

Portadown Reserves 10-0 Ballyclare Comrades Reserves

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Report courtesy of the Newtownabbey Times

Ballyclare Comrades Reserves were whitewashed 10-0 at Shamrock Park. It was as a no contest in Portadown against a strengthened home team, who bagged four more in the second half after turning around six up.

With regular keeper Ben Fry suspended, outfield player Adam Surgeoner gamely volunteered to don the gloves.

Reflecting on the defeat manager Stephen Black said, “Portadown senior team boss Matthew Tipton wanted his fringe players to get game time, so we were up against a team that included ten players who had played for the senior side, and our young lads never stood a chance.”