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Cymru Ardal North East

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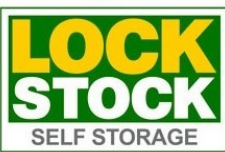
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Llanidloes Town FC



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Gair gan Rob

Croeso i chi gyd,

Fe gafwyd ymateb cadarnhaol iawn yn Llanfair Caereinion yn dilyn ein colled yr wythnos gynt yn Llanfair ym Muallt. Roedd yn berfformiad llawer mwy cyflawn, a bydd yr hogia' yn anelu i ail-adrodd y safonau hynny'n gyson.

Mae Llanidloes yn glwb mawr, un o aelodau Cynghrair Cymru pan sefydlwyd. Er bod y clwb wedi llithro lawr y cynghreiriau yn ddiweddar mae ganddynt reolwr newydd a cafwyd dwy golled agos yn erbyn timau tua'r brig yn ddiweddar. Yn sicr fe gaiff y perfformiadau hynny effaith ar hyder y tîm yn eu brwydr i osgoi disgyn o'r gynghrair.

Mae Jon Sutton, Harri Davies a finnau yn gwella'n iawn o'n hanafiadau. Mae hefyd yn braf gweld Rob John yn ôl yn ymarfer yn ysgafn yn dilyn llawdriniaeth i'w ben-glin.

Hyd yma, mae'r grŵp wedi bod yn wych a fe werthfawrogi'r cefnogaeth pawb yn fawr iawn. Edrychwn ymlaen yn fawr i bob gêm wrth i ni gyrraedd traean olaf y tymor.



Welcome all.

We had a very good response in Llanfair last week after our defeat to Builth. The performance was more complete, and the lads will now aim to consistently repeat that standard.

Llanidloes are a big club, who've now had a new manager to help change their fortunes. They've recently had two narrow defeats against top opposition, and will no doubt take some confidence from that relegation.

Jon Sutton, Harri, and I are not far from recovering fully from injuries, and it's great to see that Rob John will be back to light training after some good rehab post knee op.

To date, our lads have been superb, and everyone's support is always massively appreciated. We're all looking forward to every game as we enter the last third of the season.

Rob

**DOLGELLAU AAFC RESERVES
PLAYER OF THE MONTH
CHWARAEWR Y MIS**



IONAWR/JANUARY 2025



**LLONGYFARCHIADAU I
SAM YOUNG
BEAN & BLŴM**

**DOLGELLAU AAFC
PLAYER OF THE MONTH
CHWARAEWR Y MIS**



IONAWR/JANUARY

2025



**LLONGYFARCHIADAU I
DION JAMES
AUTOMAX**

Ar Y Ffordd

Lock Stock Ardal North East

Llanfair Utd 1-4 Dolgellau

Noddwyd gan Tŷ Gwylia Mari a Rhys Cartref, Bronaber, Trawsfynydd

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A fine performance from the men in yellow and black, securing three points on the road. Some fantastic goals scored which the Veo highlights (**CROSS KEYS DOLGELLAU & RKThomeimprovements**) will soon tell the story. The first half finished 0-0 with both teams battling hard. Dol perhaps lacking a bit of fortune or composure to make better use of their attacks in the opening 45. Soon in the second half, it took two wonder strikes either side of conceding a goal to put Dol in the lead. The team worked tirelessly to protect that lead and managed a few more chances before getting a third and fourth to seal the victory

Rob - "We're absolutely made up with the performance. The work rate was tremendous from everyone which was needed against a top team and club. I'm sure our supporters who watched yesterday would agree that the players meant business, and really difficult to single out any player. We're still learning and yesterday was really encouraging and satisfying. We keep going. Diolch i chi gyd am eich cefnogaeth"



On The Road

Simon 'Swanny' Griffiths



Yn ddiweddar clywsom am farwolaeth trist Simon 'Swanny' Griffiths. Bu Simon yn chwaraewr, cyn-reolwr ein hail dîm a chefnogwr brwd o'r clwb. Bu hefyd yn ddyfanwr ar gyfer gemau ieuentid pan oedd angen.

Dolgellau AAFC are very saddened to learn of the passing of Simon "Swanny" Griffiths recently. Simon was a former player, Reserve Team Manager and lifelong supporter of the club. He even refereed junior games when the club was in need.

Club Secretary Stephen Parry: "We won the League title in 2015-16 and who was there supporting? Simon. He was everywhere supporting, usually in my car and always had a point of view, always good company and always football-knowledgeable. He even helped during an hour of need when he managed the Reserves for a short spell. I remember him coming to Blackburn to watch his beloved Liverpool, many moons ago, and ever since asking me if I was able to take him to Anfield. My big regret is that I never managed it. He had some hard times, but received help from his close friends and he helped some of them in their hours of need too. He will be missed by those who knew him. RIP my friend.





Dolgellau Res 1 - 1 Llan





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Lluniau Rod Davies Photography

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Season Statistics

2024-25

Ystadegau Tymor

Ystadegau'r Tymor - Season Statistics

	Stock Ardal North	JD Cwpan Cymru	Cwpan y Gynghrair	Tlws FAW Trophy	Central Wales Cup	Goliau/ Goals
Aldred I H	1(4s)	1	1	2s		
Andrews D	3(1s)		1			
Andrews T	13					
Aufdenkamp	s					
Bates D	19	1	1	2		5
Davies H	6(3s)					
Gruffydd W	18(2s)	1	1	1		7
Fisher B	11(4s)	1	1	1		
Edwards D	4(6s)			s		1
Evans G	7(8s)					1
Evans R	6(9s)		s	2		1
Hughes G	4(5s)	s	1	1		
James D	6(7s)	s	s	1(s)		1
Jones D	4s					
Jones J	19		1	2		2
Jones JO	s					
Jones T			s			
Lewis P	17			1(s)		7
Morris NA	17(2s)	1	1	2		
Morris O	19(s)	s	1	1(s)		18
Powl-Jones E	6s			s		1
Pugh G	18(s)	1	1	2		
Roberts E	2s					
Roberts I	8(6s)	1	s	1(s)		3
Rowlands OM	s			s		
Sutton J	8(2s)	1				
Thomas DJ	1	1		1		
Williams G	10(s)	1	1	2		8
Williams Rh	4	1		2		



Cynghrair Ardal
North East
League

Tabl Lock Stock Ardal North East 24/25 Table

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Bow Street	21	13	5	3	37	44
Llanfair ym Muallt/Builth Wells	23	13	4	6	21	43
Ceri/Kerry	24	13	3	8	22	42
Dolgellau Athletic	20	13	3	4	18	42
Brickfield Rangers	18	12	4	2	19	40
Llanuwchllyn	17	11	4	2	32	37
Llangollen Town	21	11	3	7	5	36
Llandrindod	21	10	3	10	1	33
Penycae	23	8	6	9	3	30
Cefn Albion	19	8	3	8	4	27
Llanfair United	22	8	3	11	-10	27
Radnor Valley	21	6	7	8	0	25
CPD Rhos Aelwyd	26	6	5	15	-20	23
Llanidloes	21	3	4	14	-37	13
Y Waun/Chrik AAA	24	3	4	17	-47	13
Llansanffraid Village	23	4	1	18	-48	13

I Fyny Bo'r Nod—Moving On Up

Mae gen o gof plentyn o fynd am dro efo nhad ag aros ger Garej Penbryn (Wil John bryd hynny) a gwyllo Dolgellau yn chwarae pêl-droed yn y cae oddi tanom. Bellach mae'r cae hwnnw yn stad ddiwydiannol. Roedd Dolgellau mewn coch os cofiaf yn iawn, felly dwi'n cymryd mai gêm yng Nghynghrair y Cambrian Coast oedd hon. Rhai blynyddoedd yn ddiweddarach a finnau wedi cael ychydig ryddid ar brynawn Sadwrn, dwi'n cofio gwyllo Dolgellau yn erbyn Bae Colwyn ar yr un cae. Y dref, mewn melyn bryd hynny. Hwn oedd y tîm proffesiynol byr-hoedlog oedd yn cystadlu yn Nghynghrair Cymru (Gogledd). Er na chofiaf yn iawn roedd tyrfa dda i'r ddwy gêm. Fe dreuliodd sawl pnanw Sadwrn yn gwyllo y tîm byr hoedlog hwn.



Yn ddiweddar deuthum ar draws y lluniau yma sef tîm proffesiynol Dolgellau yn chwarae gêm gartref yng Nghynghrair Cymru (Gogledd). Braff gweld cymaint o dorf yn gwyllo. Dyddiau cyn bod teledu ymhob tŷ a pan fyddai taith i Lerpwl neu Fanceinion yn cymryd oriau lawer.

I have childhood memories of watching a Dolgellau team playing (in red) from near Penbryn Garage. The football field in those days was where the industrial estate is today. I would spend many a Saturday afternoon watching the then professional Dolgellau team in action. The town played in yellow then. Of course a professional team in Dolgellau did not last long. If my memory serves me well I remember there was always a good crowd watching the town play.



Recently, I came across these photos that show the Dolgellau professional team in action in the Welsh League (North). The gate takes us back to days before every house had a television and a journey to Liverpool or Manchester would take hours.



Gerwyn Williams
EHS Contracting

Efo'r Ail Dîm

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Ystadegau'r Ail Dim - Reserves Stats

	Reserve League		Goliau/Go	
	North	Cups	als	
Andrews D	9(s)			
Andrews T	2(s)			
Burgess L	10	s		1
Carr T	2(s)			
Cleaver T	7	s		
Davies H	2			
Edwards T	2(s)			
Evans J	1	1		
Evans L	1(2s)			
Harrison J		1		
Holland L	3s			
Hughes G	2			
Johns D	7(s)			1
Jones Darryn	(5s)	s		
Jones Dion	7(s)			2
Jones Jasper	6(s)	1		2
Jones Kieran	4(2s)			
Jones R	4(s)	s		
Jones Tom	2(2s)			1
Powl-Jones Edward	1	1		
Kelly J	5(s)	1		
Kojs I	3	1		
Leeds J	1(s)			
McManus M	1(s)			
Owen K	6	1		1
Redgriff T	5			
Roberts J	11	1		
Rowlands O	7	1		1
Ruddock L	4s			
Skelton R	2(6s)			
Sukphol				
Taylor-Clarke	3(s)			1
Thomas B	1(2s)	1		
Tugman C	2s			
Tyrrell C	1(3s)	s		
Young S	4(3s)			

FAW Reserve League North West 2024/2025

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Bae Colwyn Bay U19	15	12	2	1	31	38
Llandudno Res	13	10	3	0	39	33
Llanuwchllyn Res	15	7	3	5	18	24
Llanrwst United Res	15	4	2	9	3	14
Porthmadog Dev	15	4	2	9	-30	11
Dolgellau Athletic Res	12	2	3	7	-19	6
Conwy Borough Res	13	1	3	9	-42	6

With the Reserves

Noddwyr Chwaraewyr 2024-25 Player Sponsors

Ben Fisher—Argoed Farm Holidays

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Dion James - AutoMax

Dion Jones - Parkes Electrical

Ed Powel-Jones - Moelwyn Motors

Gareth Hughes - Byrne Scaffolding

Gerwyn Williams- EHS Contracting

Gethin Evans - WR Evans & Son Steel Fabrications and Hydraulic Hoses

Guto Pugh - Kevin Williams Earthworks and Plant Hire

Harri Davies - Flood Plan

Ioan Roberts - -Mawddach Neapolitan Pizza

Isaac Aldred -

Iwan Kojs -Garej Bowydd

Jac Kelly - ESAR Scaffolding

Jake Jones - Yr Unicorn

Jasper Jones -

Jayden Roberts—Celt Installations Ltd

Jon Evans -

Jon Sutton T S Electrical - Dolgellau

Jonny Leeds -

Kieran Jones—Barry Jones

Wil ap Gruffydd - Seashells Ltd

Lewis Burgess - Parkes Electrical

Leyton Ruddock -

Luke Evans - Mawddach Painting Services

Mike McManus -

Nathan Morris—T Edwards Plumbing

Osian Morris - Yr Unicorn

Owen Rowlands - G H James Cyf

Paul Lewis - LLDIY Home & Garden Centre

Reece Owen -

Reece Skelton -

Rob Evans - Teulu Smithies

Sam Young - Bean & Blŵm

Toby Cleaver - Mynach Lettings

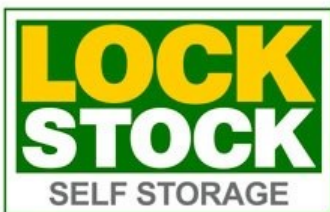
Tom Carr -

Tom Edwards -

Tom Jones - DMJ Groundworks & Landscaping

Tommy Redgriff -

Tyler Andrews—Bella Bermo Boutique

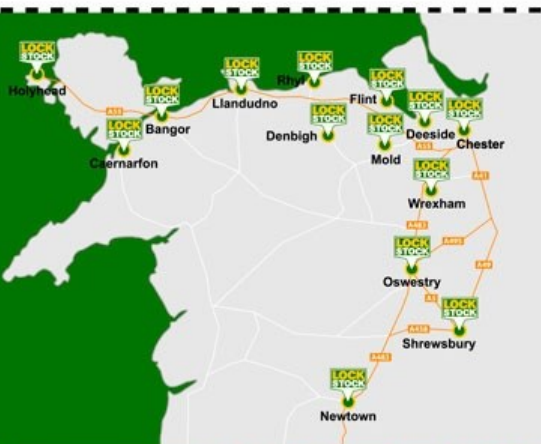


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Llanidloes Town



The first ever recorded game of football in mid Wales was in Llanidloes at the 'Lower Green' on Victoria Avenue on 26 December 1870. The club was founded 5 years later in 1875, the same year as Newtown. The club are recorded as playing a fixture against Newtown on Christmas Day 1875 on a field called Caegwyn. Records of Llanidloes' early days are quite patchy, but it is known that the club reached the semi-final of the Welsh Cup in 1881, losing to Newtown.

At the start of the 1906–07 season, Llanidloes embarked on league football and joined the Montgomeryshire and District League. Success quickly followed and the club took the league championship six times during the eight years the competition was in being prior to 1920. The 1920s and 1930s were the most successful decades in the club's history. The Mid Wales League title was won on seven occasions and the club reached five Welsh Amateur Cup finals, winning the trophy in 1922. In addition, Llanidloes won the Montgomeryshire Challenge Cup thirteen times, including eight successive wins between 1928 and 1935.

Following the war, Llanidloes won the Mid Wales League in 1946–47 and, in 1950–51, became the first champions of the Welsh National League (Mid Wales) completing a 'double' by lifting the League Cup. The 1950s and 1960s saw "The Daffs" win the League Cup again (in 1954, 1959 and 1962), whilst the highlight of those post-war years was the winning of the Welsh Amateur Cup in 1965. Further league championships followed in 1972 and 1974 before, in 1980–81, the club emulated the feat of thirty years earlier when completing another league and cup 'double'. Llanidloes Town's most recent major success was winning the Central Wales FA Cup in 1984. In 1990, the club became founder members of the Cymru Alliance and, despite two disappointing seasons in the new competition, were delighted to accept the invitation to join the League of Wales for its inaugural season in 1992–93.

When the newly formed League of Wales was launched in 1992 Llanidloes Town were founder members but lasted only one season before dropping into the Cymru Alliance having been promised by the FAW that there were to be no relegations that season, a drop which proved to be costly. Five years were spent in the Cymru Alliance before another drop, this time to the mid Wales League in 1999. Nine years later another relegation – this time to the Montgomeryshire [amateur] League saw the club playing at its lowest ever level.

The fightback at that level began at the end of the 2009–10 season with the Montgomeryshire League championship and a return to the mid Wales League. After a period of consolidation Llanidloes Town won the Spar Mid Wales League at the end of the 2012–13 season with 132 goals scored in the process. To cap it off, The Daffs also won the league cup that season. Two seasons in the Cymru Alliance followed but another relegation, by just one point, saw them move back to the mid Wales league.

The club were Division 1 champions in 2019-20 and were therefore promoted to the [Cymru North](#).

The 2021–22 season saw the club achieve a cup double picking up the Montgomeryshire and Central Wales cups.

Llanidloes Town



Club Honours

Mid Wales League – Champions (13): 1930–31 (North), 1930–31 (South), 1931–32, 1933–34, 1938–39 (North), 1938–39 (South), 1946–47, 1950–51, 1971–72, 1973–74, 1980–81, 2012–13, 2019–20

Mid Wales League – Runners-up (13): 1925–26, 1929–30, 1932–33, 1934–35, 1935–36, 1945–46 (Northern), 1948–49 (Northern), 1954–55, 1959–60, 1969–70, 1970–71, 1981–82, 2018–19

Montgomeryshire League – Champions: 1908–09, 1909–10, 1911–12, 1912–13, 1913–14

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Montgomeryshire League – Champions: 1908–09, 1909–10, 1911–12, 1912–13, 1913–14

Welsh Amateur Cup – Winners (2): 1921–22, 1964–65

Welsh Amateur Cup/ Intermediate Cup – Finalists (5): 1920–21, 1924–25, 1927–28, 1932–33, 1977–78

Central Wales Challenge Cup – Winners: 1983–84, 2021–22^[5]

Mid Wales South League Cup – Winners: 1972–73 (reserves), 1977–78 (reserves), 1980–81 (reserves)

Mid Wales League Cup – Winners: 1950–51, 1953–54, 1958–59, 1961–62, 1980–81

Montgomeryshire Cup – Winners (25) including: 1909–10, 1927–28, 1928–29, 1929–30, 1930–31, 1931–32, 1932–33, 1933–34, 1934–35, 1946–47, 1948–49, 1953–54, 1961–62, 1964–65, 1972–73, 1975–76, 1979–80, 2021–22,^[6] 2022–23^[7] 2023–24

Radnorshire Cup – Winners: 2018–19

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Radnorshire Cup – Winners: 2018–19

Y Timau - The Teams

DOLGELLAU ATHLETIC AFC

- Tyler Andrews
- Nathan Morris
- Ben Fisher
- Harri Davies
- Jon Sutton ©
- Dion James
- Guto Pugh
- Jake Jones
- Dennis Bates
- Gethin Evans
- Rob Evans
- Ioan Roberts
- Paul Lewis
- Wil ap Gruffydd
- Gerwyn Williams
- Osian Morris

Rob Evans (Rheolwr/Manager)

**Darren Andrews/Jono Harrison
(Rhr Cynorthwyol/Asst Managers)**

LLANIDLOES TOWN FC

- Gareth Owen
- Keegan Bradley
- Isaac Griffiths
- Edward Clarke
- Drew Reynolds
- Joe Cook
- Lewis Jones
- Joshua Jones
- Kai Evans
- George Clarke
- Mason Jones
- Jensen Jones
- William Denham
- Steffan Marshman
- Adam Nottingham
- Joseph Evans

A Jones (Rheolwr/Manger)

Dyfarnwr/Referee: Mr Adrian Wyn Williams
1st Asst Referee: Mr Aaron Hughes
2nd Asst Referee: Mr Osian Rees-Jones



Y wybodaeth yn gywir ar amser argraffu

All information correct at time of printing.

