

## Ladies one step from title

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LADIES FOOTBALL: Winsford Ladies remain top of the Cheshire and Manchester League Second Division with one game remaining after they hammered Fletcher Moss Ladies away 5 – 0.

But it was a frustrating first half for Winsford. A combination of a poor pitch and a determined defence by the home side kept the scores level at the break.

However, within 10 minutes of the resumption, the game was effectively over thanks to a brace from top scorer Sarah Lee. Her first came on 50 minutes when she found space in the box and struck the corner of the net.

The second came five minutes later and this time Lee showed great composure in the box before volleying past the keeper.

Laura Renshaw beat the goalkeeper to the ball for the third and a Becky Hilditch chip and a 40-yarder from Danielle Lydiate completed the rout.

Winsford need only to avoid defeat at Manchester City on Sunday to take the title. Unbeaten City pipped Winsford 3 – 2 last month.