

# Chester and Wirral Football League

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## CWFL Round Up Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2016

Despite the efforts of the Great British weather the vast majority of games were played over the weekend.

Things are hotting up in the **CWFL Queensferry Sports Premier Division**. Lache (Mark Thompson & Tommy Booth) dropped vital points as they had to settle for a 2-2 draw away to Shaftesbury (Steve Roberts & John McGra) and with all the chasing pack recording wins things could get interesting. Christleton Celtic lost 5-0 at the hands of Ellesmere Port as they close the gap on Lache to just four points, Ryan Abrahams 2, Regan Barlow, Peter Barnett and James Fletcher their scorers. Higher Bebington recorded a 4-0 win over Uberlube thanks to a hat trick from Ben Keirman and an Andy Blakeborough goal. Adi Callaghan also hit a hat trick as Lodge Bar eased past Ellesmere Port III 7-1. Further goals from Luke Reece 2, Matty Sheridan and Tony Winpenny sealed the victory. Nathan Brown and Jamie Ranford hit consolations for Whitby Athletic as they lost 8-2 to Deva Athletic.

In the **CWFL Olympic Trophies Division One** Neston Nomads recorded their 4<sup>th</sup> clean sheet in a row as they fought out a 0-0 draw with Ashton. Dan Parker 2 and Adam Hall were the marksmen for Elton Athletic as they overcame Lodge Bar Reserves 3-2.

In the **CWFL Link Up Division Two** MBNA exacted revenge on Orange Athletic, the only team to beat them in the league this season. In a dominant performance they ran out 8-0 winners. Captain Robbie Davies got MBNA off to a great start burying the ball into the bottom corner from just inside the box. Paul Rambaldi scored a poacher's finish to put some distance between the teams and then doubled his scoring tally with a quick third. Scott Davies scored his second header of the week to make it 4-0 just before the half. Orange came out in the second half to give MBNA a game but MBNA countered with Paul Rambaldi and Paul Jones linking well, Rambaldi dummied the ball and Jones converted. Paul Jones again scored the fifth after making a darting run to the front post after some good work by Rambaldi down the wing. Some good link up play between both players can take credit for the two goals. Substitute Liam Hett scored the goal of the game after making a 35-yard audacious shot, the ball flying into the bar and post before bouncing into the net. Paul Jones completed a second half hat trick after shooting with the outside of his boot giving the goalkeeper no chance. New Ferry and Elton Rigger had to share the points in their game after it finished 3-3. Debutant Ash Antcliffe 2 and Aaron Brabander hit the Rigger goals with New Ferry replies coming from Luke Cassidy, Lee Burns and Chris Carress.

In the **CWFL Doug Johnson Veterans Shield Group A** games Jamie Roberts 3, Rich Benson, Matty King, Sam Hassel, Jim Turner and Andy Ankers were all on the mark for Dee Rangers Vets as they beat Newton Athletic Vets 8-2 and Howard Sellars, Paul Nicholas and Dave Tomlinson earned Nags Head Vets a 3-1 win over Tarvin Vets.