

What have Capello, Defoe,
Bullard and Bamby
all got in common?

News briefly

Tigers tamed by table toppers

KINGSBURY LONDON TIGERS lost 3-2 at home to South Midland Premier leaders Chalfont St Peter on Saturday. Adam Louth fired the visitors in front but the Tigers quickly equalised when Henry Emenike headed in Renars Zarchenko's cross. Efforts from Daniel Hughes and Charlie Strutton put Chalfont back in control of the match. But the Tigers pulled one back through another Emenike header and pushed the opposition all the way.

Gibson returns to Hornets

BILLY GIBSON has returned to Watford after his loan spell with Wealdstone came to an end. The winger scored two goals in their win over Harrow Borough in December and made nine appearances for the Stones.

Wembley win for Saracens

SARACENS maintained their winning record at Wembley after defeating Worcester Warriors 25-20 on Saturday. The Men in Black were in trouble at 20-12 down but a brilliant breakaway try from Neil de Kock helped them avoid a third consecutive Guinness Premiership defeat. Sarries travel to play London Wasps on Sunday.

More fixture fears after Dartford postponement

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WEALDSTONE manager Gordon Bartlett admits their fixture congestion is becoming "ridiculous" after their match with leaders Dartford was postponed on Tuesday.

The Stones were set to face the Ryman Premier pacesetters at the St George's Stadium but heavy rain forced the match to be called off for the second time.

Bartlett said: "It is going to be ridiculous. I think it will have to be played on a Thursday because there are no more Tuesdays free this season.

"This is definitely going to test the squad now. We probably have about seven league games coming up at home but if the weather carries on then Saturday will be in jeopardy. It is having an enormous knock on effect on us."

Wealdstone's abject start to the year was finally ended after they picked up their first win in 2010 on Saturday. The Stones recovered from conceding an early goal to earn a 3-2 win at rivals Hendon.

After falling behind, the visitors equalised through centre-back Darren Locke. The Stones quickly took the lead when Danny Spendlove's cross was swept home by Callum

Martin.

A brilliant first-half recovery finished with the third goal for Wealdstone when Martin smashed his shot into the roof of the net.

The Stones conceded a second 15 minutes from time but they held out to secure a significant result in their play-off push.

Bartlett said: "We got over the important hurdle of getting our first win of the new year which was a huge psychological boost.

"That will make a big difference now that we don't have that hanging over us.

"I thought we had much the better of it in the first half apart from when they came out at the start. We showed a lot of character to come back after conceding the first goal.

"But when they scored with 15 minutes left then you saw the fragility we had."

The Stones are at home to AFC Hornchurch on Saturday, assuming the pitch is playable, before another home game against Ashford Town (Middlesex) on Tuesday night.

"AFC Hornchurch are a strong workmanlike outfit," Bartlett said.

"We have to make sure that our attitude is like it was last weekend and then we will be confident of getting another three points."



Match winners: Callum Martin and Darren Locke celebrate Wealdstone's win at Hendon on Saturday.

Picture: STEVE FOSTER/WEALDSTONE FC

Howell sets Boro target for away run

HARROW BOROUGH manager David Howell has set his side a target of two wins from their next four away matches.

Boro travel to Aveley on Saturday in the Ryman Premier in their first of four successive matches on the road. Having only picked up 12 points from 12 away games, Howell has challenged his side to pick up a couple of victories over the next fortnight.

Howell said: "Our next four matches will present different tests and problems for us. If we can get a couple of wins then that would be good.

"Aveley are the form side with three wins in a row but the lads are fresh after having the week off."

Boro extended their undefeated run to four games after a 1-1 draw against Tooting and Mitcham United at Earlsmead on Saturday. But Howell was frustrated after his side conceded the equaliser immediately after Kurt Morlese's second-half goal.

Howell said: "We dominated the whole match. It was just a lapse in concentration and it was a body blow for us. The opposition nicked a point. It was daylight robbery.

"But it was another match unbeaten and we are still confident after dominating against a strong in-form team."

Boro's trip to Sutton United on Tuesday night was another victim of the weather but Howell was only too happy to reschedule the match. His team would have been heavily depleted with several injuries and a list of players including Dewayne Clarke, Dean Fenton and Keita Karamoko unavailable due to work commitments.

Howell said: "I was pretty relieved because we were in a vulnerable state. I did a rain dance on Monday because we would have been down to the bare bones."

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