



Toe The Oche

Going for a Burton... BIG time!

Fixture Week 11

27th November 2008

"I forgot to read Toe The Oche last week, someone gave me a new stick."

Graham, whose Brain Hurts



The Princess and the Tie

Well, surprise surprise! This week, the league's two top-scoring teams engaged in battle in a small, warm friendly traditional pub in Woking (kerching!) and, after the sparks disappeared and the smoke cleared, neither team satisfied with the even scoreline.

The *Rhodrons* got off to a good start in the singles after

drawing the pairs, a 116 checkout from the *Princess*' Rev. Green putting him on the brink of beating Lionel Sams, but a 116 finish back and a 12-dart deciding leg from the Lion put the visitors up. Ian Long evened out the scoreline with a solid performance, and Ronnie Godbeer duly put the visitors back in the lead. However, wins from Wilf,

Evo and Deadly Doug put *Princess* close to victory, only Jimmy Mann's composure on doubles saving the league leaders. Mark Walsh then dutifully put in a MoM-winning performance to rescue a *Rhodrons* draw.

Worcester Park Athletic continued to rescue

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Results - Week 11

Princess 6 (20 Legs) Ave 24.55 Rhodrons 6 (17 Legs) Ave 25.05
Salfords 7 (19 Legs) Ave 24.40 Metropole 5 (18 Legs) Ave 23.79
Golden Lion 'A' 4 (18 Legs) Ave 21.36 WPAC 8 (21 Legs) Ave 21.42
Freeholders 5 (17 Legs) Ave 21.21 Golden Lion 7 (19 Legs) Ave 21.65
Fairlands 4 (10 Legs) Ave 22.63 WWMC 'C' 8 (22 Legs) Ave 23.53
Federation 3 (13 Legs) Ave 22.41 Park Barn 9 (22 Legs) Ave 23.63

Men of the Match

This Week

- Mark Walsh
31.31
- Matt Sunley
29.47
- Robbie Stroud
29.47
- Richard McLaughlin
26.74
- Gary Creamer
26.23
- Keith Benson
25.79

Week 11 Fastest Legs

- Lionel Sams 12
- Mark Walsh 13
- Gary Creamer 14
- Gary Eastwood 14
- Richard McLaughlin 14
- Alex Obalim 14

Week 11 High Ton Points

- Lionel Sams 18
- Doug Harwood, Jimmy Mann, Mark Walsh, Carl Ramsey 14

Week 12 Fixtures

<i>Golden Lion</i>	v	<i>Salfords</i>
<i>Metropole</i>	v	<i>Fairlands</i>
<i>WWMC 'C'</i>	v	<i>WWMC</i>
<i>WPAC</i>	v	<i>Princess</i>
<i>Rhodrons</i>	v	<i>Federation</i>
<i>Park Barn</i>	v	<i>Freeholders</i>
<i>Golden Lion 'A'</i>	-	<i>BYE</i>

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Salfords back on track, Federation fazed

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themselves from the clutches of the bottom of the table by earning an 8-4 win over the **Lion A**. Benson got the visitors off to a good start with a MoM-winning performance, and T.C. jumped in for an injured Steve Lovett to dispatch with Tubes. Carl Ramsey, Lee Williams and Dave Cook won to cement a win that lifts WPAC a little further up the table.

Park Barn made the trip to Epsom well worth their while after taking nine points and a win from the **Fed**. Ian Jopling was best for the home side,

with Rob Feeley, Wayne Jeffery, Ryan Hitchens and Rockin' Robin also winning after the visitors cleaned up 4-0 in the pairs. Matt Sunley found some classic form by taking his second MoM this season.

Salfords returned to winning ways this week, earning a 7-5 win over the **Mets**. Wayne Thurlow and Roger Kitching won well for the Mets, but victory in the pairs and a MoM performance from Jugs helped the Redhill side triumph.

The **Freeholders** put on a show for the **Golden Lion**, but the visitors were too strong for the Farncombe side. John

Gray and Andy Nye again produced fine wins for the home side, but several close singles went the Lion's way. A classic performance from Gary Creamer saw him take MoM for the visitors.

Walton 'C' grabbed another win to keep them in the top four, this week at the expense of **Fairlands**. A strong Walton side took 6 of the 8 singles, including strong wins from John Jenkinson and Paul Neate, but it was Robbie Stroud who was best for the home side, taking man-of-the-match with a 29.47 to give his season a kick start.

TTO Notices

SURREY V CAMBRIDGESHIRE

This weekend Surrey are hosting Cambridgeshire at Worcester Park Royal British Legion, Central Road, Worcester Park, and are looking to get their campaign back on track with a second home win. Please come down to support the county squad and enjoy a good day out.

Thanks are due to all those that helped out at last weekend's youth county game, in which Surrey beat Devon 9-8.

SUPER LEAGUE EGM

Six teams were represented last Sunday for a meeting regarding several issues. A copy of the minutes will be made available shortly.

*It was agreed with those present that **The Metropole** be told that they will not be allowed to cancel a game again due to holidays. Ever. Ever ever.*



Out and about with

Toe The Oche

THIS WEEK: THE GOLDEN LION, CROYDON

On our travels around Surrey, Toe The Oche has seen many quirks, oddities and general laugh-out-loud funny happenings. Last week one of our intrepid reporters in Croydon discovered one of our very own super league players has embarked on a part-time career in advertising alcoholic drinks. "Whatever Ben Burton decides to do to earn something extra to cover those competition entry fees, that's up to him", said one Golden Lion regular (who wishes to remain anonymous). A representative from the Irish-based brewer has stated that his firm is "overjoyed" to sign Mr Burton, and that he "fits in perfectly" with the company's image. There are unconfirmed reports that Ben is planning to play in Germany this weekend in black clothes and a white wig as part of the deal, but sadly he was unavailable to comment.

How Did You Play?

Princess 6 v Rhodrons 6

Reverend Green (25.09) 2, Lionel Sams (28.93) 3
 Longman (25.91) 3, Grant Firmager (20.61) 0
 Hoocheye (24.09) 2, Ronnie Goodgear (26.80) 3
 Wilf (24.62) 3, Tiller The Ton (22.04) 1
 Paul Evo (21.17) 3, JR Roberts (21.02) 1
 Deadly Doug (26.90) 3, Spike Harris (25.46) 1
 Unob (25.24) 2, Jimmy Mann (24.23) 3
 Fen Tiger (23.39) 0, Mark Walsh (31.31) 3

Golden Lion 'A' 4 v WPAC 8

Benson (25.79) 3, Alex Obalim (23.62) 1
 Darryl Pilgrim (19.43) 2, Ding-dong Bell (17.74) 3
 The Manager (22.72) 3, Tubes (23.04) 1
 Alan Thorpe (21.72) 2, Neil MacLaren (20.55) 3
 The Hannibal (22.07) 3, Phil Robertson (21.79) 1
 Dave Webb (20.42) 2, Carlos Ramjet (25.40) 3
 Martin Putt (22.80) 2, Nut-nut Williams (22.12) 3
 Rennie Young (15.94) 0, Dave Cook (17.08) 3

Fairlands 4 v WVMC 'C' 8

Robbie Stroud (29.47) 3, Dave Horan (19.23) 0
 Bertie Bassett (22.70) 0, John Jenks (25.47) 3
 Ade Ridgers (21.69) 0, Paul Neate (25.91) 3
 Vince Harmless (18.60) 1, Dave Martin (19.38) 3
 Henry Keet (17.27) 0, Andy Partridge (24.24) 3
 Lee Wells (25.76) 3, Mark Sweetland (25.56) 2
 Alan Edge (20.83) 0, Ron Gorrie (23.86) 3
 Mark Buddy (24.68) 1, Phil Wathen (24.61) 3

Salfords 7 v Metropole 5

Chico Mead (24.62) 2, Neville Wright (22.75) 3
Jugs (26.74) 3, Gary Eastwood (26.87) 2
 The Enemy (22.68) 0, Andy Rutter (24.64) 3
 Kevin Shaw (22.94) 0, Wayne Thurlow (24.24) 3
 Dustsheet (25.20) 2, Roger Kitching (25.00) 3
 Hug-a-Burton (24.34) 3, Darrell Hollis (21.09) 1
 Dave Askew (25.47) 3, Alan Yates (21.56) 0
 Alan Colgate (23.20) 3, Ben Walford (24.18) 2

Freeholders 5 v Golden Lion 7

Doug Tunner (20.03) 1, Razor Elnaugh (21.14) 3
 Nick Sherwin (20.53) 1, Slippers (22.84) 3
 Alan Brown (20.45) 3, Porno Pete (19.66) 1
 Dave Wye (23.33) 2, Gary Creamer (26.23) 3
 Si McGuinness (17.17) 0, Bigfoot (20.59) 3
 John Gray (22.09) 3, Phil Brindley (18.35) 1
 Mick Champion (20.18) 3, Merry Mick (20.59) 2
 Andy Nye (25.91) 3, Batty (23.78) 0

Federation 3 v Park Barn 9

Bones (21.06) 2, Rockin' Robin (22.55) 3
Matt Sunley (29.47) 3, Bobby Ball (26.90) 0
 Bernard Byrne (22.20) 0, Bobby F (26.37) 3
 Olive Oyle (20.59) 3, Young Muvvers (18.38) 2
 Wrong-bed (21.77) 2, Wayne Jeffery (22.90) 3
 The Kazernator (21.96) 0, Joppers (28.36) 3
 Ton Up Tony (20.95) 3, Phil Smith (20.79) 1
 Micky Eden (21.30) 0, Flyin' Ryan (22.77) 3

Dear Toe The Oche

Dear Toe The Oche, I need your wisdom TTO as I am a wreck after a recent night out. Let me tell you the full story, I trust you to be discreet. Last Saturday I spent a wonderful evening in Horsham with my friend Danny (whoops, I forgot to change his name but what the heck, I know you won't tell). We were having such a good night that we missed the last train home and as the cab fare was £70 Danny suggested we go to his friend's house nearby. He wasn't in and it was bitterly cold so our only option was to break into the garage and sleep under some dustsheets where we cuddled up together for warmth. Since then, TTO, I've been in bits. WE BROKE INTO SOMEONE ELSE'S PROPERTY, that's bad isn't it? We could be classed as criminals ... but I can live with that. It's just that since then, he won't call, he doesn't write ... 'Sajid', Redhill.



Sajid: Pining

TTO Says: Poor Sajid, you don't seem to have much luck, do you? I seem to remember that you wrote to 'Dear TTO' in Week 7 of last year. Something about your equipment not being appreciated? Oh, I see, it's the same problem again. You must be more forceful Sajid, it's clear you were duped into Danny's garage and dustsheets fetish ... next time, insist on your favoured skip and black bin bags.