

SPRING NEWSLETTER FROM MID WALES 2019.



Players from Mid Wales really are proving to be a force to be reckoned with. Well done for all the hard work from players, club & Elite coaches, volunteer coaches and parents in ensuring our young talented players reach their potential. The latest podium position was the finals of the English Inter Counties last weekend where the under 17 boys came second, only losing narrowly in the final. Rhys, Dan, James, Josh & Will powered through some really tough matches to reach the finals.

Across the clubs in Mid Wales, players are going from Strength to Strength. The player pathway is providing an excellent opportunity. We are seeing more girls taking up the sport and a good standard too.

Newtown, Llanfyllin and Aberystwyth are all contributing to putting back into the sport, this season has been excellent:

1. Referees course.
2. 2 new female level 1 coaches at Llanfyllin ( Georgie Lincoln and Angharad Smith )
3. Leaders course with players and parents from Newtown & Aberystwyth.
4. Holiday camps and after school coaching with level 1's Rhodri, Ryan, Georgie, James, Angharad, Ryan & Dan.

We are delighted with the amount of young players playing in the Adult Shropshire Winter league. Players from Llanfyllin, Newtown and Llanidloes are playing across all 3 Divisions and to a very high standard, Keep up the good work girls and boys! Llanfyllin A, B & C teams are holding a very high position at the moment in division 1, 2 & 3. Bishops Castle A & B teams are also holding an excellent position. Each week the players can sometimes be travelling an hour and a half for matches and getting back just before midnight, which on a school night is tough going and for parents. A real commitment all round.

The North Wales Junior Winter League is attracting 2 teams from Newtown and 1 from Llanfyllin each month. These are a great way to get lots of matches in just 1 day. The standard is excellent and Mark & Jim do a fine job co coordinating these each month. Who will hold the Cup this year!!!!

