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The Round-Up

- Midweek Action -

Bitton brought an end to their two-match losing run on Tuesday night, coming from behind to beat Shepton Mallet 2-1 in the Premier Division.

Following a goalless first half, it was the away side who went ahead on the hour mark, with Joel Sisson's low cross finding Jack Fillingham who tucked the ball home.

Bitton responded well, and managed to get back on level terms having trailed for just four minutes, with a free kick finding the head of Callum Ball who nodded home.

The hosts continued to push forward, and scored the winning goal 20 minutes from time, when an excellent cross from Joe McLennan picked out Jack Ball, with his headed finish proving too hot to handle.

The points were shared in the only First Division clash on Tuesday, with local rivals Wincanton and Gillingham drawing 2-2.

Wincanton will be the happier of the sides, with goals from Conor Williams and Louis Irwin helping them claim a share of the spoils after they had trailed 2-0 late in the first half following an early brace from Gillingham's Aaron Lane-Leney.

- Premier Division -

Tavistock regained top spot in the table following a thumping 7-0 win away at Bridport.

The hosts proved a tough nut to crack, but having held out for the entirety of the first half, they succumbed to a Luke Brown strike soon after the break and the floodgates soon opened.

It was Liam Pryn who did most of the damage, with the Lambs front-man providing an

outstanding second half performance which saw him score four times in a 30-minute spell. There were also second half goals for the Josh's, Parry and Grant, as Tavistock rolled to their tenth league win of the campaign.

Bitton slipped up slightly at home to Helston, squandering a winning position at the break before eventually drawing one apiece.

Having seen winger Josh Egan miss a fifth minute penalty, Bitton rebounded well, with Jack Ball firing home from outside the box after quarter of an hour.

The hosts remained in front until midway through the second half, before Stu Bowker produced a moment of magic to bag a point for the Cornish outfit. There was late drama at Trungle Parc where Mousehole showed no ill effects from last Saturday's heavy defeat by beating Clevedon Town 3-2.

Having gone in front through Mark Goldsworthy after ten minutes, the hosts soon found themselves on the back foot following a quickfire double from Clevedon duo Archie Ferris and Callum Kingdon.

Mousehole got the all-important leveller on the hour mark through Hayden Turner, and then with just five minutes left on the clock, they stole all three points when Callan McConie fired home the dramatic winner.

Saltash keeper Ryan Rickard produced a penalty save in the closing stages to preserve his sides tight 1-0 victory away at Shepton Mallet. A Sam Farrant free kick after 32 minutes was the only goal of the game, but Mallet were awarded a late spot kick to grab a share of the points, only for Rickard to deny Jack Fillingham from 12 yards.

Street were also victorious away from home, with a brace from Harry Foster helping them come from behind to beat Ashton & Backwell



Action from Bridport vs Tavistock. Image courtesy of Richard Palette



Action from Wellington's clash with Bridgwater United.



Mousehole v Clevedon Town



Action from Bristol Telephones v Welton Rovers. Picture by Mark Pille.

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United by two goals to one. Cadbury Heath were another side to prevail by the same 2-1 scoreline, as they held off a late charge from Millbrook to remain ahead of their visitors in 16th spot.

The Heath made an outstanding start to the game, and having gone ahead in the opening stages through Matt Huxley, they soon doubled their tally with Harry Goldspink making it 2-0 after only 12 minutes.

The two-goal advantage remained for the majority of the match, with Millbrook only threatening to steal a point late on when Ryan Knight headed home in the final few moments.

A second half charge from Bridgwater United led them to a 3-0 win away at Wellington, stretching their winning run in the league to three matches.

Following 57 goalless minutes, George King finally broke the deadlock, after linking up well with teammate Adnan Hiroli before slotting home.

An amazing long-range lob from Tom Llewellyn made it 2-0 to the visitors ten minutes later, before Jack Taylor tucked home a stoppage time penalty at the second time of asking to complete the scoring. Ilfracombe Town are now up into fourth after defeating fellow top-half side Keynsham 3-1 down in Devon.

All four goals came after the interval, with Liam Short scoring either side of a Jordan Metters effort to give Ilfracombe a 2-1 lead heading into the final few minutes.

With the game still on a knife-edge, Ollie Stevens added a late third for the home side to help them grab their eighth win of the campaign.

Unfortunately the clash between Exmouth Town and Brislington was abandoned during the first half following a serious injury to Bris forward Kieron Proctor.

- First Division -

Welton Rovers' brilliant start to the campaign shows no sign up slowing up, and they have now accumulated a 15-point lead atop

the division following a 5-2 win over Bristol Telephones.

The hosts were far from a pushover, but whenever they threatened a fightback, Welton had all the answers, running out easy winners thanks in part to Jack Slocombe's first half double.

Lewis Russell had opened the scoring inside two minutes, with Slocombe then scoring twice before Joe Garland and Jacob Watson added further goals for the undefeated visitors after the break.

Rovers weren't the biggest scorers on the day, with that honour belonging to Wincanton Town who defeated Bishop Sutton by six goals to nil.

After Louis Irwin had put the hosts ahead in the tenth minutes, Cam Vere then scored his first goal for the club to double their advantage just before the half hour mark.

Cam Allen then curled home a third for the home side, before Dan Wise's penalty in first half injury time ended any chance of a competitive final 45 minutes. Town finally added a fifth thanks to a bundled finish from Gary Chapman, with Allen saving the best for last, nutmegging his marker before unleashing a 40-yard strike into the top left corner.

There was a rare win for bottom-side Devizes, who closed the gap on those in the lower reaches of the table thanks to a 3-2 victory away at Hengrove.

In what was a tight affair throughout, goals from Beaven Cross and a Stuart Windsor penalty saw Town lead 2-1 at the interval, before Dan Sibley added a third to close out the much-needed victory.

Longwell Green Sports were another side to secure a crucial three points, with James Horrocks' 19th minute penalty and a late Alex Grimshaw header helping them beat ten-man Bishops Lydeard 2-0 to jump up three places to 17th.

Odd Down made it back-to-back wins at home to Portishead, after goals from Raphael Waugh, Luke Bryan and Omar Simpson helped them

complete a 3-1 victory.

The home side were also on top at Radstock, where Jack Hopper and Craig Sheppard were both on target in their 2-0 win over Gillingham. There was an entertaining 2-2 draw between Boco and Lebeq in Bristol, while Sherborne made it back-to-back 1-1 draws after coming from behind to deny Tytherington.

The Rocks were in position to secure all three points thank to Max Wilding's 18th minute opener, but they were dragged back by the Zebras for whom Alex Murphy levelled early in the second half.

Cheddar ended a seven-match winless run in all competitions, scoring four times in a ten-

minute blitz at the end of the first half to beat Almondsbury 4-2.

Things weren't looking great for the Cheesemen after Joe White tapped home for the visitors after 20 minutes, but they soon sparked into life once Ollie Hucker volleyed them level on the half-hour mark.

An own goal soon overturned the earlier deficit, before a quickfire brace from Robbi Maggs five minutes before the interval saw the hosts suddenly lead by four goals to one.

Andrew Williams struck 13 minutes from time for the Almonds, but that was as close as they got, bringing an abrupt end to their two-match winning streak.

- Leading Goalscorers -

Premier Division

Dean Griffiths (Bitton) - 18

Jack Taylor (Bridgwater) -17

Liam Pryn (Tavistock) - 16

First Division

Bailey Croome (Tytherington) - 16

Oaklan Buck (Bishop Sutton) 14

Luke Bryan (Odd Down) - 13

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The advertisement features a yellow t-shirt hanging on a wooden hanger against a white tiled wall. The t-shirt has 'TOOLSTATION' written across the chest, '500+' in large blue numbers, and 'UK BRANCHES' below it. To the left of the t-shirt is a yellow and blue soccer ball with 'TS' on it, and a pair of blue and yellow soccer cleats. A red banner at the bottom right contains the text 'VISIT TOOLSTATION.COM TO FIND YOUR NEAREST BRANCH'. The Toolstation logo and tagline 'TOOLS AND MORE FOR ANY TASK' are at the bottom.

Latest Results & Fixtures

Tuesday 12th October 2021

Premier Division

Bitton 2-1 Shepton Mallet - 117

First Division

Wincanton Town 2-2 Gillingham Town

Saturday 16th October 2021

Premier Division

Ashton & Backwell United 1-2 Street - 77

Bitton 1-1 Helston Athletic - 105

Bridport 0-7 Tavistock - 130

Cadbury Heath 2-1 Millbrook - 59

Exmouth Town A-A Brislington

Ilfracombe Town 3-1 Keynsham Town - 109

Mousehole 3-2 Clevedon Town

Shepton Mallet 0-1 Saltash United - 176

Wellington 0-3 Bridgwater United - 213

First Division

AEK Boco 2-2 Lebeq United - 168

Bishops Lydeard 0-2 Longwell Green Sports

Bristol Telephones 2-5 Welton Rovers - 62

Cheddar 4-2 Almondsbury - 62

Hengrove Athletic 2-3 Devizes Town - 43

Odd Down 3-1 Portishead Town - 44

Radstock Town 2-0 Gillingham Town - 83

Tytherington Rocks 1-1 Sherborne Town

Wells City P-P Warminster Town

Wincanton Town 6-0 Bishop Sutton

Friday 22nd October

Premier Division

Bridgwater United vs Tavistock - 19:45

First Division

Longwell Green Sp vs Bristol T'phones - 19:30

Saturday 23rd October 2021

(3pm Kick off unless noted)

FA Vase

Ashton & Backwell Utd vs Bemerton Heath

Bitton vs New Milton Town

Brimscombe & Thrupp vs Welton Rovers

Brockenhurst vs Saltash United

Buckland Athletic vs Camelford

Cadbury Heath vs Hamworthy United

Millbrook vs Wellington

Mousehole vs Wells City

Newquay vs Keynsham Town

Oldland Abbotonians vs Helston Athletic

Tuffley Rovers vs Street

Premier Division

Clevedon Town vs Bridport

Saltash United vs Exmouth Town

Shepton Mallet vs Brislington

First Division

AEK Boco vs Warminster Town

Almondsbury vs Odd Down

Bishops Lydeard vs Portishead Town

Cheddar vs Devizes Town

Gillingham Town vs Hengrove Athletic

Lebeq United vs Bishop Sutton

Radstock Town vs Wincanton Town

Sherborne Town vs Tytherington Rocks

Latest League Tables

Premier Division

		P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Tavistock	15	10	2	3	19	32
2	Bitton	15	9	3	3	13	30
3	Buckland Athletic	14	8	3	3	19	27
4	Ilfracombe Town	13	8	1	4	5	25
5	Helston Athletic	13	6	6	1	16	24
6	Saltash United	13	7	3	3	10	24
7	Bridgwater United	13	7	2	4	16	23
8	Shepton Mallet	13	6	4	3	20	22
9	Keynsham Town	15	5	6	4	5	21
10	Mousehole	11	6	1	4	4	19
11	Exmouth Town	11	5	3	3	22	18
12	Street	14	5	1	8	-9	16
13	Brislington	12	5	0	7	-27	15
14	Clevedon Town	14	3	5	6	-1	14
15	Wellington	12	4	2	6	-7	14
16	Cadbury Heath	16	4	2	10	-18	14
17	Millbrook	13	2	3	8	-10	9
18	Ashton & Backwell United	12	2	1	9	-16	7
19	Bridport	15	1	0	14	-61	3

First Division

		P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Welton Rovers	15	13	2	0	24	41
2	Oldland Abbotonians	15	8	2	5	7	26
3	Radstock Town	15	7	5	3	3	26
4	AEK Boco	15	7	4	4	0	25
5	Sherborne Town	12	7	3	2	21	24
6	Warminster Town	14	7	3	4	10	24
7	Cheddar	14	7	3	4	2	24
8	Odd Down (BATH)	14	7	2	5	4	23
9	Tytherington Rocks	15	6	4	5	2	22
10	Wells City	14	5	5	4	7	20
11	Lebeq United	15	5	4	6	0	19
12	Bishop Sutton	14	5	4	5	-1	19
13	Gillingham Town	17	4	6	7	-8	18
14	Wincanton Town	13	4	3	6	9	15
15	Bristol Telephones	13	4	2	7	-5	14
16	Portishead Town	14	5	1	8	-5	13
17	Longwell Green Sports	11	3	3	5	-4	12
18	Hengrove Athletic	15	3	3	9	-16	12
19	Bishops Lydeard	12	3	2	7	-10	11
20	Almondsbury	13	3	1	9	-10	10
21	Devizes Town	14	2	2	10	-30	8

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