

Yorkshire and Cheshire held a close account at Stockport when they held a 9 – 9 result in July. Cheshire pulled out their best in their morning greensomes with a 4 – 2, while Yorkshire came back to claim a 7 – 5 after their better-balls held a 5 – 7 leaving a 9 – 9 total result. Meanwhile, Lancashire brought home a strong 14 ½ result at Hexham while Northumberland only managed a pour share of 3 ½ result. Meanwhile, Durham pulled a superb 4 – 2 greensome result against Cumbrian in the morning. However, Durham brought home an 11 – 1 result in the afternoon, leaving a 15 – 3 total to finish.

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### Cheshire and Yorkshire were caught in a superb tie

Cheshire made a good start at Stockport with four points at lunch bringing their morning 4 – 2 start against Yorkshire. Cheshire's Martin France & Euan Dunbar (2&1) and David Nelson (2up) and John Williams & Martin Keates (3&2). While Yorkshire's R Norton and A Wright pulled their half.

In the afternoon, it was Yorkshire who pulled the scorelines with J Lawrence & R Jones (3&2); R Norton & A Wright (4&3) and A King and M Lawson (1 up). The 'better' balls produced a 5 – 7 to Yorkshire with the greensomes scorelines was a 9-9 match total.

### Durham made 'hay' while Cumbria lost their way.

It was all Durham's way at Wearside last Monday with a 4 -2 against Cumbria with only 2 pts from Cumbria with Durham hanging on. In the fourball better-ball in the afternoon, it all went to Durham.

In the afternoon, it was John Kirkpatrick & Ian Hendry together with Nigel King & David Conway who pulled 4 points out of the bag while Geoff Wilkinson and John Ellwood was all square. Mark Wardle & Graham Border; Dave McColl & Keith McAllister and to finish, Ian Davison & Paul Reed completed the match at 11-1 with match result at 15 - 3

### Lancashire made sunshine in Hexham

Lancashire had no problem at Hexham as they completed a 14.12 - 3.12 to complete their match at Hexham against Northumberland. It started with a 4 - 1/2 in the morning and 10 points came their way to complete the match.

In the afternoon it was T Foster & G Lacy; I Crowther & B Hughes; N Self & T Flanagan; R Parry & R Godley; and K Bowker & S Matthews to complete the 14 ½ to 3 ½. Lancashire will look well to the next match against Cumbria in August.

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