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CWFL Round Up Saturday 9th September 2017

There were many factors in play for the CWFL fixtures this week ranging from Cheshire Cup games, weather and a shortage of Match Officials resulting in some postponements.

In the **Cheshire FA Amateur Cup** Newton Athletic and Shaftesbury Youth both put on match winning performances by beating Styal FC and Deva Athletic respectively. Ben Woodman 2 and Lewis Davenport were the Newton scorers as they beat Cheshire League 1 side Styal with Shafts beating Deva, also of Cheshire League 1 thanks to strikes from Danny Whitehead 2 and John McGraa. MBNA and Higher Bebington Kelma did not fair quite as well as they lost 4-0 and 2-0 to Crewe FC and Broadheath Central. The ties for Helsby, Ellesmere Port and Princes Villa were postponed due to waterlogged pitches and have been rearranged for next week.

Chistleton Celtic are looking strong as they maintain the pressure on Shaftesbury Youth in the **CWFL Queensferry Sports Premier Division**. Celtic are sitting in second after a great 5-1 win over AFC ESSAR with goals coming from Rhys Dowington, Jay Gilmartin and man of the match Charlie Jones with a hattrick. Harry Beddows replied for ESSAR. Sutton Athletic also had a good day at the office as they beat the much fancied Franklyn's 3-2 with goals from Connor Doyle, Daniel Woodcock and Liam Brennan. Steve Rothwell and Colin Singleton were the Franklyn's scorers.

Clubbies are still aloft of the **CWFL Olympic Trophies Division One** after beating Chester Nomads III 2-0. Sam Hayes 2, Sam Carr and Joe Smith were the marksmen for Elton Athletic as they beat Chester Argyle (Wesley Sinclair and Macaulay Salter), 4-2. St Saviours could only manage a 1-1 draw when they met a resilient Hoole Rangers. Liam Wall was the Sav's scorer with Alec Hutchinson replying for Hoole. Adam Crimes 2, Adie Gough, Tom Richardson and Nial Peaker were all on the mark for Cestrian Alex as they dispatched FC UBER 5-1.

Ellesmere Port FC Reserves continue to dominate the **CWFL Link Up Division Two** with a powerful 8-1 win over Eastham Athletic (Kev Yates). Princes Villa reserves had Mike Hellon 3, Mark Bradshaw, Harry Corley and Josh Ledsham on target for their 6-3 win over Saughall Colts at Netherpool. Josh Pougé 2 and Carl Williams were the Saughall scorers. All other games in this division were called off due to the weather or shortage of match officials.

Jamie Roberts hit 4 for Dee Rangers Vets and Sam Kilmer added a fifth as they beat Upton JFC Vets 5-1 in the **CWFL Tarvin Precision Vets Division Two**. Elsewhere in this division Greg Bearsley scored a consolation for Higher Bebington Kelma Vets as they lost 4-1 at home to Nags Head Bunbury Vets, Richard Moss 3 and Sean Marshall their scorers.

Chester and District FA are shortly to hold a new Referee course. If interested please contact Liam Power on 07974 772095 or e-mail liam.power@yahoo.co.uk for details.







**Action shots of Sutton Athletic's win over Franklyn's FC.
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