

Reserve Team Games Report

Westmorland Football League

Division 4

Date: 8th October 2011
Fixture: Penrith Academy vs Lunesdale United Reserves
Results: HT: 2-0 FT: 3-3
Goal Scorer(s): Lee Tattersall (1); David Beecham (1); Nathan Gill (1)
Man of the Match: Nathan Gill

Squad:

Alderson, Tom	Beecham, David	Bellas, Tom	Brewer, Jack
Coward, Glen	Emerson, Roy	Gill, Nathan	Hodsman, Ben
Jackson, Thomas	Johnson, John	Johnston, Paul	Law, Joel
Mandle, James	Tattersall, Lee		

Lunesdale United Reserves travelled to Penrith Academy on a wet Saturday afternoon and found the home team “ready, willing & able” to fight for every ball.

Although Lunesdale had a good start, it was the home team who scored 1st when on 6 minutes a free kick just outside the box was misjudged by Coward and curled into the top right corner of the net.

10 minutes later, the Academy team doubled their lead when a long ball found the home team centre forward in space and he shot into the bottom corner from just inside the penalty area. 2-0

Lunesdale had the lion’s share of possession throughout the first half but found the 6 man defence very difficult to break down.

The second half started well and DJ Beecham scored straight from the kick off after a good run down the right by Tom Alderson and a neat 1-2 with striker partner Nathan Gill left him with an easy shot on goal.

Man of the Match Gill (making his debut for Lunesdale) levelled the score on 55 minutes and then 8 minutes later 16 year old Lee Tattersall put the visitors in front when he stole in at the back post to score Lunesdale’s 3rd goal of the match.

Lunesdale had a host of chances to increase their lead, but on 80 minutes a shot from 20 yards by a Penrith player was deflected up and over Lunesdale’s keeper and dropped just under the bar to give Penrith Academy a hard worked for point.