

Late McVittie goal saves United's face

CAMBRIDGE UNITED 3, CORBY 3.

A WELL TAKEN headed goal by Matt McVittie five minutes before the end salvaged a Midland Floodlit League point for Cambridge United after it looked as if Corby would leave Newmarket Road with all the spoils.

The goal came after three minutes of frenzied home pressure that produced more action and excitement than the rest of the game put together.

For much of the match the U's had fumbled and never looked likely to score while the sick moving Corby attack always threatened whenever they moved upfield.

Generally, the home side's performance was disappointing. They were their first home game in two weeks and gave little to cheer the supporters. There were only three of Saturday's team on view and they were playing out of position but following the display against Chelmsford a fortnight ago the fans had hoped for something better.

Tonight's soccer

Inter-Cities Fairs Cup - First Round, second leg: Manchester United v. Djurgardens (Stockholm) 7.30.
Division Three: Brentford v. Hull City, 7.30; Bristol Rovers v. Gillingham, 7.30; Carlisle United v. Walsall, 7.30.
Division Four: Bradford v. Millwall, 7.30; Halifax Town v. York City, 7.30.
Scottish League, Division One: St. Mirren v. Rangers, 7.30.

ing and finally, McVittie leaping high above the defences to head home the equaliser.

Corby, who play in the Southern League's First Division, were the first to settle down and they almost took the lead with an own goal by Kelly in the seventh minute. The centre half tried to head back to Smith but the ball went well wide of the keeper, who left his goal-line. Kelly recovered quickly and he chased back to hook the ball off the line.

Unexpected lead

United took the lead completely against the run of play in the 33rd minute. Parson missed a long pass by Day and Randall was able to break clear and give Alexander no chance with a fierce shot.

After the interval the visitors were level with five minutes when Stenhouse scored from a very narrow angle following a right wing corner.

Half-time: One each.
After the interval the visitors looked more settled, but within three minutes of the restart United took the lead when Payne, 20 yards from goal saw the goalkeeper out of position and carefully lobbed the ball over him into the net.
Corby equalised and took the lead in the space of three minutes when Curran and Jagger scored, but with five minutes to go McVittie saved United's face when he headed home Green's cross with Alexander again out of position.
United: Smith, Boggs, Jones, Lawrence, Kelly, Payne, Whitmore, Day, Randall, McVittie, Green.



Matt McVittie, Cambridge United's inside left, heads a late equaliser against Corby at Newmarket Road last night. Alexander in the visiting goal, was out of position as Green crossed the ball and McVittie leapt high to head home.

Perse win dour struggle

Perse School 9, The Leys 6
After an initial burst by both sides this local "Derby" settled down to be a ding-dong battle.
N. Martin kicked a 40 yard penalty for Perse but the Leys replied with a penalty scored by P. Poyten. Before half-time Perse scored again when Oon caught a miss-kick and ran 40 yards to touch down in the corner.
The Leys equalised again after the interval following a mazy down the three quarters, but late in the game the ball was held in the scrum and Perse won a penalty for offside which Martin kicked to give his side victory.

Billiards and snooker in the district

NEWMARKET AND DISTRICT LEAGUE
Ely Conservatives "A" v. Cheveley Road "B"
Results (Ely names first):
Billiards: V. Broker 100, D. Game 74; G. King 100, H. Marshall 87.
Snooker: L. Cummins 66, J. Hodgkins 33; T. R. Morton 45, H. Mace 49; A. G. Morton 60 C. Hace 31.

Exning Un. "B" v. Ely Conservative "B"
Results (Exning names first):
Billiards: K. Pringle 100, L. W. Platt 83; S. Timms 100, W. Nicholas 62.
Snooker: J. Kelly 32, J. T. Gooch 45; M. Woodbridge 35, D. Jackson 59; T. Mann 55, J. W. Haynes 44.

MARCH BILLIARDS LEAGUE
Ely Cons. "A" 900, March U.S.C. "A" 686
Results (Ely names first):
G. Ling 150, H. Laws 127; V. Broker 60, D. Laws 113; W. Nicholas 150, P. Marriott 92; L. W. Platt 150, D. Clenshaw 138; E. W. Chambers 150, R. Speed 109; A. G. Morton 150, C. Pillington 107.

WISBECH "B" 707
Results (Wisbech names first):
E. Bass 150, J. W. Haynes 142; M. Tawn 150, D. Jackson 100; R. Meyers 131, T. R. Morton 150; A. V. Burrows 144, J. T. Gooch 150; A. Bunting 150, 60; T. Bunting 150, B. Leonard 96.

Sawston show clean pair of heels

Sawston II are showing the rest of the teams in the Cambridge and District Youth Snooker League a clean pair of heels and are now five frames ahead of favourites N.C.I. Sawston's 7-1 victory over Bechives sees the latter still without a win while N.C.I. could only draw with Sawston II. Romsey Labour also without a victory crashed 7-1 at home to W.M.C. Highest break was almost equalled by R. Webber, of Sawston seniors, whose 22 was only one short of the break scored by L. O'Dell of W.M.C. last week.

Results: Romsey Labour 1; W.M.C. 7; N.C.I. 4, Sawston II 4; Sawston I 7, Bechives 1.
Secretaries of all clubs are reminded that the closing date for the individual billiards and snooker competitions is Saturday, October 31.

City's Wilmott Cup team

Cambridge City, who have been drawn against Stymmeret in the first round of the Wilmott Table Tennis Cup on Friday, October 30, will be represented by the following team: Keith Chapman (Press), Alan Under (Y.M.C.A.), Ron Nunn (Press).

Cup shock for St. Neots Res.

St. Neots cut back the Avenue's goal lead and were two-one at the interval. They started the second half with some good attacking football and seemed set for the next round.
But they slumped when Bedford fought back to equalise. Inside-right Dennis Jones who had scored both the St. Neots goals in the first half was the only danger to Bedford.
When Hunt got the winner 15 minutes from time St. Neots turned the pressure on but it was too late.

Sawston, Waterbeach move into next round of Creake Shield

HARSTON 2, SAWSTON U. 5.
SAWSTON UNITED went into the next round of the Creake Charity Shield after being a goal down in the second period following a first period when Harston equalised to share the honours at the interval.
It was Sheldford who gave the United the lead with a fierce drive early in the game, but the home side did not give in and Northrop took advantage of a mistake by defender Ingham.

Harston had most of the chances early in the second half and D. Stoker had an incredible miss from only two yards before player-coach H. Downes put Sawston in the lead for a second time.
This goal was followed by a

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Having no league match, Techne took a team to Whittlesford for a friendly and the home side gained sweet revenge for a defeat inflicted earlier in the season.
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The second half was even, too, especially as both teams missed a penalty. It was not until the final minute that Whittlesford gained their two goals advantage.

GIRTON EAGLES 8, CAMBRIDGE CASUALS 1.

Despite the Casuals taking an early lead it was not long before the Eagles found their scoring touch and by the interval they were leading 4-1 through goals by Barnes (2) Evans and Scott.
Girton's young side again did well in the second half when Barnes added two more goals and others were added by Scott and Brylewski who too headed into his own net.

MILTON RESERVES 2, BALSHAM 1.

Both sides fielded promising youngsters in this match and at the interval honours were even through goals by Milton's Bob Harrower and the Balsbam left winger.
Experience in defence gave Milton the edge in the second half, and after 70 minutes left back Bill Cooper beat two men to get the winner.

ICKNIELD C.C. 2, ST. ANDREW'S YOUTH RES. 4.

The young Saints played well in the first half but were unable to score. At the interval arrived without any goals.
They made up for it later when they went into a four goals lead over Icknield, who could never really match their cracking pace. All the Saints' goals were scored by centre forward Graham Saunders, to give him a personal tally of nine in five games.

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