

SPORT

Boro fight back from early shock

Harrow Boro 2, Hendon 2
MATCHES between Harrow and Hendon are rarely without note.

Saturday's encounter at Eastmead was no exception, Boro recovered from a two-goal deficit to earn a point, writes Tony Booth.

Boro's defence had an unfamiliar look with three regulars missing, while the attack had a new face in Neal

Stevens, on loan from Hayes. The home side were caught napping after only 83 seconds when Darlington ran clear of the defence, netting an angled shot.

And the lesson was not learned as he repeated the process in the 11th minute to give his side their two goal lead.

Harrow almost replied two minutes later, but when Nko Ekoku and then Stevens back-

headed a James throw but the ball was headed off the Hendon line.

Sean James worked hard, with a confident header clearing the Boro line before his cross was headed just over by Mark Xavier who also missed from a Jones cross.

At last after 44 minutes Harrow scored. Ekoku headed down to Xavier who played a one-two with Jones before driving a shot inside the far post.

In the second half Boro had the advantage of a strong wind and forced a series of corners. On 55 minutes they were level with Gary Issott crossing accurately for Ekoku to head home powerfully.

Then Harrow were fortunate

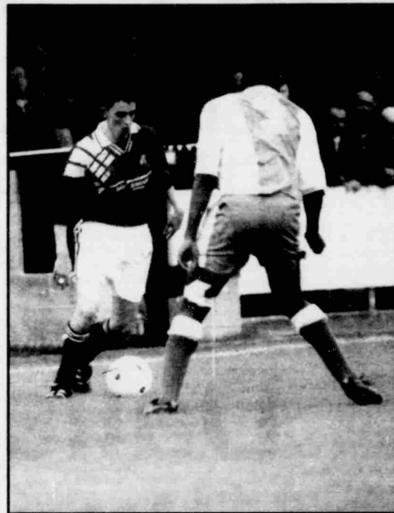
as Price's free kick rebounded wide off a post and were up against it again as David Clarke was sent off after an incident with Darlington.

It took good defensive work by Hurlock and Stevens to keep 10-man Harrow level and there efforts nearly faltered with three minutes left.

Scrivens did well to block Richardson's shot, but in the resulting melee Day was alleged to have fouled Bolton.

Hendon's White, however, sent the spot-kick laughable high over the crossbar and Harrow held on to their point.

Harrow Borough: Scrivens, Clarke, James, Day, Benning, Stevens (Witter), Jones, Metcalfe (Hurlock), Ekoku, Xavier, Issott; sub not used Santos.



A Harrow Boro player takes on a Hendon defender during the ICIS League Premier division match

BOWLS

Narrow win for Harrow

HARROW and District scored a narrow 161-168 win over Lawson Park

C Johnson 8 - E Halling 29; J Adams 11 - R Cox 17; J Bradys 26 - D Polley 30; E Wilby 21 - B Connell 22; R Ward 26 - B Wheaton 20; J Wright 23 - D Parker 23; B Matthews 20 - W Walton 12; M Holdom 26, R Walkley 15.

Finchley and District 91, Harrow and District 109. D Smith 11 - G Maskell 27; R Stack 18 - E Halling 17; E Prior 19 - B Wheaton 23; R Hill 20 - R Walkley 16; A Moore 23 - D Parker 26.

Way Valley 226, Harrow and District 157.

D McCallum 34 - T Waller 16; H Forest 25 - L Peake 19; R Bachman 21 - G Maskell 11; H Craig 23 - D Parker 12; S Paice 25 - E Harvey 13; C Ions 26 - W Walkley 15; K Ambrose 17 - G Fisher 15; J Evans 19 - E Halling 15; P Goldsworthy 21 - B Quinn 16; R Mills 15 - B Connell 25.

LADIES' SOCCER One short, still a stroll for Harrow

Harrow Ladies 3 Brentwood 0

HARROW Ladies had a convincing 3-0 win in the All England Cup Plate, playing with only ten players.

They started well and scored their first in the 24th minute, with Kerri London finishing off some open play.

Two more goals followed in the second half - the first just four minutes after the restart when captain Penny O'Mahony scored from a short corner move.

The final goal sealing the game followed a fine individual run from Harrow's youngest player Natalie Hilliard who took on two defenders before beating the keeper.

Harrow Ladies - Fielder, Lacombe, Thomas, O'Mahony, Head, K. London, T. London, Burns, Hilliard, Hall.

Results round-up

MARATHON SUNDAY LEAGUE

MIDDLESEX County Premier Cup (Round One)

Starlight 0, Raynes Lane Sunday 3; Serbia United 2, Indian Gymkhana 2 (Gymkhana won on pens); Pishanger Plough 5, Shamrock Sunday 1; Conley 2, Royston 2; West Drayton Tavern 4; Bedford Sunday 4 FC Porto of London 0; BAA Heathrow Sunday 2, Eastcote Manor 3.

Junior Cup (Round Two) Broadfields United Sunday 5, Weacable Albion 2; Perival 6, Moorhead Royals 1; FC Artios 8, Development '88' 1; Ashby Albion 5, Tempo Athletic 1; Harefield Kings 2, Athletic Inwood 0; Bourne Circle 3, Poonam 1; Sandersons 0, Eastcote Manor Res 3; Indian Gymkhana Red 5, Buddy's City 2; Lockwood 0, Royal Park 1; Kingshill Park Rangers 0, Thames Electric 6; Falcons 0, NPH Celtic 1; Sports Club 0, Hanwell Garage 3.

Marathon Challenge Cup (Round Two): Ecobians 4, Madeira Community 4 (aet).

FA Sunday Cup (Round One Replay): Belstone 2, Leavesden Sports 3 (aet).

Division One: Brentford Athletic 3 Athletic 3, Crown Athletic 1, White Bear Ruislip 4, Hillingdon Park Rangers 4; Northfield Rangers 3, Craven Park Celtic 5; Hosiery 4, Raynes Lane Sunday Res 0; St Nicholas 0, SFC Wealdstone 10.

Division Two: Parkfield 4, Belstone Res 3; Sporting London E Benfica 2, Black Horse Ruislip 1; Kensington Argyle 1, Pishanger Plough Res 1; St Anselms 1, Harrow Postals 6.

Division Five: Brentford Athletic Res 2, FC Martini 2; Kingsmead 2, AFC Conley 2; Royston 2, West Drayton Tavern 1; SFC Wealdstone Res 8, Gurnersbury Town 0; AMC 12, Zydeco 0.

Division Six: Target Transmissive 1, St Anselms Res 4; QPR Stewards 8, Weald Academical 1; The Victoria 3, Stonefield Wanderers 4; Croydon Guild 3, Newton City Res 3.

LONDON COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Division One: Dymare Sports 0; Hillingdon Irish 3; Evershed Social 1, District Line AA 4.

Division Two: British Airways II 1, Talbot All Stars 7; District Line II 1, The Winchester 1; Indian Gymkhana 2, Sudbury Court 0; Priory 0 Kodak Harrow Sat 2; Technicolor Sport II 2, Cable Tech 1.

Division Three: Camden Sports 2, AEC 3; Glaxo Sports 4; Barnet MO 6; Harrow Gas 1, Tay wood Sports 1; Northwood III 1, Brunswick 1; St Martins 4, Brook House Res 1.

Division Four: Barnhill Social 1, Ware United 2; Harward Thistle 1 Circle Saturday 3; Sporting Hackney 0 Rank Xerox Sports 1.

Division Five: Maxsum Athletic 13, Jenken Athletic 1.

Division Six: Westminster Casual 2 Grove Sports II 2.

Division Seven: Northwood Sports 1, Kodak Harrow III 1.

Division Eight: Chessick Homefield 3, Heathrow Club Sat 1; Harrow Gas II 5, St Martins II 0; New Hanford II, Blackstock Sports 2; Sudbury Court III 0, Harrow Lyons 3; Talbot All Star II 3, Phoenix Rovers 1; Tokyngton 5, Taywood Sports II 3.

Division Nine: Abbey National 2, Camden Sports II 9; Barnet MO II 4, Greenford Acad II 2; St Mary's Rangers 5, Hendon Town 7; Hendon St Mary's 0, Harford United 5, Churchbury 2.

Division One: Blackbirds 14 All Saints (Kenton) 4Hendon 7, St Andrew's II 0; Greyhound Wanderers 2, Dynamo Neasden 2.

Division Two: Maccabi 0, Oakfield 0.

Division Four: Apex Bulldogs 2, Blackbird Rovers 3; Blackbirds III 2, Kingsmead 4; Highgate Albion IV 6, Highgate Albion V 1; John Lewis BC 3, Courner 4; Woodbridge Rovers 1, M & S '84 2.

Kodak sides click with first clean sweep

KODAK FC celebrated their first clean sweep of the season when all their sides won their respective games.

The first and second teams recorded wins against local rivals Broadfields, Jordan Blair and Paul Finnerty scoring in the first team's win.

Martin Bool returned to form, scoring a clinical hat-trick on the third's 0-3 win over Phoenix to round off a fine day for Kodak.

'We need more players'

SPRINGFIELD Youth FC based in Kingsbury require the following players: U-12 all outfield players, ring

Rovers take a beating

HARROW Hill Rovers were beaten 4-2 by the White Hart in the Hayes and District League.

Rovers' goals came from Shian Jordan and Nigel Blissett who scored from the penalty spot.

A superb team performance saw LNER St Georges under 14s beat Watling under 14 in the Harrow Youth League with goals from John Calnan and Ryan O'Hara

Eamon on 0181 205 9996. The under 11s require defenders, ring ray on 204 9721

'Forgotten' man strikes late winner

Bracknell Tn 1, Wembley 2 WEMBLEY notched their fifth win on the trot on Saturday thanks to a late winner from their almost forgotten striker Les Thompson.

Lions thoroughly deserved their three points following a blistering second half performance with Thompson's goal ending what very nearly became an afternoon of frustration.

Wembley lost possession while playing up the slope Bracknell exerted pressure but two excellent saves from Kevin Beckles prevented the hosts from scoring.

Midway during the first period Wembley began to impose themselves with efforts from Bobby Hutchinson and Keith Boreham well saved by Bracknell's keeper Alan Henley.

Despite that Wembley found themselves a goal behind. Sloppy defending allowed the unmarked Osgood to fire home with a 39th minute strike.

Their advantage was short-lived.

A great run by Ashley Cumberbatch three minutes into the second half opened up the Bracknell defence and after a Hutchinson shot was blocked, Boreham followed up for the equaliser.

Bracknell fought off the subsequent barrage as Jon-Barrie Bates hit the crossbar, the keeper made some fine saves and defenders scrambled the ball off the line.

Wembley kept at it and with seven minutes remaining substitute Thompson, alarmed by the recent signings of two strikers, scored the winner.

Shrugging aside his marker, Thompson latched on to a Boreham flick and forced his way into the six-yard box before planting the ball past the despairing Henly.

Wembley: Beckles, Cumberbatch, Sue, Walters, Shields, J-B Bates, Lawrence, 1 Bates, Boreham, Hutchinson (Thompson 73) Fleming, Subs not used, Smith, Walsh.

SCHOOLS' SOCCER

Honours even

from the Barnet keeper. The under-11's went down 2-0 in the Batchelor Cup but were not disgraced, showing much improved form in the second half after going two goals behind.

On Saturday the under-14's and under-13's are away to Croydon.

The under 11 and under-12 sides play Mid Oxon at the John Billan Sports Ground (kick-off 11am).

↳ Pishoo Ngopwani is one

of 69 players selected for a national training session at Lilleshall this weekend.

Patchou, Kevin Murray, Steven Roberts and Emmanuel Papa played for Middlesex in a recent county match.

Steven Samtry Richard Paquette and Eddie Laurence played for Middlesex under-14's, and the county under-16 squad included Warren Waugh, Virgil Matthew and Kevin Baptiste.

YOUTH SOCCER

Pinner Utd notch first win

PINNER United under-8's recorded their first victory of the season beating LNER St George 4-2 in the Middlesex Soccer 7's.

Man of the match James Mulford scored twice, made the other two goals and had an exceptional game. Roberts Carey and Jack Rooney were also on target. Sam Moody did well in goal.

In the Hayes League United's under 10's trailed 1-0 at half time against Hates End Wanderers, but had a great second half scoring six without reply to win 6-1.

Gareth Long and Matthew Carey scored two apiece and there were goals for Daniel O'Connor and Kerion Gradwell. Ben Rooney was named man of the match.

The under-11's beat Hayes End 3-1. Goals came from Michael Smartem Louie Lewis and

Simon Parbrook, Liam Burke was man of the match. Pinner United under-13's (Youth) enjoyed a 4-3 win over Brunswick, although making it hard for themselves by losing late goals.

Man of the match James Otwill scored with a great header. Harry Howell and Robert Monk (2) got the other goals.

In the West Middlesex League Penner's under-13 Colts side beat Hampton Cardinals 4-0 with a good all-round team performance. Tom Stevenson scored a hat-trick and Alistair McRae got their other Alex Wyatt was United's man of the match.

The under-10 Colts lost 11-0 to an outstanding Junior Bees side. Michael Hart was made man of the match for a tireless performance.

Results round-up extra.....

HAYES & DISTRICT MINOR LEAGUE

Section Two (U-15): Belmont United 10, Yeading Youth 2; Brunswick Boys 9, Beaconsfield Sycob 5; Court Park Colts 0, Burnham Juniors 3.

Section Four (U-13) Bedford Eagles 5, Hilingdon Eagles 0; Brunswick Boys 3, Pinner United 4; Court Park Colts 1, Hayes End Wanderers 13; Mavericks 0 Stockley Youth 3; Northolt Villa 16 Beaconsfield Sycob 0; West Drayton Boys Club 0, Tuffnell Boys 3.

London U-12 Cup: Clerkenwell Boys 2, Wendell Wanderers 1.

Section Five (U-12) Division One: Bedford Eagles 1, Bush Rangers 6; Larkspur Rovers 6, Mavericks 3; Parkfield Youth 4, Brookhouse 2. **Division Two:** Glenister Youth 1, Ickenham Athletic 1; London Allstar Raiders 1, Hayes End Wanderers 6; Sandgate 1, West Drayton Boys Club 4; Yeading Youth 3, Cowley Youth 3.

London U-11 Cup: Tuffnell Boys 6, TNT Dynamos 2.

Section Six (U-11) Division One: Bedford Eagles 4, Hive 1; Hayes End Wanderers 1, Pinner United 3; West Drayton Boys Club 2, Parkfield Youth 0; Larkspur Rovers 2, Brookhouse 2. **Division Two:** Court Park Colts 1, Ilesworth Park Rangers 1; Ilesworth Rangers 2, Sandgate 6; Manor Cubs 1, Glenister Youth 1.

London Under-10 Cup: Tiviot Rangers 1, Tuffnell Boys 3.

Section Seven (U-10) Division One: Court Park Colts 0, Brookhouse 4; Ickenham Athletic 1, Manor Cubs 9; Pinner United 6, Hayes End Wanderers 1; Stockley Youth 6, Explorers 2. **Division Two:** Glenister Youth 6, London Allstar Raiders 3; Hive 2, New Islip 1; Larkspur Rovers 3, West Drayton Boys Club 2.

Section eight (U-9): Brookhouse A Ickenham Athletic 0; Brookhouse B 2, Hive 2; Ealing Rangers A 11, Ealing Rangers B 1; Ilesworth Rangers 3 Sandgate A 4.

Section nine (U-8): Brookhouse B 5, Ickenham Athletic 1; Brookhouse A2 Hayes End Wanderers 0; Cowley Youth 2, New Islip A 6.