

# Cardiganshire Short Mat Bowling Association League Report

## Week 22

## WC 20th March

Day	Teams	Result
Tuesday	Llandygwydd v Capel Dewi	2 - 6
Tuesday	Rhydlewis v Aberporth	7 - 1
Wednesday	Tygwydd v Capel Dewi	7 - 1
Thursday	Caerwedros v Penrhiwllan	6 - 2
Thursday	Dolphins v Llechryd	2 - 6
Thursday	Orllwyn v Mydroilyn	1 - 7
Thursday	Manordeifi v Llandygwydd	8 - 0

## End of season report

The final matches of the season were played this week and, although Rhydlewis sewed the championship up with more than a week to spare, second space was up for grabs with only one point separating Manordeifi and Aberporth.

Aberporth were the first to play for the crucial points needed to secure second place when they visited Rhydlewis on Tuesday. Unfortunately, one of the Aberporth team had to miss the game at short notice, but Aberporth must have drawn some comfort when their captain, and arguably their best player, was drawn to play twice. Rhydlewis were un-phased and only dropped one point with a draw in the pairs. The 7 – 1 victory for Rhydlewis serving to open the gap between first and second in the league to a 19 point chasm.

Manordeifi played their final game at home on Friday when they met Llandygwydd. The visitors were hungry for points. They already knew that their club rivals, Tygwydd, had beaten Capel Dewi 7 – 1 on the previous evening and that that meant they needed 3 points to finish ahead of them in the league. Manordeifi were at full strength and firing on all cylinders; walking off with the singles and pairs games and sealing Llandygwydd's fate by also taking the triples and fours. The 8 – 0 win for Manordeifi gave them second place in the league by a comfortable margin and, for the first time in their history, left Llandygwydd trailing Tygwydd at the end of the season.

Rhydlewis will play in the National League Winners Competition in Landrindod Wells on 9<sup>th</sup> April.

## League table final standing

Team name	P	W	D	L	P+	P-	Diff
Rhyd Lewis	22	18	2	2	<b>133</b>	43	+90
Manordeifi	22	14	5	3	<b>122</b>	54	+68
Aberporth	22	11	7	4	<b>114</b>	62	+52
Capel Dewi	22	13	1	8	<b>100</b>	76	+24
Penrhiwllan	22	10	5	7	<b>96</b>	80	+16
Caerwedros	22	11	2	9	<b>94</b>	82	+12
Llechryd	22	9	5	8	<b>93</b>	83	+10
Tygydd	22	8	3	11	<b>86</b>	90	-4
Llandygwydd	22	8	5	9	<b>84</b>	92	-8
Mydroilyn	22	7	4	11	<b>71</b>	105	-36
Orllwyn	22	2	1	19	<b>38</b>	138	-100
Dolphins	22	2	0	20	<b>25</b>	151	-126

### Looking for a new hobby?

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