



Romford B kept up the pressure on Division Two leaders Woolwich with a comprehensive win over bottom side Southwark.

Jamie Loader (20.11)

1-4

Danny Knight (21.99)

Knight got off to a good start, cracking in a 68 finish in the first leg of the session. Loader wasn't messing about either at the business end, as he took the next with a 76 checkout of his own. Knight then started to find the big trebles on a regular basis. He regained in the third without much trouble and then kicked on to bag the next two to take the opening stanza.

Alex Munro (19.18)

3-4

Danny Faulkner (21.18)

The visitors doubled the advantage, but need all seven legs before doing so. Faulkner was off to the better start, taking out 85 for a break of throw and then holding to go two ahead. Although in the next three legs Faulkner was first to the finish, he couldn't take out the doubles and Munro was quick to make hay. An 83 finish saw Munro bag leg three and he went even better in the fifth with a 96 take out, and going ahead for the first time in the match. Faulkner dusted himself down, a brilliant 104 made it all square and a dominant scoring leg in the last saw him break throw and snare the point.

Chris Hogg (21.55)

4-0

Ernest Hodgson (16.86)

Southwark took what proved to be a consolation point in the third match, and didn't take long to get it. Hodgson was more competitive in the two legs on his own throw, but that was as much due to Hogg not finding any real rhythm apart from taking out 60 in leg one. However when Hogg was leading off he was able to get to the double at a very leisurely pace before taking the out shot on each occasion and secure the point in workmanlike fashion.

Conor Sutton (16.97)

0-4

Steve Harold (20.66)

After Hogg's win, it was a case of Romford B all the way as they eased to victory, taking the remaining four points on offer at the cost of only three legs. Steve Harold was out of the blocks like an Olympic sprinter, racing to an opening leg break in just 14 darts. Leg two swiftly followed, and despite some tardy finishing, particularly in leg four, he was still able to complete the whitewash as Sutton couldn't take it into a fifth leg despite numerous darts at the double.

Steve Chambers (16.81)

0-4

John Nelson (25.37)

The fifth contest was over even more quickly than the preceding game. Nelson was three nil up in the blink of an eye as Chambers found real difficulty in locating the big treble. A maximum in leg four saw Nelson put the game to bed without affording Chambers a shot at the double throughout.

Ben West (23.21)

3-4

Mark Landers (24.84)

The penultimate game was a much closer affair than most of what had gone before, and was one that could have gone either way before it was finally settled. Each player found the other hard to break, although Landers won his legs more comfortably when he was first to the oche. The match deserved to go the distance, and West had chances on more than one occasion to take the win. Landers did too and it was he who grasped the opportunity and give the visitors another chalk on the board.

Curtis Donnelly (15.04)

0-4

Danny Brown (17.58)

Romford B ended on a winning note with another whitewash win. Brown was a long way short of his best, but even so still had more than enough in hand to stroll to victory as Donnelly struggled from the moment the tapes went up. The big scores were at a premium, but when they were hit it was Brown who did so and there was ever really going to be one winner.

The win keeps Romford B hot on the heels of leaders Woolwich, with just a single point separating them. They are back at the Prince Albert as they welcome Vauxhall in their next matchup and should be confident of keeping tabs. Southwark are already becoming detached at the foot of the table, with a six point gap between themselves and the two teams immediately above them, Vauxhall and Clapton. They have an opportunity to close it as they travel to the Red House where Clapton await.