

WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FC

TYTHERINGTON ROCKS

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DIVISION ONE WEST SEASON 2009-10

SATURDAY 21st NOVEMBER 2009, KICK-OFF 3.00PM

WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN V TYTHERINGTON ROCKS

Squad		Played No.	Sub
Stewart	Thompson		
Liam	Edmondson		
Luke	Sharps		
Steve	Groom		
Chris	Oram		
Sam	Collier		
Ryan	Banks		
James	Turner		
Marcus	Hall		
Terry	Adams		
Mitch	Wyatt		
Alex	Green		
Craig	Bowden		
Jon	Holloway		
Sean	Bailey		
Lee	Smith		
Kyle	Pitts		
Phil	Tearle		
Shaun	Terry		
Sam	English		
Kevin	Scott		
Sam	Mephram		
Ryan	Thomas		
Alan	Blake		
Andy	Philpott		

Squad		Played No.	Sub
Rob	Dent		
Ross	Irwin		
James	Mooney		
Rob	Cave		
Nick	Ackland		
Mark	Viner		
Daniel	Robinson		
James	Hicks		
Marcus	Taylor		
Mark	Greenland		
Nathan	Irwin		
James	Willott		
Simon	Scanlon		
Tim	Whittaker		

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Assistant: Alan Blake

Manager: Barry Grainger
Asst. Man: Paul Staddon

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Thursday 10-Dec-09 v Swindon Supermarine (Wilts U18 Floodlit League) k-off 7.30pm
Saturday 12-Dec-09 v Highworth Town Res (FTL Futbol Hellenic Res Division 1) k-off 3.00pm
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EDITORIAL

Good afternoon and welcome back to Rylands Way for this FTL Futbol Hellenic League fixture against **Tytherington Rocks**.

A warm welcome to the players, officials and supporters from Tytherington who have made the journey along the M4 from Bristol for the game. We hope they will join us in the bar after the game for some beer and sandwiches.

After last week's Wiltshire Senior Cup defeat the only competition that we now need to focus on is the league. Alright I know we have a Supplementary Cup game to also play at sometime but the focus from hereon in must be on achieving a Division One West promotion place. Unfortunately as Dave reports in his **From the Dugout Chat**, this must now be achieved without our top scorer Alex Green who has transferred to Hungerford in the Southern League. We wish Alex all the best and if the move does not work out we would certainly welcome him back. Oh to now have Shaun Terry back from injury but that is unlikely given the severity of the injury he suffered against Easington Sports last season. On the subject of Easington Sports, having witnessed the last home game, I thought they were a bit of a nasty side whose attitude and language, directed mainly at the referee, was terrible even by usual non-league standards. Why do we include the programme page about zero tolerance if the referees are not going to enforce the league edict? By the time the referee got the book out it was too late, the damage was done. In a way the lack of respect shown was self inflicted. If the cards had been shown from the first minute perhaps the constant back chat and bad language would not have occurred.

Looking at what is contained in the programme today; the **From The Archives** series focuses on the **1959-60 Season** which sees Wootton Bassett Town make their debut in the Wiltshire League Premier Division with new RAF signing **Ronnie Mair** replacing fellow Scot Bob Findley, and **Chris Simpkins** and **Brian Turner** returning from their national service. Manager Dave Turner in his **From The Dugout** article reflects on the latest comings and goings from Rylands Way and also comments on the loss of Harrow Hill to the Hellenic League.

The **Youth Section in Focus** features games from the last two weekends of activity for our youth section sides. Under 18 Manager **Danny Groom** focuses on yet another tremendous win in the Under 18 Floodlit League against leaders Bradford Town, Wootton Bassett inflicting the first defeat of the season in the league on Bradford Town. **Bryan Wood** reports on a disappointing defeat for the Ladies side against Cirencester Town.

The programme once again features the September edition of **Touchline**, the Club's newsletter. The First Team player featured this week in the **Player Profile** is youngster **Craig Bowden**. There is a new "WBTFC Dream Team" feature with Scoop being the first to commit his all time WBTFC XI to paper. No surprises that his midfield features two "enforcers" from Her Majesty's Armed Forces given the number of man of the match awards they picked up in their day! Hopefully this will become a regular feature.

After today's game the First Team embark on three consecutive away games meaning the next First Team game here at Rylands Way is now not until 19th December, when Clanfield will be the visitors. This is followed by a Boxing Day encounter with Trowbridge Town. However, there are a number of Reserve Team, Ladies and Under 18 fixtures here at Rylands in the interim and these are scheduled on the back page of the programme.

Today is a big game and the lads will be looking to extend that unbeaten league run to put us into the promotion chasing pack. As ever your support is appreciated and let's cheer the lads to three more points. Enjoy the game.

Mark



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1. Establish links / partnerships with local disabled football community;
2. Establish links with Special Need Units (SNU) with main stream schools;
3. Provide access for disabled football supporters which is focused on our pending new facilities.

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FROM THE DUGOUT

Firstly I would like to welcome the players, officials and supporters of Tytherington Rocks to Ryland's Way. We hope you enjoy your short stay with us and will all join us in the bar after the game.

You will probably all know by now we were knocked out of the Wilts Cup by Shrewton last week in a very exiting game of football. If I wasn't in the dug out it is a game I would have really enjoyed two teams who tried to pass and play at every opportunity.

Big news on the transfer front as Greener (Alex Green) joins Hungerford in the Southern League. We really did not want to loose Greener as he was a massive part of what we are trying to achieve here, but you can never knock a player who is moving up through the leagues. He goes with our best wishes and we all hope it works out for him. He will be hard to replace but we won't loose focus on the job in hand. Hopefully one day we will see him back at Bassett.

There is some good news on the transfer front as Andrew Phillpot has agreed to join us on an initial one month loan from Swindon Supermarine. He is very similar to Greener in the way he plays so hopefully he will fit in very quickly. We are also trying to bring in another two players to bolster our squad and give us more options.

It was really sad to see that Harrow Hill have withdrawn from the league. You never like to see an established team go to the wall and they will be missed over the coming seasons. Although I won't miss the trek up and down their stairs that lead to the pitch.

I have been reliably informed that Saturdays race night was a roaring success with over £500 being made for the club. It wasn't that I didn't turn up to support the event but due to over indulgence after the Shrewton game I just can't remember much about the night at all. Thank you to all those who made the effort on Saturday it was a great night.

A big Thank you to Sam and Mitch for the entertainment you laid on in the mini bus and at various locations on the way home, also thanks to Ryan Thomas for the noise (Music) he provided on the outward journey. We must do it again soon.

Dave

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OPPONENTS HISTORY

TYTHERINGTON ROCKS FC • CLUB HISTORY

Tytherington Football Club was formed in 1896 by the local Headmaster Mr Emanuel and others including the Rev. John Bingley. Rev. Bingley stipulated that, to gain his support, the club should play in Amber & Black - his old college colours - Brasenose in Oxford.



In the early days the club played in the Wotton-Under-Edge League and travelled to away matches by Waggonetts, a four wheeled horse draw cart, with seats along both sides. The club played at many different grounds in the early days, one of which was Mill-Leaze Fields. This is the fields behind the village shop in Tytherington. They eventually found a permanent home at the Hardwicke Playing Fields. The club used the Swan Inn as their changing rooms until a new pavilion was erected by the Parish Council, on the Playing Fields in 1938.

In the 1920s Tytherington F.C. were suspended by the Gloucestershire Football Association for non payment of a fine. The fine followed a referee being jostled into an adjoining brook after what the home side felt were some dubious decisions! No Pay – no play, so Tytherington disbanded until 1932 when Tytherington Rocks F.C. was formed, joining The Bristol Suburban League. Ambrose Johnson was a Rocks player in the 30s and 40s and is still an ardent supporter today.

War disrupted the local leagues but not before the club won the League & Cup double in the Iron Acton & District League in 1944-45. Rocks rejoined the Bristol Suburban League Division 1 in 1947. The same year a youth team called the Pebbles were formed and played in the Gloucestershire Junior Boy's Association Football League. They were cup finalists in 1952-53 and League Champions in 1953-54.

In 1948-49 Rocks were drawn home to Thornbury Town in the G.F.A Senior Amateur Cup, there were 400 spectators at the game but Rocks were firmly beaten 4-0.

In the early 50s Tytherington ran a Reserve side in the Stroud League. This second attempt to run a reserve team soon failed due to player shortage. In 1956-57 Rocks were losing finalists in the GFA Minor Cup however; the team spent most of the 1960s between Division Three and Division Five.

A joint effort between the Club, Cricket Club and the Parish Council saw the facilities upgraded in 1979-80, with new showers and toilet block together with electricity! Candlelight and Rocks famous tin bath were consigned to history. Three enthusiasts were largely responsible for these improvements - Ron Holpin on the practical side, Tony Hennessy on the financial side and Dave Kemp for plumbing.

The Reserves reformed in Division 7 whilst under the manager Jack Parr the first team moved through the Divisions reaching Division 1 for the 1987-88 season. Two managers, Ron Holpin and Mike Lee led the Reserves to promotion and a Cup Final in three consecutive seasons between 1985 and 1987. In 1987-88 saw the formation of the third team joining Division 7 and at the same time Streamside Juniors were adopted as Tytherington Rocks Juniors. A floodlight training pitch, the result of hard voluntary work was opened by Ted Pitt, Ted Oakey and Ambrose Johnson. With Brian Lansdown as manager from 1988-89 Rocks entered Premier Division 2 and by 1993 arrived in Premier Division 1. Ground improvements continued with team dugouts and perimeter fencing.

As Champions of the Bristol & Suburban Premier League In 1996-97, it was shock and disappointment when their Gloucestershire County League application was rejected. Undaunted, attention then turned to the clubhouse, a new bar, separate changing facilities, referee accommodation for both sexes and a spectator stand all raised the profile of the club and in 1997-98 this time the County League application was successful. With financial help from Nuclear Electric, Mother India Restaurant and Karly Kars the club had achieved County League Status. Stand seats arrived thanks to ex-player Keith Cameron's generosity.

Under manager Shaun Honour the team survived a difficult first season but during the next four years enjoyed top half finishes and were GFA Challenge Trophy Finalists, League Cup Finalists and in 2003-04 were County League Runners-up. Managers Mickey Jefferies and Andy Mathias had prepared Tytherington for Hellenic League football. Hellenic League status Division 1 (West) arrived in 2004-05 and a 4th place finish in the first season. A new management team of Jamie Burton and Barry Granger achieved top half places in the next 3 seasons, 3rd place the best ever in 2007. The reserves also moved up to Div 1 in the Bristol Suburban League under Andy Jarvis. Season 2008/09 was the first season with Barry Granger as Manager and Assistant Paul Staddon, the team established themselves in the top half of the League all season, finally finishing in ninth position. The Reserves under Andy Jarvis challenged for a promotion place all season finally finishing third and gained promotion to Prem 2 of the Bristol Suburban League.

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Saturday 28th November finally saw Wootton Bassett Town play another league game with Westbury United the visitors to Rylands Way. A solitary goal from Ray Young was Wootton Bassett's only response to four goals from the visitors. The first league point since September was secured in the first December fixture at home to Calne & Harris, Ray Young scoring in a 1-1 draw. The calendar year ended with an excellent result as Wootton Bassett returned from Frome Town Reserves with both points following a 6-1 win courtesy of goals from Ronnie Mair (2), Granville Taylor, Stan Embling, Lou Nash and Johnny Lawrence.

Wootton Bassett Town clearly over did the festivities as when they returned to action against Pinehurst, a side they had beaten three times and drawn twice with already during the season, they went down 6-0 at home. Clearly shocked by this poor result they then won three games on the bounce scoring fifteen goals in the process. A 5-2 win over Spencer Moulton included a first half hat-trick from Pete Teetgen. Teetgen was again amongst the goals as Wootton Bassett Town returned from Bulford with both points following a 6-1 win, the other goals coming from Johnny Lawrence (2), Ronnie Mair, Mervyn Jefferies and an own goal. The third victory was against Chippenham United Reserves, Wootton Bassett winning 4-0 courtesy of goals from Lou Nash (2), Mervyn Jefferies and an own goal.

The winning run came to an end when Frome Town Reserves shared four goals and the points at Rylands Way, Mervyn Jefferies and Stark with the Wootton Bassett goals. A 2-0 defeat at Warminster Town was then followed by a narrow 1-0 win over Melksham Town. Goals from Pete Teetgen and Stan Embling enabled the Town to share the points at Devizes Town, with Ronnie Mair missing a penalty for Wootton Bassett. This was followed by an excellent 3-0 home win over Swindon Town A, Stark, Mervyn Jefferies and an own goal doing the damage.

Wootton Bassett suffered two consecutive defeats at the end of March. A 4-3 defeat at Calne & Harris United where Stan Embling, Pete Teetgen and Mervyn Jefferies scored for Wootton Bassett was followed by a narrow 2-1 defeat at Westbury United, Mervyn Jefferies with the only goal. April saw a subsidiary cup competition run by the league and Wootton Bassett recorded their record win of the season, a massive 8-0 victory over Spencer Moulton. Ronnie Mair fired a first half hat-trick, Pete Teetgen scored twice and there was one a piece for Lou Nash, Stan Embling and Granville Taylor. Goals from Colin Taylor, Lou Nash and Stan Embling secured Wootton Bassett the double over Swindon Town A in less than a month. April saw a 2-2 draw with Chippenham United Reserves and a 2-1 defeat at Chippenham Town.

The final league table for the season is shown below:

Wiltshire League Premier Division - 1959-1960

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1	Westbury United	28	23	2	3	104	34	48
2	Melksham Town	28	17	4	7	92	40	38
3	Swindon B.R.	28	17	2	9	84	41	36
4	Pinehurst	28	15	4	9	92	44	34
5	Devizes Town	28	14	6	8	78	46	34
6	Wootton Bassett Town	28	14	6	8	76	55	34
7	Swindon Town A	28	14	5	9	92	64	33
8	Chippenham Town Res	28	14	5	9	76	59	33
9	Warminster Town	28	14	3	11	70	60	31
10	Calne & Harris United	28	12	5	11	77	78	29
11	Purton	28	11	2	15	75	63	24
12	Frome Town Res	28	9	2	17	62	102	20
13	Chippenham Utd	28	6	3	19	46	88	15
14	Bulford United	28	3	4	21	53	162	10
15	Spencer Moulton	28	0	1	27	24	165	1

Team Profiles Tytherington Rocks FC



Mark Garbacz Goal Keeper
Joins the club this season, having a reputation for being a good keeper who spent time at Bristol Rovers recently. Commands his box well, a good shot stopper with a very good kick.



Rod Dent Goal Keeper
Respected goalkeeper and clubman who has held the position for a number of seasons. A good shot stopper who is also extremely comfortable with the ball at his feet, which allows the 'Rocks' to play out from defence



Adam Keslake Defence
Captain this season he was 'players player' last term. He has a tremendous attitude to the game, communicates well and can perform equally well in midfield or more often in defence, an underrated performer.



Dean Kingman Defence
Joins the club this season after representing Thornbury Town and Winterbourne in past seasons. A defender who is comfortable on the ball and solid in the air. He should fit in well to this seasons team.



Nathan Irwin Defence
A past captain, has given everything for the club on and off the pitch across the last three seasons. Tremendous energy, able to score goals from midfield, a good utility player.



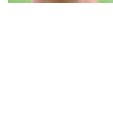
Rob Cave Defence
His third season with the senior side, can play in defence or midfield, well disciplined and strong in the tackle he has underrated football ability. The management expect him to improve further this season



Ross Irwin Defence
Fullback or midfield player who has remained patient when out of the side, he has good fitness and supports the play well from fullback when overlapping. Looks to play the 'Rocks' passing game at every opportunity.



Danny Thorpe Defence
Joins the club this season, with a wealth of experience in senior football at Mangotsfield and Almondsbury Town as a defender. An articulate footballer who has an excellent temperament, and is a dead ball specialist.



James Mooney Defence
Can play in defence or midfield, played for the Manager at Chalford. He has premier experience with Shortwood that should stand him in good stead at the 'Rocks', he will work really hard for the Team.



James Willot Midfield
A regular in the promotion winning reserves last season, the management see this wide midfielder forcing his way into the squad this season. He passes the ball well and has a good football brain.



Mark Viner Midfield
Last seasons 'Managers Player', works very hard for the team, and does the simple thing very well and is another underrated performer. He is a key player in linking the play from defence to attack.



Luke Garbacz Midfield
Talented midfielder in his fourth season with the club, he has all the assets required to make him a key player for the 'Rocks'. His passing range will create openings from a more central position this season.



Mark Greenland Midfield
Young striker who returned to the 'Rocks' last season and scored a number of goals before injury. He has pace and power that can trouble defenders. The management want to see him regain fitness and push for selection.



Nick Ackland Midfield
Experienced player who returns having been ever present in the side that finished in a promotion position in 2007. He is skilful player with an excellent range of pass who played at Brighton in his youth.



James Hicks Forward
Returns to the 'Rocks' this season having previously played in 2007. A striker who holds the ball up well, deceptive pace and works hard for the team. A return to full fitness will see him strengthen the team.



Marcus Taylor Forward
Successful first senior season with the 'Rocks', a good target man with good pace and skilful footwork. He is mentally tough for one so young, and the management believe he can improve into a good all round forward.



Steve Thompson Forward
His fourth season with the club, he can play in the hole or as a striker. He possess good technical ability and looks to bring others into the game. He has a good attitude on and off the pitch.



Danny Thompson Forward
Young striker who has raw talent and tremendous pace when running with the ball. He can put any defence on the back foot and has a powerful shot. The management know the potential is there to be a match winner.



Barry Granger Manager
In fourth season with The Rocks, after assisting former manager Jamie Burton has now been given the managers role. Holder of the full U.E.F.A 'B' license, currently taking 'A' license.

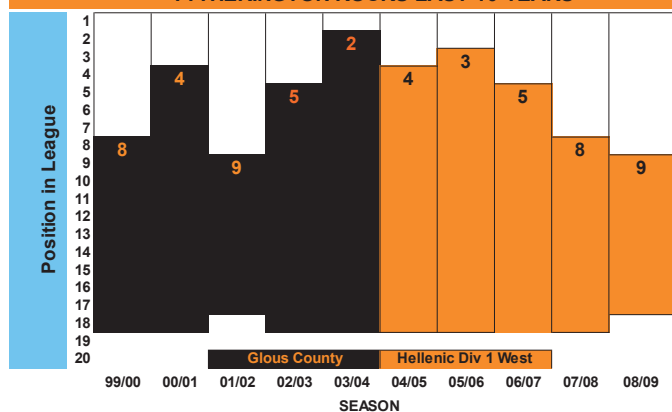


Paul Staddon Asst. Manager
'Stadds join the 1st XI as assistant to Barry last Summer having previously represented the club as a full back. He holds coaching qualifications, has a real enthusiasm for the game and is well respected by the players.

TODAY'S VISITORS

FROM THE ARCHIVES

TYTHERINGTON ROCKS LAST 10 YEARS



Season	Div	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Position
1999/00	GC	34	17	3	14	67	60	54	8 out of 18
2000/01	GC	34	17	7	10	75	48	61	4 out of 18
2001/02	GC	32	10	8	14	35	49	38	9 out of 17
2002/03	GC	34	18	3	13	72	57	57	5 out of 18
2003/04	GC	34	20	9	5	81	47	69	2 out of 18
2004/05	1W	34	20	4	10	91	54	64	4 out of 18
2005/06	1W	34	19	5	10	79	54	62	3 out of 18
2006/07	1W	34	15	10	9	71	48	55	5 out of 18
2007/08	1W	34	15	11	8	70	38	56	8 out of 18
2008/9	1W	32	13	8	11	48	40	46	9 out of 17

Current Form (Last 5 Games)

Date	Opponents	Result	Scorers
14-Nov-09	Easington Sports (H)	L 0 - 1	
31-Oct-09	Letcombe (A)	L 2 - 3	Hicks 2
24-Oct-09	Lydney (H)	D 1 - 1	Hicks
17-Oct-09	Roman Glass (H)	D 1 - 1	Robinson
10-Oct-09	Launton Sports (H)	W 3 - 1	Thorpe 3

Record v Wootton Bassett Town - Last 4 Seasons

Season	H/A	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Points Ratio
2005/06	H	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	
2005/06	A	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	
2006/07	H	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	
2006/07	A	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	
2007/08	H	1	1	0	0	2	0	3	
2007/08	A	1	1	0	0	3	1	3	
2008/09	H	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	
2008/09	A	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	
Total	H	4	1	1	2	3	4	4	33.3%
Total	A	4	2	0	2	5	5	6	50.0%
Total		8	3	1	4	8	9	10	41.7%

Nickname	The Rocks
Secretary	Graham Shipp (07811 318424)
Website	www.tytheringtonrocks.co.nr
Record Gate	424 v Winterbourne (07/08)
Best Gate - 2008/9	182 v Winterbourne
Average Attendance 2008/9	59
Current Top Scorer	D. Thorpe - 8 Goals

drive Wootton Bassett equalised in the 15th minute with a lovely shot from wing-half Pewsey. They kept up the pressure and in the 40th minute a long free-kick well placed by Curtis was deflected home by Teetgen. At the start of the second half Radstock pressed hard for the equaliser, but in a breakaway Wootton Bassett increased their lead and put the result beyond doubt. Embling whipped the ball across the goal from the left and Young dashed in to drive it home.”

The next opponents in the third qualifying round of the FA Amateur Cup competition were Welton Rovers, leaders of Division Two of the Western League. Wootton Bassett once again went two goals ahead. Geoff Simpkins scored the first with a brilliant header from a Stan Embling centre. A minute later, with the goal-keeper well out, another Embling centre was entering the net when Collins, the Welton centre-half punched it out. Ronnie Mair scored from the penalty spot. Pete Teetgen then found the net but unfortunately the goal was disallowed for offside. Wootton Bassett were two nil up at the break and looking good for the next round. However, a second half hat-trick from Ray Barker for Welton Rovers put them in front, before Ronnie Mair scored a superb headed equaliser for Wootton Bassett which meant yet another drawn game in the competition and a replay. The Evening Advertiser noted in the Monday write-up that “Wootton Bassett Town have met four opponents in this season's FA Amateur Cup Competition but have already played for 13 hours. They have had to replay each of their ties – one of them twice – and in most games have been held after establishing clear-cut leads.” The Football Pink the following week noted that the game had resulted in a record gate of £16.

With the draw for the next round already made, with Devizes Town the scheduled opponents for the replay winner in the 4th Qualifying Round, the 3rd Round Replay at Welton Rovers was a game too far for Wootton Bassett as their interest in the competition was ended after thirteen and a half hours. The Football Pink of 21st November carried the following report by “Senior” on the game:

“All Wiltshire football fans were doubly disappointed last week-end when the news came through that Wootton Bassett had been knocked out of the Amateur Cup at Welton. They had been looking forward to an all Wiltshire game today at Devizes which would have ensured the appearance of a representative of ours in the first round proper. Wootton Bassett's luck deserted them completely in their replay at Welton. Peter Teetgen had to forgo the game for a start, and then, before the match had been in progress any time Dave Gillett was injured and hobbled almost helplessly about on the right-wing for the rest of the game.

Into his place as full-back went Granville Taylor, who tried his best but Granville, who until recently has been the regular club right-winger has lost his form of late and only came into this game when Teetgen could not make it because of his injury. In spite of all this Wootton Bassett put up a fine fight and my Welton eye-witness tells me they had far more of the game than the score suggests, also that the Welton goal-keeper Webber, had to make several good saves particularly from Ray Young, Ronnie Mair and Geoff Simpkins. For Welton, the start was perfect – a goal in the second minute and so they went on steadily building up a useful lead at half-time. Then came half an hour of strenuous Wootton Bassett effort to retrieve the position but suddenly a scoring spell enveloped the exchanges with five goals coming in the last 15 minutes, four to the Rovers and one to Wootton Bassett. This shows up Welton to be the ideal cup team, good footballing champions allied to a killer instinct when the game swings their way; the shooting shows no mercy.”

The return to league fixtures would have to wait one more week as when Wootton Bassett's interest in the FA Amateur Cup came to an end they then had a fixture in the Wiltshire Senior County Cup at home to Swindon BR. Perhaps tired from their Amateur Cup exploits, Wootton Bassett went down 1-0.

piled on the pressure, and Dave Jones in the Wootton Bassett goal was frequently in action. Pinehurst's effort were rewarded in the 46th minute when Jones failed to hold a terrific shot from Clifford and Prothero was there to hit the ball in to level the scores and force another replay in the competition. The Football Pink in its write up noted "any other result than a draw would have been an injustice to the clubs for whereas Pinehurst had perhaps a little the better of the midfield exchanges, Wootton Bassett were more direct in their final assaults".

Once again the replay took place seven days later meaning another postponed league game. The Football Pink of 24th October 1959 carried the following report on the replay:

"Wootton Bassett go from triumph to triumph. Their latest was in the Amateur Cup when they put paid to Pinehurst's aspirations in that direction. This was the fifth meeting between the pair in the nine weeks the season has been open so one could say the Wootton Bassett boys have profited most by the experience and put the knowledge they have gained best into practice. Actually they have not lost a single one of those five games and have won three of them outright. The two have yet to meet again in the League and there is still the Wilts Cup. On Saturday Wootton Bassett held on grimly to survive a first half battle against the wind and the forwards gave thanks – and heart – to their hard-worked defence by snatching what was almost the only goal scoring chance in that half. Peter Teetgen was the scorer and in the easier second half he went on to complete his hat-trick. Jimmy Prothero, who has been among the goals regularly of late, kept his hand in by scoring Pinehurst's only reply. Wootton Bassett's reward for this win was to act as hosts to Radstock Town in the divisional semi-final this afternoon."

The fixture with Radstock made it the fifth consecutive Saturday of FA Amateur Cup action as Wootton Bassett got behind with their league fixtures. Wootton Bassett were without Frank Curtis and he was replaced by Johnny Lawrence. It did not take long for Lawrence to make his impact, twenty seconds to be exact when, from 40 yards out, his long lob was carried with the wind over the goal-keeper's head into the net. Ray Young was also back at centre forward and he added a second before half time and Wootton Bassett seemed set for a win in spite of having missed other chances. It was not to be though. Radstock had won their previous four games and a penalty by centre half Dave Tilley reduced their deficit and Tilley followed this with the equaliser and the game went to a replay making it six consecutive weeks playing in the FA Amateur Cup. In the replay at Radstock, Wootton Bassett were in brilliant form and were two goals up within twelve minutes, both goals coming from inside left Ronnie Mair. Wootton Bassett led 2-0 at the break but conceded two second half penalties, both converted by Dave Tilly to make it three goals from the spot in the two games and yet another replay, no penalties in those days.

The Evening Advertiser carried a report on the second replay which was played in midweek at Chippenham Town and this is reproduced below:

"Wootton Bassett Town surmounted another FA Amateur Cup hurdle yesterday. At the third attempt they defeated the Western League side Radstock Town 3-1 at Chippenham and so qualified to play Welton Rovers in the final qualifying round at Wootton Bassett on Saturday.

It has taken Wootton Bassett seven games to reach this stage – two to beat Clandown, two to defeat Pinehurst Y.C. and three to dispose of Radstock. Wootton Bassett's win yesterday was certainly well deserved. They always impressed on the more constructive and workmanlike side and their attacking movements were dangerous.

Radstock had the man-of-the-match in centre-half Tilley, who in the two earlier games had scored the goal to earn his side replays after Wootton Bassett had built up 2-0 leads. Radstock went into the lead in the tenth minute. Under pressure full back Gillett tried to pass back and he put the ball into his own net. After Young had gone near with a fierce

Three Points: A Near Perfect Present for Bassett

Hardwicke Playing Fields, 26th December 2006 v Tytherington Won 2-1

The Christmas period started brilliantly for Wootton Bassett Town, despite seeing Steve Bunting receive a red card on the hour mark, as two first half goals from unlikely sources earned a deserved 2-1 victory away at Tytherington Rocks.

After being reduced to ten men, Bassett rode their luck for the final thirty minutes as at least three Tytherington shots were cleared off the line but the better team won as a dominant opening 45 minutes was enough to ensure victory. Two minutes in Scott Large struck just wide after good work by John Magani opened up a good opportunity for the youngster. After quarter of an hour the two combined to give Bassett the lead. Magani rolled his marker down the left before Large powerfully headed home the forwards' cross from 10 yards for his first Bassett goal. Eight minutes later Magani was the creator once more for Bassett's second. The tricky forward turned his way past two defenders before crossing in from the right. Tytherington failed to clear and the ball fell to Stu Hemsley who struck home easily from ten yards. Errol Deans and Nathan Irwin were both booked for fouls before Dwayne Quinn came close to adding a third just before the break but his glancing header at the far post was headed off the line.

Tytherington stormed out of the blocks in the second period and could have been level even before they got a one man advantage. Four minutes after the restart Richard Evans forced a brilliant point blank save from James Domm who did well to turn Evans' powerful eight yard effort around the post. From the resulting corner an unmarked Phil Ward headed over from six yards as Bassett were let off the hook. Andy Hallett was cautioned in the 58th minute, two minutes before Bunting's dangerous challenge saw Bassett go a man down. The challenge was hard but not reckless but incited a melee which saw an injured Bunting, who had hurt his ankle, stamped on by Ward who received only a yellow; John Davis was also booked for his part in the events. Another Under 18, Danny Heath, replaced Mark King in the 66th minute as Paul Burke went with one up front to protect the lead with only ten men. The lead was halved on 70 minutes when an unmarked Ward easily headed home a Mark Totterdell corner to ignite an action packed final few minutes. Another Totterdell corner was connected with by Evans but the ball sailed across the face of goal before Quinn did well to deflect a Ward shot over after another set piece. The league's top scorer Jimmy Potts was booked with twelve minutes left for dissent after being caught offside. Potts was neutralised all game by the Bassett defence as Quinn played him especially well keeping the Rocks' biggest threat out of the game much to his displeasure. Totterdell continued to find himself heavily involved in the action: after seeing his shot deflected just wide his 81st minute corner was knocked around the area before Evans directed it goalwards only to see Large clear off the line. Heath almost wrapped the points up after Magani led a quick counter attack but after the forward's through ball put him through, Heath placed his effort the wrong side of the post. Peter Holbrook saw two of his efforts go wide, one with help of a deflection before a low effort from Totterdell beat Domm but Large was there to divert the ball around the post once more. The action didn't stop there as Deans saw a glancing header go just wide before Magani was booked for a foul. In the final minute Potts beat the offside trap for once and went down easily after Steve Yeardley had put him under pressure and referee Commander rightly waved play on to preserve a much needed and much deserved three points.

Scoop's Man of the Match: Scott Large – scored an emphatic goal before helping clear two off the line in the second half in what was by far his best display in a Bassett shirt. Technically he wasn't Bassett's best player but he was there when his team needed him most preserving the victory.

Scoop Rating: 8/10 – Outclassed their opponents for the first sixty minutes before the Bunting sending off shifted the momentum in Tytherington's favour but a great defensive display saw Bassett survive the barrage of chances the home team had.

PLAYER PROFILE



Personal	
Name:	Craig Bowden
Date of Birth:	
Place of Birth:	Swindon
Occupation:	Not Sure
Marital Status:	Single
Nickname:	Bowds
Football	
Position:	Defender
No. of Seasons at Bassett:	1st year
Previous Clubs:	Swindon Town, Forest Green
Make of Boots:	Adidas
Star Player You Play Like:	Jamie Carragher
Footballing Idols:	Steven Gerrard
Team Supported:	Liverpool
Team You Despise Most:	Man United
Best Ground Ever Played At:	Mannington Rec
Best Player Ever Played With	
Best Player Ever Played Against	
Teammates	
Most Skilful:	Ryan Thomas
Hardman:	James Turner
Biggest Joker:	Sam Collier
Biggest Fashion Disaster:	Liam Edmundson
Most Intelligent:	Terry Adams
Thickest:	James Turner
Vainest:	James Turner
Least Likely to Score on a Night Out:	Me - Missus wouldn't be happy
Off the Field	
Hobbies:	Golf
Car Driven:	Clio
Favourite Music:	Bit of everything
Favourite Film:	Snatch
Favourite TV Show:	Top Gear
Favourite Nightspot:	Spot
Favourite Drink:	Stella!
Chinese or Indian?:	Indian
Pub or Club?:	Pub then Club
Beach Resort or City Break?:	Beach resort
Blonde or Brunette?:	Brunette
Person in the World You Would Most Like to Meet:	Kelly Brook

Craig Bowden

FROM THE ARCHIVES

First half goals from Granville and Colin Taylor gave Wootton Bassett their first win of the season at home to Pinehurst in the 1st Leg of the League Cup, 2-1 the final score. In the return leg the following week, Granville Taylor was again on target in a 3-2 win, Ken Pewsey and Peter Teetgen with the other goals. This sent Wootton Bassett Town through to the next round where their opponents would be Swindon BR. By a quirk of fate when Wootton Bassett returned to league action it was once again Pinehurst who were the opponents. By the end of the season the two sides were to have met some six times in competitive fixtures. In the first league encounter at Pinehurst it was honours even with the two sides sharing four goals, Pete Teetgen and Brian Turner with the Wootton Bassett goals. On the 19th of September Wootton Bassett then met Spencer Moulton in the league at Rylands Way and little did the team know that this would be the last league game until 29th November, but more on that later. Wootton Bassett defeated Spencer Moulton 5-1 with Lou Nash, Pete Teetgen and E.Campbell amongst the goals.

Following the league fixture with Spencer Moulton, Wootton Bassett then embarked on a FA Amateur Cup adventure which was to last some nine games and the Club still didn't make it through to the First Round Proper. First up were Clandown in the Preliminary Round. In a tight encounter, the Clandown forwards opened up well and fought hard to gain an early lead but failed to score. Wootton Bassett took the lead on ten minutes, Ken Pewsey putting in a low shot from a Stan Embling corner which the home goalkeeper Paget failed to hold. Cook, the Wootton Bassett centre-half, then headed away a well placed free-kick by Chedgy. Clandown continued to put on the pressure and Taylor neatly robbed the Bassett goalkeeper Dave Jones and shot for goal. In an effort to keep the ball out of the net Frank Curtis handled and from the resulting penalty Rogers gained an equaliser to force a replay. The Football Pink noted in its report that "no one, as a rule, gets away from that awkward ground on top of the hill above the Somerset miners' village without a stroke of luck, and Wootton Bassett's came late in the game when Bill Rogers shot wide from the penalty spot. Rogers, usually a sure kicker with a penalty, had scored the equaliser for Clandown one minute before the interval – from the penalty spot".

The replay at Rylands Way took place the following week and the Football Pink carried the following report on the game:

"Wootton Bassett have got off to a flying start in their first Wiltshire Premier League season. Up till this morning they had not been beaten in any competition, and they had played in three. Not only that, their gates have increased – Saturday's pulled in nearly £7 with Swindon Town at home – while the newly formed Supporters' Club is such a success that already they have handed £30 to the club. All this makes the debt of £80 from last season less and less menacing. A "slip up" in the travelling arrangements almost caused an upset. Stan Embling failed to turn up so Peter Teetgen had to be pressed into service. He played in his customary centre forward position, Geoff Simpkins going out to Embling's left-wing berth. Wootton Bassett were undoubtedly superior to Clandown, who were minus their four permit players. One of the reserves who took their places was Micky Lyke, the old Westbury player. Nevertheless, Wootton Bassett were not too pleased with their own forwards display. Considering that they fell below their normal game, so that it was defenders such as Dave Jones, Frank Curtis, Dave Gillett and Lou Nash who took the honours. Lou Nash scored the first Wootton Bassett goal with a shot deflected into the Clandown net off a defender, while Geoff Simpkins cracked in a beauty mid-way through the second half to make the issue more secure."

This victory set up a First Qualifying Round with; yes you have guessed it, Pinehurst YC. In this fourth meeting of the two clubs, Wootton Bassett took the lead after six minutes when from a corner the clearance was to Lou Nash, whose shot was only palmed down, and Geoff Simpkins had only to place the ball into the net with Packer on the ground. For the next few minutes Pinehurst

Season 1959-60 – Instant Replay

What was going on in the world

The season started with Cliff Richard topping the charts with Living Doll. It ended with the Everley Brothers on top of the pile with Cathy's Clown. Fidel Castro takes power in Cuba just before the season starts. Hawaii becomes the 50th US State and soft drinks start to be sold in the US in aluminium cans for the first time. Burnley win the title after not leading the table until their last game, finishing one point above Wolves. Wolves take consolation in winning the FA Cup defeating Blackburn Rovers 3-0. Swindon Town finish 16th in the third division.

The first season in the Premier League and what was in store for Wootton Bassett Town? The Football Pink carried its usual pre-season write-up noting the following with respect to Wootton Bassett Town:

“Newcomers Wootton Bassett are relying mainly on the winning Wilts League team and have their redoubtable defence intact. Missing, however, will be Bob Findley who has left the district, but in his place comes another RAF lad, Ronnie Mair. Doubtful too is prolific goal scorer, Ray Young, who seems to be toying with the idea of playing in junior football. I cannot see him being satisfied with that when he could be in with the best in the county. Good news for Wootton Bassett is the impending return from the forces of Chris Simpkins and Brian Turner.”

The season kicked-off with a home fixture against Chippenham Town Reserves. This was a Chippenham Town side who had never been out of the first three since the league was formed, a real tough baptism for Wootton Bassett Town in the top flight of Wiltshire football. The Football Pink of 29th August 1959 carried the following report on the game and the pre-season trials and tribulations at Rylands Way.

“Wootton Bassett have had bad luck enough to dampen any new clubs spirit. Earlier in the week in their trial match full-back Len Curtis had broken his wrist while goalkeeper Ray Read had received a painful shoulder injury. McDonald, a left back from the Wroughton district, came in at left half, Ken Pewsey falling back to left back to make room for him, but the only reserve goalkeeper young Sansum, was cricketing, so Read just had to play. He soon received a knock which aggravated his injury and was obviously handicapped from then on. Many Wootton Bassett people felt that, but for this, the Town would have won. Read is now hors de combat and earlier this week, secretary Percy Stone was hunting for a goalkeeper for this afternoon's game with Pinehurst YC. Wootton Bassett excelled in pluck against Chippenham Town. Three to one down at one time they drew level before half time, quickly became a goal down after the restart but just as quickly equalised. New capture Ronnie Mair scored the last equaliser and a glorious goal it was. Mair – he scored two goals in this game – looks like being a decided acquisition. A Scot he replaces another Scot, Rob Findlay, who has left the town and is almost his double with his diminutive stature, cunning ball works and the mighty drive he packs.”

A 4-4 draw in the opening Premier League fixture against such tough opponents was a credible result and set Wootton Bassett Town up for another good season under manager Fred Beasant.

With Ray Read out for some time Wootton Bassett signed a youngster by the name of Butler from Gorse Hill United but he was soon to be replaced by Dave Jones.

In the Southern Premier Swindon Supermarine are having a hard time on the pitch with results not going their way and rumours of financial problems off the field can hardly be helping. Striker Alan Griffin left to go back to Chippenham for the financial reasons and two players this last week have also told me of problems they have encountered with unpaid wages. Hopefully they get this sorted and get back up the league as I think its important for Swindon as a town to have a high level non league team. Down the M4 at Hardenhuish Park, home of Chippenham Town I'm sure they will have been kicking themselves having been knocked out of the FA Cup by Paulton who then went on to net over 100K from their game with Norwich City but they have picked up a few decent results of late to take them back up the league table. The money continues to flow at the top end of that division though as having spoken to Keith Scott (former Swindon, Wycombe and Norwich striker) who is Windsor & Eton manager he told us how Marcus Richardson who he signed when Farnborough released him was on £340 a week at Farnborough....not bad for Zamaretto league football!!!!

In the Hellenic Premier Reading Town continue to lead the way and are still unbeaten after 16 games and have scored 45 and only let in 7 which is an excellent return. However Almondsbury Town under new manager Richard Thompson are also unbeaten in 15 games winning 11 and drawing 4 and are only 5 points behind with a game in hand and the two teams meet at Reading on the 5th December so that should prove a cracking game. Just a few places away but a fair few points behind are Wantage Town who have only lost once and fair play to my old mate Bourney who is manager there. I must admit when he first took it on I didn't think he would last five minutes, he never seemed like the type of player or person who would be interested in managing and he wasn't the best organised himself!!!!...however he has been at the helm for the last few seasons and has done a good job there so I hope he can maintain their challenge.

In Division One Purton have taken advantage of a slight dip in form of long term leaders Slimbridge who have only won twice in their last six games having drawn two and lost two in comparison to Purton who have won their last five games on the trot scoring 23 goals in total in those games. Down near the bottom surprisingly are Winterbourne Utd who are normally at the higher end of the table and they now have a new manager in former Liverpool and Bristol Rovers defender Nick Tanner. I came across him a few years ago when he was in charge of Mangotsfield who were then in the Western league and I have to say I was not his biggest fan after some really "Big-Time" comments he made in the dugout each time I played against his teams. Also down at the bottom spare a thought for Launton Sports who have lost 13 out of 13, scored only 5 and let in 53, that's got to be hard graft turning up each Saturday for a hammering!!

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MATCH REPORTS

Baffling Bassett just cling on to three valuable points

Rylands Way, 7th November 2009

Football is often described as a funny, old game, and that adage was exemplified by Wootton Bassett Town's battle with Easington Sports, in which Dave Turner's side ultimately prevailed by the odd goal in five.

A controversial Alex Green penalty just prior to the hour mark, which also resulted in the sending off of visiting shotstopper Kurt Fox, decided the destination of the three points, but the nature in which Bassett saw off the final half hour with a man advantage was certainly confusing.

Defender Michael Earle took over the gloves for the visitors, and his prowess between the stick was notable early on. He failed to dive for the penalty, before fumbling a routine catch moments later. Yet, he was hardly tested.

Instead, the action shifted to the other end, as the Bassett defence had to endure a huge amount of pressure in the final half hour. And they didn't make things any easier for themselves as possession was squandered far too easily – something which shouldn't be the case against ten men – and all signs of confidence evaporated.

Easington, thankfully for Dave Turner's side, only produced one chance of note during this spell though. With six minutes left, Dan Reeves – who assisted his side's two goals – sent in another dangerous cross from the right, and Greg Shawyer met the ball with a low first time effort, but an outstretched Stewart Thompson was able to prevent his side throwing away two points.

Excluding Craig Robinson being almost gifted a goal in the opening seconds of the game, the initial twenty minutes of the game suggested it would be a comfortable win for Bassett as they raced into a two goal lead.

On six minutes, a delicious in-swinging corner from debutant Shaun Wimble was headed home by an unmarked Liam Edmondson.

Then Terry Adams doubled the lead with a sublime finish. A Wimble cross was only half cleared, and Adams was given far too much time on the ball on the edge of the box. And he picked his spot perfectly, curling the ball into the top right corner past a despairing Fox.

But this lead was to be thrown away. A Reeves cross was headed in by an unmarked Steve Howkins at the left post midway through the first period.

Just before the break, a defence splitting long ball was latched onto by Craig Robinson, and he should have done better as his first touch took the ball away from him when one-on-one with Thompson.

After Adams dragged a shot narrowly wide to begin the second half, Howkins levelled things up at the other end on 52 minutes. Outstretched, he provided the deftest of touches to guide another expertly placed cross from Reeves into the bottom right corner.

There was still plenty of time for the game to change though, and that it did just over 120 seconds later. A headed back-pass from Shaun Lambourne fell woefully short and Green was first to the loose ball. Attempting to round Fox, he went to ground rather theatrically, and initially referee Ashman refused to reward a penalty.

However, his assistant felt there was contact to merit such a decision and led to the 'keeper's harsh dismissal.

Green nonchalantly slid home the penalty past the stand-in Earle, which in the end sealed victory and lifted Bassett above their opponents and into fourth.

However, this wasn't complete until after a hairy final half hour.

Scoop's Man of the Match: Liam Edmondson – a figure of force at the back, leading the defence superbly in the absence of Chris Oram. His early goal was the icing on the cake of an outstanding afternoon.

Scoop Rating: 6/10 – another Jekyll and Hyde performance from Bassett, but fortune favoured them in the end. The three points – and the rise from seventh to fourth – are what matter most.

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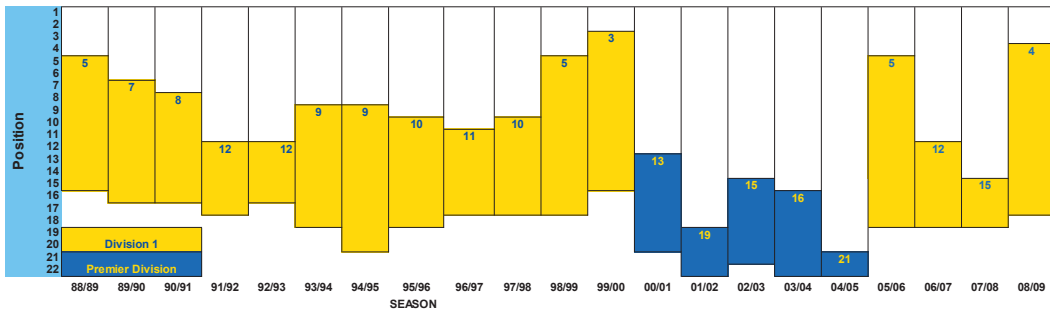
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1934/35	Calne & District League Champions
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1935/36	Calne & District League Champions
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1994/95	Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Runners-up
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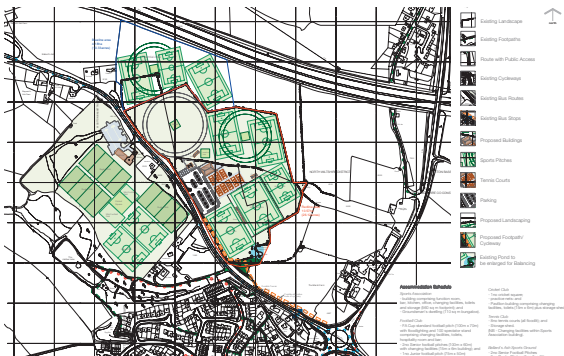
WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 21 YEARS IN THE HELLENIC LEAGUE



Season	Div	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Position
1988/89	1	28	11	7	10	50	41	40	5 out of 15
1989/90	1	30	13	8	9	52	35	47	7 out of 16
1990/91	1	30	11	8	11	32	36	41	8 out of 16
1991/92	1	32	10	8	14	45	59	38	12 out of 17
1992/93	1	30	8	6	16	40	53	30	12 out of 16
1993/94	1	34	15	8	11	65	57	53	9 out of 18
1994/95	1	38	18	5	15	67	68	59	9 out of 20
1995/96	1	34	12	9	13	50	64	45	10 out of 18
1996/97	1	32	9	8	15	37	50	35	11 out of 17
1997/98	1	32	12	6	14	67	58	42	10 out of 17
1998/99	1	32	17	7	8	64	43	58	5 out of 17
1999/00	1	28	15	7	6	54	32	52	3 out of 15
2000/01	P	38	14	10	14	54	60	52	13 out of 20
2001/02	P	42	11	9	22	39	75	42	19 out of 22
2002/03	P	40	10	10	20	36	70	40	15 out of 21
2003/04	P	42	11	5	26	38	73	38	16 out of 22
2004/05	P	42	6	9	27	30	85	27	21 out of 22
2005/06	1W	34	17	10	7	58	30	61	5 out of 18
2006/07	1W	32	13	5	14	60	59	44	11 out of 18
2007/08	1W	34	11	3	20	43	66	33	15 out of 18
2008/09	1W	32	17	9	6	61	30	60	4 out of 17
2009/10	1W	12	7	3	2	34	16	24	4 out of 17
Total		728	268	160	300	1,076	1,160	961	
			36.8%	22.0%	41.2%				



Nickname	Bassett
Record Gate	2,103 v Swindon Town (1991)
Best Gate - 2008/9	104 v Corsham Town
Average Hellenic Attendance 2008/9	71.8 (07/08 = 55.18)
Top Scorer - 2008/9	Shaun Terry - 26 Goals



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KEEP THE FAITH....**

Bryan Wood reports on the recent Ladies fixture against Cirencester Town:

"The pitch was flat but open to the wind, which was strong and swirling add to that the heavy rain before kick off the surface was very heavy. Not ideal for a team who had not played for two week's, so not the best of starts by the Bassett ladies, who looked sluggish all over the pitch. Cirencester were first to the ball and looking very comfortable in the condition's

First blood Cirencester from a Bassett corner their keeper caught the ball and sent it up field catching the Bassett defence out leaving Leah Blanchard one v one with the Cirencester striker calmly lobbing Leah.

Cirencester were well on top with too many Bassett players having an off day.

With only Samantha Wood and Kate Bonser showing for Bassett. A second Ciren goal came 5 minuets before half time, when a debatable free kick was awarded for hand ball on the edge of the Bassett area. From the following free kick Leah Blanchard was only able to para away the rebound, that fell kindly to a Ciren player who finished well Half time 2-0 Cirencester



Wootton Bassett Town Ladies Fixtures			
Season 2009-10			
Date	Opponents	H/A	
Sun 06 Sep	Cirencester Town Reserves	H	W 3 - 0 Longo, Bonser, McFadzean
Sun 13 Sep	Gloucester City Reserves	A	W 7 - 4 McFadzean 4, Lyons 2, Bonser
Sun 20 Sep	St Nicholas	H	L 1 - 3 McFadzean
Sun 27 Sep	Quedgeley Wanderers	A	W 5 - 3 Walker 3, Burke, Longo
Sun 04 Oct	Stoke Lane Reserves	H	W/O Awarded to W.Bassett
Sun 11 Oct	AEK Boco Reserves	A	W 6 - 0 Spratt 3, Longo 2, Hawkins
Sun 01 Nov	Cirencester Town Reserves	A	L 0 - 3
Sun 08 Nov	Gloucester City Reserves	H	W 11 - 0 McFadzean 3, Bonser 2, Hawkins 2, Longo 2, Burke, Warner
Sun 22 Nov	St Nicholas	A	
Sun 29 Nov	Quedgeley Wanderers	H	
Sun 06 Dec	Stoke Lane Reserves	A	
Sun 13 Dec	AEK Boco Reserves	H	
Sun 17 Jan	Gloucester City Reserves	H	
Sun 24 Jan	Quedgeley Wanderers	A	
Sun 07 Feb	AEK Boco Reserves	H	
Sun 14 Feb	Cirencester Town Reserves	H	
Sun 14 Mar	Stoke Lane Reserves	A	
Sun 21 Mar	St Nicholas	H	

The second half was only 8 minuets old when Kate Bonser retired injured and any hope of a Bassett come back looked very slim. Joni Warner replaced Kate and gave us some fresh legs in midfield. The game was very stretched with Ciren looking to protect their lead playing one up five in

Gloucestershire County Womens Football League Division 3									
	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts	
St Nicholas Ladies	8	8	0	0	46	1	45	24	
Wootton Bassett Town	8	6	0	2	33	13	20	18	
Cirencester Town Reserves	7	5	0	2	16	12	4	15	
Gloucester City Reserves	8	3	0	5	19	36	-17	9	
Stoke Lane Reserves	8	2	0	6	6	5	1	6	
AEK Boco Reserves	8	2	0	6	11	49	-38	6	
Quedgeley Wanderers Ladies	7	1	0	6	8	23	-15	3	

midfield, we were unable to penetrate a well organised defence and from anther quick break away Ciren scored a third. Cirencester were now very comfortable and were able to see out the last 20 minuets of play, the only down side for them was a needless booking for blatant time wasting for kicking the ball away while 3-0 up.

We got what we deserved nothing and need to look at our own performance, And remember how hard we worked on the opening game of the season to beat them 3-0."

Bryan

Player of the game Samantha Wood

Team Leah Blanchard capt, Becky Gammon, Megan James, Lauren Walker, Samantha Wood, Amy Longo, Kate Bonser, Charlotte Burke, Amie Smith, Rachel Hawkins, Yazz Spratt, Joni Warner, Jenna McFadzean.

WBTFC FIRST TEAM PEN PICS

FOOTBALL PYRAMID 2009/10



Stewart Thompson Goal Keeper
In his second season with the Club. Made most appearances last season featuring between the posts on 46 occasions, keeping 15 clean sheets.



Sam English Defence
Youngster in first season with the Club. Looked very promising in pre-season and expected to make a big impact in Division One West this season.



Chris Oram Defence
Another player in his second season with the Club. Very strong in the air and Mr. reliable., Played 43 times last season and scoring twice.



Luke Sharps Defence
Played for Bassett when in Hellenic Premier. Captain last season with 41 appearances. Very experienced at this level having also played for Pewsey and Malmesbury.



Steve Groom Defence
Has come through the Youth Section and also a former Cirencester Academy player. Follows his father Danny who starred for the Club in the 1980's.



Craig Bowden Defence
Cultured player still in his teenage years who has looked more than capable of holding his own at this level in pre-season matches.



Liam Edmundson Defence
Another in his second season, featuring in 38 matches in 2008/9. Looking to hold down starting position and great things expected of him this season.



Shaun Wimble Midfield
Recent signing from Swindon Supermarine. Experienced at a higher level where he has previously played for Yeovil, Fulham, Swindon Town, Oxford City and Cirencester Town.



Ryan Banks Midfield
Fast and hard working midfielder player who scored 8 times in 44 appearances last season. One of the most consistent in the team.



Ryan Thomas Midfield
Skilful youngster who joins us from Cirencester Town Academy. Previously with Swindon Town and son of former Wootton Bassett legend Steve Thomas.



James Turner Midfield
Another youngster who is still studying at Cirencester Academy. Made 8 appearances scoring once last season and expected to feature regularly this time round.



Sam Collier Midfield
New signing who has previously played for Swindon Supermarine and Wantage. Cultured left foot and strong player whom great things are expected of this season.



Terry Adams Midfield
New signing who has shown already in pre-season what a good signing he is. Former Swindon Town trainee looking to re-establish himself at this level.



David Millaci Midfield
Youngster who still plays for Bassett U18's looking to make step up into First Team. Great things expected of former Oxford United Academy and Cheltenham Town player.



Jon Holloway Midfield
Tough tackling playing who has played at higher level for Swindon Town, Gloucester City, Bath City, Worcester City, Forest Green Rovers, Redditch United and Merthyr Tydfil.



Phil Tearle Forward
Another product of the Clubs Youth policy who played 30 First Team games last season, scoring 8 times including a hat-trick at Letcombe.



Alex Green Forward
Former Shrivensham striker with an eye for goal. Shrivensham's top scorer in their promotion season and in their first two seasons in the Premier Division.



Mitch Wyatt Forward
Much travelled striker who has performed for Wantage Town and Highworth Town in the Hellenic Premier. Has also played for Purton and Swindon Supermarine.



Dave Turner Manager
In his second season in charge of Wootton Bassett Town and looking to improve on last seasons 4th position finish. Former manager at Pewsey Vale.



Alan Blake Asst. Manager
Assistant Manager who still hold his own at this level despite being in twilight of his playing days. Eight appearances mainly from bench last season.

Step	League/Division					
1	Conference National (Blue Square Premier League)					
	Promoted to League Two of The Football League: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff.</i> Relegated to either Conference North or Conference South: <i>4 clubs.</i>					
2	Conference North (Blue Square North)			Conference South (Blue Square South)		
	Promoted to Conference National: <i>Champions of each division;</i> <i>the winners of a 2nd-5th playoff in each division will also be promoted.</i> Relegated to Step 3 leagues: <i>3 clubs from each division.</i>					
3	Northern Premier League (UniBond League) Premier Division		Southern League (British Gas League) Premier Division		Isthmian League (Ryman League) Premier Division	
	Promoted to Conference North or South: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league.</i> Relegated to Step 4 leagues: <i>4 clubs from each league.</i>					
4	Northern Premier League (UniBond League) Division One North	Northern Premier League (UniBond League) Division One South	Southern Football League (British Gas League) Division One Midlands	Southern Football League (British Gas League) Division One South & West	Isthmian League (Ryman League) Division One South	Isthmian League (Ryman League) Division One North
	Promoted to Step 3 leagues: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league.</i> Relegated to Step 5 leagues determined by NLS Committee: <i>2 clubs from each league.</i>					
5	Combined Counties League Premier Division Eastern Counties League Premier Division Essex Senior League Hellenic League Premier Division Kent League Premier Division Midland Football Alliance Northern Counties East League Premier Division Northern League Division One North West Counties League Division One Spartan South Midlands League Premier Division Sussex County League Division One United Counties League Premier Division Wessex League Premier Division Western League Premier Division					
	Promoted to Step 4 leagues determined by NLS Committee: <i>Total of 12 League champions.</i> Relegated: <i>Arranged according to separate agreements with Step 6 leagues.</i>					
6	Combined Counties League Division One East Midlands Counties League Eastern Counties League Division One Hellenic League Division One East Hellenic League Division One West Midland Combination Premier Division Northern Counties East Division One Northern League Division Two North West Counties League Division Two South West Peninsula League Premier Division Spartan South Midlands League Division One Sussex County League Division Two United Counties League Division One Wessex League Division One West Midlands Regional League Premier Division Western League Division One					
	Promotion and relegation: <i>Arranged according to separate agreements with appropriate leagues.</i>					
7	Anglian Combination Premier Division Bedfordshire Football League Premier Division Brighton Hove and District League Premier Division Cambridgeshire League Premier Division Central Midlands League Supreme Division Cheshire Association Football League Division One Crawley and District League Premier Division Dorset Premier League East Berkshire League Premier Division East Sussex Football League Premier Division Essex and Suffolk Border League Premier Division Essex Olympian Football League Premier Division Gloucestershire County League Hampshire Premier League Hertfordshire County League Premier Division Kent County League Premier Division Leicestershire Senior League Premier Division Liverpool County Premier League Manchester Football League Premier Division Mid Sussex Football League Premier Division Middlesex County Football League Premier Division Midland Combination Division One North Berks Football League Division One Northamptonshire Football Combination Premier Division Northampton Town Football League Premier Division Northern Football Alliance Premier Division Oxfordshire Senior Football League Premier Division Peterborough and District Football League Premier Division Reading Football League Senior Division Somerset County Football League Premier Division South West Peninsula League Division One East South West Peninsula League Division One West Spartan South Midlands League Division Two Staffordshire County Senior Football League Premier Division Suffolk and Ipswich Football League Senior Division Sussex County League Division Three Wealdside Football League West Cheshire Amateur Football League Division One West Lancashire Football League Premier Division West Midlands Regional League Division One West Sussex Football League Wiltshire Football League Premier Division Worthing and District Football League Premier Division					
	Promotion and relegation: <i>Arranged according to separate agreements with appropriate leagues.</i> Note: If Step 7 leagues have other divisions below this level, then only the division at Step 7 is considered part of the National League System.					

Wootton Bassett Town are currently at Step 6 in the Football Pyramid. Promotion to the Hellenic Premier would put the Club back up to Step 5.

PICTURE GALLERY



Chris Oram & Luke Sharps

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Craig Bowden			
Chris Oram	Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley		
Luke Sharps	Whole kit sponsored by John & Kath Fellows		
Steve Groom			
Sam English			
Shaun Wimble			
Lee Smith			
Ryan Banks			
Alex Green			
James Turner			
Sam Collier	Whole kit sponsored by Steve Twine of C.S. Building Services - Tel: 01793 850130		
Terry Adams			
David Millaci			
Liam Edmundson	Whole kit sponsored by Gordie & Dave, WBTFc loyal supporters		
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8th November 2009

FTL FUTBOL Premier Division

Carterton faced a difficult task at Ardley United but only fell by the odd goal in five. Troy Bryan and Danny Mason for Ardley and Jamie Butt and Miles Mason for Carterton made the scores 2-2 at the break. Wayne Blossom's second half effort was all that separated the sides.

New boys Binfield had the unenviable task of trying to become the first side to defeat the unbeaten Almondsbury Town and were 2-0 up at the break thanks to Carl Withers and Jerome Gumbs. However, the Almonds held onto their record after Ross Stearn popped up with two second half strikes. Fairford Town looked to have a comfortable fixture against basement outfit Hook Norton but they made hard work of it, rescuing a point through a Matt Boucher effort after James Robbins had given Hooky the lead.

After the disappointment of last week's cup exit, Kidlington completely dominated their game against Bicester Town with an emphatic 7-1 score-line, which could and should have been more. Kidlington's sharp shooters were the inevitable Jimmy Deabill, Luke Holden and Jordan Parker with two-a-piece, Mark Baker and Kieran Sanders. Danny Phipps scored the Foxhunters' late consolation.

Marlow United were looking to avenge their 5-0 reverse at Highworth Town earlier in the season but were outclassed and had to thank keeper, Carl Murray for keeping the score respectable. On target for the Worthians with a goal in each half were Tony Joyce and the irrepressible Matty Bennett.

Old Woodstock Town entertained Malmesbury Victoria and conceded the result to a Chris Oke effort in the first minute. Oxford City Nomads were looking to secure all the points in their home fixture against high flying Wantage Town. Kieren Lewis gave the Nomads a first half lead but the Alfredian's spoiled the party when Matt Biddle equalized in the final moments of the game. Pegasus Juniors were comfortable winners over Flackwell Heath after Simon Gwynne found the net with a goal in each half.

League leaders Reading Town hit three past Abingdon Town without reply, courtesy of Mark Hughes, Mike Hancock and Will Bratt. Shrivenham were hoping to do the double over visitors Ascot United but with no score on the board, settled for the draw. Witney United's run of six games without defeat against third placed Shortwood United became seven after a fine 2-1 victory. Ben Thompson put the Blanketmen into the lead early in the first half only to see Ross Casey equalize early in the second period. Jack Smith's effort late in the game separated the two sides.

The Roving Reporter reports on Witney United 2-1 Shortwood United

This was the fourth meeting between these two strong sides this season with results even before the start. The game was played at 100mph and the ball was swept from end-to-end with neither side able to gain full control. Both sides had half chances before Andy Younie passed inside for Ben Thompson to turn his man and hit the opener after 32 minutes to give the Blanketmen the lead.

Half Time: 1 - 0

It took just five minutes of the second half for the Wood to equalize. A long throw into the Witney area from Luke Bennyworth reached the far post where Ross Casey was able to stab the ball into the net.

Both sides went flat out for the winner and after 76 minutes it was the Blanketmen who got the all important goal. A cross from recent signing Anacleto Odhiambo found its way to the far side for Jack Smith to smash through a group of players and into the net. So both sides collected a home win in the two league meetings and provided a great advertisement for Hellenic football for the 129 spectators.

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Weekend of 14th/15th November 2009

The curse of six

Only a handful of youth section games survived the weather this weekend and the only teams to register a win were the under 10 A and under 16 Girls sides, who put further distance between themselves and the teams behind them in Division Two.

However, there was less luck for the under 9 A, under 14 and under 18 A teams, all of whom conceded six goals on their way to defeat.

In a battle between second and third at the top of Division Three, the under 9 A team succumbed by six goals to two at FC Abbeymeads B, with Harrison Gough and Ryan Welsman-Clarke on the scoresheet for Bassett.

There was little respite for the under 14s as they lost their fifth straight league game and remain rooted to the bottom of Division One without a point as they were put to the sword by Croft Juniors A, losing 6-3. Josh Way fired two goals and there was one for Dale Richards.

The under 18 A team, hosting top of the table FC Chippenham, were defeated 6-2, Jack Paish and James Tasker finding the net for Wootton Bassett.

At under 10 level both teams avoided defeat. A Declan Cox brace earned the B team a home point against Purton Youth B. And the A maintained their 100% record with their sixth straight league win in a row. Visiting struggling Old Town United, Bassett produced a workmanlike performance to come away with a 2-0 victory thanks to goals from Lewis Ward and Jordan Wright.

The under 16 Girls bounced back from last week's defeat at leaders Trowbridge Town by beating bottom side Derry Hill Thunder by the odd goal in three. The victory puts them three points behind the leaders, although they have played a game more, and more importantly increases the gap between them and Larkhill Athletic who currently lie third.

Youth Section Results				
Sunday 15th November 2009				
U18A	v FC Chippenham	H	L 2 - 6	Paish, Tasker
U16	v Shaw	A	P - P	
U15	v	H	P - P	
U14	v Croft Juniors A	A	L 3 - 6	Way 2, Richards
U13A	v W.Bassett Town B	A	P - P	
U13B	v W.Bassett Town A	H	P - P	
U11	v Ramsbury Juniors A	A	P - P	
U10A	v Old Town United	A	W 2 - 0	Wright, Ward
U10B	v Purton Youth B	H	D 2 - 2	Cox 2
U9A	v FC Abbey Meads B	A	L 2 - 6	Gough, Welsman-Clarke
Girls Weekend 14th/ 15th November 2009				
U16	v Derry Hill	H	W 2 - 1	

Weekend of 7th/8th November 2009

Comeback Win Continues Under 13 A's March up the Table

Wootton Bassett Town under 13 A continued their march towards the top with a hard fought 3-2 victory at home to ASC Youth. And they had to come from behind in order to do so. Trailing by a goal at the break, second half goals from the inevitable combination of Max Kitchin and Craig McLaughlin as well as the first of the season for Reuben Querzani mean they now trail leaders Greenmeadow Youth A by just three points with a game in hand. The B team on the other hand endured a tough day's work, going down by three goals without reply at Chiseldon.

Youth Section Results				
Sunday 8th November 2009				
U18A	v Shaw	A	W 3 - 1	Gruar 2, Tasker
U18B	v Wroughton	A	L 2 - 13	Topping 2
U18C	v Purton Youth		W 12 - 2	Hale 3, Hayden 2, Hooper 2, Herbert 2, Groom, Farr, Wheatley
U15	v Tetbury	H	Lost	WB could not field a side
U14	v Wroughton	A	L 2 - 5	Griffin, Richardson
U13A	v ASC Youth	H	W 3 - 2	Kitchin, Querzani, McLaughlin
U13B	v Robins	A	L 0 - 3	
U10B	v Pewsey Vale	A	D 2 - 2	Coffey, Staten
U9A	v Highworth Town	H	W 3 - 0	Bell 2, Gough
U9B	v Tetbury Town	H	L 1 - 2	Mills
Girls Weekend 7th/ 8th November 2009				
U16	v Trowbridge Town	A	L 1 - 4	
U13	v Swindon Spitfires	H	W 2 - 1	

The under 9 A team are another team hot on the tails of the team at the top of their division and a convincing 3-0 home win against Highworth Town Juniors T means they remain second and just two points off top spot. Cameron Bell hit a brace, whilst Harrison Gough netted the other. In Division Four at that age group, a goal from Ashley Mills was not enough for the B team as they lost 2-1 at home to leaders Tetbury Town. However, they are still well placed in their division.

Despite having recent success on the cup front, the under 14s torrid start to their league campaign continued with a 5-2 defeat at home to top dogs Wroughton Youth, meaning that they have lost all four of their league games to date. On target for Wootton Bassett were Jake Griffin and James Richardson. At under 18 level, there was even less success against Wroughton for the under 18 B side as they were thumped by thirteen goals to two, meaning they remain second from bottom. Adam Topping scored both consolation goals for Wootton Bassett.

The C team had a result almost the complete reverse of the B team as they put Purton Youth to the sword, winning 12-2. Danny Hale led the way with a hat-trick, whilst Jacob Hayden, Eddie Herbert and Brad Hooper all bagged braces. Finishing off the rout were Sam Farr, David Groom and Elliot Wheatley. With Sherston only managing a draw at Tetbury, the win means they lie a solitary point behind the current leaders of Division Two. In the top division at under 18 level, the A team recorded only their second victory of the year as they saw off fourth placed Shaw by three goals to one, two goals for Steven Gruar and one for James Tasker.

The under 10 Bs earned themselves a valuable point at Pewsey Vale thanks to goals from Declan Coffey and George Staten.

The under 15s sadly saw another game postponed due to a lack of available players. Hopefully though the future of that team will be secured sooner rather than later.

The Under 16 Girls met league leaders Trowbridge Town and lost 4-1 but remain in 2nd place in the league. The Under 13 Girls had an excellent 2-1 win over Swindon Spitfires that allowed them to consolidate in 3rd place.



Hellenic League

FTL FUTBOL Division One West

In the bottom of the table clash between Cirencester United and Launton Sports, Ciren recorded their first win of their league campaign despite going behind to a Luke Phillips effort. Ajay Sahota and Paul Patel scored in quick succession just before the half time whistle and Dave Griffin sealed the outcome for Ciren with his late effort.

In a thrilling encounter, Headington Amateurs beat league leaders Slimbridge by the odd goal in seven. Slimbridge had taken a 3-1 lead into the break through Lewis Wilton, James Inch and Karl Palmer, with Liam Morbey replying for the "As", but goals from Ollie Zaja, Jay Hill and a Shaun Pearce penalty late in the game, secured the points for the men from Oxford.

Letcombe entertained Cheltenham Saracens and secured the victory through a very early Lyle Gifford strike. Lydney Town hosted Clanfield and went down to a solitary effort from Steve Olphert midway through the first period. North Leigh Reserves were at home to Cricklade Town and had to wait until the last five minutes to secure the points when Lee Keyes scored the winner. Gary Wright had given the Oxfordshire outfit a half-time lead and then increased this with another just after the break but Reece Gilliver evened up the scores with two for Crick only to see his efforts come to naught late in the game.

Meeting for the third time this season in-form Purton took on Winterbourne United and won convincingly by 4-2. The Red House outfit rushed into a 4-0 lead by half time thanks to pairs from Paul Day and Steve Avenall, but they took their foot off the gas and gave the Wiltshire outfit some hope when James Mainstone and Scott Cameron hit the target, but it was not enough to affect the result.

Wootton Bassett Town eased past Easington Sports in an entertaining game by the odd goal in five. Liam Edmondson, Terry Adams and Alex Green found the net for Bassett with Steve Howkins providing the final touches for the Sports.

FTL FUTBOL Division One East

Cup commitments reduced the number of league games to just four and normal service was resumed for 'Thame United' with Aaron Rogers and Sam Cowan finding the net in the second period of their fixture at Chinnor to keep up their championship challenge.

Farnborough Reserves took on Rayners Lane and after drawing with them earlier in the season went one better after a Chris Wateridge strike and a Dan Bowden hat-trick. Dean McFarlane and Dean Ryan scored the Lane's consolations.

Basement club Prestwood entertained second placed South Kilburn and secured their first points of the season with a fine 2-2 draw. Prestwood's heroes were Carl Lewis and Andy Whitaker, with Jerome Scarlett and Charles Sinikle sparing the blushes for the Middlesex outfit.

The Henley Town v Milton United match was hastily re-arranged after midweek rain had made the 'The Triangle' ground at Henley unplayable. All the efforts came to nothing as the match was abandoned at half time following a major incident as the players left the field. The incident resulted in a Milton player being taken to hospital – investigations are ongoing

Bulletin Board

Amendments to Handbook Details:

Member Clubs

Referee Details:

Additions: List Two

Amendments: List One

List Two

Registrations

Registered Players 2009 – 2010 – to 24 Oct			
Details will be updated for next weekend			
Division	Registered	Transferred	Total
Premier	1068	35	1103
One West	838	28	866
One East	889	15	904
Reserves	168	5	173
Veterans	446		446
TOTALS	3409	83	3492



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15th November 2009

Postponed Games

The weather took toll on many games today. In the FA Vase Carterton and Almondsbury Town will have to play their opponents next Saturday. Malmesbury, Trowbridge and Purton will have to play their County Cup fixtures on a re-arranged date, as will numerous Hellenic League Reserves teams who were in their County FA Intermediate/Junior Cup Competitions. In the Hellenic League Premier Division, Abingdon Town, Shrivenham, Reading Town, Fairford, Wantage Town and Marlow United all await re-scheduled dates. As do Cricklade, Slimbridge, Eton Wick, Chalfont Wasps, Milton United and Thame United in the First Divisions.

Carlsberg sponsored FA Vase

Shortwood United were easy 3-0 winners over Bemerton Heath Harlequins who occupy 3rd spot in the Sydenham's Wessex League. Matt Collins put the Wood into a first half lead and Alex Allard and Ross Casey completed the scoring in the second half. Against Kent League opposition, Flackwell Heath travelled to Herne Bay and came away winners after Mitch Woodward scored in the second period of extra time and Witney United hammered Erith & Belvedere by 5-1 with goals from Chris Harper, John McMahon and an Anacleto Odhiambo hat-trick. Danny Tipple scored Erith's consolation in the second half.

FTL Futbol Hellenic Premier

Ardley United made it six wins in seven outings with a fine 3-0 win over Oxford City Nomads. All the goals came in the second half with Wayne Blossom, Dan Clarke and Dan Mason finding the back of the net. Ascot United were hoping to complete the double over strugglers, Bicester Town and only just made it with a goal in the final moments of the match. Rob Johnson gave the Foxhunters a first half lead, but Rob Saunders and then Joe Semadeni secured the result for the Yellamen. Kidlington have been on fire in the scoring department in recent games and this continued against new boys, Binfield. After being down to a first half effort from Jack Tallentire, Kiddy stormed through the second period with four goals from Jimmy Deabill, Jack Johnson and Luke Holden with a pair. Old Woodstock Town worked hard to save a precious point after going behind to a first half strike from Pegasus Juniors' Ben Price when Jayson Mara slotted home the equaliser with two minutes left on the clock.

FTL FUTBOL Division One West

After beating top side, Slimbridge in their last outing, Headington Amateurs left it very late to secure the points against Letcombe. After going into the lead through Adam Simmonds, the "A's" were soon behind to goals from Pete Horswell and Paul Roberts, but a brace from Neil Lockhart in the final nine minutes saved the day. Basement club Launton Sports' miserable season continued against Cheltenham Saracens where they conceded a goal in each half to Jamie Hammond. Lydney Town halted their recent slide with a 2-0 win over the unpredictable Winterbourne United. On target for the Town were Adam Price and James Munday. Tytherington Rocks' run of seven games without defeat came to an end against Easington Sports when Dan Reeves scored the only goal of the match late in the second half.

Bulletin Board Amendments to Handbook Details: Member Clubs

Finchampstead – Match Sec – Richard Whitchurch-Bennett moved to new Internet Provider – now whitbennrm@ntlworld.com

Kidlington – Secretary – David Platt – delete all reference to business e-mail & MOBILE. Contact should be made to HOME No or 07956-531185 (M) and e-mail only to david.platt45@googlemail.com

Newbury FC – Secretary Dave Leno – change address to 7b Clifton Road Newbury Berkshire RG14 5JS

Prestwood – Match Sec Mary Anning has retired. Duties are now undertaken by Chairman/Secretary Guy Stansbury. Secondary contact is Team Manager Steve Simmonds - 01494 725217 (H) 07733 358158 (M)

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Date	Round	Opponents	Prize Money
15-Aug-09	Extra Preliminary Round	v Westbury United (H)	D 2 - 2
18-Aug-09	Extra Preliminary Round -Rep	v Westbury United (A)	W 3 - 2
29-Aug-09	Preliminary Round	v Brockenhurst (H)	L 0 - 1
12-Sep-09	First Qualifying Round	v Bishops Cleeve (A)	
26-Sep-09	Second Qualifying Round	v Weymouth (H)	
10-Oct-09	Third Qualifying Round	v Bath City (H)	
24-Oct-09	Fourth Qualifying Round	v AFC Totton (H)	
7-Nov-09	First Round	v Grimsby Town (A)	
28-Nov-09	Second Round	v Forest Green Rov or Mansfield (H)	
2-Jan-10	Third Round	v	
23-Jan-10	Fourth Round	v	
13-Feb-10	Fifth Round	v	
6-Mar-10	Quarter Final	v	
10-Apr-10	Semi-Final	v	
15-May-10	Final	v	

FA VASE

THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C.

Date	Round	Opponents	Result	Prize Money
5-Sep-09	First Round Qualifying	v Hamble ASSC	H L 2 - 3	
19-Sep-09	Second Round Qualifying	v Milton United	H	
3-Oct-09	First Round Proper	v Utd Services Portsmouth	A	
14-Nov-09	Second Round Proper	v Eastbourne United	A	
5-Dec-09	Third Round Proper	v		
16-Jan-10	Fourth Round Proper	v		
6-Feb-10	Fifth Round Proper	v		
27-Feb-10	Sixth Round Proper	v		
27-Mar-10	Semi-final	v		
9-May-10	Final winners	v		

Preliminary Round

Abingdon Town	v	Malmesbury Victoria	1 - 0
Ascot United	v	Launton Sports	1 - 0
Bicester Town	v	Trowbridge Town	0 - 2
Binfield	v	Slimbridge	1 - 6
Chalfont Wasps	v	Headington Amat's	1 - 5
Cheltenham Sar's	v	Penn & Tylers Green	1 - 0
Cirencester United	v	Pegasus Junior's	0 - 6
Clanfield	v	Cricklade Town	0 - 2
Eton Wick	v	Kintbury Rangers	5 - 0
Fairford Town	v	Hardwicke AFC	w/over
Farnborough Res	v	Chinnor	2 - 0
Finchampstead	v	Highworth Town	3 - 1
Harrow Hill	v	Milton United	1 - 0
Holyport	v	North Leigh Res	w/over
Kidlington	v	Thame United	5 - 1
Letcombe	v	Tytherington Rocks	3 - 2
Marlow United	v	Newbury	3 - 1
Prestwood	v	Oxford City Nomads	0 - 10
Purton	v	Winterbourne United	1 - 1 (4-3 pens)
Reading Town	v	Flackwell Heath	1 - 1 (7-6 pens)
Shrivenham	v	Henley Town	2 - 2 (4-2 pens)
South Kilburn	v	Rayners Lane	1 - 3
Wantage Town	v	Lydney Town	1 - 0
Wokingham & Emmbrook	v	Hook Norton	3 - 0
Woodley Town	v	Didcot Town Res	3 - 1
Wootton Bassett Town	v	Easington Sports	0 - 1

First Round

Almondsbury Town	v	Cheltenham Sara	
Ardley United	v	Harrow Hill	Home win
Ascot United	v	Reading Town	1 - 5
Carterton	v	Woodley Town	
Pegasus Juniors	v	Cricklade Town	5 - 0
Eton Wick	v	Headington Amateurs	
Finchampstead	v	Slimbridge	
Holyport	v	Easington Sports	4 - 1
Kidlington	v	Abingdon Town	0 - 1
Marlow United	v	Farnborough Res	
Oxford City Nomads	v	Rayners Lane	
Purton	v	Fairford	0 - 2
Shortwood United	v	Trowbridge Town	4 - 1
Shrivenham	v	Old Woodstock Town	4 - 2
Wantage Town	v	Wokingham & Emm	
Witney United	v	Letcombe	

Second Round

Ardley	v	Fairford	
Eton Wick or Headington Am	v	Abingdon Town	
Holyport	v	Almondsbury T or Cheltenham Sara	
Marlow or Farnborough Res	v	Finchampstead or Slimbridge	
Oxford City N or Rayners Lane	v	Wantage Town or Wokingham & Emb.	
Reading Town	v	Pegasus Juniors	
Shortwood United	v	Shrivenham	
Witney or Letcombe	v	Carterton or Woodley Town	

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ACROSS
7.CROKER 8.BROOME 10.RONALDO 11.DONIS 12.DIOP 13.PATES 17.DOYLE 18.RIGA 22.TOURE
23.GRAYSON 24.KENDAL 25.LENNON

DOWN
1.MCBRIDE 2.POINTON 3.DENLY 4.BRIDGES 5.YOUNG 6.WELSH 9.RODALLEGA 14.COLEMAN
15.PINSENT 16.MANNONE 19.STOKE 20.QUINN 21.WALES



Hellenic League

WEB MASTER AWARDS – 1st Quarter

During the closed season the League Management Board in conjunction with the League Web Master, Patrick Horsman agreed an incentive package to encourage clubs to keep their Program details up to date. Also included in the Web Master Incentive package was the award of points for the submission of Match Reports from their matches, be they Home or Away together with regular reports on club news & happenings.

The first of three periods under scrutiny ended on 31st October and the results from that period are detailed below, listed below are the top THREE & bottom THREE in each Division. The winners of each Divisional award in the THREE periods; Aug to Oct, Nov to Jan & Feb to April in each Division will receive club funding to the level of £125 for each period. This, in itself equates to £1125 and on top of this there are seasonal achievement awards that should bring the total funding to approx £2000.

PREMIER DIVISION

TOP THREE

Kidlington	77
Witney United	69
Marlow United	68

BOTTOM THREE

Old Woodstock Town	38
Ascot United	35
Reading Town	22

ONE WEST

TOP THREE

Letcombe	63
Cricklade Town	57
Purton	55

BOTTOM THREE

North Leigh	
Reserves	15
Easington Sports	29
Clanfield	30

ONE EAST

TOP THREE

Milton United	57
Holyport	56
Finchampstead	52

BOTTOM THREE

Didcot Town Res'	34
Penn & Tylers Green	34
Farnborough Res'	30
Newbury	7

Registrations

Registered Players 2009 – 2010 – to 13 th November			
Division	Registered	Transferred	Total
Premier	1123	47	1170
One West	859	34	893
One East	919	25	944
Reserves	181	9	190
Veterans	454		454
TOTALS	3536	115	3651

Transfers

Period from 26th October to 13th November

Forename	Surname	Transferred From	Transferred To
Mark	Flanagan	Old Woodstock	Kidlington
Lee	Brown	Clanfield	Witney United
Anaclet	Odihiamb o	Abingdon Utd	Witney United
Ben	Jennings	Henley Town	Reading Town
Mark	Odom	Clanfield	Carterton
Ian	Needham	Henley Town	Finchampstead
Richard	Davis	Prestwood	Hungerford Tn
Gareth	Thomas	Newbury	Milton United
Tommy	Hayday	Kidlington	Oxford City Nom
Daniel	Oats	Old Woodstock T	Ardley United
Joe	Tustain	Cheltenham Sar	Slimbridge
Ian	Henry	Henley Town	Slimbridge
Robert	Johnson	Kidlington	Bicester Town
Steven	Keir	Swindon S'mar	Purton
Lee	Bowen	Cricklade Town	Purton
Bradley	Gill	Shrivenham	Malmesbury V
Jack	Harding	Chalfont Wasps	Flackwell Hth
Alex	Feaver	Bicester Town	Ardley United
Jermaine	Gumbs	Binfield	Flackwell Hth
Jamie	Wright	Holyport	Marlow United
Callum	Henry	Hook Norton	Fairford Town
Marcus	Hall	Wootton Bass'	Purton
James	Keller	Wantage Town	Swindon S'mar
Jason	Peters	Milton United	Newbury
Mark	Ramsey	Marlow Unit	Holyport
Craig	Cole	Slimbridge	Shortwood Utd
Chris	Harper	Didcot Town	Witney United
Daryl	Harris	Oxford City N	Bicester Town
Dane	Moulden	Cricklade Town	Shrivenham
Danny	Pearce	Newbury	Hungerford Tn
Ian	Concannon	Hungerford Tn	Didcot Town
Andy	Philpott	Swindon S'mar	Wootton Bass'

TOUCHLINE

WBTFC Newsletter Volume 5, October 2009

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Welcome: Welcome to the fifth edition of our clubs newsletter. Well, as always it hardly seems like we had a break between seasons, with so much working needing to take place during the close season, including the six-a-side tournament, AGM, investment in the pitch at Rylands Way, and preparations for the season ahead. I'm delighted to see reported to you below the continued development of your club. We will be operating some 20 teams this season, and I'm particularly pleased that we are able to hold more matches at Rylands Way helping to engender club togetherness. It is frustrating that the economic climate has delayed the relocation, and delays the day we all seek when all our teams will play at the same location. Here's to a successful season for all.
Paul H - Chairman

Senior teams: The season is now in full swing and we have seen some changes as Both Danny Groom and Simon Paish join the Management team as Under 18s Floodlit and Reserves respectively, and Bryan Wood heading up the Ladies Section. I am sure that you will join me in wishing them good success in the future. The appointment of Simon and Danny should also send a signal through to the junior section that when opportunities are available we are now looking internally within our club, this mirrors the strategy of the senior section in youth player development. We now have two managers who are aware of the junior players coming through and we have already seen some good young Bassett players being given their playing chance. We have also seen some player changes in the first team and whilst I wish all players that have not returned this year the very best of luck. I would especially like to thank Steve Yeardeley (Dip) for his loyalty to this club over the last years, Dip came through the youth section and into seniors and has shown what can be achieved not just in playing terms but in the character of the person, I hope it won't be long before we see him in the Blue and Yellow again. The Strategy is now firmly based on Youth and whilst there are strong links between the two sections I would encourage more Youth and Junior players to watch the home games this season. We are already seeing the results of money spent on the pitch in the close season, with the Under 13s and Ladies now to regularly play their home fixtures at Rylands Way on a Sunday. Have a good Season and hope to see you all soon

Chris Jones – Section Head of Senior Football

WBSA: WBSA Bar will now be open from mid-day through the afternoon on both Saturdays and Sundays. So why not come along and use the facility and enjoy an alcoholic or soft drink and perhaps watch Sky TV where we will be showing all the top featured sporting events. Supporters of our youth and ladies games played at Rylands Way can now get refreshments before and after the games.



Youth teams: This quarter I'm going to focus on the transition of Community Soccer into Community Football, what's in the name I hear you say, well, actually quite a lot. Community Soccer has been running for many years and was the brain child of Chris Kirkland. We have many players today in our youth teams who started their football under Chris, and play a good standard of football. So you can see how important this feed is to our club, feeding our youth teams is so important to our success. Ian Turner, who has been running Community Soccer for many years, has stood down, and Matt Laurence will be managing the transition to Community Football. The change is quite important for our club, Community Football will now be fully & formally supported by our club with objectives, but the goal remains the same to ensure all participants have some fun. With objectives comes control, with defined exit routes for boys and girls should they wish to pursue football going forward. Our agreed objectives are: 1) To provide coaching and development opportunities for Children of all abilities within Wootton Bassett and the surrounding community. 2) To create a player feed into the lower tiers of our youth section. 3) To allow new coaching staff to come through the ranks. 4) To create a Saturday skill school. 5) Commence with Fun weeks, under the banner of WBTFC. 6) Look to obtain new scheme funding from the County FA. 7) To provide a minimum of 1 mixed U8 team PA. Community Football was launched through the summer with Matt and his team with some good results, Matt has been advertising in all the local schools as he looks to grow Community Football back to the level we used to see when Chris was in charge. I can also report that Community Football will be supplying football coaching into four of our local junior schools as well as Wootton Bassett Senior School, this will commence in January 2010. This is the first time WBTFC have been able to offer such coaching within our local community.

This coaching program will be run and supported in conjunction with the County FA and Wiltshire Council. Community Football has just moved back to the normal Monday night spot at the Astro pitch, so if you have a boy or girl between school years 1-7 who would enjoy football then please contact Matt on 07859 794621.



Pete Yeardeley – Section Head of Youth Football

The bonfire night fixture between 3rd placed Bassett and unbeaten league leaders Bradford Town certainly lived up to expectations with a cracker of a match witnessed at Rylands Way. Skipper Tom Glass and striker Robbie Ali who both played in the victory against Bemerton were missing through injury and were replaced in the starting line up by Kane Lever and James Smith. The Bradford team included three lads who regularly feature for their First Team and another who played against our own First Team a couple of weeks ago for Trowbridge as well as a Cirencester Academy player who has also featured for Cirencester Town First Team so the lads knew they would have to put in a huge effort to get anything from the game and they did so with a brilliant and well deserved 2-1 victory.



had their first real effort that flew just wide. Unfortunately this was followed by an equaliser shortly afterwards to leave the score 1-1 at half time.

The 2nd half saw some great football from both sides and it was us that took a deserved lead from a Danny Hale header around the hour mark. Bradford started to get frustrated in their search of an equaliser and picked up a couple of bookings for late challenges and it was us who looked the more likely to score with two excellent one on one chances being missed before Bradford hit the bar with virtually the last kick of the game to leave the final score 2-1 to inflict Bradford's first defeat. The result leaves us just three points behind them and Pewsey and our next game against 4th placed Chippenham will have taken place (weather permitting) before you read these notes and hopefully will see another good performance and another Bassett win.

Danny



Date	Opponents	H/A	K-off	
10/09/2009	Chard Town (FAYC)	H	19:30	L1 - 2 Paish
17/09/2009	Melksham Town	H	19:30	W 2 - 1 Hale, Farr
24/09/2009	Shrewton Utd	H	19:30	L 0 - 2
01/10/2009	Pewsey Vale	A	19:30	L 1 - 2 Herbert
08/10/2009	Swindon Supermarine	A	19:30	W 3 - 2 Hale 2, Shepherd
14/10/2009	Corsham Town	A	19:30	D 1 - 1 Hale
22/10/2009	Amesbury Town	H	19:30	W 3 - 0 Shepherd, Bartlett, O
29/10/2009	Bemerton Heath H	A	19:30	W 2 - 0 Ali, Ellis
05/11/2009	Bradford Town	H	19:30	W 2 - 1 Farr, Hale
12/11/2009	Calne Town	H	19:30	P - P
19/11/2009	Chippenham Town	H	19:30	
03/12/2009	Corsham Town	H	19:30	
10/12/2009	Swindon Supermarine	H	19:30	
16/12/2009	Shrewton Utd	A	19:30	
14/01/2010	Pewsey Vale	H	19:30	
20/01/2010	Melksham Town	A	19:30	
28/01/2010	Amesbury Town	A	19:30	
01/02/2010	Chippenham Town	A	19:30	
11/02/2010	Bemerton Heath H	H	19:30	
17/02/2010	Calne Town	A	19:30	
23/02/2010	Bradford Town	A	19:30	

Wiltshire County Under 18 Floodlit League						
	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1 Bradford Town	8	6	1	1	24	19
2 Pewsey Vale	8	6	1	1	9	19
3 Wootton Bassett Town	8	5	1	2	5	16
4 Chippenham Town	6	5	0	1	13	15
5 Swindon Supermarine FC	9	4	2	3	3	14
6 Bemerton HH	7	3	1	3	10	10
7 Melksham Town	6	3	0	3	-2	9
8 Shrewton Utd	9	3	0	6	-21	9
9 Calne Town	8	1	0	7	-18	3
10 Amesbury Town	6	0	2	4	-8	2
11 Corsham Town	7	0	2	5	-15	2

WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB SEASON 2009/10 RESERVE TEAM FIXTURES

Date	Opponents	H/A	Competition	Result	Scorers/Kick-off
Sat	5-Sep-09 Kidlington Res	A	League	D 2 - 2	Millaci, Drewitt
Wed	9-Sep-09 Swindon Supermarine	A	League	L 0 - 5	
Sat	12-Sep-09 Abingdon Town Res	H	League	W 3 - 0	Millaci 2, Mepham
Sat	19-Sep-09 Abingdon Utd Res	A	League	L 0 - 1	
Tue	22-Sep-09 Fairford Res	H	League	L 1 - 2	Dixon
Sat	26-Sep-09 Henley Town Res	A	League	L 1 - 4	Own goal
Sat	3-Oct-09 Wantage Town Res	H	League	W 6 - 1	Tearle 2, Hunt 2, Field, Hawthorn
Sat	10-Oct-09 Binfield Res	A	League	L 1 - 2	Tasker
Tue	20-Oct-09 Highworth Town Res	A	League	L 1 - 3	Green
Sat	24-Oct-09 Abingdon Utd Res	H	League	L 2 - 3	Mepham, Ackrill
Tue	27-Oct-09 Finchampstead Res	H	League	D 1 - 1	Spencer
Sat	7-Nov-09 Carterton Res	A	League	L 1 - 4	Millaci
Sat	21-Nov-09 Ardley Res	A	League		
Sat	28-Nov-09 Rayners Lane	H	Cup		
Sat	5-Dec-09 Hungerford Town Res	H	League		
Sat	12-Dec-09 Highworth Town Res	H	League		
Tue	15-Dec-09 Fairford Res	A	League		
Sat	2-Jan-10 Swindon Supermarine	H	League		
Sat	9-Jan-10 Binfield Res	H	League		
Sat	30-Jan-10 Kidlington Res	H	League		
TBA	Ardley Res	H	League		
TBA	Carterton Res	H	League		
TBA	Cheltenham Saras Res	H	League		
TBA	Henley Town Res	H	League		
TBA	Abingdon Town Res	A	League		
TBA	Finchampstead Res	A	League		
TBA	Hungerford Town Res	A	League		
TBA	Wantage Town Res	A	League		
TBA	Cheltenham Saras Res	A	League		

Reserve Team Appearances - Season 2009-10			
		Apps	Goals
1	Kyle Pitts	11	
2	Allan Hawthorne	10	1
3	Kevin Ackrill	10	1
4	Sam Mepham	9	2
5	Kevin Scott	9	
6	Dan Aitken	7	
7	Phil Tearle	7	2
8	Jack Paish	7	
9	Matthew Brunton	6	
10	Tyron Connelly	6	
11	Craig Kelly	6	
12	David Millaci (pictured)	6	4
13	Steven Pleass	5	
14	Kris Worley	4	
15	James Tasker	4	1
16	Daniel Jones	4	
17	George Drewitt	3	1
18	Sam Lawro	3	
19	Dean Wason	3	
20	Ryan Thomas	3	
21	Mitch Wyatt	3	
22	Lee Smith	3	
23	Chris Doyle	3	
24	Kelvin Spencer	3	1
25	Sam Jackson	2	
26	James Smith	2	
27	Simon Randlesome	2	
28	Ryan Caven	2	
29	Gareth Morris	2	
30	Craig Dixon	1	1
31	Sam Collier	1	
32	Stewart Thompson	1	
33	Craig Bowden	1	
34	Sean Gray	1	
35	Frankie Hunt	1	2
36	Adam Field	1	1
37	Alex Green	1	1
38	Marcus Hall	1	
39	Scott Large	1	
40	Jon Holloway	1	



Ladies & Girls: The season has now started for the ladies & girl's teams, I am very glad to say Terry Mathews agreed to run the U13 girls team this season. They started away at Highworth where they earned a 2-2 draw, having gone behind 2-0 they came back to draw, Bassett goals came from Amy Mathews & Chloe Willis. Having coached with Terry last season I know he is looking to keep the enjoyment for the girls, with a winning result a bonus. The U16 girls also started their season and had a short trip to Derry Hill playing at the Bowood sports ground, the team put in a solid display were they had a comfortable 8-0 won Bassett scorers M Tidy (3), J Roffey (2), A Edwards, V Gee, L Woodridge. The new ladies team this season playing in the Gloucestershire county league, have started well with two wins from two games, the first game home to Cirencester Town res. A tight 3-0 win, goals from Amy Longo, Katie Bonser and Jenna Mcfadzean. The second game away at Gloucester City res. A goal thriller a 4-7 win Bassett goals Jenna Mcfadzean 4, Alyson Lyons 2 and Katie Bonser. The worry is the squad is still small with a lot of players finishing the game with knock's, not that the game was a dirty game with only 3 free kick's all game. As section head for the Ladies & girls the next step is to try starting an U11 girls team, this season will be used to develop into playing some friendly's at the end of season ,where it could lead to playing in the U12 Wiltshire league next season. So anyone interested in helping run a team or could help put the word out about girls football for school years 5 & 6 can contact me via the club website WBTFC.CO.UK using the contact us button

Bryan Wood "Woody" – Section Head of Ladies & Girls

FA Junior Football Organiser Course:
Are you 14 – 18 years of age and want to learn new skills that will enable you to assist with football coaching and the running of a football team at our club, or local school? WBTFC are looking for boys and girls who would be interested in attend a Junior Football Organisers (JFO) training program. The FA JFO course is designed to support young people aged 14 to 18 with the skills to lead groups of young people aged between 6 and 11 years in safe football activities under the supervision of an FA qualified coach. The JFO course is a stepping-stone towards enrolling on the FA Level 1 Certificate in Coaching Football course that is open to people aged 16+. If you are interested please contact your WBTFC coach or drop an email to our Club Development Officer at CDO@wbtfc.co.uk, the first 6 will be given priority.

Club development: I'm pleased to report that Wootton Bassett Town Football Club has been awarded the Wiltshire County FA Community Club award for 2009. The award was presented at the end of July at the Wiltshire County FA (WCFA) annual Charter Standard In Service day. The day was split into two sessions, the first session offering football coaching, with the second session focused on WCFA communication and annual club development awards. WBTFC were not only awarded a certificate of achievement but £300 in grant funding along with two boxes of small sided football equipment. This is a great achievement for our club, recognising the hard work and achievements in not only in obtaining Charter Standard Community Club status back in December 2008, but the ongoing commitment from everyone at the club to keep our club development moving forward. Our key achievements to date include the successful Holland Exchange with 's-Gravenzandse SV back in May this year, the introduction of a new ladies football team who will play in the Gloucestershire County Women's Football League in the 2009/10 season, we can also include the introduction of our quarterly newsletter and the creation of Community Football which will become the feeder for our U8's boys and girls teams, amongst the achievements. Finally, the club would not be moving forward without the commitment from our coaching staff and volunteer base who make the club what it is today, we are very grateful to all. Our objectives for the next quarter consist of: 1) Complete the football development update 2) Establish the FDO activities, 3) Complete the link between Community Football and local schools 4) Attend and the disability workshop 5) Undertake a review of the registration documentation for the 2010/11 season.

Andy Walduck – Club Development Officer

Rob Woodhouse Tribute Game:
Two matches were played on Fri 18th Sept, when members of the two teams Rob coached, including the North Wilts Youth and Minor League (NWYML) and Wootton Bassett Town Football Club's under 9B team, and his former Sunday league men's team, called Spartak Woodshaw, at 7pm and 8pm respectively. Paul Burke, who organised the matches hopes to have raised over £1000 for local charities, the support was good for both games. Paul wanted to thank the 40 parents, involved in the NWYML team, who helped donate raffle prizes and organise the football match and post event which will take place in the club bar. The aim will be to run the same event next year.

Sponsor Focus: WBTFC have are very fortunate to have sponsorship for our U18 floodlit team this year through Griffin and Weston, our gratitude goes out to them specifically in these hard financial times. At Griffin and Weston, they pride themselves in building sustainable partnerships with main contractors and clients alike. Our projects include direct contracts to clients, sub contract to main contracts and sub sub contract to leading M&E Services Engineers throughout the UK. It is our aim to provide a flexible pro-active approach to each project. We encourage our engineers to keep an open mind about design details, work closely with the project team and discuss and develop workable solutions.

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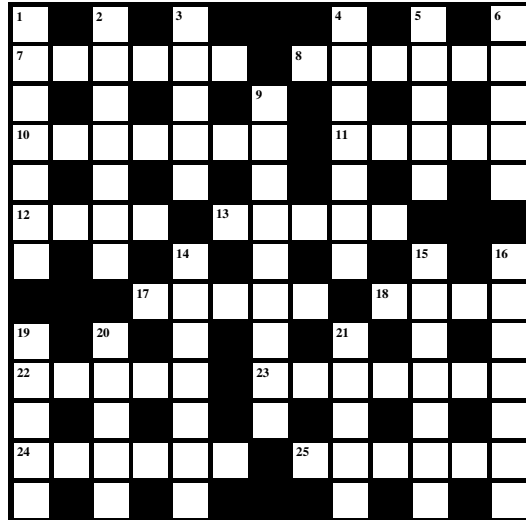
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What's On?
First team home games
26th Sept Easington Sports
17th Oct Letcombe

COMMUNITY FOOTBALL "Monday night"
5pm – 6pm: Reception & Year 1 – Lime Kiln Sports Hall.
6pm - 7pm: Years 2 – Year 4 - Lime Kiln Sports Hall.
Years 5 -Year 7 – W.B. School Astroturf
(Please call Matt before you look to attend (07859 794621)



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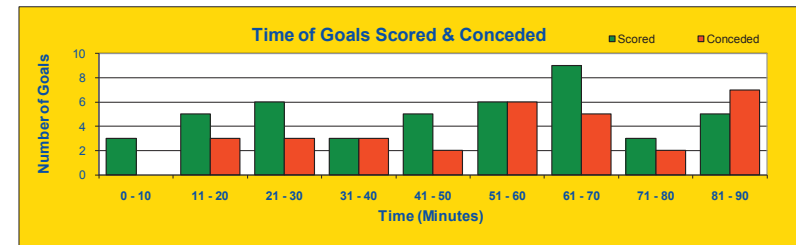
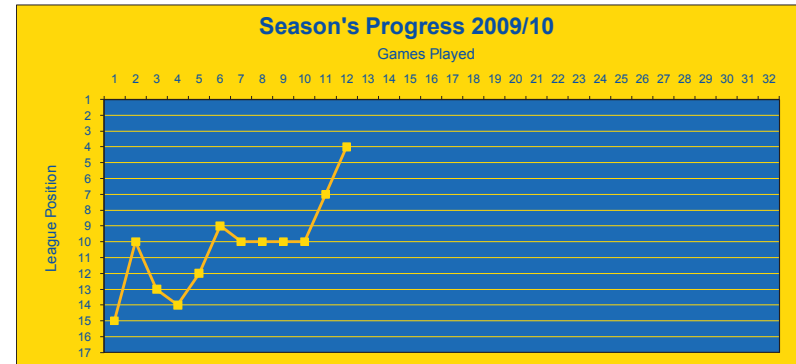
ACROSS

- 7 Ted ____, FA Secretary who answered Thatcher with 'Not our hooligans, but the products of your society' (6)
- 8 Showjumping legend who won bronze at 1960 and 1990 World Championships! (6)
- 10 With Corinthians after spells at Milan and Real (7)
- 11 Giorgos ____, first Premiership Greek whilst at Rovers (5)
- 12 Pompey's big Papa (4)
- 13 Central defender with Chelsea, Charlton & Arsenal from 79 to 93 (5)
- 17 Wolves record signing (5)
- 18 Latvian city of Skonto FC (4)
- 22 Lescott's defensive partner at City (5)
- 23 Leeds Utd's boss (7)
- 24 Lake District Town doing well in Unibond Premier (6)
- 25 Tottenham and England wideman (6)

DOWN

- 1 American who was on loan at Preston and Everton but who was signed by Fulham (7)
- 2 Neil ____, who vied for the left back spot at Everton with Pat Van Den Hauwe (7)
- 3 Kent opener who featured in England's ICC Champions Trophy side (5)
- 4 Hard to believe this ex Sunderland, Leeds & Toon striker (amongst many others) is still only 31 (7)
- 5 11 time Swiss champs known as ____ Boys of Bern (5)
- 6 John ____, ex Liverpool, Hull & England U21 midfielder now at Tranmere (5)
- 9 Wigan's Colombian scorer against Chelsea (9)
- 14 Boss of Accrington Stanley (7)
- 15 Ten time Rowing World Champs gold medallist (7)
- 16 Arsenal's emerging Italian keeper (7)
- 19 The ____ Potters of speedway's Premier League (5)
- 20 Flat jockeys Richard and Jimmy, trainer JJ or SKY presenter Alex (5)
- 21 Boaz Myhill's international side (5)

WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB STATS PAGE



Appearances 2009/10	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals
1 James Turner	18	1	19	1
2 Sam Collier	17	2	19	5
3 Alex Green	18		18	9
4 Ryan Banks	17		17	7
5 Terry Adams	16		16	4
6 Liam Edmondson	14	2	16	1
7 Stewart Thompson	15		15	-
8 Chris Oram	14		14	2
9 Steve Groom	13	1	14	-
10 Craig Bowden	10	3	13	-
11 Mitch Wyatt	7	5	12	4
12 Adam Field	6	5	11	4
13 Luke Sharps	10		10	-
14 Ryan Thomas	2	7	9	1
15 Marcus Hall	7		7	-
16 Frankie Hunt	5	1	6	1
17 Alan Blake	3	3	6	-
18 Sam Mephram	2	4	6	-
19 Jon Holloway	1	4	5	2
20 Kevin Scott	4		4	-
21 Sam English	1	1	2	-
22 David Millaci		2	2	-
23 Kyle Pitts		2	2	-
24 Lee Smith		2	2	-
25 Rob Dean	1		1	-
26 James Tasker	1		1	-
27 Gavin Thomas	1		1	-
28 George Drewitt	1		1	-
29 James Guthrie	1		1	-
30 Alan Hawthorne	1		1	-
31 Sean Bailey	1		1	1
32 Shaun Wimble	1		1	-
33 Andrew Philpott	1		1	-
34 Chris Doyle		1	1	-
35 Max Etheridge		1	1	-
36 Phil Tearie		1	1	1
37 Craig Kelly		1	1	-
Own Goals				1

Last Season	
Total	Goals
8	1
-	-
-	-
44	8
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38	-
46	-
43	2
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19	1
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FIXTURES & RESULTS SEASON 2009/10 FTL FUTBOL HELLENIC LEAGUE DIVISION ONE WEST

Cheltenham Saracens	Cheltenham Saracens	Gren Utd	Clanfield	Cricklade Town	Easington Sports	Harrow Hill	Head'tn Amats	Launton Sports	Letcombe	Lydney Town	North Leigh	Purton	Slimbrid	Trowbr Town	Tytl'n Rocks	Wint'br	Wootton Bassett
		26-Dec	1-2	2-3	05-Dec	1-1	09-Jan	30-Jan	05-Dec	1-1	21-Nov		2-2		2-0	02-Jan	12-Dec
							0-5	3-1		0-5	1-1				16-Jan	12-Dec	1-1
										30-Jan	0-4					3-2	
							3-0	8-0		30-Jan					05-Dec	09-Jan	1-0
							26-Dec	02-Jan	12-Dec	3-4	16-Jan	0-1	0-2	2-0	30-Jan		
								4-1					0-3			2-9	1-3
								5-0	3-2	19-Dec	12-Dec	2-2	4-3	16-Jan	2-2	6-2	28-Nov
									16-Jan		0-3	0-9		1-3			09-Jan
								5-0		0-2	02-Jan	3-4		30-Jan		19-Dec	09-Jan
							0-2	12-Dec	3-4		6-0	16-Jan	26-Dec	09-Jan	0-3	2-0	05-Dec
							0-1	26-Dec	1-1		2-1		0-4	0-0	3-0		
								3-2						2-1	1-1	4-2	02-Jan
								3-0	1-0	4-0	0-0	05-Dec			28-Nov	2-1	1-4
											05-Dec	2-3					
							0-2						12-Dec	1-0			
							23-Jan		0-3	1-1	4-3	0-5	21-Nov		26-Dec		30-Jan
							6-1		2-2	5-0	4-2	2-2		26-Dec	21-Nov		

LEAGUE TABLES



Hellenic League

FTL Futbol Hellenic Division One West Table

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1. Purton	14	11	2	1	47	21	+26	35
2. Slimbridge	15	10	3	2	39	10	+29	33
3. Headington Amateurs	14	9	2	3	39	24	+15	29
4. Cheltenham Saracens	14	7	4	3	33	26	+7	25
5. Easington Sports	14	8	0	6	22	19	+3	24
6. Letcombe	14	7	2	5	33	22	+11	23
7. Wootton Bassett Town	11	6	3	2	31	15	+16	21
8. Lydney Town	14	6	2	6	27	25	+2	20
9. Cricklade Town	11	6	1	4	32	21	+11	19
10. Tytherington Rocks	13	5	4	4	22	16	+6	19
11. Clanfield	14	6	0	8	20	32	-12	18
12. North Leigh Reserves	15	4	4	7	25	30	-5	16
13. Trowbridge Town	11	3	1	7	13	20	-7	10
14. Winterbourne United	13	3	0	10	26	35	-9	9
15. Cirencester United	14	1	2	11	11	56	-45	5
16. Launton Sports	13	0	0	13	5	53	-48	0

FTL Futbol Hellenic Reserve Division One Table

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1. Hungerford Town	12	9	1	2	29	15	+14	28
2. Henley Town	12	8	3	1	31	16	+15	27
3. Highworth Town	10	7	2	1	28	14	+14	23
4. Kidlington	10	6	2	2	28	16	+12	20
5. Wantage Town	13	6	0	7	33	32	+1	18
6. Fairford Town	9	5	1	3	25	16	+9	16
7. Finchampstead	11	5	1	5	23	20	+3	16
8. Binfield	11	5	0	6	21	29	-8	15
9. Ardley United	12	4	2	6	23	31	-8	14
10. Abingdon United	8	4	0	4	12	15	-3	12
11. Abingdon Town	9	3	2	4	10	14	-4	11
12. Carterton	11	3	1	7	22	32	-10	10
13. Cheltenham Saracens	12	3	1	8	20	34	-14	10
14. Swindon Supermarine	12	3	0	9	19	31	-12	9
15. Wootton Bassett Town	12	2	2	8	19	28	-9	8



Hellenic League

WILTSHIRE SENIOR COUNTY CUP SEASON 2009-10

First Round

Pewsey Vale	v	Shrewton United	2 - 7
Purton	v	New College	3 - 0
Devizes Town	v	Cricklade Town	4 - 3
Corsham Town	v	Westside FC	10 - 1
Malmesbury Vics	v	Wroughton	3 - 1
Trowbridge Town	v	Amesbury Town	1 - 0
Downton	v	KC's	2 - 0
Calne Town	v	FC Chippenham Youth	3 - 2
Marlborough Town	v	Westbury United	2 - 1

Second Round

Malmesbury Vics	v	Devizes Town	
Malborough Town	v	Highworth Town	0 - 4
Melksham Town	v	Trowbridge Town	
Purton	v	Lavestock & Ford	
Shrewton	v	Wootton Bassett Town	4 - 3
Calne Town*	v	Bradford Town	2 - 2
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	v	Downton	4 - 1 aet
Warminster Town	v	Corsham Town	

Quarter Finals

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Semi-Finals

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Final

v

Collapse curtails County Cup hopes

Shrewton Recreation Ground, 14th November 2009

Leading 3-1 at half time against Shrewton United, undoubtedly hopes were high within the Wootton Bassett Town dressing room of a repetition of last year's brilliant run in the Wiltshire Senior Cup.

However, all thoughts of such a thing were ultimately vanquished thanks to a turgid second half performance that allowed the hosts not only to cancel out the deficit, but also go on and grab a winner, securing their progression to the quarter final stage by the odd goal in seven.

And it was a familiar name that proved to be Bassett's nemesis as Jesse Walters – who scored the winning extra time goal in the two side's FA Vase clash three seasons ago – bagged a decisive brace.

He fired the hosts into the lead, but Bassett were the team who stamped their authority on the first half with goals from Alex Green, Mitch Wyatt and Terry Adams giving them what appeared to be a comfortable lead at the break.

But three goals without reply from Walters, Dean Foot and Darren Harding secured an improbable comeback victory and left Bassett with questions to ponder.

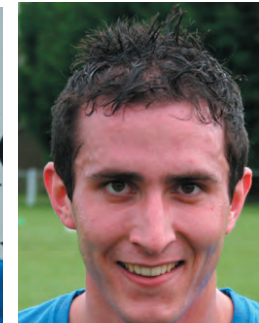
Having scored three goals courtesy of three different players, it shows that the current rich vein of form in front of goal does not look like ceasing anytime soon. The last six games have seen Dave Turner's side score at least two goals, with Letcombe being the only opponent against which they failed to find the net on at least three occasions.

While this offers optimism, Bassett's defensive record is cause for concern, with the four goals shipped in the defeat highlighting this. Worryingly only *one* clean sheet has been kept in the nineteen competitive games played so far this season. At the corresponding point last season that number was five.

It goes without saying that goals are necessary to earn points, but it is the performance of the defence that ultimately determines whether you go home with a win, lose or draw. And with the next four games pitting Bassett against teams close around them in the congested Division One West table, the defensive frailties will need to be ironed out if the team is to earn valuable points to enable them push on and press for one of the three promotion spots come season's end.

Life isn't made any easier given the contests against Headington Amateurs (a newly scheduled fixture), Lydney Town and Cheltenham Saracens are all on the road, with only next week's match with Tytherington Rocks being played at Rylands Way.

Thankfully, the 4-3 defeat to Shrewton was a County Cup tie. But it is imperative that it serves as a lesson for the remainder of the season.



WBTFC DREAM TEAM

this week selected by Scoop

Goalkeeper – Stewart Thompson

'Keeper is a position where I'm extremely spoilt for choice given the fact that since the 2002/03 season, the first team have used at least 21 players* between the sticks. And while most of them have had moments to remember, Thompson has been the most consistent of them all. A brilliant shotstopper, Thompson was a vital part of last season's fourth place finish.

Honourable mentions: John Haines, Adam Miller

Defenders –

Left back: Paul Patel – a natural left-footer, who enjoyed two spells with the club. An astute defender, Patel was also a huge asset going forward, and is one of the best deliverers of the ball Bassett have possessed in the last decade.

Centre back – Stu Lamont – arguably the best 'foreign' import the club has had. Strong as an ox, the Scottish centre back led always by example and had a heart of gold. Dominant in the air and equally good in the tackle, he possessed all the characteristics of a prototypical centre back.

Centre back – Andy Hallett – Mr. Dependable at centre-half. Hallett came into the side as a youngster during the 2003/04 season was a foundation of the defence for the next three seasons. Quiet off the pitch, he let his football do the talking.

Right back - Steve Yeardley – club stalwart, who was a jack of all trades, having literally played in all positions on the pitch. Whilst not being the most skilful, Yeardley made up for this in terms of effort and commitment and was never one to shirk a challenge.

Honourable mentions: Paul Davis, Ashley Bradshaw, Chris Oram, Rich Gee

Midfield –

Left wing – Ben Gascoyne – now plying his trade in the Southern League for Bishops Cleeve, Gascoyne broke into the team at the same time as Steve Yeardley and never looked back. Built like a brick wall, he still possessed immense pace and skill, allowing him to torment many a defence during his time at Rylands Way.

Centre midfield – Mark Vaughan – not a player anyone wanted to cross – whilst on the field that is. A calm figure off the pitch, Vaughan was something else when he crossed the white lines. An enforcer in the mould of Roy Keane, he relished a tackle, yet also had an eye for a pass.

Centre midfield – Dave 'Chogi' Jones – a mercurial centre midfielder both on and off the pitch! His creative abilities were second to none and he also was more than willing to put himself about and ruffle some feathers.

Right wing – Matty Bennett – terrorised opposing defences for the best part of six seasons. Lightning quick, Bennett was always the first name on the team sheet during his time for his game-changing ability. A superb crosser of the ball, he was also a permanent fixture at the top of the scoring charts.

Honourable mentions: Richie Saunders, Danny Clayton, Steve Bunting, Ryan Banks

Forwards –

Centre forward – Shaun Terry – finally returned 'home' last season after a brief loan spell during thw 2007/08 season. And he made a huge impression before a crippling knee injury ended his season, scoring 25 goals at a rate of almost a goal a game. One of the cleverest footballers to ever grace Rylands Way

Centre forward – Geoff Swatton – a bullish striker with lightning pace, Swatton was extremely difficult to defend and was one of the shining lights of the Bassett teams that were constantly forced to battle against the drop from the Hellenic Premier. Had he not succumbed to injury in the 2004/05 season perhaps that year may not have ended in relegation, given that in previous seasons his goals had helped save Bassett.

Honourable mentions: Dennis King, John Magani, Neil Bridges!

Floodlit Cup

HELLENIC LEAGUE FLOODLIT CUP - SPONSORED BY AM PRINT & COPY
SEASON 2009-10

Preliminary Round

Almondsbury Town	v	Harrow Hill	4 - 1
Ardley United	v	Wootton Bassett Town	2 - 1
Bicester Town	v	Slimbridge	1 - 4
Didcot Town Res	v	Holyport	0 - 5
Malmesbury Victoria	v	Thatcham Town	1 - 4
Reading Town	v	Oxford City Nomads	3 - 1

First Round

Abingdon Town	v	Wantage Town	2 - 5
Abingdon United	v	Cheltenham Saracens	3 - 1
Almondsbury Town	v	Marlow United	4 - 3
Ascot United	v	Highworth Town	1 - 2
Binfield	v	Lydney Town	3 - 1
Fairford Town	v	Ardley United	2 - 3
Henley Town	v	Hook Norton	2 - 0
Holyport	v	Flackwell Heath	3 - 2
Hungerford Town	v	Shortwood United	0 - 4
Milton United	v	Clanfield	2 - 1
North Leigh	v	Old Woodstock Town	1 - 2
Pegasus Juniors	v	Thatcham Town	Home win
Reading Town*	v	Shrivenham	0 - 0
Slimbridge	v	Kidlington*	0 - 0
Thame United	v	Swindon Supermarine	6 - 0
Witney United	v	Carterton	4 - 3

* won on penalties

Second Round

Milton	v	Witney	0 - 3
Henley Town	v	Pegasus Juniors	2 - 1
Highworth Town	v	Shortwood	0 - 1
Holyport	v	Binfield	0 - 1
Kidlington	v	Almondsbury Town	12 - 0
Reading Town	v	Abingdon United	6 - 0
Wantage Town	v	Thame United	5 - 1
Old Woodstock Town	v	Ardley United	3 - 2

Quarter Finals (To be played 1/2 December 2009)

Kidlington	v	Binfield
Old Woodstock Town	v	Witney United
Reading Town	v	Henley Town
Shortwood United	v	Wantage Town

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Date	Opponents	H/A	R	Crowd	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15
15-Aug	Westbury United (FAC - Ex Prelim)	H	D2-2	64	Thompson	Groom	Sharps	Adams	Oram	Collier	Turner	Hall	Green	Field (1)	Banks (1)	Wyatt	Millaci	Bowden
18-Aug	Westbury United (FAC - Ex Prelim Replay)	A	W3-2	70	Thompson	Groom	Sharps	Adams	Oram	Collier	Turner	Hall	Green (1)	Field (1)	Banks	Wyatt (1)	Millaci	Edmondson
22-Aug	Slimbridge	A	L0-2	59	Thompson	Groom	Sharps	Adams	Oram	Collier	Turner	Hunt	Green	Field	Banks	Wyatt	Bowden	
25-Aug	Headington Amateurs	H	W 6-1	57	Thompson	Bowden	Sharps	Adams(2)	Oram(1)	Collier	Turner	Hunt	Green	Wyatt (1)	Banks(2)	Field	Holloway	Edmondson
29-Aug	Brockenhurst (FAC - Prelim)	H	L0-1	70	Thompson	Groom	Edmondson	Adams	Oram	Bowden	Turner	Hunt	Green	Wyatt	Banks	Field	Holloway	Collier
31-Aug	Purton	H	D2-2	120	Thompson	Groom	Sharps	Dean	Oram	Collier	Turner(1)	Hunt	Green	Field	Banks	R.Thomas	Holloway(1)	English
5-Sep	Hamble ASSC (FAV - QR1)	H	L2-3	68	Thompson	Groom	Sharps	Edmondson	Oram	Collier	Turner	Hall	Green	Field(1)	Bowden	R.Thomas	Holloway	Hunt(1)
8-Sep	Ardley United (F/L)	A	L1-2	46	Scott	Tasker	Bowden	Edmondson	Mephram	Collier	G.Thomas(1)	Drewitt	English	Blake	Hawthorne	Turner	Kelly	
12-Sep	Cricklade Town	A	L0-1	62	Thompson	Groom	Sharps	Adams	Oram	Collier	Turner	Edmondson	Green	Field	Banks	R.Thomas	Bowden	
16-Sep	Harrow Hill	A	W3-1	34	Scott	Bowden	Sharps	Adams	Oram	Hunt	Turner	Edmondson	Green	Guthrie	Banks (1)	Collier(2)	Mephram	
19-Sep	Lydney	H	W5-0	48	Scott	Bowden	Sharps	Adams	Oram	Collier (1)	Turner	Edmondson	Green (2)	R.Thomas (1)	Banks	Groom	Field (1)	Mephram
26-Sep	Easington Sports (BIBCC Prelim)	H	L0-1	49	Scott	Groom	Thomas	Adams	Oram	Collier	Turner	Edmondson	Green	Wyatt	Banks	Field	Blake	
3-Oct	Cirencester United	A	D1-1	26	Thompson	Groom	Sharps	Adams	Edmondson	Collier	Turner	Hall	Green	Wyatt (1)	Banks	R.Thomas	Etheridge	Blake
10-Oct	Cirencester United	H	W4-1	34	Thompson	Bowden	Edmondson	Adams	Oram	Collier (1)	Turner	Hall	Green (3)	Wyatt	Banks	Field	Mephram	Blake
17-Oct	Letcombe	H	D2-2	78	Thompson	Bowden	Edmondson	Adams	Blake	Collier	Turner	Hall	Green	Wyatt	Banks (1)	R.Thomas	Mephram	Pitts
24-Oct	Trowbridge Town	A	W4-1	68	Thompson	Groom	Edmondson	Adams	Oram	Collier (1)	Turner	Hall	Green	Bowden	Banks (2)	Tearle (1)	Smith	
31-Oct	North Leigh Res	H	W4-2	52	Thompson	Groom	Edmondson	Adams	Oram (1)	Collier	Turner	Holloway (1)	Green (1)	Bailey (1)	Banks	Wyatt	Smith	Pitts
7-Nov	Easington Sports	H	W3-2	43	Thompson	Groom	Edmondson(1)	Adams (1)	Blake	Collier	Turner	Wimble	Green (1)	Bowden	Banks	Wyatt	Thomas	
14-Nov	Shrewton (CC2)	A	L3-4	42	Thompson	Groom	Edmondson	Adams (1)	Mephram	Collier	Turner	Wyatt (1)	Green (1)	Philpott	Banks	Doyle	Thomas	
21-Nov	Tytherington Rocks	H																
28-Nov	Headington Amateurs	A																
5-Dec	Lydney Town	A																
12-Dec	Cheltenham Saracens	A																
19-Dec	Clanfield	H																
26-Dec	Trowbridge Town	H																
2-Jan	Purton	A																
9-Jan	Launton Sports	A																
16-Jan	Cheltenham Saracens	H																
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AC - FA Cup, F/L - Floodlight Cup, FAV - FA Vase, CC - County Cup, BIBCC - Challenge Cup, SC - Supplementary Cup

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