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Sarries look to seal home semi final

SARACENS will guarantee themselves a home play-off semi final if they avoid defeat against Gloucester on Easter Sunday. The Men in Black eased to a 33-12 win at Exeter Chiefs on Saturday which was their ninth consecutive win. Tries from Chris Wyles, Noah Cato and Rhys Gill consolidated second place in the table.

Harrow land first County trophy

HARROW RFC celebrated winning the Middlesex Federation Vase after a 33-16 win over Old Actonians on Saturday. It was also the club's first County honour having already won the league. Harrow led 20-16 at half time after tries from Dave West and Brendan O'Sullivan. Gary Conroy's second half effort sealed the win.

Wealdstone offer free derby tickets

WEALDSTONE are offering free entrance for Under-14s to Monday's clash with Harrow Borough. Under-8s must be accompanied by an adult to the Ryman Premier game at Grosvenor Vale. The match kicks off at 3pm.

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Boro set for crunch clash

by SIMON MAIL

HARROW BOROUGH manager David Howell is refusing to think about the Wealdstone derby as his side battle to keep their play-off hopes alive.

The Reds face their neighbours on Monday afternoon but Howell is just focused on their crucial match with second-placed Tonbridge Angels on Saturday.

Howell said: "I am 100 per cent focused on the Tonbridge game and I haven't even thought about Monday yet.

"For me to think about Monday would be ridiculous. We have to deal with here and now.

"Our priority isn't the playoffs or the derby. Our focus is just on this weekend."

Boro slipped out of the topfive after a 3-0 defeat to play-off challengers Lowestoft Town on Saturday.

Howell's side never really got going in an attacking sense and limped to a disappointing defeat in Kenta Nakashima's final game for the club.

"We were lacking in the final third," said Howell.

"The front four had an off day and I think we lacked a cut-

"It was a setback but in the past the team has shown spirit to bounce back and come through adversity."

Lowestoft Town have surged up the table in recent weeks and are the favourites to book a play-off spot. Boro got the better of them

Boro got the better of them back in August with a 2-1 away win but Howell is adamant they are a different side now.

Looking ahead to this weekend's match, he said: "Tonbridge are the form team of all the sides in the league including the champions [Sutton United].

"They are a different side from the one we faced back in August because they've signed seven players since then.

"They have two good strikers, a strong midfield and a well organised defence. They have a system which they play to and it has proved successful.

"It is up to us to go out and deliver. If we can get three points then it puts us in a very strong position and it will be in our hands.

"But if we don't get the win then we will be looking to see what the other results are. It is difficult when you start losing games at this stage of the season."



Peter Dean celebrates scoring the Stones' winner against Billericay Town.

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Picture: STEVE FOSTER/WEALDSTONE FC

Stones claim Billericay win

WEALDSTONE dented Billericay Town's promotion hopes after beating them 1-0 at Grosvenor Vale on Saturday.

The Stones' win was their first ever in the league over the Essex club and helped push them up to 12th in the Ryman Premier table.

Billericay created the first opportunity when Adam Flanagan's free-kick was acrobatically saved by goalkeeper Jonathan North.

Wealdstone took the lead with a spectacular goal after 22 minutes. Sean Cronin laid the ball off for Peter Dean and he lashed a 20-yard strike into the top corner of the net.

Dean almost added a second goal on the half-hour mark but his effort was well saved by Nicky Morgan. Former Watford midfielder Micah

Former Watford midfielder Micah Hyde almost grabbed an unlikely equaliser but his 40-yard shot floated just wide of the post.

Gavin Massey had an opportunity to extend the Stones' lead late in the match but the Watford loanee saw his low shot saved by the visiting keeper.

Man-of-the-match Kurtney Brooks also tested Morgan at the end of the game.

Massey was a real threat for the home side and he was thwarted by a brilliant one-handed save by Morgan.

The Billericay keeper was at it again moments later to deny Massey but Wealdstone would not be denied a deserved three points.

The Stones face a busy weekend with a trip to Horsham before returning to host rivals Harrow Borough on Monday afternoon.



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