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### TANGERINE MEN VICTORIOUS IN GOALFEST

St Albans Hockey Club's men's first XI went one better than their 4-4 draw with City of Peterborough the previous week with a 5-4 away win at Dereham on Saturday. Goals from Tom Hudson, Adam Jones, Mark Lowden (2) and Scott Apps saw the tangerines storm into a 5-1 lead before the hosts clawed back 3 goals late on in a 9 goal thriller. Unbeaten in four games the win sees St Albans rise to third in the East Prem Division A. The ladies 1<sup>st</sup> XI remain second in the Investec Conference East after a frustrating 2-0 defeat to a well organised and hard tackling Harleston Magpies team who took chances in the middle of each half, while the home side were unable to convert from their midfield possession and a series of penalty corners. The Ladies 2s fared better in a gritty turnaround performance against Upminster, to stay top of East League Division 1S. The tangerines conceded in a disastrous start, but pressure and patience paid off with a Hayley Payne equaliser just before half time. The points were secured through a skilful Annie Barratt volley from a clever Sarah Embrey lateral aerial. This Saturday both first teams are at home at Oaklands: the Ladies' 1s play Chelmsford at 1pm, the Men's 1s are on at 3pm against Harleston Magpies.

PHOTO: SAHC's Adam Jones in action (photo: [Chris Hobson](#)).



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