

SPORT

Wasps League match is off

WASPS have had their re-arranged Courage League match against West Hartlepool on Saturday called off after appealing to the Rugby Union that they did not want to play the game without two of their England

squad players, Lawrence Dallaglio and Damian Hopley. No new date has been decided, but the Harlequins match, postponed from December 30, will now be played on March 9.

Wasps have completed travel arrangements for their Pilkington Cup tie at Winstington Park on January 27. Supporters wishing to travel with them should contact Don Fowler on 866-4246.

Outclassed Kingsbury shown the cup door

Kingsbury Town 0 Hayes 4
KINGSBURY found their Premier Division rivals far too good for them in this Middlesex Senior Cup third round tie on Tuesday night, writes **John Comfort**.

Outclassed from the start, Town's slim prospects of an upset were firmly dispelled after just seven minutes when Andy Cox powerfully headed home

from a Steve Baker free kick to put the visitors in front. From then on it was merely a question of how many Hayes were going to win by.

Dean Williams followed up to net Hayes' second goal in the 31st minute after Joe Narty's shot beat Darren Bonfield and rebounded off a post, and two minutes later an error by Kevin Stewart let tie Narty again and although his

low effort was going wide, Williams slid in at the far post to divert the ball into the net.

The visitors' domination continued after the break but they only managed one further goal, in the 70th minute, Eddie Meade netting from close range following a Baker corner.

Kingsbury battled bravely and did carve out a couple of opportunities

to add respectability to the scoreline. Niall O'Rourke's good low drive was well saved by Russell Meara and 10 minutes from time a quickly taken free kick put Nelson Kumah clear but after rounding Meara, he blazed wildly over an open goal.

Kingsbury: Bonfield, Leslie, Zazzera (Per-ozke), Crowe (Kerney), Stewart, Morris, N. O'Rourke, Ash, Hughes, Kumah, Nelson (Alday).

Bad break for Nicola



HARROW netball ace Nicola Cotter thought she'd already had her big break when she was selected for the Scottish trials. But sadly for her, that came in her last game before the trials when she suffered a snapped cruciate ligament - an injury which put her on crutches and ended her hopes of making the Scottish team.

23 year old Nicola, of Clewer Crescent, Harrow, Weald, sustained the injury playing in the final of an inter-varsity tournament for Aberdeen University, where she is studying animal sciences. There were only two minutes of the match against Sterling remaining when it occurred.

"I jumped for a high ball and threw it while I was still in the air," she said. "As I turned, my body twisted and I landed awkwardly and I heard it go. It was agony.

"I was really chuffed about my selection for the trials, so it was a real blow."

Nicola has since had an operation to cure the injury and will spend six weeks immobile on crutches followed by a similar period of intensive physiotherapy. Then she will start the long road back to match fitness, and the chance of a place in the next round of Scottish trials in November.

Award for Darren
KINGSBURY Town goalkeeper Darren Bonfield has been named as the ICIS League's Guardian Insurance Safe Hands Award winner for Division Three in December.

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Towers look to end the famine

Cadle's team favourites for first domestic honour

LONDON Towers bid to make club history on Saturday by winning their first ever domestic honour when they take on Worthing Bears in the final of basketball's 7 UP Trophy at the NEC, Birmingham, tip off 7.15pm.

Towers are 5-2 on favourites with Ladbrokes for the final but, having beaten Kevin Cadle's team in the Budweiser League just five days ago, the Bears will hold a distinct psychological advantage.

However, that defeat has only left the Towers even more hungry for their first ever domestic success.

Saturday's game will be the club's first ever final, but the players, and Cadle himself, have been there before.

Most have domestic honours under their belt, including Steve Bucknall and Neville Austin, who were in the Thames Valley Tigers team which won the Trophy last year.

Cadle, who was named as Budweiser Coach of the Month for December after top of the table Towers won all their seven league matches, holds an entry in the Guinness Book of Records for his success while with Kingston.

However, the Bears will be no pushovers. Despite their small town background, they are rightly acclaimed as cup specialists, having won the League play-offs three years on the trot.

Led by player-coach Colin Irish and supported by ex-Harleem Globetrotter, Alan Cunningham, who continues to set high standards despite being in his 40th year, the Bears play a tough and physical game that, although not very pretty, is effective.

Although only fifth in the league, they have beaten all of the top three sides in the last month.

Although the league title is Towers' priority for the sea-

son, Cadle will be more than happy if they can take the Trophy on the way.

He said: "At the moment the 7 UP Trophy is the icing as we strive to win our first trophy."

Anyone interested in booking a place can get details by ringing the Towers Hotline on 0171-483-2310.

Edgware pay for missed chances

Hampton 2 Edgware Town 1

EDGWARE paid for a succession of missed chances on Tuesday night in a Middlesex Senior Cup clash where the better side lost.

The home side went in front 15 minutes into the game when a pass in defence by Tony Anglin to Seamus Finnerty was intercepted and Edgware were batted back and dead, severely equalised after the break when John Coleman ended a typical run with a powerful shot past the keeper.

However, slacking marking at a corner allowed Hampton to regain the lead five minutes later and despite creating copious chances, Edgware were unable to net the equaliser they deserved.

Edgware: Carter, Anglin, Sheridan, Finnerty, Shanahan, Ford, Lough, Flynn, Ivers, Buckley, Coleman, Subs Roche, Sue Grant.

Edgware hope to have striker Steve Newing fit for Saturday's home game with Ware.



Edgware scorer John Coleman in action in Saturday's win over Wivenhoe.

Lions boosted by Bates return

JON Barrie Bates has completed his two match suspension and is available for Wembley's home game with Basingstoke on Saturday.

The Lions' only injury doubt is Sofiane Sardi, who is still troubled by achilles tendon problems.

After a brief holiday in Ireland, Darren Barry resumes

training this week. Keeper Jeff Fanner is to have an operation later this month to try and cure the knee injury he suffered earlier in the season.

Christian Metcalfe returns from suspension for Harrow Borough's visit to Aylesbury. Jason Court will be out for two weeks with a badly bruised foot while striker Nko

Ekoku, who has a knee injury, is also doubtful.

Borough are running a coach to the game, which leaves Earlsmead at 12.30pm.

Wealdstone are without a game on Saturday but return to action on Tuesday with a Carlton Trophy match at Northwood for which both Lee Walker and Troy Birch will be missing through suspension.

Stones have transferred striker Neil Yates back to his former club, Barton Rovers.

Keen and Hordern are back in training but are unlikely to be in contention for places in the Rayners Lane side to face Lutcombe at home on Saturday.

Fixtures

Thursday January 11
Football Combination: QPR v Luton Town (Earlsmead, 7pm)
Saturday January 13
ICIS League Premier Div: Aylesbury v Harrow Borough
ICIS League Div One: Wembley v Basingstoke Town (Vale Farm, 3pm)
ICIS League Div Two: Edgware Town v Ware (White Lion Ground, 3pm)
ICIS League Div Three: Lewes v Kingsbury Town
Hellenic League: Rayners Lane v Lutcombe (Lucas Ave, 2.30pm)
Tuesday January 16
Carlton Trophy: Northwood v Wealdstone
London Senior Cup: Kingsbury Town v Hillingdon Borough (Silver Jubilee Park, 7.30pm)
Clapton
Division One
19 13 3 4 27 143
20 11 6 3 30 141
21 11 3 3 35 246
22 7 3 11 23 121
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The latest League tables

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Boreham Wood	21 13 5 3 38 164	18 1 6 1 30 83	Barroest Ath.	18 11 6 1 30 83
Dulwich Hamlet	20 12 5 3 40 141	17 11 5 3 38 138	Collier Row	17 11 5 3 38 138
Yewell Tn.	22 12 4 6 50 140	16 13 3 5 38 136	Croydon	16 13 3 5 38 136
Cantham Ath.	22 12 4 6 50 140	16 9 8 1 29 143	Carvey Island	16 9 8 1 29 143
St Albans City	22 10 7 5 39 207	16 6 4 2 24 35	Wivenhoe	16 6 4 2 24 35
Kingston	21 10 7 4 30 137	15 10 5 6 36 31	Chesham	15 10 5 6 36 31
Harrow Boro.	20 11 4 5 38 273	15 8 3 9 38 27	Edgware Town	15 8 3 9 38 27
Benlodge Strat.	20 9 7 4 35 137	15 6 7 27 25	Chesham St.	15 6 7 27 25
Aylesbury Utd.	20 8 7 5 32 231	15 6 8 30 32	Hungerford	15 6 8 30 32
Hendon	20 8 7 5 32 231	15 6 8 30 32	Bedford	15 6 8 30 32
Charley Tn.	21 7 3 11 25 264	15 6 8 30 32	Ware	15 6 8 30 32
Sturton Utd.	20 7 5 8 28 137	15 6 8 30 32	Waltham	15 6 8 30 32
Hitchin	19 6 5 8 18 283	15 6 8 30 32	Waltham	15 6 8 30 32
Welling	22 4 9 22 221	15 6 8 30 32	Waltham	15 6 8 30 32
Watson & Hersh	19 5 2 12 20 137	15 6 8 30 32	Waltham	15 6 8 30 32
Grays Ath.	19 3 6 10 33 135	15 6 8 30 32	Waltham	15 6 8 30 32
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Hayridge Sw.	19 13 3 3 45 18 42			
Chesham Utd.	20 12 4 6 42 332			
Marlow	20 10 2 8 42 332			
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Slough Tn.	18 9 4 5 32 321			
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