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Peter	Sykes		
Luke	Clennell		
Dan	Franklin		
Richard	Knox		
Luke	Hambidge		
Dan	Bailey		
Jack	Williams		
Keiron	Jennings		
Jon	Maunder		
Anthony	Hogg		
James	Skinner		

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Assist. Ref (Red Flag):	M. Hall	
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# EDITORIAL

**Good evening** and welcome to Rylands Way for this **Uhlsport Hellenic Premier League** fixture against **Fairford**. We wish a warm welcome to the players, officials and supporters from **Fairford** who have made the short journey for this fixture and wish them a safe journey home. Hopefully today will see me attending my first First Team fixture since October, which was the away fixture at Rayners Lane. Seems a long time ago now!

It was good to catch a Reserve Team game here at Rylands the other Saturday and it was pleasing to see so many young players performing for the Town. It was particularly pleasing to see Phil Tearle, George Drewitt and Steve Groom, all of whom used to play for my youth side, in action. Following the win last Saturday at Kidlington the Reserves are now unbeaten in three, which Simon Paish told me on the phone this was the first time they had done that since he took over the running of the side. Hopefully this good run will continue and it was certainly pleasing to see some of the enthusiastic Facebook comments following the win at Kidlington.

Last weeks First Team game against Thame was, by all accounts, a very close affair and we went close to equalising in the closing stages but it was not to be. Game by game we are now getting drawn closer and closer to the relegation dogfight and it is important that we start picking up points again if the threat of a relegation battle is to be avoided. After such a bright start by all accounts the confidence appears to have gone a little from our game but the two home fixtures against Carterton and Fairford looked games that provided an opportunity to put some points on the board. However, as you know, the Carterton fixture, despite a massive effort to get the game on, fell victim to the weather. We have now played fewer games than anyone else in the division and have the prospect of a horrendous congested fixture list to complete the season thanks to the bad weather. Hopefully if you are reading this tonights game has been played as scheduled. If the weather has been kind, as always in this division though, we will need to be on top of our game and have that slice of luck that seems to have eluded us of late to win the game.

The draw for the next round of the Bluefin Insurance Challenge Cup has been made and we have been given a reasonable draw with a home tie against either **Bicester or Chinnor**. A win would put us through to the last eight and two games from some potential prize money. The fixture has not been scheduled as yet and will probably not be scheduled until the Second Round tie between Bicester and Chinnor has been completed. The draw was certainly kinder to ourselves than Highworth Town, who were given away tie at Shortwood. The full cup draw is shown elsewhere in the programme.

Looking at what else is in tonights programme, the **From the Archives** feature this week goes back to **1985-86** when a young Steve Thomas and Danny Groom and Roger Williamson were scoring goals for Wootton Bassett Town Football Club. In his **From The Dugout** page Dave Turner looks back at the Thame game and comments on recent player movements. The **Moonraker** feature again includes recent articles from the Gazette & Heralds excellent coverage of Wiltshire football. There is the usual updated league table of the Clubs own **Fantasy Football League** which still sees Bryan Wood still leading the way. The **Youth Section** page includes a round-up from young Luke Walduck from games played on Sunday16th January. The latest edition of **Touchline** is re-produced once again, having appeared in the Thame programme for the first time. The **New Year Mr Men competition**, with a case of Peroni to the winner, is again repeated. As was stated in the Thame programme, all you need to do is match the Mr Men character to the Wootton Bassett Town player, manager, committee member, league official or ex-players, managers and committee members. The entry which most closely matches mine wins the case of beer (please note competition is only open to over 18s).

Finally the next First Team home game is a week Saturday when title chasing **Shortwood Utd** are the visitors to Rylands Way. Enjoy the game and cheer the lads on to three more points. Best Wishes.

Mark











# WORLD OF SOCCER THIS WEEK FEATURING...MARK SMEDLET & THE SPORT COURT

I had an enjoyable evening out last week attending something called *The Sport Court*. Hosted by Garth Crooks it is a bit like a debating society where a motion



is discussed, with two celebrities arguing in favour of the motion and two against. The Sport Court concept began with two old colleagues who have been passionately debating sporting issues for 18 years. Despite many disagreements, they have always remained friends and given the passions aroused in their own conversations, they felt there was potential for public sporting debate in a traditional format with a touch of Question Time. The Sport Court launch took place in September 2008 attended by Martin Keown, Les Ferdinand, Paul Elliot and Ray Stubbs among others. The debate format was revealed to the guests and a lively Q & A chaired by Garth Crooks followed. In January 2009 the first debate took place at the offices of Sony Music Entertainment. The motion *'The overseas influence in the Premier League is harmful to the English game'* was proposed by Richard Bevan and Henry Winter and opposed by David Dein and Steve Norris.

At last weeks event the motion debated was 'The behaviour of professional sportsmen is now out of control'. Going into the function a poll was taken of attendees with over 60% in favour of the motion. The motion itself was proposed by Lord Peter Snape, Chairman of Stockport County Football Club, and also former World Cup referee Clive The Book Thomas. The motion was opposed by Rugby player Martin Offiah and Times journalist, and former English table tennis player, Matthew Syed. The function was also attended by former BBC football commentator Barry Davies amongst others. Each speaker had eight minutes to make their presentation either for or against the motion. Clive Thomas somehow missed the word **Bow**? in the title of the motion and proceeded to take up most of his eight minutes saying how badly behaved the players of Leeds United in the 1970B, particularly Jack Charlton, had been! By far the two most passionate and eloquent speakers were Offiah and Syed and it was no surprise when the final vote was taken that the verdict had been over turned with over 60% voting against the motion. The thrust of the successful argument being that the behaviour over the years had not changed (e.g. George Best etc); the majority of professional sportsmen are well behaved; that professional sportsmen were just a reflection of society as a whole and that the press just covered the behaviour of sportsmen much more than in the past and liked to report on the misdemeanours. There had been an opportunity for the audience to ask questions ahead of the vote and there were some good questions and answers, with Offiah and Syed again proving the more astute pair in their answers. Whilst the vote was being counted each of the speakers were also asked questions about their careers by Garth Crooks. Thomas was asked about the famous incident in the 1978 World Cup where he disallowed Zicos goal against Sweden, blowing the final whistle as the ball was on its way into the net. The decision probably cost him the World Cup final with Brazilian Joao Havelange then the FIFA President. All in all a great nights entertainment and a concept that could easily be taken by amateur clubs and replicated as a fund raiser. To find out more about The Sport Court go to their website at www.thesportcourt.co.uk

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# FROM THE DUGOUT

Firstly I would like to welcome the players, officials and supporters of Fairford to Rylands Way. We hope you enjoy your short stay with us and will join us all for a drink in the bar after the game.

There have been a number of changes over the last two months, with a number of players coming and going. Overall I am very happy with the squad that I have assembled. There may be one or two more additions but only if they will enhance our squad.

Terry Adams has left us along with Chris Oram. Tazz was very honest and due to work and personal commitments he had to stop playing. But he has assured me that if his situation changes we will have first shout. Chris Oram is just a disappointment and to be perfectly honest I do not believe the reasons he gave me for quitting. That was a big blow to me personally as I have been very loyal to him. Still you live and learn.

Matty Boucher has joined us from Fairford and that is big signing. He has Ryan Banks energy but he is also a very good passer of the ball. It will not be long before he is a firm favourite at Bassett.

Also on board is Sam Packer. He joins us from Highworth Reserves and to be perfectly honest he was wasted there. He is very much in the mould of Matty Boucher. And again I am sure he will soon become firm favourite. Anyone who was at the Thame game will know why I am so pleased to have them on board.

James Blake has joined us from Shrivenham and he is a very versatile player who will add quality wherever he plays. Again a player with a great attitude he is with the Reserves at the moment so he can get himself match fit for the run in.

Before I close my notes today I just want to say how pleased I was with the response from the whole squad to the defeat at Highworth. Anyone who was at the Thame game will know how hard we worked; we deserved at least a point from that game. But football can be both tough and cruel at this level.





# **OPPONENTS HISTORY**

## Fairford Town FC • Club History

Fairford Town Football Club was formed in 1891 and for many years played in the Cirencester & District League against local teams with varying degrees of Success.



After the Second World War, the club joined the Swindon & District League, winning the Premier Division in both 1963-64 and 1968-69, also winning the Advertiser Cup in the same years and in 1962-63 won the Gloucestershire F.A. Junior Cup.

Success in this league was followed by election to the Hellenic League in 1970, only missing out on promotion from the First Division on goal average at the first attempt. The club also reached the Division One Challenge Cup Final, only to lose 5-1 against Hungerford Town in a match played at Wantage. The following year, 1971-72, saw Fairford win the Hellenic League First Division & Division One Challenge Cup, beating Chipping Norton Town in the Final whilst the reserves won the Gloucestershire F.A. Minor Cup, the Advertiser Cup, and finished as runners-up in the Swindon & District Division One. The successful run continued and the Town were beaten finalists of the 1972-73 Premier Division Cup losing to Witney Town, only to then be relegated back to Division One in season 1973-74.

Fairford Town were then promoted again in 1975-76 and steady progress led to the Premier Division runners-up spot in season 1978-79 and in 1979-80, also winning the Premier Division Cup in 1978-79 beating Thame United 3-1 in a Final played again at Wantage Town's Alfredian Park ground.

The club were also winners of the Gloucestershire F. A. Trophy in 1979-80 beating Shortwood United 1-0, 1998-99 defeating Patchway Town, also 1-0 and again in 2002-03 when they defeated Yate Town 2-0 in the Final. They were also runners-up in 1982-83 losing to Old Georgians 2-1 and 1994-95 when defeated 2-1 by Shortwood United, giving their Hellenic League rivals revenge for the earlier defeat. The most recent success in the league came in 1990-91 and 1994-95 when the club again finished in the runners-up position.

Fairford Town also won the Norman Matthews Floodlit Cup in 2001-02, beating Gloucester United over a two-legged Final. In the First Leg Fairford recorded a 3-2 victory at Meadow Park, home of Gloucester City Football Club and then a 3-1 win back at Cinder Lane to take the trophy 6-3 on aggregate.

The club made a second appearance in the Floodlit Cup Final in 2003-04, unfortunately this time finished as runners-up to Slimbridge. The First Leg played at Slimbridge finished 1-0 and after a goal less first half at Cinder Lane in the Second, Slimbridge scored three times to win the Cup 4-0 on aggregate.

Whilst silverware has been elusive over the past few seasons; the club was pleased to be awarded the Fair Play award at the end of the 2007/08 campaign, the award following what was a traumatic season for the club off the pitch.



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# FROM THE ARCHIVES - 1985-86

# **OPPONENTS PEN PICS**

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Midfield

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## Season 1985-86 The Sun Always Shines on TV

## What was going on in the world

The season commences with Madonna at the top of the charts with Into The Groove and ends with the Spitting Image puppets at number one with The Chicken Song. The wreck of the Titanic is finally located. November sees Microsoft finally launch their Windows 1.0 product to the computer world to an unsuspecting audience that had little idea how the product would influence their lives in years to come. The UK and France announce plans to construct a tunnel under the channel and journalist John MacCarthy is kidnapped in Beirut. Moments after watching his side snatch a late equaliser at Ninian Park in a World Cup qualifier, Scottish manager Jock Stein suffers a heart attack and dies. Rangers appoint their first catholic manager as Graeme Souness takes charge. Liverpool do the double finishing two points ahead of neighbours Everton in the league and then defeating them 3-1 in the FA Cup Final. Oxford United win the League Cup defeating OPR 3-0 at Wembley and Swindon Town win the Division Four championship. The season ends with the World Cup being held in Mexico for the second time.

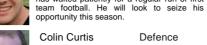
Wootton Bassett Town were hoping that their stay in Division One of the Wiltshire County League would last longer than their previous spell in the division when they were there for just a year. Much though had changed at Rylands Way in the five years since that fateful campaign, and with Mick Woolford being appointed as manager in the summer of 1985, a new chapter in the clubs history was just beginning.

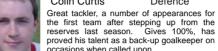
Prior to the opening weekend of the season, the withdrawals of Tisbury and Meadowcroft, both having haemorrhaged players over the summer, threw Division One into disarray as the number of teams was reduced from sixteen to a paltry fourteen. But Bassett made sure there would be a bright spot on the seasons first day, showing their credentials by thumping Amesbury Town 4-0 at Rylands Way. Goals from Roger Williamson and Mitch John put the home side two up at the break before a Nathan Walker double completed the rout. The fine start continued in midweek with the visit of Chippenham Town Reserves as the August 22<sup>nd</sup> edition of the Evening Advertiser described with the following report under the headline, Bassetts fine start continues:

Wootton Bassett, newly promoted to Division One of the Wiltshire County League, continued with their good start to the season last night with a 2-0 home win over Chippenham Reserves. They led with a first half goal by Nathan Walker and sealed the issue with another from Steve Ackrill in the second session.

Bemerton Athletic would then bring Bassett back down to earth though, but the Salisburybased side, one of the favourites for the title, were given a run for their money as they prevailed by the odd goal in five, with Walker and Steve Thomas netting for the hosts. August finished with Calne Town, another side tipped to do well, salvaging a point at Rylands Way as they cancelled out a first half Danny Groom goal late on in the second period.







## occasions when called upon. Dan Bailev

hackline



Richard Stubbs Defence A dominant centre-back who is a local lad who has risen through the ranks from youth football to be in regular contention for a first team starting berth.

A strong defender who is going into his third

season at Cinder Lane. He successfully

made the transition from striker to the

## Jake Llovd

Conor Thompson

Jacques Tertois

for opposition defences

Pete Griffiths

or attack.

An industrious midfielder who never stops running and joined the ranks at Cinder Lane earlier in the season from Cricklade Town.

### Shannon Pocock Midfield

A member of the Cirencester Academy set-up, Shannon joined the club at the start of the season and is a member of the Pocock footballing dynasty with his Dad, Sean, a former Fairford player

Duncan Scrivens Midfield Another local youngster who has a great engine with superb vision to match. Appearances maybe limited due to University.

Young winger who is comfortable on either

flank. Connor came up through the youth

ranks at Swindon Town where he played up to

U16s level. A tricky winger who will cause

Big striker who joined the club from local

football and always makes life uncomfortable

A long-serving and adaptable member of the

squad, who is comfortable either in defence

problems for opposition defences.







## Team Profiles Fairford Town FC



### Young goalkeeper currently with Cirencester Academy. Younger brother of fellow custodian Lee, and is spending time at Cinder Lane to get valuable match experience.

Goal Keeper

Defence



Defence Back in the game after three years away at

University and will be hoping to establish himself in the side this term. A strong, courageous player who never backs out of a



### Matt Boucher Midfield

Respected a long-serving member of the squad, named Captain for the 2010/11 season. With an excellent delivery from the set-piece and good engine, he will hope to lead the side through a progressive season.

James Eddv Midfield Back in football after a year in Australia and should be a useful addition to the squad this term



## Midfield A young prospect who made a first team place his own last season and he will look to improve and learn throughout the coming



### Sean Clarkson Midfield Joined Fairford from Melksham Town following a period out of the game through injury. Reads the game well and never gives up.



Forward Another player returning from University, he is full of tricks and aggression and is always a handful for defender. Scored a tremendous goal in a derby encounter with Highworth Town a few seasons back.



A tricky yet direct winger who is a great crosser of the ball. A hard working wide man who joined from Wootton Bassett Town in October 2010.

Forward



### Tommy Dryden Manager

An experienced manager at Hellenic and Western League level who has formerly managed Calne Town, Corsham, Devizes Town and Malmesbury Victoria. He joined as Fairford Town manager in October 2010.

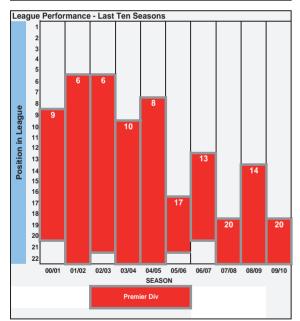


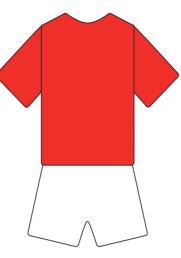
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Tom Dryden
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Road, turn right down Cinder Lane 400 yards after passing the
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Current Form (Last Five Games)			
Date	Opponents	Result	
22-Jan-1	1 Wantage Town (A)	L3-5	
15-Jan-1	1 Ascot United (H)	L0-4	
8-Jan-1	1 Binfield (H)	L0-6	
3-Jan-1	1 Pegasus Juniors (A)	W 2 - 0	
23-Nov-11 Kidlington (A) L 0 - 7			
Top Score	rs (Last Five Seasons)		
Season	Name	Goals	
2009-10	J. Magani	7	
2008-09	P. Walker	9	
2007-08	B. Gill	18	
2006-07	P. Corcoran	13	

League Cro	wds (Last Fiv	/e Seasons)	
Season	Average	Highest	Total
2009-10	49	76	1,038
2008-09	46	72	957
2007-08	51	310	1,072
2006-07	48	104	870
2005-06	54	107	1,033

P. Hunt

2005-06



September was not to be Bassetts month though. It began with consecutive 1-1 draws, the first coming at home against Sanford courtesy of Nick Johns goal, before a point was gained from the visit to Pewsey Vale thanks to Nathan Walker, who could have claimed both points for his side but unfortunately missed from the penalty spot. The eagerly anticipated resumption of acquaintances with Purton came next, with Woolfords team making the trip to the Red House. However, those with high hopes of an even contest being played out would be disappointed as the hosts strolled to a 3-0 victory. Things then got much worse to close out the month when Bemerton Athletic came to visit for a Ghia Senior Cup first round clash. Bassetts first division rivals came into the game in fine form, and continued that in some style, romping to a 9-0 victory; it was the third time already that season they had notched one short of double figures on the road.

Bassett rebounded quickly though, with goals from Nathan Walker and Don McLeod securing victory at Aldbourne in a game which the visitors had to come from behind in after scoring an own goal in the first minute. A late equaliser then cancelled out Danny Grooms goal when Park visited Rylands Way before Woolfords side produced their best performance of the season so far at home against fellow newly promoted side Pinehurst. Neil Timbrell and Peter Ward both struck braces, whilst Walker and Steve Thomas completed the hosts half dozen. The only blot on Bassetts copy book that afternoon was the single they conceded. Ward again found the back of the net twice a week later, with Walker notching once as the team moved up to fourth thanks to a convincing 3-0 victory at Wroughton.

November began on a low note as Purton completed the double over their nearest rivals, edging out a win by a solitary goal at Rylands Way. But two wins from three ensured Bassett reclaimed fourth spot. They began with a 4-2 win away to Melksham Town Reserves, with Thomas scoring twice alongside Gary Dixon and Paul Gadsden. Making the victory even more impressive was the fact the visitors came back from 2-0 down after 15 year old Mark Demkiv had seemingly put Melksham in control. A point was then earned at Chippenham Town Reserves thanks to Mitch Johns goal before debutant Dave Terry provided the only goal of the game at home against Wills. The month finished how it began, however, with Calne Town edging Bassett 2-0 at Bremhill View.

This time Woolfords side failed to bounce back quickly from that defeat, falling to a 4-0 defeat at bogey side Bemerton in the first round of the Wiltshire Senior Cup, before a 2-0 home defeat described by the Evening Advertiser as a *surprise* against Wroughton. Then, with Christmas looming, Bassett got into the festive spirit early, shipping four in a heavy loss at Park, whose scorers that day included a certain Paul Harrison, a figure who would in the coming years go onto make his mark both as a player and chairman at Rylands Way.

The New Year began with Bassetts streak of losses increasing to five as a depleted Aldbourne gained revenge for their early season defeat. The January 13<sup>th</sup> edition of the Evening Advertiser carried the following report of what was an unordinary match:

Wootton Bassett lost at home to Aldbourne by 4-2 in a game where they were twice in front. Aldbourne had striker Mark Perrett in goal, but he sustained a cut eye when

# FROM THE ARCHIVES - 1985-86

Paul Gadsden opened Wootton Bassetts account and changed to a position in the field with Steve Harris going in goal. Mark Baker equalised in time for the interval but Wootton Bassett went in front again with a second half goal by Gary Dixon. Mark Malham, playing his last game before flying to the West Indies to fulfil his engagements as a jockey brought Aldbourne level again and then went on their win with goals by Gary McKay and Perrett.  $\Box$ 

A week later a Kevin Flavell strike secured a point at Pinehurst to keep Bassett in sixth, but they would undoubtedly have been disappointed with this result given the convincing nature of their victory against their opponents earlier in the campaign. The draw though had finally stopped the rot that had seen Bassett slip out of contention for one of the top spots.

Six weeks of harsh weather meant this was to be the last game played before March began. The prolonged break though seemed to have done Woolfords side a whole world of good as they returned with a win by the odd goal in three over Melksham, with Mitchell John doing all the damage for the home side. However, this was to be the beginning of a lengthy, inconsistent stretch. Bassett then fell 3-2 at Sanford, as the hosts came from behind after Walker had put the visitors ahead. They then won by that score at Amesbury, the game being described in the Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March edition of the Evening Advertiser as follows:

Wootton Bassett thought they were nicely on the way to a win at Amesbury when goals by Steve Thomas and Nick John gave them a 2-0 lead. But Amesbury hit back with first half goals by Ricky Hibbs and brother Mick, and it took Bassett until the 88<sup>th</sup> minute for Nick John to score his second and winning goal.

Another thrashing at the hands of title challengers Bemerton followed, with Bassett coming back from their trip to south Wiltshire with their tails firmly between the legs after a 5-1 defeat. It could have been all so different though had Walkers goal, which put the visitors ahead, been built on. The penultimate game of the year at Wills saw the strugglers record only their third win of the year as Bassett fell to a disappointing 2-0 defeat.

But the season did finish on a high, albeit staggeringly early as the final match took place on April 19th, with visitors Pewsey being dispatched by four goals to two. A Thomas brace and first goal of the year for Gary Brown gave Bassett a commanding 3-0 lead at half time, before their final goal of the campaign came courtesy of a Pewsey defender.

This secured a respectable sixth place finish and meant Bassett avoided the ignominy they had suffered during the 1979/80 season when they were immediately relegated back to Division Two. Finally the club was on a sound footing to press on and search for a way out of County League football.

The final league table for the season and results and scorers for games played are shown overleaf:

# **NEW YEAR COMPETITION**

Especially for the Festive Period we looked to run a simple and fun Mr Men competition with a case of Peroni to the winner. Unfortunately with all the games being postponed the competition did not get any entrants with no programme produced. Consequently the deadline has now been extended to the end of the month. All you need to do is match the Mr Men character to the Wootton Bassett Town player, manager, committee member, league official or ex-players, managers and committee members from the list below. Think of individuals roles, personalities, playing style, hair style, actions they may have done in the past etc in making your judgement. Each name from the list can only be used once against a Mr Men character. Email entries preferred if possible. The entry which most closely matches that of the Editor wins the case of beer (please note competition is only open to over 18s).

Closing date for entry is Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2011.

1 Mr Tickle 2 Mr Greedy 3 Mr Happy 4 Mr Nosey 5 Mr Sneeze 6 Mr Bump 7 Mr Snow 8 Mr Messv 9 Mr Topsy-Turvy 10 Mr Silly 11 Mr Uppity 12 Mr Small 13 Mr Daydream 14 Mr Forgetful 15 Mr Jelly 16 Mr Noisy 17 Mr Lazy 18 Mr Funny 19 Mr Mean 20 Mr Chatterbox 21 Mr Fussy 22 Mr Bounce 23 Mr Muddle 24 Mr Dizzy 25 Mr Impossible 26 Mr Strong 27 Mr Grumpy 28 Mr Clumsv 29 Mr Quiet 30 Mr Rush 31 Mr Tall 32 Mr Worry 33 Mr Nonsense 34 Mr Wrong 35 Mr Skinny 36 Mr Mischief 37 Mr Clever 38 Mr Busy 39 Mr Slow 40 Mr Brave 41 Mr Grumble 42 Mr Perfect 43 Mr Cheerful 44 Mr Cool 45 Mr Rude 46 Mr Good

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John Beeden Jon Holloway Jonathan Davis Ken Turner Liam Edmondson Luke Sharps Marcus Hall Mark Smedley Matty Bown Mike Hartley Neil Bridges Paul Burke Paul Harrison Pete Yeardley Phil Tearle

**Richie Carter Richie Miles** Rod Carter Roger Williamson Ryan Banks Sam Collier Scoop Sean Bailey Shaun Carter Shaun Terry Steve Bunting Steve Matthews Steve Yeardley Stewart Thompson Terry Adams Terry Embling



# FROM THE ARCHIVES - 1985-86

## Wiltshire County League - Division 1 - 1985-1986

Pos Team	Р	W	D	L	F	А	Pts
1 Purton	26	20	4	2	82	30	44
2 Bemerton Athletic	26	20	3	3	97	25	43
3 Calne Town	26	18	6	2	69	23	42
4 Park	26	15	7	4	66	29	37
5 Chippenham Town Res	26	12	6	8	43	28	30
6 Wootton Bassett Town	26	10	6	10	44	44	26
7 Pinehurst	26	10	2	14	53	78	22
8 Aldbourne <sup>#</sup>	26	8	6	12	48	57	21
9 Sanford	26	8	5	13	37	62	21
10 Wroughton	26	9	2	15	41	76	20
11 Pewsey Vale	26	8	3	15	41	62	19
12 Wills	26	3	10	13	31	51	16
13 Amesbury Town	26	4	4	18	30	63	12
14 Melksham Town Res	26	4	2	20	40	94	10
<sup>#</sup> one point deducted							

### Home Goalscorers

Aldbourne	L 2 - 4	Gadsden, Dixon
Amesbury Town	W 4 - 0	Walker 2, M. John, Williamson
Bemerton Athletic	L 2 - 3	Thomas, Walker
Calne Town	D1-1	Groom
Chippenham Town Res	W 2 - 0	Ackrill, Walker
Melksham Town Res	W 2 - 1	M. John 2
Park	D1-1	Groom
Pewsey Vale	W 4 - 2	Thomas 2, Brown, og
Pinehurst	W 6 - 1	Timbrell 2, Ward 2, Thomas, Wal
Purton	L 0 - 1	
Sanford	D1-1	Nick John
Wills	W 1 - 0	Terry
Wroughton	L0-2	

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Aldbourne	W 2 - 1	
Amesbury Town	W 3 - 2	•
Bemerton Athletic	L1-5	,
Calne Town	L0-2	
Chippenham Town Res	D1-1	
Melksham Town Res	W 4 - 2	
Park	L0-4	
Pewsey Vale	D1-1	
Pinehurst	D1-1	
Purton	L0-3	
Sanford	L 2 - 3	
Wills	L0-2	
Wroughton	W 3 - 0	,

## Goalscorers

Walker, McLeod Thomas, Nick John 2

- Walker
- Mitchell John Thomas 2, Dixon, Gadsden

Walker Flavell

Walker, Gadsden

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W 3 - 0 Ward 2, Walker

## FROM THE ARCHIVES - 1985-86

## Wilts Senior Cup

1st Rnd v Bemerton Athletic (A) L 0 - 4

## **Ghia Senior Cup**

1st Rnd v Bemerton Athletic (H)

L0-9

Top Scorers	League	WSC	GSC	Total
Nathan Walker	10			10
Steve Thomas	7			7
Peter Ward	4			4
Mitch John	4			4
Nick John	3			3
Paul Gadsden	3			3
Gary Dixon	2			2
Danny Groom	2			2
Neil Timbrell	2			2
Roger Williamson	1			1
Gary Brown	1			1
Dave Terry	1			1
Steve Ackrill	1			1
Kevin Flavell	1			1
Don McLeod	1			1
Own Goals	1			1
	44	0	0	44

## WANTED I WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN PROGRAMMES

Do you have the following two programmes?

- Season 2008-9 v Shortwood (Cup game played on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2008); and
- Season 2003-4 v Henley Town (league game played on 30<sup>th</sup> March 2004).

Willing to pay £3 for each programme.

Also wanted are any programmes pre Season 2000-1. Willing to pay £1 for any home programmes and 50p for any away ones. Contact Mark on **07887634887** 

## GAZETTE & HERALDS WILTSHIRE FOOTBALL SCENE

## TOOLSTATION LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION: Love sets sights on silverware

Thursday 20th January 2011

By Owen Houlihan

MARK Love has targeted a serious tilt at cup glory as Devizes Town seek a silver lining to a remarkable season.

The Nursteed Road men claimed their eighth win in a row in all competitions with a 5-1 destruction of Toolstation League First Division rivals Hengrove Athletic in the Les Phillips League Cup on Tuesday night.

Former Shrivenham boss Love has overseen an astonishing turnaround in the clubs fortunes since taking over in October when the club were no-hopers with just two wins in their opening 10 league matches. One defeat in 11 has taken them to the brink of the top four but the manager admits his men probably have too much ground to make up on the top three of Merthyr, Oldland Abbotonians and Bridport.

But Love believes the cup offers Devizes the chance to get something tangible from a campaign that has gathered so much pace.

This is a big cup and we have got a good enough squad here now to put up a good fight in it,  $\Box$ said the manager.

We have to go and play Odd Down away in the next round now and that's a good test for this team, to see where we are and what we still need to work on. We'll be the underdogs, but we can give it a good go We'lve done really well in the league and are really climbing up the table, but the top three are probably just a little too far in front for us to have any impact there.  $\Box$ 

## WESSEX LEAGUE DIVISION ONE: No downer for Adi despite defeat

Thursday 20th January 2011

ADI Holcombe hailed Tuesdays display against Division One leaders Downton as their best of the season, despite Pewsey slipping to a 2-0 defeat. Two second-half goals from set pieces sealed the points for the hosts but the Pewsey manager was deliehted with his side.

We played brilliantly and every single player was on top of their game, Lsaid Holcombe.

If it had been a boxing match, they would have thrown in the towel because we closed them down all over the pitch and had so many chances.

□You need to take your chances against the big teams but it was the best we've played all season. □ On Saturday, Pewseys game with Whitchurch United was postponed after a mix-up at the Wessex League saw their ground double-booked with the reserve side. Holcombes side take on Premier Division giants Bemerton Heath Harlequins in the quarter finals of the Wessex League Cup on Tuesday.

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## CHIPPENHAM TOWN: Kemps rollicking does the trick

Thursday 20th January 2011

ADIE Mings was left dumbfounded by his sides firsthalf performance against Bedford Town on Tuesday but praised assistant Gary Kemp for the half-time dressing down given to the Bluebirds players. After a below-par first-half which saw Chippenham go in a goal down, Mings' side rallied to score three times in the second period.

☐ thought that in the first half, we were woeful, said the Bluebirds boss. We were trying to play some sort of football that I be never seen before ☐ t was at a loss and couldn I really wait for half-time to come. We had to shake a few up and credit to Gary because

We had to shake a few up and credit to Gary because hes the one whos given them a rollicking at halftime.

The visitors were ahead in the 18th minute after Craig Daniel and Graham Clark combined on the right-hand side to leave striker Ian Draycott with an easy tap-in. Chippenham levelled seven minutes into the second half as Ashley Edenborough fired past keeper Ian Brown at the second attempt.

Lewis Powell dinked Greg Tindle's through-ball over Brown for the second and Edenborough turned in Ashley Williams' low cross for the third.

## CHIPPENHAM TOWN: Barry joins the board

Thursday 20th January 20

FORMER Chippenham Town player Barry Lane is the newest addition to the Bluebirds board of directors.

The 66 year-old, who lives in the town and runs a courier business, was persuaded to make the step up from associate director by chairman John Applegate.

□ was born in Corsham and was a player for Chippenham in the 1960s □ Freddie Thompson was player-manager in those days, ⊡aid Lane. □ know the chairman John Applegate □ he⊠ a good friend of mine.

Be asked me if I was interested in playing a bigger part in the club and I said Why not?□ It meant putting a little bit of money forward but I run my own business and its been my club since I was coming up and playing the game locally.

[After playing football, I moved away and starting playing golf but IWe come back to watch the football recently and I want to take an active interest in the club.□









# **MATCH REPORTS**

# SENIOR HONOURS LIST







## Derby day disaster

The Elms, 3rd January 2011

What should have been a day to enjoy for Wootton Bassett Town quickly turned into a nightmare as they suffered a 5-1 hammering at the hands of local rivals Highworth Town. Dave Turners side were buried underneath an avalanche of first half pressure, which culminated in an unassailable 3-0 half time lead for the Worthians, who never looked back.

After 39 days inactive due to the December chill, Bassett appeared as though they desired to have one more day off on account of their inability to keep possession and laggard pace. Their hosts on the other hand were much the fitter and sharper unit. And that told from the off. Just over sixty seconds after play had got under way, TJ Bohane was afforded far too much room down the right flank and he burst into the Bassett box where he was upended by a trailing Liam Edmondson. It appeared though that lady luck was set to be on the visitors side when the tricky forward struck the post with the resulting spot kick. However, it was merely a prelude to what was to come, with Bohane running the show. The forward, who in his youth featured for Bassetts Under 18 Floodlit League side, had demonstrated his creativity when the two sides met earlier in the season. But that day he was unable to find the back of the net despite being presented with a myriad of chances. As demonstrated by his penalty miss, that wasteful side of Bohane was on show again, but he was that much of a thorn in the visitors side that he was able to net a hat-trick. With play camped inside Bassetts half it was not long until Highworth eventually made their pressure takes its toll.

On 18 minutes an unmarked Richie Saunders stooped low at the near post and guided a header home from a seemingly mishit Bohane corner kick. Bassett then had a couple brief forays into opposition territory, but were unable to restore parity. Firstly, a Lee Moulton free kick had home keeper Kurtis Sharkey at full stretch, before Alex Green had the ball in the back of the net after Sharkey failed to hold onto a low Sam Collier effort, however he had strayed offside meaning it was ruled out. From then until half time, the Bassett box was under siege. Only a deflection prevented a 20-yard Tony Joyce drive from roaring into the back of the net after, once again, a Bohane set piece had only been half cleared. Stewart Thompson, the games unfortunate victim, then prevented the lead from being doubled with a string of fine saves. Firstly, a timely switch out to James Guthrie on the left had the Bassett defence stretched, and after breezing past Shaun Carter the winger fired low from the edge of the box only to see his effort acrobatically tipped wide. Minutes later, Guthrie ghosted between debutant Matt Boucher and Craig Bowden to latch onto Steve Yeardleys weighted cross at the left hand post, but he failed to beat the veteran custodian with a well executed volley. From the resulting corner, he did well to keep out Dan Hilders close range effort after the ball had again found its way through the defence to the far post. However, he was unable to prevent Bohane from finally getting on the score sheet six minutes from half time. He was given little help from those in front of him, who allowed the home sides leading scorer too much space, and Bohane duly punished that mistake, expertly guiding his header into the far right corner from a Guthrie delivery. Before Bassett knew it, the game was then wrapped up with yet more disappointing defending playing a starring role in the build up. From the left wing, Guthrie squared easily inside to a free Bohane, and following a neat turn that set his sights on goal, he slotted the ball in at the near post with his weaker right foot.

His hat-trick should have been completed moments after the restart when he poked wide from ten yards with just Thompson to beat after latching onto Joyces defence splitting through pass. For a few minutes at least his failure to score, and a goal for Bassett out of nothing, made events a little more interesting. Green provided the only moment to celebrate for Turners team just before the hour when he raced onto Craig Bowdens long ball over the top before slotting past Sharkey for his first since September. It should really have been his second of the afternoon though, but he dragged an effort from ten yards across the face of goal and wide a couple minutes before following a Lee Moulton cut back. Normal service was quickly resumed, however. With twenty minutes remaining, Kevin Tates cross from the deep fell perfectly for Bohane, who headed home from twelve yards to finally secure himself the match ball. The rout was completed with five minutes left when a Highworth break opened up space for Tom Dingle. The substitute powerfully drove forward before squaring back from the by-line, and the ball was bundled in by ex-Bassett defender Jonny Aitkenhead, who narrowly beat Shaun Terry in a foot race.

Scoops Man of the Match: Stewart Thompson - it was a sad indictment of Bassetts performance that a keeper who had to pluck the ball from his net a handful of times be rewarded man of the match, but Thompson ensured a heavy defeat did not become even more embarrassing with some fine saves.

Scoop Rating: 4/10 - not once during the entire ninety minutes did Bassett string together a meaningful number of passes, and their profligacy when in possession only invited trouble.



1902/03	Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
1902/03	Advertiser Cup Runners-up
1903/04	Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
1905/06	Wiltshire County League Runners-up
1930/31	Calne & District League Runners-up
1931/32	Calne & District League Champions
1933/34	Vale of White Horse Cup Winners
1934/35	Calne & District League Champions
	Calne & District League Cup Winners
1935/36	Calne & District League Champions
	Calne & District League Cup Runners-up
1938/39	Brotherhood Cup Winners
1953/54	Vale of White Horse Cup Winners
1957/58	Chippenham & District League Division 2 Champions
1958/59	Wiltshire League Division 1 Champions
1978/79	Wiltshire County League Division 2 Runners-up
	Wiltshire County League Subsidiary Cup Winners
1982/83	Wiltshire County League Division 4 Runners-up
1983/84	Wiltshire County League Ghia Senior Cup Winners
1984/85	Wiltshire County League Division 2 Champions
	Wiltshire County League Ghia Junior Cup Runners-up
1987/88	Wiltshire County League Division 1 Champions
	Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
1988/89	Wiltshire County League Ghia Junior Cup Runners-up
1989/90	Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Winners
1993/94	Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Winners
1994/95	Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Runners-up
1998/99	Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners
2000/01	Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners
	Hellenic League Reserves Division 2 West Champions
2009/10	Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up
	WONTTON PASSETT TOWN



# BASSETT'S HELLENIC RECORD

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Season	Div	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	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	Р	38	14	10	14	54	60	52	13 out of 20							
2001/02	Р	42	11	9	22	39	75	42	19 out of 22							
2002/03	Р	40	10	10	20	36	70	40	15 out of 21							
2003/04	Р	42	11	5	26	38	73	38	16 out of 22							
2004/05	Р	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	31	60	4 out of 17							
2009/10	1W	30	20	7	3	74	34	67	2 out of 16							
2010/11	1W	19	7	2	10	27	36	23	16 out of 22							
Total		765	288	166	311	1,143	1,215	1,027								
			37.6%	21.7%												

SEASON

Nickname	Bassett					
Record Gate	2,103 v Swindon Town (1991)					
Best Gate - 2008/9	104 v Corsham Town					
Average Hellenic Attendance 2009/10	60.1 (08/09 = 71.8)					
Top Scorer - 2009/10	Sam Collier - 20 Goals					





# LADIES SECTION IN FOCUS

Date	Opponents	H/A	Competition	Result	Scorers
Sun 05 Sep	Wiltshire Area FC	А	League	W 9 - 0	Longo 3, Spratt 2, Walker 2, James, Blake
Sun 12 Sep	AEK Boco Reserves	Н	League		Spratt 2, McFadzean 2, Polden, Oaks, Jefferies
Sun 19 Sep	Cirencester Town Reserves	А	League	W 9 - 1	Walker 3, Polden 2, Oakes 2, James, Hopkins
Sun 10 Oct	Quedgeley Wanderers	А	League	D 4 - 4	Walker 2, Longo, Spratt
Sun 24 Oct	Gloucester City Reserves	Н	League	D 2 - 2	Spratt, Polden
Sun 14 Nov	Wiltshire Area FC	Η	League	W 13 - 0	Oaks 5, Longo 4, Mullen, James, Polden, Tidy
Sun 21 Nov	Tetbury Town	Η	League	Won	Game awarded by League
Sun 9 Jan	Swindon Town Ladies	Η	WCC	L 1 - 2	Longo
Sun 16 Jan	Quedgeley Wanderers	Η	League	D 2 - 2	Polden 2
Sun 23 Jan	Gloucester City Reserves	А	League	L 0 - 3	
Sun 13 Feb	SCS	А	League		
Sun 20 Feb	AEK Boco Reserves	А	League		
Sun 06 Mar	SCS	Η	League		
Sun 13 Mar	Cirencester Town Reserves	Н	League		

## Gloucestershire County Womens League Season 2010-11 Division Three League Table

	Р	W	D	L	F	А	Pts
1 Gloucester City Res*	9	8	1	0	52	3	22
2 Wootton Bassett Town	8	4	3	1	<b>46</b>	13	15
3 SCS Ladies	8	4	0	4	14	16	15
4 Quedgeley Wanderers Ladies	7	3	2	2	22	11	11
5 Cirencester Town Reserves	8	3	0	5	5	24	9
6 AEK Boco Reserves	8	2	0	6	5	24	3
7 Wiltshire Area Womens FC	8	1	0	7	3	63	3
3 pts deducted for playing an ineligible	play	er					

3 pts deducted for playing an ineligible player Tetbury Town withdrawn from league





# WETFC FIRST TEAM PEN PICS

# FOOTBALL PYRAMID 2010/11



### Stewart Thompson Goal Keeper In his third season with the Club. Eighty appearances already and one of the best if not the best keeper in Division One West last season



### Chris Oram Defence

Another player in his third season with over seventy appearances. Very strong in the air and one of the most consistent performers since ioining.



### Shaun Carter Defence

Centre back returning to the Club after playing for Shrivenham last season. Made 44 appearances for the club in 2008-9, scoring twice. Always encourages teammates!



### John Beeden Defence

Former Swindon Town Centre of Excellence player who played for Wiltshire League champions New College and Swindon Supermarine last season making his Southern League debut against Hednesford.



### James Blake Midfield

Recent signing from Devizes Town who started season at Shrivenham. Great engine, played for WBTFC two seasons ago and son of assistant manager Alan Blake.



### James Turner Midfield

Another product of Cirencester Academy, voungster James made most appearances in last seasons promotion winning side. showing great maturity scoring twice in 37 appearances.

Midfield

Forward



## Sam Collier

Top scorer with 22 goals last season after converting to striker from full back. His goals were vital in securing promotion and great things expected again.



## Ethan Delanev

Recent signing from Cirencester Town having graduated from their academy. Quick, agile and skilful, played three times for Cirencester last season in the Southern league.



Dave Turner Manager In his third season in charge of Wootton Bassett Town and looking to establish Bassett in the Premier Division after guiding the club to promotion last season.

### Liam Edmundson Defence

Youngster who made the step up to regular First Team starter last season with 35 appearances. Further great things expected this season in the Premier.



## Defence

Played for Bassett when last in Hellenic Premier. Likely to feature less this season after becoming part of the management team in the summer.



### Defence Cultured voungster who starred in last

seasons promotion winning side making 26 appearances. Cool in possession another who big things are expected of in the Premier.



## Midfield

Another youngster who joined us last season from Highworth Town. Fast strong midfield player with valuable previous experience of the Hellenic Premier.

### Lee Moulton Midfield

Another young player returning to the club. Made 38 appearances in 2008/9 Season scoring 5 times from left midfield.



### Midfield Terry Adams

Former Swindon Town trainee who had a tremendous first season at the club and was a key part of last seasons promotion winning side

Former Cirencester Academy player who has

been plaving for Poole Town whilst at

Midfield

Forward



## Forward

Shaun Terrv Popular Wootton Bassett lad who missed the whole of last season due to injury. Could be key to success given his goal scoring record at Premier level.

Sean Bailey



Alex Green Forward Nine goals in eighteen appearances last season before moving to Hungerford Town. Subsequently transferred to Shrivenham in Premier and experience at this level will be vita



## Asst.Manager

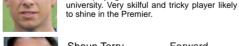
Assistant Manager who can still hold his own playing the game despite being in twilight of his playing days. Made the odd appearance last season, mainly from bench.

Step <sup>1</sup>	League/Division											
1				ntional (24 clubs) t Premier League)								
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2 (B)	Promoted to Conference National: Champions of each division; the winners of a 2nd-5th playoff in each division will also be promoted. Relequed to Step 3 leagues: 3 clubs from each division.											
3 (C)	( <i>Evo-stick</i> Premier	Jorthern Prem. League (22 clubs) (Evo-stick League) Premier DivisionSouthern League (22 clubs) (Zamaretto League) Premier DivisionIsthmian Le (Ryma Premier Division										
	Promoted to Conference North or South: Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league. Relegated to Step 4 leagues: 4 clubs from each league.											
4 (D) <sup>2</sup>	Northern Premier League ( <i>Evo-stick</i> <i>League</i> ) Division One North*	Northern Premier League ( <i>Evo-stick</i> <i>League</i> ) Division One South	Southern Football League (Zamaretto League) Division One Midlands	Southern Football League (Zamaretto League) Division One South & West		Isthmian League ( <i>Ryman League</i> ) Division One North						
	*All divisi	*All divisions of 22 clubs except Northern Premier North which has 23 due to successful FA appeal of Chester City Promoted to Step 3 leagues: Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league. Relegated to Step 5 leagues determined by NLS Committee: 2 clubs from each league.										
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 Premier   Spartan South Midlands League Premier Division   Sussex County League Division On   United Counties League Premier Division   Wessex League Premier Division   Western League Premier Division											
(F)	Promoted to Step 4 leagues determined by NLS Committee: Total of 12. Clubs must have applied to the Football Association for promotion to Step Four for the 2011/12 season by 31 December 2010, must then pass ground grading requirements (Grade E by 31 March 2011), and must finish in the top two places in their league to be eligible for promotion. I there are more clubs applying for promotion than places available, priority is given to champion clubs of the respective leagues. Relegated: Arranged according to separate agreements with Step 6 leagues, as approved by the FA.											
6 (G)	Division One East   Northern League Divis	Hellenic League Divisio sion Two   North West C ion One   Sussex Count	n One West   Midland C counties League Division ty League Division Two	s League   Eastern Cou Combination Premier Div One   South West Pen   United Counties Leaguer Division   Western Leaguer	ision   Northern Countie insula League Premier I le Division One   Wesse	s East Division One						
	Promotion and relegation: Arranged according to separate agreements with appropriate leagues.											
7	Anglian Combination Premier Division   Bedfordshire Football League Premier Division   Cheshire Association Football League Premier Division Cambridgeshire League Premier Division   Central Midlands League Supreme Division   Cheshire Association Football League Premier Division   Contral Midlands League Supreme Division   Cheshire Association Football League Premier Division   Borset Premier League   East Berkshire League Premier Division   Sussex Football League Premier Division   Essex and Suffolk Border League   PaertBordshire County League Premier Division   Association Football League Premier Division   Gloucestershire County 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 Ampton North Ampton Town Football League Premier Division   Northern Football League Division One   NorthAmptonshire Combination Premier Division   Northampton Town Football League Premier Division   Northern Football League Premier Division   Qxfordshire Senior Football League Premier Division   South West Peninsula League Division One   Northamptonshire Combination Football League Premier Division   South West Peninsula League Division One East   South West Peninsula League Division One West   Staffordshire County Senior Football League Premier Division   Suffolk and Ipswich Football League Premier Division   North myther Oxotball League Premier Division   League Division Tootball League Premier Division   Sussex County League Division Tootball League Premier Division   Sutfolk and Ipswich Football League Premier Division   Sussex County League Division Tootball League Premier Division   Sutfolk and Ipswich Football League Premier Division   Sussex County League Premier Division   Mest Midlands Regional League Division One   West Sussex Football League Premier Division   West Midlands Regional League Division Ne   Suffolk and Ipswich Football											
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### Notes

- Relevant FA Ground Grading requirement shown under each Step number. 1
- At Step 4 FA Ground Grading category E is required for clubs seeking promotion from Step Five. Clubs have to achieve Category D no later 2. than 31 March in the season following promotion.





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## Bulletin No 023/2010-2011 Boot Room Chatter 16<sup>th</sup> January 2011

### Premier Round Up

In-form Binfield were too hot to handle for 2<sup>nd</sup> placed Kidlington, scoring three without reply through James Suarez, Gary Callaway and Carl Withers. Bracknell Town and Reading Town shared four goals and the points in an entertaining encounter which saw Rob Yorke-Goldney and Dean Thomas net for the hosts and Danny Seaward with a double for the visitors. Lowly Carterton held Oxford City Nomads to a respectable 2-2 draw. All the goals were scored from the penalty spot, two from Dave Bostock for Carterton and two from James Knight for Nomads. Basement side Fairford Town were well beaten by the unpredictable Ascot United, thanks to Lee Boon and a Rob Saunders hat-trick. Flackwell Heath grabbed the points against lowly Shrivenham after Lee Thompson and then Adam Harman found the back of the net in the latter stages of the game. High flyers, Old Woodstock Town and Wantage Town, were separated by a Danny Keen brace for the Alfredian's. Strugglers, Pegasus Juniors could not hold Abingdon Town, despite scoring twice through Mark Smith and Tom Boyle, Strikes from Jack Alder, Lewis Coyle and Mark Janes with two, secured the points for the Abbots. The much fancied Shortwood United were two down at the break to Wokingham & Emmbrook, courtesy of an own goal and a Luke Lee strike but they took hold of the proceedings in the second period with a rampant display which saw them score five goals through Jake Parrott, Ross Casey, Robbie Colwell, Chris Mortlock and Matt Green. Witney United looked to be comfortable winners in their game against faltering Slimbridge after an own goal and strikes from Eddie Everett and Sean McKeon had given them the lead at the break, despite Mike Bryant's reply, However Paul Carter and Leon Cornwall struck gold in the closing minutes to secure an unlikely point for the Swans. Alex Stewart's early opener for Thame United was enough to take the points at Wootton Bassett Town.

### **Division One (West)**

Making it three wins in a row, Bicester Town were too strong for visitors Trowbridge Town, hitting five without reply thanks to Lennie Sackey. Dave Hampton, Adam Lovegrove and Ben Williams with a pair. Table proppers Launton Sports suffered a Six goal hammering from high flying Clanfield whose goals came from Dan Dixon, Dan Bishop, Kevin Lewis and Craig Mays with his hat-trick. Letcombe took the win and the points thanks to two late strikes from Adam Pendell in a feisty and ill disciplined encounter with Cricklade Town who had six players booked and also suffered a dismissal from no nonsense referee Leigh Simpkins. Tytherington Rocks ended second placed Lydney Town's unbeaten record after a fine 3-0 win courtesy of Rob Sage and Jimmy Potts with a pair.

## Division One (East)

Bottom of the table Chinnor earned a valuable point after sharing two goals with visitors Chalfont Wasps. Fred Tripp gave the Wasps the early initiative, but Adam Stallwood was on hand to score the equaliser shortly before the break.

Strugglers Didcot Town lost out to Holyport after Steve Deverall hit the back of the net for the Villagers in the second period.

Finchampstead were rolled over by the high flying Milton United thanks to a Ross Butler hat-trick and strikes from Paul Sanders and Warren McCabe.

In a really close encounter, Hungerford Town and Farnborough were separated by Steve Rackham's first half effort for the hosts.

Clubs and individuals are invited to submit news items of interest for possible inclusion in Boot Room Chatter. Please send your items to Brian King, General Manager, 7 Stoneleigh Drive, Carterton, Oxon, OX18 1EE. Please send contributions by E-mail to: office@hellenicleague.co.uk

# YOUTH SECTION IN FOCUS

## **January Blues**

## by Luke Walduck

Unfortunately, this weeks results did not go the way Wootton Bassett had hoped and resulted in sides being knocked out from two cups.

However, there was some good news. The Under 14 A Squad were victorious over AFC Corsham in the third round of the Under 15 Wiltshire County Cup, with a strong 2-1 score and goals from Ross Algar and Max Kitchin. They will now face Devizes Town in the last eight. The Under 14 Girls also won against Larkhill Athletic with a steady 4-3 win, which lifted them above their opponents into fifth.

The Under 16s also faced worthy adversaries in the form of Bermerton Heath Harlequins, with both sides coming away with two goals. On target were Tom Swindall and Lee Toomey. The third stalemate of the week, came from the Under 10 As against Liden Community with an exciting 3-3 tie. Bassetts goals came from Harrison Gough, who netted twice, and George Staten

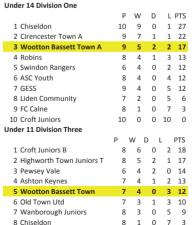
The Under 9s faced the Robins A squad for a second week in a row and faced a second defeat but by a lower margin, with a 5-1 loss. The Under 14 B team lost 7-1 to FC Abbeymeads. Both of the Under 15 sides lost, with the B team losing 8-2 to Old Town United and the A team facing the first of this weeks cup losses, being knocked out of the third round of the Wiltshire County Cup, by a score of 4-2 against Croft Juniors with goals from Sam Lowkis and Tyler Amos. The Under 11s were also knocked out of the North Wiltshire Knockout Cup by Division One title contenders Highworth Town Juniors with an agonizing 2-1 loss. Zachary Bunce netted Bassetts solitary goal in that encounter.

Wootton Bassett will have their heads down after this week, but the results next week will hopefully be much better.

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## Under 18 Division Two

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2 Fairford Town Youth	7	5	1	1	16	
3 Wootton Bassett Town	7	4	1	2	13	
4 Old Town Utd A	7	4	1	2	13	
5 Blunsdon Colts	6	3	2	1	11	
6 Pewsey Vale	9	2	2	5	8	
7 Stratton Youth	7	0	4	3	4	
8 Old Town Utd B	6	1	1	4	4	
9 Wickham Wanderers	6	0	1	5	1	
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# FANTASY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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### The Roving Reporter Presents a Statistical View of the Season so far

This forecast is based on all games played so far this season. The Premier Division has been split into 3 elements and uses the results in matches to  $12^{th}$  January. The results of each team against each of the 3 sections, has been applied to outstanding fixtures to give the statistical forecast table at end of season.

- Ardley Have only 3 games left against the bottom 7. Of the majority left, 9 games are against middle of the table teams.
- Wantage Have 5 away games left against the Top 8 and with one draw and one loss so far the forecast is 4 draws at best.
- Kidlington 
  Have five away games against the top 8, and five away against the bottom 7 .
- Shortwood Have only 3 at home and 2 away games left against the top 8. Their other 7 home games are against teams in the lower half of the table and they also have 5 away games against the middle 7
- **Highworth** Have 8 games left against the top 8, but also 8 against the bottom 7
- Slimbridge 
  Have played only two away to the top 8 and lost both. Also have 5 away to the bottom 7 .
- Old Woodstock Have 4 home and 5 away against the top 8 left. They have played only one home game against the bottom 7.
- Binfield Have won all nine home games but have vet to play any of the top 10, so difficult to forecast, as they have won only 4 points away to the top 14.

	Situation so Far Based on Season's Results													
	Against Top 8	Pld	Pts			Against Middle 7	Pld	Pts			Against Bottom 7	Pld	Pts	
1	Kidlington	6	13		1	Kidlington	9	21		1	Ardley U	11	31	
2	Ardley U	8	12		2	Old Woodstock	10	20		2	Binfield	9	25	
=3	Shortwood U	9	10		3	Slimbridge	8	17		=3	Wantage T	7	21	
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=5	Highworth T	6	9		5	Wantage T	7	15		5	Slimbridge	7	19	
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7	Wantage T	6	8		7	Binfield	6	11		=6	Kidlington	7	15	
8	Binfield	5	2		8	Shortwood U	6	8		8	Old Woodstock	6	9	

### Computerised Final Table Forecast 2010-2011 Season

		Played	Points
1	Ardley United	42	93
2	Wantage Town	42	91
3	Kidlington	42	87
4	Shortwood United	42	85
5	Highworth Town	42	83
=6	Slimbridge	42	78
=6	Old Woodstock Town	42	78
8	Binfield	42	71

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# **FA COMPETITIONS**



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23<sup>rd</sup> January 2011

## Premier Round Up

Abingdon Town remain undefeated for the 4<sup>th</sup> game in a row after securing a 1-1 draw with Flackwell Heath. Danny Thomas put the Abbots into an early lead but Ben Sturgess replied shortly before the break to ensure honours were even. Ascot United made quick work of beating Witney United, netting five times through Andy Lunn. Paul McGrotty. Sam McIntyre and Shane Cooper-Clark with a pair. Joe Tustain managed a reply for the struggling Blanketmen. Highworth Town is winning sequence was extended to seven after a hard fought encounter in their local derby with Shrivenham. The Worthians went two up at the break thanks to Ritchie Saunders and TJ Bohane, but Rory Sproule with a screamer and Steve Robertson levelled the scores before Tom Cole smashed in the winner late in the game. Kidlington s championship aspirations continued after a fine win over the much fancied Shortwood United. Second half goals from Mark Baker and Jordan Parker settled the result despite James Coates pulling one back for the Wood. Old Woodstock Town were too good for Bracknell Town, winning by 4-2, with goals from Paul Penney, Nick Thorne, Jack Dunmore and Ryan Brooks. Completing the score sheet for the visitors were Callum Whitty and Steve Ryan. Reading Town hosted league leaders Ardley United and were handed a pasting courtesy of strikes from Danny Bone, Lewis Travers and Carl Standen with an own goal completing the score-line. Thame United had a tough afternoon against lowly Pegasus Juniors, winning narrowly by the odd goal in three. Alex Stewart put the hosts ahead shortly after the kick-off but Peggy equalized in the last minute through Tom Boyle. However there was still time enough on the clock for Alex Stewart to score another by converting a penalty to save the day for the Oxfordshire outfit. Wantage Town overcame lowly Fairford Town in an eight goal thriller, thanks to efforts from Rich Claydon, Tom Rowe, Danny Keen, Tom Butler and Ellis Langford with Kieran Jennings, Dan Bailey and James Skinner replying for the visitors. Wokingham & Emmbrook ended Binfield s winning run in a close encounter by the odd goal in three. Tom Hopper opened the scoring for the Satsumas but Ian Davis equalized for the Moles on the half-time whistle. However, Sam Duffelen s second half effort was enough to separate the two sides.

## **Division One (West)**

Improving Bicester Town were brought back down to earth losing to Winterbourne United 1-3 with Danny Green netting for the Foxhunters, but Geraint Williams, Ashley Knight and Ben Dowdell winning the match for the visitors.

High flyers Cheltenham Saracens brushed aside Letcombe, hitting four without reply through Leigh Rayson, Simon Slender and Jamie Hammond with a brace. In the game of the day league leaders

Headington Amateurs beat 2<sup>nd</sup> placed Lydney Town in a close and tense encounter after strikes from Luke Cuff early in the game and Aftab Hafiz with minutes left on the clock.

The bottom two sides Launton Sports and Malmesbury Victoria earned a point each after Mark Field equalized from the spot for the Vics to counter an Alex Jennings effort for the Sports.

## Division One (East)

Farnborough were turned over by visitors Newbury in an entertaining encounter which saw half a dozen goals. Newbury scorers were Kalief Madden, Harry Goodger, Danny Collins and Jamie Green with Louis Wilson and Jordan Merriman replying for the hosts. High flying Milton United faced leaders Henley Town and won a close encounter thanks to the only goal of from Paul Sanders. Penn & Tylers Green sank table proppers Didcot Town with 2<sup>nd</sup> half efforts from Danny Robertson, Jamie Hunt and Ricci Putnam. Rayners Lane went behind to lowly Chinnor after Adam Stallwood hit the back of the net early in the first period, but Ryan Upton and then Mark Woolley replied for the Lane to secure the victory. Holyport went to the top of the table with a fine win at Woodley Town. Carl Reeves and Callum Coull gave the Villagers a half-time cushion before Nick Edwards replied for the hosts. A tense final ten minutes was settled when the Town put the ball into their own net in the final moments of the game.



# FA CUP

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

Date	Round		Opponents		I	Prize Money
14-Aug-10	Extra Preliminary Round	V	Bradford Town	А	D1-1	
17-Aug-10	Extra Preliminary Round - R	V	Bradford Town (*won 4-3 on pens)	Н	D3-3*	£750
28-Aug-10	Preliminary Round	V	Almondsbury UWE	А	W1-0	£1,500
11-Sep-10	First Qualifying Round	V	Hamble ASSC	А	D 1-1	
14-Sep-10	First Qualifying Round - Rep	v	Hamble ASSC	Н	L0-2	
25-Sep-10	Second Qualifying Round	V	Old Woodstock Town	Н		
9-Oct-10	Third Qualifying Round	V	Farnborough	А		
23-Oct-10	Fourth Qualifying Round	V	Dover Athletic	Н		
6-Nov-10	First Round	V	Gillingham	А		
27-Nov-10	Second Round	V	Aldershot	Н		
8-Jan-11	Third Round	V	Huddersfield Town	А		
29-Jan-11	Fourth Round	V	Arsenal	А		
19-Feb-11	Fifth Round	V				
12-Mar-11	Quarter Final	V				
16-Apr-11	Semi-Final	V				
14-May-11	Final	V				

## **FA VASE**

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

Date	Round		Opponents			Prize Money
4-Sep-10	First Round Qualifying		Вуе			
18-Sep-10	Second Round Qualifying	v	Devizes Town	А	Won 4 - 0	£900
2-Oct-10	First Round Proper	v	Cadbury Heath	А	Lost 1 - 2	
13-Nov-10	Second Round Proper	v	Downton	Α		
4-Dec-10	Third Round Proper	v	Reading Town	Н		
22-Jan-11	Fourth Round Proper	v	Spennymoor Town	Н		
12-Feb-11	Fifth Round Proper	v				
5-Mar-11	Sixth Round Proper	v				
26-Mar-11	Semi-final	v				
8-May-11	Final winners	v				

# **CUPS - SEASON 2010/11**

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## HELLENIC LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP SPONSORED BY BLUEFIN SEASON 2010-11

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	First I	Roun	d
Bracknell Town	3	3	Woodley Town (win on pens)
Carterton	6	2	
Cheltenham Saracens	2	3	Milton United
Chinnor	2	0	Lydney Town (AET)
Clanfield	2	1	Newbury
Cricklade Town	2	5	Henley Town
Didcot Town	0	1	South Kilburn
Easington Sports	3	0	Hook Norton
Farnborough	2	5	Holyport
Flackwell H (win on pens)	0	0	Thame United
Headington Amateurs	1		Penn & Tylers Green
Hungerford Town	4	2	Winterbourne United
Malmesbury Victoria	0	2	Bicester Town
Purton	1	2	Letcombe
Rayners Lane (won on pens)	2	2	Launton Sports
Reading Town	8	0	Fairford Town
Trowbridge Town	0	4	Slimbridge
Tytherington Rocks	2	2	Chalfont Wasps ( win on pens)
Wantage Town	7	1	Finchampstead
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Ardley United	6		Letcombe
Kidlington	1		Highworth Town
Old Woodstock Town	3		Abingdon Town
Oxford City Nomads	0		Hungerford Town Reserves
Shrivenham	2		Chalfont Wasps
Woodley Town	3		Reading Town
Flackwell Heath	6		Headington Amateurs
Rayners Lane	1		Wootton Bassett Town
Slimbridge	2	1	Wokingham & Emmbrook
Wantage Town	v		Witney United
Carterton	2		Easington Sports
Milton United	1		Holyport
Chinnnor	v		Bicester Town
Clanfield	1	3	Shortwood United
Henley Town	v		
South Kilburn			Ascot United
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Carterton	v		Abingdon Town
Chalfont Wasps	v		Ardley Utd
Shortwood United	v		Highworth Town
Flackwell Heath	v		Henley Town or Pegasus Jun
Holyport	v		Hungerford Town
Slimbridge	v		Reading Town
Sth Kilburn or Ascot Utd	v		Wantage Town or Witney Utd
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Chinnor or Bicester Town

Wootton Bassett Town









Hellenic League



## FIXTURES - JANUARY UHLSPORT Hellenic League matches kick-off at 3.00 pm on Saturday and 7.45 pm midweek. Non Floodlit grounds kick off in January is 2.15pm, Cup Matches 1.45pm. For \_outside\_ cup competitions, if not shown, check with home club if in doubt.

Tuesday 25 January			
Premier Division			
Bracknell Tn	v	Ascot Utd	
Flackwell Heath	v	Ardley Utd	
Highworth Tn	v	Kidlington	
Thame Utd	v	Carterton	
Wootton Bassett Tn	v	Fairford Tn	
GFA Challenge Troph	ıy □3 <sup>rd</sup> F	Round	
Shortwood Utd	v	Cadbury Heath	
Presidents Reserve C	up Gro	up B	
Clanfield	v	Milton United	
Wednesday 26 Janua	ry		
Premier Division			
Oxford City Nomads	v	Shrivenham	
Berks & Bucks Senio	r Trophy	y Quarter Final	
Aylesbury	v	Wantage Tn	
Saturday 29 January			
The Bluefin 🗆 Insura	nce Bro	kers Chall⊡Cup □ 2 <sup>nd</sup> Rn	d
Carterton	v	Abingdon Town	
Chinnor	v	Bicester Town	
Henley Town	v	Pegasus Juniors	
Shortwood Utd	v	Highworth Town	
South Kilburn	v	Ascot United	
Wantage Tn	v	Witney Utd	
The Bluefin 🗆 Insura	nce Bro	kers Chall⊡Cup □ 3 <sup>rd</sup> Rn	d
Slimbridge	v	Reading Tn	
Supp Challenge Cup	2nd R	ound	
Binfield	v	Wokingham & Em	
Hook Norton	v	Tytherington Rocks	
Shrivenham	v	Headington Ams	
Rayners Lane	v	Thame United	
Premier Division			
Ardley United	v	Wootton Bassett Tn	
Bracknell Town	v	Fairford Town	
Oxford City Nomads	v	Flackwell Heath	
Division One West			
Easington Sports	v	Letcombe	

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Lydney Town	V	Cricklade Town	
Malmesbury Vics	V	Winterbourne Utd	
Purton	V	Clanfield	
Division One East			
Didcot Town	v	Milton United	
Finchampstead	V	Holyport	
Newbury	v	Farnborough Res	
Penn & Tylers Grn	v	Hungerford Town	
B&B FA Intermediate	Cup 🗆 5 <sup>t</sup>	<sup>h</sup> Round	
Aston Clinton	V	Chalfont Wasps	
Woodley Town	v	Highmoor Ibis	
Chairman s Reserve C	halleng	e Cup 2nd Rd	
Thame Utd	v	Finchampstead	
Res Division One			
Abingdon Utd	v	Binfield	
Cheltenham Sar s	v	Ardley Utd	
Cirencester Tn	v	Carterton	
Fairford Tn	v	Wantage Tn	
Kidlington	v	Highworth Tn	
Maidenhead Utd	v	Thatcham Tn	
Res Division Two We	st		
Clanfield	v	Easington Sports	
Gloucester City	v	Hook Norton	
Launton Sports	v	Cricklade Tn	
Old Woodstock Tn	v	Shrivenham	
Res Division Two Eas	st		
Flackwell Heath	v	Rayners Lane	
Holyport		Henley Town	
Hungerford Tn Dev	v	Chinnor	
Presidents Reserve C	up Grou	p A	
Ascot United	V	Bicester Town	
Presidents Reserve C	up Grou	p D	
Letcombe	V	Newbury	
Berks & Bucks Junior	Cup 5th	n Rd	
East Hendred	v	Chalfont Wasps	

# **TOUCHLINE - LATEST ISSUE**



Welcome: Welcome to you all, and may I take this opportunity of offering you best wishes for 2011.

I think the theme of this edition of Touchline can best be summarised as "operational", with all section heads giving you an insight into the challenges of operating your club and the 19 teams and Community programmes we offer. It really is a great testament to all involved in the club that we continue to be able provide the football opportunities that we do to the community, and indeed to continue to seek to grow. It is pleasing to note that some new faces have joined the team administering/running our club this season, though further help is always welcomed and required. Rod Carter, our club and senior section secretary, has announced his intention to stand down at the end of the season after some 20+ years of terrific service, so if you think you might be able to offer some time to the club whether in that role or another then please do get in touch.

Thanks to all for attendance at the regular social functions we hold at Rylands Way. These are highly enjoyable whilst generating much needed income for the Sports Association, thus keeping our rent for use at reasonable levels. Cheers – Paul Harrison Chairman

Senior teams: Welcome to the December addition of the touchline newsletter for the seniors section. Writing this we have just seen the Scottish referees strike this last weekend seemingly due to the fact that managers and players do not show them respect. With all jokes aside, it is a shame that some officials do not share the same respect to the clubs, as always it can be the minority that spoil it for the majority. This club has always tried to adhere, indeed promote, the respect campaign as we have always seen the referees role as an essential part of the game, but this can be difficult when officials seem to have such mixed abilities and lack consistency. We have also put a lot of work in this pre-season to maintain the promotion level so it was of interest when at a recent local derby a league official commented that the respective club had not been requested to increase the internal size of their dug-outs as per the FA Ground grade rule, again an inconsistency which we seem to be at the wrong end of. We have recently requested a stay of further work until the relocation is complete to ensure that monies are used in the best interest of all at WBTFC. Our request has been reviewed by the Hellenic league and FA Technical board and we must have covered accommodation for 200 in place for next season, despite the prospect of relocation. Whilst I have no issues with this decision I would expect consistency in application of the ground frading policy, but it seems from our travels not to be the case. If local football is to survive this economic situation then surely the respective leagues have a responsibility to all clubs to reduce the financial implications it imposes, if this is not done then football clubs at this level will have to review their strategy to ensure survival. Well rant over. We have seen a great 2010 from all levels and I am very pleased with the progress we have made from 1<sup>st</sup> team, reserves, and under18s, Congratulations to Danny Hale, Jack Ellis, Joe Shedherd, Adam Topping, Tom Glass and Nathan Hawkins who have been picked to represent Wilts county U18s, an excellent achievement and our objective will be to ensure that these lads enjoy their time at Bassett, develop further and stay at the club to play at the highest level we can provide.

Chris Jones - Head of Senior Football



Youth teams: Seasons greetings to all players, managers and families associated with the youth section of the club. It is hoped that the "earlier start" to winter this year is not an indication of what we can expect in January & February of 2011. If this weather continues we will no doubt be faced with the usual backlog of fixtures towards the season end. I still cannot understand why more fixtures are not scheduled midweek during the early season when the weather and pitches are far more receptive for players and spectators alike. If these "colder" winter trends continue then serious consideration will have to be given to fixture scheduling and season start/ finish dates at all levels of amateur football. As with most amateur clubs, over the years we experience a turnover in players, managers and assistants alike. For all those new to the club (or those requiring clarity) I thought it prudent to remind you of our operating targets and difficulties. All those associated with the club do so on a voluntary basis (includes all administrators. managers, assistants and players...,ves even the first team!). Our biggest overheads by far are obtaining training and plaving pitches and their resultant hire costs. Last season alone cost WBTFC just short of £19,000 in obtaining these facilities (I would add that both the council and GS4 who administer the astro also imposed significant increases during the year) This coupled with the cost of providing registration fees. insurance, plaving / training kit and match officials fees gives a total expenditure for the youth section of some £35,000 per season! Obviously these costs cannot be met by sponsorship alone and without a rich Arab or Russian owner the club has to impose a combined membership/ training fee in the form of a standing order payment. To ease payments it was decided to spread these costs over the calendar year so the standing orders are for 12 months (not just the playing season!) The current charge is £18 per month (with discounts for multiple family members) and it is vital that to maintain our current level of activities these standing orders are in place. I would ask for your cooperation in updating your statements/ payment details please. From the club perspective we are currently in the process in updating our full membership records so please bear with us if in the meantime you receive communication from our secretary Gill Gascoigne. The aim is by creating a database we can improve all aspect of communication, club events and news directly to you. As always your continued support is vital in providing organised sport for the children within our community. As ever if you have any questions or suggestions

Pete Yeardley -Head of Youth Football

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please do not hesitate to contact either Gill or myself.

# UNDER 18 FLOODLIT LEAGUE

## Wootton Bassett Town Under 18

Wiltshire County Floodlit League - Season 2010-11

ite	Oppenents	H/A	Result	Scorers
9-Sep-3	10 Shrewton Utd	Α	W 2 - 0	Topping, OG
15-Sep-:	10 Melksham	Α	D 3 - 3	Lever, Richens, Topping
20-Sep-3	10 Chippenham Town	Α	L1-3	Topping
7-Oct-:	10 Devizes Town		W 1 - 0	Blackford
14-Oct-:	10 Corsham Town	н	W 5 - 1	Topping 2, Alstowe, Hawkins, Richens
21-Oct-2	10 Amesbury Town	Α	L 2 - 4	Hooper 2
4-Nov-3	10 Bemerton Heath H	Α	W 9 - 3	Glass 2, Hale 2, Topping 2, Allen, Milner, Richens
25-Nov-:	10 Chippenham Town		W 5 - 2	Hale 3, Ellis, Farr
6-Jan-:	11 Shrewton Utd		W 7 - 3	Hale 6, Richens
9-Jan-:	11 Old Town Utd (WYC2)	Α	W 12 - 1	Hale 4, Richens 3, Lever 2, Topping, Hayden, Shephere
20-Jan-:	11 Bemerton Heath H	н	P - P	
1-Feb-:	11 Bradford Town	Α		
17-Feb-:	11 Pewsey Vale			
24-Feb-:	11 Melksham	н		
2-Mar-:	11 Devizes Town	Α		
10-Mar-:	11 Pewsey Vale	Α		
17-Mar-:	11 Amesbury Town	н		
23-Mar-:	11 Corsham Town	Α		
ТВА	Bradford Town	н		

All games kick-off at 7.30pm except Wiltshire Youth Cup fixtures played on Sundays (2pm)

At the time of writing due to the weather conditions, County FA decisions and games being called off for so called Health and Safety reasons by a ref who needed to get straight home after the match we have only managed 4 games in the last three months. Although frustrating that we have not been able to play more games the 4 that we have played have all been won with a staggering 33 goals being scored and with half our league games now played we are at the summit of the league and into the last 16 of the County Youth cup.

The first of the four games saw a superb 9-3 away win at Bemerton and this was followed by a 5-2 defeat of last seasons champions and top of the table Chippenham to avenge our earlier defeat against them. The lads performance against Chippenham was a real great team effort and we thoroughly deserved the win and in all honesty the game against Bemerton could have been double figures and would have been apart from the goalkeepers heroics.

The coldest December on record but paid to any more football until the 6th Jan when we hosted Shrewton who we had beaten in the first game of the season 2-0. We completed the double over them with a stunning 7-2 win which included a fantastic individual performance from Danny Hale who scored 6 with Nathan Richens finishing off a great team move to make it 7 in the last minute. This was followed by a comfortable 12-1 away win over Old Town United in the Wilts County Youth Cup to set us up with an away tie in the last 16 against Farley United.

Although Danny Hale will get the headlines after getting 15 goals in the 4 games the level of performance from those involved in all four games has been very high and very pleasing with the only blemish being the number of soft goals conceded which we need to work on. One thing that is plainly evident though is that all the lads have formed a great team spirit and love playing football for Wootton Bassett which Chris Jones commented on recently. As a result at this moment the lads are getting the plaudits that they deserve and I find it very disappointing and mystifying that comments have been made questioning the benefit/reasons for running an Under 18 floodlit side when the potential future benefits to the club are very apparent.

## Danny

Wilts U18 Floodlit League

	Р	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1 Wootton Bassett	9	6	1	2	16	19
2 Chippenham Town	12	5	3	4	1	18
3 Devizes Town	7	5	1	1	13	16
4 Shrewton Utd	11	5	0	6	-2	15
5 Bradford Town	8	4	2	2	6	14
6 Melksham Town	9	3	3	3	-1	12
7 Amesbury Town	7	3	2	2	2	11
8 Corsham Town	8	2	4	2	-2	10
9 Bemerton HH	10	2	1	7	-24	7
10 Pewsey Vale	7	0	1	6	-9	1



# **RESERVES IN FOCUS**

# TOUCHLINE - LATEST ISSUE

## WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

SEASON 2010/11 RESERVE TEAM FIXTURES	
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Date	Opponents	H/A	Competition	Result	Scorers
Sat	4-Sep-10 Wantage Town Res	H	League	W 5 - 1	English 2, Topping, Franklin, OG
Sat	11-Sep-10 Ardley United Res	Α	League	L1-2	Franklin
Sat	18-Sep-10 Kidlington Res	H	League	L 2 - 4	Smith, Topping
Tue	21-Sep-10 Highworth Town Res	Α	League	L 0 - 4	
Sat	25-Sep-10 Cheltenham Sara Res	H	League	L 0 - 3	
Tue	28-Sep-10 Carterton Res	Α	League	L1-5	Shepherd
Sat	9-Oct-10 Maidenhead Utd Res	H	League	L 2 - 3	Spencer, Terry
Wed	13-Oct-10 Cheltenham Sara Res	Α	League	W 2 - 1	Shepherd, Tearle
Sat	16-Oct-10 Abingdon Town Res	Α	League	W 5 - 0	Tearle 2, Spencer 2, Smith
Tue	19-Oct-10 Fairford Town Res	H	League	L 2 - 3	Tearle, Terry
Sat	30-Oct-11 Wantage Town Res	Α	League	L 2 - 4	Paish, Shepherd
Sat	6-Nov-10 Ardley United Res	H	League	L1-4	Shepherd
Tue	9-Nov-10 Fairford Town Res	Α	Сир	W 4 - 2	Oram, Terry, Smith, Fitz
Tue	14-Dec-10 Abingdon Utd Res	Α	League	L 3 - 5	Collier 3
Mon	3-Jan-11 Finchampstead Res	H	League	W 5 - 1	English, Tearle, Groom, Smith, Tasker
Sat	8-Jan-11 Abingdon Town Res	H	League	D 2 - 2	Tearle, English
Sat	15-Jan-11 Kidlington Res	Α	League	W 2 - 1	Groom, Terry
Tue	1-Feb-11 Thatcham Town Res	H	League		
Sat	12-Feb-11 Binfield Res	Α	League		
Sat	19-Feb-11 Abingdon Utd Res	H	League		
Tue	22-Feb-11 Cirencester Town Res	Α	League		
Sat	26-Feb-11 Carterton Res	H	League		
Sat	12-Mar-11 Finchampstead Res	Α	League		
Wed	23-Mar-11 Thatcham Town Res	Α	League		
Sat	26-Mar-11 Binfield Res	Н	League		
Sat	2-Apr-11 Maidenhead Utd Res	Α	League		
Sat	9-Apr-11 Cirencester Town Res	H	League		
Sat	16-Apr-11 Fairford Town Res	Α	League		
Tue	19-Apr-11 Highworth Town Res	H	League		



Ladies & Girls: The Football Association has unveiled the name and logo for the new semi-professional women's football league that is launching in April 2011. It is hoped that by moving the ladies season the league will get more press and T V coverage. For me this could help to get the younger girls interested in playing as I continue my quest in starting a U10/U11 team, I now have dates for the U10 festival football for next year these are only provisional dates, 8<sup>th</sup> January, 12<sup>th</sup> February, 19<sup>th</sup> March, 9<sup>th</sup> April, 7<sup>th</sup> May. The January date could be difficult to enter a team with time and the weather against us. The February date is looking more realistic. We are currently looking for a time slot for training during the week, so younger girls can come and meet / play football together, it is hoped this will help develop teams for the future.

Anyone interested in playing or helping in this, please contact me on my e-mail bryanwood611@btinternet.com or through the club web site using the contact us tab.

Bryan Wood "Woody" - Head of Ladies & Girls

**Recruitment:** Rod Carter, Club and Senior Section Secretary, is standing down at the end of this season Rod has been with the club for many years adding control and professionalism to everything he does, he will be sadly missed, although we all hope that he stays around the club for the years to come enjoying quality football! We are therefore looking to find a replacement, if you, or someone you know has an interest in undertaking this vital role for the club then please drop me (Andy Walduck) an email on <u>CDO@wbtfc.co.uk</u>

**Tour to Holland 2011:** The tour leaves the UK on April 9th from Sainsburys car park at 6am and returns to the same location at 6am on Wednesday 12th. Whilst in Holland we shall be staying at Stay-ok Dordrecht dordrecht@stayok.com which is the same Hostel that we have used for many years. Our time in Holland will allow us to play matches against E.B.O.H., FC Gravenzande & SC Emma, watch a Dutch league game at Excelsior and have tours of AZ Alkmaar and PSV Eindhoven. Along with the free time at the Hostel this promises to be a great trip, one which the boys will always remember.



**Club development:** This season has seen two changes on the Executive Committee, the introduction of Simon Baker as Commercial Manager and the role of vice-chair being taken up by myself. The commercial manager role is so important and will assist in supplying funding for the senior section. The club has recently reviewed the seasonal football development plan (FDP). The short-term objectives will see the club boast its age related coaching as well as detailing our commercial plans which will make use of our web space as well as general advertising boards around the football ground. Last season, as part of our School Sports Partnerships programme, Community Football delivered football coaching into 4 local schools, and this season will increase to 5 or 6.

The planning for the next trip to Holland has been completed (see above) and will see U12's,U14's A&B and the U15 travel to s'-Gravenzandse SV in April 2011, we should not under estimate the effort it takes to organise such a tour, well done to all involved.

We know that our first team obtained promotion last season, great news and well done to all, the first round of ground grading work has been completed through the summer which allowed WBTFC to play in the Hellenic League Premier Division this season. Further work though must be completed by June and is a challenge for the club to afford and implement, so if you or your company may be able to help in increasing our covered accommodation then please do get in contact. Of course it is difficult to justify expenditure at Rylands Way when we hope to relocate within a few years, yet maintaining our Premier Division status is important in providing possible funding opportunities to support our operation. Relocation is a major undertaking with little tangible progress in the next Touchline.

Andy Walduck - Club Development Officer



Sponsor Focus: WGS is a limited company which deals with power distribution and lighting for the marquee and event industry. WGS is run by highly experienced staff for over 5 years and have catered for a wide variety of cliental with various power and lighting requirements. They are based in Wootton Bassett, next to J16 of the M4 motorway and therefore can reach all major UK venues.WGS have sponsored our 6 aside by supplying a fantastic stage, lighting and audio equipment for the last two years. Our Thanks go out to WGS for their continued support.

<u>Contact WGS</u> or call 01793 840844

WGS POWER & LIGHTING www.wgspower.co.uk

## What's On?

 $1^{st}$  team home games –  $15^{th},\,22^{nd}$  and  $25^{th}$  Jan,  $5^{th},\,12^{th}$  and  $15^{th}$  Feb,  $5^{th},\,19^{th},\,22^{nd}$  29^{th} March. Tour to Holland – April 2011

FOOTZALL

## "Monday night"

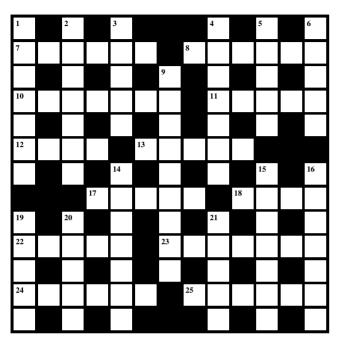
- Sessions Term 3: January - 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st, February -7th Term 4: February -28th, March -7th, 14th, 21st, 28th
- **Times** 5pm – 6pm: Reception & Year 1 – Lime Kiln Sports
- Hall (TBC) 6pm - 7pm: Years 2 – W.B. School Astroturf. Years 5 -Year 7 – W.B. School Astroturf
- (Please call Matt to book your space before you look to attend (07859 794621)

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# HALF TIME CROSSWORD

# WETFC STATS PAGE 2010/11

## SPORTSXW@RDS<sub>0</sub>



## ACROSS

- 7 Burnley and Spurs wide midfielder who sadly passed away last year (6)
- 8 Birmingham striker formerly of Cardiff (6)
- 10 Seems to be overlooked in favour of Poles at The Emirates (7)
- 11 Mancini and Eriksson have managed this Serie A club (5)
- 12 Big bucks South East cricketing county now in financial trouble (4)
- 13 Retained his BDO World Darts title this month (5)
- 17 Hampshire opener whose 80s Test career was cut short by a broken arm (5)
- 18 Dr Nigel \_\_\_\_, UTV Sport presenter whose mid 80s Irish international rugby career was cut short by a bomb blast (4)
- 22 Swansea midfielder Mark or SKY cricket's David (5)
- 23 Championship outfit managed by Brian McDermott (7)
- 24 Replaced Micky Adams as Port Vale boss (6)
- 25 England and Essex man discarded in recent IPL auction (6)

## DOWN

- 1 04 managed by Felix Magath in the Bundesliga (7)
- 2 Only man to have scored more runs than Alastair Cook in a 5 match Ashes series (7)
- 3 No longer Ipswich boss (5)
- 4 Returned to Cardiff as a hero but now on bail (7)
- 5 Italian circuit that claimed the lives of Ronnie Peterson and Jochen Rindt (5)
- 6 Veteran of Serie A and the Premier League who played for Diego in the 2010 World Cup (5)
- 9 Wycombe or Bolton (9)
- 14 Perhaps surprisingly moved from Leicester to boss Hull (7)
- 15 Former Football League Town now coming back via EvoStik league (7)
- 16 Semi finalist at South Africa 2010 (7)
- 19 Kenyan John \_\_\_\_\_, Olympic 5000m and 5 time World Cross Country champion in the 80s/90s (5)
- 20 Spun England to victory at Adelaide in the latest Ashes series (5)
- 21 Boxer tragically knocked off his bike in London recently (5)

## WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB STATS PAGE





Appearances 2010/11	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals
1 Sam Collier	27	-	27	19
2 Richie Carter	26	1	27	
3 Liam Edmondson	25	2	27	1
4 Stewart Thompson	26	-	26	-
5 Craig Bowden	22	4	26	-
6 Matt Bown	23	2	25	2
7 James Turner	20	5	25	1
8 Shaun Carter	24	-	24	1
9 John Beeden	22	-	22	4
10 Terry Adams	17	5	22	2
11 Ethan Delaney	12	10	22	2
12 Alex Green	19	2	21	8
13 Sean Bailey	8	8	16	1
14 Ryan Banks	15		15	1
15 Chris Oram	11	3	14	-
16 Luke Sharps	4	4	8	-
17 Ryan Thomas	-	7	7	-
18 Lee Moulton	1	5	6	-
19 Shaun Terry	3	2	5	-
20 Mark McMeeking	3	1	4	-
21 Adam Miles	3		3	-
22 Elliott Knight	1	2	3	-
23 Matt Boucher	2		2	-
24 Richie Miles	-	1	1	
25 Fraser Joyce	-	1	1	
26 Phil Tearle	-	1	1	
27 Liam Williams	1		1	
28 Sam Packer	1		1	
29 Ben Jarrett	1		1	
30 Jack Paish	1	-	1	
31 Nathan Hall	1		1	
32 James Blake	-	1	1	
33 Mitch Wyatt	-	1	1	
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Witney United	1 - 2	3 - 1	5 - 1	3 - 1	26-Feb	2 - 1	02-Apr	12-Feb	1 - 0	12-Mar	19-Mar	19-Jan	22-Feb	0 - 0	8 - 2	0 - 2	1 - 1	15-Mar	09-Apr		1 - 0	16-Apr 05-Apr
Wantage Town	25-Apr	3 - 3	1 - 2	07-Mar	19-Apr	22-Mar	1 - 7	2 - 3	02-Apr	05-Mar	0 - 2	18-Mar	1 - 6	01-Mar	25-Jan	1 - 2	2 - 0	05-Feb		1 - 5	2 - 1	16-Apr
Thame United	26-Mar	0 - 2	02-Apr	2 - 0	2 - 3	12-Apr	2 - 5	05-Apr	1 - 1	25-Apr	3- 2	2 - 4	16-Apr	23-Apr	0 - 1	19-Feb	05-Mar		1 - 0	5 - 2	22-Mar	0 - 1
Slimbridge	09-Apr	23-Apr	3- 2	24-Jan	2 - 3	08-Mar	12-Apr	01-Mar	19-Feb	2 - 1	05-Feb	1 - 2	1-3	1 - 2	3 - 0	16-Feb		1 - 2	26-Mar	3-3	1 - 1	02-Apr
Shrivenham	1-3	5 - 0	4 - 3	2 - 0	1 - 0	2 - 2	12-Mar	2 - 0	3- 2	1-2	05-Mar	26-Jan	2 - 1	2 - 1	12-Apr		2 - 0	3-1	5 - 0	26-Mar	08-Mar	12-Feb
Shortwood United	26-Feb	2 - 1	1-3	18-Apr	2 - 3	0 - 4	25-Apr	26-Mar	3- 2	2 - 1	4 - 3	5 - 2	0 - 6	19-Feb		1-3	1 - 5	12-Mar	3- 1	29-Mar	23-Apr	05-Feb
Reading	11-Dec	02-Apr	4 - 1	25-Apr	2 - 2	12-Feb	1 - 2	4 - 0	12-Apr	4 - 1	3- 5	3- 2	19-Mar		2 - 2	26-Feb	1 - 0	1 - 0	05-Apr	08-Feb	01-Feb	0 - 3
Pegasus Juniors	9 - 1	3- 0	12-Mar	4 - 2	02-Apr	26-Mar	23-Apr	3- 0	29-Mar	4 - 1	20-Apr	6 - 0		09-Apr	12-Feb	6 - 1	2 - 0	2 - 1	26-Feb	01-Mar	7 - 0	25-Apr
Oxford City Nomads	3- 1	25-Apr	02-Feb	28-Feb	2 - 0	2 - 2	0 - 3	12 - 0	6 - 1	5 - 1	19-Feb		05-Feb	05-Mar	22-Mar	16-Apr	06-Apr	08-Mar	3 - 1	1-3	5 - 2	2 - 5
Old Woodstock Town	0 - 2	22-Feb	26-Feb	11-Apr	16-Apr	0 - 5	2 - 3	2 - 1	3- 2	1 - 2		20-Apr	2 - 4	12-Mar	02-Apr	1 - 0	23-Mar	0 - 2	12-Feb	25-Apr	14-Dec	2 - 2
Kidlington	12-Feb	08-Mar	0 - 2	3- 0	26-Mar	0 - 2	05-Apr	3-1	25-Jan		09-Feb	2 - 0	12-Apr	2 - 4	0 - 1	05-Feb	26-Feb	19-Mar	1-1	1 - 2	1 - 2	1-3
Highworth Town	23-Apr	16-Apr	0 - 2	26-Mar	0 - 2	05-Apr	05-Mar	0 - 2		2 - 1	09-Mar	12-Feb	0 - 5	05-Feb	22-Feb	25-Apr	2 - 1	26-Feb	1 - 2	4 - 3	4 - 1	2 - 0
Flackwell Heath	1 - 1	01-Feb	09-Mar	19-Mar	0 - 3	26-Feb	1-3		7 - 1	22-Mar	2 - 2	29-Jan	19-Feb	0 - 2	1 - 1	2 - 2	12-Mar	1 - 0	22-Feb	3- 2	2 - 1	1 - 0
Fairford Town	1 - 0	4 - 2	20-Apr	6 - 1	29-Jan	3 - 0		05-Feb	22-Mar	7 - 0	26-Mar	30-Mar	0 - 2	3 - 1	08-Mar	2 - 2	12-Feb	09-Apr	5 - 3	0 - 0	19-Mar	25-Jan
Carterton	4 - 1	5 - 0	0 - 2	2 - 0	3 - 3		19-Feb	16-Apr	3 - 1	01-Mar	09-Apr	1-5	1 - 1	19-Apr	19-Mar	2 - 3	25-Apr	01-Feb	5 - 0	1 - 4	05-Mar	08-Feb
Bracknell Town	22-Feb	4 - 1	25-Apr	8 - 0		3 - 5	0 - 1	05-Mar	01-Feb	2 - 3	4 - 2	5 - 4	3 - 1	08-Mar	5 - 0	09-Apr	2 - 1	2 - 2	19-Feb	1 - 1	1-1	29-Mar 19-Mar
Binfield	0 - 0	1-1	2 - 2		12-Mar	22-Feb	0 - 6	2 - 0	08-Feb	02-Apr	1 - 0	09-Apr	05-Mar	1-1	3 - 3	1 - 4	2 - 1	12-Feb	3 - 1	16-Apr	2 - 1	29-Mar
Ascot United	2 - 2	05-Feb		5 - 3	29-Mar	1 - 2	0 - 4	3 - 0	19-Mar	19-Feb	3 - 1	2 - 7	0 - 7	3- 2	05-Mar	0 - 2	2 - 2	1 - 2	2 - 1	0 - 4	2 - 4	15-Apr
Ardley United	0 - 3		2 - 3	16-Feb	12-Feb	2 - 4	2 - 2	25-Jan	0 - 3	2 - 1	0 - 0	0 - 3	0 - 4	0 - 4	1 - 0	16-Mar	1 - 2	1-3	12-Mar	1-3	09-Apr	22-Mar
Abingdon Town		19-Mar	01-Mar	05-Feb 16-Feb	25-Jan 12-Feb 29-Mar	1-3	1-1	0 - 3	4 - 0	3 - 1	2 - 3	4 - 3	2 - 4	3- 2	3 - 0	02-Apr 16-Mar	3- 2	7 - 0	2 - 0	08-Mar	19-Feb	05-Mar 22-Mar 15-Apr
	Abingdon Town	Ardley United	Ascot United	Binfield	Bracknell Town	Carterton	Fairford Town	Flackwell Heath	Highworth Town	Kidlington	Old Woodstock Town	Oxford City Nomads	Pegasus Juniors	Reading Town	Shortwood United	Shrivenham	Slimbridge	Thame United	Wantage Town	Witney United	Wokingham & Emmb'k	Wootton Bassett Town

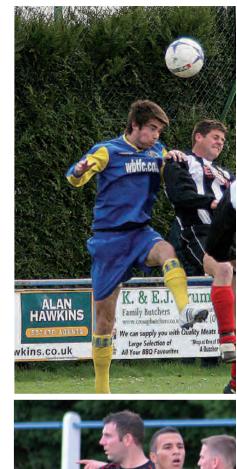
# LEAGUE TABLES - 2010/11

## 2010-2011 Season UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division

	Ρ	W	D	L	F	А	Pts
1 Ardley United	25	18	4	3	68	23	58
2 Kidlington	24	17	1	6	55	30	52
3 Wantage Town	22	16	2	4	63	26	50
4 Slimbridge	23	14	4	5	41	33	46
5 Highworth Town	21	14	1	6	55	29	43
6 Shortwood United	24	13	3	8	69	37	42
7 Old Woodstock Town	23	14	3	6	56	35	42
8 Ascot United	28	13	3	12	70	52	42
9 Binfield	22	12	5	5	58	26	41
10 Wokingham & Emmbrook	26	12	3	11	51	49	39
11 Flackwell Heath	23	11	4	8	51	31	37
12 Thame United	21	11	2	8	40	31	35
13 Abingdon Town	25	8	5	12	46	53	29
14 Oxford City Nomads	23	9	1	13	50	81	28
15 Reading Town	22	8	4	10	34	44	27
16 Wootton Bassett Town	19	7	2	10	27	36	23
17 Bracknell Town	24	6	5	13	39	61	23
18 Carterton	23	6	4	13	37	59	22
19 Witney United	23	5	5	13	32	57	20
20 Shrivenham	26	4	3	19	33	60	15
21 Pegasus Juniors	24	3	1	20	21	94	10
22 Fairford Town	23	1	5	17	23	72	8

## 2010-2011 Season UHLSPORT Hellenic League Reserve Division One

	Р	W	D	L	F	А	Pts
1 Highworth Town Reserves	15	12	2	1	52	12	38
2 Maidenhead United Reserves	13	10	2	1	50	19	32
3 Ardley United Reserves	13	8	2	3	25	17	26
4 Abingdon United Reserves	13	6	6	1	36	23	24
5 Fairford Town Reserves	14	7	1	6	25	28	22
6 Wantage Town Reserves	17	7	1	9	41	50	22
7 Thatcham Town Reserves	11	7	0	4	34	20	21
8 Binfield Reserves	13	5	2	6	25	19	17
9 Kidlington Reserves	14	5	2	7	30	30	17
10 Cirencester Town Reserves	12	5	2	5	21	22	17
11 Wootton Bassett Town Res	16	5	1	10	35	43	16
12 Finchampstead Reserves	12	5	0	7	24	41	15
13 Cheltenham Saracens Reserves	13	4	2	7	24	35	14
14 Abingdon Town Reserves	16	2	2	12	14	59	8
15 Carterton Reserves	12	1	1	10	14	32	4





# ON THE ROAD WITH THE LADS

With promotion to the Premier League there will be a lot of unfamiliar grounds to visit this season. The table below shows the addresses of all the grounds we will be visiting in 2010/11. This includes the postcode to enter into your Sat Nav. A rough estimate of the distance from Wootton Bassett is also shown. This information has been taken from the excellent Non-League website run by Mike Avery which can be found at www.mikeavery.co.uk

Team		Address	Postcode	Distance (Miles)
Abingdon Town		Culham Road, Abingdon	OX14 3HP	46
Ardley United	æ	The Playing Fields, Oxford Road, Ardley	OX27 7NZ	52
Ascot United		Ascot Racecourse, Car Park 10, Winkfield Road, Ascot	SL5 7RA	59
Binfield	Binfield	Hill Farm Lane, Binfield	RG42 5NR	56
Bracknell Town	$\bigcirc$	Larges Lane, Bracknell	RG12 9AN	56
Carterton		Kilkenny Lane, Carterton	OX18 1DY	25
Fairford Town		Cinder Lane, London Road, Fairford	GL7 4AX	21
Flackwell Heath	<b>S</b>	Wilks Park, Magpie Lane, Heath End Road, Flackwell H	HP10 9EA	68
Highworth Town	-	Elm Recreation Ground, Highworth	SN6 7DD	12
Kidlington		Yarnton Road, Kidlington	OX5 1AT	43
Old Woodstock Town	2	Eynsham Hall Park, North Leigh	OX29 6PN	46
Oxford City Nomads	The second secon	Court Place Farm Stadium, Marsh Lane, Oxford	OX3 0NQ	54
Pegasus Juniors	8	Old School Lane, Hereford	HR1 1EX	80
Reading Town	0	Scours Lane, Tilehurst, Reading	RG30 6AY	43
Shortwood United	٩	Meadowbank, Shortwood	GL6 0SJ	23
Shrivenham	SHRIVENHAM FC	The Recreation Ground, Shrivenham	SN6 8BJ	16
Slimbridge	S	Wisloe Road, Cambridge, Glos	GL2 7AF	29
Thame United		Sports Park, Hithercroft Rd, Wallingford	OX10 9RB	48
Wantage Town	18 52	Alfredian Park, Manor Road, Wantage	OX12 8DW	31
Witney United		Polythene UK Stadium, Downs Rd, Witney, Oxon	OX29 7WT	31
Wokingham & Emmbrook	Ì	Bracknell Town FC. Larges Lane, Bracknell	RG12 9AN	56

# CUPS - SEASON 2010/11

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	First I	Round	ł	
Abingdon United	1	3	Hungerford Town	-
Ardley United	1	_	Holyport	
Bracknell Town	1	2	Kidlington	
Carterton	2	1	Highworth Town	PR
Cheltenham Saracens	1	2	Slimbridge	
Reading Town	3	2	Didcot Town	
Wantage Town	5	0	Bicester Town	
	Second	Rou	nd	
Ascot United	5		Reading Town	
Binfield	8		Milton United	
Fairford Town	2	_	Cirencester Town	No.
Flackwell Heath	3	5	Carterton	
Gloucester City	2		Hungerford Town	
Hook Norton	1	2	Newbury	AM
Maidenhead United	2		Henley Town	
Malmesbury Vics	2	5	Abingdon Town	
Shortwood United	0	1	Clanfield	
Shrivenham	2	1	Kidlington	
Thatcham Town	2	0	Old Woodstock Town	
Holyport	4	1	Lydney Town	
Slimbridge	3	0	Oxford City Nomads	Course of
Wantage Town	2	0	Pegasus Juniors	in the second
Wokingham & Emmbrook	1	0	Thame United	and provide the
Wootton Bassett Town	0	1	Witney United	
	Third	Roun	d	
Abingdon Town	7	0	Carterton	
Binfield		v	Wantage Town	Seattle State
Clanfield	0	3	Witney United	
Holyport	4		Cirencester Town	
Maidenhead United			Slimbridge	
Shrivenham	1	1	Newbury (won on pens)	100 100
Thatcham Town	1	_	Gloucester City	123
Wokingham & Emmbrook		v	Ascot United	
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# FOOTBALL QUOTES

## **Uhlsport Hellenic Premier Map**

All from Ian Holloway this week:

**Holloway describing an** *ugly* **win for his QPR side at Chesterfield:** *To put it in gentlemans terms if youve been out for a night and youre looking for a young lady and you pull one, some weeks theyre good looking and some weeks theyre not the best. Our performance today would have been not the best looking bird but at least we got her in the taxi. She wasnt the best looking lady we ended up taking home but she was very pleasant and very nice, so thanks very much, lets have a coffee.* 

**On Paul Furlong, his veteran striker at QPR:** *Paul Furlong is my vintage Rolls Royce and he cost me nothing. We polish him, look after him, and I have him fine tuned by my mechanics. We take good care of him because we have to drive him every day, not just save him for weddings.*  $\Box$ 

**On a disappointing display by a linesman:** It was lucky that the linesman wasnt stood in front of me as I would have poked him with a stick to make sure he was awake.  $\Box$ 

**On his move to Blackpool:**  $\square$  *love Blackpool. Were very similar. We both look better in the dark.*  $\square$ 

**On a Blackpool performance which was a game of two halfs:** In the first-half we were like the Dog and Duck, in the second-half we were like Real Madrid. We cant go on like that. At full-time I was at them like an irritated Jack Russell.  $\Box$ 

**On David Beckham getting a possible knighthood:** *"Sir David Beckham? Youre having a laugh. Hes just a good footballer with a famous bird. Can you imagine if Posh was called Lady Beckham? We'd never hear the end of it!*  $\square$ 

**On Video Technology in football:** *Why haven* they got cameras? The officials can speak to each other easily enough now. Why aren the using laptops that are linked up and can give a decision in five seconds? A chimpanzee could do it, with not much training. We might as well go back to being cavemen, grab our girl by the hair, drag her into the cave whether she wants to come in or not because we may as well live in that age. We we come forward, haven two?  $\square$ 

**On scraping a win:** If you're a burglar, it's no good poncing about outside somebody's house, looking good with your swag bag ready. Just get in there, burgle them and come out. I don't advocate that obviously, it's just an analogy.

# **CROSSWORD ANSWERS**



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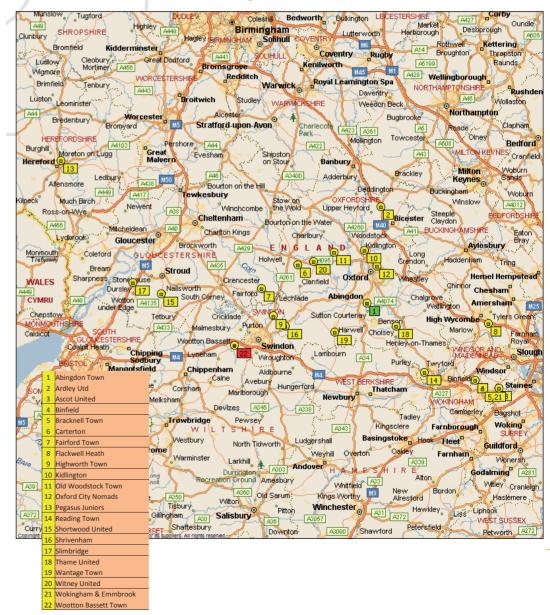
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## Mike Avery Non League Football Stats 2010-2011

Maps & Mileage Charts

## Hellenic League Premier Division



## **ATTENDANCES - SEASON 2010/11**

# **CUPS - SEASON 2010/11**

WILTSHIRE COUNTY SENIOR CUP

Premier Division											
Team	Home Games	Lowest	Highest	Average	Total						
Thame United	10	46	356	145	1,454						
Binfield	10	67	284	131	1,314						
Shortwood United	12	64	202 -	100	1,195						
Wokingham & Emmbrook	12	45	379	100	1,204						
Witney United	12	51	218	99	1,185						
Highworth Town	11	59	201	98	1,079						
Kidlington	13	67	134	94	1,220						
Bracknell Town	11	49	162	92	1,007						
Reading Town	11	48	162	89	980						
Ascot United	13	46	205	83	1,078						
Wootton Bassett Town	8	53	184	78	623						
Shrivenham	12	45	97	68	810						
Ardley United	11	36	123	64	709						
Slimbridge	13	34	152	60	776						
Flackwell Heath	11	30	75	56	618						
Oxford City Nomads	12	38	86	54	652						
Carterton	12	25	115	51	613						
Abingdon Town	11	31	85	50	554						
Wantage Town	12	31	82	49	590						
Pegasus Juniors	14	29	62	43	605						
Fairford Town	13	30	64	42	550						
Old Woodstock Town	12	18	50	36	435						





# Top Scorers - SEASON 2010/11

	Games		
Last Appeared For	Player	Played	Goals
Highworth Town	Bohane T	18	19
Wantage Town	Claydon R	17	17
Binfield	Davies	22	17
Flackwell Heath	Jordan D	· 23	: 16
Shortwood United	Mortlock C	21	15
Ascot United	Saunders R	23	15
Ascot United	Bennett J	27	14
Binfield	Davies C	21	14
Thame United	Stewart A	14	14
Oxford City Nomads	Faulkner J	12	13
Ardley United	Bone D	22	12
Wantage Town	Edney G	21	12
Ardley United	Nicholls M	25	12
Old Woodstock Town	Brooks R	16	11
Oxford City Nomads	Haysham P	16	11

# WE ARE MACMILLAN. CANCER SUPPORT



ASON 2010-11			
	First	Rou	nd
Amesbury Town	2		Shrewton United
Bradford Town	7		Chalke Valley
Devizes Town	0	_	FC Chippenham
New College Swindon	0	_	Warminster Town
Pewsey Vale	0	2	Corsham Town
Westbury United	4	3	Wootton Bassett Town
Wroughton	0	4	Purton
Bemerton Heath Harlequins			Вуе
Calne Town			Bye
Cricklade Town			Вуе
Downton			Вуе
Highworth Town			Вуе
Laverstock & Ford			Вуе
Malmesbury Vics			Вуе
Melksham Town			Вуе
Trowbridge Town			Вуе
	Second	l Ro	und
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	2	-	Warminster Town
Calne Town	1	4	Downton
Corsham Town	1	1	Laverstock & Ford (4-5 pens)
Cricklade Town	1		Purton
Highworth Town	3	0	Amesbury Town
Malmesbury Vics	0	_	Bradford Town
Melksham Town	3	0	Westbury United
Trowbridge Town	2	1	FC Chippenham Youth
	Quarte	er Eis	nals
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	5		Purton
Downton	4		Melksham Town
Highworth Town	4	_	Laverstock & Ford
Bradford Town	v		Trowbridge Town
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## Division One West 2010/11

	Bicester Town	Cheltenham Saracens	Clanfield	Cricklade Town	Easington Sports	Headington Amateurs	Hook Norton	Launton Sports	Letcombe	Lydney Town	Malmesbury Victoria	Purton	Trowbridge Town	Tytherington Rocks	Winterbourne United
Bicester Town	H14 A14	18 Sep 2-0	19 Feb	9 Apr	12 Mar	30 Oct 0-2	10 Aug <b>2-1</b>	3 Jan <b>8-1</b>	28 Aug <b>3-3</b>	12 Feb	23 Apr	2 Oct 0-1	15 Jan <b>5-0</b>	2 Apr	22 Jan 1-3
Cheltenham Saracens	23 Oct 3-0	H14 A14	12 Mar	16 Apr	13 Nov 2-2	9 Apr	21 Aug <b>3-1</b>	8 Jan 8-2	22 Jan <b>4-0</b>	30 Aug <b>2-2</b>	16 Oct 8-2	23 Apr	19 Feb	25 Sep 0-0	6 Nov 3-0
Clanfield	25 Apr	11 Sep 1-4	H14 A14	21 Aug <b>1-1</b>	11 Dec 1-1	26 Mar	30 Aug <b>2-0</b>	5 Mar	12 Feb	11 Aug <b>2-2</b>	8 Jan <b>7-0</b>	30 Oct 5-2	5 Feb	26 Feb	20 Nov 1-0
Cricklade Town	11 Sep 2-1	20 Nov 3-1	22 Jan Postponed	H14 A14	19 Mar	19 Feb	13 Apr	18 Sep 6-0	2 Apr	30 Oct 0-1	9 Oct 3-0	30 Mar	25 Sep 6-4	14 Aug 7-4	12 Mar
Easington Sports	5 Feb	30 Oct 1-2	2 Apr	23 Apr	H14 A14	12 Apr	25 Apr	20 Nov 1-0	29 Jan	5 Mar	23 Oct 3-0	28 Aug <b>1-2</b>	18 Sep 2-1	4 Sep 2-1	14 Aug 2-2
Headington Amateurs	26 Feb	2 Oct 2-1	25 Sep 4-0	28 Aug 2-1	6 Nov 1-0	H14 A14	13 Nov <b>2-2</b>	12 Feb	3 Jan <b>3-4</b>	22 Jan <b>2-0</b>	5 Feb	5 Mar	11 Dec 3-1	8 Jan <b>3-3</b>	21 Aug <b>4-2</b>
Hook Norton	8 Jan 0-3	29 Mar	3 Jan <b>1-6</b>	6 Nov 0-4	9 Apr	19 Mar	H14 A14	19 Apr	12 Mar	26 Feb	2 Oct 1-1	5 Apr	20 Nov 3-0	12 Feb	30 Oct 2-3
Launton Sports	30 Aug 0-3	26 Feb	15 Jan <b>0-6</b>	5 Feb	2 Oct 0-0	25 Apr	26 Mar	H14 A14	14 Aug <b>1-4</b>	11 Dec 1-6	22 Jan <b>1-1</b>	2 Apr	30 Oct 1-5	19 Mar	28 Aug 1-4
Letcombe	13 Nov 1-1	26 Mar	9 Apr	15 Jan <b>2-0</b>	21 Aug 2-0	30 Aug 1-6	9 Oct 4-0	19 Feb	H14 A14	8 Jan 1-5	11 Dec 4-2	25 Apr	4 Sep 0-1	16 Apr	26 Feb
Lydney Town	19 Mar	3 Jan <b>1-1</b>	16 Apr	29 Jan	9 Oct 6-3	20 Nov 6-2	5 Feb	4 Sep 4-0	23 Oct 2-2	H14 A14	6 Nov 2-0	19 Feb	21 Aug 1-0	12 Mar	2 Apr
Malmesbury Victoria	21 Aug 1-1	19 Mar	28 Aug 1-3	12 Feb	11 Sep 1-2	18 Sep 1-6	5 Mar	9 Apr	20 Nov 4-2	26 Mar	H14 A14	12 Mar	19 Apr	30 Oct 0-5	29 Jan
Purton	26 Mar	14 Aug 3-1	29 Jan	30 Aug 1-1	3 Jan <b>2-1</b>	20 Apr	16 Apr	6 Nov 5-1	25 Sep 7-2	11 Sep <b>1-3</b>	26 Feb	H14 A14	12 Feb	22 Jan Postponed	18 Sep 1-3
Trowbridge Town	5 Mar	28 Aug 0-4	6 Nov 2-3	26 Feb	22 Jan Postponed	14 Aug 1-3	11 Sep <b>1-1</b>	9 Oct 2-0	23 Apr	9 Apr	30 Aug 2-0	23 Oct <b>1-3</b>	H14 A14	12 Apr	25 Apr
Tytherington Rocks	6 Nov 2-3	5 Feb	9 Oct 0-1	5 Mar	19 Feb	11 Sep 1-2	23 Oct 2-1	21 Aug 6-1	18 Sep 3-3	15 Jan 3-0	25 Apr	20 Nov 0-5	26 Mar	H14 A14	30 Aug <b>3-1</b>
Winterbourne United	9 Oct 2-3	5 Mar	4 Sep <b>4-1</b>	16 Oct 1-1	12 Feb	23 Apr	19 Feb	23 Oct 3-0	11 Sep 2-0	13 Nov <b>2-3</b>	16 Apr	5 Feb	19 Mar	3 Jan <b>1-2</b>	H14 A14

# **STEP 4 PROMOTION APPS**

At the closing date of 31 December 2010 the FA had received a total of 58 applications from Step 5 clubs wishing to be considered for promotion to Step 4 at the end of season 2010 -2011. A full list of the clubs that have applied is shown below. As usual there are Twelve promotion places available with preference being given to Champion clubs who meet FA grading criteria E. Three Hellenic clubs have thrown their hat in being; Binfield, Shortwood United and Wantage Town. Shortwood United have the required E Grade from last season.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PROMOTION FROM STEP 5 TO 4 SEASON 2010/11

**Combined Counties League** Badshot Lea FC Camberley Town FC Chertsey Town FC Egham Town FC Guildford City FC Molesey FC

## **Eastern Counties League**

Dereham Town FC Leiston FC Mildenhall Town FC

## **Essex Senior League**

Barkingside FC Burnham Ramblers FC Enfield 1893 FC Witham Town FC

**Hellenic League** Binfield FC Shortwood United FC Wantage Town FC

## Kent League

Greenwich Borough FC Herne Bay FC Hythe Town FC VCD Athletic FC

## **Midland Football Alliance**

Boldmere St Michaels FC Causeway United FC Coalville Town FC Loughborough University FC Stratford Town FC Tipton Town FC Westfields FC

North West Counties League Colne FC New Mills FC

Ramsbottom United FC Winsford United FC

## **Northern Counties East League**

Farsley AFC Parkgate FC Pickering Town FC Scarborough Athletic FC Tadcaster Albion FC Thacklev FC

Northern League

Bishop Auckland FC Dunston UTS FC Whitley Bay FC

## Spartan South Midlands League

Aylesbury United FC Chalfont St Peter FC Royston Town FC Tring Athletic FC

Sussex County League

Crawley Down FC East Grinstead Town FC Redhill FC Three Bridges FC

**United Counties League** 

Kings Lynn Town FC Newport Pagnell Town FC St Neots Town FC

Wessex League

Bemerton Heath Harlequins FC Fareham Town FC Poole Town FC Newport (IW) FC Winchester City FC

Western League Bitton FC Larkhall Athletic FC

### Wootton Bassett Town FC Season 2010-2011 First Team Fixtures, Results, Teams & Scorers Date H/A R Crowd 14 Onnonents 10-Aug Pegasus Juniors A W2-0 55 Thompson Bowden Beeden Edmondson S.Carter R.Carter Adams Green (1) Collier Bown Banks (1) Oram Joyce 14-Ano Bradford Town (FAC Ex Prelim) А D1-70 Thompson Bowden Beeden Oram S Carter R Carter Adams Green Collier (1) Bown Banks Edmondsor Delanev Bailey H D3-3\* Bradford Town (FAC Ex Prelim Replay) Thompson Edmondson Beeden (1) Collier (2) Bailey Banks Bowden Delaney 54 21-Aug Oxford City Nomads A W8-0 Thompson Edmondson Beeden Bowden S.Carter R.Carter Adams (1) Green (4) Collier (1) Delanev (1) Banks Oram Thomas Turner (1) Old Woodstock Town H D2-2 Thompson Edmundson Beeden Banks Thomas 28-Aug Almondsbury UWE (FAC Prelim) A W1-0 62 Thompson Bowden Beeden S.Carter R.Carter Adams Green Collier (1) Bown Banks Turner Thomas Oram H W2-0 Banks 30-Aug Highworth Town Bowden Beeden (1) Edmondson (1) R.Carter Turner Bown Tearle 4-Sep Bracknell Town A L0-3 87 Thompson Bowden Beeden Edmondson S.Carter R.Carter Turner Green Collier Bown Banks Oram Thomas Adams H W2-1 Bowden S.Carter Collier (1) Banks Beeden (1) Edmondson Turner Green Bown Adams Hamble ASSC (FAC 10R) A D1-1 94 S.Carter R.Carter Collier 11-Sep Miles Bowden Beeden (1 Edmondson Turner Green Bown Banks Adams Delanev Bailey Hamble ASSC (FAC 1OR Replay) H L0-2 Miles Bailey Beeden Edmondson Oram Adams Bown Banks Turner Delanev A W4-0 18-Sep Devizes Town (FAV OR2 26 Thompson Bowden Beeden Edmondson Oram Turner Adams Green (1) Collier (1) Bown (2) Banks Bailey Delaney R.Carter Kidlington H L1-3 Banks Bailev 21-Sep Thompson Oram Edmondson Adams (1) Turner Delanev 25-Sep Wantage Town A W2-31 Thompson Bowden Oram Edmondson Turner R.Carter Adams Green Collier (2) Delaney Banks Bailev 2-Oct Cadbury Heath (FAV OR3 A L1-62 Thompson Bowden Beeden Edmondson Turner R.Carter Adams Green Collier Bown Banks Bailey Delanev H L0-1 Moulton Collier Thompson Paish Edmondson Bailey Delaney Bown Thomas Sharps 9-Oct Westbury United (CC1) A L3-4 70 Thompson Bowden S. Carter R.Carter Adams Green Bown Turner Bailey Delaney Sharps Beeden Edmondson Collier (3) 12-Oct Shortwood United A L1-4 64 Thompson Bowden Beeden Sharps S.Carter R.Carter Bailey Delaney Collier (1) Bown Turner Green Thomas Reading Town H L0-3 Thompson Bowden Beeden Delaney Bailev Moulton Edmondson Sharps Collier Bown Turner 20-Oct Ascot United A L0-3 51 Thompson Bowden Beeden Edmondson S.Carter R.Carter Adams Sharps Collier Bown Turner Delanev Knight A W2 23-Oct Rayners Lane (BICC 48 Thompson Knight Beeden Oram S.Carter R.Carter Adams Bailey Collier (2) Bown Turner Edmondsor Bowden Flackwell Heath H W1-0 Thompson Delaney Beeden Edmondson Adams Bailey Collier Bown Turner Moulton Bowden H L2-5 Bowden Delanev Edmondson Adams Bailey (1) Collier (1) Bown Moulton A W2-81 McMeeking S.Carter R.Carter Bailey Sharps 6-Nov Shrivenham Thompson Oram Edmondson Adams Collier (2) Bown Green Turner Bowden 13-Nov Slimbridge A L0-1 60 Thompson Bowden Oram Edmondson S.Carter R.Carter Turner Green Collier Bown Delaney Adams McMeeking 20-Nov Fairford Town A D1-1 30 Thompson McMeeking Oram Edmondson S.Carter (1) R.Carter Turner Sharps Terry Bown Beeden Adams Moulton Delaney 24-Nov Old Woodstock Town A L0-2 18 Thompson Bowden Beeden Edmondson S.Carter McMeeking Turner Green Terry Bown Delanev Sharps Knight 3-Ian Highworth Town A L1-132 Williams S.Carter R.Carter Collier Moulton Blake Thompson Bowden Edmondson Turner Bown Boucher Terry Green (1) Thame Utd H L0-1 Thompson Bowden Beeden Edmondson Packer Turner Bown Boucher Wyatt Fairford Town Α 29-Jan Ardlev United Shortwood United Carterton Shrivenham 19-Feb Witney United А 22-Feb Thame Utd Α А 26-Feb Binfield Abingdon Town 12-Mar А Carterton 15-Mar Wokingham & Emmbrook А 19-Mar Bracknell Town Ardley United А 26-Mar Reading Town 29-Mar Binfield Slimbridge Witney United 9-Apr Kidlington Α Wantage Town 19-Apr Α Abingdon Town А 23-Apr Flackwell Heath Pegasus Juniors

FAC - FA Cup, F/L - Floodlight Cup, FAV - FA Vase, CC - County Cup, BICC - Challenge Cup, SC - Supplementary Cup \* AET, Won 4-3 on penalties