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Alcester narrowly lost out to their experienced opponents, despite a good effort which saw them ahead at half time.

Rory Thompson opened his side's account, with Jamie Randall converting the try, after Exiles had gone in front in the opening stages.

The visitors regained the lead early in the second half, and took charge of proceedings, but the home side had their moments too, most notably when Darren Gwilym rounded off an excellent back line move in which Rich Smith was prominent. Randall again converted.

Skipper Dom Skinner singled out prop Tom Wright as his man of the match.