



# SHERIFF SPORT



## BASKETBALL

The Sheriff boys started off poor, constantly trying to shoot mid-range shots and missing. Ashlawn were all over them in the first quarter and were consistently getting 'and ones'. Sheriff had one good play in the first quarter where Gaurav Sunner and Suroop Johal played a good pick and roll resulting in an easy two points. Sheriff struggled throughout the first quarter to not foul the Ashlawn boys.

In the second Quarter, Ben Stuchbury came on with a burst of energy and got Sheriff more points on the board. His run died down quickly though as shots were becoming forced and the Ashlawn lads were taking their chances. The Sheriff boys were getting angry at the calls against them but Jermaine Owusu and Suroop calmed the team down. Just before the end of the half, Sheriff had time for one more shot and with some good ball movement they found Gaurav open who sunk the buzzer beater which was a well needed two points to give Sheriff some momentum.

In the Third quarter sheriff started to turn up the heat and began driving more to the basket rather than forcing up mid-range shots. Their ball movement improved drastically and this was shown with a nice move where Jermaine

received the ball from Anoop Johal and performed a quick dribble move to get past his defender and spot Ben making a back door cut to the basket and he finished a reverse layup. Alfie Bowers and James Needham helped dominate the pain by gaining rebounds. The Ashlawn lads couldn't keep up and began to get frustrated as Sheriff were racking up the points. Owusu was leading the charge offensively and came in clutch stopping a 1v3 and finding Gaurav up the court to get an easy basket. Sheriff pulled it back dramatically in this quarter.

The fourth quarter was close and both teams were starting to tire. Jermaine got an 'and one' and this sparked a Sheriff run. The ending drew close and there was one point in it as a Technical was called and Gaurav sunk one of the two baskets to even the score. Sheriff had the last play and the clock was running. There was confusion at the end which resulted in Jermaine having to force up a shot which was blocked at the end. The match ended as a draw. Mr Orford gave the man of the match award to Jermaine Owusu who had a decent performance defensively and was brilliant when it came to finding his teammates in space when in attack.

**Jermaine Owusu, Year 12**

## FOOTBALL

This was Lawrence Sheriff's football B team with a few A team players in the squad, competing against Princethorpe's A team.

The game started with a poor performance from Lawrence sheriff where we weren't all switched on and conceded two easy goals, where they ran through the middle of the team at the start of the game.

Towards the end of the first half we started to pick up our performance and our defending became a lot better enabling us to have more attacks with great tackles coming from Henry and Rahul. We went into the first half 2-0 down and their seemed to be signs of a goal for our side as multiple good attacks were formed. Sami Muzaffar was very close with a shot just inside the box that was put out for a corner and a 1v1 with

Samraj Babra's Shot also just missing. Joe Wheelwright almost scored from a header being saved off the line by the defender. However a lack in concentration lead to 2 more goals being conceded. James Benison kicked the ball from the goal kick over the top where Sami controlled it and was fouled in the box, to win a penalty which was scored by him. Some of the team had to leave and we had ten men at the end of the game meaning another goal was scored from a corner, by Princethorpe to finish the game off and make it 5-1.

**Joe Wheelwright, Year 10**

## RECENT RESULTS

### HOCKEY RESULTS

### RUGBY RESULTS

### FOOTBALL RESULTS

Under 15s B 1-5 Princethorpe

### BASKETBALL RESULTS

U18s 36-36 Ashlawn



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## OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

### Old Laurentians Seniors

Since mid-December, LSS representatives Toby Corrigan and Harry Spears have gone on to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> products of the Old Laurentian's Mini's and Juniors to represent the senior First XV, Corrigan making his debut in a 32-17 loss to Kenilworth and Spears making his in a 22-21 win over Kidderminster, scoring a try in the process to help stage a fiery comeback from 21-3 down. The OL's colts have continued to dominate in the league, too, with a resounding 54-7 win over Earlsdon, which saw year 11 Isaac Kayada's first colt's appearance with a man of the match award to mark it, and a 38-5 victory over 3<sup>rd</sup> place Broadstreet to gain even more of a stranglehold on the league.

### Toby Corrigan, Year 12

## EXTRA NEWS

### Rugby—6 Nations Championship

Final Score: France=19-24=Wales (half time score France=16-0=Wales)

At the end of the first half of the game, France looked in the strongest position they could possibly be in with two tries, a penalty and a drop goal (16pts). Wales however were not even past the starting mark, fearing the worst for the second half.

However, in the second half, the Reds put their foot on the gas pedal with two stunning tries by George North, a try by Tomos Williams, a penalty by Dan Biggar and three conversions, two by Gareth Anscombe and one by Biggar (24pts). France however could not keep up, scoring one penalty. This left Wales with their first win of the 6 nations.

Around the grounds:

A stunning victory for Scotland

(Scotland=33-20=Italy)

A green grand slam impossible after Ireland lose (Ireland=20-32=England)

### Evan Soley, Year 7

A brilliant victory kicked off England's 6 Nations campaign away at the Aviva Stadium in Dublin. The quality on display from the likes of Mako Vunipola and Henry Slade who crossed the line twice for the Red Roses gives hope to all England fans that this could be our year!

A return to the field for Leicester Tigers centre Manu Tuilagi for his first start in 5 years saw him play sensationally in the victory over Ireland.



## Fixtures/Training

### MONDAY

Senior Rugby Training

### TUESDAY

### WEDNESDAY

### THURSDAY

Year 10 vs Ilkley (National Bowl Quarter Final)

### FRIDAY

Under 15s Football Training