



Energia All Ireland League Div. 1A

UCD RFC VS Cork Con FC

Saturday 5th November 2022 2.30PM

Belfield Bowl

UCD 31 Cork Constitution 36

Cork Constitution met University College Dublin at the Belfield Bowl on Saturday, and in a high scoring encounter emerged with the points, including a bonus, to enhance their challenge for honours.

Constitution trailed 17-14 at the interval, having notched tries by David Hurley and Billy Crowley, both converted by Aidan Moynihan. UCD scored with tries from James Tarrant and Harry Donnelly, and conversions from Tim Crowley, who also kicked the lead penalty after 32 minutes.

Constitution took the lead in the 50th minute with an unconverted try by centre Niall Kenneally for 17-19. And they enhanced their advantage with two further tries, by Billy Scannell and Mattisse Lamarque d'Arrange, both converted for 17-33, and a bonus point in the bag.

College, however, hit back with tries on 65 and 71 minutes, before Moynihan closed out a good days work with a final penalty on 74 minutes, to leave the final totals at 31-36 to the visitors.

The bonus point victory maintains Constitution's fourth league placing on 19 points, six behind joint leaders Terenure and Clontarf, who had bonus point wins against Lansdowne and Dublin University respectively.

Next week Constitution meet Lansdowne at Templehill; Lansdowne lost at home to Terenure this weekend and are on six points from one win in six games.

Scorers:

Cork Constitution: D.Hurley 1T; B.Crowley 1T; N.Kenneally 1T; B.Scannell 1T; M.Lamarque d'Arrange 1T; A. Moynihan 4C1P.

UCD: J.Tarrant 1T; H.Donnelly 1T; T.Corkery 3C1P

Cork Con: G.Coombes; D.Hurley, G.Higgins, N.Kenneally, B.Crowley; A.Moynihan, L.Kahn; B.Quinlan, B.Scannell, L.Masters; S.Duffy, E.Quilter; J.Kelleher, J.Beamish, D.Hyland.
Replacements: T.McCarthy, A.Heaney, A.Treacy, M.Lamarque d'Arrange, L.Kerr, B.Mathews.

UCD: N.Carroll; S.Murray, J.Tarrant, H.Donnelly, T.Corkery; M.Moloney, C.Hennessy; G.McCarthy, R.McMahon, G.Hill; J.Fish, B.Sheehan, M.Fleming, S.O'Brien.
Replacements: E.Burns, E.Coyle, S.Burke, J.Cronin, T.Quinn, A.O'Grady.

Referee: Oisin Quinn IRFU



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