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CWFL Round Up 3rd April 2021

The time has finally arrived and the return of grassroots football is with us once again. It was always built into the CWFL season plan to allow for a break in play due to the COVID-19 Pandemic and the fact that we are able to pick up our Open Age and Vets competitions where we left off pays testimony to our forethought. It was inevitable however that not every team would be able to continue and we are sorry to report that AFC Park North and Winsford Diamonds have both withdrawn from the 2020-2021 campaign with both of them looking at returning next season. Sadly, due to the model of our Flexi game, all divisions in this competition will become Null and Void, as there is simply no time to conclude them before the end of our affiliation in June. In the place of the league schedule we are running a mini cup competition to allow those teams who wish to continue the opportunity to do so. The CWFL management committee would like to place on record our thanks to everyone connected to our league for their support, patience and understanding during these unprecedented times. The future for the CWFL looks incredibly strong with applications for the 2021-2022 season already coming in. We also have new opportunities to expand on our Flexi divisions for later on in the year with further formats of the game to be disclosed in the near future.

In the **CWFL Queensferry Sports Premier Division** St Saviours returned to action with a 3-1 derby win over Ellesmere Port. Goals from Luke Edwards 2 and Luke Quilliam keep the Sav's 4 points clear of second placed Unitor AFC who had Chris Hill to thank for their goal in a 1-0 win over Blacon Youth. Tom Anderson and Ryan Bailey were on the score sheet for Groves Athletic as they drew 2-2 with Shaftesbury Youth whose scorers were Tom Taff and Will Greenleas.

Cestrian Alex remain top of the **CWFL Olympic Trophies Championship A** after a 4-0 win over Hoole Rovers with goals from Adam Crimes, Elliot Davies, Will Balance and Adie Graves. Josh Leach, Dan Burns and Connor Howley were the scorers for Hoole Rangers in their 3-1 win over Chester Nomads III. The game between Christleton and Helsby Reserves was abandoned after a serious injury to a Helsby player, we wish him a speedy and full recovery.

In **CWFL Olympic Trophies Championship B** Jamie Hurworth hit a brace for Black Horse in the 2-0 win over FC Duddon Utd. Chris Varney 2, Josh Jones, Billy Fennell and Jordan Andrews all netted for Waggon & Horses in their 5-0 win at Neston Nomads. Runcorn Sports beat Orange Athletic 6-1 with goals courtesy of Josh Harper 2, Will McGee, George Rimmer, David McNamara and Steve Butler. Rick Burns replied for Orange. Poulton Vics and Rossmore Rangers drew 2-2.

Capenhurst Villa Vets got their season back on track with a fine 5-2 win over Higher Bebington Kelma Vets in the **CWFL Tarvin Precision Vets Division 1** with goals from Ian Armstrong, Carl Ngiam, Carl Hodges, Anthony Ashton and Ian Forrester. Mike Ryan replied for Kelma. Ellesmere Port FC Vets enjoyed a 5-1 win over Neston Nomads Vets.