

Alcester 2nd XV 22 Coventrians 2nd XV 21

Two under strength teams evened out the numbers to fight out an entertaining thirteen a side game which was just edged by the home team. Although the playing numbers were shared as the visitors arrived short, there were not enough front row players to go round and therefore the game featured passive scrummaging throughout.

The sides were level at the break 7-7, but Alcester just outscored their visitors in the second half to claim a welcome win. The home side's scorers were prop Joe Ewings, skipper Pete Goddard, continuing his recent fine run of scores, Ollie Braley and Paul Taylor. Braley converted one of the scores.

Andy Flynn

Alcester 2nds with 13 players gave Coventrians an extra man to even up the sides. With Uncontested scrums Alcester scored in the first 5 minutes and then took their eye of the ball to give away a string of tries. Alcester were ill disciplined until the last 10 minutes when a passage of play with 12 phases produced one of the best tries of the season eventually scored by Ollie Braley to win a tough and well fought match.

Peter Goddard