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Tottonians Vs Overton

As with their previous League match, Overton came out of the starting blocks quickest and after good set at the ruck, **Toby Small** ran over to put Overton in front after just 4mins (**5-0**). Overton continued to press in the half but continually gave away good possession with careless passes but on 21mins **Tommy Hunter** sent a good cross field pass to **Small** who ran the final distance to put much needed space between the two teams (**10-0**). With Overton conceding a number of penalties under pressure it was no surprise when the big No.8 drove over the top of the ruck to reduce the arrears on 25mins (**10-5**).

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The break gave Overton a chance to reform as they had been under pressure for large parts of the first half. Immediately Tottonians fumbled from the kick-off and reacting quickly **Wazzer** kicked the loose ball forward and followed up to dive on the ball over the touch line (**15-5**). On 34 minutes Tottonians won a line-out close to the Overton touch line and the No.8 won the ball and drove over (**15-10**). With none of the tries being converted it was shaping up to be a very tight affair although Overton did get a chance to increase their lead when a penalty kick was awarded, but the kick dropped short. Tottonians then continued to push and the last 10mins were very tense with Overton defending deep in their half. The final whistle signalled time for celebrations from the visiting supporters and relief from what appeared to be 'extra time'.

Man of the Match – **Louis King**, moved up into the front row and fought ferociously despite coming under a lot of intimidation from the big opposing pack.

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