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Scott Smedley (2018), Stuart Smedley (2018), Gordon Reeves (2019)
Paul Burke (2020), Dave Thomas (2021)

First Team Honours

Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners **1998-91, 2000-01**
Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up **1902-03, 1903-04, 1987-88**
Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up **2009-10, 2012-13**
Hellenic League Div 1 Cup Winners **1989-90, 1993-94**
Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Runners-up **1994-95**
Wiltshire County League Division 1 Champions **1987-88**
Wiltshire County League Runners-up **1905-06**
Wiltshire County League Senior Cup Winners **1983-84**
Wiltshire County League Division 2 Champions **1984-85**
Wiltshire County League Division 2 Runners-up **1978-79**
Wiltshire County League Subsidiary Cup Winners **1978-79**
Wiltshire League Division 1 Champions **1958-59**
Calne & District League Champions **1931-32, 1934-35, 1935-36**
Calne & District League Runners-up **1930-31**
Calne & District League Cup Winners **1934-35**
Calne & District League Cup Runners-up **1935-36**
Swindon & District League Advertiser Cup Runners-up **1902-03, 1904-05**
Vale of White Horse League Cup Winners **1933-34**

Reserve/Dev Team Honours

Wiltshire Senior League Premier Division Champions **2021-22**
Hellenic League Reserves Division 2 West Champions **1994-95**
Wiltshire County League Division 4 Runners-up **1982-83**
Wiltshire County League Junior Cup Runners-up **1984-85, 1988-89, 2012-13**
Vale of White Horse League Cup Winners **1953-54**
Chippenham & District League Division 2 Champions **1957-58**

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Men's First Team Bassett Bulletin

Welcome To Today's Game

GOOD EVENING and welcome to the Sustain Stadium here at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground for this UHlsport Hellenic League Premier Division fixture against Thornbury Town. A warm welcome to our visitors from Thornbury who have made the journey down the M4 from Bristol.

The two teams met three times last season with Royal Wootton Bassett Town winning all three games with Thornbury Town yet to score a goal against us. Thornbury have not had the best of starts to the new season, losing their first three games but ended that run of defeats on Saturday with an impressive point away at Roman Glass St George. They opened the season with a narrow 2-1 home defeat against fellow Bristol based side Cribbs who have won all their games so far this season. They then exited the FA Cup at the Extra Preliminary Round stage, losing to Chipping Sodbury Town at home. This was followed by another home defeat in their second league fixture, this time at the hands of Bradford Town, the win for Bradford seeing them as the early leaders of the division. On Saturday Thornbury played their first away game of the season, although they did not have to travel too far with Roman Glass St George their opponents, and they very nearly came away with all three points, Roman Glass equalising from the penalty spot late on.

Whilst Thornbury were at Roman Glass, we also played our first away league game of the season at Chipping Sodbury Town in very difficult circumstances. With the temperature in the mid-30s I am told we were not at our best in securing the 1-1 draw, which is understandable given the heat and also the level of intensity in securing that FA Cup win in midweek. Hopefully with the temperature a little lower this evening and with our batteries recharged we can put in a performance that will secure all three points. On the subject of Saturday the events at Chippenham were very scary and all at Royal Wootton Bassett Town Football club wish Pablo Martinez are speedy recovery and applaud all those who helped save his life.

There were four draws in the division on Saturday and that is now ten draws in the opening 26 games played in the UHlsport Hellenic League Premier Division. The only team with a 100% winning record are Cribbs and two of those were by a single goal margin.

All these draws and the closeness of most of the results is probably an indication that the division is going to be very tight this season with little between the teams. Small margins will make the difference this season and the challenge for Sam and the lads is to be on the right side of those and, if we are, we could well be challenging for honours. Equally get on the wrong side of those close games and we could find ourselves at the bottom end. So far it looks to me as we are in for a good season.

FA CUP WIN AT WINDSOR

Understandably there was not too many from Bassett at Windsor for the FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round Replay last Tuesday but those who were there witnessed one of the most assured and complete performances in recent years from a Royal Wootton Bassett Town side. Excellent in possession, solid at the back limiting a decent side to very few chances all game, and those they did get were just half chances, I am struggling to recall a better all-round team performance under Sam's stewardship. Josh Elms was given man of the match by Stuart but there were a lot of others who ran him close. Hopefully we can repeat that cup performance against Reading City who knocked out our near neighbours Highworth Town 2-0 in the last round.

DEVELOPMENT TEAM

The Development Side started their title defence in the Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League on Saturday with a visit from Frome Collegians and there was no happy ending as they fell to a 4-1 defeat against a decent side with a very lively centre forward. The young side will no doubt get better as they play together but a few old heads to guide them would not go amiss. They were well in the game for 70 minutes but when the third went in after we gave the ball away in midfield you could visibly see the heads drop. It needed some experience to lift them and keep them going to the end as the game was not lost at that stage.

Finally congratulations from all at RWBFC to both manager Sam Collier and captain Adam Corcoran on their respective weddings last week. Enjoy the game and hopefully three more points ahead of our big FA Cup game on Saturday.

Mark

Club Noticeboard

MEN'S 1ST TEAM SPORTS THERAPIST SOUGHT

Royal Wootton Bassett Town are seeking a Sports Therapist/Sports Massage Therapist for its men's First Team.

The role is to provide pre-match and pitch-side treatment on matchdays. Weekend fixtures are played on Saturday afternoons with some midweek fixtures played on Tuesday or Wednesday evenings.

There is also the opportunity to run a training night clinic for the right candidate.

This position is paid and all medical supplies are provided. The ideal candidate would need to have taping/strapping experience and sports massage and first aid qualifications, though those working towards these will also be considered.

The club will also consider a job share for two or more sports therapists.

Those interested in the position are invited to contact Kara Gregory by email or mobile (07732 041981) for further information.

YOUTH SECTION PRESS OFFICER SOUGHT

Royal Wootton Bassett Town are seeking a volunteer - be they a player, parent or supporter - to serve as 'Youth Section Press Officer' for the 2022-23 season.

The individual would be responsible for writing a weekly round-up of youth section games to be published on the website home page.

It is hoped that the opportunity would be of interest to a parent as well as any youth section members hoping to pursue a career in journalism, as it would be a great way for them to gain experience.

The round-up would cover games for the Under 12 to 18 age groups. Due to FA regulations, it is not possible to report the results and scorers in games for the Under 7 to 11 age groups.

Anybody interested in the role, or who would like more information, should contact club Press Officer Stuart Smedley and Head of Youth Section Mari Green by email.

RWBTFC 2022-23 SEASON TICKET

Royal Wootton Bassett Town are pleased to offer supporters the opportunity to purchase a season ticket for the 2022-23 season. Costing £90, the season ticket will cover entry to **all** league games for the club's First Team, Women's First Team and Development team.

The ticket will also cover entry to any league cup fixtures. However, due to FA and Wiltshire FA regulations, it will **not** cover games in the FA Cup, Women's FA Cup, FA Vase or Wiltshire County FA cup competitions.

Tickets will be available to purchase from Chairman Paul Gerrish. To arrange purchase of a season ticket and obtain payment details, please email Paul (paul.gerrish@rwbtfc.co.uk).

Season tickets will also be available to purchase at tonight's game against Thornbury Town.

NEXT GAME



RWBTFC V READING CITY
FA CUP PRELIMINARY ROUND
SATURDAY 20TH AUGUST 2022 K.O. 3PM

The Gaffer

SAM COLLIER



Good evening and welcome to everyone from Thornbury Town for tonight's game. Our record against Thornbury last season was a good one with three wins but past results mean nothing and we have to be at our best tonight so we can continue our unbeaten start to the season. Thornbury picked up a great away point at Roman Glass St George on Saturday and were leading 1-0 until very late in the game. I bet it was tough playing on that 3G in the heat on Saturday. I hope everyone from Thornbury enjoys their evening here at the Sustain Stadium and I wish them safe travels back down the M4.

I was so pleased with our performance at Windsor last Tuesday. We bossed the game from start to finish against a decent Windsor side and were deserved winners. It is another ex-Hellenic side in the next round on Saturday when we meet our old friends from Reading City who knocked out Highworth Town in the

last round. As I have said before I loved playing in the FA Cup and have had great success and memories from the competition and want to continue that on Saturday. Hopefully we will have another big crowd to cheer us on as your support means a lot to the lads, the players and staff love it and are very grateful for all the support we are given.

I missed the game at Chipping Sodbury on Saturday because of my most important fixture of the season the day before and Megan had quickly rumbled my idea of a short honeymoon spent in beautiful Gloucestershire. The side were left in capable hands with Griff, Nick and Rog but bet it was tough going in that heat on Saturday, especially after our FA efforts in midweek. At this stage of the season it takes a few games to really get that competitive match fitness and in the circumstances it was not surprising we were not at our best.

I hope you all enjoy the game and hopefully three points to celebrate in the bar. See you all again on Saturday when we look to keep our FA Cup run going.

Much love

Sam

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Matthew Crowther

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Today's Opponents

THORNBURY TOWN

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Mundy Playing Fields,
Kington Lane, Thornbury,
BS351NA

MAJOR HONOURS

Hellenic League
Supplementary Cup Winners
2018-19

Gloucestershire County
League Winners
2009-10 and 2017-18

Gloucs County League
Les James Cup Winners
2014-15 and 2017-18

Bristol Premier Combination
Prem Div Winners
1956-57 and 2001-02

Bristol Premier Combination
Div Two Winners 1965-66

Bristol & District League
Division Three Champions
1949-50

CHAIRMAN

Pete Webber

CLUB SECRETARY

Mark Franklin

MANAGER

Andy Parry / Rich Price



SEASON 2021-22

League Results	Home	Away
Bishops Cleeve	D 1 - 1	L 0 - 2
Bradford Town	L 0 - 2	L 1 - 4
Brimscombe & Thrupp	W 2 - 0	L 1 - 2
Calne Town	W 4 - 0	L 0 - 3
Chipping Sodbury Town	D 3 - 3	L 1 - 3
Corsham Town	D 0 - 0	D 1 - 1
Cribbs	L 0 - 2	L 0 - 3
Fairford Town	L 1 - 2	L 1 - 5
Hallen	W 2 - 0	W 3 - 1
Hereford Lads Club	W 3 - 2	D 3 - 3
Longlevens	L 2 - 6	L 0 - 1
Lydney Town	W 4 - 3	W 2 - 1
Malvern Town	L 0 - 1	L 2 - 3
Roman Glass St George	L 0 - 3	L 0 - 1
RWBTFC	L 0 - 5	L 0 - 2
Shrivenham	D 0 - 0	W 3 - 1
Tuffley Rovers	W 2 - 1	W 3 - 1
Westbury United	D 0 - 0	L 0 - 3
Westfields	D 1 - 1	L 0 - 1

SEASON 2022-23

League Results	Home	Away
Bradford Town	L 0 - 2	
Cribbs	L 1 - 2	

Today's Opponents

THORNBURY TOWN

Thornbury Town Historical Record - Last 15 Seasons

Season	League & Division	FAC	FAV	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Top Scorer
2007/08	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	30	7	7	16	31	55	28	11 out of 16	C. Johnson 12
2008/09	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	32	11	8	13	50	50	41	9 out of 17	S. Alexander 12
2009/10	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	34	22	6	6	90	36	72	1 out of 18	S. Alexander 25
2010/11	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	32	9	8	15	48	56	35	13 out of 17	S. Alexander 12
2011/12	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	34	11	3	20	46	59	36	16 out of 18	S. Alexander 9
2012/13	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	36	12	4	20	50	66	40	14 out of 19	S. Alexander & D. Thompson 8
2013/14	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	34	9	6	19	47	67	33	16 out of 18	D. Thompson 10
2014/15	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	34	18	6	10	67	54	60	4 out of 18	C. Lancaster 13
2015/16	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	32	20	5	7	64	29	65	4 out of 17	C. Lancaster 27
2016/17	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	32	18	5	9	67	43	59	4 out of 17	C. Lancaster 21
2017/18	Gloucs County	N/a	N/a	32	26	4	2	95	22	82	1 out of 17	C. Lancaster 42
2018/19	Hellenic Div 1 West	N/a	N/a	22	15	3	4	65	23	48	3 out of 12	C. Lancaster 32
2019/20	Hellenic Div 1 West	EPR	2nd	16	12	0	4	55	29	36	7* out of 16	C. Lancaster 32
2020/21	Hellenic Div 1 West	EPR	2QR	9	5	3	1	19	9	18	2* out of 15	C. Lancaster 5
2021/22	Hellenic Premier	EPR	1QR	38	10	8	20	46	73	38	14 out of 20	B. Benjamin 10

Totals **447 205 76 166 840 671** * Position at time that Covid-19 resulted in season being curtailed

Won:Drew:Lost Ratio

45.9% 17.0% 37.1%

	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	45.0%	17.1%	37.8%
Gloucestershire County League	362	163	62	137	655	537	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	45.0%	17.1%	37.8%
Hellenic League Div 1 West	47	32	6	9	139	61	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	68.1%	12.8%	19.1%
Hellenic League Premier	38	10	8	20	46	73	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	26.3%	21.1%	52.6%



Previous Encounters

RWBTFC v Thornbury Town

3

RWBTFC
Wins



0

Thornbury Town
Wins

There have been just three meetings between Royal Wootton Bassett Town and Thornbury Town with all three games taking place last season.

Royal Wootton Bassett Town currently have a 100% winning record against tonight's opponents and have also yet to concede a goal against the team from Bristol. The first meeting last season was in the FA Cup at the very start of the season. A rampant first half performance saw Bassett establish a 3-0 lead after 25 minutes. And it was smooth sailing from there onwards, with a final goal late in the match time meaning Bassett matched their biggest margin of victory in the FA Cup (the club's only previous win by four goals coming in a 5-1 triumph against Dilton Rovers in the 1946-47 Extra Preliminary round). Tommy Ouldrige set Bassett on their way after quarter of an hour, scoring with a fine finish with the outside of his left foot from the edge of the area that sailed in over Thornbury 'keeper McKenzie Welsh. The lead was doubled three minutes later when Gio Wrona whipped in a free kick from the left side and veteran Alan Griffin headed home. Dave Bampton then made it 3-0 as he fizzed a low drive from 25 yards into the bottom left corner. With four minutes remaining, Tom Moore cut in from the left hand side and struck a right-footed shot to make it 4-0.

Less than a month later the sides met in the league for the first time at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground. Two goals from Alan Griffin secured the points for Bassett. His first came from the penalty spot six minutes before half time as he coolly tucked the ball away into the bottom left corner, out of reach of Thornbury 'keeper Kurtis Parkin who did manage to guess correctly. Griffin's second arrived a matter of minutes later. Having rattled the crossbar, he spun and finished decisively to give his side a commanding half time lead that they would not relinquish.

The third and final meeting of the season was in early February. Overcoming the elements on a wet and windy afternoon, as well as opponents who had won three in a row in the league, Bassett climbed a place to 13th in the Hellenic League Premier Division courtesy of a dominant second half display. A solitary goal from Sam Packer saw Bassett lead at the break by the slenderest of margins. It was a different story second half. Bailey Gallagher fired in from the edge of the box to make it 2-0 before Sam Packer and John Mills combined to provide each other with a goal to make it 4-0, this after Thornbury had been reduced to ten men. The result was rounded off by a fifth scored by Alfe Presley who was set up by a defence splitting pass from Chris Taylor.

Previous Encounters

RWBTFC v Thornbury Town

Season	Date	Comp	Match Details		
2021-22	7-Aug-21	FAC	Thornbury Town	0	Royal Wootton Bassett Town 4
Bassett Scorers: Ouldrige, Bampton, Griffin, Moore					
Bassett Team: Ellis, Corcoran, Skinner, Dodson, Ockwell, Taylor, Gallagher, Bampton, Griffin, Ouldrige, Wona. Subs: Moore, Cordery, Robinson					
2021-22	4-Sep-21	League	Royal Wootton Bassett Town	2	Thornbury Town 0
Bassett Scorers: Griffin 2					
Bassett Team: Alexander, Chilcott, Dodson, Corcoran, Robinson, Taylor, Selman, Bampton, Griffin, Ouldrige, Moore. Subs: Wrona, Miller, Gallagher					
2021-22	5-Feb-22	League	Thornbury Town	0	Royal Wootton Bassett Town 5
Bassett scorers: Packer 2, Gallagher, Mills, Presley					
Bassett Team: Cavanagh, Chilcott, Dodson, Corcoran, Morris, Taylor, Gallagher, Packer, Bampton, Ouldrige, Mills. Subs: Ockwell, Wrona, Presley					



Last Meeting at the Sustain Stadium

RWBTFC v Thornbury Town

Saturday 4th September 2021

Royal Wootton Bassett Town 2

Thornbury Town

Uhsport Hellenic League Premier Division

Fourth straight win sees Bassett scale the heights

A 2-0 home triumph against Thornbury Town - Royal Wootton Bassett Town's fourth straight league win - saw Sam Collier's side reach the heady heights of second place in the Hellenic League Premier Division.

The season may still be in its embryonic stages, but the omens are so far proving very good for Bassett, who have now recorded 14 points from their opening seven league fixtures. Indeed, that points haul represents Bassett's best start to a Hellenic Premier campaign after seven matches.

The coming weeks are set to be a big test of Bassett's credentials though. The team's next three league fixtures pit them against sides - Brimscombe and Thrupp, Bishop's Cleeve and Bradford Town - who can all leapfrog Bassett if they win the games in hand which they possess. They then finish September with a visit to Roman Glass St George - who inflicted Bassett's sole league defeat so far.

But having points on the board ahead of such a tough run of games is an ideal position to be in. And the pressure will be on those teams to claim a result that will taken them back above Bassett and give them hope of staying in touch with current pacesetters Cribbs.

Bassett's latest triumph - their second against Thornbury so far this season after a 4-0 victory in the Emirates FA Cup - was a relatively comfortable one.

It was sealed courtesy of Alan Griffin's brace, with the in-form forward netting for the fifth consecutive game.

His first came from the penalty spot six minutes before half time as he coolly tucked the ball away into the bottom left corner, out of reach of Thornbury 'keeper Kurtis Parkin who did manage to guess correctly.

Griffin's second arrived a matter of minutes later. Having rattled the crossbar, he spun and finished decisively to give his side a commanding half time lead that they would not relinquish.

It may still be very early in the season. But a fourth straight win, another clean sheet and a record start all offer reasons for optimism.

The test now is to keep that streak going.



Opponents History

THORNBURY TOWN

The exact date of the formation of the club is uncertain, but there are records of football being played in the late 1800s, with the first mention of "Thornbury Town" in 1898. Before the outbreak of World War I, Thornbury played in the Dursley & Wotton League, with records of games against Chipping Sodbury Town, Wickwar and Westbury Park. During this time Dr. E. M. Grace, elder brother of W G Grace, played for the team.

After the war, the club re-formed and joined the Bristol and Suburban League. The club played in what is now the upper end of The Castle School Sixth Form Playing Field, on a pitch surrounded by an iron fence. They used changing rooms at a social club on the High Street which is now the Thornbury branch of HSBC. In 1933, multiple clubs in the area merged to form Thornbury Sports, later becoming Thornbury A.F.C., and later, Thornbury Town A.F.C.

At the end of World War II, the club moved to its current home at the Mundy Playing Fields. After using various establishments for changing room facilities, a pavilion at the playing fields was built in 1964. After playing in the Bristol and District League, they became founding members of the Bristol Premier Combination, winning the league in the 1956–57 season.

In the 1968-69 season, the club became founding members of the Gloucestershire County League and in the following season recorded attendances in excess of 500 spectators. In 1971, the club was accepted into the Western Football League after finishing third in the County League. However, the Mundy Playing Fields didn't meet the requirements, therefore, the club remained in the County until their relegation to the Bristol Premier Combination in 1977.

The club returned to the Gloucestershire County League in 2002 after many steady, but unsuccessful, seasons in the Bristol Premier Combination, finally winning the title by 13 points. The club finally won their first County League title in 2009-10, but history repeated itself with the club unable to make the step up to a higher level due to lack of facilities at the Mundys. That summer, the local youth football team, Thornbury Falcons, merged with Thornbury Town in a bid to cement the long term tradition of developing local youth talent.

After the title winning season in 2009–10, Thornbury Town struggled to repeat the success and went

through multiple changes of management in the following seasons. Under the stewardship of Andy Davies, the club won the Les James League Cup for the first time beating league winners, Cheltenham Civil Service 1–0. That season the club also finished in a respectable 4th place, which they repeated for the next two seasons.

In 2017–18, the club finally improved on their three consecutive fourth-place finishes, winning the league for a second time. The club also completed the double by winning the Les James League Cup for a second time, beating Frampton United 1–0. Work behind the scenes by committee members, meant the club were also in a position to apply for promotion to Step 6 of the Non-League System after receiving planning permission for a 50-seater stand, floodlights and perimeter fencing. The club's application was successful and they were placed in the Hellenic Football League Division One West for the 2018-19 season. The improvements to the Mundy Playing Fields were officially opened by the Mayor of Thornbury, Shirley Holloway on Tuesday 23 October 2018 before Thornbury Town's Hellenic League Subsidiary Cup game against local rivals Tytherington Rocks, which they won 6-0. After staying in the race for the top spot until the final weeks, the club finished in a respectable 3rd place behind Easington Sports and Cheltenham Saracens. Thornbury also finished the season winning the league's Supplementary Cup, beating Wallingford Town 2-1 at the ASM Stadium in Thame.

Ahead of the 2019-20 season, manager Andy Davies announced he was stepping aside as first team manager to take a break from football management, ending Thornbury Town's most successful era. Former player Jason Rees and ex-Gloucester City player Gary Kemp were announced as the new management team.

On 12 July 2019, it was announced that the club would take part in the FA Cup and FA Vase for the first time in the club's history, falling at the first hurdle against Leighton Town in the FA Cup, whilst reaching the second round in the FA Vase. In Season 2020-21 Thornbury sat second in the table in Division One West when the season was curtailed and that was sufficient to enable them to be promoted to the Hellenic Premier for the first time. Their first season saw them finish 14th in the Premier and they will be looking to improve on that this season.

Men's First Team Squad 2022-23



Matthew Crowther - Goalkeeper
Youngster who joins on loan from Hungerford Town. Last season also spent time on loan this time at fellow Hellenic League side Shrivvenham gaining a number of rave reviews. Has also played for both Aylesbury FC and Didcot Town.

SPONSOR:



Macauley Dodson - Defender
Classy defender who was a regular last season making over 40 appearances in what was his second spell with the club. Previously played for Swindon Supermarine, Chippenham Town, Forest Green Rovers, Highworth Town and Shrivvenham.

SPONSOR:



Jon Beeden - Defender
Solid defender who re-joined the club last season having spent recent seasons with Chippenham Town in the National League South and Thatcham Town in the Southern League. Part of last season's title winning Development Team squad.

SPONSOR:



Louis Spalding - Defender
Talented full back who joins us this season. Skilful, energetic and a player who always looks to get forward, he was with Swindon Town as a youth. Joined Cirencester Town initially on loan in 2017-18 before signing permanently after his release from Swindon. Plenty of Southern League experience at Cirencester & Supermarine.

SPONSOR: Mike Price



Scott Chilcott - Defender
A versatile, tough-tackling defender who is entering his second season with Bassett after joining from Shrivvenham. A hard working, dependable player, he is capable of performing effectively at either centre half or full back. Was part of Fairford Town's Division One West title winning side of 2016-17.

SPONSOR:



Adam Corcoran - Defender
Imposing defender who starts the season having made over 250 appearances for the club. The 2021-22 campaign was without doubt his best in Bassett colours, winning both Manager's and Players' Player of the Year awards. A quality striker of the ball and danger at set pieces, he has also contributed 15 goals for Bassett.

SPONSOR: Neena Hayden & Hugo Viveash



Jowan Partridge - Defender
Product of the club's Youth Section, Jowan was part of last season's Under 18 Floodlit side that finished second in the Wiltshire Senior League Floodlit division. Has impressed in pre-season and is in contention for a first team starting position in Season 2022-23.

SPONSOR:



David Bampton - Midfield
Experienced former Swindon Town player who also played for Tamworth and Worcester in the Conference and with Swindon Supermarine in the Southern League and was part of the Supermarine squad that reached the FA Cup Second Round.

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Baldwin Osayi IgbinoBaro - Midfield
Recent signing who joins us from Corsham Town where he was dual signed from Chippenham Town last season. Striker who has been at Chippenham Town Academy.

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Jack Hobson-McVeigh - Midfield
Defensive midfielder player who joins from Malmesbury Victoria having also previously been with Cirencester Town. Former New Zealand U17 international player who made 2 appearances at the U17 World Cup for his country.

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Chris Taylor– Midfield

Classy midfielder who spent the majority of his career with Swindon Supermarine but has also featured for Cirencester Town, Highworth Town and made 4 substitute appearances for Swindon Town as well as being an England Under 15 international in his youth.

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Gio Wrona - Midfield

Experienced midfielder player who is always wanting the ball and starts the season with 181 appearances for the club and will be looking to join a very select few who have played more than 200. Previously with Swindon Supermarine, North Leigh, Larkhall and Thatcham and scored for Swindon Town in a friendly in the summer.

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Kai Robinson - Midfield

An energetic, tough-tackling box-to-box midfielder now entering his sixth season with Bassett, having initially joined at the start of the 2017-18 season making 36 times & scoring once. His appearances have been more limited over the past 4 seasons but is looking to again make a case for a regular first team place.

SPONSOR:



Lewis Waldon - Forward

Extremely lively centre forward, who is entering his second spell with Bassett. Two-footed, possessing lightning pace and an assured finisher, he has spent most of his career playing Swindon and District League football, but is more than capable of playing at Hellenic League level.

SPONSOR:



James Johnson - Midfield

Skilful midfield player who progressed from the Under 18 side to the First Team last season, making eight appearances for the First Team. Will be looking to hold down a regular place in the starting line-up this season.

SPONSOR:



Tommy Ouldrige - Forward

Hard working player who started with Swindon Town and had loan spells with Chippenham Town and Cirencester Town. Has also played for Hungerford Town and Swindon Supermarine. Played six times for Bassett in 2020-21, scoring three goals before featuring 41 times and scoring seven goals last season.

SPONSOR: Michael Keane



Bailey Gallagher - Forward

Skilful winger who on his day is virtually unplayable. Product of the club's Youth Section who progressed to the Dev Team and then into the First Team. Was Bassett's leading outfield appearance maker last season in the Hellenic Premier where he featured 44 times, scoring nine goals.

SPONSOR:



Matt Bennett - Forward

Fast and possessing an eye for goal, an experienced forward who scored 42 goals for Bassett's Development team as they won the Wiltshire Senior League Premier Division title last season. Bennett started his senior career with the club over a decade and a half ago & starts the season just 5 short of 200 1st team appearances.

SPONSOR: Mark Smedley



Josh Elms – Forward

Highly regarded young striker Josh Elms previously with National League side Eastleigh and Wantage Town. Once in and around the box there is only one thing on this player's mind! With further development, along with his physicality and presence.

SPONSOR: Mike Price



Alfie Presley - Forward

Talented winger who returned to the club from Malmesbury Vics part way through last season having scored 5 goals in 14 games, before adding 4 goals in 11 appearances for Bassett. His performances for Bassett in the 2019-20 season saw him crowned both Manager's Player and Players' Player of the Year.

SPONSOR: Mike Price



Sam Collier – Manager

Manager since taking the role, initially on an interim basis, while still also a player, in early 2018. In 2018-19, his first full season in charge, Collier guided the team to 10th in the Hellenic League Premier - the club's highest ever finish. Bassett have also set records in both national cup competitions under his stewardship.

SPONSOR:



Alan Griffin – Assistant Manager

Joins Bassett's management team after scoring 16 times in 32 appearances last season. High-quality target man with a distinguished playing career in non-league. Started with Corsham in the Western League & soon moved onto the Southern League, plying his trade with Cirencester T, Chippenham T, Gloucester City, Mangotsfield United, Swindon Supermarine & Bristol Manor Farm.

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Half Time Challenges

NAMES THE SAME

Something different this season that is RWBTFC related, testing your knowledge of who has played for or managed the First Team in the last 20 years. Below are 10 general knowledge questions or clues of varying degrees of difficulty. In every instance the answer is the **SURNAME** of either a former or current player who has played or managed at least one game for the First Team in the last 20 years. Some questions/clues relate to those sharing the same surname, whilst others are a description of the surname etc. All I need is the full name of a player or manager who has played for the club or managed the club with the surname indicated by the clue. For some of the questions there will be more than one answer as we have had a few brothers over the years, some names are quite common and we have even had the odd father and son.

1	Famous cricketer Viv who along with Ian Botham was a star at Somerset in the 70's & 80's.
2	Is he one of those sportsmen who comes from Green Bay in the USA?
3	Male ruler of an independent state, especially one who inherits the position by right of birth.
4	Nobby who used to do the local sport on Swindon Cable.
5	Famous for their designer sunglasses and goggles.
6	Producer of the "Golden Shred" marmalade among other sticky products.
7	The "Swiss Family" in an 1812 novel and a 1960 Disney film about a shipwrecked family.
8	Player who made his name at Portsmouth before going on to play at Man City & C.Palace.
9	George Bernard?
10	Market town in Lincolnshire.

NAME 10

Name the 10 host cities of the summer Olympic Games between 1984 and 2020?

NAME THE TUNE FROM THE LYRICS

Name the song from the lyrics below:

Belief is a beauty thing
Promises promises
As golden days break wondering
Chance as love takes a train
Summer breeze and brilliant light



See Page 40 for answers.

RWBTFC Hellenic League Stats

LEAGUE RECORD, MANAGERS, TOP SCORERS

ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 34 YEARS + IN THE HELLENIC LEAGUE												
Season	Div	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Manager	Top Scorer	
1988/89	1	28	11	7	10	50	41	40	5 out of 15	Mick Woolford	Damon York	
1989/90	1	30	13	8	9	52	35	47	7 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York 25	
1990/91	1	30	11	8	11	32	36	41	8 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York	
1991/92	1	32	10	8	14	45	59	38	12 out of 17	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent	
1992/93	1	30	8	6	16	40	53	30	12 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent	
1993/94	1	34	15	8	11	65	57	53	9 out of 18	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent	
1994/95	1	38	18	5	15	67	68	59	9 out of 20	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent/Darren Jell	
1995/96	1	34	12	9	13	50	64	45	10 out of 18	Kevin Maloney	Scott Vincent	
1996/97	1	32	9	8	15	37	50	35	11 out of 17	Kevin Maloney	Ian Curtis/Gary Ashford 8	
1997/98	1	32	12	6	14	67	58	42	10 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart/Peter Dearlove 10	
1998/99	1	32	17	7	8	64	43	58	5 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart 17	
1999/00	1	28	15	7	6	54	32	52	3 out of 15	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart	
2000/01	Prem	38	14	10	14	54	60	52	13 out of 20	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart 25	
2001/02	Prem	42	11	9	22	39	75	42	19 out of 22	Pete Yeardley	Mark Vaughan 14	
2002/03	Prem	40	10	10	20	36	70	40	15 out of 21	Pete Yeardley	Geoff Swatton 9	
2003/04	Prem	42	11	5	26	38	73	38	16 out of 22	Pete Yeardley	Geoff Swatton 16	
2004/05	Prem	42	6	9	27	30	85	27	21 out of 22	Pete Yeardley/Chris Jones	Matty Bennett 10	
2005/06	1W	34	17	10	7	58	30	61	5 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett 12	
2006/07	1W	34	14	5	15	64	62	47	11 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett/Steve Yeardley 11	
2007/08	1W	34	11	3	20	43	66	36	15 out of 18	Paul Burke	Richie Saunders 12	
2008/09	1W	32	17	9	6	61	31	60	4 out of 17	Dave Turner	Shaun Terry 26	
2009/10	1W	30	20	7	3	74	34	67	2 out of 16	Dave Turner	Sam Collier 22	
2010/11	Prem	42	13	7	22	55	87	46	15 out of 22	Dave Turner	Sam Collier 26	
2011/12	1W	32	15	7	10	69	47	52	5 out of 17	Dave Turner	Matt Bow 18	
2012/13	1W	30	22	3	5	75	40	69	2 out of 16	Dave Turner	Mark Barnes 32	
2013/14	Prem	38	11	12	15	60	60	45	14 out of 20	Jeff Roberts	Levi Cox 14	
2014/15	Prem	38	14	9	15	66	80	51	11 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Dan Bailey 18	
2015/16	Prem	38	12	5	21	50	86	41	15 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Steve Robertson 30	
2016/17	Prem	34	15	3	16	61	64	45	11 out of 19	P.Braithwaite/R.Hunter	Steve Robertson 27	
2017/18	Prem	38	11	6	21	44	85	39	15 out of 20	Richard Hunter/Sam Collier	Sam Collier 11	
2018/19	Prem	36	14	7	15	66	71	49	10 out of 19	Sam Collier	TJ Bohane 20	
2019/20	Prem	27	8	4	15	50	65	28	16* out of 19	Sam Collier	Callum Parsons 11	
2020/21	Prem	8	1	4	3	8	12	7	15* out of 18	Sam Collier	TJ Bohane 11	
2021/22	Prem	38	16	6	16	58	66	54	12 out of 20	Sam Collier	Alan Griffin & John Mills 16	
2022/23	Prem	2	1	1	0	2	1	4	11 out of 20	Sam Collier	Alfie Presley 2	
Total		1,149	435	238	476	1,784	1,946	1,540				

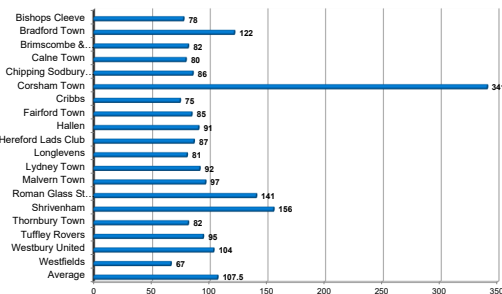
* At time season 2019-20 was suspended due to Covid-19

	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	37.9%	20.7%	41.4%							
Premier Division	543	168	107	268	717	1,040	608	30.9%	19.7%	49.4%	
Division 1 West	226	116	44	66	444	310	392	51.3%	19.5%	29.2%	
Division 1	380	151	87	142	623	596	540	39.7%	22.9%	37.4%	

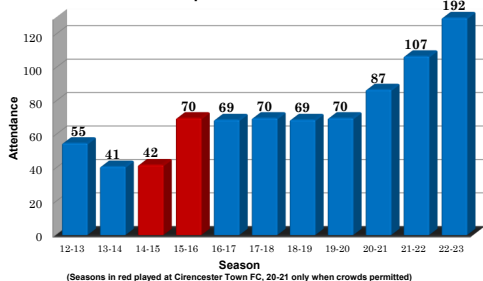
Nickname	Bassett
Record Gate	2,103 v Swindon Town (1991)
Best Gate - 2021/22	341 v Corsham Town
Average Hellenic Attendance 2021/22	107 (up from 87 in 20/21)
Record Known Win	16 - 0 v Clyffe Pypard (1933/34)
Record Known Defeat	1 - 16 v Warminster T (3/11/1945)

CROWDS

RWBTFC League Attendances - Season 2021-22



RWBTFC Average Home League Attendances - Last 10 Years plus current season



Match Report

MEN'S FIRST TEAM

Replay required after late lapse

Royal Wootton Bassett Town and Windsor will have to do it all again on Tuesday after the teams drew 1-1 in their Emirates FA Cup extra preliminary round clash at the Sustain Stadium.

Bassett appeared on course to advance after taken the lead through Bailey Gallagher with seventeen of the allotted ninety minutes remaining. But Windsor equalised through Tyler Robinson's 89th minute headed goal – his team's first shot on target all afternoon. Neither side was then able to find a winner in the extended period of second half injury time.

Seeking victory at this stage of the FA Cup for the third consecutive season – something Bassett have never before achieved, Sam Collier and his side will ultimately be disappointed not to have booked a preliminary round place. Although there was little between the sides, the hosts had the better of the limited number of chances that the game produced and, although capable of playing neat and tidy football, the visitors lacked cutting edge in the final third.

The tie certainly was not a classic. Clear cut opportunities were particularly few and far between in an uninspiring first half.

It took quarter of an hour for the first action in front of goal to arrive. Seizing on a poor clearance from Windsor 'keeper Conaill Ryan, Alfie Presley drove forward but failed to locate the target from the edge of the box after being forced wide by Luke Appleton.

Presley then came slightly closer eight minutes later following Tommy Ouldrige hooked inside pass. But after fashioning space to shoot, the forward blazed narrowly over.

Despite those chances, Bassett struggled to create much from open play, with Appleton and centre back partner George Gould in imperious form.

Jack Hobson-McVeigh did send a free kick wide of the right upright while Dave Bampton

came close with a header from another Hobson-McVeigh set piece delivery. But that was Bassett's lot in front of goal.

The hosts then almost found themselves a goal down at the break. Fortunately, however, Jacob Adeyemi skewed wide with the goal at his mercy after Favour Anene had outmuscled Adam Corcoran to bring down a ball over the top and squared for his teammate.

Bassett started the brighter of the teams in the second period. Ouldrige flicked a header just over the bar in the opening minute of the half before Gallagher fired into Ryan's hand following good build up play down the right side involving Ouldrige and Gio Wrona, and Presley saw a deflected strike go inches wide of the left post.

But it wasn't until the introduction of Josh Elms in attack and an unfortunate injury to Gould that they really seized the initiative.

And Bassett were eventually rewarded when Ouldrige fed Presley with a precise through ball into the right channel and his low cross into the box was guided home by Gallagher who produced a composed first-time finish to finish off a well-worked move.

With Windsor having failed to create much at all, the goal should really have served as a springboard for Bassett to wrap up the game. However, their play went ragged and, as a consequence, it remained the case that just one opportunity for the visitors could be enough to bring them back into the match.

And so it proved. Windsor earned a contentious free kick ten yards into Bassett territory. From that position, the odds should have been against Windsor finding the net. But Robinson was able to ghost free of his marker, connecting with Ben Hall's free kick delivery and flicking a header into the bottom left corner to earn his side a replay.

Man of the match: Alfie Presley – the forward provided the assist for Bassett's goal and was his side's most threatening player throughout the match.

Match Report

MEN'S FIRST TEAM

Bassett reap replay rewards by beating lively Windsor

The Emirates FA Cup has brought out the best of Royal Wootton Bassett Town in recent seasons, with a record equalling run in 2020-21 followed by a record-setting margin of victory last year. Another milestone can now be added to that list as a 2-0 extra preliminary round replay win away at Windsor means Bassett have recorded victory in the competition in three consecutive seasons - the first time that has been achieved in club history.

That achievement was secured in impressive fashion too as Sam Collier's side earned a hard fought, albeit ultimately deserved win against a lively Windsor team.

The Royalists were tricky customers in the original meeting in Wiltshire, though a replay would not have been needed had Bassett seen the game out. There were no such issues this time, however as a rock solid defensive display and an energetic attacking performance produced the goods.

Unlike Saturday, this was a game that produced multiple chances at both ends of the pitch, with the two attacks waking up from the slumber that they were in at the weekend. Keenly contested and with little to separate the teams, it was a highly entertaining, tense contest throughout.

Bassett were again the team who produced more clear cut opportunities over the course of the 90 minute. But playing with intent from the first whistle, the hosts threatened first. On four minutes, Emeka Ukaegbu's audacious backheel found an unmarked Joe Blount in the left corner. Blount flashed a low ball across the six yard box but fortunately for Bassett there was no final touch to steer home.

Bassett soon were a whisker away from leading when a quick free kick from Tommy Ouldrige to Louis Spalding caught Windsor off guard. Spalding whipped a fine cross into the box, which Josh Elms flicked towards goal, however his header bounced off the crossbar and wide.

Collier's side continued to find success down the left side as home full back Basim Mirtahmasebi pushed forward but was less diligent when it came to tracking back. Midway through the half, 'keeper Matt Crowther quickly flipped a kick forward for Spalding who again picked out Elms with a precise cross into the box. The forward was unmarked but was let down by a heavy first touch.

Another break, this time initiated by a Jon Beeden

tackle saw Bailey Gallagher surge forward. After cutting inside, the ball was worked through Jack Hobson-McVeigh to Spalding - now switched to the right - and his low shot from a tight angle was parried wide by Conaill Ryan. Having knocked on the door for a while, Bassett eventually made the breakthrough three minutes before the interval. Chris Taylor split the Windsor defence with a sublime through pass which Gallagher ran onto. Drawing Ryan off his line, the winger unselfishly squared inside for Elms to tap in.

It was a well worked goal and gave Bassett a deserved lead - which was soon almost doubled as Elms arrowed a low drive inches wide of the left post after great work from Scott Chilcott to win the ball back deep inside Windsor territory. With such a slender lead, there was still plenty to do in the second half, with the youthful hosts likely to benefit from their fresher legs. They created a decent opening within thirty seconds of play resuming as Tyler Robinson crossed for Kyle Rochford, whose attempted bicycle kick glided wide.

Elms then had a string of half chances in quick succession - the best coming when he played a neat give and go with Ouldrige before shooting just wide of the post from the edge of the area. After a relatively frantic opening ten minutes, Windsor soon started to assert themselves better, enjoyed a sustained period of play midway through the half that saw them force multiple corners and pin Bassett deep.

Bassett's defence - with Beeden and fellow centre half Dave Bampton particularly impressive - fended off that spell though.

And the visitors were eventually able to kill the game off with eight minutes left. After Gio Wrona saw an attempted cross blocked, the ball broke for Chilcott and he burst into the box before cutting back to Alfie Presley who emphatically fired in on the turn.

That was game, set and match, though a third almost arrived when Taylor stole possession and Elms broke forward only to blaze over. Another tough test against Combined Counties League opposition now awaits in the form of Reading City. That promises to be another entertaining encounter with Bassett looking to make the most of having home advantage at the Sustain Stadium.

Man of the match: Josh Elms - the forward had a great game and deservedly scored. Justifying his starting berth, he not only proved a real threat for the Windsor defence, but worked tirelessly for his side to press when the hosts had possession.



ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FC

Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	Crowd	1	2	3	4	5
Tue 02-Aug	Mangotsfield Town	H	W 1 - 0	192	Crowther	Chilcott	Spalding	Corcoran	Bampton
Sat 06-Aug	Windsor (FAC Ex. Prelim)	H	D 1 - 1	119	Crowther	Chilcott	Spalding	Corcoran	Bampton
Tue 09-Aug	Windsor (FAC Ex. Prelim Replay)	A	W 2 - 0	192	Crowther	Chilcott	Spalding	Corcoran	Bampton
Sat 13-Aug	Chipping Sodbury Town	A	D 1 - 1	53	Crowther	Dodson	Spalding	Lea	Bampton
Tue 16-Aug	Thornbury Town	H							
Sat 20-Aug	Reading City (FAC Prelim)	H							
Wed 24-Aug	Bradford Town	A							
Mon 29-Aug	Corsham Town	A							
Tue 06-Sep	Wantage Town	H							
Sat 10-Sep	Bradford Town	H							
Tue 20-Sep	Mangotsfield Town	A							
Tue 27-Sep	Thornbury Town	A							
Sat 01-Oct	Cribbs	H							
Tue 04-Oct	Roman Glass St George	A							
Sat 15-Oct	Malvern Town	A							
Sat 22-Oct	FA Vase 1st Round								
Sat 29-Oct	Westfields	H							
Sat 05-Nov	Worcester Raiders	H							
Sat 12-Nov	Brimscombe & Thrupp	A							
Sat 19-Nov	Fairford Town	H							
Sat 26-Nov	Hereford Lads Club	A							
Sat 03-Dec	Hereford Pegasus	A							
Sat 10-Dec	Longlevens	A							
Sat 17-Dec	Lydney Town	H							
Tue 27-Dec	Corsham Town	H							
Sat 02-Jan	Malvern Town	H							
Sat 07-Jan	Tuffley Rovers	A							
Sat 14-Jan	Westfields	A							
Sat 21-Jan	Worcester Raiders	A							
Sat 28-Jan	Brimscombe & Thrupp	H							
Sat 04-Feb	Fairford Town	A							
Sat 11-Feb	Hereford Lads Club	H							
Sat 18-Feb	Hereford Pegasus	H							
Sat 25-Feb	Longlevens	H							
Sat 04-Mar	Lydney Town	A							
Sat 11-Mar	Shrivenham	A							
Sat 18-Mar	Chipping Sodbury Town	H							
Sat 25-Mar	Cribbs	A							
Sat 01-Apr	Roman Glass St George	H							
Fri 07-Apr	Shrivenham	H							
Mon 10-Apr	Wantage Town	A							
TBA	BICC								
TBA	Tuffley Rovers	H							
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	Floodlit Cup 1st Round								



FAC - FA Cup, FLC - Floodlight Cup, FAV - FA Vase, WPS - Wiltshire Premier

MEN'S FIRST TEAM SEASON 2022-23



6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15	16
Presley (1)	Taylor	Ouldrige	Gallagher	Robinson	Hobson-McVeigh	Elms	Bennett	Wrona	
Presley	Taylor	Ouldrige	Gallagher (1)	Robinson	Hobson-McVeigh	Elms	Griffin	Wrona	
Beeden	Taylor	Ouldrige	Gallagher	Elms (1)	Hobson-McVeigh	Presley (1)	Robinson	Wrona	
Presley	Taylor	Ouldrige	Gallagher	Elms	Robinson	Hobson-McVeigh (1)	Griffin	Bennett	Igbinobaro

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mer Shield (County Cup), BICC - Challenge Cup, * = Subject to tonight's result

Statistics

MEN'S FIRST TEAM

Season 2022-23						RWBTFC Career	
	Appearances	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals	Apps	Goals
1	David Bampton	4		4		57	3
2	Chris Taylor	4		4		52	2
3	Bailey Gallagher	4		4	1	50	10
4	Thomas Ouldrige	4		4		49	10
5	Matthew Crowther	4		4		4	
6	Louis Spalding	4		4		4	
7	Kai Robinson	3	1	4		93	1
8	Alfie Presley	3	1	4	2	44	11
9	Jack Hobson-McVeigh	3	1	4	1	4	1
10	Josh Elms	2	2	4	1	4	1
11	Adam Corcoran	3		3		267	15
12	Scott Chilcott	3		3		29	
13	Giorgio Wrona		3	3		183	23
14	Matt Bennett		2	2		197	58
15	Alan Griffin		2	2		34	16
16	Jon Beeden	1		1		60	5
17	Macauley Dodson	1		1		44	2
18	Harrison Lea	1		1		14	1
19	Baldwin Osayi Igbinobaro		1	1		1	



Adam Corcoran



Dave Bampton

Season 2022-23 & Last Season

HELLENIC LEAGUE TABLES

2022-2023 Season

UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Cribbs	3	3	0	0	6	2	9
2 Bradford Town	3	2	0	1	8	3	6
3 Longlevens AFC	3	1	2	0	5	2	5
4 Corsham Town	3	1	2	0	8	6	5
5 Worcester Raiders	2	1	1	0	7	3	4
6 Tuffley Rovers	3	1	1	1	5	3	4
7 Roman Glass St George	2	1	1	0	3	1	4
8 Wantage Town	3	1	1	1	6	5	4
9 Malvern Town	3	1	1	1	5	4	4
10 Westfields	2	1	1	0	3	2	4
11 Royal W. Bassett Town	2	1	1	0	2	1	4
12 Hereford Lads Club	3	1	1	1	4	4	4
13 Hereford Pegasus	2	1	0	1	1	3	3
14 Brimscombe & Thrupp	2	0	2	0	2	2	2
15 Lydney Town	3	0	2	1	0	4	2
16 Shrivenham	2	0	1	1	1	3	1
17 Thornbury Town	3	0	1	2	2	5	1
18 Fairford Town	3	0	1	2	2	7	1
19 Chipping Sodbury Town	3	0	1	2	3	10	1
20 Mangotsfield United	2	0	0	2	1	4	0

2021-2022 Season

UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Bishops Cleeve	38	28	8	2	108	46	92
2 Westbury United	38	25	9	4	94	41	84
3 Malvern Town	38	23	8	7	98	59	77
4 Cribbs	38	23	6	9	86	45	75
5 Corsham Town	38	21	9	8	67	35	72
6 Bradford Town	38	21	7	10	77	43	70
7 Westfields	38	19	9	10	67	49	66
8 Longlevens AFC	38	20	4	14	80	66	64
9 Brimscombe & Thrupp	38	19	6	13	81	55	63
10 Roman Glass St George	38	20	3	15	67	49	63
11 Fairford Town	38	17	5	16	60	51	56
12 Royal W. Bassett Town	38	16	6	16	58	66	54
13 Hereford Lads Club	38	14	4	20	73	80	46
14 Thornbury Town	38	10	8	20	46	73	38
15 Shrivenham	38	9	6	23	49	106	33
16 Lydney Town	38	8	7	23	49	82	31
17 Tuffley Rovers	38	8	5	25	40	92	29
18 Chipping Sodbury Town	38	8	4	26	43	91	28
19 Calne Town	38	5	4	29	37	105	19
20 Hallen	38	4	6	28	49	95	18

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MAGIC OF THE FA CUP



THERE'S NOT much that grinds my gears like the debate around the FA Cup, the magic or lack thereof.

In early January, the usual debate will be trotted out about the FA Cup and how seriously Premier League clubs take it and question whether the competition has lost its lustre.

Maybe it has, maybe it hasn't when the elite clubs join. I still like it, will always watch the final and generally buy into the idea it is a pretty special cup competition.

Perhaps that comes from many years scribbling away for The NLP and having the chance to tell so many stories.

From Lincoln City's remarkable run to the quarter-finals, to speaking to first-timers just happy to have their name in the hat at the extra preliminary round stage.

For me, it is these early rounds where the true heart of the competition really is. Where, for some clubs, just getting through a few rounds and getting, for example, a draw with a Step 2 club is reason to celebrate. Or where reaching the first round is the dream.

I spoke to former Bowers & Pitsea manager Rob Small recently. His side reached the first round proper last term after dumping out National League Aldershot Town in the fourth round qualifying.

They were draw at Lincoln and, for them, it really was the pinnacle, a day they won't ever forget.

Last Friday night I popped along to Thetford Town and Soham Town Rangers.

Bodies desperately thrown in front of shots at goal, last ditch tackles, full-blooded challenges and a stoppage-time equaliser lashed into the top corner sparking wild celebrations.

Just 83 days after Liverpool lifted the trophy, the world's oldest competition kicked off again.

The sums of money are tiny in comparison, but still a vital £1,125 is up for grabs for the 208 winners in the extra preliminary. Indeed, even the losers at this stage take £375 – all vital pounds for Non-League clubs at the level.

Perhaps there's something to be said for Friday night football, with a healthy crowd in attendance. Fans pour through the turnstile block just before kick-off to pay their £7 - £4 for concessions – and £1 for a programme. Outside the Brecklanders' bar, the air hummed with that early season chatter of optimism and familiar faces catching up.

The game was great. Three goals in four first-half minutes before a net-busting stoppage-time equaliser from Soham's Luke Brown to set-up a replay. You could see what it meant. And we will see similar tales over the coming weeks and the competitions bounces from one round to the next.

Maybe those who think the magic has gone aren't looking in the right place...

Matt Badcock

Very Random Thoughts

FOOTBALL RESULTS

Over the years of my lifetime the game of football in this country has certainly changed a lot, sometimes for the better, but not always. Whilst some people moan about all seater stadiums, you can not deny football is a lot safer experience these days than it was back in the 1970's and early 1980's, both in the stadium and generally also in and around the ground (except for Millwall and Luton games). The atmosphere at games is not quite the same but the re-introduction of limited standing areas, with the safe-standing railing, may go some way to helping with that. QPR have just introduced it and this week will open the safe-standing for the first time and it will be interesting to see the impact on the atmosphere at Loftus Road.

The back-pass rule, whilst I was sceptical at the time, has certainly improved the player skill levels across the whole game, both at league and non-league level. However, all this passing back to the keepers' feet can often be very dull and boring at times. Seeing 72 passes across the back before even thinking about getting the ball forward can get very tedious but equally the long ball game of Graham Taylor and John Beck was even more tough to watch. It is hard to believe that Beck was part of the wonderful QPR squad that went so close to winning the league title in 1975-76 only to be cheated out of it by Liverpool. Outrageous that Liverpool were allowed to play their final game 10 days after everyone else had finished, and I would like to remind Wolves fans here tonight that QPR were let down badly by Wolves in that final game of the season (Steve G - you only needed to hold out for another 14 minutes!)).

The days of a team like Ipswich, QPR, Watford or Derby (especially Derby) coming up and challenging at the top of English football are I am afraid long gone. When football, as we know it today, was invented with Sky's help in 1992-93, it became all about money. These days it is just perm any one from five, select either Manchester City, Liverpool, Chelsea, Arsenal or Manchester United and you are almost guaranteed to have a top five finisher (although Man Utd

are trying hard to make it a bit more interesting at the moment). Dull, dull, dull and why I don't watch much English Premier League these days preferring the Championship and the Bundesliga where everyone can beat everyone except Bayern Munch, although my team Borussia Monchengladbach have a good record of beating Bayern most seasons. In 30 years of the Premier League there have been just seven different winners and one of those was in the third season of its existence before the concentration of money had done its damage and Blackburn are unlikely to repeat that feat any day soon. Leicester's title will forever be seen as the best achievement of any club in the 30 years of the existence of the Premier League.

Whilst I can just about get used to all of this change the one change to the old way of doing things that probably hurts the most is the recent decision by the BBC to axe the decades long tradition of reading the football results on the radio on Saturday at five o'clock. Travelling home from having played a game somewhere in deepest Wiltshire, having lost to a last-minute goal at somewhere like Bromham, hearing the dulcet tones of James Alexander Gordan coming through the radio announcing the results across the English and Scottish professional game somehow soothed the pain. You listened intently, firstly to see how your team had got on, how Swindon had got on and hoping that East Fife had finally scored four in reply to Forfar's five. Alexander Gordan handed over the reins to Charlotte Green in 2013 and she did an excellent job of carrying on the tradition. Sadly, it is no-more and as one of the old teachers at Bassett Comp used to say, 'another nail in the coffin' of the BBC. The good news for all those travelling back from Non-League games is that, not only are you unlikely to have lost at Bromham, Talksport have said they will continue the tradition of a full set of classified results so time to retune the dial or whatever it is you need to do with a DAB radio these days.

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RWBTFC MEN'S DEV TEAM

ROYAL W. BASSETT TOWN FC DEV - SEASON 2022-23 FIXTURES & RESULTS

CORSHAM PRINT WILTSHIRE SENIOR LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sat 13-Aug-22	Frome Collegians	H	League	L 1 - 4	McDermid
Tue 16-Aug-22	Blunsdon	A	League		
Sat 20-Aug-22	Trowbridge Town	A	League		
Wed 24-Aug-22	Malmesbury Vics Dev	A	League		
Sat 27-Aug-22	Pewsey Vale	H	League		
Tue 30-Aug-22	Calne Town Res	A	League		
Sat 03-Sep-22	Shrewton United	A	League		
Sat 10-Sep-22	Salisbury Dev	A	League		
Sat 17-Sep-22	Kintbury Rangers	A	League		
Sat 24-Sep-22	Stratton Juniors	H	League		
	Blunsdon	H	League		
	Calne Town Res	H	League		
	Devizes Town	H	League		
	Devizes Town	A	League		
	Frome Collegians	A	League		
	Kintbury Rangers	H	League		
	Malmesbury Vics Dev	H	League		
	Marlborough Town	H	League		
	Marlborough Town	A	League		
	Melksham Town Res	H	League		
	Melksham Town Res	A	League		
	Odd Down (Bath)	H	League		
	Odd Down (Bath)	A	League		
	Pewsey Vale	A	League		
	Salisbury Dev	H	League		
	Shrewton United	H	League		
	Stratton Juniors	A	League		
	Trowbridge Town	H	League		
	Wroughton	H	League		
	Wroughton	A	League		

Goalscorers

Ian McDermid

League	FT Cup	WSC	Total
1			1
1	0	0	1

**Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League
Premier Division Season 2022-23**

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Trowbridge Town FC	1	1	0	0	7	1	3
2 Devizes Town FC	1	1	0	0	4	0	3
3 Frome Collegians FC	1	1	0	0	4	1	3
4 Kintbury Rangers FC	1	1	0	0	1	0	3
5 Blunsdon FC	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
6 Odd Down (Bath) FC Dev	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
7 Salisbury FC Dev	1	0	1	0	4	4	1
8 Wroughton FC	1	0	1	0	4	4	1
9 Malmesbury Victoria FC Dev	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 Marlborough Town FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11 Melksham Town FC Res	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12 Shrewton United FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13 Pewsey Vale FC	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
14 Royal W. Bassett Town FC Dev	1	0	0	1	1	4	0
15 Stratton Juniors FC	1	0	0	1	0	4	0
16 Calne Town FC Res	1	0	0	1	1	7	0

**Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League
Premier Division Season 2021-22**

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Royal W. Bassett Town Dev	32	27	3	2	132	21	84
2 Pewsey Vale	32	26	3	3	119	29	81
3 Trowbridge Town	32	23	5	4	123	33	74
4 Corsham Town Dev	32	22	2	8	99	55	68
5 Malmesbury Victoria Dev	32	15	7	10	105	76	52
6 Calne Town Res	32	15	6	11	110	50	51
7 Salisbury FC Dev	32	16	3	13	97	52	51
8 Frome Collegians	32	15	5	12	63	62	50
9 Melksham Town Res	32	15	4	13	81	72	49
10 Wroughton	32	15	4	13	69	61	49
11 Odd Down Res	32	13	7	12	69	53	46
12 Shrewton United *(-3)	32	15	4	13	82	69	46
13 Stratton Juniors	32	10	0	22	49	121	30
14 Marlborough Town	32	5	5	22	49	104	20
15 Devizes Town Res	32	4	1	27	47	121	13
16 Ludgershall Sports	32	4	1	27	37	130	13
17 Purton	32	2	0	30	21	243	6

** 3 points deducted for playing ineligible player*

Match Report

MEN'S DEVELOPMENT TEAM

Royal W. Bassett Town Dev 1 Frome Collegians 4

Saturday 13 August 2022

As well as Pewsey falling to an opening day defeat the same fate befell last season's champions Royal Wootton Bassett Town Development at home against Frome Collegians. In a tight first half Frome had goalkeeper Ben Forrester to thank for keeping it level in the opening stages with a couple of important saves. Frome went in front around the half hour mark thanks to powerful low shot from new signing Jack Newman. However, the home side were back on level terms just before the break when a free kick from Manuel Meses was headed in at the far post by an unmarked Ian McDermid to make it 1-1 at the break. Frome went back in front early in the second half, a ball over the top down the left found

Alex Pippard whose low cross found Morgan Marsh on the edge of the box who controlled the ball and then volleyed into the net. Royal Wootton Bassett Town went close to equalising through Bruno Martins, but his powerful shot came back of the crossbar and Max Slinn mishit the rebound, and it remained 2-1. Not for long though as substitute Slinn gave the ball away in midfield and Frome broke quickly, a cross from the left found Marsh again and his cross deceived everyone and nestled in the top corner of the net to make it 3-1. There was time for one further goal, and it again went the way of Frome, Jack Newman heading in powerfully from a corner for his second of the game to make the final score 4-1 to Karl Freeman's side, their first league win against their opponents after four previous defeats. i



On This Day in History

2008-09 BASSETT EARN REPLAY

16 August 2008
FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round
Flackwell Heath 1 Wootton Bassett Town 1

The FA Cup continued its trend of bringing the best out of Wootton Bassett Town as they forced Hellenic Premier side Flackwell Heath into a replay after a 1-1 draw.

It could have been a shock win though, but Matt Rolfe pooped that party with a last minute equaliser, powerfully heading home from a perfectly placed Adam Morris free kick. On the balance of play, Glynn's goal was a deserved one as his side dominated in terms of possession and played some sublime football, knocking the ball about with much confidence. However, they endured a frustrating day as their visitors more than rose to the challenge and limited their chances with some brilliant defending; Stewart Thompson was certainly thankful as he had a quieter day than he would have expected to have.

Inside the opening ten minutes, both sides had come close to breaking the deadlock. Nathan Jack flashed a powerful left footed drive just past the right post before a delightful chipped Shaun Terry through ball set Ryan Banks free at the other end. However, his first time drive sailed wide when he had the chance to bear down on goal.

Bassett were slightly wasteful when they possessed the ball in the opening 45 minutes, but having to adjust to the frenetic pace Flackwell were setting, that was no surprise. They were very nearly made to pay for squandering the ball with just under 20 minutes gone when Jack was able to advance with the midfield caught out and he eventually teed up Riccardo Cannon, but his weak effort was easily collected by Thompson. The Bassett 'keeper was then beaten just before the break, however he had the left upright to thank as Cannon's glancing header rebounded off it after Richie Glynn had redirected a Leigh Mason corner back into the danger area.

The visitors settled well after the restart and began looking like the more dangerous of the two sides. Debutant Adam Field forced a fine save from Carl Dennison with a shot from a tight angle, following another incisive pass from Banks. A heavy first touch cost Field though as it allowed the ball to run away from him, but still the Flackwell 'keeper was made to work to keep the score deadlocked.

At the other end, it continued to be a frustrating day in front of goal for the home side. Bassett's centre back pairing of Chris Oram and Shaun Carter were seemingly impregnable, whilst full backs Richie Carter – a half time replacement for

captain Luke Sharps, who sustained a knock – and Luke Preston were giving their wide men little room to manoeuvre. All Flackwell managed to muster from open play were wayward long range efforts or shots which were blocked. A rasping free kick from Jack forced a save out of Thompson, but that was basically it for the irritated hosts.

The score, therefore, looked as though it would remain how it started. But that was until Craig Shand found the back of the net for Bassett. Banks again set things in motion with a lofted pass to Terry. The tricky front man brought the ball down and rode a strong challenge before poking the ball square to an unmarked Shand.

His fellow former Hungerford teammate sent a low effort towards goal, which Dennison got a glove too, but the 'keeper couldn't do enough to prevent from trickling over the line. A second seemed on the cards for Shand moments later as he went for glory from range with Dennison stranded, but he sent the ball agonizingly wide. From this emerged fresh emergency within the Flackwell ranks and Rolfe spared their blushes with under 60 seconds of normal time to go. It was a delicious delivery from the deep by Morris, but an unstoppable header from the centre back.



Scoop's Man of the Match: Shaun Carter – was a commanding figure at the heart of defence for Bassett as he – along with partner Chris Oram – made life as miserable as possible for Flackwell's front two.

Scoop Rating: 8/10 – it was disappointing to concede the late equaliser, but in the end it was a fair result following great performances from both sides. Flackwell played the football, but Bassett answered back with a spirited display to thwart their opponents.

There was to be no happy ending as Bassett lost the replay 6-1.

Season 2022-23

WOMEN'S FIRST TEAM

Fixtures—Season 2022-23

Date	Opponents	H/A
04-Sep	Bristol Rovers	A
11-Sep	Torquay United	H
18-Sep	Sherborne Town	H
25-Sep	Poole Town	A
02-Oct	Middlezoy Rovers (FAC)	A
09-Oct	Forest Green Rovers	H
16-Oct	Warminster Town	A
16-Oct	Wiltshire FA County Cup 1	
23-Oct	Ilminster Town Ladies	H
30-Oct	Liskeard Athletic	A
06-Nov	Bishops Lydeard Ladies	H
13-Nov	Bishops Lydeard Ladies	A
20-Nov	Bristol Rovers	H
27-Nov	Torquay United	A
04-Dec	Sherborne Town	A
11-Dec	Poole Town	H
18-Dec	Forest Green Rovers	A
08-Jan	Warminster Town	H
15-Jan	Ilminster Town Ladies	A
22-Jan	Liskeard Athletic	H

FAC = Women's FA Cup, WCC = Wilts County Cup



SOUTH WEST REGIONAL WOMEN'S FOOTBALL LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION Season 2021-22

Final Table & Results Grid	Home Games										Away Games					Goals	Points
	AFC St Austell	Ilminster Town	Sherborne Town	Torquay United	Forest Green Rovers	Royal W. Bassett T	Bishops Lydeard	MAPL	Middlezoy	Bideford	Pld	W	D	L	For		
1 AFC St Austell Ladies		3-0	2-1	2-2	6-1	5-4	3-0	2-0	8-2	17-0	9	8	1	0	48	10	25
2 Ilminster Town Ladies	3-3		2-3	1-1	4-0	3-2	2-1	4-2	3-0	5-0	9	6	2	1	27	12	20
3 Sherborne Town*	0-3	4-1		3-2	5-2	4-1	2-0	3-0	13-1	18-0	9	8	1	0	55	10	25
4 Torquay United Women	3-2	4-3	2-2		0-3	4-0	2-1	3-0	2-0	4-0	9	6	1	2	21	12	19
5 Forest Green Rovers Women	1-2	3-4	1-0	3-2		3-0	3-0	0-0	5-1	2-0	9	8	0	1	34	7	24
6 Royal W. Bassett Town Ladies	1-1	2-2	2-3	1-0	3-5		1-1	2-1	10-3	12-0	9	5	3	1	36	22	18
7 Bishops Lydeard Ladies	2-2	2-3	0-1	2-2	3-1	3-1		4-2	3-2	6-1	9	3	0	6	23	31	9
8 Marine Academy Plymouth	0-4	3-0	0-3	2-2	1-3	1-3	6-0	4-1	12-0	12-0	9	5	1	3	31	14	16
9 Middlezoy Ladies	1-6	2-5	1-2	0-1	5-3	1-1	7-0	1-1	6-0	14-0	9	3	2	4	24	19	11
10 Bideford Ladies*	2-3	0-4	3-3	1-3	3-5	9-1	6-1	5-1	14-0	18-0	9	4	1	4	43	21	13
	4-5	1-4	0-4	0-5	1-3	3-2	2-1	1-4	18-0		9	3	0	6	30	28	9
	1-2	1-2	0-0	2-4	1-1	2-3	2-0	2-2	6-2	6-2	9	2	3	4	17	16	9
	0-3	0-2	0-1	1-1	3-1	1-9	2-3	3-2	5-0	5-0	9	3	1	5	15	22	10
	2-4	0-3	1-5	2-3	0-7	1-2	3-2	7-5	7-0	7-0	9	3	0	6	23	31	9
	0-2	0-3	0-6	1-2	0-6	1-6	0-2	8-2	3-0	3-0	9	2	0	7	13	29	6
	0-3	0-2	0-2	1-6	1-1	4-1	2-3	2-8	7-1	7-1	9	2	1	6	17	27	7
	2-8	1-13	0-1	3-10	1-4	1-5	2-2	5-7	3-1	3-1	9	1	1	7	18	51	4
	0-5	0-4	0-9	1-5	0-6	0-18	0-5	0-3	1-3	1-3	9	0	0	9	2	58	0
	0-17	0-18	0-13	0-12	0-12	0-14	2-6	0-7	1-7		9	0	0	9	3	106	0

* Points adjustments made

Women's Fixtures Released

South West Women's Football League Premier Division fixtures for the full season have now been released.

Under new management, Royal Wootton Bassett Town's fourth season in the division will start with a tricky trip to face newly promoted Bristol Rovers on the opening day of the season (Sunday 4 September, 2pm kick off).

Bassett then play their opening home game a week later against Torquay United (Gerard Buxton Sports Ground, 2pm kick off), with a home date against last season's third place side Sherborne Town on Sunday 18 September (2pm kick off).

The opening month of the campaign then finishes with a trip to the coast as Bassett travel to recently relegated Poole Town (Sunday 25 September, 2pm).

In the second month, Bassett are set for derby fixtures at home against Forest Green (Sunday 9 October) and away at Warminster Town (Sunday 16 October), as well as the longest journey of the season to visit Cornish side Liskeard Athletic (Sunday 30 October).

All fixtures can be found on the Women's First Team page on our website.

Please note that fixtures are subject to change.

Entry prices for home league fixtures during the 2022-23 season remain as they were for last year: £2 for adults and concessions and free for RWBTFC youth members.



Vitality Women's FA Cup draw announced

Draws for the early qualifying rounds of the Vitality Women's FA Cup have now been released. And Royal Wootton Bassett Town will need to win on the road - something they have never done before - to advance in the competition.

By virtue of their level five status, Bassett will once again be exempt until the second qualifying round. There they will take on relatively familiar opposition in the form of Middlezoy Rovers, with the tie due to take place on Sunday 2 October.

After a defeat on penalties against Brentford two seasons and last year's high scoring 5-4 loss against Denham United, Bassett will be looking for their first win in the Women's FA Cup since the 2019-20 campaign.

Representing the club's most successful run in the competition, that season saw Bassett advance to the second qualifying round - the point at which they now enter - after recording victories against Chipping Sodbury Town and Torquay United.

However, getting back to winning ways in the Women's FA Cup will require Bassett to triumph away from home. Away ties have been a rare occurrence for Bassett. Of the 13 games they have played in the competition since first entering in 2012-13, Bassett have had home advantage on nine occasions. All four away contests have so far ended in defeat though.

Middlezoy will be playing in the South West Regional Women's Football League Eastern Division in 2022-23 after finishing second from bottom in the Premier Division last season. The Somerset side did record a 4-1 home win against Bassett. But it is Bassett who hold the upper hand overall with wins in the teams' other three meetings.

In the Women's FA Cup, Middlezoy reached the third qualifying round last season. In 2021-22 they won two games as they advanced to the first qualifying round, representing their best run in the competition.

Season 2022-23

RWBTFC U18 Floodlit Team

Royal Wootton Bassett Town U18

Season 2022-23 - Under 18 Floodlit League - Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Thur 08-Sep-22	Kingsdown Lions	H	League		
Thur 15-Sep-22	Calne Town	A	League		
Thur 22-Sep-22	Kintbury Rangers Yth	H	League		
Thur 29-Sep-22	Melksham Town	A	League		
	AFC Aldermaston	H	League		
	AFC Aldermaston	A	League		
	Bishops Cannings	H	League		
	Bishops Cannings	A	League		
	Bradford Town	H	League		
	Bradford Town	A	League		
	Calne Town	H	League		
	Kingsdown Lions	A	League		
	Kintbury Rangers Yth	A	League		
	Melksham Town	H	League		
	Pewsey Vale	H	League		
	Pewsey Vale	A	League		
	Radstock Town	H	League		
	Radstock Town	A	League		
	Warminster Town	H	League		
	Warminster Town	A	League		

Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League

U18 Division Season 2021-22

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Devizes Town	14	10	2	2	50	19	32
2 Royal Wootton Bassett Town	14	9	2	3	33	20	29
3 Melksham Town	14	8	1	5	31	18	25
4 Radstock Town	14	7	1	6	28	20	22
5 AFC Aldermaston	14	6	2	6	21	24	20
6 Calne Town	14	4	1	9	20	33	13
7 Pewsey Vale	14	2	4	8	17	33	10
8 New College Swindon	14	3	1	10	13	46	10

Other adult sides

RWBTFC Vets' (Over 35) Team

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Vets

Season 2022-23 - Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League - Vets North Wilts Division

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Wed 07-Sep-22	Redhouse	A	League		
Tue 13-Sep-22	Swindon Old Boys	H	League		
Tue 20-Sep-22	Blunsdon	A	League		
Wed 28-Sep-22	Swindon Rovers	H	League		
	AFC Swindon	H	League		
	AFC Swindon	A	League		
	Blunsdon	H	League		
	Chiseldon	H	League		
	Chiseldon	A	League		
	Cricklade Town	H	League		
	Cricklade Town	A	League		
	Redhouse	H	League		
	Stratton Juniors Black	H	League		
	Stratton Juniors Black	A	League		
	Stratton Juniors Orange	H	League		
	Stratton Juniors Orange	A	League		
	Swindon Old Boys	A	League		
	Swindon Rovers	A	League		

Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League

Vets North Wiltshire Division Season 2021-22

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Redhouse	16	12	2	2	44	12	38
2 Priory Vale	16	12	2	2	37	14	38
3 Royal W. Bassett Town	16	11	1	4	44	19	34
4 Cricklade Town	16	11	0	5	49	22	33
5 Stratton Juniors	16	6	1	9	28	39	19
6 Swindon Rovers	16	5	2	9	32	32	17
7 Swindon Old Boys	16	4	2	10	30	38	14
8 South Cerney Rangers	16	3	3	10	22	39	12
9 AFC Swindon	16	1	1	14	12	83	4

Bits & Pieces

RWBTFC Vets' (Over 50) Team

Oxfordshire Over 50s League Division 1A 2021/2022

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Witney Royals	12	9	2	1	62	21	29
2 Thame United	12	9	1	2	44	18	28
3 Marlow Dukes	12	6	1	5	51	32	19
4 Hazlemere Sports Athletic	12	6	1	5	28	26	19
5 Chinnor	12	5	2	5	39	35	17
6 Royal Wootton Bassett Town	12	3	1	8	21	43	10
7 North Leigh Red	12	0	0	12	7	77	0



Royal Wootton Bassett Town Vets Over 50s

Season 2022-23 - Oxfordshire League - Vets Premier League Division 2

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sun 18-Sep-22	Chilsley	H	League		
Sun 25-Sep-22	Goring United	A	League		
Sun 09-Oct-22	Hazlemere Sports Olympic	H	League		
Sun 16-Oct-22	Bicester Town Colts	A	League		
Sun 06-Nov-22	Exiles	A	League		
Sun 13-Nov-22	Thame United	A	Cup		
Sun 27-Nov-22	Easington Sports	H	League		
Sun 04-Dec-22	Chinnor	A	League		
Sun 08-Jan-23	Goring United	H	League		
Sun 22-Jan-23	Chilsley	A	League		
Sun 12-Feb-23	Hazlemere Sports Olympic	A	League		
Sun 19-Feb-23	Bicester Town Colts	H	League		
Sun 05-Mar-23	Exiles	H	League		
Sun 26-Mar-23	Easington Sports	A	League		
Sat 09-Apr-23	Chinnor	H	League		

Quiz Answers

Names the Same - 1. Dale or Jamie **Richards** 2. Sam **Packer** 3. Mark or Dennis **King** 4. Geoff **Swatton**
5. Aaron **Oakley** 6 Steve **Robertson** 7. Kai **Robinson** 8. Caine **Bradbury** 9. Steve **Shaw** 10. Henry or Louis **Spalding**

Name Ten: Los Angeles (1984), Seoul (1988), Barcelona (1992), Atalanta (1996), Sydney (2000), Athens (2004), Beijing (2008), London (2012), Rio (2016), Tokyo (2020)

Name The Tune: Promised You A Miracle - Simple Minds

League Cups

Bluefin Sport Challenge Cup 21-22

HELLENIC LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP SPONSORED BY BLUEFIN SEASON 2021-22

First Round		
Bourton Rovers	2 - 3	Malmesbury Victoria
Chipping Sodbury Town	0 - 4	Cribbs
Corsham Town (Won 3-2 on pens)	2 - 2	Westbury United
Hallen	0 - 1	Roman Glass St George
Stonehouse	0 - 3	Thornbury Town

Second Round		
Abingdon United	0 - 1	Clanfield 85
Bishops Cleeve	1 - 3	Worcester Raiders
Brimcombe & Thrupp	4 - 0	Cheltenham Saracens
Calne Town	0 - 5	Corsham Town
Cribbs	3 - 1	Roman Glass St George
Fairford Town	2 - 1	Cirencester Town Dev
FC Stratford	1 - 2	Littleton
Hereford Pegasus	4 - 3	Hereford Lads Club
Longlevens AFC	3 - 4	Lydney Town
Malmesbury Vics	7 - 0	Thornbury Town
Malvern Town	3 - 1	Westfields
Milton United	5 - 0	Moreton Rangers
Newent Town	1 - 1	Tuffley Rovers (Won 4 - 3 on pens)
Pershore Town	1 - 1	Studley (Won 5-3 on pens)
Royal Wootton Bassett T	3 - 0	Shrivenham
Shortwood United	0 - 1	Bradford Town

Third Round		
Brimcombe & Thrupp	2 - 3	Malvern Town
Clanfield 85	5 - 1	Worcester Raiders
Cribbs	2 - 0	Corsham Town
Fairford Town (Won 6-5 pens)	1 - 1	Milton United
Hereford Pegasus	2 - 1	Lydney Town
Littleton	2 - 2	Malmesbury Vics (Won 5-4 pens)
Royal Wootton Bassett T	2 - 4	Bradford Town
Tuffley Rovers (4-3 on pens)	0 - 0	Studley

Quarter Finals		
Clanfield 85	3 - 1	Malvern Town
Hereford Pegasus	4 - 0	Fairford Town
Malmesbury Vics	0 - 4	Cribbs
Tuffley Rovers	0 - 3	Bradford Town

Semi Finals		
Clanfield 85	0 - 1	Cribbs
Hereford Pegasus (Won 4-3 pens)	1 - 1	Bradford Town

Final		
Cribbs	1 - 0	Hereford Pegasus

Challenge Cup - Winners

1998-99	Burnham
1999-00	Swindon Supermarine
2000-01	Carterton Town
2001-02	Gloucester United
2002-03	Yate Town
2003-04	Didcot Town
2004-05	Didcot Town
2005-06	Didcot Town
2006-07	Hungerford Town
2007-08	Hungerford Town
2008-09	Almondsbury Town
2009-10	Ardley United
2010-11	Holyport
2011-12	Highworth Town
2012-13	Oxford City Nomads
2013-14	Ascot United
2014-15	Ardley United
2015-16	Flackwell Heath
2016-17	Bracknell Town
2017-18	Bracknell Town
2018-19	Ascot United
2019-20	Not awarded due to Covid-19
2020-21	Kidlington Res
2021-22	Cribbs

Floodlit Cup - Winners

1994-95	Cinderford Town
1995-96	Bicester Town
1996-97	Abingdon United
1997-98	Swindon Supermarine
1998-99	Tuffley Rovers
1999-00	Swindon Supermarine
2000-01	Swindon Supermarine
2001-02	Fairford Town
2002-03	Tuffley Rovers
2003-04	Slimbridge
2004-05	Almondsbury Town
2005-06	Slimbridge
2006-07	Wantage Town
2007-08	Kidlington
2008-09	Marlow United
2009-10	Shortwood United
2010-11	Holyport
2011-12	Binfield
2012-13	Ardley United
2013-14	Brimcombe & Thrupp
2014-15	North Leigh
2015-16	Ascot United
2016-17	Lydney United
2017-18	Binfield
2018-19	Ardley United
2019-20	Not awarded due to Covid-19
2020-21	Not awarded due to Covid-19
2021-22	Not awarded due to Covid-19

Wiseman Lighting Floodlit Cup 2022-23

HELLENIC LEAGUE FLOODLIT CUP SPONSORED BY WISEMAN LIGHTING SEASON 2022-23

Preliminary Round		
Bourton Rovers	v	Roman Glass St George
Brimcombe & Thrupp	v	Stonehouse Town
Cheltenham Saracens	v	Milton United
Cirencester Town Dev	v	Chipping Sodbury Town
Cribbs	v	Hereford Lads Club
Fairford Town	v	Littleton
Tuffley Rovers	v	Newent Town
Wantage Town	v	Shrivenham

RWBTFC & The FA Vase

OUR ROAD TO WEMBLEY

THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. FA VASE 2022-23

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
					Winner	Loser
27-Aug-22	First Round Qualifying	Bye			£550	£160
24-Sep-22	Second Round Qualifying	Bye			£725	£225
22-Oct-22	First Round Proper	v			£825	£250
12-Nov-22	Second Round Proper	v			£900	£275
3-Dec-22	Third Round Proper	v			£1,125	£350
14-Jan-23	Fourth Round Proper	v			£1,875	£600
11-Feb-23	Fifth Round Proper	v			£2,250	£725
11-Mar-23	Sixth Round Proper	v			£4,125	£1,350
1-Apr-23	Semi-final	v			£5,500	£1,725
21-May-23	Final (at Wembley)	v			£30,000	£15,000
Total Prize Money Won						£0

* Still in competition



RWBTFC F.A. Vase Record

2001-02	QR2	Calne Town	H	W 3 - 2
	R1	St Blazey	H	L 0 - 2
2002-03	QR2	Shortwood United	A	L 1 - 5
2003-04	QR2	Bemerton Heath Harl's	A	L 1 - 4
2004-05	QR1	Wellington	A	L 0 - 4
	QR1	Christchurch	H	D 1 - 1
2005-06	QR1	Christchurch	A	L 0 - 1
	QR1	Shrewton United	A	D 1 - 1
2006-07	QR1	Shrewton United	H	L 2 - 3
	QR2	Bournemouth	A	L 0 - 12
2008-09	QR1	Buckingham Athletic	A	W 5 - 3
	QR2	Henley Town	A	W 6 - 0
	R1	Kidlington	H	W 3 - 2
2009-10	R2	Wimbourne Town	A	L 0 - 4
	QR1	Hamble ASSC	H	L 2 - 3
2010-11	QR2	Devizes Town	A	W 4 - 0
	R1	Cadbury Heath	A	L 1 - 2
2011-12	QR1	Shortwood United	A	L 0 - 4
2012-13	QR1	GE Hamble	A	L 0 - 6
2013-14	QR2	Odd Down	A	L 0 - 7
2014-15	QR1	Cove	A	W 3 - 2
	QR2	Abingdon United	H	L 2 - 3

2015-16	QR1	Binfield	H	D 1 - 1
	QR1	Binfield	A	W 4 - 3
2016-17	QR2	Windsor FC	A	L 1 - 2
2016-17	QR2	Thame Utd	H	L 2 - 4
2017-18	QR1	Fairford Town	H	W 3 - 1
	QR2	Codicote	H	W 5 - 0
	R1	Amphill Town	H	W 2 - 1
2018-19	R2	Hordean	A	L 2 - 3
	QR2	Bashley	H	L 0 - 4
2019-20	QR1	New College Swindon	A	W 7 - 0
	QR2	Tadley Calleva	A	L 0 - 1
2020-21	QR2	Stonehouse	A	W 1 - 0
	R1	Camelford	H	W 4 - 0
	R2	Bridgwater Town	A	L 1 - 2
2021-22	QR1	Knaphill	H	W 1 - 0
	QR2	Portishead Town	A	W 3 - 1
	R1	Downton	H	W 4 - 0
2021-22	R2	Torpoint Athletic	H	W 2 - 0
	R3	Hamworthy United	H	L 1 - 3
2022-23	R1			

EMIRATES FA CUP ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN* 2022-23

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
					Winner	Losers
6-Aug-22	Extra Preliminary Round	v Windsor	H	D 1 - 1	£1,125	£375
9-Aug-22	Extra Prelim. Round Replay	v Windsor	A	W 2 - 0		
20-Aug-22	Preliminary Round	v Reading City*	H		£1,444	£481
3-Sep-22	First Qualifying Round	v			£2,250	£750
17-Sep-22	Second Qualifying Round	v			£3,375	£1,125
1-Oct-22	Third Qualifying Round	v			£5,625	£1,875
15-Oct-22	Fourth Qualifying Round	v			£9,375	£3,125
5-Nov-22	First Round	v			£36,000	
26-Nov-22	Second Round	v			£60,000	
7-Jan-23	Third Round	v			£100,000	
28-Jan-23	Fourth Round	v			£120,000	
1-Mar-23	Fifth Round	v			£225,000	
18-Mar-23	Sixth Round	v			£450,000	
22-Apr-23	Semi-Final	v		Wembley	£1,000,000	£500,000
3-Jun-23	Final	v		Wembley	£2,000,000	£1,000,000
Total Prize Money Won						£1,125

* Still in competition


Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC - Emirates FA Cup Record

Season	Rnd	Opponents	Result	Season	Rnd	Opponents	Result
1938-39	Pr	Wiltshire Mental Hospital	A L 0 - 6	2011-12	EPr	Radstock Town	A L 1 - 2
1939-40	Pr	Frome Town (War)	A P - P	2012-13	EPr	Calne Town	H W 4 - 2
1946-47	EPr	Dilton Rovers	H W 5 - 1	Pr		Hamworthy United	H W 1 - 0
	Pr	Swindon GWR Corinthians	A L 1 - 5	QR1		Highworth Town	H W 3 - 1
1947-48	EPr	Pewsey Vale	H L 0 - 2	QR2		Dorchester Town	A L 0 - 4
1948-49	EPr	Swindon BR Corinthians	A L 3 - 6	2013-14	EPr	Totton & Eling	H L 0 - 2
1949-50	EPr	Warminster Town	H L 4 - 5	2014-15	EPr	Brockenhurst	A W 3 - 0
1950-51	EPr	Spencer Moulton	H W 2 - 1	Pr		Bradford Town	A L 1 - 2
	Pr	Devizes Town	A L 0 - 4	2015-16	EPr	Bracknell Town	H L 0 - 2
2004-05	Pr	Exmouth	A L 2 - 3	2016-17	EPr	Andover Town	A L 2 - 5
2007-08	EPr	Highworth Town	A D 0 - 0	2017-18	EPr	Crawley Green	H L 1 - 2
	EPr	Highworth Town	H W 2 - 1	2018-19	EPr	Leighton Town	A W 1 - 0
	Pr	Bracknell Town	H W 2 - 1	Pr		Lydney Town	H D 0 - 0
	QR1	Brockenhurst	A D 1 - 1	Pr		Lydney Town	A L 3 - 5
2008-09	QR1	Brockenhurst	H L 1 - 5	2019-20	EPr	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	H D 1 - 1
	EPr	Flackwell Heath	A D 1 - 1	EPr		Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	A L 0 - 1
	EPr	Flackwell Heath	H L 1 - 6	2020-21	EPr	Chipping Sodbury T (W4-1 pens)	H D 2 - 2
2009-10	Pr	Westbury United	H D 2 - 2	Pr		Didcot Town	A W 2 - 1
	EPr	Westbury United	A W 3 - 2	QR1		Cinderford T (Won 6-5 pens)	A D 2 - 2
	Pr	Brockenhurst	H L 0 - 1	QR2		Oxford City	H L 1 - 2
2010-11	EPr	Bradford Town	A D 1 - 1	2021-22	EPr	Thornbury Town	A W 4 - 0
	EPr	Bradford Town (W4-3 pens)	H D 3 - 3	Pr		Ardley United	H D 2 - 2
	Pr	Almondsbury UWE	A W 1 - 0	PrR		Ardley United	A L 1 - 3
	QR1	Hamble ASSC	A D 1 - 1	2022-23	EPr	Windsor	H D 1 - 1
	QR1	Hamble ASSC	H L 0 - 2	EPrR		Windsor	A W 2 - 0
				Pr		Reading City	

Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC



Thornbury Town FC



Matthew Crowther	1	Mackenzie Welsh
Scott Chilcott	2	Tom Webb
Louis Spalding	3	Nathan Sage
David Bampton	4	Ollie Rawnsley
Adam Corcoran	5	Joe Guest
Jack Hobson McVeigh	6	Toby Bennett
Alfie Presley	7	Luke Franklin
Chris Taylor	8	Fraser Moss
Josh Elms	9	Romaine Campbell
Tommy Ouldrige	10	Cameron Drew
Bailey Gallagher	11	Jeremiah Idowu
Gio Wrona	12	Dan Parry
Kai Robinson	14	Mason Jones
Lewis Waldon	15	Harvey Pritchard
Matt Bennett	16	Harry Walton
Harrison Lea	17	Marcus Wormwell
Macauley Dodson	18	Rhys Hodgson
Baldwin Osayi Igbinobaro	19	James Brock
Jon Beeden	20	William Bolshaw
	21	Alex Lippiatt

Dugout Team

Manager: Sam Collier
Assistant: Alan Griffin
Coach: Mark Simpkins
Therapist: Kara Gregory

Dugout Team

Manager: Andy Parry
Assistant: Rich Price
Coach:
Therapist:

Match Officials

Referee:

Assist. Ref (Red Flag):

Assist. Ref (Yellow Flag):



Adam McAnoy

Gordon Varley

Andrew Insley

Next Home Games

Sat 20-Aug-22 v Reading City (FA Cup Preliminary Round) Kick-off 3:00PM