



1XV UP THE ANTI!

John Crozier and Andrew Donegan's men are now just 2 points off of the top spot of Dorset & Wilts division One, following a 72-8 demolition of Colerne.

Guthrie Holliday topped the try scores with four, followed closely by Lewis Baker with three. Rich Kearney also collected a brace. James Gladding and Damon Murphy added their contributions to the scoreboard too, with Donegan adding eight of eleven attempts at goal. Full match report on-line.

With the mid-point of the season just gone and just seven league games remaining, the boys have everything to play for and stand a real chance of holding on to their lofty position come the end of the season. Good luck guys!

2ND TEAM WIN BIG

Meanwhile, Jason Dolman's 2nd team recorded a stunning victory over their Avonvale counterparts. Running out 63-10 winners!

As a point of interest, this is the first time the 2nd team has won whilst the 1st team has simultaneously been in action. Vince Treen and Alan Milton picked up a brace each, whilst Dave Holmes, Chris Austin, Paul Grundy and Mike Burden also collected one a piece. Again, full match report online, as well as a match photo gallery. This weekend, the 2nds face Devizes 3rds who sit at the bottom of the league the team wishes to join!!

NAME THE 2ND TEAM

With the reemergence of the 2nd team and it possible entry into Dorset & Wilts Division 3 North next season, it is time we helped the 2nds develop their identity, by giving them a nickname.

Suggestions need to, in some way, be easily associated with our town. Calne's meat processing history is one example and nicknames like 'the

mincers' or 'the boars' spring to mind!! Likewise, still on the meat theme, John Crozier has suggested 'the prime'. Please email your suggestions to Matt at matt.snell@tiscali.co.uk.

COUNTY ADVENTURES

Both, our own, Damon Murphy and Guthrie Holliday attended Wiltshire county trials in Bournemouth, earlier in the month.

Coach, John Crozier, nominated Murphy for the Senior Squad and Holliday for the U20 Squad. Both trained well and the session ended with the Senior Squad playing the U20 Squad.

Holliday will be playing for Wiltshire on the 29th of January 2006, against a, as yet, unknown opposition. News on Murphy's possible inclusion in the Senior Squad will follow, once selectors have made their decisions.

VP DAY 4TH MARCH 06

It's that glorious time again, when those who's, most gratefully received, financial support of the club is acknowledged. This time, our esteemed Vice-Presidents will be watching the 1XV in action against one of the promotion favorites, Minety.

The 2nd team are not in action, on this day, and are invited to join the VP's and their guests during and after the game. For what is always one of the social highlights of the season.

A match ball sponsor, for this game, has not as yet been established. If you would like to sponsor this, or any other, match ball and receive a mention and /or and an advert in the match day programme, please contact Matt as soon as possible. Match ball sponsorship is a minimum of £50.00.

Please help Graeme's organisation of the day by confirming your attendance, and that of any guest, as soon as you can. Graeme.Robinson@shade.co.uk.