

ALCESTER RFC MATCH REPORTS

Saturday 27th February 2010

Alcester "A" 0 Evesham 2nds 20

A mainly youthful Alcester side comprising mostly colts and 2nd XV players, with a smattering of 1st XVers, were no match for an experienced and well organised Evesham outfit, who would be a match for many 1st XV opponents at this level.

Alcester had the benefit of a big squad in front of their assembled guests of former club captains, who had met for a lunch to commemorate the club's Golden Jubilee. They made frequent changes to ensure everyone got a game, but in some ways this disrupted their flow and they were never able to get the same level of cohesion as their visitors.

The Worcestershire near neighbours ran in three tries, and added a conversion and a drop goal and although Alcester endeavoured, particularly in the second half, they could not find a way through some solid and determined Evesham defence.

Alcester 1st XV return to league action next week and a tough trip to Coventry side Pinley. Kick off at Wyken Croft is the first 3pm start of the year, with the start times now reverting to the later slot for the remainder of the season.

Alcester 2nd XV are also scheduled to be in league action when they host Warwickian, with the kick off also scheduled for 3pm at Kings Coughton.