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| **Form Guide (based on percentage over last five matches)** |
| Plymouth Argaum **W**(a) **W**(h) **L**(a) **W**(h) **W**(a) **L**(h) **L**(h)  St Ives (SW)  W  W  W  W  W  W  W  W  100% |
| St Ives **W**(a) **W**(h) **W**(a) **W**(h) **L**(a) **W**(h) **W(**a)  Crediton  L  D  D  W  L  D  W  L  22.5% |

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| **Tribute Cornwall & Devon RFU League Table** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **#** | **Team** | **Pld** | **W** | **D** | **L** | **For** | **Ag** | **Diff** | **TB** | **LB** | **Pts** |
| 1 | Withycombe | 7 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 221 | 91 | 130 | 5 | 1 | 30 |
| 2 | Bude | 7 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 296 | 102 | 194 | 6 | 1 | 29 |
| **3** | **St Ives (SW)** | **7** | **6** | **0** | **1** | **286** | **88** | **198** | **6** | **1** | **26** |
| 4 | Falmouth | 7 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 117 | 158 | -41 | 0 | 0 | 24 |
| 5 | Plymstock Albion O | 7 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 198 | 117 | 81 | 3 | 0 | 23 |
| **6** | **Plymouth Argaum** | **7** | **4** | **0** | **3** | **169** | **91** | **78** | **3** | **2** | **21** |
| 7 | Pirates Amateurs | 6 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 220 | 100 | 120 | 3 | 1 | 20 |
| 8 | Hayle | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 101 | 220 | -119 | 1 | 0 | 13 |
| 9 | Paignton | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 144 | 132 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 13 |
| 10 | Bodmin | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 107 | 153 | -46 | 1 | 2 | 11 |
| 11 | Tavistock | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 92 | 188 | -96 | 1 | 1 | 10 |
| 12 | Exeter Saracens | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 141 | 304 | -163 | 2 | 0 | 10 |
| 13 | Newquay Hornets | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 69 | 280 | -211 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 14 | Honiton | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 89 | 226 | -137 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| **Next Fixtures:**  Saturday 21st November  Bude v St Ives  St Ives Colts v Camborne  Saturday 28th November  Pirates Amateurs v St Ives  Truro Colts v St Ives Colts  **Next Home League Fixture:**  Saturday 5th December  St Ives v Bodmin  St Ives Colts v Redruth Colts  **Follow us online:**  There is **a new website**.  We are no longer using Pitchero.  Facebook: StIves Rfc  Website: www.stivesswrfc.co.uk | |  |  | **Diary Dates**  **Saturday 19th December**  *(after Exeter Saracens game)* **Christmas Jumper Party**  Mince Pies, Mulled Cider  Christmas Carols, Games  Prizes for best jumpers!  C:\Users\Alan\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\N1AG0MID\Christmas-ribbon[1].pngC:\Users\Alan\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\N1AG0MID\Christmas-ribbon[1].pngC:\Users\Alan\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\N1AG0MID\Christmas-ribbon[1].pngC:\Users\Alan\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\N1AG0MID\Christmas-ribbon[1].png  **Sunday 20th December Saskia's famous Christmas Dinner** £15 adults, £10 OAP's, £5 U10's Please book in the clubhouse. |

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Welcome to Alexander Road for the eight round of the Tribute Cornwall & Devon League. We give a special welcome to Plymouth Argaum, our opponents, as this is the first meeting between the two clubs. The club is named after one of the Devonport streets, which was named after The Battle of Argaum. They have an interesting history available online for those inclined to read it, both on Pitchero and at www.centenaryhistory.argaum.org.uk. Their rise to this league is notable; from bottom of the Devon 2 league in 2010-11, Devon 2 champions in 2013-14 and Devon 1 Champions last season. They are currently in 6th place.

St Ives comes to this game with a 100% home record, which they will be keen to keep. Last week produced another bonus point win at Newquay. Today’s encounter promises to be a tougher proposition. Plymouth Argaum defeated Newquay by 29pts to nil in their last away fixture.

Elsewhere in the league, Withycombe and Falmouth have games they would expect to win. Second place Bude travel to Pirates Amateurs which is much harder to call.

Today’s referee is Shaun Maddern. On what appears to be a difficult day weather-wise we trust that spectators, players and our match official will have a good afternoon.

Do join us in the clubhouse after the match for drink and a chat.

*Alan Thomas*

**St Ives SW v Plymouth Argaum**

Saturday 14th November

KO 2:15p.m.

at

St Ives Recreation Ground

**Player news**

Congratulations and all good wishes go to **Jess Thompsett** and **Ben Taylor** who were representing Cornwall RFC in development matches against Pirates Development squad last weekend. Ben was selected as captain.

**Sam Bristow** has returned to his previous club, Illogan, due to conflict between the commitment required for work and training. Sam featured in three games in the centre and scored one try.

**Jason Jackson** had a job opportunity he was unable to turn down which meant he was needed to work most weekends. Last season he played 17 games and this season he started the first five up to the Newquay cup match.

**Full name** – **Sam Carter**

**Age** – 23

**Height** – 5’9” (1.75m)

**Weight** – 12st 8lbs (80kgs)

**Favourite food** – Greggs Bakery

**Favourite film** – Training Day

**Honours** – Twice Royal Navy rugby league inter-services winners; capped Great Britain Armed Forces Rugby League; a part of Royal Navy rugby league tri series tour to Australia.

**Playing position** – Scrum half

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| **St Ives Hakes** | | **v** | **Plymouth Argaum** |
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| Jess Thompsett | | 1 | Nick Hancock |
| Ben Taylor (captain) | | 2 | Joe Avazian |
| Ben Jenkins | | 3 | Mason Edwards |
| Jamie Prisk | | 4 | Nick Carter |
| Jamie Hoskin | | 5 | John Ireland |
| Sam Heath | | 6 | Jamie Burton |
| Neil Corin | | 7 | Tom Holliday |
| Martyn Lawrance | | 8 | Mike Hunt |
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| Sam Carter | | 9 | Courtney Richards |
| Paul Thirlby | | 10 | Ellery Jones |
|  | Grant Thirlby | 11 | Daniel James |
| Ryan Bishop | | 12 | Tom Richards |
| Tom Nicholas | | 13 | Al Murray |
| Peter Mabbott | | 14 | Jake Turfrey |
| Lewis Thomas | | 15 | Kal Bloomfield |
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| Replacements | | | |
| Tony Stevens | | 16 | Dan Smith |
| Ben Wheeler | | 17 | Callum Mills |
| David Bramwell | | 18 | Matthew Bankhead |
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| Referee: Shaun Maddern (CRRS) | | | |
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| **Reserve fixture:** It is hoped that the club will be able to arrange  one more game in the next few weeks. | | | |

**Player Profiles**

**Full Name** – **Sean Stevens**   
**Age** - 26 years   
**Height** – 5’8” (1.73m)

Weight – 13st (82kg)  
**Favourite food** – Sunday roast

**Favourite drink** - Vimto  
**Favourite film** – 300   
**Playing position** – Flanker