

Londoner FC

The Reporter



Londoner hammer SCI 8-0

Weekend Results

- Buulshead secured a memorable 3-2 victory over Pattaya down by the seaside as they challenge strongly for runners up spot
- German AS and Woodstock shared the points in a 1-1 draw. Both goals coming within a minute of each other.
- British Club were too strong for Patana winning 4-0
- Vikings dispatched a slumping Les Gaulois 4-2
- Bangkok Utd did enough to beat BSL Youth 5-1
- Irish Xchange and Sunbelt drew 1-1

League Standings

Londoner	23	61
Pattaya	23	49
Woodstock	22	48
Bullshead	20	44
Germans	21	43
Winking Frog	20	34
Les Gaulois	21	32

An outstanding all round performance by the men in red saw them run out handsome winners against an out-gunned and outclassed SCI Pickled Liver side as the Dons moved closer to retaining the league title.

Having huffed and puffed a lot on their last outing the Dons were in no mood to repeat the exercise and from the first whistle took the game to the opposition with some excellent passing and movement as they pinned SCI back into their own half for much of the first half. With Allesandro Astengo and Nui in particular looking very lively it was little surprise when Londoner took the lead within 10 minutes, good work from Scott Mielke produced a dangerous ball into the box which flicked high in the air off a defender before being superbly half volleyed on the turn by Allesandro giving the keeper no chance. Within 5 minutes the Dons had doubled their advantage, a long kick out by Torrance bouncing once before Allesandro leapt high and pro-

Next Match

Next on the Don's schedule is their derby match with rival pub side Winking Frog after the Easter and Songkran break. With the Dons knowing that they require three more wins to secure the title they know

duced a breathtaking scissors kick that flew high into the top corner of the net. Londoner kept up the pressure and good work on the right by Neng Johnson allowed him to get his cross in and it found Danny Kemp in perfect position to find the net albeit it fairly fortuitously as it bounced high off the ground and over the keeper. Andy Duffin then got in on the act serving up the Goal of the Match, seizing on a ball that was half cleared from the box by SCI he hammered the ball into the top corner of the net from 25 yards to make it 4-0. With SCI clearly rattled the Dons added to their lead with just minutes to the break as Allesandro Astengo fired home for his hat trick to round off an excellent half of football by Londoner.

Half Time: Londoner 5 vs SCI Pickled Liver 0

Despite enjoying the breeze in the second half SCI Pickled Liver still failed to fire a single shot in the direction of the Dons goal and whilst providing a more composed performance still found themselves pinned back for long periods of time. Danny Kemp managed to find himself in excellent scoring

positions at least three times in the second half but clearly he had left 'Billie's boots' at home as he conjured up unbelievable miss upon unbelievable miss as only Danny can. Londoner did get further goals in the half, young Chris Duffin, making his last appearance in Londoner colours before returning to UK, was given the honour of taking the penalty that resulted from Nui being pulled down inside the box. With excellent composure he fired into the bottom right corner only to find the referee not ready and calling for a retake. No problems for young Chris once more he stroked the ball home beyond the keeper as he signed off on his Dons career, at least for the immediate future anyway! Nui also got in on the act with a fine solo effort as he rounded a couple of players before firing home to make it 7-0. The Dons did get one more before time ran out as they ended the match in fine spirit having dominated from the first kick.

Full Time: Londoner 8 vs SCI Pickled Liver 0

The Man of the Match, with his excellent hat trick, was Allesandro Astengo, Danny Kemp gets a mention for his equally breathtaking series of misses and the opposition keeper gets a mention for looking very pretty in his all canary yellow kit, including matching cap!

they will get no favours from the 'Frog' in what is usually a holds barred encounter. Game is at 3.00pm on Saturday 21st April at Bangkok Patana School.

