

# Sport

## Tully's Xmas bonus

Edgware Town 8  
Crown and Manor 5  
EDGWARE boss Brian Rider described this incredible match as "a Christmas present for the fans" as Ronnie Tully scored five of Edgware's eight goals in an unbelievable afternoon.

Wares went behind to a bizarre goal in the third minute before Tully struck twice in the ninth and 14th minutes to put Edgware ahead.

Gary Allen deflected in Lawrence Murphy's cross after 20 minutes before Tully finished off his hat-trick five minutes later.

A tremendous goal pulled Crown and Manor back to 4-2 but Martin Kidd had the last laugh of the first half, heading home Murphy's cross to make it 5-2.

There was no let-up after the break. Tully made it six on the hour and then Kidd scored the seventh two minutes later. It was 7-3 in the 70th minute as Crown and Manor pulled another back. Ronnie Tully scored again five minutes from time but two late goals, including a penalty, brought Crown and Manor some late consolation.

## Lions are top tips

Wembley 2, Oxford City 0

WEMBLEY, on the pools coupon for the first time, proved the tipsters right in forecasting a home win, putting up an accomplished performance against Oxford City.

Peter Shodeinde and Lance Cadogan were both guilty of missing chances early on before Charlie Flaherty opened the scoring from the penalty spot after 39 minutes, following a trip on Cadogan.

Five minutes from time, Wembley made it two when Sylvester Williams got on the end of a long Spud Murphy throw-in to seal victory in Wembley's last game of 1987.

Wembley: Smart, Flaherty, Eary, Murphy, Lucas, Smith, Rhian, Brown, Shodeinde (Williams), Cadogan, Waugh. Other sub: Salliman.

## Jennings signs two from Daggers

NEW Wealdstone manager Tony Jennings has wasted no time making his presence felt at Lower Mead.

He has already brought in two new players and left two go in his first week in charge — and more are likely to follow.

He went back to his former club Dagenham for his two signings, 24-year-old left back Everal La Ronde

was the first. La Ronde was formerly with West Ham and Bournemouth before playing in Swedish football for a time.

The other new face is Samson Olaleye. At 22, he can play as a striker or a midfielder and was formerly with Tooting.

Midfielder Barry Lowe has been released by Jennings. He failed to

complete a single game for the club, despite making five appearances and two more as substitute.

Centre half Steve Hatter has been sold to Barking for a three figure fee. Hatter was on loan at the Vauxhall-Opel League club earlier this season. He lives in the area and was reported to be happy with the move.

# New look Stones are out of luck

### Zacharia wins it

Bracknell 0  
Kingsbury Town 1

A FINE Kingsbury performance earned them three points at Bracknell on Saturday.

"The whole team played very well, I was really pleased with them. We caused havoc up front and defended well," said Town boss Terry Dyson.

The only goal came just before half-time when Paul Goodison put Keith Hoard through. His shot was saved but Greg Zacharia was on hand to lash the ball home.

Banbury United 2  
Wealdstone 2

WEALDSTONE were like a team transformed on Saturday as they dominated Banbury and were unlucky not to come away with an FA Trophy win at the first attempt.

The return of Alan Cordice and the signing of Tony Lynch seemed to boost both players and supporters alike, and while the Stones fans who made the trip were in fine local mood throughout the first half, the players were responding on the pitch.

New boss Tony Jennings must certainly have said something to his players, for they peppered the home goal with shots from all angles in the first quarter of an hour.

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Lynch and Cordice combined for the first time in the 32nd minute when Lynch went on a wriggling run past two defenders and crossed for Cordice to force a save from Keith Baker with a spectacular falling volley.

The pressure told off in the 40th minutes when Tom English put Stones ahead — just minutes after seeing a fine shot on the turn brilliantly pushed around the post by Baker.

He went in with the keeper and Cousins for a long cross and as the ball ran loose he was alert enough to pivot and sweep the ball home from eight yards.

But two goals in as many minutes soon after the re-start celebrations. First Alex Welsh seemed surprisingly slow in diving for a Steven Dixon header and then Francisco Rivero brought David Woodland down for Robert Pratley to score from the spot.

English rescued Stones again in the 63rd minute though, climbing to head home from Rivero's pinpoint cross, made after a fine run down the right.

Dennis Byatt, Wealdstone's skipper, was stretched off 11 minutes from time with a knee injury, and Stones' Paddy McCarthy was booked along with Banbury's Ian Bowyer and Cliff Cousins.

Wealdstone: Welsh, Pittaway, Solomon, Byatt (Hirst), Bowgett, Wainwright, McCarthy, Rivero, Cordice, English, Lynch. Other sub: Stag.

## Boro' so close to upset

Harrow Borough 1  
Weymouth 1

BOROUGH came within five minutes of a Trophy turn-up on Saturday to avenge their midweek GMAC Cup defeat by Vauxhall Conference championship chasers Weymouth.

A superbly taken goal by Lawrence Holmes set up the prospect of a shock result but sadly for Borough the Dorset club's scalp eluded them.

Holmes' goal in the 76th minute was good enough to win any cup tie. Colin Tate carved out the chance with a precision pass which split the heart of the Weymouth defence and put Holmes in on goal. The finish was immaculate, a well struck drive flashing

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past keeper Peter Guthrie who was being watched in the stands by Tottenham boss Terry Venables.

There was good cause to believe that goal would be sufficient to settle the affair for although Weymouth had for the most part looked the better side, they far from overwhelmed a Borough who battled away and gave as good as they got.

But an upset was not to be. Weymouth suddenly stepped up a gear and equalised in the 85th minute — though their goal owed as much to luck as judgement. It came from Pugh's corner which was flicked on to the far post where Roberts, with head back to goal, just managed to get his head to the ball. It could have gone anywhere but to Weymouth's delight and Borough's dismay it dropped agonisingly into the corner of the net.

Roberts had the ball in the net in the first half but the goal was ruled out for offside against Turrell.

Borough's best efforts came the second period, the closes of which saw Emmanuel and Holmes combine to set up Tate for a close range effort which Guthrie's superb reflex save kept out at the expense of a corner.

Harrow Borough: MacKenzie, Payne, Duffy, How, Bateman, Evans, Emmanuel, Holmes, Tate, Morris, Adams. Subs: Dicker, Ripley.

A DISPUTED penalty turned the tide as Harrow Borough gave a creditable performance in going down 2-0 at Weymouth in the GMAC Cup last Tuesday.

A handball decision against Paul Morris in the 58th minute saw Compton fire in the spot kick to put Weymouth ahead and they settled the issue three minutes later when Claridge fired home.

## Lane stop the rot

Bishops Cleeve 2 Rayners Lane 3

RAYNERS Lane boss Don Durkin re-shuffled his pack and came away with a win that eases the relegation pressure on his side.

Steve Bocking put Lane in front in the 15th minute, although the home side hit two just before the break to go in ahead.

Within ten minutes of the re-start, Lane were level. A long goal kick by Robert Rendle was headed on by Duncan Ferguson for Darrell Clements to run on and lob the keeper. And three minutes later, Lane hit the winner when Tony Kiely capitalised on Ferguson's run to shoot home.

## Soccer fixtures

<b>Saturday, December 28</b>	<b>Monday, December 28</b>
GM Vauxhall Conference: Dagenham v Wealdstone. Vauxhall Opel League Premier Division: Basingstoke v Harrow Boro.	GM Vauxhall Conference: Wealdstone v Boston United (Lower Mead, 3pm). Vauxhall Opel League Premier Division: Harrow Boro v Bognor Regis (Earlmead, 3pm). Suburban League: Edgware Res v Harrow Boro Res (White Lion ground, 3pm).
Vauxhall Opel League Division One: Stevenage v Kingsbury Town (11am). Wolverhampton v Wembley.	Tuesday, December 22 FA Trophy replays: Wealdstone v Banbury (Lower Mead, 7.30pm); Weymouth v Harrow Borough.
Spartan League: Beaconsfield v Edgware Town (11am).	
Hellenic League: Rayners Lane v Viking Sports (Lucas Avenue, 11am).	

## YOUTH SOCCER

# Villa pull off cup shocker

NORTHOLT Villa pulled off a shock in the Harrow League's under-12 Cup when the second Division side put out first division Bessingly by 3-0 with goals from Antony Murphy 2, and Davis Haugle 2.

In the league Villa's under-10s beat Ealing Whistlers 2-1, Matthew Prior and Andrew Caffe scoring the goals.

Harrow St Marys strengthened their position at the top of the under-15s division two with a 7-3 win over Pinner Albion, Geoff Watson 2, Richard Murphy 4 and Richard Findall getting the goals. Paul Fennel 2 and Paul Lambert scored for Pinner. The under-14s had their first win of the season, beating Pinnerstars 5-1 with goals from Danny Wilson 3, Simon Hayes and Paul Mecher.

Mark Wilson and Tony Dunleavy netted as St Josephs Youth under-12s went down 2-3 to Pinnerstars but the under-16s slamed Fitzhanger 9-0, goals coming from Richard Hayes 2, Gary Smith 2, Paul Gibbs 2, Steve Rabbett, Michael Davis and Adam Ritchie. The under-17s drew 4-4 with Pinner Albion, Ian Inniss 2, Paolo Gandolfi and Tony Power scoring. Michael Smith 2, Jason Ford and Paul Higgins netted Albion's goals.

Mitchell 2, Darren Brookes and Stuart O'Connor were on target in the under-11s 4-4 draw with St Andrews. Pinner Albion under-10s beat Pinnerstars 5-0, Steve Wale 2, Matthew Ross 2 and Darren Hill finding the target.

Belmont under-12s cruised into the semi final of the Hayes League cup with a 21-0 demolition of Sandgate. Scorers were Kevin Gallen 6, Steve Barnes 5, Paul Yates 4, James Jones 2, Ben Marksell, Marvin Bryan, Stan Bowder and Nana Ansong.

The under-14s reached the final with a 7-3 win over Langley, Lawrence Achepong 3, Steve Burcham 2, Marlon Bryan and Frank O'Meer netting. The under-15s beat Hayes End 3-2 with goals from Theo Picoos, Mark Kelly and Mark Bantin. In their semi final the under-16s lost 2-3 to Drayton, goals coming from Richard Bailey and Glen Logan.

Belmont under-9s had a creditable 3-1 win against Golden Eagles, thanks to goals from Martin Masterson 2, and Danny Beverley, but the under-10s lost 6-3 to Hayes End, their goals coming from Ian Shaylor, James Fitzgerald and Alan Hughes.

Faversham's under-10s moved into the Hayes League Cup final with a 2-0 win over Court Park Colts, the goals coming from Stuart Elliott and Paul Randall. The under-13s lost 5-4 to Bessingly Park Rangers.

## Observer results round-up

**HARROW YOUTH LEAGUE**  
Under 10 Div. 1: Bessingly Park 4, Larkspur 0, Mervetide 0, Parkfield 5; St Mary's 2, Welling 8.  
Under 10 Div. 2: Ealing Whistlers 1, Northolt 2, Pinner 5, Pinnerstars 2, Sudbury Court 2, Whitechurch/Edgware 3, St Andrews (Dollis) 1, Rayners Lane 7.  
Under 11 Div. 1: Kilburn 0, Pinner 2, Larkspur 0, Bessingly 0, Princes Park 4, St Andrews (Sudbury) 4, Springfield 1, St Josephs 0.  
Under 12 Cup: Parkfield 10, Springfield 0, Bessingly 0, Northolt Villa 3.  
Under 12 Div. 1: Edgware 0, Witleyden 6, North Paddington 8, Ealing Whistlers 2, Pithanger 5, St Marys 5.  
Under 12 Div. 2: Pinnerstars 3, St Josephs 2, St Andrews (Dollis) 1, Larkspur 6, St Andrews (Sudbury) 10, St Quintin 3.  
Under 13 Div. 1: Forest 4, Bessingly 5, Larkspur 2, Welling 5, North Greenford 1, Parkfield 4, Pinner 1, Rayners Lane 1.  
Under 13 Div. 2: Ealing Whistlers 4, Kilburn 0, Northwood 3, Walpole 1, Whitechurch/Edgware 0, St Andrews (Sudbury) 5.  
Under 14 Div. 1: Ealing Whistlers 0, A-Z Sportsworld 4, Forest 2, Witleyden 4, Hive 10, St Andrews (Dollis) 0.

Under 14 Div. 2: Sudbury Court 8, Bessingly 2, Pinner 1, Stone 3, Forest 4, Northwood 4, Springfield 6, Greenhill 1, Harrow St Mary's 5, Pinnerstars 5.  
Under 15 Cup: Parkfield 7, Princes Park 1.  
Under 16 Div. 1: Northwood 5, Stone 1, Welling 4, Forest 2.  
Under 16 Div. 2: A-Z Sportsworld 3, Brady Macabbi 1, Pinner 3, Harrow St Mary's 7.  
Under 16 Div. 3: Parkfield 2, Ruffell 3, St Georges Colts 0, Forest 1.  
Under 16 Div. 4: St Josephs 9, Pithanger 0, Harrow Rangers 4, Bessingly 5.  
Under 17 Div. 1: Pinner 4, St Josephs 4, A-Z Sportsworld 3, Parkfield 3.  
Under 18 Div. 1: Hayes End 8, Northwood 1, Princes Park 3, Witleyden 3.

**PREMIER DIVISION:** Harrow Town 1, Hatch End 1; AFC Timber Carriers 5, Harrow Boro 3, Balisone 1, Kingsbury Green 0; Circle 5, Independent 5.  
**Division Two:** St Josephs Social 3, Lady Margaret 3.  
**Division Three:** West Harrow 2, Kingsbury Green 0; T. Reson Utd 4, Espirit 3.

**OBSERVER POOL LEAGUE**  
Division One: Harrow Boro A 6, Target 4; Whittington 4, Lords 6, Royal William 6, Prince of Wales 4, Queens Arms A 8, Green Man 2, Honeyot 4, Windermere 6.  
Division Two: Pantiles 5, Roxborough A 5, Prince of Wales B 8, Northwick Park 2, Rayners 6, Bowmakers 4, Casa in Alhambra 7, Honeyot B 5, Embassy 6, Lyons SC 4.  
Division Three: Linmeads 6, 7, Alhambra Plough 3, Roxborough B 2, Morris Arms 8, Northwood FC 7, T. Ladies 3; Queens Arms B 6, George 2.

**INDOOR BOWLS**  
Hedge 144, Witleyden 8888  
Hedge 8888 first: K Morrison 26, W Smith 12; L Bodell 22, Mrs M Vardy 20; Mrs G White 18, R Adams 22; Mrs D Lavender 26, H Vardy 21; J Cooke 25, Mrs M Saunders 8; Mrs J Shine 27, B Hart 12.

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