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FOUR points from last two matches for Wealdstone



Jayden Sweeney scored twice as Wealdstone beat Dover 3-2

Picture: Jon Taffel

Borough up to fifth in the table

HARROW BEAT MERTHYR AND SUPERMARINE



Harrow Borough at Merthyr

Picture: HBFC

HARROW Borough followed up their 2-1 win at Merthyr Town with a 4-2 win over Swindon Supermarine to climb up to fifth in the table.

In the seventh minute Harrow went in front, as Frank Keita swung a corner into the six-yard box, where Dan Ball, under pressure from James Mansfield, volleyed in for an own goal.

In the 13th minute Leo Donnellan's through ball set up a race between James Ewington and outrushing Swindon keeper Martin Horsell, but Ewington got there first to slide home.

In the 15th minute Supermarine pulled one back with a free-kick that was taken quickly and Henry Spalding beat Josh Strizovic with a low shot.

In the 27th minute Harrow were reduced to ten men when Lewis Cole went in on Mathew Liddiard ten yards inside the Supermarine half.

It was a heavy challenge and referee Mr Bullock produced a red card.

Nevertheless, Borough scored a third in the 36th minute despite the numerical disadvantage.

George Moore was fouled in the inside-right channel, just outside the box, and got up to take the free-kick himself, curling it round the outside of the wall and in at the near post, where Horsell got a hand to it but couldn't keep it out.

The hosts pulled another goal back in the 54th minute when Ben Tricker was brought down and Michael Hopkins converted the penalty, despite Strizovic getting very close to it.

But Harrow restored their two-goal cushion in the 63rd minute with Ewington scoring a penalty at the other end. Borough saw the game out from there.

Stones' third win in five

By Ryan Gray

JAYDEN Sweeney's brace saw Wealdstone earn their third win in five after beating Dover 3-2, following a 0-0 draw with Wrexham at the weekend.

The defeat is Dover's ninth in a row, despite goals from Harry Ransom and Henry Woods, and the south-coast side remain rooted to the bottom of the National League table.

Wealdstone scored in just four minutes after Rhys Browne crossed to Sweeney, who fired into the top corner.

The Whites were able to level from a corner when Ransom tapped home.

Wealdstone retook the lead through Josh Umerah in the 24th minute with a shot into the top corner.

Dover equalised again in the 64th minute after a goal-line clearance fell to Woods and he scored.

The visitors regained the lead just eight minutes later as Sweeney was able to poke home a Charlie Cooper cross.

The victory took Stones' points tally from the last few days up to four after they held Wrexham to a goalless draw,

also in the Vanarama National League, at the weekend.

The hosts threatened to go ahead as Luke Young fired wide before Paul Mullin was denied by a last-gasp challenge when clean through on goal.

George Wickens then produced a fine save on the half hour to keep out Aaron Hayden's header as Wrexham continued to press.

Browne managed to put the ball in the back of the net for Wealdstone but the goal was ruled out as the offside flag had been raised.

Umerah went close later on, but headed narrowly wide as Wealdstone very nearly opened the scoring once again.

And Wrexham also missed a late chance when Paul Mullin failed to find the target from close range, but the game finished without any goals.

Stones sit 15th in the table.

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