

Dysynni Mens Hockey: **Dysynni 1-3 Wrexham, 25th Nov 2006**

Dysynni entertained league leaders Wrexham in wet and windy conditions. Wrexham dominated the first ten minutes using the width of the pitch pushing forward into Dysynni's half. Will Moeran marshalled the defence well and Dysynni gradually got back into the game with Josh Haylock and Stewart Langston in midfield setting up a number of forays into Wrexham's territory. In the twentieth minute however Wrexham opened the scoring with a neat short corner routine being tucked away by visiting captain Ian Wright.

Dysynni suffered a further setback with stalwart defender Phil Parton departing injured early in the first half. Dysynni reorganised with young Ed Iffla making some excellent contributions on the forward line. The second half started disastrously for Dysynni as Wrexham converted a short corner with Matt Cree riddling his way through the Dysynni defence. Two nil down Dysynni pushed forward with Dylan Jones and Trevor Humphries pushing forward to support a series of Dysynni attacks. The pressure eventually told as Dysynni won a short corner. Skipper Adrian Bennett received the ball returning a precision pass to Stewart Langston who slotted home through a number of defenders.

Both sides then picked up the tempo but it was a Wrexham short corner that decided the game as the league leaders converted another opportunity in the last 5 minutes. Coach Brian Sellick commented that the team played well against a strong side and the performance of Dysynni's young players was particularly promising.

Final score – Dysynni 1, Wrexham 3

Next fixture – Oswestry v Dysynni (Away), next Saturday 1st December.