



Dan Udoh scored his first goal in two months as Wycombe Wanderers drew 1-1 away at Crawley Town in Mike Dodds' inaugural league game in charge.

Despite going into the match in West Sussex second in the table, it was the side near the foot of the table that took the lead, as a brilliant strike from Will Swan put Rob Elliot's side ahead.

Wanderers pressed on and were almost rewarded for their efforts when Fred Onyedinma's looping header had to be clawed off the line by Jojo Wollacott.

But it wasn't long before the Adams Park side were on the scoresheet as Declan Skura's long ball was collected by Udoh, who brilliantly placed his sixth strike of the season and his first since December.

In the second period, Tyreece John-Jules found space on the right flank and drilled a low ball into the box, which evaded all of the Wycombe defenders, but Will Norris on his league debut for Wanderers, got a strong hand and palmed it away for a corner.

For the Chairboys, Xavier Simons made his debut with five minutes remaining following his loan move from Hull City, and the 21-year-old showed why there is a lot of excitement surrounding him, as he played some laser-guided passes and made an important challenge to deny a quick Crawley counter.

In the dying embers of the contest, Wycombe could've won it in stoppage time, through Gideon Kodua and Beryly Lubala but both were denied.

Sam Vokes, who was playing his first game since August also went close.

Wycombe stay second in League One, now with just two points between themselves and third-place Wrexham, following their 2-0 victory over Northampton Town at lunchtime.