



The Bear Facts

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TONS OF POINTS FOR BIG TWO

Grace Academy (GAC) were back in form at Onley, and there were wins for Tile Hill 1, who came from behind to beat Warwick University and Tamworth who shocked Aylesford to gain victory number three.

Nuneaton lost the second half to Tile Hill 3 but had enough in the bank to take all points in Division Two, and Arden bounced back from their loss to Nuneaton last Friday to win at Roger Casements. Westwood met Stratford for the second time in a week and the result went their way again, albeit a closer match than last week, while Woodway went to Tile Hill where Trojans 2 were hammered by 63. Ernesford and Warwick Juniors play tonight.

ONLEY OUTLAWS – URGENT REMINDER

Onley Outlaws play on Sundays at 2pm.

Players and officials are reminded that they MUST be present by 1.15 latest in order to gain access to the prison ahead of the visitors.

In addition no mobile phones are allowed inside the gates.

Team lists MUST be e mailed to martin.dundas@hmpr.gsi.gov.uk at least two days prior to the game.

JUSTAS ENJOYING LIFE IN HONG KONG

We have been in touch with our friend and Warwick University referee Justas Gumbrevicius who is taking a year out and studying life in Hong Kong. He says the weather is 20-30 degrees and he can see the sea from his window – tough life hey?

He is coming back next season and has been refereeing but cannot speak Cantonese which proves to be a problem.

Justas sends his best wishes to all at Warwickshire Basketball and if anyone would like to communicate with him he is on the following e mail: justas.gumb@gmail.com

FIXTURE CHANGES

The Following fixtures are being re-arranged:

A40 Warwick University v GAC is now Tuesday 14th January at Desso Hall @ 8.00

A27 Warriors v Tile Hill 1 is now Friday 29th January @ Moat House Centre @ 8.15 *

A28 Onley v Tamworth is now Sunday 13th December at Onley @ 2.00 *

B20 Arden v Westwood is now Friday 19th February at Arden School Knowle @ 8.15

* **PROVISIONAL DATES TBC**

REFEREES PLEASE KEEP AN EYE ON THE LINE

We have received several comments this season concerning referees who do not appear to follow play and as a result spend much of the time on or around the half-way line.

This means that much of the activity around the free throw line gets missed and as a result, there have been several complaints resulting in technical fouls being issued which might be due to officials being in the wrong place.

We prefer referees to keep up with play and look inwards towards the free throw line thus seeing into the action and not look at it from afar.

VISUAL CLOCK FOR DOWNLOADING

Some clubs do not have a visual clock which is a requirement for Warwickshire Basketball League games. This can be downloaded from the Warwickshire Basketball website under the 'Downloads' section, put into a ring binder andproblem solved.

Would any club who does not have this facility please download it as soon as possible?

RESULTSRESULTS.....RESULTS.....RESULTS..... RESULTS..... RESULTS.....

Division One

A24 Onley Outlaws 64-80 GAC
A27 Northampton Neptunes v Warriors - postponed until Sunday 29th
A26 Tamworth Tigers 80-64 Aylesford Hawks
A25 Warwick University 60-70 Tile Hill Trojans 1

Division Two

B36 Arden Griffins 64-68 Nuneaton Knights – from last week
B39 Nuneaton Knights 46-27 Tile Hill Trojans 3
B40 Tile Hill Trojans 2 47-110 Woodway Nuggets
B38 RC Rebels 54-63 Arden Griffins
B37 Westwood Rhinos 68-63 Stratford Tornadoes
B41 Ernesford Eagles v Warwick Juniors – playing tonight

LEAGUE TABLES.....LEAGUE TABLES.....LEAGUE TABLES.....LEAGUE TABLES

Warwickshire Basketball Men's League Tables

Division ONE	P	W	L	F	A	Points
Premier Warriors	6	6	0	572	347	12
Aylesford Hawks	8	3	5	568	668	11
Northampton Neptunes	5	5	0	501	378	10
Tile Hill Trojans I	6	3	3	470	439	9
Tamworth Tigers	6	3	3	422	466	9
GAC	6	3	3	497	468	9
Onley Outlaws	5	1	4	317	425	6
Warwick University I	6	0	6	353	509	6

Division TWO	P	W	L	F	A	Points
Nuneaton Knights	8	7	1	481	385	15
Woodway Nuggets	8	6	2	683	499	14
Warwick Juniors	7	5	2	512	377	12
Ernesford Eagles	7	5	2	416	343	12
Westwood Rhinos	7	5	2	411	406	12
Arden Griffins	7	4	3	516	382	11
Tile Hill Trojans 3	7	2	5	273	410	9
Tile Hill Trojans 2	8	1	7	357	594	9
Stratford Tornadoes	9	0	9	416	595	9
RC Rebels	6	2	4	289	363	8

MOLTEN SUPPORT WARWICKSHIRE ONCE AGAIN



Molten Sports, the supplier of basketballs to many of the World's top events and competitions, have pledged themselves for the fourth time to Warwickshire Basketball. Through their UK arm run by former Area pioneer Bob Hope, Molten have donated a brand new GG7 £45 ball to every club competing in the Men's league.

Clubs can also purchase additional balls at the extremely special price of £25 or 2 for £40 plus £3.50 p&p. For more e mail info@warwickshirebasketball.co.uk

NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES

Match/ Date/Time	Home	Away	Venue
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Division One

A24	Onley v Tamworth	POSTPONED
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A29 Monday 23rd @ 7.30	Aylesford v GAC	Aylesford School
	<i>Referee: Ian Price</i>	<i>Umpire: John Colverson</i>

A26 Tuesday 24th @ 8.00	Warwick Uni v Northampton	Desso Hall
	<i>Referee: Richard Jones</i>	<i>Umpire: Mike Maddox</i>

A31	Warriors v Tile Hill	POSTPONED
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Division Two

B42 Monday 23rd @ 8.15	Tile Hill 3 v Woodway	Hereward College
	<i>Referee: Paul North</i>	<i>Umpire: Glen Wawrzyniak</i>

B44 Wednesday 25th @ 8.15	Nuneaton v RC Rebels	N Warks College
	<i>Referee: Dave Reynolds</i>	<i>Umpire: Geoff Ryan</i>

B45 Wednesday 25th @ 7.15	Stratford v Warwick Juniors	King Edward School
	<i>Referee: Greg Halder</i>	<i>Umpire: Dean Glover</i>

B43 Thursday 26th @ 8.15	Westwood v Tile Hill 2	Xcel Centre
	<i>Referee: Mike Maddox</i>	<i>Umpire: TBA</i>

B46 Friday 27th @ 8.15	Arden v Ernesford	Arden School
	<i>Referee: TBA</i>	<i>Umpire: Ian Pursglove</i>

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