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**Royal Wootton Bassett Town**

**v Bideford Ladies**

South West Regional Women's League , Premier Division

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# Club Officials Season 2019-20

# The Women's Football Pyramid & Wiltshire Women's County Cup



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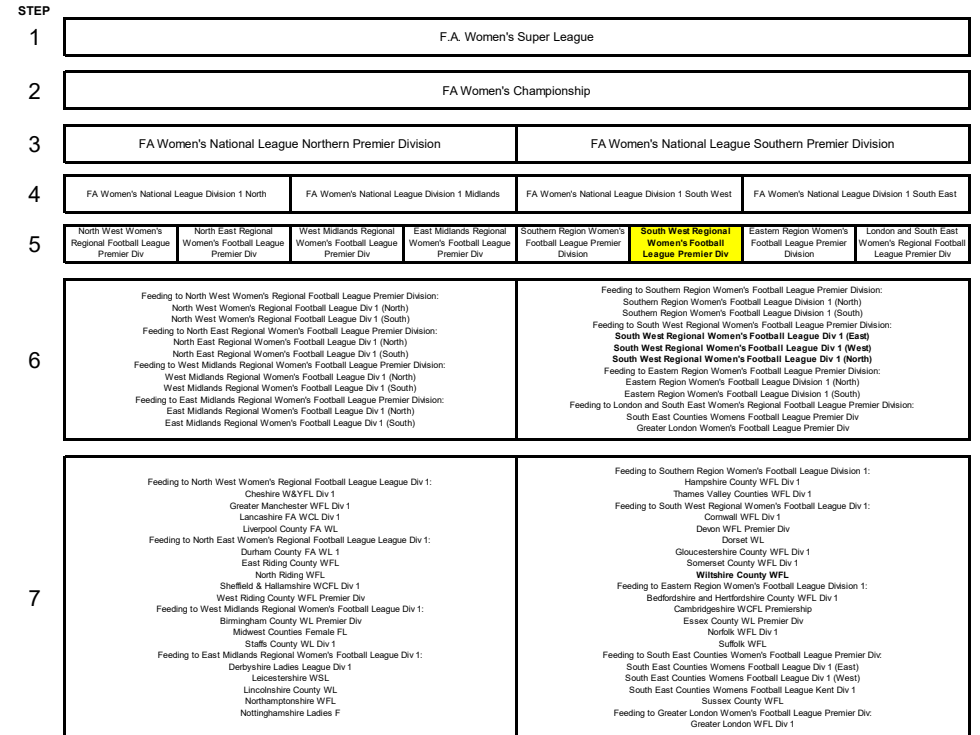
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- Step 4 Swindon Town FC
- Step 5 Royal Wootton Bassett Town
- Step 6 Laverstock & Ford, Swindon Spitfires, Swindon Supermarine, Swindon Town Dev, Trowbridge Town
- Step 7 FC Calne, Highworth Town, Melksham Town, Salisbury, Swindon Supermarine, Marlborough Town, Trowbridge Wanderers, Warminster Sky Blues

Wiltshire County Women's Cup Season 2019-20		
<b>First Round - 15 September 2019</b>		
FC Chippenham	2 - 0	Trowbridge Town
<b>Royal W. Bassett Town</b>	<b>4 - 0</b>	<b>Laverstock &amp; Ford</b>
Trowbridge Wanderers	1 - 3	Salisbury FC
<b>Quarter Finals - 17 November 2019</b>		
Marlborough	v	FC Chippenham
<b>Royal W. Bassett Town</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Melksham Town</b>
Swindon Spitfires	v	Swindon Supermarine
Swindon Town	v	Salisbury
<b>Semi Finals - 19 January 2020</b>		
<b>Final - 29th March 2020</b>		



# League Table & Results



# Today's Teams



Royal Wootton Bassett Town v Bideford Ladies

## South West Women's Football League - Premier Division Season 2019-20

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Callington Town Ladies	7	5	0	2	25	7	15
2 <b>Royal W. Bassett Town Ladies</b>	4	3	0	1	18	8	9
3 Ilminster Town Ladies	3	2	1	0	11	2	7
4 Keynsham Town Dev #	6	3	1	2	8	10	7
5 Bishops Lydeard Ladies	3	1	1	1	7	6	4
6 Bideford Ladies AFC	4	1	1	2	6	8	4
7 Portishead Ladies	1	1	0	0	9	1	3
8 Marine Academy Plymouth Ladies	3	1	0	2	5	7	3
9 Middlezoy Ladies	4	1	0	3	2	9	3
10 Torquay United Women #	5	0	0	5	2	35	-3

# Points deducted for non fulfilment of fixtures

### South West Womens League - Premier Division Results 2019-20

Eastern Division	Bideford	Bishops L	Callington	Ilminster	Keynsham	MA Plym'h	Middlezoy	Portishead	RWBT	Torquay U
Bideford		17-Nov	0 - 3	1-Dec	0 - 0	15-Dec	4 - 1	12-Jan	10-Nov	27-Oct
Bishops Lydeard	4 - 2		1-Dec	2 - 2	15-Dec	1-Mar	12-Jan	2-Feb	24-Nov	10-Nov
Callington Town	24-Nov	9-Feb		15-Dec	5 - 0	12-Jan	3 - 0	10-Nov	8-Dec	9 - 0
Ilminster Town	2-Feb	8-Dec	4 - 0		12-Jan	TBA	10-Nov	16-Feb	5-Jan	24-Nov
Keynsham Town	8-Dec	2 - 5	1 - 0	9-Feb		10-Nov	2 - 0	24-Nov	19-Jan	1-Dec
M.A. Plymouth	23-Feb	5-Jan	16-Feb	19-Jan	3-Nov		24-Nov	9-Feb	0 - 5	8-Dec
Middlezoy Ladies	5-Jan	26-Jan	19-Jan	3-Nov	17-Nov	1 - 0		8-Dec	2-Feb	16-Feb
Portishead Town	26-Jan	19-Jan	3-Nov	17-Nov	1-Mar	1-Dec	8-Mar		23-Feb	5-Jan
Royal W. Bassett T	3-Nov	16-Feb	2 - 5	1-Mar	4 - 3	8-Mar	1-Dec	15-Dec		12-Jan
Torquay United	19-Jan	3-Nov	17-Nov		26-Jan	1 - 5	15-Dec	1 - 9	0 - 7	

### South West Women's Football League - Division 1 Eastern Season 2019-20

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Swindon Spitfires Womens	5	3	1	1	26	15	10
2 Frome Town LFC	4	3	0	1	10	6	9
3 Sherborne Town Ladies	3	2	1	0	13	4	7
4 Swindon Supermarine Womens	5	2	1	2	13	23	7
5 Laverstock & Ford (Ladies)	6	1	3	2	15	17	6
6 Trowbridge Town Ladies	4	0	2	2	5	15	2
7 Pen Mill Ladies	4	0	1	3	5	9	1
8 Forest Green Rovers Women	3	0	1	2	5	11	1
9 Swindon Town Women Dev #	2	2	0	0	11	3	0

# Points deducted for non fulfilment of fixtures

### South West Women's Football League - Division 1 Western Season 2019-20

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Plymouth Argyle LFC	7	4	0	3	42	16	12
2 Feniton Ladies	5	4	0	1	24	11	12
3 Alphington Ladies	6	4	0	2	22	12	12
4 Plympton Ladies	5	3	0	2	20	11	9
5 St Agnes AFC Ladies	6	3	0	3	23	20	9
6 Bude Town Ladies	4	1	0	3	7	25	3
7 Exeter & Tedburn Rangers Women	5	0	0	5	1	44	0

### South West Women's Football League - Division 1 Northern Season 2019-20

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Frampton Rangers Ladies	6	5	0	1	17	6	15
2 Cheltenham Town Ladies Dev	7	4	1	2	22	10	13
3 Almondsbury Women	5	4	0	1	13	5	12
4 Oldland Abbotonians Ladies	5	3	2	0	18	5	11
5 Bristol Ladies Union	4	2	1	1	18	8	7
6 Weston Mendip Ladies	5	2	1	2	13	10	7
7 Chipping Sodbury Town LFC	6	2	1	3	7	11	7
8 AEK Boco Ladies	5	1	0	4	5	16	3
9 Weston Super Mare Ladies	7	1	0	6	10	41	3
10 Downend Flyers Women	4	0	0	4	4	15	0

### Wiltshire Women's Football League - Division 1 Season 2019-20

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Melksham Town FC Ladies	6	6	0	0			18
2 Trowbridge Wanderers Ladies	6	4	1	1			13
3 Highworth Town FC Ladies	6	3	0	3			9
4 Salisbury FC Women	6	3	0	3			9
5 FC Chippenham Youth Ladies	4	2	1	1			7
6 Marlborough Town Ladies	6	1	2	3			5
7 Warminster Sky Blues Girls Ladies	6	1	0	5			3
8 FC Calne Adults Ladies	4	0	0	4			0

Home Team Squad			No.	Sub
1	Abi	Footner		
2	Hannah	Gulliver		
3	Amber	Egerton		
4	Mollie	Smith		
5	Laura	Jefferies		
6	Rosie	Kirk		
7	Lauren	Kayll		
8	Beth	Kelloway		
9	Hayley	Huckin		
10	Lisa	Coe		
11	Madeline	Elliott		
12	Lara	Wilson		
14	Aly	Lyons		
15	Lily	Withers		
16	Sophie	Smith		
17	Eloise	Hayward		
18	Alice	Farnell		
19	Grace	Eagles		
20	Jessica	Dent		
21	Lauren	Usher		
22	Holly	Baker		
23				
24				

Visitors Team Squad			No.	Sub
1	Zoe	Stock		
2	Shona	Ardy		
3	Carleigh	Boyce		
4	Alice	Beresford		
5	Sarah	Short		
6	Katelyn	McKane		
7	Tracey	Cross		
8	Rohana	Little		
9	Rebecca	McMullin		
10	Bethany	Ellis		
11	Leanne	Cording		
12	Harley	Bowskill		
14	Hannah	Neve		
15	Caroline	Parsons		
16	Emma	Stoneman		
17	Maria	Penfold		
18	Samantha	Ayres		
19	Poppy	Cloke		
20	Phoebe	Baker		
21	Charlie	Donovan		
22	Lyndsay	Gist		
23	Kirsty	Talbot		
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### Dugout Team

Jt Manager: Jonny House  
Jt Manager: James Goddard

### Dugout Team

Manager: Roger Bonaparte  
Assistant: Jorgi Usher  
Coach:

### Match Officials

Referee: Steve Higgins  
Assist. Ref (Red Flag): Laura Morgan  
Assist. Ref (Yellow Flag): Martin Siddle

### Next Home Games at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground

Thur	07-Nov-19 v FC Chippenham (Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League U18 Division) Kick-off 7.45PM
Sat	09-Nov-19 v Burnham (Uhlisport Hellenic League Premier Division) Kick-off 3.00PM
Mon	11-Nov-19 v Defence Academy (Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League Vets Division) Kick-off 8.35PM
Thur	14-Nov-19 v New College Swindon (Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League U18 Division) Kick-off 7.45PM
Sat	16-Nov-19 v Corsham Town Res (Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League Premier Division) Kick-off 2.15PM
Sun	17-Nov-19 v Melksham Town Ladies (Wiltshire Women's County Cup)



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## Today's Visitors

Welcome to the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground for another South West Regional Women's League Premier Division home fixture, today our visitors are Bideford Ladies. A special warm welcome to all the players, officials and spectators who have made the long journey from Devon for this game here today. We hope they enjoy their short stay with us this afternoon and we wish them a safe journey home.

Bideford come into today's game on the back of a 3-0 home defeat in the Pat Sowden Cup against Callington Town. This is the second time this season they have lost 3-0 at home to Callington, having also lost by the same score in their league match. Bideford currently sit in 6th place in the league table with one win and one draw from their opening four league games. The solitary league win was a 4-1 success over Middlezoy and the draw came against our opponents from last Sunday, Keynsham Town Development, so we can certainly expect another tough game here today. Bideford, like ourselves, were promoted to the Premier Division at the end of last season, this after they finished in 3rd place in the Western Division last season, just four points adrift of champions Plymouth Argyle Reserves. Top scorer last season was Bethany Ellis who hit 28 goals in their promotion campaign and Bethany is once again Bideford's current leading scorer this season with five goals and will be the player we will have to watch out for today.

## Keynsham Town Development Last Week

After leading 3-0 at the break last Sunday it looked like the Ladies would secure an easy win over last season's runners-up but a poor second half showing saw us just edge it 4-3 in the end. Despite letting it slip in the second half this was an excellent result against one of the top sides in the division and lifted the Ladies up into second place in the table, six points behind leaders Callington Town but with three games in hand on the leaders. Two more goals for Hayley Huckin, who remains the leagues leading goal scorer with 11 goals when all competitions are taken into account. There was also two goals for Lauren Kayll who moved onto 4 goals for the season so far.

## Pat Sowden Cup & FA Cup

The Bassett Ladies have been given a home draw in the Pat Sowden Cup, the League Cup for teams in the Premier Division of the South West Regional Women's League. The Bassett Ladies will be at home against Middlezoy in the Second Round having had a bye in the First Round. Middlezoy made it through to the Second Round with a 4-1 away win against Torquay United in the First Round last Sunday. The full Second Round draw is included in today's programme. Finally well done to Portishead Town who continue to fly the flag for the South West Regional Women's League after their penalty shoot-out win last Sunday against Moneyfields that sees them through to the First Round Proper.

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## Rosie Kirk

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Rosie is a young defender who will be entering her first season in the senior game. A player who has really stood out during pre-season, she will be looking to make herself a regular in the starting eleven. She reads the game exceptionally well for someone of her age and has a calmness which is rare in a player so young.



<b>Nickname</b>	Rose
<b>Occupation</b>	Assistant coach
<b>Position</b>	Defender / midfielder
<b>Number of Seasons at Club</b>	First season
<b>Former Clubs</b>	Swindon Spitfires, Swindon Town
<b>Highlight of Football Career To Date</b>	Scoring top bins from the half way line to secure a win for my team
<b>Biggest Influence on Football Career</b>	My family and women's football over time
<b>Favourite Football Team</b>	Liverpool
<b>Favourite Football Player (Past or Current)</b>	Lucy Bronze
<b>Favourite Drink</b>	Coke
<b>If you could only eat 1 food for the rest of your life, what would it be</b>	Chicken
<b>Favourite Holiday Destination</b>	America
<b>Favourite TV Programme / Film</b>	Orange Is the new black
<b>Favourite Band / Musician</b>	aminé/chris brown
<b>Fun/interesting fact</b>	I have a twin brother

Afternoon all,

It's nice to be writing this on the back of three hard earned points against Keynsham. We certainly made hard work of it in the end but the points are all that matters. To say we were brilliant first half is an understatement, we dominated the game and could have been out of sight. To see the Ladies playing with such confidence is pleasing and again shows the level of talent we have at our disposal. The second half was tough but fair play to Keynsham for giving it a really good go, sometimes it happens in football and we have to be able to deal with that better to see the game out more comfortably.



Sitting 2nd in the league at the end of October with three wins from four isn't something we necessarily expected in the summer. Certainly we have shown we can compete at this level and the question now is how far we can go this season. We always said we would reflect at Christmas time and this hasn't changed, it's a case of taking it a game at a time and trying to put as many points on the board as possible.

Today we welcome Bideford for the first of back to back fixtures. They like ourselves are a team who were promoted last year so they will feel like they can come here and get a result, our job is to play at our best to stop this happening.

Please enjoy the game and support the ladies as much as possible!

*James & Jonny*

Being back at home last weekend it was nice to get three points on the board. In what was a comfortable first half going three nil up, it was disappointing to take our foot off the pedal and ended up battling out the remaining minutes of the match to secure the points. Full credit to Keynsham for bringing it back to within a goal but it was positive that despite a couple of injuries we dug deep for a result. Today we welcome Bideford in what is a double header for us. Aiming to add more points today against a team who has had a mixture of results, we are positive as a team we can do just that should we get the ball down and play the football we know. Welcome to Wootton Bassett and we hope you enjoy the game!



*Laura*



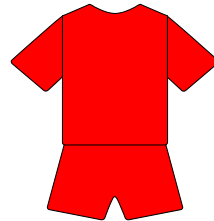
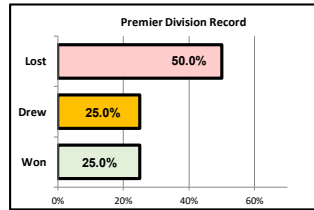
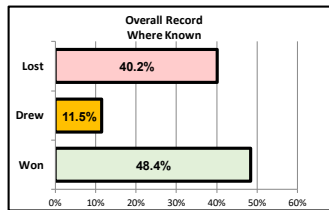
# Today's Opponents Recent Record

# Match Report v Keynsham T Dev (H)

## Bideford Ladies Historical Record - Recent Completed Seasons + Current

Season	League & Division	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Top Scorer (including cups)
2011/12	Devon Women's Division 1	16	3	2	11	23	42	11	7 out of 9	Not known
2012/13	Devon Women's Division 1	16	11	1	4	58	33	34	2 out of 9	Not known
2013/14	Devon Women's Premier League	14	5	1	8	21	61	16	6 out of 8	Not known
2014/15	Devon Women's Premier League	12	3	1	8	14	40	10	3 out of 6	Not known
2015/16	Devon Women's Premier League	10	4	3	3	18	18	15	4 out of 6	Not known
2016/17	Devon Women's Premier League	14	12	1	1	61	18	37	1 out of 8	Not known
2017/18	S.West Regional Women's Western Div 1	16	7	1	8	22	36	22	5 out of 9	B. Ellis 13
2018/19	S.West Regional Women's Western Div 1	20	13	3	4	68	26	42	3 out of 11	B. Ellis 28
2019/20	S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	4	1	1	2	6	8	4	6 out of 10	B. Ellis 5
Totals		122	59	14	49	291	282			
Won:Drew:Lost Ratio			48.4%	11.5%	40.2%					

Devon Women's Division 1	32	14	3	15	81	75	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	43.8%	9.4%	46.9%
Devon Women's Premier League	50	24	6	20	114	137	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	48.0%	12.0%	40.0%
S.W. Regional Women's Western Div 1	36	20	4	12	90	62	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	55.6%	11.1%	33.3%
S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	4	1	1	2	6	8	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	25.0%	25.0%	50.0%



### Last Season - 2018-19

#### South West Regional Women's Football League - Western Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Plymouth Argyle Res	20	14	4	2	79	33	46
2 Plympton	20	13	4	3	73	39	43
3 Bideford	20	13	3	4	68	26	42
4 Alphington	20	11	2	7	57	32	35
5 Weston Mendip	20	10	3	7	61	28	33
6 Bude Town	20	10	0	10	46	57	30
7 St Agnes	20	7	4	9	46	56	25
8 Pen Mill	20	6	4	10	55	60	22
9 Feniton	20	6	2	12	45	57	20
10 Weston Super Mare	20	4	4	12	53	86	16
11 Exeter & Tedburn Rangers	20	1	0	19	18	127	3

#### Results 2018-19

	Home	Away
W 3 - 0	L 1 - 4	
D 2 - 2	L 2 - 3	
W 5 - 0	L 0 - 2	
W 3 - 0	L 2 - 5	
W 3 - 1	W 4 - 0	
W 2 - 0	D 3 - 3	
W 5 - 0	W 2 - 1	
W 3 - 0	D 2 - 2	
W 8 - 1	W 5 - 0	
W 6 - 1	W 7 - 1	

Bideford Ladies started the season with a fine 5-2 FA Cup win over Division One side St Agnes. They then opened their first ever league campaign in the Premier Division with two defeats, losing 4-2 at Bishops Lydeard in their opening league encounter and then 3-0 at home against Callington Town. They exited the FA Cup in the next round following a 9-3 defeat away at Winchester City. The first league point of the season was picked up following an excellent 0-0 draw with last season's runners-up Keynsham Development. The first league win followed in their next outing when they won 4-1 at home against Middlezoy. The past two weeks has seen them play in cup competitions. In their County Cup they went down 5-1 at home against Exeter City and then last week they went out of the Pat Sowden Cup, losing 3-0 at home to Callington Town for the second time this season.

At half time of their home encounter with Keynsham Town Development, Royal Wootton Bassett Town Ladies were well in command. A superb, hard-working performance saw them earn a 3-0 lead against last season's South West Regional Women's Football League Premier Division runners-up. It appeared to be an unassailable position. However, a poor second half display saw Bassett gift Keynsham a way back into the game. And it seemed as if the home side were going to walk away from the game with a point at best. Somehow though, they managed to sneak a victory, Hayley Huckin's second of the game, scored against the run of play, proving vital to seal the win by the odd goal in seven.

Bassett had been in dominant form in the first half. They went ahead after just three minutes. Hannah Gulliver's cross evaded everyone in the box but Huckin was able to chase down the loose ball and swung in a deliver of her own, which Lauren Kayll header home. Bassett continued to mount pressure after taking an early lead, with Huckin's pace proving particularly problematic for the visitors. After failing to find the net in conventional fashion, the forward eventually converted to double Bassett's advantage, scoring directly from a cross. It was a second goal that her team richly deserved. And Kayll soon extended it further with an outstanding goal. Kayll's clever dummy allowed her to beat her marker and she smashed a drive into the top corner.

Huckin then almost made it four within five minutes of the restart but her header from a Kayll delivery was well saved by Lucy Bidgood who had taken over in goal at half time for Keynsham. That almost proved costly. The visitors got one back with a long range effort from Hannah Simms on 53 minutes: And she grabbed a second in almost identical fashion within a minute of registering her first. Huckin then passed up a one-on-one opportunity before Laura Jefferies' goalline clearance at the other end kept Bassett in front. A two goal lead was then restored on 66 minutes. It came well against the run of play, Huckin bursting past her marker before slotting home. But Keynsham weren't subdued. A pair of corners led to shots narrowly off target before Simms got her third with quarter of an hour to go, again beating Alice Farnell from distance. The game was therefore finely poised going into the final minutes. Bassett has an opportunity to finally put the game to bed but Jefferies curled inches over from a free kick. Three minutes later Farnell did just enough to deny Emily Plummer a free run at a cross. The ball fell to Sophie Allen though but she saw her shot deflected wide. A brave claim from Farnell from the resulting corner then proved to be the final action of note, the Bassett 'keeper suffering a knock but, courageously, helping preserve all three points in a tense, thrilling contest.

## Next Away Game—Travel Details

Our next away game is next Sunday, 10th November 2019 when we travel to play today's visitors Bideford Ladies for a league fixture. The ground address, including the postcode for your Sat Navs, is The Sports Ground, Kingsley Road. Bideford. **EX39 2NG**.





# The Women's FA Cup

# Today's Opponents—History

THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 2019-20						
Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
					Winner	Loser
18-Aug-19	Extra Preliminary Round	v Bye			£300	£75
1-Sep-19	Preliminary Round	v Chipping Sodbury Town	H	W 7 - 0	£360	£90
22-Sep-19	First Qualifying Round	v Torquay United Ladies	H	W 8 - 0	£400	£100
6-Oct-19	Second Qualifying Round	v Portishead Ladies *	A	L 0 - 1	£450	£115
27-Oct-19	Third Qualifying Round	v Moneyfields	H		£600	£150
10-Nov-19	First Round	v Southampton or AFC Bournemouth*	A		£850	£215
1-Dec-19	Second Round				£1,000	£250
5-Jan-20	Third Round				£1,250	£315
26-Jan-20	Fourth Round				£2,000	£500
16-Feb-20	Fifth Round				£3,000	£750
15-Mar-20	Sixth Round				£4,000	£1,000
19-Apr-20	Semi-Final		Wembley		£5,000	£1,250
9-May-20	Final		Wembley		£25,000	£15,000
* Still in competition					<b>Total Prize Money Won</b>	
						<b>£875</b>

## RWBTFC Women's F.A. Cup Record

2012-13	QR1	Southampton Women	H	L 2 - 6
2013-14	Pre	Cheltenham Cival Service	H	W 1 - 0
	QR1	Bristol Ladies Union	A	L 0 - 11
2014-15	Pre	Ilminster Town	H	L 2 - 4
2015-16	QR1	Downend Flyers	H	L 1 - 5
2016-17	QR2	AEK Boco	A	L 1 - 3
2017-18	QR1	AFC Bournemouth	H	L 2 - 5
2018-19	QR1	Warsash Wasps	A	L 1 - 3
2019-20	Pre	Chipping Sodbury Town	H	W 7 - 0
	QR1	Torquay United	H	W 8 - 0
	QR2	Portishead Town	A	L 0 - 1



Bideford A.F.C. is an English non-league football club from Bideford, Devon whose senior men's side plays in the Evo-Stik Southern League Division One South & West. The club was first formed in the late 1890's and was then called "Bideford Town". They were nicknamed "The Robins" due to their red shirts and remain so to this day. Since the first decade of the twentieth century, the club has predominantly played at the Sports Ground, Kingsley Road

in Bideford. Until entering hibernation for the duration of World War Two it was a highly successful club, albeit one that played the majority of it's football in North Devon.

Following it's reformation in the 1947/48 season, the club was reborn as "Bideford Association Football Club" and entered the Exeter and East Devon League. Bideford were runners up in the 1948/49 season, and applied to join then the Western League. Bideford won Division Three without losing a game and two seasons later they won the second division and promotion to Division One. At this time the club did not have a club house but there was a Nissen Hut just inside the main gate and a wooden grandstand, which was replaced with the present one after the Bradford City fire disaster.

In 1964/65 Bideford reached the first round proper of the FA Cup, and drew away at Colchester United 3-3 and lost home in the replay 1-2, at which BBC cameras were present. Bideford won the Western League three times before joining the Southern League in 1972. The club spent three seasons in the Southern league before the extra expense involved and increased travelling took its toll, forcing them to drop down back to the Western League. During their time in the Southern League, the club set an all-time FA Cup record when in 1974-75 they played thirteen FA Cup games in a single season. Two more Western League titles followed in the early 1980s before a financial crisis hit the club. A re-formation took place in 1987 leading to the current set up, a company limited by guarantee under the revised company name Bideford AFC (1987) Ltd.

The club won four more Western League titles and also reached the FA Vase semi-finals where they lost to Winchester City. Despite winning the Western League four times under Manager Sean Joyce between 2000 to 2006, the club elected not to apply for promotion to the Southern League due to the amount of travelling and expense that would be involved in playing teams which, almost without exception, would be over 100 miles away. However after winning the Western League again for the 10th time in the 2009/10 season and winning the Devon St Luke's Bowl where they beat Exeter City 2-1 in the final, Bideford AFC accepted promotion to the Southern League in May 2010 joining Division One South & West. In only their second season in Division One (S&W) Bideford were crowned Champions by an impressive eleven point margin and gained promotion for the first time in the club's history to the Southern League Premier Division. 2013/14 saw Bideford finish in their highest ever league position of 8th in the Premier Division but after four years at that level they were relegated for the first time in their history back to Division One in 2015/16.

The Ladies side at Bideford have been running for a number of years now. The earliest statistical information we have been able to trace is from Season 2011/12 when they were playing in Division 1 of the Devon Women's League. Season 2012/13 saw them promoted to the Premier Division after they had finished runners-up behind Ilfracombe. They were to spend four seasons in the Premier Division and in the final season of that four they won the league finishing a point ahead of Plymouth Argyle Res and were promoted to the South West Regional Women's League Western Division. In the first season at the higher level they finished in a respectable fifth place. They improved on that last season when they finished in third spot to gain promotion to the Premier Division.



# Bideford Ladies Pen Pics



**Zoe Stock - Goalkeeper**  
Regular Number 1 at Bideford who previously played for Horrabridge Rangers. Made 18 appearances in their promotion season and has missed just one game this season.  
2018-19 Appearances: 18      2019-20 Appearances: 7



**Shona Ardy - Defence**  
Shona plays right-back and was another key member of last season's promotion winning side.  
2018-19 Appearances: 12, 2 goals      2019-20 Appearances: 5



**Lyndsay Gist - Defence**  
Left back whose only appearance this season came in the 0-0 draw with Keynsham Town Dev.  
2018-19 Appearances: 16      2019-20 Appearances: 1



**Carleigh Justine Boyce - Defence**  
Another player who previously played for Horrabridge Rangers.  
2018-19 Appearances: 16      2019-20 Appearances: 6



**Sarah Short - Defence**  
Central defender who was a key part of last season's promotion winning squad.  
2018-19 Appearances: 19, 1 goal      2019-20 Appearances: 8, 1 goal



**Sam Ayres - Midfield**  
Central midfield player who is also the captain of the team.  
2018-19 Appearances: 19, 1 goal      2019-20 Appearances: 7, 1 goal



**Tracey Cross - Midfield**  
Attacking midfield player who joined the side this season.  
2018-19 Appearances: n/a      2019-20 Appearances: 8, 1 goal



**Rohana Little - Midfield**  
One of two players to make 20 appearances in last season's promotion winning season. An attacking midfield player who also gets amongst the goals.  
2018-19 Appearances: 20, 6 goals      2019-20 Appearances: 8, 1 goal



**Katelyn McKane - Midfield**  
Left sided midfield player who joined in the summer. Already has hit a goal every other game so far this season.  
2018-19 Appearances: n/a      2019-20 Appearances: 6, 3 goals

**Leanne Cording - Midfield**  
Another left sided midfield player with an eye for goal. An ever present so far this season.  
2018-19 Appearances: 17, 3 goals      2019-20 Appearances: 8



**Beth Ellis - Striker**  
Top scorer in each of the last two seasons and already the leading scorer this campaign. The other player to make 20 appearances in last season's promotion winning campaign.  
2018-19 Appearances: 20, 28 goals      2019-20 Appearances: 8, 5 goals



**Poppy Cloke - Striker**  
Youngster who has already made an impact this season from the bench with two goals to her name.  
2018-19 Appearances: n/a      2019-20 Appearances: 5, 2 goals



**Rebecca McMullen - Striker**  
Centre forward who has yet to find the net this season but will be another danger player to watch out for this afternoon.  
2018-19 Appearances: n/a      2019-20 Appearances: 6

# Pat Sowden Knockout Cup

## PAT SOWDEN CUP SEASON 2019-20

First Round		
Bideford	0 - 3	Callington Town
Torquay United	1 - 4	Middlezoy
Bishops Lydeard	bye	
Marine Academy Plymouth	bye	
Portishead	bye	
Iminster Town	bye	
Keynsham Town Dev	bye	
Royal Wootton Bassett T	bye	

Second Round		
Bishops Lydeard	v	Marine Academy Plymouth
Callington Town	v	Portishead
Iminster Town	v	Keynsham Town Dev
Royal Wootton Bassett T	v	Middlezoy

Semi Finals		

Final		







# Premier Division Top Goal Scorers

# Round-up of Premier Division Action in South West Regional Women's League

## South West Women's Football League - Premier Division Ladies Top Scorers - Season 2019-20

	League	FA Cup	Pat Sowden Cup	County Cup	Total
Haley Huckin (RWBTFC)	5	4		2	11
Gabi Alphous (Callington Town)	7				7
Shannon Holloway (Portishead)	3	4			7
Hannah Gulliver (RWBTFC)	1	4		1	6
Charlotte Dymond (Torquay Utd)	2	2	1		5
Bethaney Ellis (Bideford)	1	4			5
Lauren Kayll (RWBTFC)	4				4
Madeline Elliott (RWBTFC)		4			4
Keri-Ann Moxom (Callington Town)	3				3
Ezme Wells (Callington Town)	3				3
Sam Kotlinska (Callington Town)	3				3
Charlie Pettinger (Ilminster Town)	3				3
Graziely Esperanca (Ilminster Town)	3				3
Hannah Sims (Keynsham Town)	3				3
Katelyn McKane	2	1			3
Dani Harper (Callington Town)	2		1		3
Abbie Carslake (Ilminster Town)	2	1			3
Emily Lindsey (Portishead)	2	1			3
Chloe Williams (Callington Town)	1		2		3
Colette Martin (Ilminster Town)	1	2			3
Chloe Snook (Middlezoy )	1	2			3
Nat Zajcackowski (Portishead)		3			3
Nicola Brown (Bishops Lydeard)	2				2
Amber Guy-Kemp (Bishops Lydeard)	2				2
Samantha Veal (Callington Town)	2				2
Rhi Bailey (Callington Town)	2				2
Yazmin Laver (Keynsham Town)	2				2
Alana Torrington (Portishead)	2				2
Amber Egerton (RWBTFC)	2				2
Aly Lyons (RWBTFC)	2				2
Samantha Drewery (M.A. Plymouth)	1	1			2
Isabel Scott (M.A. Plymouth)	1	1			2
Lisa Coe (RWBTFC)	1	1			2
Grace Eagles (RWBTFC)	1	1			2
Poppy Cloke (Bideford)		2			2
Sarah Miller (Ilminster Town)		2			2
Georgia Coles (Middlezoy)		2			2
Sarah Carling (Middlezoy)			2		2
Ellie Orritt (Middlezoy)			2		2
Molly Yeatman (Portishead)		2			2
Eloise Hayward (RWBTFC)		1		1	2

Whilst two games started in the league on Sunday, just one was to go the full duration and that was **Royal Wootton Bassett Town's** narrow 4-3 win over **Keynsham Town Dev**. A match report on that game is contained elsewhere in today's programme. In the other league game, for the second time this season a game involving **Ilminster Town** was abandoned due to a bad injury to one of their players. With Ilminster 3-1 up thanks to two goals from Abbie Carslake and one from Graziely Esperanca the game against **Marine Academy Plymouth** was abandoned about 20 minutes from time due to an injury to one of the Ilminster players. Hopefully the injured player will be back playing soon.

The reason why there just two league games was because four of the sides were involved in the first round of the Pat Sowden Cup, the league cup competition involving sides from the Premier Division, and Portishead were in FA Cup action. **Middlezoy** made it through to the Second Round of the Pat Sowden Cup with a 4-1 away win at **Torquay United** and will be our opponents in the Second Round. Sarah Carling and new signing Ellie Orritt both bagged a brace for the visitors Middlezoy, Charlotte Dymond replying for Torquay. Two goals from Chloe Williams and one from Dani Harper did the damage as **Callington Town** won 3-0 away win at **Bideford** for the second time this season, this time in the First Round of the Pat Sowden Cup, matching the score line they achieved earlier in the season in the league encounter. It was also league cup weekend in the Division Ones and all the results from last Sunday are shown below, including those from Division 1 of the Wiltshire League. In the FA Cup **Portishead Town** continue to fly the flag for the South West Regional Women's League after they made it through to the First Round Proper on Sunday. At the end of extra time it remained 1-1 against Portsmouth based side **Moneyfields** so penalties were required to settle matters and Portishead won the shoot-out 3-1. Ruby Lowe had given Portishead the lead on 29 minutes but Moneyfields equalised to send the game into extra time.

### Sunday 27 October Results

#### Premier Division

Royal Wootton Bassett Town 4 Keynsham Town 3

#### FA Cup

Portishead Town 1 Moneyfields 1 (3-1 on pens)

#### Pat Sowden Cup—First Round

Bideford Ladies 0 Callington Town 3

Torquay United 1 Middlezoy 4

#### Eastern Division 1

Swindon Town Dev 4 Swindon Spitfires 3

#### Bristol Soccerworld Cup

Laverstock & Ford 2 Swindon Supermarine 2 (3-2 on pens)

Bristol Ladies Union 7 Chipping Sodbury Town 0

Cheltenham Town Dev 0 Almondsbury 1

Frampton Rangers 1 Oldland Abbotonians 2

Plymouth Argyle Res 7 Feniton 2

Plympton 4 St Agnes AFC 1

#### Somerset Women's Junior Cup

Pen Mill 2 Frome Town 2 (4-5 on pens)

Wiltshire County Women's League Division 1

FC Calne 0 Highworth Town 5

Marlborough Town 1 Trowbridge Wanderers 1

Melksham Town 13 Salisbury FC 3





# Royal Wootton Bassett Town F.C. Ladies Season 2019-20

## Season 2019-20 Fixtures

Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15	16	17	18	19
01-Sep	Chipping Sodbury T (FAC PR)	H	W 7 - 0	Footner	Gulliver (2)	Egerton	Wilson	Jefferies	Kirk	Kayll	Kelloway	Huckin (2)	Coe	Elliott (2)	Hayward (1)	S.Smith	Lyons	Eagles #	Farnell #		
08-Sep	Marine Academy Plymouth	A	W 5 - 0	Farnell	Gulliver (1)	Egerton	M.Smith	Jefferies (1)	Kirk	Kayll (1)	Kelloway	Huckin	Coe	Elliott	Eagles	S.Smith	Lyons (1)	Footner #			
15-Sep	Laverstock & Ford (WCC1)	H	W 4 - 0	Farnell	Gulliver (1)	Lyons	M.Smith	Jefferies	Kirk	S.Smith	Kelloway	Huckin (2)	Coe	Elliott	Hayward (1)	Kayll	Wilson	Egerton	Usher		
22-Sep	Torquay Utd Ladies (FAC 1QR)	H	W 8 - 0	Footner	Gulliver (2)	Egerton	M.Smith	Jefferies	Kirk	Kayll	Kelloway	Huckin (2)	Coe (1)	Elliott (2)	Hayward	Eagles (1)	Wilson	Lyons #	Farnell #	Dent #	Usher #
29-Sep	Callington Town Ladies	H	L 2 - 5	Footner	Gulliver	Egerton	M.Smith	Jefferies	Kirk	Kayll	Kelloway	Huckin (2)	Coe	Elliott	Eagles	Withers	Lyons	Dent #	Farnell #		
06-Oct	Portishead Ladies (FAC 2QR)	A	L 0 - 1	Footner	Dent	Egerton	Wilson	Jefferies	Withers	Kayll	Kelloway	Huckin	Coe	Eagles	Elliott	S.Smith	Gulliver #	Lyons #	Farnell #		
20-Oct	Torquay United Ladies	A	W 7 - 0	Farnell	Dent	Egerton (2)	Wilson	Jefferies	Withers	Kayll (1)	Kelloway	Huckin (1)	Coe (1)	Eagles (1)	M. Smith	Kirk	Lyons (1)	Usher	Footner #		
27-Oct	Keynsham Town Dev	H	W 4 - 3	Farnell	Gulliver	Egerton	M.Smith	Jefferies	Withers	Kayll (2)	Kelloway	Huckin (2)	Coe	Dent	M. Elliott	S.Smith	Lyons	Usher			
03-Nov	Bideford Ladies	H																			
10-Nov	Bideford Ladies	A																			
17-Nov	Melksham Town (WSC QF)	H																			
24-Nov	Bishops Lydeard Ladies	A																			
01-Dec	Middlezoy Ladies	H																			
08-Dec	Callington Town Ladies	A																			
15-Dec	Portishead Ladies	H																			
05-Jan	Ilminster Town Ladies	A																			
12-Jan	Torquay United Ladies	H																			
19-Jan	Keynsham Town Dev	A																			
19-Jan	WCC Semi Final																				
02-Feb	Middlezoy Ladies	A																			
16-Feb	Bishops Lydeard Ladies	H																			
23-Feb	Portishead Ladies	A																			
01-Mar	Ilminster Town Ladies	H																			
08-Mar	Marine Academy Plymouth	H																			
TBA	Middlezoy Ladies (PS Cup)																				
29-Mar	WCC Final																				

FAC - Womens FA Cup, WCC - County Cup, Ps Cup - Pat Sowden Cup (League Cup)

The Woods Player of the Match

# Sub not used



### Ladies Team Honours

- 2013-14 Wiltshire County Women's Cup runners-up
- 2016-17 Gloucestershire Womens League Division 1 Runners-up  
Gordan Perrott Memorial Cup Winners
- 2017-18 South West Women's League Eastern Division Runners-up  
Wiltshire County Women's Cup Runners-up
- 2018-19 South West Women's League Eastern Division Champions  
Wiltshire County Women's Cup Winners



	Appearances				Goals			
	League	FAC	WSC	Total	League	FAC	WSC	Total
Amber Egerton	4	3	1	8	2			2
Beth Kelloway	4	3	1	8				
Hayley Huckin	4	3	1	8	5	4	2	11
Laura Jefferies	4	3	1	8	1			1
Lauren Kayll	4	3	1	8	4			4
Lisa Coe	4	3	1	8	1	1		2
Madeline Elliott	3	3	1	7		4		4
Hannah Gulliver	3	2	1	6	1	4	1	6
Rosie Kirk	3	2	1	6				
Aly Lyons	4	1	1	6	2			2
Mollie Smith	4	1	1	6				
Lara Wilson	1	3	1	5				
Sophie Smith	2	2	1	5				
Grace Eagles	3	2		5	1	1		2
Abi Footner	1	3		4				
Alice Farnell	3		1	4				
Lily Withers	3	1		4				
Jessica Dent	2	1		3				
Lauren Usher	2		1	3				
Eloise Hayward		2	1	3				
Own Goals						1	1	2
					1	15	4	37