

# Royal Wootton Bassett Town F.C.



# Lydney Town F.C.



Home Team Squad			Played No.	Sub
1	Daniel	Lawrence		
2	Keiran	Diaz-Benitez		
3	Chris	Jackson		
4	Kai	Robinson		
5	Steve	Yeardley		
6	Sam	Collier		
7	Harvey	Scholes		
8	Giorgio	Wrona		
9	Rory	Sproule		
10	Callum	Wright		
11	Sam	Packer		
12	Dale	Richards		
14	Ben	Lodge		
15	Aaron	Stevens		
16	Dave	Coleman		
17	Antonio	Gerrish		
18	Matt	Cheetham		
19	Jonny	Aitkenhead		
20	George	Drewitt		
21	Mason	Thompson		
22	Ryan	Rawlins		
23	Dan	Bailey		
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Visitors Team Squad			Played No.	Sub
1	Richard	Thomas		
2	Dan	Barnard		
3	Dan	Morgan		
4	Tom	Shaw		
5	Sam	Elliott		
6	Liam	Sheppard		
7	Jamie	Addis		
8	Kerry	Hale		
9	Ross	Gabriel		
10	Keelan	Hamblett		
11	Billy	Guest		
12	Frankie	Johnson		
14	James	Morse		
15	Ryan	Pendry		
16	Lewis	Halford		
17	Pete	Macklin		
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**Dugout Team**  
 Manager: Rich Hunter  
 Assistant: Chris Green  
 Coaches: Sam Collier & Mike Brewer  
 Therapist: Kara Gregory

**Dugout Team**  
 Manager: Mark Lee  
 Assistant: Stuart Liddington  
 Coach: Ian James

**Match Officials**  
 Referee: Charlie Bullock  
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 Assist. Ref (Yellow Flag): Craig Jinks

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 Sun 17-Sep-17 v Swindon Spitfires (South West Women's Football League Eastern Div) kick-off 2.00PM  
 Sat 23-Sep-17 v Codicote (FA Vase 2nd Qualifying Round)kick-off 3.00PM

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# Editorial & RWBTFC News

## Welcome to Lydney Town

A warm welcome to the players, officials and spectators from Lydney Town for this UHlsport Hellenic League Premier Division fixture. We hope all those from Lydney enjoy their short stay with us today and we wish them a safe journey home. This is the second meeting between the two sides this season as we visited Lydney last month coming away with a point following a 1-1 draw, Nathan Gambling with our goal that night. Lydney become the second side this season we have now met twice in our opening nine league fixtures, the other being Brackley Town Saints. I can see the logic and merit in having teams play midweek home games against the sides they travel away to but perhaps a bigger gap between the fixtures would be more sensible.

Last season we played Lydney Town three times, losing both league games and winning a cup match that never was. In the league we went down 4-3 at Lydney, Dale Richards, Dan Bailey and Lewis Thompson with our goals, and then 3-1 at home to a Declan Morley-Lyne hat-trick at the Gerard Buxton Ground on New Year's Eve. Nathan Hawkins getting our consolation goal that day. Morley-Lyne has moved on to play at a higher level but Lydney Town still possess a useful strike force that will no doubt have us on our toes tonight. As noted elsewhere in the programme Lydney are a bit of a bogey side to us and the third game we had against them last season, the one we actually won, was struck from the record books but I have promised not to keep going on about that game so no more on that matter.

## Fairford Town

Our experiment of playing our FA Vase tie on a Friday night was rewarded with a bumper crowd of 159 for the fixture against Fairford Town. It also resulted in a great win which saw us progress in the FA Vase for the first time in a number of seasons. The 3-1-win courtesy of goals from Sam Collier, Harvey Scholes and Sam Packer earned us a home tie with Spartan South Midlands side Codicote. Read what Rich had to say about the performance elsewhere in tonight's programme.

At the time of writing these notes Codicote are 2<sup>nd</sup> from bottom in Division One of the Spartan South Midlands League having won one of their opening five league games. They opened the season with a 8-0 away defeat at Buckingham Athletic. This was followed by further away defeats at London Lions (1-3) and Brimsdown (0-2). The one and only league success came away at Hillingdon Borough, a 5-2 win giving them their first points of the season. They crashed out of the Division 1 League Cup going down 6-0 away at Winslow United. Back in league action they lost 3-1 away at Bedford and on Saturday they crashed out of another cup going down 2-1 to London Lions again, this time in the League Challenge Cup. Not having the best of starts we must fancy our chances of progressing but must not take our opponents lightly as we have already gone out of the national competitions to one side from this league.

## Development Side

The Development Side made it three wins in a row on Saturday when they came back from 2-0 down at the break to defeat a young Bremhill side. Bremhill have now lost five out of their opening seven games by a single goal and must have been gutted when George Staten scored our winner three minutes from time. Steve Yeardeley scored our other two goals in the 3-2 win. With Steve only coming on as a sub the night before it made sense that he got a game for the development side and as I said in my last notes it is good to see the First Team players not selected playing in the Development team. The win lifted the Development Side up into fifth place in the table.

## Sunday Team

The Sunday Team played their second game of the season at the weekend and had an easy win, thrashing Division Three side Northern Lights 15-1 in the League Cup. There were some big scores on the day as Highworth Town's Sunday side ran out 17-1 winners in their tie, again against opposition from the bottom division.

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## Other FA Vase Results

There were three all Hellenic ties on Saturday in the FA Vase. Graham Edney's goal in the 15th minute puts Abingdon United into the next round over our opponents this coming Saturday, Highmoor Ibis. Division One Ardley United departed the competition at the hands of Premier Longlevens. 4-2 the score in Longlevens favour. Highworth Town proved too strong for Division One West side Easington Sports winning 4-0 at The Elms courtesy of goals from Callum Parsons (2), Chris Taylor and Kias Bonner-Shea.

Romsey Town from the Sydenhams's Wessex knocked out Division One East side AFC Aldermaston. In fixtures against Spartan South Midlands Football League sides four UHlsport Hellenic League teams were on the road. Milton United went down 2-0 at Hadley, a side managed by former Swindon and Tottenham player Micky Hazard. Brimscombe & Thrupp were a goal up at half time, but conceded three times against Leighton Town to crash out of the competition. Welwyn Garden City secured a 3-1 win over Brackley Town Saints. Whilst Tuffley Rovers lost to the side that knocked us out of the FA Cup, Crawley Green, 2-1 the score in favour of the Spartan South Midland side in this one, the winner coming three minutes from time. Clanfield 85 returned to the Vase after a five-year absence and secured a fine 2-1 win against visitors Holmer Green to make it through to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Qualifying Round. Our visitors tonight Lydney Town secured a 4-2 home win over Winslow United, with three goals in the first twelve minutes through Jamie Addis, Ross Gabriel, and Keelan Hamblett. Kerry Hale added a fourth after the break. Finally, in games against Spartan South Midland opposition, New College Swindon were thumped 10-0 by Amptill Town.

Two Hellenic sides were home against Toolstation Western Football League opponents. A close contested game in the all Wiltshire tie between Pewsey Vale and Chippenham Park saw the Western League side Chippenham Park score scoring twice in the last 15 minutes to end Pewsey interest in the competition at the first hurdle. Finally, on Saturday former Fulham player Barry Hayles was amongst the goals as Windsor knocked out Devizes Town, 2-1 the score in this one.

Then on Sunday Ascot United lost 3-1 to Wessex League Farnham Town and in an all Hellenic tie between Oxford City Nomads and Woodley United, Oxford City were 3-1 winners after extra time.

Meanwhile league action last weekend saw Bracknell Town win the top of the table clash against Flackwell Heath by the od goal in five to take over leadership of the division from their opponents. Highworth Town slipped down to third as a result. In the only other game played Binfield won 4-1 away at Burnham to move up to 8<sup>th</sup>, Binfield manager Roger Herridge obviously being inspired by his previous night's ground hopping experience at the Gerard Buxton Ground.

## Ladies Side

On Sunday, the Ladies side visited Bristol to play St Nicholas Reserves in their first league game of the season in the South West Women's League and got off to a winning start thanks to goals from Hayley Huckin, Laura Gammon, Robyn Levett and Michelle Rich. A great start for the Ladies at the higher level of football.

## Next Up

The next First Team action at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground is a week Saturday when Codicote visit in the FA Vase. Before tha the Development Side are home to a strong looking Melksham Town Reserves side. Then on Sunday the Ladies have a big local derby against Swindon Spitfires.

Enjoy the game and hopefully three more points to see us climb up that league table.

# Senior Honours List



- 1902-03 Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
- 1902-03 Advertiser Cup Runners-up
- 1903-04 Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
- 1904-05 Advertiser 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
- 2004-05 Wiltshire Youth Cup Runners-up
- 2009-10 Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up
- 2010-11 Wiltshire County FA Floodlit League Champions
- Wiltshire Youth Cup Runners-up
- 2012-13 Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up
- Wiltshire County League Junior Cup Runners-up
- 2016-17 Gloucestershire Womens League Division 1 Runners-up
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# Opponents - History

## Lydney Town FC • Club History

Although Lydney is one of the main towns of the Forest area the Severnsiders have always led a very nomadic existence. With the town very much a Rugby stronghold the football club has always found it difficult to exist and although the club can trace its roots back to 1911 it never has had a sound base. The club competed in the local leagues until 1952 when they were elected to the Gloucestershire Northern Senior League. In 1969 the club folded due to lack of committee. In 1971 the soccer lovers of the town pulled together and the club re-formed and in 1974 the appointment of Harold Elliott as player/coach saw many players from Lydney Juniors introduced with the resulting effect of promotion to Senior League Division One in 1976. During this period the club switched from Bathurst Park onto the Recreation Ground using the changing facilities at the Cricket Club.



In 1979-80 after twice finishing Runners-Up they finally lifted the Senior League Division One Championship. Applications to the County League were unfruitful so the club turned to the Hellenic League, where the club held its own, but after 4 seasons the huge financial burden of the League forced the club to return to the Senior League. A dispute with the Cricket Club saw the club move back onto Bathurst Park and following this Secretary Roger Sansom, who had been elected in 1975 and who is still secretary to this day, investigated the possibility of building a clubhouse on the Recreation Ground. Unfortunately on the pitch the downward spiral continued and the club found itself back in the NGL. The players thankfully stayed together and they bounced back into the Senior League the following season. Ambitious plans to have our own clubhouse were still in the pipeline and a clubhouse was opened on Lydney Recreation Trust in 1990. In 1995 the club did the double by winning Division Two and the Forest Green Supporters Trophy, a feat they repeated in 1996-97.

In 2003-04 Manager Peter Elliott, who along with Roger Sansom are the longest serving members of the club with 40 plus years service, guided the club to the Final of the League Cup and the Senior Amateur Cup but in 2004 due to work commitments Peter decided to step down. The club turned to Stuart Liddington to take the helm and with Peter being persuaded to assist him they forged a very successful partnership. The addition of Pete Macklin from Cinderford Town, Danny Clarke ex-Oxford United, Matthew Timmins from Whitecroft and the return of Mark Saunders from Australia gave the club a real boost. Pete, Danny and 'Matty' provided the missing link in the goalscoring department scoring over 70 goals between them, Danny leading the way with 32 goals. The Senior League title was secured with 4 games to go and they did the double by lifting the Senior Amateur Cup. The season was complete with the news of acceptance into the County League a prize denied to them some 25 years ago. The clubs County League campaign started in unconvincing fashion with only 4 points from 3 home games but a 20 game unbeaten run saw the club take over as league leaders at the start of 2006, a position they held for the remainder of the season. Scoring goals was very much the key to winning as 87 goals proved, 'Matty' Timmins finishing the leagues leading goal scorer with 28 goals. This success was beyond the clubs wildest dreams and gave the club the opportunity of a return to the Hellenic League after 22 years. A steady start saw the club 12 points behind the leaders in October but a 6 game winning streak at the end of the year saw the club take over as leaders at the start of January. The critical game came in mid-April with fellow title contenders Trowbridge Town visiting 'The Rec'. In front of a crowd of 305 goals from Danny Clarke and Mark Crabbe secured victory and a 5 point cushion. With 3 games to go the Title was won at Malmesbury when Danny Bishop came off the subs bench to score 2 late goals and give the club an unprecedented 3rd title in as many seasons. The squad had certainly exceeded all expectations and can quite easily be classed as the best in the clubs history. Ambitious plans for the required improvements to gain promotion were put forward and accepted by the League allowing the club to play at the highest level in its history.

A steady start was overshadowed by events off the pitch when despite gaining planning permission for erection of floodlights the club became embroiled in a sea of red tape with their landlords. To continue playing in the Premier Division an agreement was reached to use Cinderford Town and Harrow Hill for home games. Despite these off the pitch issues an unbeaten league run of 11 games placed them in the top half of the table. Despite finishing in 10th position the club were unable to satisfy the April deadline imposed by the league and were forced to be relegated back into Division One (West).

With relegation came the inevitable loss of players who wished to play at a higher level of football and the club decided to pin its future hopes on the youth of the town. Mark Lee, who joined the club 8 years ago from County League side Ellwood, took on the role of Player/Manager and despite a tough baptism over the last he is 6th year in charge. The club finished runners-up to Tytherington Rocks in 2014-15 but despite finishing in a promotion position ground development had not been completed by the March 31st deadline and a further season in Division One followed.

Determined that such a situation would not happen again further development work followed to ensure the necessary G grading but disappointingly after all the clubs efforts the club finished in third spot which would not necessarily ensure promotion. As luck would have it circumstances led to the club being offered a place in the Premier Division which they readily accepted but this again meant further development was needed to obtain an F Grading and this was attained in 2016 with the installation of a 2nd stand. On the field a respectable 12th place in 2015-16 was improved upon in 2016-17 with a 9th place finish with the highlight of the season coming with the lifting of the Floodlit Trophy beating Flackwell Heath on penalties after the game finished 3-3.

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# Opponents - Pen Pics

## Lydney Town FC



**Richard Thomas** Goal Keeper  
Lydney born, played Youth football for Southampton & Bristol City. Studied Sports Business Management at Hartpury College. Also played for Shortwood United. Scored and then saved a penalty in Floodlit Cup Final win.



**James Morse** Defence  
Another who came through the Junior ranks. Always gives 100% and loves a challenge. Gives the team options in mid-field & defence and also will don the gloves in an emergency.



**Dan Morgan** Defence  
Dan returns this season for his 3rd spell with the club after playing Welsh League football for Undy Athletic. Won Players Player of the Year in 2013/14. Beautiful left foot and gives options in defence & mid-field.



**Ryan Pendrey** Defence  
Re-joined the club from neighbours Ellwood 2 seasons ago. Spent 2 years as a YTS with Hereford United. Can play mid-field or defence. Very comfortable on the ball with a good engine.



**Sam Elliott** Defence  
Came up through the Junior Ranks and has now been a regular in the heart of the defence. Good in the air and on the ground giving 100% every game. Mr Dependable and excellent club man. Last seasons Players Player of the Year.



**Tom Baldwin** Defence  
One of the many promising players from the successful Lydney Town Youth team. Very skilful defender who despite his age slotted well into the 1st Team right back position last season. Club's Young Player of the Year last season.



**Dan Barnard** Defence  
New addition to the squad. Strong commanding centre back. Studied Business Management at Swansea University where he played for the Uni 1st XI. Previously with Abergavenny & Monmouth Town.



**Niall Halford** Defence  
Returned to his home town club after a spell at Shortwood United. Tall and dominant defender but with good ball skills. Suffered a serious ankle injury mid-way through last season but is hopeful to be back playing this season.



**Liam Sheppard** Midfield  
Joined the club after spending many years as a Youth Team player at Cheltenham Town. Very skilful full back, comfortable on the ball. His switch to mid-field was a revelation earning him Managers Player of Year for last 2 seasons.



**James Addis** Midfield  
Now in his 5th season at Lydney having joined from Ellwood. Always gives 110% and impresses with his non stop running. Missed a large part of 2015/16 due to injury but following operation is now back to his best. Club Captain.



**Kerry Hale** Midfield  
3rd season with the Town after joining from Forest neighbours Broadwell. Imposing mid-fielder, strong, tall and hard working with great ability on the ball. Always gives 100%. Pops up with important goals from time to time.



**Lewis Halford** Midfield  
Played for Towns U'18's before a spell at neighbours Whitecroft. Returned to the club 3 seasons ago and has been an ever present since. Very fast & tricky midfielder with an eye for goal.



**Jack Rutter** Midfield  
3rd season. With Birmingham City Academy before having to retire due to a criminal assault left him with a brain injury Skilful, strong running midfielder with tremendous engine. Captained England Cerebral Palsy team at Rio Olympics.



**Frankie Johnson** Midfield  
Joins the club straight from Junior football with the clubs Youth team. Although new to senior football Frankie has already impressed in pre-season games with his skill and non stop running.



**Pete Macklin** Forward  
Experienced midfielder who is equally comfortable up front. Previously played at Cinderford, Shortwood & Hungerford. Good club man having joined the Committee last season. Man to see if you need any club merchandise!



**Pat Gibbs** Forward  
Joined club 3 seasons ago. Made immediate impact with his non-stop running and excellent eye for goal. Lifted the Division One West Golden boot in his first season. Missed 2015/16 season through Injury, returned to action last season.



**Ross Gabriel** Forward  
New addition this season after joining club from County League neighbours Broadwell Amateurs where he finished top scorer with 22 goals. Skilful & strong front runner looking to prove himself at a higher level.



**Tom Maxted** Forward  
Joined the club from Coleford United last season. Strong, fast and skilful who will cause problems to many a defender. Has also impressed with his direct wing play. Good crosser of the ball.



**Stuart Liddington** Asst. Manager  
Managed side when Town moved up through the leagues. Managed 3rds & the Reserves before stepping up to assist Mark Lee. Hoping many of his protégés will become 1st teamers of the future.



**Mark Lee** Manager  
7th season as Manager after joining club as a player from Ellwood. Great thinker on the game and after consolidating Town's position in the Premier Division is looking to push the club forward.

# Todays Opponents

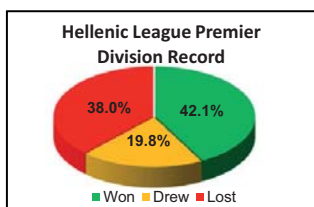
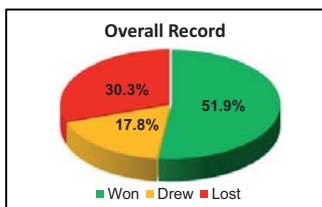
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1994/95	Gloucs N. Sen Div 2		n/a	n/a	28	22	4	2	79	24	48	1 out of 15	Not known									
1995/96	Gloucs N. Sen Div 1		n/a	n/a	28	15	4	9	69	53	34	4 out of 15	Not known									
1996/97	Info not found		n/a	n/a								out of	Not known									
1997/98	Info not found		n/a	n/a								out of	Not known									
1998/99	Gloucs N.Sen Div 1		n/a	n/a	30	19	4	7	68	36	61	5 out of 16	Not known									
1999/00	Info not found		n/a	n/a								out of	Not known									
2000/01	Info not found		n/a	n/a								out of	Not known									
2001/02	Info not found		n/a	n/a								out of	Not known									
2002/03	Info not found		n/a	n/a								out of	Not known									
2003/04	Info not found		n/a	n/a								out of	Not known									
2004/05	Gloucs N.Sen Div 1		n/a	n/a								1 out of	Not known									
2005/06	Gloucs County		n/a	n/a	32	23	7	2	87	28	76	1 out of 17	Not known									
2006/07	Hellenic Div 1 West		n/a	n/a	34	24	6	4	72	29	78	1 out of 18	P. Macklin 37									
2007/08	Hellenic Premier		n/a	n/a	42	19	6	17	71	71	63	10 out of 22	M. Timmins/ P.Macklin 14									
2008/09	Hellenic Div 1 West		n/a	1QR	32	14	7	11	45	45	49	8 out of 17	M. Timmins 15									
2009/10	Hellenic Div 1 West		EP	1QR	30	14	4	12	55	48	46	8 out of 16	M. Timmins 15									
2010/11	Hellenic Div 1 West		PR	1st	28	14	6	8	64	42	48	5 out of 15	M. Timmins 15									
2011/12	Hellenic Div 1 West		EP	1st	32	10	9	13	47	52	39	13 out of 17	J. Liddington 17									
2012/13	Hellenic Div 1 West		n/a	2QR	30	12	1	17	55	66	37	10 out of 16	J. Liddington 16									
2013/14	Hellenic Div 1 West		n/a	2QR	28	19	4	5	78	26	61	2 out of 15	R. Kear 32									
2014/15	Hellenic Div 1 West		n/a	n/a	28	19	3	6	84	32	60	3 out of 15	P. Gibbs 30									
2015/16	Hellenic Premier		n/a	2QR	38	14	10	14	63	66	52	12 out of 20	D. Morley-Lyne 28									
2016/17	Hellenic Premier		EP	1st	34	15	6	13	65	64	51	9 out of 18	D. Morley-Lyne 36									
2017/18	Hellenic Premier		EP	2QR*	7	3	2	2	12	12	11	7 out of 20	P. Macklin 5									
<b>Totals</b>					597	310	106	181	1,219	850												
<b>Won:Drew:Lost Ratio</b>					51.9%	17.8%	30.3%															

\* still in competition

Gloucs County	32	23	7	2	87	28	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	71.9%	21.9%	6.3%
Hellenic League Div 1 West	242	126	40	76	500	340	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	52.1%	16.5%	31.4%
Hellenic League Prem Div	121	51	24	46	211	213	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	42.1%	19.8%	38.0%



# Hellenic Years - 1993-94

Shortwood United. Moreton Town won the Premier Division Cup for the second season running, doing the league and cup double in the process. Division One of the Hellenic League was won by Carterton Town who finished just two points ahead of Hereford based side Pegasus Juniors.

Meanwhile in the Wiltshire League, Division 1 was won by Melksham Town, securing promotion back to the Western League. Amesbury Town were runners-up. Division 2 champions were Bradford Town with Malmesbury Victoria runners-up. National Semiconductor won Division 3 ten points clear of Aldbourne Park Res, with Wootton Bassett Sports finishing in 9<sup>th</sup> place. Division 4 was won by Ashton Keynes who finished 5 points clear of Raychem SSC

Melksham Town won the Addkey Senior KO Cup doing the league and cup double in the process, defeating Pinehurst 4-1 in the final. In a good season for the Melksham club their reserves also lifted the Fountain Trophies Junior Cup, defeating National Semiconductor 4-2 in the final at Corsham Town.

Elsewhere in the Swindon & District League the Premier Division champions were Old Nick, making it three championships in three seasons. Division 1 champions were W.H. Smith with Division 2 being won by Pinehurst Community. John O'Flynn took the Division 2 title. The Advertiser Cup was won by Ivy Leaf. The George Thomas Cup was won by Pinehurst Community.

Manchester United are Premier League champions, finishing eight points ahead of Blackburn. The FA Cup is also won by Manchester United who defeat Chelsea 4-0 in the final. Swindon Town's stay at the top flight of English football was short lived as they finish bottom of the league some ten points adrift from second bottom Oldham. Much to the annoyance of the Editor, they do manage the double over QPR.

In the world of the pop charts the songs that topped the charts during the season included:

### Singles

I'll Do Anything For Love	Meat Loaf
Pray	Take That
Things Can Only Get Better	Dream
Everything Changes	Take That
Mr Blobby	Mr Blobby

### Albums

Promises and Lies	UB40
Bat Out of Hell II	Meat Loaf
Everything Changes	Take That
Music Box	Mariah Carey

Apology: The Wiltshire League cup winners for 1992-93 were incorrectly stated in the Fairford Town programme. Amesbury Town won the Addkey Senior Cup and Aldbourne park Res won the Fountain Trophies Junior Cup.

Hellenic League Premier Division - Season 1993-94											
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts					
1 Moreton Town	34	25	6	3	74	21	81				
2 Shortwood United	34	21	6	7	66	48	69				
3 Hereford United	34	19	7	7	74	64	63				
4 Wantage Town	34	18	9	7	68	38	63				
5 Fairford Town	34	18	7	9	76	51	61				
6 Cinderford Town	34	17	6	11	57	39	57				
7 Bioceter Town	34	17	6	11	64	48	57				
8 Swindon Supermarine	34	16	6	12	64	42	51				
9 Rayners Lane	34	13	7	14	64	53	46				
10 Lambay Rovers	34	14	8	12	53	16	44				
11 Milton United	34	13	6	15	59	58	45				
12 Abingdon United	34	12	8	14	60	57	44				
13 Cirencester Town	34	12	4	18	53	62	40				
14 North Leigh	34	10	9	15	60	58	39				
15 Almondbury Town	34	10	7	17	38	61	37				
16 Headington Amateurs	34	7	11	16	43	77	32				
17 Wotton Sports	34	4	6	24	34	95	48				
18 Kirby Rangers	34	2	1	31	17	128	17				

Hellenic League Division One - Season 1993-94											
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts					
1 Carterton Town	34	21	8	5	82	27	71				
2 Pegasus Juniors	34	21	6	7	86	44	69				
3 Highworth Town	34	20	8	6	58	30	68				
4 Lambourn Sports	34	17	10	7	65	38	63				
5 Bishops Cleeve	34	17	8	9	79	54	59				
6 Hallen	34	16	10	8	62	50	58				
7 Essington Sports	34	15	9	10	66	49	54				
8 Wallingford Town	34	14	11	9	74	54	53				
9 Wootton Bassett Town	34	15	8	11	65	57	53				
10 Cheltenham Saracens	34	14	9	11	63	50	51				
11 Ardley United	34	12	11	11	59	50	47				
12 Wotton Bassett Res	34	12	10	12	52	48	46				
13 Purton	34	10	7	17	52	47	37				
14 Cirencester United	34	8	7	19	50	81	31				
15 Didcot Town	34	9	2	23	49	97	29				
16 Yarnton	34	8	4	22	43	85	26				
17 Clanfield	34	4	9	21	32	75	21				
18 Letcombe	34	5	8	25	26	80	21				

Wiltshire County League - Division 1 - 1993-1994											
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts					
1 Melksham Town	28	21	3	4	91	29	66				
2 Amesbury Town	28	19	2	7	70	35	59				
3 Pinehurst	28	17	3	8	50	41	54				
4 Devizes Town Res	28	15	2	11	37	32	47				
5 Sanford	28	14	3	11	42	40	45				
6 Tisbury United	28	12	8	8	49	42	43				
7 Sherston United	28	13	4	11	42	43	40				
8 Ferndale Athletic	28	10	9	9	54	35	39				
9 Calne Town Res	28	10	8	10	40	48	38				
10 Marlborough Town	28	10	6	12	41	51	36				
11 Corsham Town	28	10	3	15	38	39	33				
12 Aldbourne Park	28	7	3	18	26	75	24				
13 Biddestone	28	6	5	17	35	54	23				
14 Wootton Bassett Res	28	6	8	14	26	78	23				
15 Burmah Castrol	28	5	6	17	37	59	21				

Wiltshire County League - Division 2 - 1993-1994											
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts					
1 Bradford Town	22	17	2	3	59	23	53				
2 Malmesbury Vics	22	12	6	4	40	22	42				
3 Pewsey Vale Res	22	12	5	5	34	20	41				
4 Dorcan	22	12	4	6	34	40	40				
5 Plessey Semics	22	11	5	6	43	25	38				
6 Dunbar Athletic	22	8	7	7	35	31	31				
7 Chippenham Town Res	22	8	6	8	39	30	30				
8 W.Bassett Town Res	22	6	4	12	22	43	22				
9 Purton Res	22	6	3	13	22	39	21				
10 Warmminster Res	22	5	6	11	33	53	21				
11 Wroughton	22	5	3	14	26	46	18				
12 Bronham	22	3	3	16	29	57	12				

Wiltshire County League - Division 3 - 1993-1994											
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts					
1 National Semics	24	18	3	3	66	18	57				
2 Aldbourne Park Res	24	14	5	5	55	27	47				
3 West Sw											



# Hellenic Years - 1993-94

# Todays Opponents - Last Season & This

As this is the 30<sup>th</sup> year of our participation in the Hellenic League this year's programme will look back at each of those years to see what was going on in the local Non-League football at the time.

Today the featured season is 1993-94:

In the county of Wiltshire Season 1993-94 will mainly be remembered as the season Swindon Town made it up into the Premier League. Whilst the stay in the top flight was to last but a season it was certainly exciting times for the people living in and around Swindon. Mick Woolford continued at the helm of Wootton Bassett Town and had retained many of his side from the previous season and signed one or two new additions. During the summer the Club had also concreted the path to the stand from the clubhouse as improvements continued to be made to the facilities at Rylands Way.

Bassett started the season well going unbeaten in their first five games and losing just two of their opening fourteen matches. After that there were too many dropped points to be challenging at the top of the table and the cups seemed the most likely avenue of success and so it proved. In the Wiltshire Senior Cup wins over Pinehurst (3-1) and Bromham (5-2) saw Bassett through to the quarter finals but a shock 2-1 defeat at the hands of Burmah Castrol from the Wiltshire League saw Bassett's interest in that competition come to end. Things fared better, however, in the Hellenic League Cup. Wins over Kidlington (2-1 after a replay), Didcot Town (3-1) and Carterton (3-2) saw Bassett through to a two-legged semi-final against Easington Sports. The first leg of the cup semi-final was away at Easington. Wootton Bassett took the lead with a superb volley from Barry Giles. Darren Jell and Kevin Moloney then combined well to enable Kenny Regan to add a second ten minutes later. Easington pulled one back mid-way through the second half but it was advantage Wootton Bassett at the half way stage. Before the second leg Wootton Bassett had two league fixtures to squeeze in, both at Rylands Way. A surprise 1-0 defeat to lowly Clanfield was followed by another similar result on Easter Monday against Lambourn Sports. The second leg of the cup semi-final against Easington at Rylands Way was another close game. Kevin Moloney put Wootton Bassett in front on twenty minutes and substitute Scott Vincent then netted a second with almost his first touch of the game. Easington scored a consolation near the end of the game to make the aggregate score 4-2 in Wootton Bassett's favour and a cup final appearance against Pegasus Juniors. The final was played at Cirencester Town and in a tense contest neither side was able to find the net and a replay was needed to settle the competition. The replay took place at Shortwood United and Wootton Bassett Town won by the odd goal in five to lift their first ever Hellenic League trophy. Unfortunately we still have not found a report of that game to discover who scored the Bassett goals that day.

Elsewhere in the non-league scene the Hellenic Premier Division was won by Moreton Town who finished twelve points clear of

Hellenic League Premier Division - Season 1993-94							
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Moreton Town	34	25	6	3	74	21	81
2 Shortwood United	34	21	6	7	66	48	69
3 Banbury United	34	18	9	7	74	44	63
4 Wantage Town	34	18	9	7	68	38	63
5 Fairford Town	34	18	7	9	76	51	61
6 Cinderford Town	34	17	6	11	57	39	57
7 Biacoster Town	34	17	6	11	64	48	57
8 Swindon Supermarine	34	16	6	12	64	42	51
9 Rayners Lane	34	13	7	14	64	53	46
10 Tuffley Rovers	34	14	4	16	60	53	46
11 Milton United	34	13	6	15	59	58	45
12 Abingdon United	34	12	8	14	60	57	44
13 Cirencester Town	34	12	4	18	53	62	40
14 North Leigh	34	10	9	15	60	58	39
15 Almondsbury Town	34	10	7	17	38	61	37
16 Headington Amateurs	34	7	11	16	43	77	32
17 Wollen Sports	34	4	6	24	34	95	18
18 Kintbury Rangers	34	2	1	31	17	126	17

Hellenic League Division One - Season 1993-94							
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Carterton Town	34	21	8	5	82	27	71
2 Pegasus Juniors	34	21	6	7	86	44	69
3 Highworth Town	34	20	8	6	58	30	68
4 Lambourn Sports	34	17	10	7	65	38	61
5 Bishops Cleeve	34	17	8	9	79	54	59
6 Hallen	34	16	10	8	62	50	58
7 Easington Sports	34	15	9	10	66	49	54
8 Watlington Town	34	14	9	11	64	54	53
<b>9 Wootton Bassett Town</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>53</b>
10 Cheltenham Saracens	34	14	9	11	63	50	51
11 Ardley United	34	12	11	11	59	50	47
12 Kidlington	34	10	8	16	52	68	38
13 Purton	34	10	7	17	52	74	37
14 Cirencester United	34	8	7	19	50	81	31
15 Didcot Town	34	9	2	23	49	97	24
16 Yarnton	34	8	4	22	43	85	26
17 Clanfield	34	4	9	21	32	75	21
18 Letcombe	34	6	3	25	26	80	21

Wiltshire County League - Division 1 - 1993-1994							
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Melksham Town	28	21	3	4	91	29	66
2 Amesbury Town	28	19	2	7	70	35	59
3 Pinehurst	28	17	3	8	60	41	54
4 Devizes Town Res	28	15	2	11	37	32	47
5 Sanford	28	14	3	11	42	40	45
6 Tisbury United	28	12	8	8	57	45	44
7 Shrewton United	28	13	4	11	49	42	43
8 Ferndale Athletic	28	10	9	9	54	35	39
9 Calne Town Res	28	10	8	10	40	48	38
10 Marlborough Town	28	10	6	12	49	53	36
11 Corsham Town	28	10	3	15	38	39	33
12 Aldbourne Park	28	7	3	18	26	75	24
13 Biddestone	28	6	5	17	35	54	23
14 Walcot Athletic	28	6	5	17	34	76	23
15 Burmah Castrol	28	5	6	17	37	59	21

Wiltshire County League - Division 2 - 1993-1994							
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Bradford Town	22	17	2	3	59	23	53
2 Malmesbury Vics	22	12	6	4	40	22	42
3 Pewsey Vale Res	22	12	5	5	34	20	41
4 Dorcan	22	12	4	6	34	27	40
5 Plessey Semics	22	11	5	6	43	25	38
6 Dunbar Athletic	22	8	7	7	35	31	31
7 Chippenham Town Res	22	8	8	6	38	30	30
<b>8 W. Bassett Town Res</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>22</b>
9 Purton Res	22	6	3	13	22	39	21
10 Warminster Res	22	5	6	11	33	53	21
11 Wroughton	22	5	3	14	26	46	18
12 Bromham	22	3	3	16	29	57	12

Wiltshire County League - Division 3 - 1993-1994							
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 National Semics	24	18	3	3	66	18	57
2 Aldbourne Park Res	24	14	5	5	55	27	47
3 West Swindon	24	13	4	7	46	32	43
4 Melksham Town Res	24	13	3	8	58	37	42
5 Corsham Res	24	13	2	9	49	39	41
6 Pinehurst Res	24	11	4	9	42	36	37
7 Tidworth United	24	9	7	9	49	51	31
8 Dorcan Res	24	9	3	12	35	73	30
<b>9 W. Bassett Sports</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>28</b>
10 Burmah Castrol Res	24	8	2	14	39	71	26
11 Sanford Res	24	7	3	14	40	46	24
12 Marlborough Town Res	24	5	6	13	45	61	21
13 Plessey Semics Res	24	4	5	15	36	54	17

Wiltshire County League - Division 4 - 1993-1994							
Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Ashton Keynes	32	22	5	5	89	39	71
2 Raychem SSC	32	19	9	4	91	42	66
3 Cricklade Town	32	18	7	7	76	46	61
4 Minety	32	17	6	9	77	63	57
5 Down Ampney	32	17	4	11	91	54	55
6 Tidworth United	32	16	7	9	79	52	55
7 Highworth Athletic	32	16	5	11	81	56	53
8 Chippenham Borough	32	15	7	10	78	51	52
9 Ramsbury	32	15	6	11	75	55	51
10 Sherston Town	32	13	12	7	66	56	51
11 Grove	32	14	3	15	75	88	45
12 Biddestone Res	32	10	5	17	47	60	35
13 Walcot Ath Res	32	8	4	20	58	89	28
14 Dunbar Ath Res	32	7	5	20	61	79	26
15 Bromham Res	32	6	7	19	39	98	25
16 Wroughton Res	32	5	6	21	36	69	21
17 Chiseldon	32	3	4	25	35	147	13

## Results Season 2016-17

Date	Result	League/Cup	Goals	Scorers	Att
2-Aug-16	W	Prem	0	Lydney Town	2
6-Aug-16	L	FA Cup	0	Team Solent	6
13-Aug-16	L	Prem	4	Lydney Town	1
16-Aug-16	W	Prem	3	Oxford City Nomads	0
20-Aug-16	W	Prem	4	Burnham	1
23-Aug-16	L	Prem	5	Tuffley Rovers	2
29-Aug-16	W	Prem	0	Lydney Town	1
3-Sep-16	L	Prem	2	Henley Town	1
6-Sep-16	L	Prem	1	Highworth Town	2
10-Sep-16	W	FA Vase	1	Lydney Town	2
17-Sep-16	L	Prem	2	Bracknell Town	3
20-Sep-16	W	Prem	2	Tuffley Rovers	1
24-Sep-16	W	FA Vase	2	AFC Porchester	0
27-Sep-16	W	Prem	4	Royal W.Bassett T	3
1-Oct-16	W	Bluefin Cup	3	Lydney Town	4
8-Oct-16	W	Prem	0	Lydney Town	2
11-Oct-16	W	GFA Cup	3	Lydney Town	3
15-Oct-16	D	Prem	0	Binfield	0
19-Oct-16	L	Prem	4	Highworth Town	0
22-Oct-16	L	FA Vase	3	Lydney Town	1
29-Oct-16	W	Bluefin Cup	1	Lydney Town	2
1-Nov-16	W	Floodlit Cup	2	Lydney Town	3
5-Nov-16	D	Prem	1	Ardley United	1
12-Nov-16	L	Prem	5	Lydney Town	1
15-Nov-16	W	Prem	3	Longlevens	1
26-Nov-16	W	Bluefin Cup	4	Easington Sports	0
6-Dec-16	W	GFA Cup	3	Cribbs	1
10-Dec-16	D	Prem	2	Flackwell Heath	2
14-Dec-16	L	Floodlit Cup	2	Lydney Town	0
17-Dec-16	W	Prem	3	Royal Wootton Bassett	5
26-Dec-16	L	Prem	0	Brimscombe & Thrupp	1
31-Dec-16	W	Prem	1	Lydney Town	3
7-Jan-17	D	Prem	4	Lydney Town	4
14-Jan-17	L	Prem	1	Thatcham Town	3
21-Jan-17	L	Prem	3	Lydney Town	0
24-Jan-17	L	GFA Cup	1	Lydney Town	3
28-Jan-17	W	Prem	0	Lydney Town	4
4-Feb-17	L	Prem	3	Flackwell Heath	2
18-Feb-17	W	Prem	4	Lydney Town	1
21-Feb-17	W	Floodlit Cup	2	Lydney Town	4
25-Feb-17	W	Prem	0	Lydney Town	1
11-Mar-17	D	Prem	1	Lydney Town	1
15-Mar-17	W	Floodlit Cup	2	Lydney Town	3
18-Mar-17	L	Prem	3	Lydney Town	1
25-Mar-17	D	Prem	1	Lydney Town	1
28-Mar-17	L	Bluefin Cup	2	Lydney Town	1
1-Apr-17	D	Prem	2	Lydney Town	2
4-Apr-17	W	Floodlit Cup	0	Lydney Town	2
8-Apr-17	W	Prem	3	Lydney Town	2
12-Apr-17	W	Floodlit Cup	3	Lydney Town	3
15-Apr-17	W	Prem	1	Lydney Town	0

Leading Goalscorers	Goals	Strike-Rate
Declan Morley-Lyne	36	85.7%
Niall Halford	10	43.5%
Patrick Gibbs	8	30.8%
Jamie Addis	8	22.2%

## Results Season 2017-18

Date	Result	League/Cup	Goals	Scorers	Att
1-Aug-17	L	Prem	2	Lydney Town	4
5-Aug-17	L	FA Cup	1	Lydney Town	3
12-Aug-17	W	Prem	1	Lydney Town	2
15-Aug-17	D	Prem	1	Lydney Town	1
19-Aug-17	W	Prem	3	Lydney Town	2
26-Aug-17	L	Prem	1	Lydney Town	2
28-Aug-17	D	Prem	1	Lydney Town	1
5-Sep-17	W	Prem	1	Lydney Town	2
9-Sep-17		FA Vase			

Leading Goalscorers	Goals	Strike-Rate
Peter Macklin	5	100.0%
Ben Hands	2	33.3%
Ross Gabriel	2	33.3%
Jamie Addis	1	16.7%
Daniel Barnard	1	16.7%
Keelan Maguire-Hamblett	1	12.5%

# Previous Meetings



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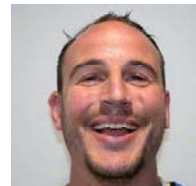


- Royal Wootton Bassett Town and Lydney Town have met each other 18 times with Lydney having much the better of things, winning 11 games to just 4 for Bassett, 3 games having been drawn.
- Our visitors have travelled 53 miles to be here today and whilst this may sound a lot this journey is the 5<sup>th</sup> shortest that Lydney have to make during the season. Lydney have the longest distance to travel of any club in the league with a grand total of 1,485 miles to all UHlsport Hellenic League grounds in Season 2017-18, 2,970 for the round-trip to all the grounds. With the extra teams in the Premier this season there are now five teams over the 1,000 mile distance figure for a one way trip (over 2,000 for round-trips) to the grounds in the league, the others being (Tuffley (1,121), Longlevens (1,043), Brimscombe & Thrupp (1,033) and Brackley Town (1,010).
- To say Lydney are bit of a bogey side for us would not be an understatement. Two of those defeats came in cup matches which means our league record is a bit more respectable but at an average of just 0.8 league points per game our record against Lydney is the 6<sup>th</sup> worst of teams in this seasons Premier Division.
- The two sides met for the first time back in 2006-7 when Lydney won both games against us by two goals to one, Nathan Hall and Chris Mills scoring our consolation goals. A Scott Ward goal gave us our first point against Lydney in Season 2008-09. The return game was lost 1-0.
- Our first win came in 2009-10 and it remains our best result ever against Lydney. Goals from Alex Green 2, Sam Collier, Ryan Thomas and Adam Field secured a 5-0 win for Bassett at Rylands Way. The points were shared in the return, Andy Brien and Sam Collier scoring in a 2-2 draw.
- Sam Collier was again on the score sheet the next time the two sides met in Season 2011-12, Ethan Delaney scoring a second in a 2-0 Bassett win. Lydney won 3-0 in the return at Rylands Way as they did the following season.
- Our last win against Lydney came in the Floodlit Cup when two extra time goals from Steve Robertson saw us through to the next round (or so we thought). Lydney went on to win the competition – for an explanation speak to the league but we did nothing wrong.
- A few weeks back we came away from Lydney with a point following a 1-1 draw, the now departed Nathan Gambling scoring our goal.

Lydney Town Honours Table	
<b>League Honours</b>	Hellenic League Division One West Winners 2006-07 Hellenic League Division One West Runners-up 2013-14 Gloucestershire County League Winners 2005—06 Gloucestershire Northern Senior League Winners 1977-78, 1978-79, 1979-80
<b>Cup Honours</b>	Gloucestershire Sen. Challenge North Cup Winners 2004-05 Gloucestershire Sen. Challenge Cup Runners-up 2003-04 Gloucestershire County League Cup Winners 2003-04
<b>Best FA Cup Performance</b>	Preliminary Round 2010-11
<b>Best FA Vase Performance</b>	First Round 1979-80, 2101—1, 2011-12 and 2016-17
<b>Record Attendance</b>	375 v Ellwood, November 2005

# Player Profile

## Steve Yeardley – Defence or Midfield



A Bassett stalwart, Yeardley is entering his thirteenth season with the club, split across two spells, having reached the 400 appearance landmark two seasons ago. He has played in every position on the pitch, including 'keeper, for Bassett, though is most comfortable at full back or in central defence. Yeardley made his debut with Bassett back in the 2002/03 season as a 17 year old in a 2-0 Supplementary Cup victory against Clanfield. He would go on to make 23 further appearances that year, only a few of which came from the bench. Establishing himself as a regular at full back, he played 42 times a year later. He grabbed his first goal for the club during in 2004/05, the year Bassett were relegated from the Hellenic Premier, hitting a dramatic late winner away against Milton United in January before adding three more before the end of the campaign. That season

he exceeded the century mark for appearances, playing 46 times in total. New manager Paul Burke appointed Yeardley as captain ahead of the 2005/06 season. Featuring largely in defence, he helped pilot Bassett to a fifth-place finish, only narrowly falling short of an immediate return to the Hellenic Premier, while he scored five goals in 36 games along the way. He would also feature in goal, helping preserve a draw in an eventful FA Vase clash with Christchurch after an injury to John Haines. Yeardley's efforts that season saw him win both Manager's and Players' Player of the Year awards. His goalscoring prowess continued to flourish a year later when he featured 39 times and finished joint top scorer with Matt Bennett on 11 goals, Yeardley's haul including two in the FA Vase and a pair of penalties in a 3-0 away win at Purton. He also produced a man of the match display in a Wiltshire Senior Cup tie against Calne Town that went to penalties just days after having completed the New York Marathon. In 2007/08 Yeardley was Bassett's leading appearance maker, playing 40 times and scoring six goals. In what was an otherwise underwhelming campaign, Burke's team did enjoy a fantastic run to the FA Cup First Qualifying round that year, and his captain was a large reason for that, scoring a brace in the shock 2-1 victory against then-Southern League Bracknell Town at Rylands Way. The consistently high level of his performances has regularly led to interest from elsewhere. But, despite a change in manager in summer of 2008, Yeardley continued to resist those overtures in order to remain with Bassett for Dave Turner's first year in charge. Employed largely in midfield, he once again had a fine season in front of goal, finishing joint-second top scorer with 12 goals in 39 games. That included another two goals in the FA Vase in wins against Buckingham Athletic and Henley Town.

After again narrowly missing out on promotion with Bassett, who finished fourth, the lure of Hellenic Premier Division football was too much to turn down and Yeardley moved across to Highworth Town in the summer of 2009. In his first season with the Worthians he quickly established himself as one of the first names on the team sheet, featuring 39 times and scoring seven goals. He was again a crucial part of the side that went close to winning the title a year later. Yeardley led the Worthians in appearances with 51 in all competitions – only two of which came from the bench – and grabbed three goals. Though Highworth's title challenge faltered in 2011/12, they would go on to win the Hellenic League Challenge Cup, with Yeardley grabbing a goal in a 6-0 demolition of Binfield in the final. In total during 2011/12 he played 46 times – a number of those spent wearing the captain's armband – and grabbed a pair of goals. With Highworth boss Dave Webb moving onto Supermarine that summer, Yeardley returned to Rylands Way in 2012 and skippered the side to promotion from Division One West. He made the second most appearances out of any player, playing 37 times and scoring 8 goals. Half of those strikes came in the first month of the season. Yeardley netted Bassett's first goal of the campaign at Malmesbury before sealing victory against Calne in the FA Cup following a man of the match performance. He grabbed another FA Cup goal in the First Qualifying round win against Highworth, netting the equaliser. His final goal of the season came on Boxing Day at Purton after just 17 seconds. Yeardley kept the captain's armband in Jeff Roberts' lone season at the helm. Featuring primarily at full back, he failed to improve on the 46 goals he had scored in Bassett colours. In Paul Braithwaite's first year in charge, he split time almost evenly between centre midfield and full back. He also returned to goalscoring ways to take him beyond the half century mark. Yeardley scored ten times, including a brace in a doomed comeback attempt against Ascot United and a match winning penalty in the County Cup against Wroughton. That haul came in 40 total appearances. Two seasons ago, a foot injury that had been limiting Yeardley since the 2014/15 campaign restricted him to 22 appearances. However, that was more than enough to take him beyond 400. And he marked that occasion in style, coming on as a substitute against Oxford City Nomads and scoring a penalty in a convincing 3-0 triumph. Overall he struck five times in the 2015/16 season. He even made three appearances in goal, donning the gloves twice after sending offs for Curtis Meare and once after the 'keeper suffered an injury. Last season Yeardley relinquished the captain's armband, but continued to play at a high standard. In all, he played 36 times, primarily in defence, and scored seven goals. He scored the winner in a five goal Wiltshire Senior Cup thriller against Purton, before netting a brace in the final game of the season against Oxford City Nomads to secure a come from behind 3-2 victory.

2002/03: 24 appearances  
2003/04: 42 appearances  
2004/05: 46 appearances, 4 goals  
2005/06: 36 appearances, 5 goals  
2006/07: 39 appearances, 11 goals  
2007/08: 40 appearances, 6 goals  
2008/09: 39 appearances, 12 goals  
2012/13: 37 appearances, 8 goals  
2013/14: 40 appearances  
2014/15: 40 appearances, 10 goals  
2015/16: 22 appearances, 5 goals  
2016/17: 36 appearances, 7 goals

**Total before this season: 441 appearances, 68 goals** (see elsewhere in programme for this season details)



# RWBTFC Fantasy Football League

Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC  
Fantasy Football Competition - Season 2017-18

	Week	Total	
1 Ryan Collins	Tekkerslovakia	42	248
2 Harry Gough	Goffys Green Army	48	224
3 Phillip Forster	AFC Bell of Truth	76	219
4 Noah Cranswick	Noah's army	53	218
5 Joe topping	Inter Minan	31	216
6 P J	Inter Minan	30	213
7 Michael Case	Cupid Punts	42	213
8 Jack Coward	What's the mata?	57	212
9 SJ Lawro	Viva Paul Curtis	56	210
10 Alex Webb	WestSwindonAthletic	43	209
11 Mike Price	Cheesy naan	37	207
12 josh Bolton	Diaby does Gallas	24	205
13 Mark Vincent	Vinnies V. V.	30	204
14 Sam warner	pjanic at the isco	45	204
15 Ryan Gillie	Who ate all Depays?	60	204
16 James Skinner	Sound of the Loris	34	201
17 luke jones	Summit	39	201
18 Simon Godfrey	Nomis FC	50	201
19 Murcia Guy	CostaCalidaRovers	53	201
20 Josh Smith	Jurgen Flopp	40	199
21 Jack Paish	C-Bomb's	40	199
22 Josh Dimond	Real Sociopath	24	198
23 david attan	Sharp Shooters	49	197
24 James Holloway	Debbie Does Bassett	44	196
25 Dale Richards	FC Escoria	43	195
26 Mari Green	Nuno Limits	55	195
27 Ali Wood	BounceBackAbility FC	24	194
28 bryan wood	Member for Life	56	194
29 Hayley Huckin	Huckin Fantastic	63	194
30 Jacob Hayden	Our Year M8	32	193
31 Josh Hughes	HughesXV	50	193
32 Benny Brown	soccerates.	35	192
33 Harvey Watkinson	ginger ninjas	48	192
34 Ronald Greanlho	Greenteam	57	190
35 Marc Bennett	Melchester Rovers	26	189
36 Rockin Robin	Moanrinhos bus	34	189
37 Euan Burke	Delph And Safety	46	189
38 Antony Brown	Browner's ballers	55	189
39 Bobby Socks	SanPedroFC	32	188
40 Tim Hall	Tim's Hallstars	41	188
41 Andrew Guppy	Dirty Oars	42	185
42 Teresa Andow	Royal Rovers	48	185
43 Karen Avery	Charlie's Angels	66	185
44 Reece Holloway	2 girls 1 Schlupp	64	184
45 Helmut Cheese	Merkals Kalergi Plan	32	183
46 Callum Wright	Lallana's In Pajamas	54	182
47 Ethan Price	BURN'TBOY FC!!!	23	180
48 Scott Large	Largie's Lads	33	180
49 Ken G	Footlesavedmybacon	49	179
50 Adam Pottery	Loftus Roadrunners	43	177
51 Stuart Smedley	The Koeman League	29	175
52 Kath Johnson	Barca Loader	38	174
53 Chris Dye	Teolegend	55	174
54 Anthony Moore	BALOTELLITUBBIES	43	174
55 Gareth watkinson	longBall XI	47	171
56 Ben Gerrish	As you were	48	171
57 Finlay Cranswick-coates	A lot of points	40	170
58 Ryan Vincent	Rhinos XI	38	169
59 Ethan Joe	Wheres Zlatan	27	168
60 hugo vivash	Vivash's XI	38	166
61 Simonr Jones	United We Stand	40	166
62 Paul Gillie	Kids R Utd	41	165
63 Max Chambers	Max Points	49	165
64 Jamie Richards	TeddyBearUnited FC	56	165
65 James Evans	AFC Jimboton	31	164
66 Glenn Coates	Sbsbs11	24	163
67 George Lance	Madeline Milan	40	163
68 Wesley van Vliet	WL van Vliet	27	160
69 David Mantle	Dave's Devils	35	160
70 Ian Bull	Greg's Demons	36	160
71 Shelley Gould	Aint got a Kalou	36	158
72 Paul Curtis	PC'S BARNY ARMY	46	158
73 Alex Warner	Teenage ninja skrtel	39	157
74 Mark Smedley	Hollowhead Rangers	46	157
75 Patrick Russell	Just Add Water	26	156
76 Mark Rice	Tikka Man	47	155
77 Chris Green	Reina's Red Balloon	57	155
78 Ollie Sinclair	OS XI	29	153
79 Simon Jones	Hangover Rovers	35	147
80 Jack Holder	Jacko XL	50	146
81 Roy Dinsmore	Red eyes green hair	24	142
82 Josh Smith	FC Bearcalona	17	138
83 Liam Guy	The Cesc Pistols	40	134
84 Rhys Holdsworth	Rhys	28	130
85 Marcel Houtzager	FC Gravenzande	40	127
86 Becky Gammon	Top of the Klopps	34	125
87 Lucia Green	Los Lobos	56	125
88 Martyn Robinson	NoKinChance	18	114
89 Samuel Case	Ivory Toast	25	113
90 Alejandro Stock	thefinanceguy.co.uk	31	74

## RWBTFC Fantasy Football League Hall of Fame

2016-17 - Andy Guppy

2015-16 - Andy Guppy

2014-15 - Andy Guppy

2013-14 - Michael Case

2012-13 - Sam Lawro

2011-12 - Sam Lawro

2010-11 - Josh Dimond



# Previous Meetings

Season	Date	L/Cup	Opponents	H/A	Result	Goalscorers
2006.07	16-Dec-06	L	Lydney Town	H	L 1 - 2	Hall
2006.07	21-Apr-07	L	Lydney Town	A	L 1 - 2	Mills
2008.09	24-Feb-09	L	Lydney Town	H	D 1 - 1	Ward
2008.09	25-Apr-09	L	Lydney Town	A	L 0 - 1	
2009.10	19-Sep-09	L	Lydney Town	H	W 5 - 0	Green 2, Collier, Field, R.Thomas
2009.10	5-Dec-09	L	Lydney Town	A	D 2 - 2	Brien, Collier
2011.12	3-Sep-11	L	Lydney Town	A	W 2 - 0	Collier, Delaney
2011.12	3-Apr-12	L	Lydney Town	H	L 0 - 3	
2012.13	13-Apr-13	L	Lydney Town	H	L 0 - 3	
2012.13	16-Feb-13	L	Lydney Town	A	W 3 - 0	Barnes, Gill, Edmondson
2013.14	28-Sep-13	LC	Lydney Town	A	L 2 - 5	Roberts 2
2015.16	26-Aug-15	L	Lydney Town	A	L 2 - 3	Robertson, Yeardley
2015.16	2-Dec-16	FL	Lydney Town	H	L 1 - 2	Robertson
2015.16	27-Feb-16	L	Lydney Town	H	L 1 - 2	Robertson
2016.17	27-Sep-16	L	Lydney Town	A	L 3 - 4	D.Richards, Thompson, Bailey
2016.17	14-Dec-16	FL	Lydney Town	H	W 2 - 0	Robertson 2
2016.17	31-Dec-16	L	Lydney Town	H	L 1 - 3	Hawkins
2017.18	15-Aug-17	L	Lydney Town	A	D 1 - 1	Gambling

## Gambling proves a safe bet from the bench

Nathan Gambling's late goal earned Royal Wootton Bassett Town a deserved second point of the season as they drew 1-1 away at Lydney Town.

### Lydney Recreation Ground, 15th August 2017

It was fast. It was furious. And come full time, Royal Wootton Bassett Town had earned the point that their performance merited as they held Lydney Town to a 1-1 draw courtesy of substitute Nathan Gambling's assured second half finish.

Lydney's Severnside Gloucestershire outpost has hardly been a happy hunting ground in recent years, but on this occasion a hungry, workmanlike display ensured the lengthy journey home would not be made empty-handed.

A classic dose of midweek football was on offer in a contest that offered much to the neutral.

Bassett were on top in the opening half hour, coming close to taking the lead when Sam Packer struck a post following a great cross from Matt Jones.

However, for the final fifteen minutes until half time momentum swung in favour of the home side.

And Lydney converted that level of pressure into a lead early in the second half. Matt Cheetham was beaten down the line and a low cross was diverted into his own net beyond 'keeper Matt Bulman by Aaron Stevens.

Bassett were desperate to get back into the game, but it appeared as though they'd come up just short.

David Coleman struck narrowly over when through one-on-one while another fine ball into the box from Jones flashed across the face of goal with nobody there to steer it in.

Gambling was then summoned from the bench as the visitors went with three up top.

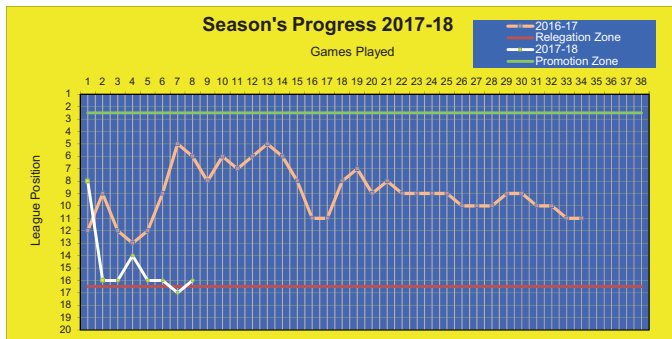
However, still they found no way through, Coleman being denied.

Finally with ten minutes to go, the breakthrough came. Steve Yeardley played a ball down the line, which Packer latched onto. He then cut a pass back into the box which Gambling - ever the assured finisher - put away.

# RWBTFC First Team Stats 2017-18

# Wilts Senior Cup

## WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB STATS PAGE



\* Last season comparative Thame Utd  
 \*\* Last season comparative Henley Town (Fairford Town)  
 \*\*\* Last season comparative Ardley Utd (Abingdon Utd)  
 Windsor & Woodley Utd treated as new fixtures

	Points Progress v 2016-17		
	This	Last	+(-)
Brackley Town Saints (A)	1	3	(2)
Bracknell Town (H)	0	0	(2)
Lydney Town (A)	1	0	(1)
Windsor (H)	1	0	0
Thatcham (H)	0	0	0
Highworth Town (A)	0	1	(1)
Flackwell Heath (A)	0	0	(1)
Brackley Town Saints (H)	3	3	(1)

	Appearances 2017-18	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals
1 Sam Packer	10	0	10	10	3
2 Callum Wright	9	1	10	10	2
3 Giorgio Wrona	9	1	10	10	
4 Matt Cheetham	7	1	8	8	
5 Steve Yeardley	6	1	7	7	
6 Dale Richards	6	1	7	7	1
7 Ben Lodge	3	4	7	7	1
8 Harvey Scholes	5	0	5	5	1
9 Kai Robinson	5	0	5	5	
10 Chris Jackson	5	0	5	5	1
11 Rory Sproule	5	0	5	5	
12 Dan Lawrence	5	0	5	5	
13 Nathan Gambling	3	2	5	5	3
14 Aaron Stevens	3	2	5	5	
15 Dan Bailey	1	4	5	5	
16 Sam Collier	4	0	4	4	1
17 Mason Thompson	2	2	4	4	
18 Matthew Bulman	3	0	3	3	
19 Dave Coleman	3	0	3	3	
20 Kieran Diaz-Benitez	3	0	3	3	
21 Jonny Aitkenhead	2	1	3	3	
22 George Lance	0	3	3	3	
23 George Drewitt	2	0	2	2	
24 Anthony Brown	2	0	2	2	
25 Josh Hughes	2	0	2	2	
26 Adam Corcoran	1	1	2	2	
27 Levi Cox	1	1	2	2	
28 Antonio Gerrish	1	1	2	2	
29 Nathan Hawkins	1	0	1	1	
30 Ryan Rawlins	1	0	1	1	
31 Matthew Jones	1	0	1	1	

	RWBTFC Career	
	Total	Goals
	129	19
	52	4
	10	0
	91	2
	448	68
	126	14
	7	1
	54	8
	5	0
	5	1
	5	0
	14	0
	48	20
	14	0
	142	33
	110	61
	4	0
	3	0
	3	0
	3	0
	50	7
	21	0
	85	1
	2	0
	2	0
	2	0
	154	8
	32	15
	2	0
	118	3
	1	0
	1	0

1886-87	Swindon Town
1887-88	Swindon Town
1888-89	Swindon Town
1889-90	Swindon Town
1890-91	Swindon Town
1891-92	Swindon Town
1892-93	Swindon Athletic
1893-94	Swindon Wanderers
1894-95	Trowbridge Town
1895-96	Swindon Town Reserves
1896-97	Trowbridge Town
1897-98	Trowbridge Town
1898-99	Swindon Victoria
1899-00	Chippenham Town
1900-01	Warminster Town
1901-02	Chippenham Town
1902-03	Warminster Town
1903-04	Swindon Town Reserves
1904-05	Melksham Town
1905-06	Salisbury City
1906-07	Swindon Town
1907-08	Deveses Town
1908-09	Swindon Town Reserves
1909-10	Salisbury City
1910-11	Warminster Town
1911-12	38th Brigade RFA
1912-13	Calne Town
1913-14	3rd Wilts Regiment
1919-20	Swindon Town
1920-21	Swindon Victoria
1921-22	Trowbridge Town
1922-23	Salisbury City
1923-24	Spencers
1924-25	Chippenham Town
1925-26	Trowbridge Town
1926-27	Chippenham Town
1927-28	Swindon Corinthians
1928-29	Chippenham Town
1929-30	Garrard Athletic
1930-31	Chippenham Town
1931-32	Westbury United
1932-33	Westbury United
1933-34	Trowbridge Town
1934-35	Swindon Corinthians
1935-36	Swindon Corinthians
1936-37	Swindon Victoria
1937-38	Trowbridge Town
1938-39	Purton
1945-46	Salisbury Corinthians
1946-47	Swindon GWR Corinthians
1947-48	Westbury United
1948-49	Purton
1949-50	Deveses Town
1950-51	Purton
1951-52	Westbury United
1952-53	Pinehurst YC
1953-54	Pinehurst YC
1954-55	Purton
1955-56	Swindon Victoria
1956-57	Deveses Town
1957-58	Deveses Town
1958-59	Deveses Town
1959-60	Pinehurst
1960-61	Deveses Town
1961-62	Deveses Town
1962-63	Deveses Town
1963-64	Highworth Town
1964-65	Pinehurst
1965-66	Deveses Town
1966-67	Pinehurst
1967-68	Deveses Town
1968-69	Chippenham Town
1969-70	Melksham Town
1970-71	Deveses Town
1971-72	Deveses Town
1972-73	Highworth Town
1973-74	Deveses Town
1974-75	Chippenham Town
1975-76	Pinehurst
1976-77	Corsham Town
1977-78	Melksham Town
1978-79	Deveses Town
1979-80	Downton FC
1980-81	Downton FC
1981-82	Avebury
1982-83	Penhill
1983-84	Amesbury Town
1984-85	Calne Town

## WILTSHIRE COUNTY SENIOR CUP SEASON 2017-18

First Round		
Bassett Bulldogs	-	Salisbury FC
Royal Wootton Bassett Town	-	Cricklade Town
Shrewton United	-	Chippenham Town
Pewsey Vale	-	Corsham Town
Laverstock & Ford	-	Wroughton
Downton	-	Highworth Town
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	-	Warminster Town
Calne Town	-	Malmesbury Victoria
New College Swindon	-	Chippenham Park
Deveses Town	-	Bremhill View
Swindon Supermarine	-	Ludgershall Sports
Westbury United	-	Marlborough Town
Purton	-	Amesbury Town
Melksham Town	-	Mere Town
Trowbridge Town		Bye
Bradford Town		Bye

1985-86	Supermarine
1986-87	Penhill
1987-88	Purton
1988-89	Purton
1989-90	Swindon Athletic
1990-91	Pewsey Vale
1991-92	Wollen Sports
1992-93	Bemerton Heath Harl
1993-94	Amesbury Town
1994-95	Purton
1995-96	Highworth Town
1996-97	Corsham Town
1997-98	Highworth Town
1998-99	Wootton Bassett Town
1999-00	Pewsey Vale
2000-01	Wootton Bassett Town
2001-02	Malmesbury Victoria
2002-03	Melksham Town
2003-04	Trowbridge Town
2004-05	Corsham Town
2005-06	Corsham Town
2006-07	Corsham Town
2007-08	Melksham Town
2008-09	Highworth Town
2009-10	Calne Town
2010-11	Bemerton Heath Harl.
2011-12	Calne Town
2012-13	Melksham Town
2013-14	Melksham Town
2014-15	Highworth Town
2015-16	Melksham Town
2016-17	Swindon Supermarine



Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners	Goals
Deveses Town	14
Swindon Town	9
Chippenham Town	8
Melksham Town	8
Trowbridge Town	8
Purton	7
Highworth Town	6
Corsham Town	5
Calne Town	4
Pinehurst	4
Swindon Victoria	4
Westbury United	4
Salisbury City	3
Swindon Corinthians	3
Warminster Town	3
Amesbury	2
Bemerton Heath Harl.	2
Downton FC	2
Penhill	2
Pewsey Vale	2
Pinehurst YC	2
Swindon Athletic	2
Swindon Town Res	2
<b>R. W. Bassett Town</b>	<b>2</b>
38th Brigade RFA	1
3rd Wilts Regiment	1
Avebury	1
Garrard Athletic	1
Malmesbury Vics	1
Salisbury Corinthians	1
Spencers	1
Swindon Supermarine	1
Swindon GWR Corinthians	1
Swindon Wanderers	1
Wollen Sports	1





# Sunday Team

## ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB SEASON 2017-18 SUNDAY TEAM FIXTURES - SWINDON SUNDAY LEAGUE DIVISION 2

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sun 03-Sep-17	Nationwide	H	League	W 7 - 0	Thomas 3 , Duckers 2, Hale, Hall
Sun 10-Sep-17	Northern Lights	A	Cup	W 15 - 1	
Sun 17-Sep-17	Willowgreen Hotspur	A	League		
Sun 01-Oct-17	Swindon Athletic	H	League		
Sun 15-Oct-17	Croft Juniors	A	League		
Sun 22-Oct-17	Stratton Saints	H	League		
Sun 29-Oct-17	Save on Tyres Athletic	H	League		
Sun 05-Nov-17	Wanborough	H	League		
Sun 12-Nov-17	Eldene	A	League		
Sun 03-Dec-17	Athletico Marlborough	A	League		
Sun 10-Dec-17	Stratton Saints	A	League		
Sun 17-Dec-17	Highworth Town Sunday	H	League		
Sun 07-Jan-18	Croft Juniors	H	League		
Sun 14-Jan-18	Purton Red House	H	League		
Sun 21-Jan-18	Wanborough	A	League		
Sun 28-Jan-18	Athletico Marlborough	H	League		
Sun 04-Feb-18	Swindon Athletic	A	League		
Sun 11-Feb-18	Highworth Town Sunday	A	League		
Sun 18-Feb-18	Willowgreen Hotspur	H	League		
Sun 25-Feb-18	Save on Tyres Athletic	A	League		
Sun 04-Mar-18	Rudis FC	H	League		
Sun 18-Mar-18	Purton Red House	A	League		
Sun 25-Mar-18	Eldene	H	League		
Sun 01-Apr-18	Rudis FC	A	League		

## Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League Premier Division Season 2017-18

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 <b>Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
2 Croft Junior FC	1	1	0	0	4	1	3
3 Stratton Saints FC	1	1	0	0	4	1	3
4 Purton RedHouse FC	1	1	0	0	2	1	3
5 Eldene FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Highworth Town Sunday FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 Save on Tyres Athletic PFC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Swindon Athletic FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9 Wanborough FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 Athletico Marlborough FC	1	0	0	1	1	2	0
11 Rudis FC	1	0	0	1	1	4	0
12 Willowgreen Hotspur FC	1	0	0	1	1	4	0
13 Nationwide FC	1	0	0	1	0	7	0

# RWBTFC First Team Pen Pics

## Royal Wootton Bassett Town



**Dan Lawrence** Goal Keeper  
Former England schoolboys' goalkeeper who also has Southern League experience with Swindon Supermarine and Hellenic League experience with New College. A quality signing for the Club.



**Steve Yeardeley** Defence  
Bassett stalwart entering his thirteenth season with the club and over 440 appearances. He has played in every position though most comfortable playing at full back or central midfield.



**Chris Jackson** Defence  
Strong and cultured centre-back who joined in the summer from Fairford Town and who has previously played for Highworth Town and Malmesbury Victoria. Was with Swindon Town as a trainee.



**Jonny Aitkenhead** Defence  
Re-joins Bassett from Fairford Town having come through the Youth Section at Bassett. Also played for Highworth. Popular player with both his teammates and fans due to his committed style.



**Dale Richards** Defence  
Product of the Club's youth section, classy young defender who also knows where the net is. Already made 119 appearances with 14 goals ahead of new season.



**Sam Collier** Defence  
Re-joins the club as player coach having spent time away at Thatcham Town and Cricklade Town amongst others. Previously made over 100 appearances for Bassett scoring 60 goals.



**Kieran Diaz-Benitez** Defence  
Former Oxford United and Bristol Rovers youngster who joins from Cirencester Town where he made 38 appearances last season. Previously with Purton.



**Mason Thompson** Midfield  
Has played at Southern League level with both Wantage Town and Cirencester Town and joins Bassett for the forthcoming season looking to make an impact in the Hellenic Premier.



**Harvey Scholes** Midfield  
Skilful midfield player with great engine returns to the club having played for both Thatcham town and Wantage in recent seasons. Now with over 50 appearances for the club.



**Callum Wright** Midfield  
Former Swindon Town and Chelsea Academy player returning from injury. Classy midfield player who can also play at the back with 42 appearances before the start of this season.



**Matt Cheetham** Midfield  
Hard tackling, hard working and skilful midfield player who captained the side last season. Starts the season with 83 appearances and 2 goals since joining from Clanfield.



**Giorgio Wrona** Midfield  
Joins from Wiltshire League Cricklade Town having scored 12 goals last season. Experienced at this level as previously with Swindon Supermarine, North Leigh, Larkhall Athletic and Thatcham Town.



**Kai Robinson** Midfield  
Hard working centre midfield player who joins us from Wantage Town. Made an impressive debut in first league game of the season against Bracknell.



**Sam Packer** Midfield  
Talented midfield player who can also play up front who in his fourth season with the club. Prior to this season had made 119 appearances scoring 16 times.



**Aaron Stevens** Midfield  
Product of RWBTFC Youth Section who re-joins the club from Purton. Previously played in the UHlsport Hellenic Premier league for Bassett under Jeff Roberts.



**Ben Lodge** Midfield  
Talented youngster who is on loan to us from Southern league Swindon Supermarine. Scored on his Royal Wootton Bassett Town debut against Bracknell.



**Rory Sproule** Forward  
Powerful all-round centre-forward formerly with Highworth Town. Wins most things in the air but is also very skilful on the ground. Great signing for the club.



**Ryan Rawlins** Forward  
Former Swindon Town scholar who joins Royal Wootton Bassett for the 2017-18 season with high expectations that he will make an impact at Hellenic League level.



**Dan Bailey** Forward  
Strong powerful player who can play in midfield or up front. Has made 137 appearances and scored 33 goals in past three seasons. Previously with Fairford Town



**Dave Coleman** Forward  
Prolific striker who joins from Cricklade Town where he scored 17 goals in 15 appearances last season. Previously played for Shrivenham and Purton in the Hellenic League.

# Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC • Club History

Situated in the small market town six miles west of Swindon, Royal Wootton Bassett Town Football Club was first established within the town in 1882, making the club one of the oldest in the county of Wiltshire. The club's early achievements came in the prestigious Wiltshire Senior Cup, making the final in both 1902-3 and 1903-4, although both ended in defeat. Wootton Bassett Town F.C. folded for a period pre World War 1 before re-forming in the Calne & District League when the club began playing at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground which had been donated by local dignitary Major Gerard Buxton for sporting activities within the town and opened in 1930.



Early successes included winning the Calne & District League in the 1930-31 Season, having finished runners-up the previous season, and then again in 1934-35. Following a move up to the Wiltshire League Division 2 promotion was earned again the following season and the team then remained in the top division in the county until the outbreak of war.

After the war Wootton Bassett Town F.C. recommenced in the County Senior League with limited success until Season 1958-59 when they won their first Wiltshire League title. In 1987-88 the Wiltshire League Division 1 title was won, elevating the Club into the Hellenic League, where they have remained ever since. Season 1987-88 also saw the club again reach the final of the Wiltshire Senior Cup but that first win remained elusive. That changed in 1998-99, however, when the Club defeated Pewsey Vale 3-2 in the final at the County Ground and success was again achieved in Season 2000-01 when Shrewton were defeated 2-0 in the final. The First Team, having finished runners-up in Division One West in Season 2012-13, currently play in the Premier Division of the Hellenic League, at Step 5 of the Football Pyramid.

As well as the First Team the Club has always run an adult Development/Reserve team. Since the onset of the new millennium the club has also expanded significantly, with the establishment of a large thriving Youth Section and a very successful Ladies Section. The Ladies side recently did the "double" of being cup winners and securing promotion in the same season. The latest addition to the Club has been the establishment of a Veterans team, so the club now operates 26 teams from under 7s upwards. This growth led to the club being awarded Charter Standard Development Club status by the Football Association in 2008 before this was upgraded to Community Club status a year later. Wootton Bassett Town F.C. was the first club in Wiltshire to achieve this. International ties have also been established, with three Youth Section teams touring Holland annually since 2001. This has led to a relationship with amateur side FC 's-Gravenzande, who are based near The Hague.

The club now play their games at the fantastic New Gerard Buxton Sports Ground, which was opened in the summer of 2015 and with the Royal title now included within the club name, the Club continues to thrive as a key part of the community of Royal Wootton Bassett. Season 2017-18 again sees Rich Hunter in charge of the First Team as the Club looks to better its highest ever position in Non-League football the 11th place finish achieved in Season 2014-15. The Club will again be entering the F.A. Cup and F.A. Vase with the Development side playing in the Wiltshire County League.

# Premier Division Travel 2017-18

Distance Between Clubs (One-way)

Hellenic League Premier Season 2017-18	Abingdon Utd	Ascot United	Binfield	Brackley Town	Bracknell Town	Brimscom & Thripp	Burnham	Fairford	Fleckwell Heath	Highmoor Bils	Highw'th Town	Longfns	Lydney Town	Oxford City Nomads	Royal W. Bassett	Thatcham Town	Tuffrey Rovers	Wantage Town	Windsor	Woodsey Utd	Total
Abingdon Utd		50	46	28	47	51	43	26	34	26	24	50	72	13	46	27	54	13	55	26	731
Ascot United	50		7	61	5	80	12	69	21	15	60	86	109	45	59	30	90	45	6	15	865
Binfield	46	7		55	4	76	13	65	15	11	56	82	105	40	56	26	86	41	11	11	806
Brackley Town	28	61	55		60	64	52	46	44	56	45	62	84	22	58	54	66	39	58	56	1,010
Bracknell Town	47	5	4	60		76	14	65	47	11	56	82	105	43	56	26	86	42	8	11	844
Brimscombe & T	51	80	76	64	76		83	21	88	74	28	15	31	48	27	57	11	44	85	74	1,033
Burnham	43	12	13	52	14	83		71	6	20	63	89	111	37	63	33	93	48	7	20	878
Fairford	26	69	65	46	65	21	71		56	63	8	26	47	30	17	46	30	20	73	63	842
Fleckwell Heath	34	21	15	44	47	88	6	56		16	68	75	116	30	68	38	79	46	18	16	881
Highmoor Bils	26	15	11	56	11	74	20	63	16		48	75	103	46	43	15	79	23	29	0	753
Highworth Town	24	60	56	45	56	28	63	8	68	48		32	55	30	12	37	36	17	65	48	788
Longfens	50	86	82	62	82	15	89	26	75	75	32		23	21	42	63	4	50	91	75	1,043
Lydney Town	72	109	105	84	105	31	111	47	116	103	55	23		68	53	86	21	80	113	103	1,485
Oxford City Nom	13	45	40	22	43	48	37	30	46	30	21	68		54	39	50	25	42	46		729
Royal W Bassett	46	59	56	58	56	27	63	17	68	43	12	42	53	54		36	41	31	65	43	870
Thatcham Town	27	30	26	54	26	57	33	46	38	15	37	63	86	39	36		67	20	35	15	750
Tuffrey Rovers	54	90	86	66	86	11	93	30	79	79	36	4	21	50	41	67		54	95	79	1,121
Wantage Town	13	45	41	39	42	44	48	20	46	23	17	50	80	25	31	20	54		50	23	711
Windsor	55	6	11	58	8	85	7	73	18	29	65	91	113	42	65	35	95	50		29	935
Woodsey Utd	26	15	11	56	11	74	20	63	16	0	48	75	103	46	43	15	79	23	29		753

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## Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC First Team Season 2017-18

**Back:** Mike Brewer, Sam Collier, Rory Sproule, Sam Packer, Aaron Stevens, Dale Richards, Dan Lawrence, Chris Jackson, Matt Cheetham, Callum Wright, Rich Hunter, Chris Green, Kara Gregory.

**Front:** Mason Thompson, Ben Lodge, Kai Robinson, Gio Wrona, 3 mascots, Harvey Scholes
























# Away Travel Season 2017-18








The table below shows the addresses of all the grounds we will be visiting this coming **2017-18** Season. This season we have 5 new teams in the shape of old friends Abingdon Utd, Fairford Town and Wantage Town plus two sides new to the Premier Division in Woodley United and Windsor, the latter moving across from the Combined Counties League. The table below includes the postcode to enter into your Sat Nav. A rough estimate of the distance from Royal Wootton Bassett is also shown. This season we have 70 more miles of travel in total with but the average journey has reduced by 6.7 miles mainly due to Fairford's promotion.

Total away travel = **1,740** miles (2016-17: 1,670 miles)

Average away game travel (return journey) = **91.6** miles (2016-17: 98.3 miles)

Team	Address	Postcode	Distance (Miles)
Abingdon United	 Northcourt Rd, Abingdon, Oxfordshire	OX14 1PL	46
Ascot United	 Ascot Racecourse, Car Park 10, Winkfield Road, Ascot	SL5 7RA	59
Binfield	 Hill Farm Lane, Binfield	RG42 5NR	56
Bracknell Town	 Bracknell Town FC. Larges Lane, Bracknell	RG12 9AN	56
Brackley Town Saints	 St James Park, Churchill Way, Brackley	NN13 7EJ	58
Brimacombe & Thrupp	 'The Meadow' ,London Road Brimacombe , Stroud	GL5 2SH	27
Burnham	 Wymers Wood Road, Burnham, Bucks	SL1 8JG	63
Fairford	 Cinder Lane London Road Fairford	GL7 4AX	17
Flackwell Heath	 Wilks Park, Magpie Lane, Heath End Road, Flackwell H	HP10 9EA	68
Highmoor Ibis	 Scours Lane, Reading, Berkshire, RG30 6AY	RG30 6AY	43
Highworth Town	 Elm Recreation Ground, Highworth	SN6 7DD	12
Longlevens	 Saw Mills End, Corinium Avenue, Gloucester	GL4 3DG	42
Lydney Town	 Lydney Recreation Ground, Swan Road, Lydney	GL15 5RU	53
Oxford City Nomads	 Court Place Farm Stadium, Marsh Lane, Oxford	OX3 0NQ	54
Thatcham Town	 Waterside Park, Crookham Hill, Thatcham, Berkshire	RG19 4PA	36
Tuffley Rovers	 Glevum Park Lower Tuffley Lane, Tuffley, Gloucester	GL2 5DT	41
Wantage Town	 Manor Road Wantage	OX12 8DW	31
Windsor	 St Leonards Road Windsor	SL4 3DR	65
Woodley United	 Scours Lane, Reading, Berkshire, RG30 6AY	RG30 6AY	43

# First Team Player Kit Sponsorship

Player	Kit Sponsor
Dan Lawrence 	Whole kit sponsored by R.A. Nicholas Garden Maintenance Tel: 07745922420
Jonny Aitkenhead 	Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley
Aaron Stevens 	Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley
Nathan Hawkins 	Whole kit sponsored by Gordon Reeves
Matt Cheetham 	Whole kit sponsored by Roger Williamson
Sam Collier 	Whole kit sponsored by John & Kath Fellows
Callum Wright 	Whole kit sponsored by rwbtfc.co.uk
Mason Thompson 	
Harvey Scholes 	
Dale Richards 	
Chris Jackson 	
Sam Packer 	
Steve Yeardley 	
Kai Robinson 	
Ben Lodge 	
Dave Coleman 	
Rory Sproule 	
Jamie Richards 	
George Drewitt 	
Giorgio Wrona 	
Dan Bailey 	
Kieran Diaz-Benitez 	
Kara Gregory 	Whole kit sponsored by the Walduck Family

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To arrange player kit sponsorship please contact Mark Smedley on 07887634887





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## In This Week From the Archives...

### Bassett Denied Late On In Controversial Draw

#### Spencer Stadium, 14<sup>th</sup> September 2002

Bassett Town were denied a late win after a Paul O'Connell shot seemingly hit the back of the net in a scrappy affair against Hook Norton.

My first half was mainly spent driving around Oxfordshire seemingly lost because Hook Norton don't exactly play in Hook Norton (pretty village though). They actually play in nearby Banbury, ground sharing with Dr. Martens outfit Banbury United.

The first half was apparently quite a scrappy affair with neither team looking like scoring, nor playing football with any flair. Bassett had a setback mid first half when experienced captain Allan Pluckrose was injured. Bassett should really have been scoring goals against a team below them in the table but unfortunately, played with no real passion in the first 45 minutes. Bassett went out in the second half with Paul O'Connell on for the injured Pluckrose as they looked to grab a goal.

In the first ten minutes Bassett were the better team, Dave Jones testing Hook 'keeper Townsend in the 50th minute.

Hook had a chance 5 minutes later when Tyrell tested Steve Hale in the Bassett goal. Hook then made a change bringing Cousins on for Garner.

Bassett had a great chance to grab the lead in the 59th minute when Gary Ashford pulled the ball down but his shot was blocked by a Hook defender after great work from Ashford and Neil Bridges down the wing.

Hook then counter attacked and Stratford came close for them hitting over, infuriating Auntie Hilda in the crowd.

Bassett made a change in the 66th minute bringing Mark Hammond on for Dave Jones. Hammond immediately made an impact chipping a ball in for Stu Lamont whose header was saved.

Bassett continued to pile on the pressure as Nathan Hall struck over a minute later. A Gary Ashford shot came close in the 75th minute after good work by Bridges and O'Connell down the left wing.

Bassett made their last change in the 77th minute when Pete Yeardley put assistant Mick Byrne upfront for Gary Ashford.

Bassett again continued to put pressure on the Hook Norton defence; Paul O'Connell having a great chance in the 85th minute. Neil Bridges was booked a minute later for handball. Stratford blasted the free kick over from 18 yards luckily for Bassett. Hook could have wrapped the game up in the 88th minute when Farley beat the 'keeper but missed, forcing more comments from Auntie Hilda.

Bassett then nearly wrapped the game up, late in stoppage time, when a Bassett attack was cleared by Hook only for the ball to fall to Paul O'Connell. His shot seemingly crossed the line but the referee didn't agree.

The final whistle went and Bassett went home with a decent draw.

**Managers Man of the Match – Nathan Hall**

**Scoop Rating: 7/10 – A good second half performance should have brought a goal after a disappointing first half.**



# Buildbase F.A. Vase



## RWBTFC F.A. Vase Record

2001-02	QR2	Calne Town	H	W 3 - 2
	R1	St Blazey	H	L 0 - 2
2002-03	QR2	Shortwood United	A	L 1 - 5
2003-04	QR2	Bemerton Heath Harl's	A	L 1 - 4
2004-05	QR1	Wellington	A	L 0 - 4
2005-06	QR1	Christchurch	H	D 1 - 1
	QR1	Christchurch	A	L 0 - 1
2006-07	QR1	Shrewton United	A	D 1 - 1
	QR1	Shrewton United	H	L 2 - 3
2007-08	QR2	Bournemouth	A	L 0 - 12
2008-09	QR1	Buckingham Athletic	A	W 5 - 3
	QR2	Henley Town	A	W 6 - 0
	R1	Kidlington	H	W 3 - 2
	R2	Wimbourne Town	A	L 0 - 4
2009-10	QR1	Hamble ASSC	H	L 2 - 3
2010-11	QR2	Devizes Town	A	W 4 - 0
	R1	Cadbury Heath	A	L 1 - 2
2011-12	QR1	Shortwood United	A	L 0 - 4
2012-13	QR1	GE Hamble	A	L 0 - 6
2013-14	QR2	Odd Down	A	L 0 - 7
2014-15	QR1	Cove	A	W 3 - 2
	QR2	Abingdon United	H	L 2 - 3
2015-16	QR1	Binfield	H	D 1 - 1
	QR1	Binfield	A	W 4 - 3
	QR2	Windsor FC	A	L 1 - 2
2016-17	QR2	Thame Utd	H	L 2 - 4

## THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 2016-17

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
					Winner	Loser
10-Sep-16	First Round Qualifying	v Bye			£450	£150
24-Sep-16	Second Round Qualifying	v Thame United	H		£600	£200
22-Oct-16	First Round Proper	v Walton & Hersham	A		£675	£225
12-Nov-16	Second Round Proper	v Glebe	H		£750	£250
3-Dec-16	Third Round Proper	v Croydon	A		£975	£325
7-Jan-17	Fourth Round Proper	v Team Solent	A		£1,500	£500
28-Jan-17	Fifth Round Proper	v South Shields	H		£1,875	£625
18-Feb-17	Sixth Round Proper	v Newport Pagnell	H		£3,375	£1,125
11-Mar-17	Semi-final	v Coleshill Town	Two legs		£4,500	£1,500
21-May-17	Final	v Cleethorpes Town	Wembley		£25,000	£17,000

**Total Prize Money Won £200**

## THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 2017-18

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
					Winner	Loser
9-Sep-17	First Round Qualifying	v Fairford Town	H		£550	£175
23-Sep-17	Second Round Qualifying	v Codicote	H		£725	£250
21-Oct-17	First Round Proper	v			£825	£275
11-Nov-17	Second Round Proper	v			£900	£300
2-Dec-17	Third Round Proper	v			£1,125	£375
6-Jan-18	Fourth Round Proper	v			£1,875	£625
3-Feb-18	Fifth Round Proper	v			£2,250	£750
24-Feb-18	Sixth Round Proper	v			£4,125	£1,375
17-Mar-18	Semi-final	v	Two legs		£5,500	£1,750
20-May-18	Final	v	Wembley		£30,000	£20,000

**Total Prize Money Won £550**

# Half Time Puzzle - courtesy of Kens Quiz Site

## MUSIC PUZZLE SHEET

These anagrams when solved should lead to famous pop stars or groups.

1	POLICE TRIP SHEPHERD (group)	(3,3,5,7)
2	RUBS ROMAN (male)	(5,4)
3	A PERKY TRY (female)	(4,5)
4	SWEATY KEN (male)	(5,4)
5	RADIO GULLS (group)	(5,5)
6	USE MY LYRIC (female)	(5,5)
7	PRIESTS NEARBY (female)	(7,6)
8	ABUSE BAGS (group)	(10)

Can you identify the artistes that recorded these famous albums.



Can you name these songs from their opening line?

19	"Seems like everyone's got a price, I wonder how they sleep at night"	(2011)
20	"At first I was afraid, I was petrified"	(1979)
21	"Coming out of my cage, and I'm doing just fine"	(2004)
22	"You were working as a waitress in a cocktail bar"	(1981)
23	"Why do birds suddenly appear, every time you are near"	(1970)
24	"All the girls on the block knocking at my door"	(2015)
25	"Slip inside the eye of your mind"	(1995)

# Results and Tables

## Current Season 2017-18 & Last Season

### Uhlsport Hellenic League Premier Division

# From The Ladies Section

#### South West Women's Football League - Eastern Division Season 2017-18

Date	Opponents	H/A	Competition	Result	Scorers
3-Sep-17	AFC Bournemouth	H	FA Cup	L 2 - 5	Gammon, Huckin
10-Sep-17	St Nicholas Res	A	SWWFL	W 4 - 3	Huckin, Gammon, Levett, Rich
17-Sep-17	Swindon Spitfires	H	SWWFL		
24-Sep-17	Cheltenham Civil Service	A	SWWFL		
1-Oct-17	Swindon Town Dev	H	SWWFL		
8-Oct-17	Almondsbury	H	SWWFL		
22-Oct-17	Team Mendip	A	SWWFL		
29-Oct-17	Oldland Abbotonians	H	SWWFL		
5-Nov-17	FC Chippenham	A	SWWFL		
12-Nov-17	Frome Town Ladies	H	SWWFL		
19-Nov-17	Cheltenham Town Dev	A	SWWFL		
26-Nov-17	Portishead Town	H	SWWFL		
3-Dec-17	Portishead Town	A	SWWFL		
10-Dec-17	St Nicholas Res	H	SWWFL		
7-Jan-18	Swindon Spitfires	A	SWWFL		
14-Jan-18	Cheltenham Civil Service	H	SWWFL		
21-Jan-18	Swindon Town Dev	A	SWWFL		
28-Jan-18	Almondsbury	A	SWWFL		
4-Feb-18	Team Mendip	H	SWWFL		
11-Feb-18	Oldland Abbotonians	A	SWWFL		
18-Feb-18	FC Chippenham	H	SWWFL		
25-Feb-18	Frome Town Ladies	A	SWWFL		
4-Mar-18	Cheltenham Town Dev	H	SWWFL		

#### South West Women's Football League - Eastern Division Season 2017-18

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Portishead Ladies First	1	1	0	0	4	1	3
2 <b>Wootton Bassett Town Ladies</b>	1	1	0	0	4	3	3
3 Almondsbury Women First	1	1	0	0	2	1	3
4 Fc Chippenham Youth Ladies First	1	1	0	0	2	1	3
5 Cheltenham Town Ladies Development	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Oldland Abbotonians Ladies First	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 Swindon Spitfires FC Womens 1st	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Swindon Town Ladies (Sun) Dev	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9 St Nicholas Ladies Reserves	1	0	0	1	3	4	0
10 Cheltenham Civil Service Ladies First	1	0	0	1	1	2	0
11 Frome Town Ladies (WOMEN) First	1	0	0	1	1	2	0
12 Team Mendip Ladies First	1	0	0	1	1	4	0

Hellenic League Premier Season 2017-18	Abingdon Utd	Ascot United	Binfield	Brackley Town	Bracknell Town	Brimacombe & Thrupp	Burnham	Fairford	Flackwell Heath	Highmoor Ibis	Highworth Town	Longlevens	Lydney Town	Oxford City Nomads	Royal W. Bassett	Thatcham Town	Tuffley Rovers	Wantage Town	Windsor	Woodley Utd	
Abingdon Utd		4 - 0		1 - 1				1 - 0	0 - 1												3 - 0
Ascot United							2 - 0			2 - 3									1 - 3		
Binfield		3 - 1								2 - 2				1 - 0							
Brackley Town											0 - 1										
Bracknell Town	3 - 2	2 - 0	6 - 1						3 - 2												6 - 0
Brimacombe & T																0 - 1		1 - 0	4 - 4		
Burnham	2 - 2		1 - 4	0 - 8						3 - 3	2 - 6										1 - 1
Fairford				1 - 2					2 - 6			2 - 6	1 - 2								
Flackwell Heath						2 - 1								2 - 0	4 - 0						0 - 0
Highmoor Ibis				2 - 2					2 - 3												
Highworth Town					4 - 3	1 - 1									3 - 5	3 - 2					
Longlevens						1 - 2															
Lydney Town											2 - 4	1 - 1		3 - 2	1 - 1						
Oxford City Nom	3 - 1			2 - 2																	2 - 5
Royal W. Bassett				1 - 0	1 - 3												1 - 2				1 - 1
Thatcham Town	1 - 0																0 - 3				
Tuffley Rovers						3 - 1		1 - 1			0 - 4										3 - 0
Wantage Town			2 - 0								1 - 3										1 - 0
Windsor		3 - 0						1 - 1													
Woodley Utd			3 - 2						0 - 0												

Hellenic League Premier Season 2016-17	Ardley Utd	Ascot United	Binfield	Brackley Town	Bracknell Town	Brimacombe & Thrupp	Burnham	Flackwell Heath	Henley Town	Highmoor Ibis	Highworth Town	Longlevens	Lydney Town	Oxford City Nomads	Royal W. Bassett	Thame United	Thatcham Town	Tuffley Rovers
Ardley United		5 - 0	3 - 1	2 - 0	4 - 1	0 - 1	3 - 1	0 - 5	4 - 1	6 - 3	0 - 4	1 - 4	0 - 1	2 - 0	2 - 1	3 - 4	1 - 0	1 - 0
Ascot United	1 - 3		3 - 2	1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 5	7 - 2	0 - 1	1 - 2	1 - 2	1 - 5	2 - 2	0 - 2	1 - 1	1 - 3	0 - 4	0 - 3	6 - 3
Binfield	0 - 3	1 - 0		1 - 2	0 - 1	1 - 3	4 - 0	0 - 3	9 - 0	3 - 0	1 - 2	5 - 0	4 - 1	1 - 1	3 - 1	3 - 1	2 - 1	1 - 2
Brackley Town	2 - 2	1 - 2	1 - 2		0 - 3	2 - 1	0 - 4	1 - 2	4 - 1	5 - 2	3 - 1	0 - 5	3 - 5	0 - 0	1 - 3	1 - 4	1 - 1	4 - 1
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Burnham	2 - 3	2 - 1	0 - 4	0 - 1	0 - 5	2 - 4		0 - 9	2 - 1	3 - 2	1 - 3	3 - 6	0 - 4	1 - 2	2 - 1	2 - 3	0 - 11	0 - 2
Flackwell Heath	3 - 0	2 - 0	0 - 3	10 - 0	3 - 1	3 - 0	4 - 0		7 - 1	2 - 1	1 - 2	2 - 1	3 - 2	6 - 1	5 - 1	1 - 2	1 - 1	3 - 2
Henley Town	2 - 9	2 - 5	1 - 2	1 - 3	0 - 5	3 - 6	4 - 2	2 - 2		0 - 0	1 - 3	1 - 3	2 - 1	2 - 1	1 - 3	0 - 9	0 - 5	3 - 3
Highmoor Ibis	1 - 0	2 - 2	1 - 0	1 - 1	0 - 6	1 - 2	1 - 1	0 - 3	4 - 1		4 - 2	2 - 4	3 - 1	1 - 0	0 - 2	0 - 3	2 - 4	2 - 2
Highworth Town	2 - 2	2 - 3	4 - 0	1 - 0	1 - 2	0 - 4	6 - 1	0 - 1	3 - 0	6 - 6		3 - 0	4 - 0	2 - 1	3 - 3	4 - 4	1 - 3	1 - 2
Longlevens	3 - 4	4 - 0	3 - 5	2 - 5	1 - 2	3 - 1	1 - 0	2 - 2	8 - 3	3 - 2	0 - 2		0 - 1	1 - 1	1 - 4	2 - 5	1 - 3	0 - 3
Lydney Town	1 - 1	1 - 0	0 - 0	3 - 2	2 - 3	0 - 1	4 - 1	2 - 4	4 - 1	1 - 1	1 - 2	3 - 1		3 - 0	4 - 3	2 - 2	1 - 3	2 - 1
Oxford City Nom	1 - 2	2 - 0	1 - 2	2 - 1	1 - 4	1 - 1	2 - 4	0 - 3	3 - 2	1 - 1	2 - 3	1 - 2	4 - 4		2 - 3	1 - 3	0 - 4	3 - 2
Royal W. Bassett	1 - 2	0 - 0	0 - 1	3 - 0	0 - 6	2 - 0	5 - 1	0 - 1	4 - 0	3 - 2	0 - 4	3 - 1	1 - 3	4 - 0		0 - 3	0 - 3	2 - 0
Thame United	1 - 1	3 - 2	3 - 0	5 - 0	3 - 3	2 - 2	8 - 1	5 - 0	2 - 0	3 - 0	4 - 2	2 - 0	5 - 1	8 - 1	1 - 0		3 - 3	4 - 0
Thatcham Town	0 - 1	1 - 2	3 - 0	6 - 0	1 - 4	2 - 1	2 - 1	2 - 1	2 - 1	4 - 2	3 - 2	5 - 2	1 - 1	3 - 2	1 - 3	0 - 2		2 - 2
Tuffley Rovers	0 - 2	1 - 0	1 - 1	5 - 0	2 - 1	0 - 2	3 - 2	4 - 0	2 - 0	3 - 1	2 - 1	1 - 0	5 - 2	2 - 3	3 - 1	1 - 2		1 - 2

#### 2017-2018 Season UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Bracknell Town	7	6	1	0	25	8	19
2 Flackwell Heath	8	6	1	1	20	8	19
3 Highworth Town	6	6	0	0	21	7	18
4 Thatcham Town	6	5	0	1	11	3	15
5 Wantage Town	7	4	0	3	11	8	12
6 Abingdon United	9	3	2	4	14	11	11
7 <b>Lydney Town</b>	7	3	2	2	12	12	11
8 Binfield	7	3	1	3	13	15	10
9 Brackley Town Saints	8	2	3	3	18	12	9
10 Windsor	6	2	3	1	14	9	9
11 Longlevens	7	2	3	2	16	15	9
12 Brimscombe & Thrupp	6	2	2	2	9	10	8
13 Tuffley Rovers	5	2	2	1	6	7	8
14 Highmoor Ibis	6	1	4	1	12	12	7
15 Oxford City Nomads	8	2	1	5	15	19	7
16 <b>Royal Wootton Bassett</b>	8	1	3	4	8	17	6
17 Woodley United	7	1	3	3	4	15	6
18 Ascot United	7	1	0	6	6	18	3
19 Burnham	8	0	3	5	10	28	3
20 Fairford Town	7	0	2	5	8	19	2

#### 2016-2017 Season UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Thame United	34	26	6	2	118	39	84
2 Bracknell Town	34	26	3	5	113	37	81
3 Flackwell Heath	34	23	4	7	94	41	73
4 Thatcham Town	34	21	5	8	90	48	68
5 Ardley United	34	20	4	10	75	53	64
6 Highworth Town	34	19	4	11	87	59	61
7 Brimscombe & Thrupp	34	18	4	12	80	58	58
8 Binfield	34	16	4	14	65	49	52
9 Lydney Town	34	15	6	13	65	64	51
10 Tuffley Rovers	34	15	5	14	61	57	50
11 <b>Royal Wootton Bassett #</b>	34	15	3	16	61	64	45
12 Longlevens AFC	34	11	3	20	67	83	36
13 Brackley Town Saints	34	10	4	20	48	97	34
14 Highmoor-Ibis	34	8	8	18	52	82	32
15 Ascot United	34	8	4	22	49	80	28
16 Oxford City Nomads	34	6	6	22	45	87	24
17 Burnham	34	6	1	27	42	129	19
18 Henley Town	34	4	4	26	40	125	16

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# From The Ladies Section

## Ladies edge seven goal thriller to kick off league campaign

Sunday 10 September 2017 - by Stuart Smedley

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Ladies began life in the South West Women's Football League in winning fashion as they defeated St Nicholas Ladies Reserves 4-3 in a thrilling encounter in Bristol.

Both sides came up from the Gloucestershire County Women's League, with St Nicholas pipping Bassett to the title.

Their first meeting at a high level saw Bassett on top, as they controlled the first half with their slick passing game.

However, they found themselves a goal down at the break as the hosts scored with their only shot on target of the opening period.

Bassett came out firing in the second half though, and equalised early on as Laura Gammon found the back of the net.

The teams then traded goals as St Nicholas restored their lead only for Hayley Huckin to restore parity.

Robyn Levett's debut strike put Bassett ahead for the first time in the match, and Michelle Rich soon doubled the advantage as she found the back of the net direct from a corner.

A late goal from the hosts made for a nervous final five minutes, but Bassett held strong to claim the points and a maiden victory in their new surroundings at the first time of asking.



# Premier Division Statistics

Uhsport Hellenic League Premier Division Season 2017-18 - Alltime Record in Hellenic League Premier Division															
	PL Seasons	First Season	Pld	W	D	Total L	F	A	Pts	Win Ratio	Draw Ratio	Lost Ratio	Avg Pts Ratio	Avg Goals F	Avg Goals A
Abingdon United	32	1977-78	1,087	460	209	418	1,766	1,640	1,560	42.3%	19.2%	38.5%	1.44	1.6	1.5
Ascot United	9	2009-10	315	139	59	117	621	527	476	44.1%	18.7%	37.1%	1.51	2.0	1.7
Binfield	9	2009-10	315	170	48	97	681	440	558	54.0%	15.2%	30.8%	1.77	2.2	1.4
Brackley Town Saints	3	2015-16	80	22	12	46	128	199	78	27.5%	15.0%	57.5%	0.98	1.6	2.5
Bracknell Town	7	2010-11	237	96	38	103	437	460	326	40.5%	16.0%	43.5%	1.38	1.8	1.9
Brimscombe & Thrupp	5	2013-14	154	73	20	61	303	271	239	47.4%	13.0%	39.6%	1.55	2.0	1.8
Burnham	10	1973-74	304	156	66	82	574	435	520	51.3%	21.7%	27.0%	1.71	1.9	1.4
Fairford Town	39	1972-73	1,341	476	311	554	1,961	2,129	1,653	35.5%	23.2%	41.3%	1.23	1.5	1.6
Flackwell Heath	16	1977-78	546	284	100	162	1,158	739	898	52.0%	18.3%	29.7%	1.64	2.1	1.4
Highmoor-Ibis	6	2012-13	190	89	34	67	366	312	300	46.8%	17.9%	35.3%	1.58	1.9	1.6
Highworth Town	24	1994-95	884	417	151	316	1,684	1,356	1,399	47.2%	17.1%	35.7%	1.58	1.9	1.5
Longlevens AFC	3	2015-16	79	31	8	40	147	168	101	39.2%	10.1%	50.6%	1.28	1.9	2.1
Lydney Town	4	2007-08	121	51	24	46	200	213	177	42.1%	19.8%	38.0%	1.46	1.7	1.8
Oxford City Nomads	9	2009-10	316	143	46	127	664	604	472	45.3%	14.6%	40.2%	1.49	2.1	1.9
Royal Wootton Bassett	11	2000-01	402	118	82	202	497	757	433	29.4%	20.4%	50.2%	1.08	1.2	1.9
Thatcham Town	17	1953-54	530	202	92	236	971	1,137	608	38.1%	17.4%	44.5%	1.15	1.8	2.1
Tuffley Rovers	16	1993-94	519	213	111	195	838	777	750	41.0%	21.4%	37.6%	1.45	1.6	1.5
Wantage Town	43	1956-57	1,473	544	273	656	2,369	2,761	1,742	36.9%	18.5%	44.5%	1.18	1.6	1.9
Windsor	1	2017-18	6	2	3	1	14	9	9	33.3%	50.0%	16.7%	1.50	2.3	1.5
Woodley United	1	2017-18	7	1	3	3	4	15	6	14.3%	42.9%	42.9%	0.86	0.6	2.1

3 points for a win was first introduced in 1974-75, but reverted to 2 points in 1978-79 before permanently becoming 3 again in 1983-84

Most seasons in the Premier Division	Wantage Town	43
Least seasons in Premier Division	Windsor / Woodley United	1
Most points in the Premier Division	Wantage Town	1,742
Highest average points in Prem. Division	Binfield	1.77
Lowest average points in Prem. Division	Woodley United	0.86
Most goals scored in Prem. Division	Wantage Town	2,369
Highest average goals for in Prem. Div.	Windsor	2.3
Lowest average goals for in Prem. Div.	Woodley United	0.6
Lowest average goals conceded in Prem.	Binfield, Burnham & Flackwell	1.4
Highest average goals conceded	Brackley Town Saints	2.5
Most goals conceded in Prem. Div.	Wantage Town	2,761
Best win ratio in Premier Division	Binfield	54.0%
Worst win ratio in Premier Division	Woodley United	14.3%



# Division One West & East

# From The Development Side



## 2017-2018 Season

### UHSPORT Hellenic League Division One West

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Ardley United	5	5	0	0	19	4	15
2 Pewsey Vale	4	3	1	0	13	3	10
3 Easington Sports	6	3	1	2	16	7	10
4 Clanfield 85	4	3	0	1	11	3	9
5 Letcombe	6	2	3	1	8	7	9
6 Cheltenham Saracens	4	2	1	1	9	7	7
7 Shrivenham	5	2	1	2	5	5	7
8 Headington Amateurs	6	2	0	4	13	11	6
9 Cirencester Town Dev'	4	2	0	2	7	7	6
10 Kidlington Reserves	4	2	0	2	4	6	6
11 North Leigh United	4	1	2	1	6	5	5
12 Woodstock Town	6	1	2	3	5	11	5
13 Shortwood United Res	3	0	1	2	2	7	1
14 New College	3	0	0	3	2	15	0
15 Tytherington Rocks	4	0	0	4	2	24	0

### FA Vase Results – 9 September 2017

Ardley United	2	Longlevens	4
Clanfield 85	2	Holmer Green	1
Highworth Town	4	Easington Sports	0
New College Swindon	0	Amphill Town	10
Pewsey Vale	0	Chippenham Park	2

### Division One West Results – 9 September 2017

Letcombe	0	North Leigh United	0
Shrivenham	3	Headington Amateurs	1
Tytherington Rocks	1	Cheltenham Saracens	4

## 2017-2018 Season

### UHSPORT Hellenic League Division One East

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Virginia Water	5	4	1	0	20	5	13
2 Penn & Tylers Green	4	4	0	0	19	2	12
3 Sandhurst Town	6	3	2	1	20	6	11
4 Bicester Town	5	3	1	1	16	8	10
5 Wokingham & Emmbrook	4	3	0	1	13	6	9
6 Didcot Town Reserves	5	2	2	1	12	6	8
7 Wallingford Town	6	2	2	2	9	7	8
8 Holyport	5	2	0	3	15	16	6
9 Milton United	4	1	1	2	4	15	4
10 AFC Aldermaston	3	1	0	2	8	10	3
11 Chalfont Wasps	5	1	0	4	8	20	3
12 Henley Town	4	1	0	3	2	20	3
13 Thame Rangers	5	0	2	3	6	15	2
14 Chinnor	5	0	1	4	1	17	1

### FA Vase Results – 9 September 2017

AFC Aldermaston	2	Romsey Town	3
Hadley	2	Milton United	0

### Division One East Results – 9 September 2017

Chalfont Wasps	2	Wallingford Town	1
Chinnor	0	Sandhurst Town	6
Didcot Town Res	1	Bicester Town	1
Thame Rangers	1	Virginia Water	1
Wokingham & Emmbrook	1	Penn & Tylers Green	2

## Division One East – as reported by the UHSPORT Hellenic League

Chalfont Wasps five game search for points was finally realised at home to Wallingford Town, despite being a goal down at the interval. On target Wasps Mason Wright 52, Chris Hurst 83 - Wallingford James Stewart 11. Chinnor are sealed to the bottom of the table following their 0-6 home loss against Sandhurst Ton. Goals OG 15 Kyo Atkinson 50, Dan Gosling 92, Charlie Oakley 26, Freddie Barron 11, Miley Lee 65. Didcot Town Reserves and Bicester Town shared the points through goals scored in the second half. Didcot scorer Michael Filipowicz 31, Bicester Robert Johnson 40. Thame Rangers drew a goal each with visitors Virginia Water, the point was enough to take the visitors to the top of the table. Goals Thame James Keeble 59 - Virginia Water Paul Burrows 29, Wokingham & Emmbrook and Penn & Tylers Green were one all at half time, before a second half goal secured the points for the visiting team, in what was a good game in difficult conditions. Goals Wokingham Sam Lawrence 40 - Penn Jordan Gumbs 5, Casey Picaro 70..

## Division One West – as reported by the UHSPORT Hellenic League

Letcombe and North Leigh United shared the points in a goal less draw. Shrivenham against Headington Amateurs was a keenly fought game with Shrivenham deserved winners. Goals Shrivenham James Rainer 8, Tyler Shepperd 19, Leigh Brown 37 - Headington Jay Hill 39. Tytherington Rocks produced a better home performance against well drilled Cheltenham Saracens who secured the points. Goals Tytherington Reece Tuberfield 90- Saracens Daryl Charman 35, Jamie Hammond 40, Jamie Locke 74, Gareth Jones 88..

## ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB SEASON 2017-18 DEVELOPMENT TEAM FIXTURES - CORSHAM PRINT WILTSHIRE SENIOR LEAGUE

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sat 12-Aug-17	Ludgershall Sports	A	League	L 0 - 3	
Wed 16-Aug-17	Bassett Bulldogs	H	League	W 6 - 1	Withers 3, Rawlins, Coombe, Clark
Sat 19-Aug-17	Westbury United Res	A	League	L 1 - 5	Clark
Tue 22-Aug-17	Marlborough Town	H	League	W 4 - 1	Withers 2, Vivash, Sanderson
Sat 26-Aug-17	Trowbridge Town	A	League	L 0 - 4	
Tue 29-Aug-17	Cricklade Town	H	League	W 4 - 1	Coombe, Stevens, Withers, Sinclair
Sat 02-Sep-17	Corsham Town Res	H	League	W 5 - 1	Withers 2, Sinclair, Murphy, Coombe
Sat 09-Sep-17	Bremhill FC	A	League	W 3 - 2	Yeardeley 2, Staten
Sat 16-Sep-17	Melksham Town Res	H	League		
Sat 23-Sep-17	Shrewton United	A	League		
Sat 30-Sep-17	Kintbury Rangers	A	League		
	Bassett Bulldogs	A	League		
	Bremhill FC	H	League		
	Corsham Town Res	A	League		
	Cricklade Town	A	League		
	Devizes Town Res	A	League		
	Devizes Town Res	H	League		
	Kintbury Rangers	H	League		
	Ludgershall Sports	H	League		
	Malmesbury Vics Dev	A	League		
	Malmesbury Vics Dev	H	League		
	Marlborough Town	A	League		
	Melksham Town Res	A	League		
	Pewsey Vale Devel't	A	League		
	Pewsey Vale Devel't	H	League		
	Purton	H	League		
	Purton	A	League		
	Shrewton United	H	League		
	Trowbridge Town	H	League		
	Westbury United Res	H	League		
	Wroughton	A	League		
	Wroughton	H	League		

### Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League Premier Division Season 2017-18

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Cricklade Town FC	8	6	1	1	30	12	19
2 Wroughton FC	8	6	1	1	26	11	19
3 Kintbury Rangers FC	7	6	0	1	29	6	18
4 Melksham Town FC Res	6	5	0	1	23	8	15
5 Royal Wootton Bassett Town Dev	8	5	0	3	23	18	15
6 Westbury Utd FC Res	8	4	2	2	21	14	14
7 Shrewton Utd FC	8	4	1	3	26	16	13
8 Corsham Town FC Res	6	3	2	1	10	9	11
9 Trowbridge Town FC	8	2	2	4	13	14	8
10 Ludgershall Sports FC	6	2	2	2	14	25	8
11 Purton FC	6	2	1	3	9	14	7
12 Pewsey Vale FC Development	7	1	3	3	10	17	6
13 Marlborough Town FC	7	1	2	4	13	22	5
14 Devizes Town FC Res	6	1	2	3	3	14	5
15 Malmesbury Victoria FC Development	7	1	0	6	9	29	3
16 Bassett Bulldogs FC	7	1	0	6	5	28	3
17 Bremhill FC	7	0	1	6	9	16	1

### Premier Division Season 2016-17

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Wroughton	26	22	2	2	87	27	68
2 Shrewton Utd	26	20	2	4	89	37	62
3 Melksham Town Res	26	18	3	5	87	51	57
4 Marlborough Town	26	17	1	8	82	45	52
5 Trowbridge Town	26	14	4	8	56	54	46
6 Cricklade Town	26	14	2	10	91	63	44
7 Ludgershall Sports	26	13	5	8	68	53	44
8 Wilts Calne Town	26	10	3	13	56	68	33
9 R. W. Bassett Town Res	26	8	5	13	56	67	29
10 Corsham Town Res	26	8	4	14	48	67	28
11 Bromham	26	8	4	14	40	73	28
12 Malmesbury Vics Dev	26	5	3	18	40	82	18
13 Devizes Town Res	26	4	2	20	38	72	14
14 Pewsey Vale Dev	26	1	0	25	27	106	3

Beverbrook withdrew from league and record expunged





# From the Wilts Senior League

## Round-up Week 5 – Top 3 All Have Comfortable Wins

It is as you were at the top of the Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League after the games played on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> September with the top three sides all having comfortable wins.

Leaders Cricklade remain on top following a 5-2 home win over Bassett Bulldogs. On target for the league leaders were Jamie Sheppard (2), Dennis Sorrenti, Devan Bryan and Tom McCulloch. Cricklade were, however, made to work hard for the win as Jason Hudson put the Bulldogs in front. Cricklade then scored twice but Chris Edwards (pictured above) then equalised for the Bulldogs to make it 2-2 at the break. Cricklade then turned on the style in the second half scoring three without reply to make sure of all three points and retain their lead at the top. They remain on top on goal difference from Wroughton who were 6-2 home winners over Pewsey Vale Development at the Weir Field. Veteran Glenn Armstrong led the way for Mark Love's side with a brace, the other goals coming from Riegan Cook, Chris Flanagan, Shane Hibbert and Dave Coleman. Both consolation goals for the Pewsey Development side came from Taylor Edwards.

Kintbury remain in third place, a point behind the two leaders with a game in hand, as they matched the Wroughton result, winning 6-2 away at another of the leading sides Westbury United Reserves. There was a hat-trick for Charlie Allsop in this one, Luke Johnson, Harry Way and Paul Thorp with the other goals for Kintbury. Melksham Town Reserves in fourth place were without a game.

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Development moved above Westbury United Reserves into fifth spot in the table after a comeback win against bottom of the table Bremhill. Two goals from Alex Pippard had given Bremhill a 2-0 lead at the break. However, two second half goals from the veteran Steve Yeardeley got Bassett back into the game and George Staten then struck the winner for Bassett three minutes from time to break Bremhill hearts. The young Bremhill side remain bottom of the table but with five of their six defeats coming by just a single goal it can only be a matter of time before they notch that first win of the season.

Shrewton United playing their first home game of the season returned to winning ways with a comfortable 5-1 victory over Malmesbury Victoria Development side. The win lifted Shrewton up into 7<sup>th</sup> place in the table.

Goals from Craig Sheppard (2) and Gregg Richardson did the damage for Trowbridge Town in their 3-1 home win over Marlborough Town.

In the other game played Ludgershall Sports edged it by the odd goal in five at home to Purton, consolation goals for Purton coming from Carl Shepherd and Gianluca Costabile.

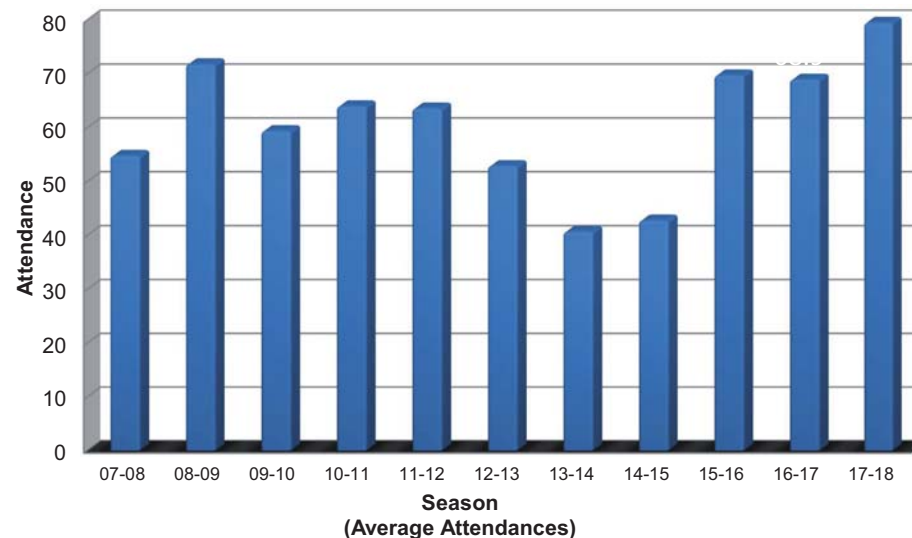
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Bremhill 2 Royal Wootton Bassett Town Dev 3  
 Cricklade Town 5 Bassett Bulldogs 2  
 Ludgershall Sports 3 Purton 2  
 Shrewton United 5 Malmesbury Victoria Dev 1  
 Trowbridge Town 3 Marlborough Town 1  
 Westbury United Res 2 Kintbury Rangers 6  
 Wroughton 6 Pewsey Vale Dev 2

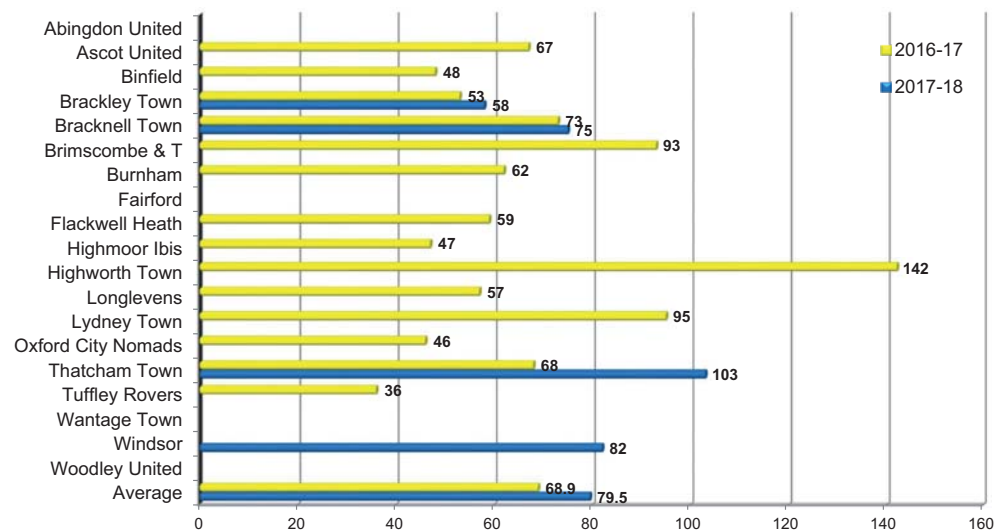


# RWBTFC Attendances

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



## RWBTFC Attendances - Season 2017-18 (and comparison to 2016-17)



# RWBTFC Hellenic League Record

# Half Time Puzzle Answers

## ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 30 YEARS IN THE HELLENIC LEAGUE

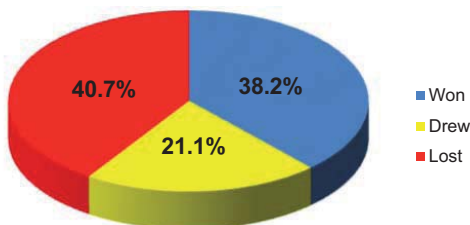
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Season	Div	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Manager	Top Scorer										
1988/89	1	28	11	7	10	50	41	40	5 out of 15	Mick Woolford	Damon York										
1989/90	1	30	13	8	9	52	35	47	7 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York 25										
1990/91	1	30	11	8	11	32	36	41	8 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York										
1991/92	1	32	10	8	14	45	59	38	12 out of 17	Mick Woolford	Not known										
1992/93	1	30	8	6	16	40	53	30	12 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent										
1993/94	1	34	15	8	11	65	57	53	9 out of 18	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent										
1994/95	1	38	18	5	15	67	68	59	9 out of 20	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent/Darren Jell										
1995/96	1	34	12	9	13	50	64	45	10 out of 18	Kevin Maloney	Scott Vincent										
1996/97	1	32	9	8	15	37	50	35	11 out of 17	Kevin Maloney	Ian Curtis/Gary Ashford 8										
1997/98	1	32	12	6	14	67	58	42	10 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart/Peter Dearlove 10										
1998/99	1	32	17	7	8	64	43	58	5 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart 17										
1999/00	1	28	15	7	6	54	32	52	3 out of 15	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart										
2000/01	P	38	14	10	14	54	60	52	13 out of 20	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart 25										
2001/02	P	42	11	9	22	39	75	42	19 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley	Mark Vaughan 14										
2002/03	P	40	10	10	20	36	70	40	15 out of 21	Pete Yeardeley	Geoff Swatton 9										
2003/04	P	42	11	5	26	38	73	38	16 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley	Geoff Swatton 16										
2004/05	P	42	6	9	27	30	85	27	21 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley /Chris Jones	Matty Bennett 10										
2005/06	1W	34	17	10	7	58	30	61	5 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett 12										
2006/07	1W	34	14	5	15	64	62	47	11 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett/Steve Yeardeley 11										
2007/08	1W	34	11	3	20	43	66	36	15 out of 18	Paul Burke	Richie Saunders 12										
2008/09	1W	32	17	9	6	61	31	60	4 out of 17	Dave Turner	Shaun Terry 26										
2009/10	1W	30	20	7	3	74	34	67	2 out of 16	Dave Turner	Sam Collier 22										
2010/11	P	42	13	7	22	55	87	46	15 out of 22	Dave Turner	Sam Collier 26										
2011/12	1W	32	15	7	10	69	47	52	5 out of 17	Dave Turner	Matt Bown 18										
2012/13	1W	30	22	3	5	75	40	69	2 out of 16	Dave Turner	Mark Barnes 32										
2013/14	P	38	11	12	15	60	60	45	14 out of 20	Jeff Roberts	Levi Cox 14										
2014/15	P	38	14	9	15	66	80	51	11 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Dan Bailey 18										
2015/16	P	38	12	5	21	50	86	41	15 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Steve Robertson 30										
2016/17	P	34	15	3	16	61	64	45	11 out of 19	P.Braithwaite/R.Hunter	Steve Robertson 27										
2017/18	P	8	1	3	4	8	17	6	16 out of 20	Richard Hunter	N. Gambling 3										
Total		1,008	385	213	410	1,564	1,663	1,365		Division 1	Premier Division										
Won:Drew:Lost Ratio			38.2%	21.1%	40.7%																

Division	Won	Drew	Lost	Ratio	29.4%	20.4%	50.2%
Premier Division	402	118	82	202	497	757	433
Division 1 West	226	116	44	66	444	310	392
Division 1	380	151	87	142	623	596	540

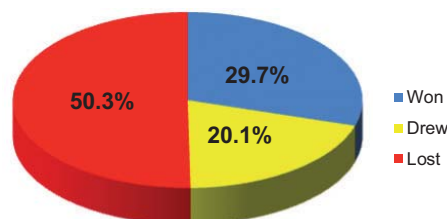
Nickname	Bassett
Record Gate	2,103 v Swindon Town (1991)
Best Gate - 2015/16	204 v Highworth Town
Average Hellenic Attendance 2015/16	69.7 (14/15 = 42.8)
Top Scorer - 2016/17	Steve Robertson - 27 Goals
Record Known Win	16 - 0 v Clyffe Pypard (1933/34)
Record Known Defeat	1 - 16 v Warminster T (3/11/1945)

Most Frequent Results	Games
Draw 1 - 1	108
Lose 0 - 1	86
Win 2 - 1	67
Lose 1 - 2	66
Win 1 - 0	63
Draw 2 - 2	61

% of Games Won, Drawn & Lost in Hellenic League (Total)



% of Games Won, Drawn & Lost in Hellenic League (Premier Division)



## MUSIC PUZZLE SHEET

These anagrams when solved should lead to famous pop stars or groups.

1	POLICE TRIP SHEPHERD (group)	(3,3,5,7) Red Hot Chilli Peppers.
2	RUBS ROMAN (male)	(5,4) Bruno Mars.
3	A PERKY TRY (female)	(4,5) Katy Perry.
4	SWEATY KEN (male)	(5,4) Kanye West.
5	RADIO GULLS (group)	(5,5) Girls Aloud.
6	USE MY LYRIC (female)	(5,5) Miley Cyrus.
7	PRIESTS NEARBY (female)	(7,6) Britney Spears.
8	ABUSE BAGS (group)	(10) Sugababes.

Can you identify the artists that recorded these famous albums.

9 Take That	10 Bon Jovi	11 Fleetwood Mac	12 U2	13 Mike Oldfield
14 Paolo Nutini	15 Simply Red	16 Katy Perry	17 Dire Straits	18 Scissor Sisters.

Can you name these songs from their opening line?

19	“Seems like everyone’s got a price, I wonder how they sleep at night”	(2011) “Price Tag”
20	“At first I was afraid, I was petrified”	(1979) “I Will Survive”
21	“Coming out of my cage, and I’m doing just fine”	(2004) “Mr Brightside”.
22	“You were working as a waitress in a cocktail bar”	(1981) “Don’t You Want Me Baby”
23	“Why do birds suddenly appear, overtime you are near”	(1970) “Close to You”
24	“All the girls on the block knocking at my door”	(2015) “Black Magic”
25	“Slip inside the eye of your mind”	(1995) “Don’t Look Back in Anger”





# RWBTFC - Road to Wembley



## RWBTFC F.A. Cup Record

1938-39	Pr	Wiltshire Mental Hospital	A	L 0 - 6
1939-40	Pr	Frome Town (War)	A	P - P
1946-47	EPr	Dilton Rovers	H	W 5 - 1
	Pr	Swindon GWR Corinthians	A	L 1 - 5
1947-48	EPr	Pewsey Vale	H	L 0 - 2
1948-49	EPr	Swindon BR Corinthians	A	L 3 - 6
1949-50	EPr	Warminster Town	H	L 4 - 5
1950-51	EPr	Spencer Moulton	H	W 2 - 1
	Pr	Devizes Town	A	L 0 - 4
2004-05	Pr	Exmouth	A	L 2 - 3
2007-08	EPr	Highworth Town	A	D 0 - 0
	EPr	Highworth Town	H	W 2 - 1
	Pr	Bracknell Town	H	W 2 - 1
	QR1	Brookhurst	A	D 1 - 1
	QR1	Brookhurst	H	L 1 - 5
2008-09	EPr	Flackwell Heath	A	D 1 - 1
	EPr	Flackwell Heath	H	L 1 - 6
2009-10	EPr	Westbury United	H	D 2 - 2
	EPr	Westbury United	A	W 3 - 2
	Pr	Brookhurst	H	L 0 - 1
2010-11	EPr	Bradford Town	A	D 1 - 1
	EPr	Bradford Town (W4-3 pens)	H	D 3 - 3
	Pr	Almondsbury UWE	A	W 1 - 0
	QR1	Hamble ASSC	A	D 1 - 1
	QR1	Hamble ASSC	H	L 0 - 2
2011-12	EPr	Radstock Town	A	L 1 - 2
2012-13	EPr	Calne Town	H	W 4 - 2
	Pr	Hamworthy United	H	W 1 - 0
	QR1	Highworth Town	H	W 3 - 1
	QR2	Dorchester Town	A	L 0 - 4
2013-14	EPr	Totton & Eling	H	L 0 - 2
2014-15	EPr	Brookhurst	A	W 3 - 0
	Pr	Bradford Town	A	L 1 - 2
2015-16	EPr	Bracknell Town	H	L 0 - 2
2016-17	EPr	Andover Town	A	L 2 - 5
2017-18	EPr	Crawley Green	H	L 1 - 2

# RWBTFC Hellenic League Record

## Royal Wootton Bassett Town - Head to Head in Hellenic League Fixtures

	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Against	Points	Ratio
North Leigh Reserves	4	4	0	0	16	6	12	3.00
Worcester College OB	4	4	0	0	11	2	12	3.00
The Herd	4	4	0	0	11	3	12	3.00
Middle Barton	2	2	0	0	5	2	6	3.00
Watlington Town	4	3	1	0	11	4	10	2.50
Newbury	4	3	1	0	9	4	10	2.50
Wokingham & Emmb'rk	4	3	1	0	6	3	10	2.50
Shrivenham	6	4	2	0	11	5	14	2.33
Abingdon Town	4	3	0	1	12	4	9	2.25
Launton Sports	4	3	0	1	11	3	9	2.25
Banbury United Reserves	4	3	0	1	14	7	9	2.25
New College Swindon	4	3	0	1	13	8	9	2.25
Yarnton	14	10	1	3	32	15	31	2.21
Bicester Town	10	7	0	3	16	9	21	2.10
Lefcove	26	16	5	5	45	30	53	2.04
Clanfield	38	23	8	7	81	38	77	2.03
Ross Town	12	7	3	2	26	9	24	2.00
<b>Brackley T Saints</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2.00</b>
<b>Brimscombe &amp; Thrupp</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>1.92</b>
Winterbourne United	12	7	2	3	25	23	23	1.92
Cirencester United	30	16	9	5	70	35	57	1.90
Easington Sports	36	20	8	8	79	42	68	1.89
Almondsbury Town	10	5	3	2	12	9	18	1.80
Tytherington Rocks	14	8	1	5	21	18	25	1.79
Headington Amateurs	24	12	6	6	53	35	42	1.75
Holyport	4	2	1	1	10	4	7	1.75
Harrow Hill	10	5	2	3	11	10	17	1.70
Gloucester United	6	3	1	2	9	8	10	1.67
<b>Oxford City Nomads</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>1.64</b>
Cheltenham Saracens	42	20	8	14	62	63	68	1.62
Hook Norton	12	5	3	4	16	14	18	1.50
Swindon Supermarine	6	3	0	3	6	5	9	1.50
Rayners Lane	4	2	0	2	5	5	6	1.50
<b>Longlevens</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1.50</b>
<b>Burnham</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.50</b>
Cirencester Town Dev	2	1	0	1	2	1	3	1.50
Forest Green Rov Res	2	1	0	1	5	5	3	1.50
Purton	38	15	10	13	54	48	55	1.45
Malmesbury Victoria	12	4	5	3	18	14	17	1.42
Henley Town	10	4	2	4	13	9	14	1.40
Lambourn Sports	16	6	4	6	25	24	22	1.38
<b>Thatcham Town</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1.29</b>
Cricklade Town	14	5	3	6	21	20	18	1.29
Bishops Cleeve	24	8	6	10	39	48	30	1.25
Carterton Town	24	8	6	10	35	37	30	1.25
Trowbridge Town	12	4	3	5	33	22	15	1.25
Viking Sports	4	1	2	1	5	3	5	1.25
Chipping Norton Town	14	4	5	5	20	22	17	1.21
Pegasus Juniors	22	7	5	10	32	42	26	1.18
Reading Town	6	2	1	3	13	13	7	1.17
Abingdon United	16	4	6	6	21	28	18	1.13
<b>Ascot United</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1.10</b>
Shortwood United	12	4	1	7	17	24	13	1.08
Old Woodstock Town	14	4	3	7	23	23	15	1.07
Kidlington	32	9	7	16	45	64	34	1.06
<b>Highworth Town</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1.06</b>
Milton United	20	5	5	10	26	48	20	1.00
Didcot Town	14	4	2	8	17	30	14	1.00
<b>Highmoor Ibis</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1.00</b>
Cirencester Town	6	1	3	2	7	8	6	1.00
Cheltenham Town Res	4	1	1	2	6	8	4	1.00
<b>Windsor</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1.00</b>
<b>Tuffley Rovers</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0.94</b>
<b>Fairford Town</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0.93</b>
Wallingford Town	12	3	2	7	17	28	11	0.92
Yate Town	6	1	2	3	6	12	5	0.83
<b>Lydney Town</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0.80</b>
Pewsey Vale	14	2	5	7	16	22	11	0.79
Witney United	4	1	0	3	5	8	3	0.75
Hungerford Town	4	1	0	3	5	13	3	0.75
<b>Ardley United</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0.73</b>
Thame United	10	1	4	5	10	18	7	0.70
<b>Wantage Town</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0.67</b>
North Leigh	16	2	4	10	10	37	10	0.63
Hallen	8	0	5	3	9	18	5	0.63
<b>Flackwell Heath</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.55</b>
Brackley Town	8	1	1	6	8	21	4	0.50
Cirencester Academy	6	1	0	5	6	14	3	0.50
Almondsbury Picksons	2	0	1	1	2	3	1	0.50
<b>Bracknell Town</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0.45</b>
<b>Binfield</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.40</b>
Slimbridge	8	1	0	7	4	17	3	0.38
Southall Town	6	0	1	5	2	16	1	0.17
Endsleigh	2	0	0	2	2	5	0	0.00
Hardwicke	2	0	0	2	0	3	0	0.00
Wollen Sports	2	0	0	2	1	6	0	0.00
<b>Woodley United</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>
Cinderford Town	2	0	0	2	0	6	0	0.00
<b>1,008</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>1,564</b>	<b>1,661</b>	<b>1,368</b>	<b>1.36</b>	



## THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 2016-17

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money
6-Aug-16	Extra Preliminary Round	Andover Town	A	L 2 - 5	£1,500
20-Aug-16	Preliminary Round	Spelthorne Sports	A		£1,925
3-Sep-16	First Qualifying Round	Farnborough	H		£3,000
17-Sep-16	Second Qualifying Round	Swindon Supermarine	A		£4,500
1-Oct-16	Third Qualifying Round	Welling United	A		£7,500
15-Oct-16	Fourth Qualifying Round	Whitehawk	H		£12,500
5-Nov-16	First Round	Stourbridge	H		£18,000
3-Dec-16	Second Round	Northampton	H		£27,000
7-Jan-17	Third Round	Wycombe	A		£67,500
28-Jan-17	Fourth Round	Tottenham	A		£90,000
18-Feb-17	Fifth Round	Fulham	A		£180,000
11-Mar-17	Sixth Round	Millwall	H		£360,000
22-Apr-17	Semi-Final	Chelsea	Wembley		£900,000
27-May-17	Final	Arsenal	Wembley		£1,800,000
<b>Total Prize Money Won</b>					<b>£Nil</b>

## THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 2017-18

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money
5-Aug-17	Extra Preliminary Round	Crawley Green	H	L 1 - 2	£1,500
19-Aug-17	Preliminary Round	Berkhampsted	H		£1,925
2-Sep-17	First Qualifying Round	Slough Town	H		£3,000
16-Sep-17	Second Qualifying Round	Dulwich Hamlet	H		£4,500
30-Sep-17	Third Qualifying Round				£7,500
14-Oct-17	Fourth Qualifying Round				£12,500
4-Nov-17	First Round				£18,000
2-Dec-17	Second Round				£27,000
6-Jan-18	Third Round				£67,500
27-Jan-18	Fourth Round				£90,000
17-Feb-18	Fifth Round				£180,000
17-Mar-18	Sixth Round				£360,000
21-Apr-18	Semi-Final		Wembley		£900,000
19-May-18	Final		Wembley		£1,800,000
<b>Total Prize Money Won</b>					<b>£Nil</b>

# View From the Local Press

Local football as reported by the

# Swindon Advertiser

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September

ROYAL Wootton Bassett Town manager Rich Hunter is full of praise for his side's performance as they dispatched local rivals Fairford Town 3-1 to progress in the FA Vase.

Having picked up their first win of the season in mid-week, Hunter's side headed into the cup game looking to build on that result. Harvey Scholes broke the deadlock in the 15th minute in fine style as he curled an effort from just outside the box into the top corner. The hosts' lead was doubled in the 38th minute when Sam Collier dropped off his man in the box and his left foot found the bottom corner. Fairford responded in the second half as they halved the deficit when Liam Gale showed composure on the edge of the box when a corner fell to him and he was able to beat Dan Lawrence. However, Bassett booked their place in the next round when Sam Packer found the net with six minutes remaining to the delight of Hunter.

"It was a great result," he said. "I was very pleased with the performance and it was good to get through the first round. "In the first half, we were very good and all over them in fairness. "We could have been three or four goals up but we didn't take our chances. "Second half, because we were two goals up, we let them back in and they had a 10 or 15 minute spell where they looked lively. "Once we got that third goal, it was game over really."

However, Hunter, whose side return to league action on Wednesday night, will be working on finishing in training, but believes even more goals will come as his team build in confidence.

"If I was being picky, that would be one thing I was annoyed about last night, we weren't ruthless enough and put the game to bed early on," he added. "It was just the quality in the final third and our finishing. "We had nine corners in the first half and all nine, we won the headers but couldn't put it on target. "A bit composure in front of goal and having that ruthless streak to score the third, fourth or fifth goal. "When you come up against better teams, you're going to need to take your chances. "We'll work on that in training but it's positive that we are creating those opportunities and I'm sure, once the lads start scoring, and we score more, that clinical side will come."

Highworth Town will join Bassett in the draw for the next round after they comfortably beat Easington Sports 4-0 at The Elms. Chris Taylor opened the scoring in just the 2nd minute, with Callum Parsons doubling the hosts' advantage in the 40th minute before Kias Bonner-Shea scored the third just after the hour-mark.

New College crashed out as they were hammered 10-0 at home to Ampthill Town, while Shrivvenham picked up a second win in Hellenic League Division One West with a 3-1 success at home to Headington Amateurs.

# Perpetuapress Floodlit Cup

SEASON 2016-17

First Round		
Abingdon United	1 - 2	Fairford Town
AFC Aldermaston	0 - 3	Cianfield' 85
Didcot Town Res	0 - 2	Hook Norton
North Leigh	2 - 1	Milton United
Rayners Lane	2 - 0	New College Swindon
Sandhurst Town	2 - 3	Woodley United
Shrivvenham	1 - 1	Cirencester T. Dev (3-4 pens)
Wantage Town Res	1 - 0	Tytherington Rocks
Second Round		
Ardley United	4 - 2	Binfield
Ascot United	1 - 0	Thame United
Bicester Town	1 - 0	Longlevens
Burnham	0 - 2	Bracknell Town
Chinnor	0 - 2	Brimmscombe & Thrupp
Henley Town	3 - 3	North Leigh
Holyport	0 - 6	Fairford Town
Hook Norton	3 - 2	Cianfield 85
Oxford City Nomads	2 - 1	Brackley Town Saints
Rayners Lane	0 - 2	Flackwell Heath
Tuffley Rovers	0 - 3	Thatcham Town
Wantage Town Res	2 - 7	Highmoor Ibis
Cirencester Town Development	2 - 3	Lydney Town
<b>Royal Wootton Bassett Town</b>	<b>1 - 2</b>	<b>Woodley United</b>
Shortwood United Res	1 - 3	Highworth Town
Cheltenham Saracens	1 - 7	Kidlington Res
Third Round		
Bracknell Town	3 - 1	Hook Norton
Ascot United	0 - 1	Brimmscombe & Thrupp
Fairford Town	2 - 1	Henley Town
Woodley United	2 - 4	Lydney Town
Kidlington Reserves	0 - 4	Oxford City Nomads
Bicester Town	2 - 0	Highworth Town
Thatcham Town	0 - 3	Flackwell Heath
Ardley United	4 - 1	Highmoor Ibis
Quarter Finals		
Ardley United	3 - 1	Bracknell Town
Bicester Town	2 - 3	Lydney Town
Brimmscombe & Thrupp	3 - 1	Oxford City Nomads
Fairford Town	1 - 3	Flackwell Heath
Semi Finals		
Ardley United	0 - 2	Lydney United
Brimmscombe & Thrupp	1 - 2	Flackwell Heath
Final		
Lydney United (4-3 pens)	3 - 3	Flackwell Heath



Floodlit Cup - Winners

1994-95	Cinderford Town
1995-96	Bicester Town
1996-97	Abingdon United
1997-98	Swindon Supermarine
1998-99	Tuffley Rovers
1999-00	Swindon Supermarine
2000-01	Swindon Supermarine
2001-02	Fairford Town
2002-03	Tuffley Rovers
2003-04	Slimbridge
2004-05	Almondsbury Town
2005-06	Slimbridge
2006-07	Wantage Town
2007-08	Kidlington
2008-09	Marlow United
2009-10	Shortwood United
2010-11	Holyport
2011-12	Binfield
2012-13	Ardley United
2013-14	Brimmscombe & Thrupp
2014-15	North Leigh
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2016-17	Lydney United



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Burnham	v	Holyport
Cheltenham Saracens	v	Cirencester Town Development
Cianfield	v	North Leigh
Didcot Town	v	Abingdon Town
Henley Town	v	AFC Aldermaston
Kidlington	v	Carterton
New College Swindon	v	Bishops Cleeve
Shortwood United	v	Pewsey Vale
Shrivvenham	v	Oxford City Nomads
Thame Rangers	v	Sandhurst Town
Tytherington Rocks	v	Easington Sports
Virginia Water	v	Milton United
Wallingford Town	v	Chinnor





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By Jon Couch



WALTON CASUALS will emerge from two years in the wilderness this weekend when they return to their newly-renovated Elmbidge Sports Hub home.

Despite acting as wandering nomads, the Surrey side sit pretty on top of Bostik League South after winning their opening four matches.

And they will have double reason to celebrate against Horsham on Saturday when they return to the site of their former home, Waterside Drive, which they will share with town rivals Walton & Hershaw.

The new facility, designed for both football and athletics, includes two 3G floodlit pitches, a full-size grass pitch, shared pavilion and covered spectator seating for over 500 people.

Casuals chairman Tony Gale, the former West Ham defender, said: "I have lived in Elmbidge for 35 years and this is the most exciting football initiative I have come across.

"With the club's Bostik League status, 500-strong youth section, disabled and ladies teams, I am proud to be a part of it."



# Youth Section Round-up

## Under 12 Whites prey on Leopards to advance in cup

Sunday 10 September 2017 - by Stuart Smedley

The youth section season got underway this weekend. And, on the whole, it was a successful start for Royal Wootton Bassett Town's teams.

Alongside the Under 12 Yellows, the Under 12 Whites were in cup action to begin their campaign. The Whites advanced in their North Wilts League Cup preliminary round tie, defeating Wroughton Youth Leopards 2-1 in a tight encounter.

The Yellows were eliminated. However they gave Robins Red – a side two divisions above them – a good run for their money before ultimately falling to a 3-1 defeat.

On Saturday the Under 12 Girls got off to a fine start in the Wiltshire County Girls League. Poppy Wannell's hat trick and a fine defensive effort helped them to a 3-0 triumph against AFC Corsham.

In the North Wilts League on Sunday there were winning starts for four of the seven teams in league action.

After finishing runners-up in Division One last season, the Under 15 Blues will be looking to go one better this year. And they set down a marker in a 6-2 victory against Croft Junior Blue. Daniel Warre led the way with a brace, while Nat Bell, Landon Golding, Jed Phillips and Jack Langcaster all contributed a goal each.

In Division Three, the Under 15 Yellows kicked off with a well-earned 2-0 triumph against Pewsey Vale.

The Under 14 Blues, who narrowly missed out on a top two finish in Division One in 2016-17, saw off Swindon Supermarine N by the odd goal in five in their opener.

Also victorious were the Under 13 Blues, whose five-star attacking display helped them claim a 5-2 win away against Ferndale Rodbourne YCFC.

The Yellows, meanwhile, netted one goal fewer, but that didn't prove enough to win their home contest with Lambourn Sports Juniors, as the visitors narrowly edged a nine-goal thriller.

Alec Gawthrop netted for the Under 12 Blues as they opened with a 4-1 league defeat away against Bradford Town Youth Mustangs.

# From The Press Office

Squandered chances at the other end made it doubly imperative that Bassett didn't let their performance level drop.

In first half stoppage time, Rory Sproule struck the right post from a matter of yards out when the ball dropped for him following a blocked Collier free kick.

Shortly after the restart, Scholes hit a fierce shot on the turn from a tight angle, which Mitchell batted away before the visiting 'keeper produced a fine point blank save to deny Sproule's close range effort from a Packer cutback.

Fairford were soon to take advantage of the lifeline offered to them by surviving those scares.

With 63 minutes gone, Morse's corner was headed only as far as a lurking, unmarked Gale on the left edge of the area. He twisted his way past the challenges of Kai Robinson and Diaz-Benitez before firing a low strike, which, aided by a deflection off the legs of Collier, nestled into the bottom corner.

The confidence gained from halving the deficit then led to Fairford enjoying a twenty minute spell in which they were firmly on top.

They were able to force numerous corners, which Bassett defended nervously, while two counters created a pair of openings, the first of which resulted in Morse blazing over from distance, with the second resulting in pinball in the Bassett box after a Lee Smith shot was blocked.

But any hopes of completing a comeback were dashed with six minutes remaining. Chris Jackson clipped a ball into the left channel, which Packer outmuscled Luke Bairstow to latch onto. A slip from the defender allowed Packer to cut inside and he made no mistake, drilling beyond Mitchell from ten yards out.

The final score could have been even more convincing as substitute Ben Lodge raced onto a through ball from Steve Yeardley and steered a delicate chip over the onrushing Mitchell agonisingly wide.

The outcome had already been determined though, and Bassett had booked a winnable home second qualifying round tie against Spartans South Midlands League Division One outfit Codicote.

**Man of the Match:** Sam Packer – Fairford's defence had no answer for Packer as he ran them ragged all night. His goal was fully deserved, capping another brilliant display in which he played a part in all three of his team's goals.





# From The Press Office

## Scholes stunner sets Bassett on their way to Vase victory

An outstanding Harvey Scholes strike, and further goals from Sam Collier and Sam Packer helped secure a 3-1 FA Vase first qualifying round victory against Fairford Town in an exciting Friday night derby encounter.

**Gerard Buxton Ground, 8<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

Royal Wootton Bassett Town prevailed 3-1 in a lively FA Vase first qualifying round tie against local rivals Fairford Town.

Rich Hunter's side were indebted to a pair of outstanding first half goals, which put them in a commanding position in an end-to-end derby contest that saw both teams create numerous chances.

Harvey Scholes' 15th minute opener was particularly special as the midfielder curled a stunning first time effort from just outside the area into the top right corner. His strike was followed by Sam Collier's acrobatic volley seven minutes before the break.

While Bassett put together one of their best attacking performances of the season so far, they were guilty of spurning a pair of further fantastic opportunities that could have then put the game to bed. And when Fairford grabbed a lifeline courtesy of Liam Gale's deflected effort, it was well and truly up for grabs.

However, man of the match Sam Packer – who had played the role of creator for Bassett's opening two goals – finally sealed victory with a late strike.

The bumper crowd at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground certainly got value for money.

From the start, the attacking intent of both teams was clear. Nathan Gambling headed narrowly over for the visitors with less than two minutes on the clock after Josh Morse's corner picked the burly frontman out at the far post.

Moments later at the other end, Antonio Gerrish stole possession on the edge of the box and opened up space to shoot by a playing a neat one-two with Packer but he saw his firmly struck shot blocked.

The hosts were then fortunate that ex-Bassett man Matt Boucher fizzed a low 20-yard shot narrowly wide as 'keeper Dan Lawrence had his view obscured courtesy of the mass of players in front of him.

A goal seemed inevitable at this point – and it was just a question as to which team were going to strike first.

It proved to be Bassett, and they did so in some style. Callum Wright fizzed a pass into Packer's feet. With his back to goal, the mercurial playmaker played a square ball into Scholes, and he whipped a delightful strike beyond the reach of Ben Mitchell in the visitors' goal.

A second almost followed immediately as Gerrish headed narrowly over from a Wright corner which Mitchell failed to claim.

It eventually arrived courtesy of Collier, a player who is no stranger to getting on the scoresheet in Bassett colours. Although he's been featuring at centre half since rejoining from Thatcham Town, he initially made his name with Bassett as a forward. And his predatory instincts haven't faded.

Another Wright corner was cleared only as far as Scholes, who lifted a diagonal pass to Packer at the right post. He then steered a low cross back into the heart of the danger area, and Collier, after adjusting his body position, struck a sweet sidefoot volley that had too much power for Mitchell.

Still, Bassett weren't able to sit comfortably despite being two goals to the good. The scoreline at that point arguably was harsh on Fairford, who were having the better of the midfield battle. And a well worked move set free Gale in the left corner. However, he was only able to tamely shoot straight at Lawrence when he cut inside full back Kieran Diaz-Benitez.

# View From the Local Press

Local football as reported by the

# Swindon Advertiser

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> September**

MICHAEL McNally says he has been left with a bitter taste in his mouth after being relieved of his duties at Shrivenham.

McNally was told his services were no longer required this morning, despite overseeing a 3-1 win over Headington Amateurs in Hellenic League Division One West yesterday afternoon.

With five games already played, Shrivenham currently sit seventh in the table with two wins, two defeats and a draw.

After joining the club three years ago, McNally says his removal came as a surprise so early on in the season, with his team making a good start to the campaign.

"I can't believe it really, we have had a half-decent start and we won 3-1 on Saturday," he said.

"We have been playing well. Three years ago the plan was to bring young players in. That is what I have done and we have made progress.

"The chairman (Matt Hirst) phoned me up and said I'm not in his plans, the disappointing thing is Mark Stevens (assistant boss) has been at the club for 35 years and he hasn't been phoned.

"Considering the way we have been playing and the squad I have got together, we have made massive steps since I took over. It's a bit of a kick in the teeth really.

"I've spoken to some of the players who have stood by me over the last two and a half years. The commitment they have given me is phenomenal.

"It's left a bitter taste really, but there you go." The club broke the news on their website this afternoon, announcing that McNally plus his assistant Stevens had left the club.

Now the former Shrivenham boss is planning on taking a break from the game, but hasn't ruled out a return to non-league action.

"Now I plan to watch my son play a bit more, I'm sure something will come up – I had a couple of offers in pre-season," he added.















"I'll probably have a couple of weeks out of it, go and watch local football, watch Man United, put my feet up, annoy the missus and get back into it."

The club also stated they will make another announcement in due course with regards to McNally's replacement.

# Football Pyramid 2017-18

# Bluefin Hellenic Challenge Cup

Step	League/Division					
1	National League (24 clubs) <i>(Vanarama National)</i>  Promoted to League Two of The Football League: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff.</i> Relegated to either National League North or National League South: <i>4 clubs.</i>					
2	National League North (22 clubs) <i>(Vanarama National North)</i>			National League South (22 clubs) <i>(Vanarama National South)</i>		
	Promoted to National League: <i>Champions of each division; the winners of a 2nd-5th playoff in each division will also be promoted.</i> Relegated to Step 3 leagues: <i>3 clubs from each division.</i>					
3	Northern Prem. League (24 clubs) <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Premier Division		Southern League (24 clubs) <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Premier Division		Isthmian League (24 clubs) <i>(Ryman League)</i> Premier Division	
	Promoted to National League North or South: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league.</i> Relegated to Step 4 leagues: <i>4 clubs from each league.</i>					
4	Northern Premier League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One North	Northern Premier League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One South	Southern Football League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One Central	Southern Football League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One South & West	Isthmian League <i>(Ryman League)</i> Division One South	Isthmian League <i>(Ryman League)</i> Division One North
	*All divisions of 22 clubs except Isthmian League divisions which have 24 teams in each Promoted to Step 3 leagues: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league.</i> Relegated to Step 5 leagues determined by NLS Committee: <i>2 clubs from each league.</i>					
5	Combined Counties League Premier Division   Eastern Counties League Premier Division   Essex Senior League   <b>Hellenic League Premier Division</b>   Southern Counties East League Premier Division   Midlands League Premier Division   Northern Counties East League Premier Division   Northern League Division One   North West Counties League Premier   Spartan South Midlands League Premier Division   Southern Combination League Premier Division One   United Counties League Premier Division   Wessex League Premier Division   Western League Premier Division					
	Promoted to Step 4 leagues determined by NLS Committee: <i>Total of 12.</i> Clubs must have applied to the Football Association for promotion to Step Four for the 2016/17 season by 31 December 2015, must then pass ground grading requirements and must finish in the top two places in their league to be eligible for promotion. If there are more clubs applying for promotion than places available, priority is given to champion clubs of the respective leagues. Relegated: <i>Arranged according to separate agreements with Step 6 leagues, as approved by the FA.</i>					
6	Combined Counties League - Division One   East Midlands Counties League   Eastern Counties League - Division One   <b>Hellenic League - Division One East</b>   <b>Hellenic League - Division One West</b>   Kent Invicta League   Midland League - Division One   Northern Counties East - Division One   Northern League - Division Two   North West Counties League - Division One   Southern Combination League - Division One   South West Peninsula League - Premier Division   Spartan South Midlands League - Division One   United Counties League - Division One   Wessex League Division One   West Midlands (Regional) League - Premier Division   Western League - Division One					
	Promotion and relegation: <i>Arranged according to separate agreements with appropriate leagues.</i>					
7	Anglian Combination - Premier Division   Cambridgeshire League - Premier Division   Central Midlands League - North Division   Central Midlands League - South Division   Cheshire League - Premier Division   Dorset Premier League   Essex Olympian League - Premier Division   Essex & Suffolk Border League - Premier Division   Gloucestershire   Gloucestershire County League   Hampshire Premier League - Senior Division   Hertfordshire Senior County League - Premier Division   Humber Premier League - Premier Division   Leicestershire Senior League - Premier Division   Liverpool County Premier League - Premier Division   Manchester League - Premier Division   Middlesex County League - Premier Division   Midland League - Division Two   Northern Alliance - Premier Division   Nottinghamshire Senior League - Premier Division   Peterborough and District League - Premier Division   Sheffield and Hallamshire County Senior League - Premier Division   Somerset County League - Premier Division   South West Peninsula League - Division One East   South West Peninsula League - Division One West   Staffordshire County Senior League - Premier Division   Suffolk and Ipswich League - Senior Division   Wearside Football League   West Cheshire Amateur League - Division One   West Lancashire League - Premier Division   West Yorkshire League - Premier Division   Wiltshire Football League					
	Promotion and relegation: <i>Arranged according to separate agreements with appropriate leagues.</i>					
7A	Northamptonshire Combination League - Premier Division   Oxfordshire Senior Football League - Premier Division   Thames Valley League - Premier Division   Teesside Football League   West Midlands (Regional) League - Division One   York Football League - Premier Division					
7B	Bedfordshire County Football League - Premier Division   Kent County League - Premier Division   Spartan South Midlands League - Division Two   Surrey Elite Intermediate League   West Riding County Amateur League - Premier Division					

	Combined Counties League		Northern League		Wessex League
	Eastern Counties League		North West Counties League		Western League
	Essex Senior League		Southern Counties East Football League		
	Hellenic League		Spartan South Midlands League		
	Midland Football League		Sussex County League		
	Northern Counties East League		United Counties League		

## HELLENIC LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP SPONSORED BY BLUEFIN

SEASON 2016-17		
First Round		
Abingdon United	1 - 3	Ardley United
Aston Clinton	1 - 7	Didcot Town
Bicester Town	1 - 5	North Leigh
Bourton Rovers	2 - 0	Letcombe
Brackley Town Saints	4 - 0	Woodstock Town
Burnham	2 - 5	Bracknell Town
Chalfont Wasps	1 - 1	Wantage Town
Chalvey Sports	4 - 1	Kidlington
Chinnor (6-4 pens)	0 - 0	Shortwood United
Cirencester Town	2 - 3	Sandhurst Town
Clanfield	2 - 3	New College Swindon
Fairford Town	1 - 2	Highworth Town
Farington Town	0 - 4	Thame United
Headington Amateurs	2 - 1	Finchampsleas
Highmoor Ibis (5-4 pens)	1 - 1	Penn & Tyers Green
Holyport	6 - 0	Cheltenham Saracens
Hook Norton	2 - 4	Rayners Lane
Longlevens	10 - 2	Stokenchurch
Lynch Pin	2 - 1	AFC Aldermaston
Milton Keynes Academy	1 - 3	Binfield
Milton United	0 - 1	Easington Sports
Moreton Rangers	3 - 1	Tythington Rocks
Oxford City Nomads	2 - 0	Furton
Oxford City Development	5 - 0	Henley Town
Tokington Harvest (withdrawn)	L - W	Royal Wootton Bassett Town
Tuffley Rovers	W - L	Carterton
Wokingham & Emmbrook	3 - 4	Lydney Town
Woodley United	1 - 1	Shrivenham (1-3 on pens)
Ascot United		Bye
Brimscombe & Thrupp		Bye
Flackwell Heath		Bye
Thatcham Town		Bye

SEASON 2017-18		
Second Round		
Ardley United	1 - 1	Flackwell Heath (8-9 on pens)
Ascot	1 - 2	Highmoor Ibis
Binfield	7 - 3	Oxford City Development
Bourton Rovers	1 - 4	Brackley Town Saints
Bracknell Town	4 - 3	Shrivenham
Chalfont Wasps	1 - 2	Lydney Town
Chinnor	2 - 1	Didcot Town Res
Easington Sports	2 - 0	Thame United
Headington Amateurs	5 - 2	Lynch Pin
Highworth Town	2 - 0	Oxford City Nomads
Holyport	4 - 1	North Leigh
Longlevens	3 - 2	Rayners Lane
New College	1 - 1	Chalvey Sports (2 - 4 pens)
Royal Wootton Bassett Town	2 - 3	Sandhurst Town
Thatcham Town	3 - 0	Moreton Rangers
Tuffley Rovers	0 - 2	Brimscombe & Thrupp

Third Round		
Binfield	5 - 2	Sandhurst Town
Brackley Town Saints	1 - 5	Holyport
Brimscombe & Thrupp	4 - 0	Chalvey Sports
Chinnor	3 - 4	Headington Amateurs
Highmoor Ibis	1 - 4	Highworth Town
Longlevens	3 - 5	Bracknell Town
Lydney Town	4 - 0	Easington Sports
Thatcham Town	1 - 2	Flackwell Heath

Quarter Finals		
Bracknell Town	3 - 1	Binfield
Brimscombe & Thrupp	2 - 1	Lydney Town
Flackwell Heath	1 - 3	Highworth Town
Headington Amateurs	2 - 1	Brackley Town Saints

Semi Finals		
Highworth Town	3 - 2	Brimscombe & Thrupp
Headington Amateurs	1 - 5	Bracknell Town

Final		
Bracknell Town	2 - 0	Highworth Town



Cup - Winners	
1998-99	Burnham
1999-00	Swindon Supermarine
2000-01	Carterton Town
2001-02	Gloucester United
2002-03	Yate Town
2003-04	Didcot Town
2004-05	Didcot Town
2005-06	Didcot Town
2006-07	Hungerford Town
2007-08	Hungerford Town
2008-09	Almondsbury Town
2009-10	Ardley United
2010-11	Holyport
2011-12	Highworth Town
2012-13	Oxford City Nomads
2013-14	Ascot United
2014-15	Ardley United
2015-16	Flackwell Heath
2016-17	Bracknell Town

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SEASON 2017-18		
First Round		
Binfield	-	Woodley United
Burnham	-	Thame Rangers
Chalfont Wasps	-	Oxford City Nomads
Chalvey Sports	-	Headington Amateurs
Cheltenham Saracens	-	Woodstock Town
Cirencester Town Dev	-	Bishops Cleeve
Clanfield	-	Royal Wootton Bassett Town
Didcot Town	-	Wokingham & Emmbrook
Easington Sports	-	Newent Town
Fairford Town	-	Kidlington
Henley Town	-	AFC Aldermaston
Highmoor Ibis	-	Windsor
Highworth Town	-	Tythington Rocks
Holyport	-	Chinnor
Letcombe	-	Bourton Rovers
London Celtic	-	Abingdon United
Longlevens	-	Tuffley Rovers
Lydney Town	-	Farington Town
Milton United	-	Long Crendon
New College Swindon	-	Moreton Rangers
North Leigh	-	Ardley United
Penn & Tyers Green	-	Abingdon Town
Pewsey Vale	-	Carterton
Sandhurst Town	-	Bicester Town
Shortwood United	-	Brimscombe & Thrupp
Shrivenham	-	Brackley Town Saints
Virginia Water	-	Ascot Clinton
Wallingford Town	-	Ascot United
Bracknell Town	-	Bye
Flackwell Heath	-	Bye
Thatcham Town	-	Bye
Wantage Town	-	Bye





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# Moonraker Football



So the last edition of Moonraker contained duff information about the loan destination of Scott Twine. He did not go to Salisbury after all but has gone to Chippenham Town instead. It seems that Salisbury jumped the gun by announcing the capture of Scott before the paperwork had been done which alerted Chippenham to his availability and Mark Collier jumped in to take Scott on loan. A higher level of football for Scott than Salisbury were offering and a bit closer to home for training and home games. Scott was straight in the starting line up for Chippenham's trip to Dartford on Saturday and played for 90 minutes in the 3-0 defeat to the third placed side. He nearly scored in the opening 15 minutes and was given a 6 out of 10 by the match reporter in the Non-League Paper on Sunday. The defeat left Chippenham in 13<sup>th</sup> place with 12 points from their opening 10 league fixtures in national League South.

Despite not securing the services of the Swindon town striker Salisbury had a good weekend as they won 8-0 away at Shortwood United. Marvin Brooks scored a hat-trick for Steve Claridge's side and there were further goals from Sam Roberts, Thomas Whelan, Kane O'Keefe and two own goals. A good day also for Swindon Supermarine who won 3-0 away at Mangotsfield United. Josh Parsons put Supermarine in front after just four minutes and scored a second three minutes later through Lee Marshal. Connor Thompson added a third before half-time to affectively wrap up the points by the break. Mangotsfield had one sent off late on but Supermarine were unable to add further goals in the second half.

Step 5 and 6 of the Pyramid saw FA Vase action this weekend for most of the clubs in the county and it was a mixed day results wise for the county. It kicked off on a good note on Friday night with Royal Wootton Bassett Town defeating Fairford Town 3-1 in front of a bumper crowd. Best performance of the weekend award probably goes to Malmesbury Victoria who defeated Step 5 side Chipping Sodbury Town 5-3. Highworth Town were comfortable 4-0 home winners over Easington Sports. Amesbury Town had a good 3-0 home win over New Milton Town and Calne Town had an enjoyable trip to the Isle of Wight, defeating East Cowes Vics 3-1. New College Swindon shipped ten goals without reply at home to Ampthill. Westbury United hit three without reply away at Cove and Warminster Town were 3-1 home winners over Folland Sports. Chippenham Park won the all Wiltshire clash at Pewsey Vale, 2-0 the score to the visitors in this one. The other three Wiltshire sides in action all lost. Laverstock & Ford lost 2-1 at home to Fawley, Corsham Town went down 1-0 away at Petersfield Town and Devizes Town lost 2-1 at Windsor, Barry Hayles with one of the goals in this one.

In the next round Highworth Town are home to Burnham, Royal Wootton Bassett Town are home to Codicote, Malmesbury Victoria are away to London Lions, Amesbury Town are away to Alton Town, Calne Town will be home to Downton in an all-Wiltshire clash, Warminster Town are home to Farnham, Chippenham Park are home against Camberley Town and Westbury United are home to Christchurch.

League action on Saturday in the county at Step 5 and 6 was restricted to the Western and Wessex leagues. Both Melksham Town and Bradford Town drew, Melksham shared six goals with Street and Bradford drew 1-1 at home with Odd Down. In the Wessex Downton were 3-0 home winners over Weymouth Reserves.

Saturday's action from the Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League is contained elsewhere in tonight's programme.



# Royal Wootton Bassett Town F.C. Season 2017-18 First Team Fixtures, Results & Line-ups

Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	Crowd	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15
Wed 02-Aug	Brackley Town Saints	A	D 2 - 2	53	A.Brown	Hughes	D.Richards	Drewett	Yeardeley	Cheetham	Wright(1)	Wrona	Gambling (1)	Packer	Cox	Thompson	Bailey	Lance
Sat 05-Aug	Crawley Green (FAC EP)	H	L 1 - 2	89	A.Brown	Hughes	D.Richards	Hawkins	Yeardeley	Cheetham	Wright	Wrona	Gambling (1)	Packer	Bailey	Thompson	Lance	
Sat 12-Aug	Bracknell Town	H	L 1 - 3	75	Bulman	Stevens	D.Richards	Aitkenhead	Robinson	Cheetham	Thompson	Wrona	Coleman	Packer	Lodge (1)	Rawlins	Bailey	Wright
Tue 15-Aug	Lydney Town	A	D 1 - 1	87	Bulman	Stevens	D.Richards	Jones	Yeardeley	Cheetham	Wright	Wrona	Coleman	Packer	Lodge	Gambling (1)	Bailey	
Sat 19-Aug	Windsor	H	D 1 - 1	82	Bulman	Stevens	D.Richards	Drewett	Jackson (1)	Thompson	Wright	Wrona	Gambling	Packer	Coleman	Lance	Bailey	
Sat 26-Aug	Thatcham Town	H	L 0 - 3	103	Lawrence	Cheetham	D.Richards	Yeardeley	Jackson	Robinson	Wright	Wrona	Sprolue	Packer	Scholes	Aitkenhead	Gambling	Lodge
Mon 28-Aug	Highworth Town	A	L 2 - 3	NK	Lawrence	Aitkenhead	Collier	Yeardeley	Jackson	Robinson	Wright (1)	Wrona	Sprolue	Packer (1)	Scholes	Cheetham	D. Richards	Lodge
Sat 02-Sep	Flackwell Heath	A	L 0 - 4	55	Lawrence	Cheetham	Collier	Yeardeley	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Wright	Wrona	Sprolue	Packer	Scholes	Cox	Stevens	Lodge
Tue 05-Sep	Brackley Town Saints	H	W 1 - 0	58	Lawrence	Cheetham	Collier	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Lodge	Wright	Wrona	Sprolue	Packer (1)	Scholes	Gerrish	Stevens	Corcoran
Fri 08-Sep	Fairford Town (FAV 1QR)	H	W 3 - 1	159	Lawrence	Corcoran	Collier (1)	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Wright	Gerrish	Sprolue	Packer (1)	Scholes (1)	Yeardeley	Wrona	Lodge
Wed 13-Sep	Lydney Town	H																
Sat 16-Sep	Highmoor Ibis	A																
Tue 19-Sep	Tuffley Rovers	A																
Sat 23-Sep	Codicote (FAV 2QR)	H																
Sat 30-Sep	Burnham	H																
Tue 03-Oct	Windsor	A																
Sat 07-Oct	Clanfield '85 (BICC1)	A																
Sat 14-Oct	Brimscombe & Thrupp	A																
Wed 18-Oct	Cricklade Town (WSC1)	H																
Sat 21-Oct	Oxford City Nomads	H																
Sat 28-Oct	Fairford Town	H																
Sat 04-Nov	Longlevens	H																
Sat 18-Nov	Wantage Town	A																
Wed 22-Nov	Tuffley Rovers	H																
Sat 25-Nov	Oxford City Nomads	A																
Sat 02-Dec	Abingdon United	A																
Sat 09-Dec	Woodley Utd	H																
Sat 16-Dec	Ascot United	A																
Sat 23-Dec	Highmoor Ibis	H																
Tue 26-Dec	Highworth Town	H																
Sat 30-Dec	Binfield	A																
Sat 06-Jan	Bracknell Town	A																
Sat 13-Jan	Thatcham Town	A																
Sat 20-Jan	Flackwell Heath	H																
Sat 27-Jan	Burnham	A																
Sat 03-Feb	Brimscombe & Thrupp	H																
Sat 10-Feb	Fairford Town	A																
Sat 17-Feb	Longlevens	A																
Sat 24-Feb	Wantage Town	H																
Sat 10-Mar	Abingdon United	H																
Sat 17-Mar	Woodley Utd	A																
Sat 24-Mar	Ascot United	H																
Mon 02-Apr	Binfield	H																

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