

News briefly

**Tigers find their bite again**

KINGSBURY LONDON TIGERS returned to form with a 2-0 win over Haringey Borough on Saturday in the South Midlands Premier Division. Kye Davies impressed on his return from injury by firing them into the lead. The hosts sealed the points when Edson Cata scored a brilliant goal after a run from inside his own half.

**Wood back to winning ways**

NORTHWOOD secured a 3-1 victory over Tilbury in Ryman One North on Saturday. Goals from Sean Sonner, Otis Williams and Danny Murphy fired them to the win which sent the hosts up to ninth in the table. Wood travel to rock-bottom Witham Town on Saturday.

**Scrum problem hits Harrow**

HARROW RFC's game against Hemel Hempstead was abandoned after 25 minutes on Saturday because they ran out of front row replacements. Hooker Martin O'Neill was injured and with no one to bring on it was called off. Any props interested in joining the club should call 07725 217110.

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## Shroot tracked by Posh

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HIGHLY-RATED Harrow Borough striker Robin Shroot is a transfer target for Peterborough after their director of football Barry Fry watched him hit a stunning winner at the weekend.

The 19-year-old celebrated his call-up to the Northern Ireland Under-21 squad by firing Boro to a 2-1 win over Dartford on Saturday in the Ryman Premiership. The victory was their first at home since March and lifted them off the bottom of the table.

Shroot has made a big impression since returning from a knee operation and has netted three goals in four games. His form convinced Fry to take a closer look and a number of non-league clubs including Wealdstone have also shown an interest in him.

But Boro manager David Howell is convinced Shroot has the talent to break into the professional game claiming he is one of the best youngsters he has worked with.

Howell said: "Albert Adomah [now at Barnet] was an explosive talent who got people off their feet. But Robin does it in a different way. He has great control and technique. Robin is very skillful and a natural footballer."

"Barry came to watch him and left at half-time so didn't see his goal. But I spoke to him afterwards and he was so impressed by what he saw he didn't need to stay long."

"Robin's attitude is spot on and he just wants to play football. He knew he was being watched but he didn't get nervous. It didn't make any difference."

"If he is here at Christmas I will be very happy but if he is gone I will also be happy."

Shroot's sublime winner came after Boro had fallen behind to a first-half goal. But they recovered, as substitute Kurt Morlese equalised with a close-range finish midway through the second half.

Boro's next target is to climb above fellow strugglers Margate by winning at their rivals on Saturday afternoon.



Harrow Borough manager David Howell is adamant Robin Shroot can make the step up to professional football.  
Picture: Pippa Douglas

## Striker set for Stones move

WEALDSTONE are on the verge of signing young striker Greg Ngoyi from Leyton.

The 21-year-old forward was top scorer for Edgware last season and his arrival is set to enhance the Stones attack.

His move comes after Gavin James' loan spell ended and the striker returned to Blue Square South club Maidenhead United.

Wealdstone manager Gordon Bartlett said: "Greg is quick, enthusiastic and he is a proven goalscorer."

"With Gavin, I felt that he wouldn't necessarily be in the team and we couldn't afford someone who was not starting. I was looking for a long term answer."

Another player who has left Grosvenor Vale is Mark Boyce. The experienced defender has failed to earn a regular place in the side since joining from Uxbridge in the summer, after injury setbacks, and Bartlett decided he could not afford to keep him at the club.

The Stones earned their third consecutive win in the Ryman Premier on Saturday after Chris O'Leary's goal gave them a 1-0 victory at Heybridge Swifts.

The result moves Wealdstone up to 12th in the division but they face a tricky run of games, starting on Saturday, when they entertain Maidstone United.

Bartlett said: "We have four very tough games coming up facing sides above us in the table. If we can come out of them with some decent results it will look very good."

"These games are going to tell us how good our foundations are for the second half of the season."

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