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## First Team Honours

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

## Reserve/Dev Team Honours

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

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# Welcome To Today's Game

## First Team Matters

Good afternoon and welcome to the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground for this FA Vase First Round Proper fixture against fellow Wiltshire side Downton.

A special warm welcome to all of the management players, committee members and supporters from Downton who have made the journey from South Wiltshire for this FA Vase encounter.

Downton are having a very good season in Division One of the Wessex League and currently sit in sixth place in the table with six wins from their opening 11 games, drawing three and have been beaten just twice. Although notionally county rivals, there have been very few previous competitive meetings between the two sides over the years. Indeed, the teams have met just twice before, both games being in the Wiltshire Senior Cup. Further details on these two previous meetings is included in the Press Officer's preview of the game in today's programme.

We are on what can only be described as a very poor run of form in the league, where we are now without a win in eight league games. The latest defeat being our 5-2 loss last week to much fancied Malvern Town who clearly showed why they are one of the favourites for the title. Also, if they attract crowds of over 230 as they did last week, they clearly look like a side that is ready to progress higher up the National League System. Whilst we have been on this poor league run respite has come for us in this prestigious national competition where we have defeated both Knaphill and Portishead to reach this stage. Hopefully this great competition will again offer us more joy this afternoon and allow us to return to winning ways ahead of another Wiltshire derby in the league on Tuesday night when Westbury United visit the Gerard Buxton Ground.

## Development Team

The Development Team's unbeaten run in the Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League finally came to an end last Saturday when they were beaten 3-1 at home by the team who started the day level on points with them at the top of the table, Pewsey Vale. It was a typical top of the table clash that saw two penalties, six bookings and a sending off. The game was decided by fine margins with Bassett going close on a number of occasions and hopefully Steve Yeardley's side will return to winning ways when they make the journey to Bath today to play Odd Down Reserves.

## Ladies Team

The Ladies saw their Wiltshire County Cup game against Swindon Supermarine awarded to them last Sunday with their opponents unable to raise a team. Five of the seven scheduled fixtures in the First Round of the competition ended up being awarded, an unwelcome occurrence that has blighted all the Wiltshire County Cup competitions this season. The Ladies have been drawn away to Warminster Town Ladies in the quarter finals, with the game scheduled for November 21st.

## Veterans' Team

The draw has also been made for the quarter finals of the Veterans' County Cup and we have been drawn against Trowbridge Tigers with the game to be played at New College Swindon on Tuesday 9th November. This game is winnable and with two of the fancied teams, Melksham Town and Devizes Town, drawing each other there is every chance of further progress should we win this game and get a favourable draw in the semi-final.

Enjoy the game this afternoon and hopefully a return to winning ways for Sam and the lads with progress in this prestigious national cup competition.

*Mark*

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# From The Gaffer



Good afternoon and welcome to everyone for this very exciting and important FA Vase tie, I would like to welcome the management, players, staff and supporters from Downton to our home, They are a team who we entertained in pre season however the side that visit today will not be the side we played in July. Downton are flying in the league this season and I am happy for that to continue however lets hope there Vase run ends today.

Its my first notes for a while due to what I can only describe as utter carnage in my personal life with the birth of

my son Fred, its been a world wind but the second greatest achievement in my life, ( the first is the FA cup run last season!). I was gutted to miss two games while Megan was in labour and left the side in very safe hands with Bully, In fact just a hour before Fred was born when I saw that the Dev was called off me and Bully were on the phone getting Benno in the squad.

There is no getting away from the fact we haven't had the results that we have wanted over the last seven games, however the displays have been far from getting what we deserve. Lydney we should have been out of sight in the first half but due to a lack or ruthlessness, we let them stay in the game and when you do that you always give a side a chance to get back in it with set plays and it happened with the last

kick of the game.

The home game to Brimscombe was one hardest to take, we started bright and found ourselves 1-0 against the run of play, however we came out second half and bossed it and got ourselves back in it, and then looked like only side to win the game, However a shocking decision from the ref caused havoc and I think I was more frustrated that the lino confirmed it was a foul but didn't want to get involved. For the people that know me and Bully we are very passionate and the blood was certainly boiling. We hold our hands up and agree sometimes we go over the top, this is simply due to wanting to win!

I am told that if we win today this is a record for the club in the distance we have gone in the Vase, That would be a huge honour for me, Bully and the players to have achieved this. We know we will need to be at our very best to get past this strong Step 6 side, its always extremely hard to play at home in cup games, teams turn up and see the pitch and instantly are up for it.

We finally managed to train for the first time this season due to the huge amount of games we have been given, it was a great chance for us to have a meeting but also to be able to work on shape and how we want to work, Tom put on a great session. We also had two young lads in Jowan Partridge and Alex Stephenson who impressed massively and have earnt the call up today.

We hope that come 5pm history is made!!

Enjoy the game

*Sam*

# Hellenic Premier Division 21-22

**Saturday 16 October 2021**

**As reported in Sunday's Non-League Paper by Robin Jones**

**Cribbs** are still topping the Premier Division table following their 4-0 win at **Westbury United**, Nick Jones and Steve Murry on target before Dan Webb helped himself to a double.

**Tuffley Rovers** held second placed **Bishops Cleeve** to a goalless draw while two goals from Dave Reynolds and one each from Joe Bates, Joe Bullock and Nathan Chown-Higgs saw third placed **Malvern Town** see off **Royal Wootton Bassett Town** 5-2 in front of a crowd of 232, the day's highest.

A second-minute own goal by Joe Broadbank and a late goal from Charlie Price saw fourth placed **Brimscombe & Thrupp** win 2-0 at **Shrivenham** while Charlie Walton, Jake Brown and George Box were on target as hosts **Bradford Town** beat **Longlevens** 3-1.

**Hereford Lads Club** returned from **Calne Town** with a 2-0 victory, Jordan Burke and Cameron Peters scoring.

**Corsham Town** came from behind to win 2-1 at **Chipping Sodbury Town** with Tom Stocks and Gary Higdon netting with Craig Lancaster, Brandon Benjamin and Marcus Worwell scored for **Thornbury Town** in their 3-1 victory at basement side **Hallen**.

**Roman Glass St George** beat visitors **Fairford Town** 2-0 while goals from Harrison Summers, Josh Hunt and Cawley Cox saw **Westfields** beat visitors **Lydney Town** 3-0.

## **Midweek Round-up**

The big game on Tuesday night saw the top two **Cribbs** and **Bishops Cleeve** share six goals and the points. Cribbs remained top

of the table but Bishops Cleeve dropped a place as a result of **Brimscombe & Thrupp's** 2-1 away win at bottom of the table **Hallen**. The other game on Tuesday saw **Tuffley Rovers** win 3-1 at home to **Chipping Sodbury Town**.

There were two further games on Wednesday night. **Bradford Town** moved up to sixth place with a 3-2 away win in the Wiltshire derby at **Calne Town**. **Longlevens** are one place above them in the table after they were involved in a nine goal game with **Shrivenham**, Longlevens winning 6-3.

## **Fixtures**

**Saturday 23rd October 2021**

### **FA Vase**

Brimscombe & Thrupp v Welton Rovers  
Cribbs v Andover New Street  
Falmouth Town v Bradford Town  
Longlevens v Shaftesbury FC  
Royal W. Bassett Town v Downton  
Torpoint Ath v Chipping Sodbury Town  
Tuffley Rovers v Street

### **Premier Division**

Corsham Town v Bishops Cleeve  
Hallen v Shrivenham  
Malvern Town v Fairford Town  
Westbury United v Lydney Town

**Tuesday 26th October 2021**

### **Premier Division**

Chipping Sodbury Town v Thornbury Town  
Corsham Town v Roman Glass St George  
Lydney Town v Malvern Town  
Royal W. Bassett Town v Westbury Utd  
Westfields v Tuffley Rovers

**Wednesday 27th October 2021**

### **Premier Division**

Bradford Town v Brimscombe & Thrupp  
Longlevens v Hereford Lads Club

# Today's Opponents

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Wessex League Division  
One Winners 2010-11

Wiltshire Senior Cup  
Winners 1979-80, 1980-81

Wiltshire Junior Cup  
Winners 1949-50

Bournemouth League  
Cup Winners 1961-62,  
1963-64, 1966-67

Salisbury & District  
League Norman Court  
Cup Winners 1924-25,  
1931-32, 1933-34, 1934-35,  
1935-36, 1938-39

Salisbury Hospital Cup  
Winners 2008-09,  
2009-10, 2011-12

Bournemouth Senior  
Cup Winners 1962-63,  
1979-80

Russell Cotes Cup  
Winners 1995-96

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**MANAGER**

Ben Smith



## Downton Historical Record - Previous 15 Seasons

Season	League & Division	FAC	FAV	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Top Scorer
2006/07	Wessex Premier	1QR	1QR	38	7	10	21	48	89	31	18 out of 20	Daniel Sullivan 16
2007/08	Wessex Premier	PRE	2QR	44	1	3	40	29	177	6	23 out of 23	Daniel Gain 6
2008/09	Wessex Division 1	1QR	1QR	40	9	10	21	56	91	37	17 out of 21	Kevin Thick 21
2009/10	Wessex Division 1	EPR	1ST	40	22	10	8	96	57	76	4 out of 21	Declan McGregor 30
2010/11	Wessex Division 1	EPR	2ND	36	27	7	2	106	29	88	1 out of 19	Declan McGregor 35
2011/12	Wessex Premier	EPR	2ND	42	6	8	28	49	121	26	6 out of 22	Declan McGregor & Nick Turpin 20
2012/13	Wessex Premier	EPR	3RD	40	19	8	13	81	61	65	8 out of 21	Nick Turpin 21
2013/14	Wessex Premier	EPR	2QR	42	6	8	28	49	121	26	21 out of 22	Declan McGregor 14
2014/15	Wessex Division 1	EPR	n/a	28	6	9	13	81	61	65	12 out of 15	Declan McGregor 10
2015/16	Wessex Division 1	n/a	1QR	34	13	7	14	52	54	46	10 out of 18	Ben Smith 11
2016/17	Wessex Division 1	n/a	1QR	40	19	6	15	66	53	63	11 out of 21	Ben Smith & Shaun Prentice 14
2017/18	Wessex Division 1	n/a	1ST	34	12	2	20	51	77	38	12 out of 18	Ben Smith 11
2018/19	Wessex Division 1	n/a	1QR	36	14	9	13	67	68	51	7 out of 19	Thomas Moseley 19
2019/20	Wessex Division 1	n/a	1ST	28	16	5	7	62	40	53	5* out of 19	Thomas Moseley 25
2020/21	Wessex Division 1	n/a	1QR	14	3	2	9	20	29	11	13* out of 19	Thomas Moseley 9

636 180 104 252 913 1,128 \* Position at time Covid-19 led to season being curtailed  
33.6% 19.4% 47.0%

	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst				
Wessex Division 1	330	141	67	122	657	559	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	42.7%	20.3%	37.0%
Wessex Premier Division	206	39	37	130	256	569	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	18.9%	18.0%	63.1%

## Downton - Season 2021-22 So Far

Comp	Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	Goal Scorers
WES1	7-Aug-21	Folland Sports	H	L 1 - 2	Clarke
WES1	14-Aug-21	Ringwood Town	A	W 6 - 1	Laptas 2, Gulliver, Howe, Moseley, Cummings
WES1	17-Aug-21	Bemerton Heath Harl.	A	D 2 - 2	Clark, Moseley
WES1	21-Aug-21	Andover Town	H	W 4 - 3	Clarke, Dible, Laptas, Cummings
WES1	28-Aug-21	Newport (IOW)	H	W 2 - 0	Gulliver, Tyson
WES1	4-Sep-21	Ash United	A	W 2 - 0	Dible, Laptas
WES1	10-Sep-21	Laverstock & Ford	A	L 0 - 5	
WLC	14-Sep-21	Bournemouth	H	W 5 - 4	Moseley 3, Laptas 2
WES1	18-Sep-21	Fawley AFC	H	D 2 - 2	Moseley 2
WSC	21-Sep-21	Laverstock & Ford	H	W 2 - 2*	Moseley 2
FAV	25-Sep-21	Ringwood Town	A	W 2 - 1	Waters, Cummings
WLC	5-Oct-21	Andover New Street	H	W 1 - 0	Howe
WES1	9-Oct-21	Petersfield Town	H	W 2 - 1	Prentice 2
WES1	12-Oct-21	Totton & Eling	H	W 3 - 1	Prentice 2, Butler
WES1	16-Oct-21	Infinity	A	D 4 - 4	Conor 2, Kitcher, Prentice

### Top Goal Scorers

Thomas Moseley	9
Marcel Laptas	6
Shaun Prentice	5
Joshua Cummings	5
Daniel Clarke	2
Paul Gulliver	2
Sam Howe	2
Sam Dible	2
Lewis Connor	2
James Clark	1
Craig Tyson	1
Jamie Waters	1
Cameron Butler	1
Callum Kitcher	1



# Opponents History



DOWNTON Football Club was formed in September 1905, following a meeting which had been arranged by the Rev J.H. Phillips.

Early results were not very encouraging. However, after the First World War in 1919 the Robins fared better after entering the Salisbury & District League.

They gained promotion from Division Two to Division One in 1920, but returned to Division Two in 1924. The 1924/25 season saw Downton become the first winners of the Norman Court Cup, beating Alderbury in the final. They won the competition again in 1932, 1934, 1935, 1936 and 1939 and then on three further occasions after World War II.

Downton won the Wilts Junior Cup for the first time in 1949/50, defeating Atworth 6-2 in the final. The following season, the club entered the Bournemouth League and gained promotion to Division One, winning the championship five times. The 1958/59 season saw them secure promotion to Senior Division One, winning the title seven times between 1959/60 and 1967/68 – an achievement which resulted in Bournemouth FA presenting the club with a special plaque.

Downton also won the Bournemouth Senior Cup in 1962/63 and 1979/80 and the Senior League Cup in 1961/62, 1963/64 and 1966/67.

In order to progress further, Downton joined the Hampshire League in 1968/69, winning promotion in 1971/72. More promotions followed in 1978/79 and 1979/80.

In 1992/93, The Robins were elected to the Wessex League – the club's reserves joining its Combination League. The 1995/96 campaign proved one of the club's best ever – winning both the Wessex League Cup and the Russell Cotes Cup, while its reserves finished runners-up in the Combination Cup. They also entered the FA Vase for the first time.

A highest ever league finish of eighth was achieved in the 1996/97 season. The club entered the FA Cup for the first time in

1997/98. Downton enjoyed county success in the Wilts Senior Cup, winning it in 1979/80 and 1980/81, and finishing runners-up in 1955/56, 1991/92 and 1994/95.

Closer to home, The Robins lifted the Salisbury Hospital Cup in 2008/09, beating Shrewton United in the final having defeated Laverstock & Ford and Amesbury Town en route. They retained the cup the following season when they beat Chalke Valley in the final, staged at Salisbury City's Raymond McEnhill Stadium.

The 2010/11 campaign proved a highly memorable one. As well as securing promotion to the Premier Division after being crowned Division One champions in what was the league's 25th anniversary season, Downton also enjoyed their best ever run in the FA Vase, reaching the second round for the first time.

A number of other accolades followed - Jeff Softley picked up the Manager of the Year honour at the league's 25th anniversary celebrations with four players – Charles Aldridge, Calum Robertson, Nick Turpin and Declan McGregor – all named in the Division One Team of the Year.

Downton finished 6th in their first year back in the Sydenhams Premier League, their highest finish ever. They also won the Hospital Cup again, winning 4-0 against Laverstock and Ford.

Following relegation in 2013, Downton have since been playing in the Sydenhams (Wessex) Division One, finishing mid-table in most of those seasons under the leadership of Ben Smith. With the relaunch of their Development team in 2017, they managed to finish second in the Wyvern West Division, earning them a position in the Wyvern Premier. In 2017-18, the Youth section was added to the club, with four teams now playing under the Downton badge, ranging from Under 12's to Under 18's. The club remains committed to building out a Senior and Youth squad for the area to be proud of, with the aim of having a full range of 10 youth clubs over the next few years.

# Club Volunteers In Focus

This season's programme has included an occasional feature on volunteers at the club. Something slightly different today... we reproduce an excellent article that was in the Non-League Paper last Sunday written by Tim Fuell of The Non-League encapsulates brilliantly the value of the volunteers to Non-League football clubs.



In last week's Non League Football Show we spoke with Sean Holland who, over lockdown, launched Twitter account @nonleaguevol. It aims to link would be volunteers with clubs in need of an extra pair of hands. Sean also hopes to celebrate the great work done by volunteers at clubs up and down the land. Without volunteers football at our level wouldn't be able to continue.

When I've raised the importance of volunteers in the past - and I try to do it most week's, if not at all - I've sometimes had people argue back and say many clubs higher up the Non-League Pyramid aren't run on volunteers. They say that they pay big wages for their players and that they have countless staff off the field 'on the books' as employees. That may also be the case but the majority of those staff - even those being paid - aren't on steep executive salaries they could earn elsewhere and are invariably managing a team of volunteers to support them, which is often more complicated than managing a standard paid workforce. In all honesty if you are working at a Non League football club you are doing so, not motivated by the money, but for your love of the game.

One dictionary defines volunteering as an "offer to do something that you do not have to do, often without having been asked to do it and /or without expecting payment". The second half of the definition is so true

of Non-League volunteers.

Even in my own club there are volunteers that do things - essential things - almost as second nature. They don't do it for the praise, they do it for the benefit of their club. I saw somebody (@jancyclops) point out on social media last week something that fits that same definition and is a great example of where we can all help our local club. Just picking up litter in and around a Non-League ground is volunteering. It can be on your way into the ground, out of it or during a game, every little positive action benefits Non-League.

A cleaner ground makes for a happier environment. It may make others more likely to return. Picking up the litter also means that's one less item for another volunteer to have to pick up so they can spend their volunteering time helping in some other way. Every little action makes a difference.

Delving deeper, apparently the word volunteer comes from the Latin word voluntaries, meaning willing or of one's own choice. It sound a bit Harry Potter, but that verb in turn originated from the Latin noun voluntas, meaning will or desire. That's interesting, as at grounds every week, I consistently hear fans decrying lack of will or desire of this player and that. Imagine if each and every one of those fans had a will or desire to volunteer in some form or other for their club. Again that could be a litter pick on their journey out, an hour during the week to help with maintenance or a little extra time to help marshall the car park during youth training.

Sean made the point in the Non League Football show last week that sometimes the help Non-League clubs need isn't obvious to all. If you work in IT, for example, you can be pretty certain that most Non-League clubs are operating on 'it works' basis.

# Club Volunteers In Focus

A little bit of insight and professional knowledge could go a long way to helping your club run more efficiently and effectively. Have a think. What skills do you have that help your business or even your family run well? Are you good with a camera? A keen artist who could mock up some cartoons maybe for the matchday programme or sharing on social media? Are you a keen cleaner - it's not one other volunteers like to do, but if a mop and bucket is your thing, you could become the greatest signing since that 30-goal a season striker.

Whatever your strength or passion, be it strategic planning, financial management, even just a caring ear or nature, there are roles in every Non-League club waiting to be filled. Another cry I often hear back from fans is they don't know what roles there are. To be honest neither do the Non-League clubs most of the time. Make an approach, tell them what you do, what you like, but tell them where you think you can help. They may say no, but with clubs always in the need for more hands on deck I am pretty sure you will be embraced into a club.

Embracing is something we need to do more of too. As I've pointed out, our club's couldn't run without them, so if you own a club please remember the importance of those volunteers that help keep it alive. A little thank you, a little perk here and there, a little bit of love. Remember that definition of volunteering 'offer to do something that you do not have to do, often without having been asked to do it.' If you run a club please show some will and desire to back those who have had the will and desire to step up and help you and their club. We need to celebrate a little more, the wonder of our volunteers.

So this week if you sit down to read your copy of this paper, enjoying the magic of the multitude of clubs up and down this land enjoying Non-League football, remember it is only out of the will or desire of the many thousands of individuals volunteering that these clubs tick along, often without many noticing all the hard work and hours they put in week in week out. Volunteers: We salute you and say thanks.





# Press Officers Game Preview

## FA Vase First Round Proper v Downton

Royal Wootton Bassett Town were handed a home tie against Downton in the Buildbase FA Vase first round. The tie is due to take place at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground today Saturday 23 October.

Victories against Knaphill and Portishead Town have seen Bassett progress through the competition's qualifying rounds for the first time ever in consecutive seasons. And now Sam Collier's side have their eyes on (at the very least) equalling the club's record Vase run, which a win over Downton will achieve. However, to reach the second round – the stage at which they were eliminated last year – Bassett will have to again avoid being the victims of an upset against Step Six opposition.

Downton, who ply their trade in Wessex League Division One, reached the first round courtesy of a 2-1 away win against league rivals Ringwood Town. They previously had a bye in the first qualifying round. So far, they have enjoyed a solid start to their season on all fronts. In the league they have registered six wins, three draws and two defeats from their opening eleven fixtures, while, in addition to their Vase success, they have made it through to the Wiltshire Senior Cup quarter finals and the Wessex League Cup last sixteen.

In the Vase, Downton will now be aiming to reach the second round for the first time since 2012-13. That season the Robins advanced to the third round – their best

performance in the competition, having also reached the second round in 2010-11 and 2011-12.

Although notionally county rivals, there have been very few previous competitive meetings between Bassett and Downton. Indeed, the teams have met just twice before in the Wiltshire Senior Cup.

The first encounter was in 1973-74 when Bassett triumphed 3-0 in the Senior Cup opening round before Downton prevailed 1-0 in a second round tie in 1992-93. The teams should also have faced each other in the 1963-64 county competition. However, Bassett were unable to raise a side for that away fixture. There will be no such issues this time around though as Bassett and Downton face off in a national competition. And it's set to be an entertaining Vase tie, which both clubs are looking forward to.

In addition to the limited number of competitive fixtures between the two sides the two teams also met in a pre-season friendly in July on the 3G at the Gerard Buxton Ground. Bassett secured an impressive 3-0 win against the Wessex League outfit as Bailey Gallagher, Alan Griffin and Tom Moore were all on target. Don't read too much into that result though as both teams will have had a heavy change in personnel from that day, which at that stage of the season was all about gaining match fitness. A few photos from that pre-season game are shown below.



# Half Time Quiz

Another music lyrics quiz today with all the songs having a day of the week in their title. All you need to do is name the artist and the song from the lyrics below:

1	Six o'clock already I was just in the middle of a dream I was kissin' Valentino By a crystal-blue, Italian stream
2	I don't care if Monday's blue Tuesday's grey and Wednesday too Thursday I don't care about you
3	It's getting late have you seen my mates Ma tell me when the boys get here It's seven o'clock and I want to rock Want to get a belly full of beer
4	Here she comes to say, good night I'll get no sleep, tonight With a constant vision, she still can see She was the girl for me
5	How does it feel When you treat me like you do And you've laid your hands upon me And told me who you are?
6	Trudging slowly over wet sand Back to the bench where your clothes were stolen This is the coastal town That they forgot to close down
7	Your local rock group down the street Is trying hard to learn this song To serenade the weekend squire Just came out to mow his lawn
8	Shake up the picture, the lizard mixture With your dance on the eventide You got me coming up with answers
9	The silicon chip inside her head Gets switched to overload And nobody's gonna go to school today
10	I know a girl from a lonely street Cold as ice cream, but still as sweet

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**Edward Cavanagh - Goalie**  
Experienced goalkeeper who played four times for us back in Season 2019-20. Joins from Shrivernham having also played for Wantage Town amongst others.



**Michael Miller - Defender**  
Defender who featured five times for Bassett in 2019-20 while on loan from Thatcham Town. Has also represented Winchester City and is comfortable both at centre half and full back.

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**Sam Ockwell - Defender**  
Ever present last season who has clocked up 75 appearances for the club ahead of this season. Cultured defender who always seems to have plenty of time on the ball and capable of delivering a killer pass.



**Sam Morris - Defender/Midfield**  
Was with Swindon Town as a youngster before joining Swindon Supermarine. Has also played for Fairford Town in the Hellenic League.

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**Khedive McIntosh - Defender**  
New signing this season. Previously played for both Holmer Green and Flackwell Heath in the Hellenic Premier Division.



**Adam Corcoran - Defender**  
Imposing defender with the ability to play either at centre half or full back who starts the season having made over 220 appearances for the club.

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**Macauley Dodson - Defender**  
Classy defender who re-joins us from Shrivernham having previously played for Swindon Supermarine, Highworth Town, Chippenham Town and Forest Green Rovers and having also made 2 appearances for us in 2017-18.



**David Bampton - Midfield**  
Experienced former Swindon Town player who also played for Tamworth and Worcester in the Conference and most recently with Swindon Supermarine in the Southern League.

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**Scott Chilcott - Defender**  
Experienced defender who joins from Shrivernham. Previously with Pewsey Vale and Fairford Town – with whom he won the Hellenic League Division One West title in the 2016-17 season.



**Gabriel Fernandes - Midfield**  
Former Indian professional footballer with lots of pace who played for both FC Goa and Mumbai City in the Indian Super League. Joins us from Shrivernham.

**Steve Green**



**Chris Taylor - Midfield**  
Classy midfielder who spent the majority of his career with Swindon Supermarine but has also featured for Cirencester Town, Highworth Town and made 4 substitute appearances for Swindon Town.



**Gio Wrona**  
Experienced midfielder player who is always wanting the ball and starts the season with 139 appearances for the club. Previously with Swindon Supermarine, North Leigh, Larkhall and Thatcham Town.

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**Zac Skinner - Forward**  
Skillful youngster who joined from Shrivernham part-way through last season making 12 appearances, 5 of which were from the bench. Expected to kick-on this season and hold down a regular starting position.



**Alan Griffin - Forward**  
Powerful and prolific striker who brings a wealth of Southern League experience having featured extensively for Cirencester Town, Chippenham Town and Swindon Supermarine in a fantastic non-league career.

**Mike Price**



**Kai Robinson - Midfield**  
Hard working tenacious centre midfielder player previously with Wantage Town who returned to Bassett part-way through Season 2019-20 after a long absence due to injury.



**Tommy Ouldridge - Forward**  
Hard working player who started with Swindon Town and had loan spells with Chippenham Town and Cirencester Town. Has also played for Hungerford Town and Swindon Supermarine.

**Roger Williamson**



**Bailey Gallagher - Forward**  
Skillful winger who on his day is virtually unplayable. Product of the club's Youth Section who progressed to the Dev Team and not looked out of place when given First Team chance.



**Joe Selman - Forward**  
An exciting player with plenty of Southern League experience, previously with Swindon Supermarine, Thatcham Town and Melksham Town.

**Andy Walduck**



**Sam Collier - Manager**  
Took over as manager part way through Season 2017-18, achieving the clubs highest ever position in the National League System the next season. Former Bassett player and top scorer in both 2009-10 & 2010-11.



**John Mills - Forward**  
Experienced striker who joined us part way through this season from Southern League side Kidlington. Was with Milton United last season.

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# Royal W. Bassett Town Season 2021-22



**Back:** Zac Skinner, Scott Chilcott, Alan Griffin, Tommy Ouldrige, Dave Bampton, Michael Miller, Nick (Match Day Helper)

**Middle:** Bailey Gallagher, Tom Moore, Harrison Ellis, Ryan Wilkinson, Macauley Dodson, Chris Taylor, Adam Corcoran.

**Front:** Gio Wrona, Mike Alexander (GK Coach), Matt Bullman (Assistant Manager), Sam Collier (Manager), Tom Jones (Coach), Chris Chadwick (Therapist), Sam Ockwell

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# Royal Wootton Bassett Town Season 2021-22



Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	Crowd	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15
Tue 03-Aug	Bishops Cleeve	A	D 2 - 2	86	Ellis	Miller	Skinner	Dodson	Ockwell	Taylor	Gallagher (1)	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Ouldrige	Wrona	Moore		
Sat 07-Aug	Thornbury Town (FAC EP)	A	W 4 - 0	209	Ellis	Corcoran	Skinner	Dodson	Ockwell	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton (1)	Griffin (1)	Ouldrige (1)	Wrona	Moore (1)	Cordery	Robinson
Tue 10-Aug	Roman Glass St George	H	L 0 - 2	141	Ellis	Miller	Cordery	Dodson	Ockwell	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin	Ouldrige	Wrona	Moore	Chilcott	
Sat 14-Aug	Chipping Sodbury Town	H	D 2 - 2	86	Alexander	Corcoran	McIntosh	Dodson (1)	Ockwell	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin	Moore (1)	Wrona			
Tue 17-Aug	Lydney Town	A	W 3 - 1	97	Cavanagh	Corcoran (2)	Chilcott	Dodson	Ockwell	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin	Ouldrige	Moore (1)	Wrona	Cordery	McIntosh
Sat 21-Aug	Ardley United (FAC Prelim)	H	D 2 - 2	129	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Skinner	Dodson	Ockwell	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Cordery	Moore	Wrona (1)	Fernandes	Robinson
Tue 24-Aug	Ardley United (FAC Prelim Replay)	A	L 1 - 3	128	Cavanagh	Miller	Chilcott	Corcoran	Ockwell	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Ouldrige	Morris	Skinner	Fernandes	Robinson
Sat 28-Aug	Hereford Lads Club	H	W 3 - 1	87	Cavanagh	Miller	Chilcott	Corcoran	Ockwell	Taylor	McIntosh (1)	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Ouldrige	Robinson	Bennett (1)	Skinner	Wrona
Mon 30-Aug	Shrivenham	A	W 1 - 0	187	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Skinner	Corcoran	Robinson	Taylor	Bennett	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Ouldrige	Moore	Wrona		
Sat 04-Sep	Thornbury Town	H	W 2 - 0	82	Alexander	Chilcott	Dodson	Corcoran	Robinson	Taylor	Selman	Bampton	Griffin (2)	Ouldrige	Moore	Wrona	Miller	Gallagher
Wed 08-Sep	Brimmscombe & Thrupp	A	L 1 - 2	96	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Dodson (1)	Corcoran	Robinson	Davidson	Selman	Bampton	Griffin	Ouldrige	Moore	Wrona	McIntosh	Gallagher
Sat 11-Sep	Knaphill (FAV 1QR)	H	W 1 - 0	78	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Dodson	Corcoran	Robinson	Davidson	Selman (1)	Bampton	Gallagher	Ouldrige	Moore	Wrona	Miller	Morris
Tue 14-Sep	Bishops Cleeve	H	L 1 - 3	78	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Dodson	Corcoran	Robinson	Davidson	Selman (1)	Miller	Gallagher	Ouldrige	Morris	Moore	McIntosh	Bampton
Sat 18-Sep	Bradford Town	H	D 2 - 2	122	Cavanagh	Miller	Dodson	Corcoran	Robinson	Gallagher (1)	Selman	Bampton	Griffin	Ouldrige (1)	Morris	Skinner	McIntosh	
Sat 25-Sep	Portishead Town (FAV 2QR)	A	W 3 - 1	67	Cavanagh	Miller	Dodson	Corcoran	Robinson	Taylor	Selman	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Ouldrige (1)	Morris	Mills (1)	Ockwell	Gallagher
Wed 29-Sep	Roman Glass St George	A	L 1 - 4	58	Cavanagh	Miller	Dodson	Corcoran	Robinson	Ockwell	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Ouldrige	Mills	Wrona	McIntosh	Davidson
Sat 02-Oct	Westfields	H	L 1 - 3	67	Cavanagh	Miller	Dodson	Beeden	Robinson	Davidson	Gallagher	Selman	Griffin (1)	Wrona	Mills	Skinner	McIntosh	Bennett
Tue 05-Oct	Lydney Town	H	D 1 - 1	92	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Dodson	Corcoran	Robinson	Beeden	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin (1)	Wrona	Mills	Skinner		
Tue 12-Oct	Brimmscombe & Thrupp	H	L 1 - 2	82	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Beeden	Corcoran	Davidson	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin	Ouldrige	Mills (1)	Ockwell	Wrona	Selman
Sat 16-Oct	Malvern Town	A	L 2 - 5	232	Cavanagh	Chilcott	Morris	Corcoran	Davidson	Taylor	Gallagher	Bampton	Griffin (2)	Ouldrige	Mills	Skinner	Selman	Wrona
Sat 23-Oct	Downton (FAV Rnd1)	H																
Tue 26-Oct	Westbury United	H																
Sat 30-Oct	Fairford Town	A																
Tue 02-Nov	Melksham Town (WPS1)	A																
Sat 06-Nov	Hallen	H																
Sat 09-Nov	Cribbs	H																
Sat 13-Nov	Tuffley Rovers	A																
Sat 20-Nov	Calne Town	H																
Sat 27-Nov	Corsham Town	A																
Sat 04-Dec	Longlevens	H																
Sat 11-Dec	Cribbs	A																
Sat 18-Dec	Chipping Sodbury Town	A																
Mon 27-Dec	Shrivenham	H																
Sun 02-Jan	Bradford Town	A																
Sat 08-Jan	Hereford Lads Club	A																
Sat 15-Jan	Westfields	A																
Sat 22-Jan	Malvern Town	H																
Sat 05-Feb	Thornbury Town	A																
Sat 12-Feb	Hallen	A																
Sat 19-Feb	Fairford Town	H																
Sat 26-Feb	Calne Town	A																
Sat 05-Mar	Tuffley Rovers	H																
Tue 08-Mar	Westbury United	A																
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FAC - FA Cup, FLC - Floodlight Cup, FAV - FA Vase, WPS - Wiltshire Premier Shield (County Cup), BICC - Challenge Cup.

# RWBTFC First Team Statistics

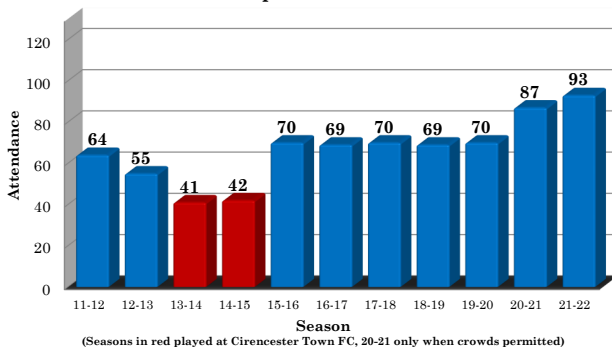
## Season 2021-22

	Appearances	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals
1	David Bampton	18	1	19	1
2	Alan Griffin	18		18	14
3	Bailey Gallagher	15	3	18	2
4	Adam Corcoran	16		16	2
5	Thomas Ouldrige	16		16	3
6	Giorgio Wrona	6	10	16	1
7	Edward Cavanagh	15		15	
8	Macauley Dodson	15		15	2
9	Kai Robinson	11	3	14	
10	Chris Taylor	13		13	
11	Scott Chilcott	12	1	13	
12	Sam Ockwell	9	2	11	
14	Michael Miller	9	2	11	
15	Tom Moore	7	4	11	3
16	Zac Skinner	4	6	10	
17	Joe Selman	7	2	9	2
18	Khediye McIntosh	2	6	8	1
19	Will Davidson	6	1	7	
20	Sam Morris	5	1	6	
21	John Mills	5	1	6	2
22	Luke Cordery	2	2	4	
23	Jon Beeden	3		3	
24	Harrison Ellis	3		3	
25	Matt Bennett	1	2	3	1
26	Mike Alexander	2		2	
27	Gabriel Fernandes		2	2	

## RWBTFC Career

Apps	Goals
33	3
18	14
21	2
238	13
22	6
155	18
19	
17	2
85	1
32	
13	
86	5
11	
11	3
22	
9	
8	1
7	
6	
6	2
4	
57	5
29	
188	56
2	
2	

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



# League Tables

## 2021-2022 Season

### UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Cribbs	14	11	1	2	34	15	34
2 Brimscombe & Thrupp	15	10	2	3	38	23	32
3 Bishops Cleeve	15	9	5	1	36	22	32
4 Malvern Town	13	9	2	2	40	22	29
5 Longlevens AFC	14	8	2	4	35	23	26
6 Bradford Town	12	8	1	3	28	15	25
7 Corsham Town	13	7	4	2	22	14	25
8 Westfields	12	7	2	3	26	20	23
9 Roman Glass St George	14	6	2	6	24	21	20
10 Hereford Lads Club	14	6	1	7	31	30	19
11 Westbury United	10	5	2	3	26	17	17
12 Shrivenham	13	5	2	6	20	24	17
13 Fairford Town	16	5	1	10	27	33	16
14 <b>Royal W. Bassett Town</b>	15	4	4	7	23	30	16
15 Tuffley Rovers	13	4	4	5	20	31	16
16 Thornbury Town	14	3	4	7	14	27	13
17 Chipping Sodbury Town	15	3	2	10	24	35	11
18 Calne Town	16	3	1	12	16	39	10
19 Lydney Town	13	2	1	10	19	35	7
20 Hallen	15	1	1	13	20	47	4

## 2021-2022 Season

### Wessex League Division One

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Bemerton Heath Harl	11	10	1	0	42	11	31
2 Newport (IOW)	11	8	1	2	39	23	25
3 Folland Sports	10	8	0	2	32	17	24
4 Andover New Street	10	7	1	2	35	16	22
5 Verwood Town	11	7	0	4	28	20	21
6 <b>Downton</b>	11	6	3	2	28	21	21
7 Romsey Town	12	7	0	5	30	27	21
8 Andover Town	10	6	2	2	32	18	20
9 Laverstock & Ford	11	6	1	4	32	22	19
10 New Milton Town	12	6	1	5	28	25	19
11 Millbrook	11	5	0	6	27	28	15
12 Whitchurch United	11	4	2	5	18	21	14
13 Infinity	12	4	1	7	21	31	13
14 Ringwood Town	9	3	1	5	20	25	10
15 East Cowes Victoria	12	2	4	6	21	34	10
16 Petersfield Town	11	3	1	7	15	29	10
17 Totton & Eling	12	2	2	8	15	37	8
18 Ash United	10	2	0	8	15	28	6
19 Fawley AFC	11	1	2	8	19	35	5
20 Fleet Spurs	10	0	1	9	9	38	1

# THE NON-LEAGUE PAPER



ESSENTIAL READING FOR FOLLOWERS OF THE NATIONAL GAME

One of my football bugbears centres around the FA Cup. More specifically, about The Magic of the Cup (TM).

In a few months time, the Premier League and Championship clubs will enter at the third round proper stage and The Magic of the Cup (TM), will be raised. When did it go? Where did it go? Why has it gone? Remember when the FA Cup used to have magic? There will be lower league clubs who do well, held up as the poster boys with lines such as...“think the FA Cup has lost its magic, tell that to (insert club here)...”

But, from what I see every season, there is plenty of the sparkling dust flying around and there always has been.

We'll see it this weekend, with a brilliant fourth round qualifying draw — the follow-up reaction could have filled the whole paper itself last week.

While a lot of the national attention won't turn to the competition until the first round proper, here in Non-League we all know the romance has been burning bright since the start of August.

Shocks have been served up, record cup runs achieved, big Non-League names have fallen and dreams are still alive.

In the case of Kettering Town, records have been reclaimed. The Poppies are back on top of the competition's goal charts following last week's 2-0 win over Leamington. That made it 901 FA Cup goals throughout their history and inched them back in front of Premier League Tottenham Hotspur.

Poppies boss Paul Cox knows a thing or two about the romance of the FA Cup — he had the trophy at his wedding just a few days before his Mansfield side played Liverpool, then featuring a striker called Luis Suarez. Wonder what happened to him!

Of course, Marine played Spurs in last year's third round proper. Residents fortunate enough to have gardens that back onto the Marine Travel Arena were able to peer over their fences to get a glimpse of Jose Mourinho's side. They were the lucky ones, with the game behind

closed doors because of the Covid-19 situation at the time.

Not that Neil Young's side are settling for one run. They upset Step 3 Atherton Collieries in their replay to set-up a home date with National League big-spenders Wrexham. The Mariners' crowds are booming — I spoke to manager Neil Young last week and he explained the place is booming, with last year's FA Cup run a big catalyst. It catapulted the club into the living rooms of people — and seems to have inspired many to get along to a game.

Creating memories and lasting legacy is what the FA Cup is all about.

This weekend's fourth round qualifying will have all the feel of those magical first round occasions. Bromsgrove Sporting hosting National League leaders Grimsby Town. Chertsey Town off to the club Grimsby dropped out of the EFL with, Southend United.

Marske United hosting a north-east derby with Gateshead. Pontefract Collieries hosting high-flying FC Halifax Town. Former League side Kidderminster Harriers take a trip to Step 4 Bedfont Sports, while Stamford are off to Stockport County.

There are plenty of other intriguing ties across the country, with the first round proper at stake and the entry of some of the most famous names in English football like Sheffield Wednesday, Sunderland, Portsmouth and Ipswich Town.

No doubt in the coming months, we will see top flight managers using the FA Cup to rotate their squads and complain about the number of matches they have to play. It's the same every year.

But, just as it is each season, the FA Cup will produce some lifelong memories. And that's pretty magical in my book.

Matt Badcock, The Non-League Paper





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# First Team Match Report

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2021**

**Royal Wootton Bassett Town 1**

**Brimscombe & Thrupp 2**

**Uhsport Hellenic League Premier**

Royal Wootton Bassett Town's poor league form continued as they fell to a 2-1 home defeat against Brimscombe and Thrupp.

A result that stretches Bassett's winless league streak to seven games – a run that has seen them plummet into the lower reaches of the Hellenic League Premier Division table, the Gloucestershire visitors inflicted more pain on Sam Collier's ailing side.

On the balance of chances, Bassett arguably could have taken something from the game. But Brimscombe ultimately triumphed courtesy of the ruthlessness of the division's top scorer Harlie Price.

Price should really have given his side an early lead when overly casual play at the back allowed him to seize on an underhit Scott Chilcott backpass. But fortunately for the hosts 'keeper Eddie Cavanagh batted away Price's powerful initial strike before the forward dragged the rebound wide. He found his range soon enough though.

At the other end, a deflected John Mills drive stung the palms of Gavin Jones while Alan Griffin headed narrowly over from Chris Taylor's inswinging free kick.

But the visitors eventually took the lead ten minutes before the break. Sam Folkes swung in an inch perfect cross from the right side and picked out an unmarked Price who redirected the ball into the bottom right corner with a precise header. Bassett were then twice denied by Jones as they enjoyed a spell of note before the break. The 'keeper first awkwardly tipped a Jon Beeden header over the bar after the defender rose to meet another Taylor delivery. Shortly after he made a stunning

acrobatic save to tip away Dave Bampton's rising 20-yard piledriver, an effort that appeared destined for the top right corner.

Following the restart, the better of the early opportunities fell Bassett's way. Tommy Ouldrige's left wing cross fell to Bailey Gallagher at the far post. An awkward initial touch meant he had to delay taking his shot, and when he did it was blocked by full back Ben Baxter, with Bassett's claims of handball going ignored.

Sam Ockwell then fizzed in a low free kick that Jones had to guide around the post before Bassett drew level. Ouldrige played in a low centre that was deflected into the feet of Griffin. With his back to goal, the forward shuffled the ball across to strike partner John Mills, who made no mistake from close range.

But that was to be the only goal Bassett were able to muster. And with twelve minutes to go Brimscombe grabbed the winner.

It came in somewhat controversial fashion too, with Bassett clearly feeling they should have been awarded a free kick for a Price push on Gallagher. But in equal parts, it was a goal that should have been avoided.

A quick, long goal kick from Jones after the hosts saw a set piece come to nothing proved Bassett's undoing. And, after Price had shrugged aside Gallagher – whether fairly or not – he stepped inside Ockwell before coolly picking out the bottom corner.

# Match Reports

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2021**

**Malvern Town 5**

**Royal Wootton Bassett Town 2**

**UhlSPORT Hellenic League Premier**

Royal Wootton Bassett Town's winless Hellenic League Premier Division run stretched to eight games as they fell to a heavy 5-2 defeat away against third place Malvern Town.

Bassett found themselves two goals down at the break before a quickfire second half double increased their deficit further. While Alan Griffin pulled one back from the penalty spot, Malvern added a fifth before Griffin headed in a late consolation deep in stoppage time.

Given Bassett's recent form and the fact they were facing the division's leading scorers on their own patch, a long, trying afternoon was a strong possibility. And so it proved.

Bassett found themselves a goal down after just nine minutes as a good spell of possession from Malvern culminated in Matt Turner teeing up Dave Reynolds, who fired home an emphatic opener.

The hosts' relentless, heavy pressing proved tough to deal with. That, coupled with Malvern's quality when on the ball, then contributed towards keeping 'keeper Eddie Cavanagh a busy man.

Bassett were forced to clear off the line on the quarter hour mark as the ball broke free following an aerial duel between Cavanagh and Reynolds.

A steady stream of pressure from Malvern followed, and the 'keeper pulled off a trio of fine saves to initially keep Bassett's deficit to a minimum. He first kept out Nathan

Chowns Higgs' glancing header before ensuring James Febery's header did not creep over the line and denying Joe Bates from a free kick.

However, there was little he could do three minutes before the interval when Bates cut inside the wing and fired beyond the 'keeper for Malvern's second.

The past couple of games have seen Malvern surrender leads of two goals or more. Yet there was to be no threepeat.

Within a quarter of an hour of the restart they were four in front. Both Matt Turner and Harry Clark had come close to extending Malvern's advantage before the inevitable third arrived courtesy of Joe Bullock who weighted a fine chip over Cavanagh and into the net on 55 minutes.

Four minutes later, Chowns Higgs got in on the act. Picking up a half-cleared corner, he proceeded to curl home a fine strike from just outside the area.

Bassett were able to pull one back when Griffin slotted home a penalty after Bailey Gallagher had been fouled by Phil Harris.

Yet that goal offered only short term relief as Malvern reasserted themselves.

Bassett's resistance was then broken again on 88 minutes as Reynolds grabbed his second and Malvern's fifth of the game after good build up play from winger Harry Clark.

Griffin then headed home his second in the fourth minute of injury time. But this offered little succour to Bassett who were already well beaten.

# RWBTFC Development Team

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

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Pewsey Vale	13	11	1	1	47	12	34
2 Royal W. Bassett Town Dev	12	10	1	1	59	9	31
3 Calne Town Res	14	9	2	3	58	18	29
4 Corsham Town Dev	15	9	2	4	51	30	29
5 Salisbury FC Dev	11	8	0	3	55	19	24
6 Trowbridge Town	12	7	3	2	38	20	24
7 Malmesbury Victoria Dev	13	7	1	5	54	40	22
8 Shrewton United	13	7	1	5	40	33	22
9 Frome Collegians	10	5	3	2	25	20	18
10 Melksham Town Res	12	5	1	6	33	31	16
11 Odd Down Res	14	4	4	6	26	28	16
12 Wroughton	13	5	1	7	25	39	16
13 Marlborough Town	14	2	3	9	22	54	9
14 Stratton Juniors	9	2	0	7	9	47	6
15 Devizes Town Res	15	1	1	13	22	54	4
16 Ludgershall Sports	12	1	0	11	12	64	3
17 Purton	10	1	0	9	7	65	3

Last weekend saw the top two in the Premier Division of the Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League do battle at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground as league leaders Royal Wootton Bassett Town Development hosted second in the table Pewsey Vale. All that separated the two sides ahead of the game was goal difference although Pewsey had played one more game. Royal Wootton Bassett Town went into the game as the only unbeaten side in the league, but that record has now gone after Pewsey left with all three points following a 3-1 win. The home side started well and created a couple of early chances and eventually went in front from the penalty spot. Despite missing two penalties last week Tyler Sheppard retained the responsibility and put the spot kick away for his tenth goal of the season. Visitors Pewsey Vale then grew into the game and were soon back on level terms, Ryan Banks scoring after the home defence failed to clear a corner. Pewsey then went in front, leading scorer Harry Hoareau nipping in to beat keeper Simon Notman to make it 2-1 to the visitors at half time. Pewsey controlled play for the majority of the second half and went further ahead midway through the half after keeper Notman fouled Pewsey's man of the match Ryan Banks in the box and James Guthrie put the resulting penalty away to make it 3-1 to the visitors. In a game that saw numerous yellow cards for both sides the game then saw a red one when Royal Wootton Bassett Town's George Drewitt was sent off ending any chance of a comeback. Pewsey comfortably saw out the closing stages to end the last unbeaten record in the division and replace their opponents at the top of the table.



## SEASON 2021-22 DEVELOPMENT TEAM - CORSHAM PRINT WILTSHIRE SENIOR LEAGUE

	Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sat	14-Aug-21	Devizes Town Res	H	League	W 2 - 1	Sheppard, Mason
Wed	18-Aug-21	Wroughton	H	League	W 5 - 0	Bennett 2, Richards, Mason, Bell
Sat	21-Aug-21	Marlborough Town	A	League	W 7 - 0	Sheppard 3, Richards 3, Prouse
Wed	25-Aug-21	Malmesbury Vics Dev	A	League	W 4 - 0	Skinner 2, Bennett, OG
Sat	04-Sep-21	Shrewton United	A	League	W 4 - 1	Connolly, Bennett, Richards, Sheppard
Wed	08-Sep-21	Purton	H	League	W 19 - 0	Bennett 7, Richards 4, Sheppard 3, Withers 3, Skinner, Pettifer
Sat	11-Sep-21	Corsham Town Dev	A	League	W 4 - 1	Bennett, Richards, Sheppard, Withers
Sat	18-Sep-21	Frome Collegians	A	League	W 5 - 0	Mason 2, Richards 2, Bennett
Tue	21-Sep-21	Calne Town Res	A	League	D 2 - 2	Withers, Beeden
Sat	25-Sep-21	Salisbury FC Dev	H	League	W 2 - 1	Bennett 2
Sat	09-Oct-21	Stratton Juniors	A	League	W 4 - 0	Bennett 4
Sat	16-Oct-21	Pewsey Vale	H	League	L 1 - 3	Sheppard
Sat	23-Oct-21	Odd Down Res	A	League		
Sat	30-Oct-21	Ludgershall Sports	H	League		
		Melksham Town Res	A	League		
		Calne Town Res	H	League		
		Corsham Town Dev	H	League		
		Devizes Town Res	A	League		
		Frome Collegians	H	League		
		Ludgershall Sports	A	League		
		Malmesbury Vics Dev	H	League		
		Marlborough Town	H	League		
		Melksham Town Res	H	League		
		Odd Down Res	H	League		
		Pewsey Vale	A	League		
		Purton	A	League		
		Salisbury FC Dev	A	League		
		Shrewton United	H	League		
		Stratton Juniors	H	League		
		Trowbridge Town	H	League		
		Trowbridge Town	A	League		
		Wroughton	A	League		



Goalscorers	League	Cup	Total
Matt Bennett	19		19
Dale Richards	12		12
Tyler Sheppard	10		10
Ryan Withers	5		5
Nick Mason	4		4
Zac Skinner	3		3
Nathaniel Bell	1		1
Jon Beeden	1		1
Kevin Prouse	1		1
Josh Connolly	1		1
Zach Pettifer	1		1
Own Goals	1		1
	59	0	59



**Quiz Answers:** 1. Bangles—Manic Monday 2. The Cure—Friday I'm In Love 3. Elton John - Saturday Nights Alright For Fighting 4. Undertones - Wednesday Week 5. New Order - Blue Monday 6. Morrissey - Everyday Is Like Sunday 7. Monkees - Pleasant Valley Sunday 8. Duran Duran - New Moon On Monday 9. Boomtown Rats - I Don't Like Monday's 10. Blondie - Sunday Girl

# RWBTFC Ladies

## Season 2021-22 - South West Regional Women's Football League Premier Division

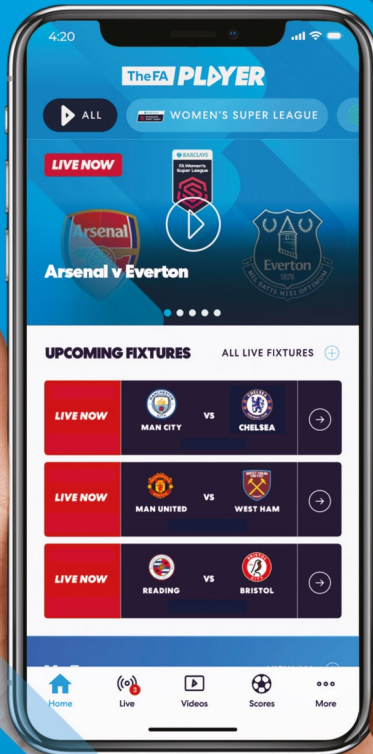
Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sun 05-Sep-21	Forest Green Rovers	A	League	P - P	
Sun 12-Sep-21	Middlezoy Rovers	H	League	W 5 - 1	Davies 3, Coe, Gulliver
Sun 19-Sep-21	Ilminster Town Ladies	H	League	L 0 - 4	
Sun 26-Sep-21	Marine Academy Plymouth	A	League	W 2 - 1	Davies, Gulliver
Sun 03-Oct-21	Denham (FAC 2ndQR)	H	FA Cup	L 4 - 5	Baker, Davies, Egerton, Jefferies
Sun 10-Oct-21	Bishops Lydeard Ladies	H	League	W 9 - 1	Davies 4, Jefferies, Coe, Elliott, O'Nions, OG
Sun 17-Oct-21	Swindon Supermarine (WCC1)	H	WCC	Awarded to Royal W. Bassett Town	
Sun 31-Oct-21	St Austell	A	League		
Sun 07-Nov-21	Bideford Ladies	H	League		
Sun 14-Nov-21	Bishops Lydeard Ladies	A	League		
Sun 21-Nov-21	Warminster Town Ladies	A	WCC		
Sun 28-Nov-21	Forest Green Rovers	H	League		
Sun 05-Dec-21	Ilminster Town Ladies	A	League		
Sun 12-Dec-21	Marine Academy Plymouth	H	League		
Sun 19-Dec-21	Middlezoy Rovers	A	League		
Sun 16-Jan-22	Sherborne Town	H	League		
Sun 23-Jan-22	Torquay United	A	League		
Sun 30-Jan-22	St Austell	H	League		
Sun 06-Feb-22	Bideford Ladies	A	League		
TBA	Torquay United	H	League		
TBA	Sherborne Town	A	League		



## South West Regional Women's Football League Premier Division Season 2021-22

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 AFC St Austell Ladies	5	4	1	0	25	6	13
2 Sherborne Town Ladies	5	4	0	1	16	6	12
3 Ilminster Town Ladies	5	3	2	0	26	7	11
4 Torquay United Women	5	3	2	0	16	9	11
<b>5 Royal W. Bassett Town Ladies</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>
6 Forest Green Rovers Women	4	1	1	2	16	10	4
7 Marine Academy Plymouth Ladies	5	1	0	4	12	18	3
8 Bishops Lydeard Ladies	3	0	0	3	3	16	0
9 Middlezoy Ladies	5	0	0	5	6	36	0
10 Bideford AFC Women (*-6)	3	0	0	3	1	22	-6

\* Points adjustment for postponing games



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# RWBTFC U18 Floodlit Team

## Season 2021-22 - Under 18 Floodlit League - Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Thur 02-Sep-21	Paulton Rovers	H	FA YC	L 1 - 3	Spackman
Thur 09-Sep-21	Melksham Town	A	League	W 2 - 1	Pinnock, OG
Sun 12-Sep-21	Chippenham T Academy	A	WCYC	L 0 - 9	
Thur 23-Sep-21	Radstock Town	A	League	W 3 - 0	Partridge, Stephenson, Prouse
Thur 30-Sep-21	Pewsey Vale	A	League	D 3 - 3	Farrow, Stephenson, Warren
Thur 07-Oct-21	New College	H	League	W 4 - 0	Prouse 3, Legg
Thur 04-Nov-21	Calne Town	H	League		
Thur 11-Nov-21	AFC Aldermaston	H	League		
Thur 18-Nov-21	New College	A	League		
Thur 25-Nov-21	Devizes Town	H	League		
Mon	AFC Aldermaston	A	League		
Thur	Calne Town	A	League		
Thur	Devizes Town	A	League		
Thur	Melksham Town	H	League		
Thur	Pewsey Vale	H	League		
Thur	Radstock Town	H	League		



	League	Cup	Total
Kevin Prouse	4		4
Alex Stephenson	2		2
Zane Pinnock	1		1
Jowan Partridge	1		1
Euan Spackman		1	1
Joey Warren	1		1
Harry Farrow	1		1
Kieran Legg	1		1
Own Goals	1		1
	<hr/> 12	<hr/> 1	<hr/> 13

## Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League U18 Division Season 2021-22

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Devizes Town	5	4	0	1	21	8	12
2 Royal Wootton Bassett Town	4	3	1	0	12	4	10
3 Melksham Town	6	3	1	2	11	9	10
4 AFC Aldermaston	5	2	0	3	10	13	6
5 New College Swindon	4	1	1	2	4	10	4
6 Radstock Town	2	1	0	1	3	4	3
7 Pewsey Vale	4	0	2	2	6	14	2
8 Calne Town	4	0	1	3	6	11	1



# RWBTFC Veterans' Over 35s Team

## Season 2021-22 - Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League - Vets North Wilts Division

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Wed 08-Sep-21	FC Calne	H	WFA VC	W 2 - 1	Newton 2
Mon 20-Sep-21	South Cerney	H	League	L 3 - 4	Howse 2, Gould
Mon 27-Sep-21	Cricklade Town	A	League	W 2 - 1	Newton, Gould
Mon 04-Oct-21	Corsham Town	A	WFA VC	W 4 - 1	Howse, Gould, Newton, Head
Wed 13-Oct-21	Stratton Juniors	H	League	W 2 - 1	Badman, Lilley
Tue 26-Oct-21	Swindon Rovers	H	League		
Wed 03-Nov-21	Redhouse	H	League		
Tue 09-Nov-21	Trowbridge Tigers	H	WFA VC		
Mon 15-Nov-21	Swindon Old Boys	H	League		
Mon 22-Nov-21	Priory Vale	H	League		
Wed 01-Dec-21	South Cerney	A	League		
	AFC Swindon	H	League		
	AFC Swindon	A	League		
	Cricklade Town	H	League		
	Priory Vale	A	League		
	Redhouse	A	League		
	Stratton Juniors	A	League		
	Swindon Old Boys	A	League		
	Swindon Rovers	A	League		



Goalscorers	League	Cup	Total
Jeremy Newton	3	1	4
Ben Gould	2	1	3
Steve Howse		3	3
Dan Badman	1		1
Brady Lilley	1		1
Chris Head		1	1
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	7	6	13

## Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League Vets North Wiltshire Division Season 2021-22

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Redhouse	3	3	0	0	11	1	9
2 Stratton Juniors	4	3	0	1	10	6	9
3 Priory Vale	4	3	0	1	7	5	9
4 South Cerney Rangers	6	2	1	3	13	19	7
5 Cricklade Town	4	2	0	2	15	8	6
6 Royal W. Bassett Town	3	2	0	1	7	6	6
7 Swindon Old Boys	5	1	1	3	8	6	4
8 Swindon Rovers	3	1	0	2	13	7	3
9 AFC Swindon	4	0	0	4	3	29	0

# RWBTFC & The FA Vase

## THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. FA VASE 2020-21

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
					Winner	Loser
19-Sep-20	First Round Qualifying	v Bye			£550	£160
10-Oct-20	Second Round Qualifying	v Stonehouse	A	W 1 - 0	£725	£225
31-Oct-20	First Round Proper	v Camelford	H	W 4 - 0	£825	£250
5-Dec-20	Second Round Proper	v Bridgwater Town	A	L 1 - 2	£900	£275
19-Dec-20	Third Round Proper	v Brimscombe & Thrupp	A		£1,125	£350
9-Jan-21	Fourth Round Proper	v Tavistock	H		£1,875	£600
6-Feb-21	Fifth Round Proper	v United Services Portsmouth	H		£2,250	£725
6-Mar-20	Sixth Round Proper	v Flackwell Heath	H		£4,125	£1,350
27-Mar-21	Semi-final	v Binfield	H		£5,500	£1,725
8-May-21	Final (at Wembley)	v Warrington Rylands		Wembley	£30,000	£15,000
<b>Total Prize Money Won</b>						<b>£1,825</b>

## THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. FA VASE 2021-22

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

## 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		
2017-18	QR1	Fairford Town	H	W 3 - 1		
	QR2	Codicote	H	W 5 - 0		
	R1	Amphill Town	H	W 2 - 1		
	R2	Hordean	A	L 2 - 3		
2018-19	QR2	Bashley	H	L 0 - 4		
2019-20	QR1	New College Swindon	A	W 7 - 0		
	QR2	Tadley Calleva	A	L 0 - 1		
2020-21	QR2	Stonehouse	A	W 1 - 0		
	R1	Camelford	H	W 4 - 0		
	R2	Bridgwater Town	A	L 1 - 2		
2021-22	QR1	Knaphill	H	W 1 - 0		
	QR2	Portishead Town	A	W 3 - 1		
	R1	Downton	H			

# The FA Vase First Round Proper

- 1 Carlisle City vs Chester-Le-Street Town
- 2 Pilkington vs West Allotment Celtic
- 3 Heaton Stannington vs Eccleshill United
- 4 Seaham Red Star vs Wythenshawe Town
- 5 Newcastle Benfield vs Golcar United
- 6 Abbey Hey vs Parkgate
- 7 Prestwich Heys AFC vs Penrith AFC
- 8 Lower Breck vs Birtley Town
- 9 Emley AFC vs Longridge Town
- 10 AFC Liverpool vs Newton Aycliffe
- 11 Sunderland Ryhope CW vs Bury AFC
- 12 Billingham Synthonia vs FC Isle of Man
- 13 Holker Old Boys AFC vs Skelmersdale United
- 14 Barton Town vs Cleator Moor Celtic
- 15 Thornaby vs South Liverpool
- 16 Consett AFC vs Atherton LR
- 17 Grimsby Borough vs Redcar Town
- 18 Vauxhall Motors vs North Shields
- 19 Winterton Rangers vs Goole AFC
- 20 Burscough vs Garforth Town
- 21 Bewdley Town vs Racing Club Warwick
- 22 Wellingborough Whitworth vs Highgate United
- 23 Heather St Johns vs Atherstone Town
- 24 Newark vs Deeping Rangers
- 25 Gresley Rovers vs Harrowby United
- 26 Quorn vs Hinckley LR
- 27 Eynesbury Rovers vs Sandbach United
- 28 Kimberley Miners Welfare vs Studley
- 29 Boston Town vs Hanley Town
- 30 Belper United vs Rugby Town
- 31 Radford vs Boldmere St Michaels
- 32 Worcester City vs Lutterworth Town
- 33 Romulus vs Harborough Town
- 34 Whittlesey Athletic vs Wolverhampton Casuals
- 35 Whitchurch Alport vs Sleaford Town
- 36 Coventry United vs Birstall United
- 37 Graham Street Prims vs Lichfield City
- 38 Coventry Sphinx vs AFC Bridgnorth
- 39 Eastwood Community vs Loughborough Students
- 40 Aylestone Park vs Wednesfield
- 41 Whitton United vs Cockfosters
- 42 Mildenhall Town vs Lakenheath
- 43 Saffron Walden Town vs Kirkley & Pakefield
- 44 Stansted vs Wivenhoe Town
- 45 Wroxham vs Benfleet
- 46 Ipswich Wanderers vs Milton Keynes Irish
- 47 Buckingham Athletic vs Cornard United
- 48 Ilford vs Shefford Town & Campton
- 49 Norwich United vs New Salamis
- 50 London Colney vs Newport Pagnell Town
- 51 Amptill Town vs Norwich CBS
- 52 Ardley United vs Tring Athletic
- 53 Hoddesdon Town vs Gorleston
- 54 Great Yarmouth Town vs Buckhurst Hill
- 55 Risborough Rangers vs Long Melford
- 56 Baldock Town vs Hillingdon Borough
- 57 Holmer Green vs Glebe
- 58 Newmarket Town vs Redbridge
- 59 London Lions vs Thetford Town
- 60 North Greenford United vs Ash United
- 61 Fisher vs Badshot Lea
- 62 Rayners Lane vs Sheerwater
- 63 Hilltop vs Tunbridge Wells
- 64 Southall vs Erith & Belvedere
- 65 Fareham Town vs Jersey Bulls
- 66 Abbey Rangers vs Horley Town
- 67 Littlehampton Town vs Moneyfields
- 68 British Airways vs Epsom & Ewell
- 69 Clapton vs Beckenham Town
- 70 Pagham vs Snodland Town
- 71 Wallingford Town AFC vs Ascot United
- 72 Stansfeld vs Staplehurst Monarchs United
- 73 Blackfield & Langley vs Wokingham & Emmbrook
- 74 Sheppey United vs Forest Hill Park
- 75 Chatham Town vs Alresford Town
- 76 Holmesdale vs Athletic Newham
- 77 Milton United vs Bridon Ropes
- 78 Harefield United vs Kent Football United
- 79 Guildford City vs Shoreham
- 80 Deal Town vs Kennington
- 81 Frimley Green vs Rochester United
- 82 Berks County vs Burnham
- 83 Crawley Down Gatwick vs Lordswood
- 84 Egham Town vs Colliers Wood United
- 85 Raynes Park Vale vs Redhill
- 86 Dobwalls vs Bashley
- 87 **Royal Wootton Bassett Town vs Downton**
- 88 Wendron United vs Bournemouth
- 89 Buckland Athletic vs Camelford AFC
- 90 Newton Abbot Spurs vs Brixham AFC
- 91 Tuffley Rovers vs Street
- 92 Cribbs vs Andover New Street
- 93 Liskeard Athletic vs Laverstock & Ford
- 94 Bitton AFC vs New Milton Town
- 95 Oldland Abbotonians vs Helston Athletic
- 96 Brimscombe & Thrupp vs Welton Rovers
- 97 Mousehole vs Wells City
- 98 Brockenhurst vs Saltash United
- 99 Longlevens vs Shaftesbury
- 100 Newquay AFC vs Keynsham Town
- 101 Millbrook (Cornwall) vs Wellington AFC
- 102 Ashton & Backwell United vs Bemerton Heath
- 103 Falmouth Town AFC vs Bradford Town
- 104 Torpoint Athletic vs Chipping Sodbury Town
- 105 Cadbury Heath vs Hamworthy United

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EMIRATES FA CUP ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN 2021-22							
Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money		
					Winner	Loser	
7-Aug-21	Extra Preliminary Round	v Thornbury Town	A	W 4 - 0	£1,125	£375	
21-Aug-21	Preliminary Round	v Ardley Utd	H	D 2 - 2	£1,444	£481	
24-Aug-21	Preliminary Round Replay	v Ardley Utd	A	L 1 - 3			
4-Sep-21	First Qualifying Round	v Banbury United*	A		£2,250	£750	
18-Sep-21	Second Qualifying Round	v Nantwich Town	A		£3,375	£1,125	
2-Oct-21	Third Qualifying Round	v Basford United	A		£5,625	£1,875	
16-Oct-21	Fourth Qualifying Round	v Bath City	H		£9,375	£3,125	
6-Nov-21	First Round	v Barrow*	H		£22,629		
4-Dec-21	Second Round	v			£34,000		
8-Jan-22	Third Round	v			£82,000		
5-Feb-22	Fourth Round	v			£90,000		
2-Mar-22	Fifth Round	v			£180,000		
19-Mar-22	Sixth Round	v			£360,000		
16-Apr-22	Semi-Final	v	Wembley		£900,000	£450,000	
14-May-22	Final	v	Wembley		£1,800,000	£900,000	
<b>Total Prize Money Won</b>						<b>£1,606</b>	

\* Still in competition



# Emirates FA CUP

## 150 YEARS

### Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC - Emirates FA Cup Record

Season	Rnd	Opponents	Result
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	Brockenhurst	A D 1 - 1
2008-09	QR1	Brockenhurst	H L 1 - 5
	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	Brockenhurst	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

Season	Rnd	Opponents	Result
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	A W 3 - 1
2013-14	QR2	Dorchester Town	A L 0 - 4
	EPr	Totton & Eling	H L 0 - 2
2014-15	EPr	Brockenhurst	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
2018-19	EPr	Leighton Town	A W 1 - 0
	Pr	Lydney Town	H D 0 - 0
	Pr	Lydney Town	A L 3 - 5
2019-20	EPr	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	H D 1 - 1
	EPr	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	A L 0 - 1
2020-21	EPr	Chipping Sodbury T (W4-1 pens)	H D 2 - 2
	Pr	Didcot Town	A W 2 - 1
	QR1	Cinderford T (Won 6-5 pens)	A D 2 - 2
	QR2	Oxford City	H L 1 - 2
2021-22	EPr	Thornbury Town	A W 4 - 0
	Pr	Ardley United	H D 2 - 2
	PrR	Ardley United	A L 1 - 3

# Royal Wootton Bassett Town



# Downton



Edward Cavanagh	1
Macauley Dodson	2
Sam Morris	3
Michael Miller	4
Adam Corcoran	5
David Bampton	6
Joe Selman	7
Chris Taylor	8
Alan Griffin	9
Tommy Ouldrige	10
John Mills	11
Bailey Gallagher	12
Sam Ockwell	14
Zac Skinner	15
Will Davidson	16
Scott Chilcott	17
Khedive McIntosh	18
Mike Alexander	19
Gio Wrona	20
	21
	22

Matthew Fredricks
James Clark
Sam Howe
Jamie Ovington
Sam Moss
Craig Tyson
Cameron Butler
Callum Kitcher
Marcel Laptas
Daniel Clarke
Shaun Prentice
William Mackie
Dylan Gain
Josh Cummings
Sam Dible
Paul Gulliver
Thomas Moseley
Jamie Smith
Jamie Waters
Theo Wolfarth
Declan McGregor

## Dugout Team

Manager:	Sam Collier
Assistant:	Matt Bulman
Coach:	Tom Jones
GK Coach:	Mike Alexander
Therapist:	Chris Chadwick

## Dugout Team

Manager:	Ben Smith
Coach:	Rich Rendall
Coach:	Matt Holmes
Coach:	Rob Wilkins
GK Coach:	Mitch Blake
Therapist:	Isa Fisher

## Match Officials

Referee:
Assist. Ref (Red Flag):
Assist. Ref (Yellow Flag):



Rory Peacey  
Jozef Cabala  
John Andrews

## Next Home Games

Tue 26-Oct-21 v Westbury Utd (Uthsport Hellenic League Premier Division) K.O. 7:45PM