frame.

Division 1			
Oak B	4	6	Oak A
Four Crosses A	1	9	Cock A
Pheasant Nomads	pp	pp	Castle Boys
Courthouse Judges	pp	pp	Angel B
Angel A	pp	pp	Cobra
Castle F	pp	pp	Pinewood A
Lion Westbury A	8	2	Argae Hall A
Division 2			
Westwood Warriors	6	4	Breidden
Horseshoe	pp	pp	Cock Brockton
Punchbowl	pp	pp	Wellington Dukes
The Socialites	8	2	Pheasant B
Cock B	3	7	Four Crosses B
Division 3			
Upper House 'Yorkies'	5	5	Upper House '5 Pf's'
Argae Hall B	pp	pp	Lion Westbury B
Pinewood B	2	8	Herbert Arms
Talbot Slayers	pp	pp	Lowfield

Division 3 was also effected with just 2 games played...

The Herbert Arms were glad they made the trek to the Pinewood B, as they returned with a 8-2 win!

Pete Colley, Alan Davies and Phil Davies made it 3-0 to the visitors before Michael Davies (Ern) won for the Tavern; Dave Davies completed the half with a win to make it 4-1 Herbert.

Alan Davies and Pete Colley both went to 2/2 to secure the points before Julian Preston 1/2 ensured his night would finish in the ascendant. Simon Eeles took another frame for the Pinewood, but the Herbert finished with Phil Davies going to 2/2 and they stay 2nd.

Finally, in the Llansyllin derby, The 5 poofs take a point off their 3rd placed counterparts, Yorkies Lower Shack!

Evan "Ron" Thomas, Liam "Harry Potter" Pugh and Josh "Monkey" Allen took a surprise 3-2 lead against Roger Jones and Nathan "Haymaker" Hamer's wins.

Simon James 1/1 levelled before Owen "Dobby" Lloyd put the poofs ahead again, but Yorkie McGrath and Nathan Hamer 2/2 threatened to take the spoils...

Dan "Piggy" Capper ensured honours were even by winning the last in a typical close derby game!

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KO Report for Andrew's Cup

Last 32 WEDNESDAY 27th JANUARY

Talbot Slayers +3	Angel A 0
Four Crosses B 0	Wellington Wasps +2
Green Dragon +3	Oak A 0
Talbot Flunkies or Pheasant B	Lion Westbury A or Talbot Topdogs
Castle Boys 0	Cock Brockton +2
Pinewood A 0	Argae Hall B or Pinewood B +3
Horseshoe +2	Angel B 0
Oak B 0	Castle F 0
Lion Westbury B	Cock B or Courthouse Judges
Herbert Arms	Westwood Warriors or Argae Hall A
The Socialites +2	Pheasant Nomads 0
Cobra 0	Four Crosses A 0
Punchbowl 0	Wellington Dukes 0
Lowfield +3	Cock A 0
Upper House '5 Pf's' 0	Upper House 'Yorkies' 0
Breidden 0	Crown Monty 0
Prelims	
Argae Hall B 0	Pinewood B 0
Talbot Flunkies +2	Pheasant B 0
Westwood Warriors +2	Argae Hall A 0
Lion Westbury A 0	Talbot Top dogs +2
Cock B +2	Courthouse Judges 0

The Andrew's Cup is back! Please note that the Prelim Rounds are to be played next Tuesday 19th January unless you agree to play earlier. The only change this year comes in that there are no neutral venues but rather a first out of the hat draw. Should you have any problems with the rules or format (especially new teams), then get in touch with the Match Secretary (Gary 07984463569) or League Secretary (Jase 07973188686) now! Good luck to you all.

NEXT TUESDAY!!

In the event of a draw, the deciding frame is to be drawn randomly from players already PLAYED.

	ALL GAMES ARE SINGLES MATCH UPS	FIRST TO 6 WINS!
Div1 (0) v Div1 (0)	2 sessions of five	Straight KO to 6
Div1 (0) v Div2 (+2)	1 session of Five + 2nd session of 3	Div 2 needs 4 games to win
Div1 (0) v Div3 (+3)	1 session of Five + 2nd session of 2	Div 3 needs 3 games to win
Div2 (0) v Div3 (+2)	1 session of Five + 2nd session of 3	Div 3 needs 4 games to win

PRIZE MONIES NOT YET DETERMINED BUT DON'T EXPECT LAST YEAR'S POT!

Angel B beat Nomads and Wasps get First League point!

Just a quick mention for the Angel B as they maintain their charge with three 7-ballers against the Nomads! Rhys Roberts, Drew Hughes and Lee Harris all enjoyed 7-ballers as Drew and Lee both finished 2/2; Steve Davies, Dean Arthur and Steve Jones won for the Nomads as Mike Bebb and Geraint Jones both finished 1/2.

The Ladies of Welly Wasps finally get their 1st point since their inception against Lowfields! Laura Williams, Heather Douglass and Barb Jones helped create a 3-1 lead over John Harris' 2nd frame win.

Steve Lowe and Allan Wainwright levelled before Laura Davies 1/1 gave the Wasps the lead again. Chris Jones made it 4-4 but Heather Douglass 2/2 ensured a point and set up the chance of a historic win.

Steve Lowe 2/2 saved Lowfields blushes in the 10th frame, but well done to the girls, it's been on the cards for some time.

DIVISION 1	P	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1.Lion Westbury A	14	12	1	1	98	42	56	25
2.Oak A	14	10	4	0	85	55	30	24
3.Angel B	13	10	2	1	83	47	36	22
4.Cock A	14	9	1	4	83	57	26	19
5.Pheasant Nomads	13	6	2	5	73	57	16	14
6.Cobra	13	6	1	6	65	65	0	13
7.Angel A	12	5	2	5	58	62	-4	12
8.Courthouse Judges	13	4	4	5	60	70	-10	12
9.Argae Hall A	14	3	3	8	56	84	-28	9
10.Four Crosses A	14	3	2	9	46	94	-48	8
11.Castle Boys	13	3	1	9	58	72	-14	7
12.Pinewood A	12	2	3	7	55	65	-10	7
13.Oak B	14	3	1	10	54	86	-32	7
14.Castle F	13	2	3	8	56	74	-18	7

PLEASE TEXT YOUR RESULTS TO ME ON 07868240066 AS SOON AS YOU CAN TO HELP UP-DATE THE TABLES.
CARDS MUST BE PUT IN THE RESULT BOX AT THE TALBOT BY THE SATURDAY 10PM FOLLOWING THE MATCH, SO PLEASE GET IN TOUCH IF YOU CAN'T GET THE CARD IN ON TIME.
MANY THANKS,
DAVE GANNON.

DIVISION 2	P	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1.The Socialites	12	8	2	2	78	42	36	18
2.Cock B	12	8	0	4	65	55	10	16
3.Punchbowl	11	5	4	2	63	47	16	14
4.Cock Brockton	11	5	4	2	61	49	12	14
5.Crown Monty	11	5	2	4	58	52	6	12
6.Talbot Top dogs	11	4	4	3	57	53	4	12
7.Four Crosses B	12	5	2	5	61	59	2	12
8.Breidden	12	4	3	5	56	64	-8	11
9.Westwood Warriors	12	3	3	6	52	68	-16	9
10.Wellington Dukes	10	2	3	5	45	55	-10	7
11.Horseshoe	10	1	5	4	43	57	-14	7
12.Pheasant B	12	0	4	8	41	79	-38	4

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1.Argae Hall B	10	8	2	0	68	32	36	18
2.Herbert Arms	11	8	0	3	73	37	36	16
3.Upper House 'Yorkies'	11	5	3	3	64	46	18	13
4.Lion Westbury B	10	4	3	3	51	49	2	11
5.Green Dragon	10	4	3	3	49	51	-2	11
6.Talbot Slayers	10	3	4	3	51	49	2	10
7.Upper House '5 Pf's'	10	4	2	4	45	55	-10	10
8.Talbot Flunkies	10	3	3	4	48	52	-4	9
9.Lowfield	9	2	3	4	40	50	-10	7
10.Pinewood B	11	2	2	7	43	67	-24	6
11.Wellington Wasps	10	0	1	9	28	72	-44	1

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Tonight's Games 13/01/2010

Division 1		
Oak A	Vs.	Four Crosses A
Cock A	Vs.	Pheasant Nomads
Castle Boys	Vs.	Courthouse Judges
Angel B	Vs.	Angel A
Cobra	Vs.	Castle F
Pinewood A	Vs.	Lion Westbury A
Argae Hall A	Vs.	Oak B
Division 2		
Breidden	Vs.	Horseshoe
Cock Brockton	Vs.	Talbot Top dogs
Crown Monty	Vs.	The Socialites
Pheasant B	Vs.	Cock B
Four Crosses B	Vs.	Westwood Warriors
Division 3		
Upper House '5 Pf's'	Vs.	Argae Hall B
Lion Westbury B	Vs.	Pinewood B
Talbot Flunkies	Vs.	Wellington Wasps
Lowfield	Vs.	Green Dragon

BYES:
PUNCHBOWL
WELLINGTON DUKES
HERBERT ARMS
UPPER HOUSE YORKIES
TALBOT SLAYERS