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Les Phillips Cup: Barnstaple Town completed a historic double, following up their league title by beating Bradford Town 3-0 in Saturday's Les Phillips Cup final. Played at the home of Tiverton Town, it was Barnstaple who surged ahead midway through the first half when Brodie Montague fired home. Bradford ended the first half well, and went close on a couple of occasions, with two free kicks coming close to drawing them level. The Blues were never able to convert their chances however, and were finally punished in the 68th minute when Tommy Rogers slotted home a penalty to make it 2-0. Having scored in every round of the competition so far, Jensen Wakefield has been one of the players of the season, but after firing wide at the near post with 15 minutes remaining, that felt like Bradford's last chance to get back into the contest. It was the Devonians who got to enjoy their third trophy lift of the season, with substitute Riley Malin putting the finishing touches on their 3-0 win during added time at the end of the game.



Barnstaple boss Ben Potter, centre, celebrates with the three trophies accumulated this season

Podcast Episode 39

On the latest podcast, **Paulton Rovers'** return to the Southern League is the centre of the conversation, with Ian interviewing caretaker boss, Martin Lenihan. Fresh from their Premier Division playoff win, Martin and Ian look back on a successful season.

There is also a preview for the Les Phillips Cup final, with Ian and Tom looking back on both side's route through the rounds, before Level 4 Match Official, Ella Broad, joins the show ahead of the game.

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Leading Goalscorers

Premier Division

Kitan Jaiyeoba (Paulton) – 27
Ryan Bush (Buckland) - 26
Sam Beresford (Clevedon) – 23
Jack Bray-Evans (Newquay) – 22
Josh Parry (Barnstaple) - 20
Curtis Damerell (Torpoint) - 18

First Division

Josh Pearce (Avonmouth) – 32
Liam McCracken (Bristol Telephones) – 28
Matt Brown (Longwell Green) - 22
Jake Brown (Wells) – 20
Harry Warwick (Wells) - 19
Jack Newman (Warminster) – 18

All Competitions

Josh Pearce (Avonmouth) - 35
Ryan Bush (Buckland) – 32
Liam McCracken (Bristol Telephones) – 28
Kitan Jaiyeoba (Paulton) - 28
Josh Parry (Barnstaple) - 27

Final League Tables

	PREMIER DIVISION	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	GD	Points
C	Barnstaple Town	34	24	5	5	42	77
2	Torpoint Athletic	34	23	7	4	32	76
PO	Paulton Rovers	34	23	6	5	53	75
4	Clevedon Town	34	24	4	6	43	70*
5	Sidmouth Town	34	19	5	10	16	62
6	Newquay	34	17	5	12	18	56
7	Buckland Athletic	34	15	10	9	19	55
8	Saltash United	34	13	6	15	-11	45
9	Bridgwater United	34	12	6	16	-10	42
10	Bradford Town	34	11	8	15	-8	41
11	Helston Athletic	34	12	4	18	-26	40
12	Street	34	10	9	15	-1	39
13	Ivybridge Town	34	11	6	17	-21	39
14	St Blazey	34	8	10	16	-21	34
15	Wellington	34	10	6	18	-15	33*
16	Shepton Mallet	34	7	8	19	-26	29
17	Brislington	34	5	6	23	-38	21
18	Oldland Abbotonians	34	4	5	25	-46	17
R	St Austell	0	0	0	0	0	0
R	Nailsea & Tickenham	0	0	0	0	0	0

	FIRST DIVISION	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	GD	Points
C	Devizes Town	38	26	8	4	66	86
PO	Sturminster Newton United	38	26	4	8	57	82
3	Wells City	38	25	4	9	61	79
4	Avonmouth	38	23	10	5	31	79
5	Bristol Telephones	38	22	8	8	28	74
6	Bitton	38	20	9	9	15	69
7	Mendip Broadwalk	38	17	9	12	6	60
8	Longwell Green Sports	38	16	5	17	-1	53
9	AEK Boco	38	14	8	16	7	50
10	Warminster Town	38	13	9	16	1	48
11	Almondsbury	38	13	8	17	-15	47
12	Odd Down	38	13	7	18	-12	46
13	Cadbury Heath	38	12	10	16	-24	46
14	Calne Town	38	12	8	18	-7	44
15	Shirehampton	38	12	8	18	-16	44
16	Welton Rovers	38	12	4	22	-19	40
17	Radstock Town	38	7	13	18	-30	33*
18	Keynsham Town	38	8	5	25	-45	29
19	Hengrove Athletic	38	6	9	23	-46	26*
20	Cheddar	38	5	10	23	-57	25