**Teignmouth V Axminster Town**

**Man of the match: Brett Garnel**.

**Axminster hold out for a hard fought victory.**

Lowly Axminster won at third in the table Teignmouth on Saturday after Adam Cowling scored the only goal against the run of play.

Teignmouth were the stronger team over all but missed chances cost them the game as Axminster took all three points back to East Devon.

A fine sunny bank holiday afternoon at Coombe Valley, and in front of a decent crowd, Teignmouth knew what was needed to keep the title race alive as Stoke had beaten Galmpton earlier that morning. Axminster couldn't get out of their own half as Teignmouth battled for an opener but Tom Arnold headed just over and Craig Stonelake put the ball just wide of the Axminster goal.

The Tigers then found themselves on the attack and the moral of the story is you must score goals to win. Cowling lobbed Liam Jones from the corner of the box scoring the only goal of the game which ended up winning the three points for Axminster.

Teignmouth found themselves camped in the Axminster half again in the second half but couldn't find a way back into the game missing chances left, right and centre. Ryan Bush saw his effort finely saved by Towns keeper and Matt Eves shot over the bar as Axminster held on for three points.

Teignmouth: Liam Jones, Tom Arnold, Terry Breslan, Scott Telford, Scott Baxter, Ian Wilkinson, Geoff Breslan, Ryan Bush, Hayden Roe, Craig Stonelake, Stephen Shrubb, Jack Baxter, Matt Eves, Gavin Breslan, Chris Benner, Nick Moyse

Axminster Town: Brett Garnel, Stuart Broome, Leigh Beer, Ben Turner, Mike Knight, Gary MaCauley, Dan Beer, Dan Galloway, Ben Vine, John Hurford, Adam Cowling, Neil Pidgeon, Joel Seward, Gary Knight, Callum Garrett, Adam Downse