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# The Bassett Ladies Bulletin



L03/19-20



**Royal Wootton Bassett Town  
v Torquay United Ladies**  
Women's F.A. Cup First Qualifying Round

Sunday 22nd September 2019

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## Wiltshire County Women's Cup Season 2019-20

First Round - 15 September 2019		
FC Chippenham	2 - 0	Trowbridge Town
<b>Royal W. Bassett Town</b>	4 - 0	Laverstock & Ford
Trowbridge Wanderers	1 - 3	Salisbury FC

Quarter Finals - 17 November 2019		
Marlborough	v	FC Chippenham
<b>Royal W. Bassett Town</b>	v	Melksham Town
Swindon Spitfires	v	Swindon Supermarine
Swindon Town	v	Salisbury

Semi Finals - 19 January 2020		

Final - 29th March 2020		





# League Table & Results



# Today's Teams



Royal Wootton Bassett Town

Torquay United

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

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Callington Town Ladies FC	2	2	0	0	12	0	6
2 Ilminster Town Ladies	1	1	0	0	5	0	3
3 <b>Wootton Bassett Town Ladies</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
4 Bishops Lydeard Ladies	1	1	0	0	4	2	3
5 Keynsham Town Dev	1	1	0	0	2	0	3
6 Middlezoy Ladies	2	1	0	1	1	2	3
7 Portishead Ladies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Bideford Ladies AFC	2	0	0	2	2	7	0
9 Marine Academy Plymouth	2	0	0	2	0	6	0
10 <b>Torquay United Women</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>

### 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	<b>0 - 3</b>	1-Dec	29-Sep	15-Dec	13-Oct	12-Jan	10-Nov	27-Oct
Bishops Lydeard	<b>4 - 2</b>		1-Dec	29-Sep	15-Dec	13-Oct	12-Jan	2-Feb	24-Nov	10-Nov
Callington Town	24-Nov	9-Feb		15-Dec	22-Sep	12-Jan	27-Oct	10-Nov	8-Dec	<b>9 - 0</b>
Ilminster Town	2-Feb	8-Dec	6-Oct		12-Jan	27-Oct	10-Nov	16-Feb	5-Jan	24-Nov
Keynsham Town	8-Dec	6-Oct	5-Jan	9-Feb		10-Nov	<b>2 - 0</b>	24-Nov	19-Jan	1-Dec
M.A. Plymouth	6-Oct	5-Jan	16-Feb	19-Jan	3-Nov		24-Nov	9-Feb	<b>0 - 5</b>	8-Dec
Middlezoy Ladies	5-Jan	26-Jan	19-Jan	3-Nov	17-Nov	<b>1 - 0</b>		8-Dec	2-Feb	6-Oct
Portishead Town	26-Jan	19-Jan	3-Nov	17-Nov	TBA	1-Dec	29-Sep		6-Oct	5-Jan
Royal W. Bassett T	3-Nov	16-Feb	29-Sep	13-Oct	27-Oct	17-Nov	1-Dec	15-Dec		12-Jan
Torquay United	19-Jan	3-Nov	17-Nov	<b>0 - 5</b>	26-Jan	29-Sep	15-Dec	13-Oct	20-Oct	

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

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Sherborne Town	1	1	0	0	8	0	3
2 Swindon Spitfires	1	1	0	0	9	3	3
3 Frome Town	1	1	0	0	2	1	3
4 Laverstock & Ford	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
5 Trowbridge Town	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
6 Pen Mill Ladies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 Swindon Town Dev	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Forest Green Rovers	1	0	0	1	1	2	0
9 Swindon Supermarine	2	0	0	2	3	17	0

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

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Almondsbury	2	2	0	0	7	2	6
2 Frampton Rangers	2	2	0	0	6	1	6
3 Bristol Ladies Union	2	1	1	0	9	2	4
4 Weston Mendip	2	1	1	0	7	4	4
5 Weston Super Mare	2	1	0	1	6	6	3
6 Oldland Abbotonians	2	0	2	0	2	2	2
7 Chipping Sodbury Town	2	0	1	1	1	3	1
8 Cheltenham Town	2	0	1	1	4	7	1
9 Downend Flyers	2	0	0	2	2	7	0
10 AEK Boco	2	0	0	2	0	10	0

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

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 St Agnes	1	1	0	0	11	0	3
2 Alphington	1	1	0	0	3	2	3
3 Feniton	1	1	0	0	3	2	3
4 Bude Town	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Plymouth Argyle Res	1	0	0	1	2	3	0
6 Plympton Ladies	1	0	0	1	2	3	0
7 Exeter & Tedburn Rangers	1	0	0	1	0	11	0

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

Visitors Team Squad		No.	Sub
1	Neave Gosling		
2	Natasha Allen		
3	Laura Shaw		
4	Niamh Farrell		
5	Nicola Counce		
6	Amber Evans		
7	Leanne Robbins		
8	Jasmine Hervin		
9	Kasey Dickson		
10	Charlotte Dymond		
11	Shannon Crawford		
12	Gemma Anderson		
14	Chloe Mclury		
15	Natasha Lister		
16	Nikki May		
17	Jasmin Pearce		
18	Paige Stuart		
19			
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### Dugout Team

**Jt Manager:** Jonny House  
**Jt Manager:** James Goddard

### Dugout Team

**Manager:** Matt Green  
**Manager:** Richard Haydon  
**Coach:**

### Match Officials

**Referee:** Andrew Lincoln  
**Assist. Ref (Red Flag):** Jozef Cabala  
**Assist. Ref (Yellow Flag):** Colin Nunn

### Next Home Games at the Gerard Buxton Ground

**Thur** 26-Sep-19 v Calne Town (Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League U18 Division) Kick-off 7.45 PM  
**Sat** 28-Sep-19 v Hereford Lads Club (Bluefin Insurance Challenge Cup 3rd Round) Kick-off 3.00 PM  
**Sun** 29-Sep-19 v Callington Ladies (South West Women's League) Kick-off 2.00 PM



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## Today's Visitors

Welcome to the Gerard Buxton Ground for this Women's F.A. Cup First Qualifying Round tie against Torquay United. A special warm welcome to the players, officials and spectators from Torquay who have made the journey to the Gerard Buxton Ground today. We hope they enjoy their short stay with us this afternoon and we wish you a safe journey home.

Torquay have not made the best of starts this season in the South West Regional Women's Football League. Whilst they did actually start with a win in this particular competition, defeating RNAS Cudrose 3-0 in the Preliminary Round, their opening two league games has seen them suffer back to back defeats, losing 9-0 away at Callington Town, followed by a 5-0 home defeat last Sunday against Ilminster Town. No doubt they will be keen to get back to winning ways and despite our great start to the season we cannot take anything for granted here today. Both Callington and Ilminster This is the most prestigious competition that we enter, with prize money also at stake and so we must not let nerves get the better of us. The prize for winning today is not only a monetary reward of £400 but also the chance of drawing the likes of Swindon Town, Cheltenham Town, Exeter City or Southampton in the next round. Other big name clubs who enter at the next stage are Wolves, Norwich City and Leeds United and it would be great if the name of Royal Wootton Bassett Town could be amongst that elite company in Monday's draw.

## Last Week

Another good win last week, the third in a row, saw us safely through to the quarter final stage of the Wiltshire Women's County Cup in a competition where we are the current holders of the cup. Two goals from Hayley Huckin plus one for Hannah Gulliver, both players moving onto four for the season and head of the leader board in terms of leading goal scorers in the league (as can be seen elsewhere in today's programme), set us on the way to a 4-0 win over a determined Laverstock & Ford side. The other goal was scored by Eloise Hayward who bagged her second of the season. As was said in last week's programme, I am sure Jonny and James would also would have been pleased with a third clean sheet of the season, although Laverstock & Ford did go close to ending the shut out, twice hitting the Bassett "woodwork". The draw for the quarter finals was made on Monday and we are home to Melksham Town, with the game scheduled for Sunday 17th November.

Hopefully the Ladies can continue their great start to the season here today with a win in the F.A. Cup which would take us through to the Second Qualifying Round for only the second time in our history. The first time we were in the Second Qualifying Round we actually started in that round, losing to AEK Boco 3-1 after extra time. So to get through two rounds to be in the Second Qualifying Round would easily represent our best performance in the competition ever, so hopefully the Ladies can achieve that important win here today.

Mark

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Mollie Smith		
Lara Wilson		
Beth Kelloway		Future of Football
Lisa Coe		Richard Paish
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Hayley Huckin		Mark Smedley
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James Goddard		





## Alice Farnell

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Alice is a young 'keeper who will be entering her first season in the senior game. Having previously played for the Wiltshire representative team, she has all the attributes to make the step up successfully this season. She combines her excellent physical qualities with her strong shot-stopping abilities and will provide strong competition for the number one shirt.



<b>Nickname</b>	Als
<b>Occupation</b>	Waitress
<b>Position</b>	Goalkeeper
<b>Number of Seasons at Club</b>	First season
<b>Former Clubs</b>	Swindon Spitfires & Wiltshire County
<b>Highlight of Football Career To Date</b>	Representing the county
<b>Biggest Influence on Football Career</b>	Former coach at spitfires u16s Nick Masi
<b>Favourite Football Team</b>	Liverpool
<b>Favourite Football Player (Past or Current)</b>	Alisson Becker (pictured)
<b>Favourite Drink</b>	Sprite
<b>If you could only eat 1 food for the rest of your life, what would it be</b>	Big Mac
<b>Favourite Holiday Destination</b>	French Alps
<b>Favourite TV Programme / Film</b>	Spongebob
<b>Favourite Band / Musician</b>	Rudimental (pictured)
<b>Fun/interesting fact</b>	Left handed



Afternoon everyone. Thank you for coming out to support the ladies in what should be an exciting FA Cup first qualifying round tie. We have enjoyed a very positive start to the season having won our opening 3 games. It has been great to see the ladies execute what we've worked so hard on during pre season. Last Sunday saw us take the first steps towards our aim of retaining the Wiltshire County Cup against a strong opponent in Laverstock and Ford Ladies. Our opponents were much improved from previous encounters last season and proved difficult to play against. Therefore it was great to progress and the clean sheet is particularly pleasing.

The heat was not what you would have expected in mid September and meant that the tempo of the game was slow. We never managed to get into any decent rhythm and found chances few and far between. We rode our luck a bit with Laverstock hitting the crossbar twice at 1-0, either side of half time. However, sometimes you need a little bit of luck and luck was certainly on our side. Despite the sluggish performance, we know the ladies will bounce back and show what they're capable of. As mentioned above, the clean sheet gives us immense pride. Keeping a clean sheet is one of the foundations of our philosophy as a squad and hopefully you'll see the desire in the players to do the same again today.

Today's opponents are also in our league and are more experienced at this level of football. Despite having endured a turbulent past couple of seasons, they appear to be a young and exciting team that are on the way up. We know that they'll pose us problems and ask questions of us both offensively and defensively and we look forward to those challenges. We wish to extend a warm welcome to the coaches, players and supporters from Torquay United Ladies and hope they enjoy their time with us today. We hope you enjoy the game and please get behind the ladies as much as you can!

## James & Jonny

Game number four today of what has been a positive start to the season and we are back to FA cup action. Scoring sixteen goals without conceding, I could not be any more pleased of the effort put in by all the ladies. Adapting to a new formation and gelling with new players joining the team we could not have wished for a better start. Tested by a strong Laverstock and Ford performance last weekend we remained patient and the chances soon came which was a testament to the teams ethics this season. We can only hope to go on and develop as a team as the weeks go on and we gain a better understanding of individual abilities. Welcoming Torquay United Ladies today we are looking forward to the excitement that FA Cup fixtures bring and we hope to continue what has been a promising start to the season.



Thank you again for your ongoing support and enjoy the game!

Laura

# Today's Opponents—Recent Record

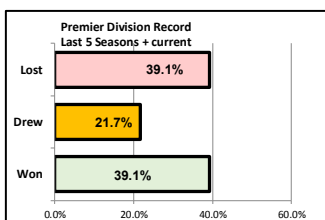
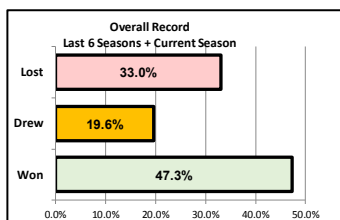
# The Women's Football Pyramid



## Torquay United Ladies Historical Record - Recent Seasons Plus Current

Season	League & Division	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Top Scorer
2013/14	S.W. Regional Women's Western Div 1	20	17	2	1	89	20	53	1 out of 11	L. Gough 36
2014/15	S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	16	6	4	6	33	36	22	3 out of 9	L. Gough 30
2015/16	S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	14	4	6	4	23	21	18	5 out of 8	S. Sparkes 3
2016/17	S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	18	9	4	5	32	22	31	5 out of 10	E.Mousley, S.Chapman & C.Dymond 6
2017/18	S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	22	14	4	4	45	13	46	3 out of 12	S. Chapman 15
2018/19	S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	20	3	2	15	26	98	11	9 out of 11	D. Harper & D. Wyatt 5
2019/20	S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	2	0	0	2	0	14	0	10 out of 10	
<b>Totals</b>		<b>112</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>224</b>			
<b>Won:Drew:Lost Ratio</b>			<b>47.3%</b>	<b>19.6%</b>	<b>33.0%</b>					

S.W. Regional Women's Western Div 1	20	17	2	1	89	20	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	85.0%	10.0%	5.0%
S.West Regional Women's Premier Div	92	36	20	36	159	204	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	39.1%	21.7%	39.1%



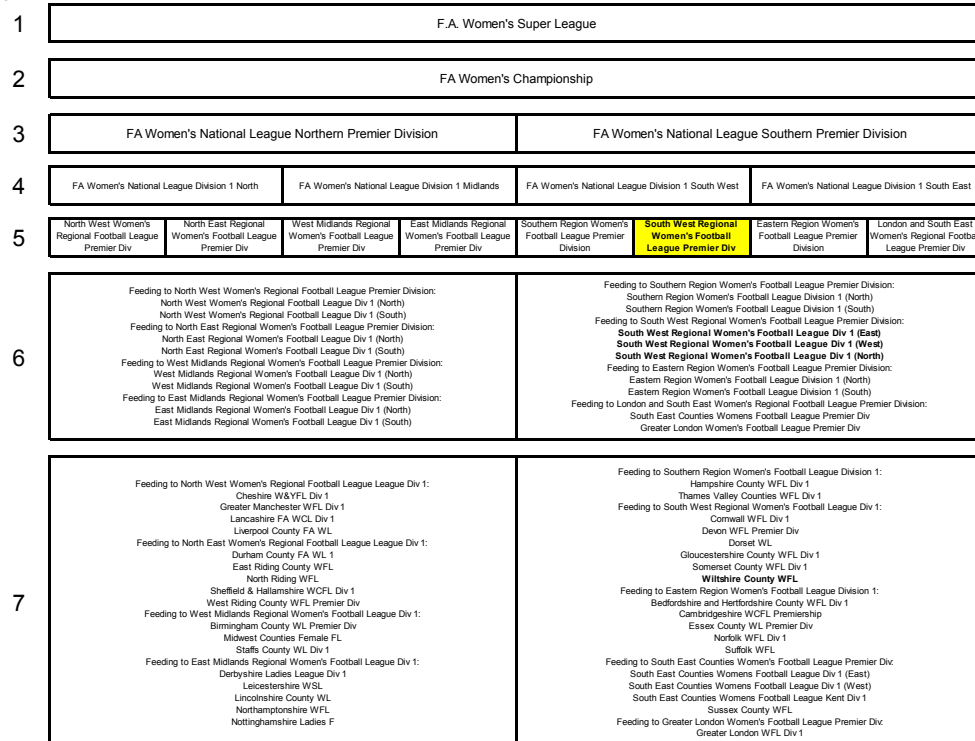
### Last Season - 2018-19

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

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Results 2018-19		Results 2019-20	
								Home	Away	Home	Away
1 Exeter City Ladies	20	17	1	2	110	23	52	L 1 - 6	L 0 - 16		
2 Keynsham Town Dev	20	15	1	4	67	28	46	L 2 - 5	L 2 - 8		
3 Callington Town Ladies	20	12	4	4	66	25	40	L 2 - 6	L 0 - 6		L 0 - 9
4 Marine Acad. Plymouth Ladies	20	12	3	5	72	33	39	L 1 - 5	L 0 - 10		
5 Bishops Lydeard Ladies	20	10	4	6	77	38	34	L 2 - 11	L 1 - 5		
6 Portishead Ladies	20	9	3	8	26	32	30	D 2 - 2	L - Awd		
7 Middlezoy Ladies	20	9	2	9	41	39	29	L 1 - 3	L 1 - 7		
8 Ilminster Town Ladies	20	8	3	9	37	38	27	L 1 - 3	D 1 - 1		L 0 - 5
9 Torquay United Ladies	20	3	2	15	26	98	11				
10 Forest Green Rovers Women	20	3	1	16	15	65	10	L 0 - 3	W 1 - 0		
11 Downend Flyers Women	20	0	0	20	8	126	0	W 7 - 1	W 1 - 0		



### STEP



### Wiltshire Clubs

- 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







# 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		£360	£90
22-Sep-19	First Qualifying Round	v Torquay United Ladies*	H		£400	£100
6-Oct-19	Second Qualifying Round	v			£450	£115
27-Oct-19	Third Qualifying Round	v			£600	£150
10-Nov-19	First Round	v			£850	£215
1-Dec-19	Second Round	v			£1,000	£250
5-Jan-20	Third Round	v			£1,250	£315
26-Jan-20	Fourth Round	v			£2,000	£500
16-Feb-20	Fifth Round	v			£3,000	£750
15-Mar-20	Sixth Round	v			£4,000	£1,000
19-Apr-20	Semi-Final	v		Wembley	£5,000	£1,250
9-May-20	Final	v		Wembley	£25,000	£15,000
<b>Total Prize Money Won</b>					<b>£360</b>	

\* Still in competition

## 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



Torquay United Football Club men's side was originally formed in 1899 . After first joining the East Devon League in 1900, the club then went on to join the Torquay & District League, becoming champions of that league in 1909. Encouraged by Plymouth Argyle and Exeter City turning professionals, the people of Torquay were eager for United to join forces with the town's two other prominent football teams, Babbacombe and Ellacombe, with a view to creating a third professional club within Devon. Although Babbacombe rejected the idea of a merger, Torquay United and Ellacombe agreed to pool their resources and formed Torquay Town in 1910. Town won the Devon Senior Cup in their first season and became champions of the Plymouth & District League the following year. Despite a fierce rivalry existing between Torquay Town and Babbacombe, the two clubs were finally amalgamated in 1921 and the newly combined team reverted to the name of Torquay United and were admitted into the Western League. After one season in the Western League, United joined the Southern League and, after becoming champions of the Western Section, were elected into the Football League at the expense of Aberdare Athletic in 1927.

Torquay United remained in the Football League up until the end of the 2006-07 Season when they were relegated to the Conference League. During the time in the Football League, other than Devon county cup competitions, honours were limited. In Season 1956-57 they finished as runners-up to Ipswich Town on goal average in Division 3 South, the closest they had come to a league title whilst in the Football League. The team generally spent their time in the bottom division of the Football League but did have a few season's in the third tier of the league. The club fell out of the Football League after finishing bottom of the re-branded League 2 at the end of 2006-07 when they were relegated to the Football Conference. On this occasion they were to spend just two seasons in non-league football as they secured promotion back to the Football League after finishing 4th and defeating Cambridge United in the Conference play-off final. They were to spend five seasons back in the football League but were relegated back to the Conference at the end of Season 2013-14 after again finishing bottom. Things were to get worse though as they were relegated down to National League South at the end of Season 2017-18. However, under the management of Gary Johnson they bounced back straight away winning the National League South title by 10 points over runners-up Woking to secure their first league title of any kind since 1926-27 at the end of last season. They are now playing in th etop tier of non-league football and will be keen to regain that Football League status as soon as possible.

Torquay United have run a women's side for a number of seasons now and we have been able to trace statistical information regarding their record since Season 2013-14. That specific season was a successful one for the Ladies Section of the club as they won the South West Regional Women's League Western Division 1 title losing just one league game all season to gain promotion to the Premier Division. They have remained in the Premier Division ever since securing a third place finish in their first season, Season 2014-15 and again in Season 2017-18. Last season was not so successful as they struggled and incurred some heavy defeats, particularly on the road. The only games that were won were against the bottom two sides and they also picked up a couple of draws, all other games were lost.

They have also not started too well this season in the league, losing 9-0 away at Callington Ladies in their first game of the season, followed by a 5-0 home defeat against Ilminster Town last Sunday. They did however defeat RNAS Culdrose in the Preliminary Round of this competition to earn the right to take part in today's First Qualifying Round match.

## Ladies make successful start to County Cup defence

### Royal Wootton Bassett Town 4 Laverstock & Ford 0

Sunday 15th September 2019

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Ladies began the defence of their Wiltshire County Women's Cup title with a 4-0 first round victory against Laverstock and Ford. While not as problematic



as their 2-1 semi-final triumph against the same opponents en route to the final last season, they were nevertheless tested against by Laverstock, who twice hit the woodwork. However, two late goals ensured the result appeared to be a relatively comfortable one and guaranteed a place in the quarter finals for Bassett.

Bassett went in front after twenty minutes, Hayley Huckin's goal being reward for an early period of the game that the home side controlled. Hannah Gulliver and Sophie Smith had both shot wide in the opening minutes before the latter saw a shot that appeared destined for the top corner snatched out of the air. The Laverstock 'keeper then fumbled a Huckin effort before the visitors were just able to scramble the ball away. However, Huckin eventually broke Laverstock's resistance. After good play out from the back, a deft touch from Smith fell to the forward, who coolly slotted home.

Huckin and Madeline Elliott then had further chances, none of which was put away before Amy Sanger struck the bar for Laverstock, with the resulting rebound being blocked by Alice Farnell. That was a let off for Bassett, who knew that a second goal was needed. And that arrived ten minutes into the second half as Gulliver tucked the ball away at the far post after the Laverstock defence failed to deal with a Laura Jefferies cross.

The game still wasn't safe though. Bassett continued to have opportunities, with Huckin in particular a consistent threat. Yet that final finish was lacking. And with twenty minutes to go Laverstock again came close to opening their account. Farnell tipped a free kick onto the bar before the rebound was headed onto the post. However, with quarter of an hour remaining any nerves Bassett felt were settled when Huckin pounced on a loose ball in the box and saw her shot, while saved, trickle over the line. Then with five minutes to go, Eloise Hayward tapped in at the far post following a fine cross from Lauren Kayll.

## Senior Section

Team	Date	Competition	Opponents	Result
Men's 1st Team	14-Sep-19	F.A. Vase	Tadley Calleva (A)	L 0 - 1
Men's Dev team	14-Sep-19	Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League Prem	Wroughton (A)	L 2 - 3
Ladies	15-Sep-19	Women's Wiltshire County Cup	Laverstock & Ford (H)	W 4 - 0
Under 18's	16-Sep-19	Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League U18 Div	FC Chippenham (A)	L 3 - 4

## Youth Section

Team	Date	Competition	Opponents	Result
Under 18 Yellow		North Wilts Youth Football League Cup	Wanborough Jun Yellow (A)	W 6 - 2
Under 16 Blue		North Wilts Youth Football League	Swindon Supermarine (A)	L 0 - 1
Under 15 Blue		North Wilts Youth Football League Cup	R. W.Bassett T U15 Yellow (A)	W 5 - 2
Under 15 Yellow		North Wilts Youth Football League	Royal W.Bassett T U15 Blue (H)	L 2 - 5
Under 14 Blue		North Wilts Youth Football League	Wroughton Youth Panthers (H)	D 2 - 2
Under 14 Yellow		North Wilts Youth Football League	Stratton Youth (H)	W 4 - 0
Under 13 Yellow		North Wilts Youth Football League	FC Abbey Meads Yth Blue (H)	L 3 - 7
Under 12 Blue		North Wilts Youth Football League	AFC Newbury Whites (H)	L 0 - 2
Under 12 Yellow		North Wilts Youth Football League	Cirencester Town Yth Glad. (A)	L 2 - 3
Under 12 White		North Wilts Youth Football League	Sw. Supermarine Yth Blue (A)	L 0 - 27





# 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	County Cup	Total
Hannah Gulliver (RWBTFC)	1	2	1	4
Haley Huckin (RWBTFC)		2	2	4
Keri-Ann Moxom (Callington Town)	3			3
Ezme Wells (Callington Town)	3			3
Abbie Carslake (Ilminster Town)	2	1		3
Bethaney Ellis (Bideford)		3		3
Nicola Brown (Bishops Lydeard)	2			2
Amber Guy-Kemp (Bishops Lydeard)	2			2
Gabi Alphous (Callington Town)	2			2
Yazmin Laver (Keynsham Town)	2			2
Colette Martin (Ilminster Town)		2		2
Chloe Snook (Middlezoy )		2		2
Shannon Holloway (Portishead)		2		2
Nat Zajcaczowski (Portishead)		2		2
Molly Yeatman (Portishead)		2		2
Madeline Elliott (RWBTFC)		2		2
Eloise Hayward (RWBTFC)		1	1	2
Charlotte Dymond (Torquay Utd)		2		2



Hannah Gulliver and Hayley Huckin who are the league's leading scorers after three weeks of the season

**Callington Town** Ladies made it two wins from two on Sunday with a 3-0 away win at **Bideford**, all the goals coming in the first half. Kerri-Ann Moxom opened the scoring with her third goal of the season. Samantha Veal extended the lead from the penalty spot, with Ezme Wells netting the third with a shot from out wide, which was also her third goal of the season.

**Middlezoy** Rovers bounced back from their defeat at Keynsham the previous week with a narrow 1-0 success over visitors **Marine Academy Plymouth**, who remain without a point after their opening two games. The only goal of the game was Lucy Brown, her first goal at this level.

After last week's abandoned game **Ilminster Town** Ladies were back in action with a trip to take on our opponents here today, **Torquay United** Ladies. Lesley Spearing opened the scoring with a goal for Ilminster Town on fifteen minutes and that was all that separated the two sides at the break. Abbie Carslake made it 2-0 five minutes after the restart when she followed in a Holly Ward shot that came back off the crossbar to knock in the rebound. Two minutes later Carslake had her second getting on the end of a Spearing cross to make it 3-0 to the visitors. A long range effort from Charlie Pettinger increased the lead further making it 4-0 before another long range effort, this time from Maisie Parker, completed the scoring ten minutes from time. The 5-0 win lifted Ilminster in second spot on goal difference.

The game between Portishead Town and Keynsham Town Dev was postponed.

### Eastern Division 1 Results

Swindon Supermarine 3 Swindon Spitfires 9

### Northern Division 1 Results

AEK Boco 0 Bristol Ladies Union 7  
 Almondsbury 4 Weston Super Mare 2  
 Frampton Rangers 3 Downend Flyers 0  
 Oldland Abbotonians 0 Chipping Sodbury Town 0  
 West Mendip 5 Cheltenham Town 2

### Western Division 1 Results

Exeter & Tedburn Rangers 0 Alphington 10  
 Fenton 5 St Agnes AFC 0  
 Plymouth Argyle Res 1 Plympton 2

### Wiltshire Women's Cup—First Round

FC Chippenham 2 Trowbridge Town 0  
 Royal Wootton Bassett Town 4 Laverstock & Ford 0  
 Trowbridge Wanderers 1 Salisbury 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
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																	
29-Sep	Callington Town Ladies	H																	
06-Oct	FA Cup 2nd Qual Rnd																		
06-Oct	Portishead Ladies	A																	
13-Oct	Ilminster Town Ladies	H																	
20-Oct	Torquay United Ladies	A																	
27-Oct	Keynsham Town Dev	H																	
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																	
TBA	Marine Academy Plymouth	H																	
29-Mar	WCC Final																		

FAC - Womens FA Cup, WCC - County 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
Aly Lyons	1	1	1	3	1			1
Amber Egerton	1	1	1	3				
Beth Kelloway	1	1	1	3				
Hannah Gulliver	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	4
Hayley Huckin	1	1	1	3		2	2	4
Laura Jefferies	1	1	1	3	1			1
Lauren Kayll	1	1	1	3	1			1
Lisa Coe	1	1	1	3				
Madeline Elliott	1	1	1	3				
Rosie Kirk	1	1	1	3	2			2
Sophie Smith	1	1	1	3				
Alice Farnell	1		1	2				
Mollie Smith	1		1	2				
Eloise Hayward		1	1	2		1	1	2
Lara Wilson		1	1	2				
Grace Eagles	1			1				
Abi Footner		1		1				
Lauren Usher			1	1				
Holly Baker								
Jessica Dent								
Own Goals								
					1			1
					5	7	4	16