



# MATCH REPORT

## BANBRIDGE HOCKEY CLUB

### MATCH DETAILS

DATE	RESULT	TIME	COMPETITION
14/12/2021	H 2021/22 9 0 NORTH DOWN	19:45	
DAVID FINLAY (1), JOHNNY MCKEE (2), OLIVER BERRY (2), ALEXANDER TINNEY (2), CODY LARGE (1), OWEN MAGEE (1)			

Banbridge made it safely through to the semi-finals of this season's Kirk Cup with a resounding 9-0 home victory over North Down. Johnny McKee opening the scoring after 14 minutes when he was on hand to touch in David Finlay's cross from the by-line. One minute later McKee turned provider when his high ball was tapped in by Oliver Berry. Bann's first penalty corner was converted by captain Alexander Tinney when he ripped the ball past the North Down keeper's glove side. The score became 4-0 just before half time when after a goalmouth scramble, Finlay was on hand to lash the ball into the roof of the net for his well-deserved goal.

Just after the break, Phillip Brown saw his penalty corner attempt taken off the line and Luke Witherow then blasted wide after rounding two defenders in the circle. Cody Large deflected in Owen Magee's cross before Tinney scored Bann's sixth from another penalty corner. North Down's only penalty corner was charged down by the impressive Tinney. Christopher Curry nearly increased the lead but he squeezed his shot just wide. Three quick goals finished the game off for the home side. Owen Magee smashed the ball in on his reverse before a counter attack saw Johnny McKee round the visiting keeper for number eight. The final goal resulted from a great flowing move in midfield. Matthew McKee fed Curry who skipped the ball in for Berry to get his second. Indeed Bann could have increased their lead further but two Owen Magee reverse shots from penalty corners were well saved by the North Down keeper.

The Ulster Carpets sponsored Banbridge side complete their Kirk Cup group matches with a dead rubber away to Raphoe.

Squad:

Luke Roleston, Elliott Haw, Alexander Tinney (captain), Eugene Magee, Phillip Brown, Charlie Rowe, Luke Witherow, Owen Magee, Mark Cowan, Johnny McKee, David Finlay, Christopher Curry, Matthew McKee, Ben Pollock, Joel Reid, David Gallagher, Oliver Berry, Cody Large.

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