

Ross 1st XI v Lansdown 'A'

Stats

Date	For	Against	Venue	Fixture	SHM MOTM
16/01/10	4	1	away	league	Luke Ward

Scorers

Name	Adrian Williams	Phil Evans	Matt Saunders
Goals	1	2	1

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Ross 1st XI start 2010 looking confident

Ross travelled away to play Lansdown A and looked confident of a win, the home team had other intentions, which showed as soon as Ross started, Lansdown A wanted to cause as much trouble as possible. The first half kept both teams busy in defence with Luke Ward, Richard Jennison, Dave Skyrme, and Jack Wilkinson working hard keeping the Lansdown attackers at bay, with Andy Ridgway being called into action more than he would of liked. The attackers Adrian Williams and Geraint Morris struggled to score with all the attempts being defended well by the opposition. With neither team managing to take the lead both side were starting to become unnerved, the home team had a few chances on goal being awarded 2 short corners in quick succession, Ross managed to defend well and thwart both attempts. In the end it was the half time whistle that ended the stalemate.

When Ross returned to the pitch they had a different approach and determined to take the lead, with Williams giving his team that boost early on from his reverse stick shot which screamed into the goal. Ross were now out in front and hungry for more. The midfielders, Tom Walton, Sam Warner, Nick Clarke, Kristian Franklin and Matt Saunders helped attacker Phil Evans to claim a goal shortly after. Ross were then called back to defend another short corner, once again the home team couldn't score. With both teams starting to tire, Ross managed to get a short corner and Saunders found himself a neat spot and grabbed a goal for himself. Lansdown A had a few more short corners but still no goals for them, becoming more agitated they started to make mistakes and before long Evans was claiming his second goal after being left unmarked. Finally the home side retaliated rallying up one last attack and claiming a goal in the dying seconds of the game. The final whistle blew leaving the final score at 4-1, this keeps Ross top of Hereford & Gloucester Division 1.

Luke Ward was awarded the South Hereford Motorcaravan Centre Ltd Man of the Match for his great defensive teamwork and scorching runs up & down the pitch.

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Hereford & Glos. Division 1

	Pl	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Points	
1 Ross-on-Wye	13	10	2	1	67	17	50	32	
2 Stroud A	13	9	1	3	57	27	30	28	
3 Lansdown A	13	9	1	3	44	23	21	28	
4 Cirencester A	12	8	1	3	43	24	19	25	
5 Gloucester City B	13	7	1	5	40	34	6	22	
6 Newent A	12	6	1	5	44	29	15	19	
7 Hereford A	12	6	1	5	30	30	0	19	
8 Sherborne	12	5	1	6	39	41	-2	16	
9 Leominster A	12	2	3	7	32	53	-21	9	
10 Cheltenham C	12	2	1	9	19	41	-22	7	
11 Lansdown B	12	1	1	10	16	57	-41	4	
12 Lydney A	12	2	0	10	19	74	-55	3	**

** Lydney A 03/10 - -3 points, Ref: Match 2567 Match awarded by the RSC (3 points deducted)

Last Week's Confirmed Results

16/01/10

Lansdown A 1 - 4 Ross-on-Wye
Stroud A 5 - 0 Gloucester City B

Outstanding Results

16/01/10 Cheltenham C v Lydney A
16/01/10 Sherborne v Cirencester A

Next Week's Matches

23/01/10

Cirencester A v Lansdown A
Gloucester City B v Hereford A
Lansdown B v Stroud A
Leominster A v Sherborne
Lydney A v Newent A
Ross-on-Wye v Cheltenham C

TEAM SHEET

Tom Walton (C)

Sam Warner

Andy Ridgway

Adrian Williams

Luke Ward

Richard Jennison

Jack Wilkinson

Dave Skyrme

Geraint Morris

Matt Saunders

Kristian Franklin

Nick Clarke

Phil Evans