

Hatters go down again

Mansfield 3 Luton 2

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LUTON slumped to their fourth defeat in six games as Mansfield defeated them 3-2 at Field Mill.

The hosts went ahead after nine minutes when Rhys Day was given time to swivel and fire the ball home from the centre of the penalty area.

Tony Thorpe burst clear and rounded the goalkeeper before equalising four minutes later, but Ilyseden Christie restored Mansfield's advantage when he slotted the ball home after an error by Sol Davis.

Wayne Corden extended the advantage with 11 minutes left when he cut inside and fired the ball into the top corner after Luton had failed to clear, before Thorpe pulled one back after beating the offside trap.