SUNDAY 16th APRIL 2017 HAYWARD SUNDAY LEAGUE ROUND UP

Mark Hart Sunday Senior Cup winners Talbot Rangers are champions of DIVISION ONE with two league games still to play. Rico Wilson scored the only goal of the game in their midweek success against East Christchurch SSC who they meet later this month in the M.A.Hart Robbins Cup Final. Wilson struck again when Rangers clinched the title with a 3-2 win over third placed Abbey with the other goals coming courtesy of Jamie Morgan and an own goal. This is a remarkable success story for a team who, five years ago, were finishing bottom of Division Nine, the lowest Division at that time.

Kinson Con were 3-2 winners against Bournemouth Electric during the week and it was an identical score in the return game on Sunday. Phil Midson struck twice with Kieron Mulvey also on target at Electric's Broadway ground with the Sparkies replying through Jason Coltman and Rob Stephen. Mulvey was also among the Kinson scorers in the return game at Fernheath Road along with Trevor Fisher and Jack Barton. Electric replied through Danny Saunders and Dave Taylor.

Vienna Suttoners are level on points with unbeaten DIVISION TWO pacesetters Poole Borough UAB after Jon Watt (2) and Luke McArdle gave them the edge 3-2 against third placed JPO Morgan.

Dan Lee bagged a hat-trick for Magpies and Pete Jones added another but East Christchurch SSC Reserves had the upper hand 6-4 thanks to Alex Whitehouse (2), Simon Mapstone (2), Callum Dickensen, and Dan Aitchison.

Tradecost Windows continued their pursuit of DIVISION THREE leaders AFC Stourvale with an 8-1 midweek triumph over Smokeys thanks to Aaron Stacey's five goal blast and further goals from Jordan Mann (2) and Ben Bosley. Sunday's game with AFC Fiveways was not quite so comfortable for Tradecost with Jordan Mann again bagging a brace and Aaron Stacey also on target in their 3-2 win over AFC Fiveways who replied through Ali Paton and Ian Marshall.

George Corbin netted for AFC Wimborne but bottom placed Shamrock surprised them 2-1 thanks to Jared Mugan and an own goal.

Meanwhile Shane Sheridan's strike for Bournemouth Electric Reserves was not enough to save them from a 3-1 defeat against Richmond Park Rangers whose goals came from Ryan Finch (2) and Dale Faulkner.

River Smith and Charlie Balmer both notched hat-tricks when Loch & Quay closed in on the DIVISION FOUR title thanks to a resounding 8-1 victory over Scott V with Ben Virabi and George Hatch adding one each.

Nearest rivals West Howe increased the gap between them and third placed Rossmore Mavericks by upending them 3-1 during the week with goals from Ritchie Whiting, Jordan Whittle, and Marston Wortley. Jordan Whittle then nabbed a hat-trick when West Howe slammed Marden Edwards Reserves 6-1 with Ryan Clarke, Antony Grieve, and Gareth Else adding one each.

Bottom placed Boscombe Celtic went down 3-0 to goals from Charlie Barnes, Dan Cook, and Levi Ridealgh against AFC Burton Reserves during the week and, despite goals from Rob Daniels and Patrick Gormley, Celtic were beaten 3-2 in their final game of the season by West Mullen whose goals came from Dan Warrilow, Jack Dunne, and Scott Turner. Boscombe Celtic deserve great credit for fulfilling every one of their fixtures despite not having won a single game all season.

Canford Rovers netted through Zak Blackburn (2), Ricky Miles, and Ryan Stacey in DIVISION SIX but Poole Borough UAB Reserves outgunned them 8-4 courtesy of Sam Carter's four goal blast and further goals from Conor Jevon, Curtis Harrison, Mark Johnson, and legendary elder statesman Paul Harding.

Brad Connell scored all five goals to give Branksome Park Athletic the upper hand 5-3 against Avon Social during the week but Connell's double strike on Sunday was not enough to save the tailenders from a 4-2 defeat against JP Morgan Reserves who netted through Lloyd Wallen (2), Pete May, and an own goal.

Stuart MacFarlan and Lee Hinton struck for Longfleet but they suffered an unexpected reverse when Parkstone Athletic emerged 3-2 winners thanks to Luke Grimason and a couple of goals from Sam Broom.