

Recent results for St Ives and Bridgwater & Albion

10/11 Launceston (H) W 40:33, 17/11 Thornbury (H) W 34:18
16/11 North Petherton (A) L 25:22, 24/11 Okehampton (H) L 16:61

League Table for South West 1 West 2018-19

#	Team	Pd	W	L	For	Ag	Diff	Bon	Pts
1	Launceston	11	10	1	410	224	186	10	51
2	Okehampton	11	9	2	379	142	237	9	45
3	Thornbury	11	7	4	309	251	58	6	34
4	Hornets	11	6	5	354	320	34	9	33
5	St Ives (SW)	10	6	4	254	231	23	8	33
6	Bridgwater & Albion	11	6	5	381	278	103	8	32
7	Devonport Services	11	6	5	249	280	-31	6	30
8	North Petherton	11	6	5	263	307	-44	5	29
9	Newent	10	5	5	304	223	81	9	29
10	Lydney	11	5	6	244	268	-24	7	27
11	Keynsham	11	5	6	201	218	-17	5	26
12	Teignmouth	10	3	7	189	288	-99	7	19
13	Cullompton	10	1	9	177	366	-189	3	7
14	Coney Hill	11	0	11	91	409	-318	2	-13

Other South West 1 West Fixtures today and Friday evening*

Launceston v Keynsham North Petherton v Cullompton
Lydney v Coney Hill Okehampton v Hornets
Newent v Devonport Services Teignmouth v Thornbury

Next Fixtures

Saturday 8th Dec.

Hornets v St Ives

Next Home Fixture

Saturday 15th December

St Ives v Devonport Services

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St Ives v Bridgwater & Albion

Saturday 1st December 2018

KO 2:30p.m.

at

St Ives Recreation Ground

We reach December in the latest round of matches in the Tribute South West 1 West league and the committee give a warm welcome to our visitors from Bridgwater for the first time in many years. We trust that any travelling supporters will enjoy their visit and join us after the match in the clubhouse.

After a number of years in the National League 3, our opponents have held mid table positions in this one since 2012-13. In 2014-15 they finished as high as third. Akin to most Somerset teams playing at this level, the club also runs a 2nd and 3rd XV, colts and juniors, all with enviable fixture lists.

The sides have not met in the leagues since 1996-97, when Bridgwater were champions of South West One. Several weeks ago someone was in the clubhouse with a match programme between the two clubs from many years back. Attempts to locate this programme and add the team lists to today's programme have, unfortunately, proved fruitless.

Both recent form, combined with St Ives' home record (6 wins in 7) and B&A's away record (3 from 6) would indicate a result in favour of St Ives. However, our visitors have lost by a maximum of only 3 points away from home, so we can expect a likely close encounter.

Our match official today has travelled from Devon. We wish Ian Strawbridge a pleasant afternoon and ask spectators to afford him full respect.

Do please join us in the clubhouse before or after the match for warmth and refreshment. Finally, remember to book your tickets for the buffet on 15th December, when we play Devonport Services.

Alan Thomas

St Ives Hakes

Ben Taylor
Rob Elloway
Ben Jenkins
Jamie Prisk
Ben Watson
Joli Volaisaya
Chris Quick
Martyn Lawrance

v Bridgwater & Albion

1 Craig Blyde
2 Matt Ranson
3 Niell Bezuidenhout
4 George Musgrave
5 Dan Kemmish
6 Jack Musgrave
7 Ollie Dunn (Capt.)
8 Taylor Buller

Liam Jolly
Rhys Brownfield
Peter Mabbott
Grant Thirlby
Tom Nicholas (Capt.)
Jack Kessell
Dan Magee

9 Tom Fournier d'Able
10 Stu Heal
11 Ryan Barnett
12 James Collings
13 Robbie Gurnett
14 Richard Bright
15 Will Monro

Replacements

Leigh Hocking 16 Gav Knight
Connor Bick 17 Bryan Webb
Joel Bick 18 Matt House
Referee: Ian Strawbridge (DRRS)

Player News

Having had a week off due to the cancellation of the Teignmouth match last week, some of the players have been able to take a well-earned rest. Ben Watson comes in at second row, while Jack Kessell returns on the wing. Joe Parma is rested unless required through late changes. The Teignmouth game could be on December 22nd.



Christmas Special

Saturday 15th December 2018

Buffet (£5.00) from 1:30pm*

St Ives v Devonport Services

Kick off 2:30p.m.

**All guests are asked to wear a
Christmas jumper**



- Hog Roast from 4:15pm
- Entertainment for players, their families & supporters
- 'Heads and Tails'
- Carols with Bamaluz Bootleggers & music
- *Tickets from Joff Rowe (DoR) tel. 07837 992633 or email: joffrowe@gmail.com



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