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# **Editorial & WBTFC News**

#### Welcome to Flackwell Heath

both teams.

Welcome – and congratulations – to tonight's visitors from Buckinghamshire, for what is the final league game of the season for

Flackwell have enjoyed a remarkably successful campaign this year, which has culminated in them deservedly sealing the Hellenic League Premier Division title and, with that, promotion to the Southern League for next season.

On top of that, they made it to two cup finals, the third qualifying round of the FA Cup and the last 16 of the FA Vase.

Their league campaign has been one of sustained excellence as well. At the time of writing (before their games on Saturday and Monday against Shrivenham and Reading Town) they have lost just one game all season – in September against Binfield. Indeed, since then they have lost all but seven games in all competitions (four draws and three defeats).

Since dropping down to the Hellenic League in 2007-08, Flackwell have always been a hot tip for the title at the start of the season, yet never achieved better than two fourth place finishes. Finally though, things have clicked for them this year - and in some style.

They have, however, found the going relatively difficult when up against Bassett. The last three meetings between the teams have all ended in draws, as was the case when two sides met back in August.

That afternoon it looked as though Flackwell were on course for victory as they took a two goal lead. However, a stoppage time brace from full back Sam English saw Bassett claim a dramatic point for the second year in a row at Wilks Park.

Even with this being the last match of the season, there's plenty of incentive for Bassett to dig deep and put in another performance as a positive result will take the unbeaten run in the league into double figures.

#### Holyport

That is possible after the excellent 4-1 victory over Holyport ten days ago.

By all accounts it was a game affected by the swirling winds. Bassett coped better though, taking a lead just before half time through Dan Bailey after Holyport had the better of the chances during the open period.

Bailey then scored two more to complete his hat-trick on the day – and take him one shy of 20 for the season in all competitions, while Steve Robertson also netted. Our Berkshire visitors then grabbed a late consolation.

#### Thank you to Cirencester Town

Tonight not only marks the end of what has been a successful season, but it also signals the conclusion of our two year groundshare at Cirencester Town's Corinium Stadium.

A huge debt of gratitude is owed to the Centurions for serving as our 'tenants' during the period between the start of building on our old Rylands Way ground and the opening of the New Gerard Buxton Sports Ground, which we will finally get to call home from next season.

The Corinium is one of the premier football facilities in the south west, whose model has helped inspire the new Sports Association site.

Although playing in Cirencester has been tiring and demanding for all involved at Bassett, having this excellent ground to play at and the assistance of those behind the scenes here has certainly made matters a lot less stressful than otherwise would have been the case.

So on behalf of all at Wootton Bassett, a huge thanks to all at Cirencester Town. We look forward to welcoming and extending our hospitality to you when you visit our new facility in the future.

**Highest Ever Finish** 

In the programme notes for the Holyport game we were celebrating a highest ever finish of at least 12<sup>th</sup> place. Victory in that game though means that we will finish no lower 11<sup>th</sup>

Brimscombe and Thrupp look likely to pip us for  $10^{th}$ , but concluding the season in  $11^{th}$  is still a fantastic achievement, especially considering a significant proportion of the team are playing their first full season of football at this level.

Again, well done to Paul, Chris, Ian and the players on this achievement.

There's still another record that can be obtained tonight. Currently on 51 points, a draw will match our Premier Division points haul back in 2000-01 and a victory will exceed that figure.

#### **Development Team**

The Development team began a hectic couple of weeks on Thursday when they visited Wroughton. Two goals from Lewis Petrie and one a piece for Danny Hale and Carl Shepherd in a 4-3 success gave the Development side their 3rd straight win.

Saturday they were scheduled to host Supermarine Sports, though that game did not go ahead as their opponents had been suspended by the Wiltshire FA.

They should have played yesterday evening too away at title chasing Malmesbury Victoria in a game rearranged after Luke Adams' horrific injury forced their meeting to be abandoned last month.

The Dev side still have six games to go – beginning tomorrow away at Devizes Town Reserves. Their remaining home games are against Sarum Youth on Saturday, FC Chippenham Youth on 2<sup>nd</sup> May and Trowbridge Town on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May.

Please do get along to those games and give the team your support as they look to extricate themselves from the lower regions of the Wiltshire League Premier Division table with a late run.

# **Editorial & WBTFC News**

#### Ladies

As with the First Team. Bassett's Ladies have enjoyed a strong end to their season, having lost just once in twelve matches since the turn of the vear

A 4-0 triumph against Forest of Dean Ladies on Easter Sunday made it six unbeaten in the league, before they defeated Swindon Town Development 1-0 in a friendly thanks to a Lisa Curtis goal.

Their next match is a home friendly against Highworth Town on the 26<sup>th</sup> April at Ballards Ash.

Becky Gammon's team then end their league season with a trip to AEK Boco Ladies on Sunday May 10<sup>th</sup>. Hopefully they won't celebrate too hard at the Presentation Evening two days before! It's a big game, with a win needed to decrease the chance of leapfrogging Bassett - currently 2 Years Ago (23rd April 2013) fourth - in the Gloucestershire County Women's League table.

#### Senior Section **Presentation Night**

Talking of the Senior Section Presentation, this will be held on Friday 8th May at the Sports Association Clubhouse, Rylands Way. Those attending should arrive at 7.30pm, with the presentation due to start at 8pm.

End of season awards will be presented for the First. Reserve. Development and Ladies teams. It will be very interesting to see who picks up the First Team awards as there are plenty of candidates, all of whom can make one last case for the prizes on offer tonight.

#### **Youth Cup Finals**

There's still a couple of Bassett teams who'll be playing at the Corinium Stadium this season.

This year's North Wilts League Cup promotion to the Hellenic League. finals will take place in Cirencester. Swindon Town's likely place in the League One playoffs meaning that no suitable weekend was available for the matches to be played at the County Ground.

teams will be participants, games taking place on the weekend of the

9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> May. Kick off times are as yet unknown.

The Under 12 Blues, who have finished runners-up in Division One, are taking on league champions Greenmeadow Youth. In the only league meeting between the teams so far this season. Greenmeadow won 1-0. Their second meeting was this Sunday just gone, though this programme went to print before the result of that fixture was known.

Meanwhile, the latter face Wroughton Youth, who they have split their league games against this season, each team recording a 2-0 victory

#### Looking Back in Time

A look back at fixtures played in the club's history at this time of year:

Steve Robertson scores a hat-trick - with all three goals coming in the second - as Wootton Bassett Town defeat Malmesbury Victoria 3-0 in the first team's final ever game at Rylands Way.

#### 7 Years Ago (22<sup>nd</sup> April 2008)

Ten man Wootton Bassett Town come back from 2-1 to defeat Division One West champions Winterbourne United 3-2.

#### 14 Years Ago (16<sup>th</sup> April 2001)

Wootton Bassett Town seal their place in the Wiltshire Senior Cup final for the second time in three seasons with a 2-1 victory after extra time against Cricklade Town. Goals come courtesv of Micky Goodwin and an own goal.

#### 27 Years Ago (16th - 27th April 1988)

Four wins in eleven days against Oldacre (2-1), Aldbourne Park (3-0), Amesbury (2-0) and Pinehurst (7-1) take Bassett to the Wiltshire County League Division One title - and seal

50 Years Ago (26th - 28th April 1965)

Bassett score ten goals in three days as Warminster Town are thumped 7-0 and Devizes Town beaten 3-1 as the Wiltshire League Our Under 12 and Under 15 Blue Premier Division draws to a close.

107 Years Ago (20<sup>th</sup> April 1908) A Boland hat-trick helps Wootton Bassett Town to a 6-1 home triumph against Devizes Town to conclude their Wiltshire League campaign. This would be the latest game Bassett play, let alone win, for 22 vears as the club folded later that summer. They were only re-formed in 1930 as a result of the opening of the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground.

#### Programme

Looking at what is in today's programme there is the usual article from the Non-League Paper, this week Steven Coney looks at the National Game awards. There is also another Quiz for you to complete at half time. Today the historic season featured in our run through all of our years in the Hellenic League is Season 2001-2002. The reason for this being out of sequence as this is the vear which was set to be featured in the original scheduling of this game.

#### **Final Thank Yous**

A huge thanks to all our supporters, who have consistently made the journey to Cirencester during these past two seasons.

Thanks to Paul, Chris, Ian and the players for the enjoyment they have provided those watching this team develop this year. This has certainly been an enjoyable season when it became fun again to be watching the First Team, with a much improved discipline about the team and a great set of lads off the pitch.

To the club's committee and volunteers - you are the backbone of this club and your commitment and efforts are hugely appreciated.

Thanks to our sponsors programme printers CATS being among them - for their continued support and generosity.

Enjoy the summer break and we look forward to seeing you - in our new surroundings - next season.



## Hellenic League Years - 2001-02

### Cup Results & Goalscorers

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# **From The Dugout**

#### Holyport and a couple of records

Not trophies but another milestone achieved against Holyport. Knowing before the game that anything but a loss would break last season's 8 game unbeaten run held by the previous management team obviously myself and the players were keen to break that and set the record at 9 and counting.

That would follow the clubs highest league finish also that the players achieved last week. I didn't think it was in doubt knowing they could win this game. When you're doing well it becomes a habit and you don't have to play well in games but you trust yourself and your team that you will get a result. And again we had a game of two halves. We were lucky to be 1-0 up at the break. But a fantastic second half performance gave us a 4-1 win and increases the run to 9.

People reading this might wonder what the fuss is. But how far this squad has come is fantastic. Just Dip and Tyler remained from last season. So to go from two players to breaking a few club records is great.

On that note I would like to say a them all who have been involved big thank you to many people at the club. Firstly to the club's committee, particularly Andy and Danny, for giving us this opportunity and supporting us over the season. Also to Danny for helping when Chris was busy. Roger for all his hard work with the kit and equipment and Paul for his support and doing the match day paper work.

Ian Thomas for his never ending iob being club secretary. Pete Yeardley and Bryan Wood for their continued support home and away also.

A big thank you too Mark, Stuart and Scott Smedley for all the website, press and programme work they do also.

A big thank you to Chris and Ian for supporting me all season and for their dedication and hard work to this new venture we have taken on

Thanks to Dip for his support also over the season, as a real club man and player who is blue and yellow if you cut him open; he has been great this season for myself and also the players. He demands a lot from all of us but I don't think anyone would disagree his passion and desire to do well is infectious. Also George being vice captain and again another true Bassett boy, George has stepped into his role and the first team role well. He's a pleasure to work with.

Finally to all the players, it's down to them and the hard work that they have put in over a long season that we can be where we are. This is a group of players who had to gel and get to know each other quickly and they have gone from a side who set up to be solid and have good solid shape to a side that have developed into a great group who all get on well and have a great attitude. I must say this is the best group I've had in 11 years of managing senior football. So a big thank you to this season.

Enjoy today's game and see you in the bar afterwards.

Paul





# **Opponents - History**

#### Flackwell Heath • Club History

Flackwell Heath FC was founded in 1907 and the club joined the High Wycombe and District League for its inaugural season. The Heathens proved to be a major force in local football, having won twelve Wycombe League championship titles and the High Wycombe Senior Challenge Cup on a record twelve occasions.



In the 1950's Flackwell joined the Great Western Combination League and won this league twice before returning to the Wycombe League.

In the 1970's they continued their success and the clubhouse was built as the first stage of their rise into senior football. The clubhouse was opened in 1974. In 1975 The Heathens won the Berks and Bucks Intermediate Cup and the Reading Senior Cup. In 1977 the club achieved Senior status and moved up into the Hellenic League Division One. Promotion to the Premier Division was achieved at the first attempt. After five seasons in this league, during which time floodlights were installed at Wilks Park, Flackwell were elected into the Athenian League. In 1984 they joined the expanding Isthmian League. The clubs first season in this competition saw them playing in Division Two (North) and against some tough opposition they finished in a respectable eighth position. The following season Flackwell was switched to Division Two (South) where life turned out to be even tougher. At the end of season 1990-91, after finishing below mid-table, The Heathens found themselves placed in the newly formed Ryman League Division Three.

In 2002/03 Flackwell reached the 4th qualifying round of the FA Cup, losing 4-1 at home against Crawley and finished third in the newly formed Ryman League Division Two the highest position achieved to date. The Youth team also won the Allied Counties League Southern Division in this year. The High Wycombe Senior Challenge Cup for a record twelfth time in 2003/04, beating Prestwood 4-0 in the final at Adams Park, the home of Wycombe Wanderers. In season 2004/05 The Heathens reached the 4th Qualifying Round of the FA Cup for the second time in three years, this time losing 3-0 at Ryman Premier Division Billericay Town and were runners-up in the Ryman League Associate Members Cup, losing 2-1 after extra time to Division Two champions Ilford on their own ground. The veterans team won the FA Umbro Sunday Cup, a feat which was repeated in 2006 and 2007. After winning the first final the lads went to The Bernabeu Stadium and played against Real Madrid veterans for the European Cup and lost by 3-1. Flackwell finished fourth in Ryman League Division Two in 2005/06, narrowly missing out on promotion. After the end of 2006/07 the FA reorganised the non-league pyramid and we were due to be relegated into the South Midlands Spartan League until Barking and East Ham United went out of business and we were given the opportunity to take their place in the Ryman Division One (North). Unfortunately we finished bottom of the league and were relegated into the Hellenic Premier Division for season 2007/08.

Byron Walton led the club in its first season back in the Hellenic League but following his resignation in January 2008 the team plummeted down the table but made a late recovery under the tutelage of Terry Glynn to finish in 9th position and also reach the final of the High Wycombe Senior Challenge Cup where they were beaten 2-1 by Chalfont Wasps. Season 2008/09 was another one full of inconsistency and Terry Glynn resigned at the end of October 2008 and was replaced by one of our former club captains, Matt Flint. Matt brought in the experienced ex-Marlow and Slough Town midfielder James Pritchard at Christmas time in the capacity of player/assistant manager along with Graham Malcolm as head coach and James took on the role of Flackwell Heath manager when Matt resigned in 2010. In his first full season James led the club to two cup finals but both were lost on penalties, the Berks and Bucks Trophy to Newport Pagnell Town and the Reading Senior Cup to Newbury. Ex-Slough Town and Yeading striker Matt Miller joined the club as joint manager at the start of 2011/12 season and the team finished the season in 4th position.

Graham Malcolm took over as Manager midway through the 2012/13 season. He continues in this role for the forthcoming season having seen Flackwell Heath FC to 8th place in season 2013/14. He is ably supported Assistant Manager/Player, Paul Shone.



# Hellenic League Years - 2001-02

by Stoddart on his former stomping ground. Mid-table Wantage then dished out a 4-0 hammering at Rylands Way.

It took a herculean effort in the final week of the season to ensure survival. A 20-yard drive from Vaughan decided the encounter at bottom side Harrow Hill in Bassett's favour before newly installed Highworth boss John Fisher was given a shock when their visitors triumphed by the odd goal in five. On a balmy April evening, strikes from Tooley and Turner earned another vital three points. Then on the final day of the season at Gloucester United – who at that moment headed the league, a lead they would eventually blow – a Kevin Theobald header with quarter of an hour to go secured a point, meaning Yeardley's men finished 19th.

While the symptoms of second season syndrome had been present throughout the course of the campaign, thankfully relegation had been avoided.

And that would soon become a habit.

The final league table for the Hellenic Premier League is shown below along with all the results and scorers from the season:

#### Hellenic Premier Division 2001/02

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:	2 Gloucester United	42	29	6	7	106	48	93
;	3 Yate Town	42	24	13	5	105	39	85
4	4 Abingdon United	42	24	8	10	86	51	80
!	5 Didcot Town	42	24	6	12	93	56	78
(	6 Fairford Town	42	21	10	11	72	42	73
	7 Brackley Town	42	20	9	13	70	55	69
1	3 Tuffley Rovers	42	19	11	12	53	61	68
9	9 Shortwood United	42	20	7	15	67	66	67
10	) Bishops Cleeve	42	19	8	15	79	51	65
1	1 Carterton Town	42	18	10	14	71	48	64
1:	2 Wantage Town	42	15	10	17	67	65	55
1;	3 Pegasus Juniors	42	16	5	21	65	92	53
14	4 Southall Town	42	14	9	19	55	66	51
1	5 Highworth Town	42	14	7	21	66	77	49
10	6 Henley Town	42	12	10	20	51	65	46
1	7 Cirencester Academy	42	11	11	20	61	71	44
18	3 Almondsbury Town	42	12	6	24	53	84	42
19	9 Wootton Bassett Town	42	11	9	22	39	75	42
20	D Bicester Town	42	9	6	27	58	97	33
2	1 Harrow Hill	42	7	2	33	31	104	23
2	2 Cheltenham Saracens	42	3	9	30	30	126	18

Town really should have won by more than two goals but Bassett keeper Richard Stevens was outstanding, keeping out decent strikes from Juan Cobian and Paul McAreavey. Although they faded badly in the second half. Bassett did threaten in the early stages.

The lively Geoff Swatton thumped a shot just wide of Richard McKinney's right post in the seventh minute and Nathan Hall should have done better in the 23rd minute, scuffing a poor effort wide. But the visitors went desperately close to snatching a shock lead on 27 minutes when Richard Merchant sent a half volley whistling inches over the crossbar from the edge of the box.

Town player-coach Neil Ruddock then tried a cheeky shot from the halfway line after a poor Bassett clearance. Ruddock said: "The keeper's teased me into having a go. But seriously he was brilliant, making some great saves."

But Town finally made the breakthrough on 36 minutes when Nathan Edwards slid home Juan Cobian's cross. The lead was doubled four minutes before the interval when Paul Reed's clever chip was headed home by skipper for the night, Bertie Brayley.

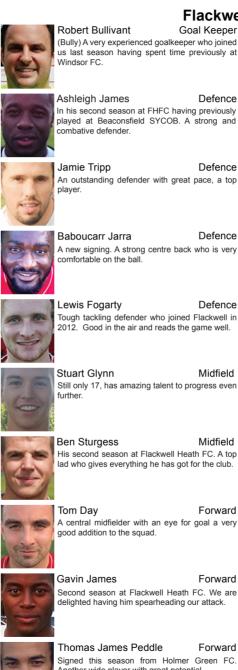
Paul Edwards caused havoc down the left flank and crashed a second half shot against the crossbar before being substituted.

Bassett manager Pete Yeardley said: "Our lads battled hard throughout. Our game plan was to close them down, frustrate them and try and hit them on the break. We had a couple of early chances we should have done better with but in the second half we were just chasing shadows. Swindon passed the ball around very well.""

When back in league action, the losses continued to mount up, March finishing with poor performances away to Didcot (0-3) and at home against mid-table Shortwood (0-1). However, there was a glimmer of hope when talisman Vaughan scored an unstoppable volley to decide Bassett's visit to Bicester.

Still, Yeardley's team had plenty of work to do in what was to be a hectic final month of the season. Eight games remained and it really was do-or-die, Bassett having slid into the bottom five, with two points separating them from 20<sup>th</sup> place Bicester. Goals either side of half time from Hall and Ricky Theobald helped Bassett on their way to a narrow 2-1 home win against Pegasus. Three disappointing defeats followed though, beginning with a 4-0 thumping at the hands of Southall on what was a night to forget. On the way to west London, the team minibus broke down, meaning they arrived late and had to changed in the vehicle's claustrophobic confines; they may as well not have bothered given the punishment they were then to receive! The team fared better at Abingdon where the spoils were shared following a goalless draw, but in the next contest, Fairford comfortably triumphed 2-0. Rubbing salt into the wounds that afternoon was the fact both of the Gloucestershire side's goals were bagged

# **Opponents Pen Pics**



#### **Flackwell Heath**

Goal Keeper

Defence

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Midfield

Jonathan Case Defence A local legend who has played at the highest non-league level. He is our oldest player at 32, his energy around the club is a great asset to FHFC

3rd year at the club. A quality player who can play

Defence

Defence

Midfield

Midfield

Jeff Brown

in many positions.

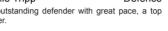
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ground with ease.

Joshua Fox

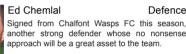
### In his second season at FHFC having previously played at Beaconsfield SYCOB. A strong and

Defence An outstanding defender with great pace, a top





Bryan Taylor Is able to play as a full back and a wing back, has a cultured left foot, and will figure a lot this season.



On his day one of the best mid-fielders in the

league, has great energy and is able to cover the

A young player signed from Penn & Tylers Green.

happy to play anywhere on the left with frightening





Forward Second season at Flackwell Heath FC. We are delighted having him spearheading our attack.



Thomas James Peddle Forward Signed this season from Holmer Green FC. Another wide player with great potential.

nace Joe Blount Midfield



In his second season at the club. He is maturing as a player and is well liked in the camp

Mitchel Woodward Midfield Further season with Flackwell Heath FC. A combative midfielder with an eye for goals





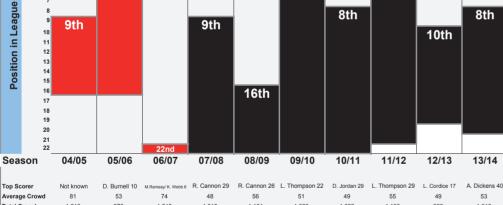
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# **Todays Opponents**

# Flackwell Heath FC

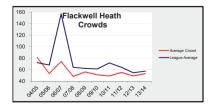


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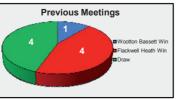
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20-Apr-15	Reading Town (A)				
18-Apr-15	Shrivenham (A)	W 11 - 0			
16-Apr-15	Ascot United (A)	L 0-1			
14-Apr-15	Windsor (H)	L 2 - 3			
11-Apr-15	Cheltenham Saracens (H)	W 7 - 0			
6-Apr-15	Holyport (A)	W 1 - 0			





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# Hellenic League Years - 2001-02

Hunts Copse supremo John Murphy clearly wants to focus on the club's quest for Dr Martens safety and blooded academy and fringe players such as Richard Knox and Liam Thompson. But Marine still had seven regulars in the starting line-up, so Bassett can be rightly proud of their performance."

Four days later, it was a case of after the Lord Mayor's show when Almondsbury picked up all three points comfortably, defeating Bassett 2-0. December's performances continued to deteriorate as both Fairford (2-0) and North Leigh (6-0) showed no sympathy, leaving Yeardlev and his team lingering dangerously in 16<sup>th</sup> position going into the New Year. Whereas previously they had been just six points off a place in the top half, the distance had by now doubled.

January began on a similarly negative note with a 2-0 defeat at home against Yate in a game which saw Hall and Luke Sharps sent off and Yeardley ordered from the dugout. With suspensions therefore piling up, the manager could ill afford to lose any more players, but that is exactly what happened when Newton made the switch to join ex-Bassett teammate Lee Stoddart at Fairford. In fairness to the winger, staying with his hometown club would not have helped further his burgeoning career, but still, losing such a gifted player was a bitter pill to swallow.

Without him though, Bassett began to regain some of their lost form. Steve Howse's 90<sup>th</sup> minute header earned a point against Bishops Cleeve, though it could well have been all three had Hall had not missed an earlier penalty. Maximum points were then taken from the only two games played in February. Against Cirencester Academy, Vaughan scored the only two goals of the game before getting sent off, and Cheltenham Saracens were defeated by the odd goal in three courtesy of a last minute Simpkins free kick. Those results helped lift Bassett eight points above the relegation zone. Yet that cushion would soon deteriorate.

Debutant Nick Tooley found the back of the net to grab a hard earned point at Henley before consecutive home defeats against Southall Town (0-2) and Carterton (0-3) and a convincing loss away to Brackley (1-3). It wasn't exactly the greatest preparation for the Premier Shield last four contest with Swindon Town. The competition was generally used for blooding the then Division Two side's youngsters. But for this tie, former Liverpool star Neil Ruddock was given a run out as part of his recuperation from an injury. Bassett performed admirably and only narrowly missed out on a matchup with Chippenham Town in the final, with 'keeper Rich Stevens in particular in fine form, as the Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2001 edition of the Evening Advertiser noted in its report of the game:

"Andy King will come face to face with Tommy Saunders after Town's 2-0 win over Wootton Bassett booked a Wiltshire Shield final date with high-flying Chippenham. First half goals from Nathan Edwards and Bertie Brayley were enough to give the Second Division side a comfortable victory but Pete Yeardley's Hellenic side did not disgrace themselves.

The hangover from this loss lingered, with a 3-0 thrashing at the hands of Cirencester Academy four days later and a 9-2 thumping – at home – against Yate in the Challenge Cup to make it four consecutive defeats. Fortunately Bassett bounced back, beating Wessex League Bemerton Heath Harlequins at home courtesy of a first goal for the club from Geoff Swatton in the opening round of the Wiltshire Premier Shield. It was the first and only time Bassett had taken part in this competition, which at this stage featured all county clubs from what was then step four of the non-league pyramid upwards, with Swindon Town also participating.

November then began with the visit of second placed North Leigh, who were given an extremely tough time and only prevailed thanks to a controversial goal that was scored directly from an indirect free kick. Three days later, nothing separated Bassett and Tuffley once again, with goals from Swatton and Richard Merchant being cancelled out by the visitors. The games continued to come thick and fast, with the trip to Almondsbury Town being switched to a Friday night. And the journey to Bristol was to be a fruitful one as Merchant and classy midifielder Tony Macek both scored in a 2-0 win. Another draw followed, this time against Abingdon United at Rylands Way, Simpkins from the spot and Paul O'Connell notching for the hosts. It should really have been all three points though given Bassett had jumped into a two goal lead. Carterton Town were next to be held in a goalless draw that saw both teams have shots cleared off the line.

Bassett's troubles then returned in December, beginning with a 4-0 shellacking at the hands of Pegasus Juniors. Next was the first meeting of the season with Highworth Town. Goals from Macek and Nathan Hall had the hosts ahead 2-1 at the break, but the Worthians fought back during the second period to claim victory by the odd goal in five. Yeardley's side then continued their strange trend of faring better when up against opposition heavily favoured to win when they met Southern League Swindon Supermarine in the quarter finals of the Wiltshire Premier Shield. The Hunts Copse outfit sent a weakened side to Rylands Way, although seven regulars still made an appearance. And they were to embarrassed thanks to the brilliance of Swatton, as noted by the Evening Advertiser on Wednesday December 12<sup>th</sup> 2001 under the headline, "Bassett ace Geoff Swats aside Marine":

"Swindon Supermarine crashed out of the Wiltshire Shield last night at the hands of a spirited Wootton Bassett side.

A goal in each half from Geoff Swatton proved enough to give Bassett a deserved 2-0 win against an understrength Marine.

The only threat to their safe passage was the thick fog that descended on the Gerard Buxton ground during the match. Referee Brendon Malone must have been tempted to abandon proceedings as visibility levels swiftly deteriorated. But once Swatton had put Bassett 2-0 up on the hour, Malone was never going to risk getting lynched by the jubilant home faithful.

# **Todays Opponents**

#### Flackwell Heath

Today sees us play our 928<sup>th</sup> game in the Hellenic Football League in what is our 27<sup>th</sup> season in the league. Of those 27 seasons we have spent 19 in Division One and this is just our 8<sup>th</sup> season in the Premier Division. The highest we have ever finished before this season was 13<sup>th</sup> in our first season in the Premier back in 2000-01. That record was broken by Paul and the lads following the recent win over Brimscombe.

Our visitors Flackwell Heath

have in fact had two spells in the Hellenic League. In Season 1976-77 they finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in Division One gaining promotion to the Premier where they spent 5 seasons before joining the Athenian League and then the Isthmian League where they were to remain until relegation at the end of 2006-7 back into the Hellenic League. This season they have finished as worthy champions and achieved promotion back to Step 4 of the Pyramid.

Their highest placed finish in

Wootton Bassett Town have plaved Flackwell Heath on 9 occasions previously in the Hellenic League era with Flackwell having the better of things with 4 wins to one for Bassett, with 4 games ending in draws. Details of these games are shown below.

The last meeting was in August when two late Sam English goals gave us a share of the points. Last season the two games between the two sides both ended in draws so what odds on a repeat of that sequence of results?

are in their 14<sup>th</sup> season in the Hellenic League. Of those 14. the Isthmian League was 3rd in Division Two in Season Flackwell have spent 13 in the Premier Division. Flackwell 2002-3.

#### Previous Meetings when Wootton Bassett in Hellenic League

Season	Date	L/Cup	Opponents	H/A	Result	Goalscorers
2007.08	23-Oct-07	FL	Flackwell Heath	Н	L 2 - 5	Tearle, Terry
2008.09	16-Aug-08	FAC	Flackwell Heath	A	D 1 - 1	Shand
2008.09	20-Aug-08	FAC	Flackwell Heath	Н	L 1 - 6	Shand
2010.11	30-Oct-10	L	Flackwell Heath	Н	W 1 - 0	Delaney
2010.11	31-Mar-11	LC	Flackwell Heath	A	L 1 - 5	Collier
2010.11	23-Apr-11	L	Flackwell Heath	A	L 0 - 4	
2013.14	24-Aug-13	L	Flackwell Heath	A	D 1 - 1	Worthington
2013.14	29-Mar-14	L	Flackwell Heath	Н	D1-1	Corcoran
2014.15	23-Aug-14	L	Flackwell Heath	A	D 2 - 2	English 2



## **Previous Meetings**

### Late English brace frustrates Flackwell

#### Wilks Park, 23rd August 2014

Wootton Bassett Town's application and attitude were rewarded in thrilling fashion as they came from 2-0 down to earn a fantastic point and put an end to Flackwell Heath's 100% record.

Full back Sam English was the source of an unlikely brace as he headed in a James Skinner cross with five minutes remaining before thrashing home a dramatic, controversial equaliser in injury time to frustrate Flackwell.

A stunning Dan Rapley goal shortly after the restart and an unfortunate Richie Carter own goal had put the hosts in command. Being in such a position against Bracknell Town on Wednesday night led to heads dropping. But this time Paul Braithwaite's team rose to the occasion to claim a point that they deserved.

Given their strong start to the season, Flackwell were favourites to claim the points, but they failed to create significant chances throughout the match as Bassett's defence – led in sterling fashion by centre halves Carter and Nathan Hawkins – gave little away. Aside from Rapley's moment of magic, they didn't really threaten to score.

That said, opportunities were initially limited at both ends, especially in the opening half.

On six minutes first team debutant Danny Hale forced home stopper Robert Bullivant to tip around his post with a low drive from range, though the 'keeper made the save look less comfortable than it should have been.

Four Flackwell corners in succession then finally led to an opening for Flackwell, but when Riccardo Cannon swivelled to shoot from twelve yards, the close attention Carter gave him meant his effort was blocked by the defender's leg.

A looping Rapley header soon ensured Ben Mitchell had to be at

full attention, but the ball floated harmlessly onto the roof of the net.

For the remainder of the period neat passing in the middle of the park from both teams failed to lead anywhere thanks to strong defensive play.

A half chance did come Bassett's way nine minutes before the interval when a switch of play out to Lewis Chatwin on the right allowed the winger to cross. Dale Richards, who had initiated the move, met the delivery with a header at the far post yet could only direct this across the face of goal.

Flackwell finally managed to get beyond the Bassett backline shortly after the restart. However Rapley twice passed up great opportunities, hooking straight into Mitchell's hands following Mitchel Woodward's lofted pass before he dragged well wide when put through on goals thanks to quick interplay between Cannon and substitute Thomas James-Peddle.

He quickly made amends for that wastefulness though, scoring a peach of a goal with 50 minutes on the clock. The ball was worked out to Rapley on the left edge of the box and he stepped inside Pete Sykes before wrapping his boot around a beautiful curling strike that picked out the top right corner, leaving Mitchell no chance.

A neat move involving Dan Bailey and Hale almost led to an equaliser midway through the half as the latter's defence splitting pass was latched onto by Skinner. One-onone with Bullivant, the midfielder failed to steer his shot into the bottom corner though.

Bassett then conceded an avoidable second with thirteen minutes to go to seemingly put the result beyond doubt. Rapley received a quick free kick from Woodward in the left corner and, after riding a Sykes, challenge delivered a weighted cross which Carter connected with at the near post only to head into his net

With a comfortable lead and Bassett's previous troubles so far this campaign when falling behind, Flackwell could have expected to make their advantage count.

Yet they continued to meet rather spirited resistance as Bassett remained composed with their play despite having to chase.

And Braithwaite, who had moved from a four to three man backline to try and salvage something, saw his team duly rewarded five minutes from time. Skinner teased a superb first time cross into the box and, at the left post, English fought to get in front of his marker and planted a header beyond the reach of Bullivant.

Confidence revived, Bassett continued to push forward and a minute after the deficit was halved, Gambling sent a rasping 30-yard drive inches over.

That appeared to be as close as the visitors would get to a point. But then they were awarded a free kick five yards inside their own half. From five yards in front of that innocuous position, Mitchell pumped the ball into the box where it fell to Chatwin. He nudged the ball back a yard or two into an opening which English quickly filled and the full back proceeded to blast beyond Bullivant before racing off to celebrate completing a superb recovery.

Flackwell's players were equally as quick to storm down the pitch, confronting the referee's assistant working the Bassett half of the pitch. After the kick was taken he had waved his flag because Mitchell had cheekily stolen five yards, only to cease doing so when he had failed to gain the referee's attention. A short conference ensued, but the man in black soon decided the goal would stand, infuriating the home team even further.

The visitors, on the other hand, couldn't have been happier. Their fine display had been justly rewarded.

Man of the Match: Nathan Hawkins – a rock in the heart of defence, he helped keep the dangerous Ricardo Cannon quiet and was a composed presence throughout when playing the ball out from the back. Hellenic League Years - 2001-02

The Vase win seemed to be the perfect tonic for Bassett. It was quickly followed by three points in the league, with goals from Vaughan and talismanic winger Jeremy Newton securing a 2-0 win at Cheltenham Saracens. The second month of the campaign then finished with progress in another cup competition, with unbeaten Bristol-based Division One side Winterbourne United being dispatched by three goals to one in the Challenge Cup. Dave Turner's solitary goal in the 89<sup>th</sup> minute made all the difference against Bicester Town before one of the upsets of the season came with the visit of previously unbeaten Didcot Town to Rylands Way. Towering defender Stuart Lamont was the key performer on the evening, netting a brace, whilst ample assistance was supplied by both Walsh and Mark Simpkins as the hosts triumphed 4-2 to leave the Railwaymen stunned.

Hyde's early goal against high-flyers Brackley Town gave thoughts of another unexpected home result, but two vital mistakes from inexperienced stand-in 'keeper Darren Curtis meant at least a point went begging, allowing the Northamptonshire side to win 3-1. That defeat marked the beginning of another poor patch of form, with elimination from the FA Vase following a week later against Cornish visitors St. Blazey. Bassett put in an admirable performance against the South West Peninsula League outfit, who brought with them a jovial bunch of supporters. Reporting on the match for the Evening Advertiser, Ray Burroughs wrote for the Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2001 edition:

"Wootton Bassett's hopes of an extended FA Vase run were dashed by Cornish visitors St Blazey who scored two late goals to defeat the Hellenic Premier side 2-0.

Bassett almost took a surprise lead after three minutes, Justin Hyde just failing to get a final touch. Home keeper Richard Stevens kept his side in the game making a great save from a well taken free-kick. As half-time approached a quick break by the home side saw Mark Simpkins thread a good through ball for Mark Vaughan who shot just wide of the post.

Bassett started the second half well, forcing a couple of quick corners, but they were well cleared by the Cornish defence who switched to the attack and Harrington scraped the bar with good effort and Stevens made a brilliant close range save from Hooper. The home side missed a glorious chance to take the lead on the hour when Paul O'Connell found himself with only the keeper to beat but shot wide.

With just 10 minutes remaining St Blazey took the lead their top marksman Dominic Richardson forcing the ball over the line from a corner. Bassett defender Phil Penning thought he had cleared the ball but the linesman decided that the ball had crossed the line. Three minutes later the visitors made sure of victory by adding a second from Nigel Pugh."

### **Bassett Legend - Steve Yeardley**

Things therefore didn't bode well for the team going into their next match, which was to be a historic one for the club – their inaugural FA Vase tie against near neighbours Calne Town. Not since the 1964/65 campaign had Bassett competed in a national competition, and the excitement level at the club was unsurprisingly palpable. Adding further spice to the tie was the fact the Calne team – joint managed by former Bassett 'keeper Steve Hale – included a number of players familiar to the Rylands Way club, namely 'keeper Daryl Simms, defender Paul Davis and forward Shaun Terry. The match drew a healthy three figure crowd, and they were certainly entertained, as Yeardley's outfit took the game to extra time before triumphing. The Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2001 edition of the Advertiser carried the following report of the game, under the headline, "Vaughan is on the Mark for Bassett":

"Wootton Bassett are through to the first round of the FA Vase after beating local rivals Calne Town 3-2 after extra time.

"We needed that," said a relieved Bassett manager Peter Yeardley. "It was a superb all round performance, the lads stuck to their task and got their reward. It was nice to win our first game in the Vase and let's hope we can start playing like that in the league and pick up a few more good results."

Visitors Calne Town had the better of the opening exchanges and took the lead on 32 minutes when they were awarded a penalty after a push in the box. Shaun Terry tucked the spot kick away past keeper Richard Stevens. Gradually the home side came more into the game and Gareth Walsh found the net on 40 minutes but the effort was disallowed. On the run-up to the interval things began to get heated and the referee was forced to disperse half a dozen yellow cards between the two sides.

Calne almost scored a second at the start of the second half, Stevens making a great save from Craig Buck, and at the other end Jeremy Newton went close with a good effort. On 64 minutes Bassett at last drew level when Mark Vaughan was brought down and Mark Simpkins' free kick found Newton, who drove a low shot into the net. Bassett then began to get on top and Calne keeper Daryl Simms made several good saves to ensure the tie went into extra time. However the keeper was unable to stop a header from Vaughan entering the net five minutes after the start of extra time to give the home side the lead.

Calne fought back and equalised ten minutes later, Matt Peters getting on the end of a free kick by Andy Power. In the second period play switched frantically from end to end and on 109 minutes a good through ball by Chris O'Connell found Vaughan who ran through to shot past Sims for the winner.

Calne manager and former Bassett keeper Steven Hale said: "For some reason we stopped playing midway through the first half and a couple of defensive mistakes gave away the goals. Bassett ran the second half and deserve credit for their win. I wish them all the best in the next round."



# WBTFC Stats Page 2014-15

#### WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB STATS PAGE



Appearances 2014/15	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals
1 Dan Bailey	45	0	45	18
2 Richie Carter	44	1	45	1
3 Dale Richards	42	2	44	1
4 Nathan Hawkins	41	2	43	-
5 Steve Yeardley	37	2	39	10
6 Nathan Gambling	37	1	38	16
7 James Skinner	34	2	36	6
8 George Drewitt	34	2	36	1
9 Joey Hiscock	6	24	30	3
10 Ben Mitchell	29	0	29	-
11 Tyler Sheppard	18	11	29	1
12 Henry Traas	25	1	26	4
13 Callum Wright	25	1	26	2
14 Lewis Chatwin	11	8	19	2
15 Peter Sykes	13	4	17	-
16 Steve Robertson	14	1	15	12
17 Luke Kuczynski	13	0	13	-
18 Ryan Thomas	6	6	12	-
19 Josh Skeates	4	8	12	-
20 Scott Walduck	3	9	12	-
21 Shaun Terry	7	2	9	2
22 Sam English	6	2	8	2
23 Sam Brown	4	4	8	-
24 Lewis Petrie	5	2	7	-
25 Hugo Vivash	1	4	5	1
26 Curtis Sharkey	4	0	4	-
27 Jack Ellis	2	2	4	-
28 Danny Hale	2	2	4	-
29 Dan Cole	1	2	3	-
30 Luke Adams	0	3	3	-
31 Jacob Matthews	0	3	3	-
32 Mike Yates	1	0	1	-
33 Wes Clark	1	0	1	-
34 Ben Brown	0	1	1	-
35 Steve Groom	0	1	1	-
36 Lewis Taylor	0	1	1	-
37 Jake Covey	0	1	1	-
Own Goals		-		2

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Binfield (A)	0	0	0
Newbury (A)	3	1	2
Bracknell (H)	0	0	2
Flackwell H (A)	1	1	2
Highworth (H)	0	0	2
Shrivenham (A)	3	3	2
Cheltenham (H)	3	3	2
Abingdon U (A)	1	0	3
Highmoor Ibis (H)	0	1	2
Ascot United (H)	0	0	2
Kidlington (A)	0	3	(1
Bracknell (A)	1	0	0
Oxford City (A)	0	0	0
Milton Utd (H)*	3	3	0
Thatcham T (A)**	3	0	3
Milton Utd (A)*	0	3	0
Cheltenham (A)	3	0	3
Ardley (A)	0	1	2
Holyport (A)	0	1	1
Reading T (H)	3	1	3
Thatcham T (H)**	0	0	3
Highmoor Ibis (A)	0	1	2
Binfield (H)	1	3	0
Abingdon U (H)	1	0	1
Brimscombe (A)	3	3	1
Thame Utd (A)	0	1	0
Newbury (H)	3	3	0
Ascot United (A)	0	1	(1
Reading Town (A)	3	0	2
Shrivenham (H)	1	3	0
Thame Utd (H)	1	1	0
Kidlington (H)	1	0	1
Highworth (A)	3	1	3
Ardley (H)	3	0	6
Oxford City (H)	1	0	7
Brimscombe (H)	3	3	7
Holyport (H)	3	3	7

# Hellenic League Years - 2001-02

groups. It's the club's foundation." New commercial manager Ken Locke is infectiously enthusiastic about Bassett's future. He said: "Without doubt, this club is going places. I aim to boost income and supply the club with improved facilities, like a team coach and player tracksuits. I want to fill pitchside advertising, and my objective is to raise £25,000 for the club this year."

While others at the club remain cautiously optimistic about the new season, Locke predicts a highly successful campaign. "I believe we'll finish in the top three this season. We want to move up a further division, and I think once everything is in place, it will take us two years to get promoted. " For the first time in their history, Bassett will also compete in the FA Vase. Manager Yeardley hopes that a good run will boost local interest: "We have a new squad which will need time to develop. I would be happy with a solid mid-table finish to match last season, but we will certainly aim to progress in future years." Bassett begin their campaign with a visit to Premier Division newcomers Bishops Cleeve."

With just one loss from the opening four games, the new boss certainly made a promising start. From the off it was obvious who Bassett would have to rely on for their goals though, with newly signed midfielders Mark Vaughan and CJ O'Connell both finding the net as their side twice came from behind to earn a point at Bishops Cleeve. O'Connell was on target again a few days later, his strike earning a point at Tuffley Rovers, before a Vaughan pair helped see of Harrow Hill by the odd goal in three. He notched his fourth away against Shortwood United, but this was not enough as Bassett – reduced to ten men following Justin Hyde's dismissal - fell to their first defeat by a 2-1 margin. What was frustrating for Yeardley was the fact that both Vaughan and O'Connell would end up missing significant parts of the season, but for altogether different reasons. In the case of the former, his knack for picking up suspensions would limit his availability. However in O'Connell's case, he was the victim of a horrific car crash early in September that would endanger his life. Thankfully, he recovered and would make an inspirational comeback with Bassett just over eighteen months later.

If August had offered hope, then September provided a reality check as the defeats began to pile up. The month started well, with a come from behind 3-1 triumph against Hook Norton, albeit in the preliminary round of the Challenge Cup. It could have been worse too had Rich Stevens not kept out a penalty when already a goal down. Vaughan ultimately levelled to force extra time, during which Garth Walsh and Hyde secured victory. Following a home defeat by the narrowest of margins against big spending Gloucester United, Vaughan put Bassett in control away at Wantage Town. However, following a Phil Penning own goal on the hour, Yeardley's side capitulated and went on to lose the match 3-1. After defeat in the Floodlit Cup at the first hurdle against Tuffley, Bassett again lost 3-1 after taking the lead, this time away to Yate Town. Newly promoted Henley Town then inflicted a fifth consecutive league loss as they stole a 1-0 win in a dire contest at Rylands Way.





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### Season 2001-02 - Too Close

#### What was going on in the world

The season kicked off with Atomic Kitten at number one in the charts with Eternal Flame and ended with Oasis at the top of the pile with Hindu Times. Apple announce the invention of their new music device called the I-Pod. The 11<sup>th</sup> of September sees Islamic terrorists fly aeroplanes into the World Trade Center in New York and also crash planes with intended targets in Washington. Thierry Henry fires the goals which take Arsenal to the Premiership championship, finishing seven points ahead of Liverpool. Arsenal then go onto do the double by defeating Chelsea 2-0 in the FA Cup Final. Swindon Town finish in 13<sup>th</sup> place in the third tier of English football. The summer's World Cup, held in South Korea and Japan, sees Brazil claim their fifth title after defeating Germany 2-0 in the final.

The summer of 2001 was one of stark change at Wootton Bassett Town, with numerous players following former manager Barry Giles out of Rylands Way. Free scoring Lee Stoddart was undoubtedly the biggest loss, but also gone were defenders Paul Davis and Lee Marshall and midfielders Paul Harper and Mick Goodwin. With the newly installed Pete Yeardley, who a season before had led the reserves - alongside Paul Burke - to the Hellenic League Reserve Division Two title, forced to rebuild, it was unsurprising that club's ambitions - but for one person - were scaled back, as the season preview published by the Evening Advertiser on Friday August 17<sup>th</sup> highlighted:

"Top of the bottom three will suit us fine,' says one Wootton Bassett supporter only half joking. Wootton Bassett secured a noteworthy 13th position in their top-flight debut in the Hellenic League last season. However, the summer has seen a mass exodus of players and management alike, causing an air of defeatism to descend on the supporters watching a low-key pre-season friendly. Bassett went on to lose the game but only just and to strong opposition in Western League outfit Devizes Town. The performance is enough to give new manager Pete Yeardley cause for optimism.

He said: "We've made an encouraging start. Mick Byrne (assistant manager) and myself have trained the boys really hard over the last five weeks, and it shows. The fitness levels are excellent." Yeardley, who controlled last season's unbeaten reserve team, has stepped up to replace former boss Barry Giles, who decided to step down at the end of last season. Giles's departure opened the flood gates and the majority of the first team followed him out of the door. Yeardley, aided by assistant Mick Byrne, has reassembled the squad, bringing in talented lower league players, and offering some of last season's all- conquering reserve side the chance to prove themselves in the first team.

"We know the Wiltshire football scene well, so we targeted players who are young and receptive to coaching," said Yeardley. Nurturing gifted youngsters is the overriding theme at the club, with players aged six to 18 representing Bassett. "The youth set-up here is fantastic," said Yeardley. "We have good young teams in all age

# **WBTFC First Team Pen Pics**

#### Wootton Bassett Town Wes Clark

Luke Kuczynski Great shot stopper who has made the step up from the Reserves and displaced Ben Mitchell from the Number One shirt. A number of assured performances already.

#### Nathan Hawkins

A quality defender who joins from Fairford Town. Brings Southern League experience, having previously been with Cirencester Town before moving to Cinder Lane.



Defence Overlapping full back who made the breakthrough into the First Team last season under Jeff Roberts. Expected to get more starts this season and hold down a regular place.

-	Josh Skeates	Midfield
Sal a	Joins from Fairford Town having also New College in the Hellenic League midfield player who looks to get forwa opportunity.	, attacking
1	James Skinner	Midfield

Midfield Re-joins Wootton Bassett, with whom he had a brief spell as an U18, from Fairford Town. Can play either at the back or in midfield

#### Rvan Thomas

Midfield Young skilful midfield playmaker who returns to the club having also played for Cricklade Town and Highworth Town in the uhlsport Hellenic League.



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Forward Forward who recently re-ioined the Club from Shrivenham where he hit 22 goals last season. Has already been amongst the goals for Bassett with two away at Brimscombe.

Joe Hiscock Forward Skilful and hard working player who is a regular in the First Team squad hoping to hold down a regular starting position in the second half of the season

#### Lewis Chatwin

Quick winger whose turn of speed can leave defenders for dead, broke into First Team last season scoring on his full debut at Highmoor Ibis.



Midfield

Forward



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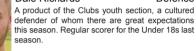
Defence Classy defender, product of the Club's Youth Section who has twice won Reserve Team player

Goal Keeper

of the year. Expected to step up to the First Team this season. Dale Richards Defence

Recent signing from Shrivenham. Wes is a big

strong keeper, returning to Bassett after a couple

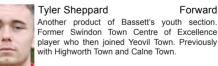


1000	Callum Wright Midfield
	Former Swindon Town and Chelsea Academy player who re-joins us having played for Chippen
	ham Town last season after first making 8 appearances for Bassett.

Midfield Steve Yeardlev Bassett lad with over 340 appearances for the club despite three seasons at Highworth Town. Battling midfield player with tremendous energy and fans' favourite

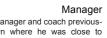
**Daniel Bailev** Midfield A strong powerful player who is box to box midfielder who can also play right wing and up front. Joins us from Fairford Town

Henry Traas Midfield Creative midfielder who joins from Fairford Town Came through the Cirencester Academy scheme, has a great eye for a pass and a tremendous engine

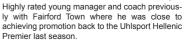








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# **Senior Honours List**

1902/03

1902/03













Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up

Advertiser Cup Runners-up





# Wilts Senior Cup History

#### Season Winners Runners-Un 1886-87 Swindon Town Trowbridge Town 1887-88 Swindon Town Swindon Temperance 1888-89 Swindon Town Swindon Temperance 1889-90 Swindon Town Trowbridge Town 1890-91 Swindon Town Swindon Town Reserves 1891-92 Swindon Town Swindon Town Reserves 1892-93 Swindon Athletic Trowbridge Town 1893-94 Swindon Wanderer Calne 1894-95 Trowbridge Town Colno 1895-96 Swindon Town Rese West Swindon 1895-96 Trowbridge Town 1896-97 Swindon Town Trowbridge Town 1897-98 Trowbridge Towr Swindon Victoria 1898-99 Swindon Victoria Devizes Town 1899-00 Chinnenham Town Devizes Town 1900-01 Warminster Town Even Swindon United 1901-02 Chippenham Town Swindon Town Reserves 1902-03 Warminster Towr Wootton Bassett Towr 1903-04 Swindon Town Reserve Wootton Bassett Town 1904-05 Melksham Town Swindon Haydon St W 1905-06 Salisbury City Swindon Havdon St W 1906-07 Swindon Towr Trowbridge Town 1907-08 Devizes Town Trowbridge Town 1908-09 1908-09 Trowbridge Town 1909-10 Salisbury City Warminster Town 1910-11 Warminster Town Salisbury City 1911-12 38th Brigade REA Calne 1912-13 Calne Town Trowbridge Town 1913-14 3rd Wilts Regime Chippenham Town 1919-20 Swindon Town Salishury City 1920-21 Swindon Victoria Stratton Reform Chippenham Tow 1921-22 Trowbridge Towr 1922-23 Salisbury City Devizes Town 1923-24 Spencers Swindon Victoria 1924-25 Chippenham Town Swindon Victoria 1st Batt, Wilts Regimen 1925-26 Trowbridge Town 1926-27 Chippenham Towr Warminster Town 1927-28 Swindon Corinthian Chippenham Towr 1928-29 Chippenham Town Swindon Corinthian 1929-30 Garrard Athletic Trowbridge Town 1930-31 Chippenham Town Swindon Corinthians Swindon Victoria 1931-32 Westbury United 1932-33 Westbury United Warminster Towr 1933-34 Trowbridge Town Westbury Unitrd 1934-35 Swindon Corinthians Swindon Victoria 1935-36 Swindon Corinthians Swindon Corinthians 1936-37 Swindon Victoria Salisbury Corinthians 1937-38 Trowbridge Towr 1st Survey Cov R.A. 1938-39 Purton Swindon Corinthian 1945-46 Salisbury Corinthians Chippenham Town 1946-47 Swindon GWR Corinthians Pewsey Vale 1947-48 Westbury United Swindon BR Corinthians 1948-49 Purton Swindon BR Corinthians 1949-50 Devizes Town Calne & Harris United 1950-51 Purton Salisbury City 1951-52 Westbury United Bulford United 1952-53 Pinehurst YC Swindon Victoria 1953-54 Pinehurst YC Warminster Town 1954-55 Purton Bulford United 1955-56 Swindon Victoria Downton FC 1956-57 Devizes Town Swindon B.R. 1957-58 Devizes Town Melksham Towr 1958-59 Devizes Town Swindon B.R. 1959-60 Pinehurst Devizes Towr Pinehurst 1960-61 Devizes Town 1961-62 Devizes Town Malmeshurv 1962-63 Devizes Town Highworth Town 1963-64 Highworth Town Westbury Unitrd 1964-65 Pinehurst Chippenham Tov 1965-66 Devizes Town Aldbourne 1966-67 Pinehurst Devizes Town 1967-68 Devizes Town Melksham Towr Melksham Town 1968-69 Chippenham Town 1969-70 Melksham Town Devizes Town 1970-71 Devizes Town Pinehurst 1971-72 Devizes Town Sanford Youth 1972-73 Highworth Town Devizes Town 1973-74 Devizes Town Park 1974-75 Chippenham Town Vickers 1975-76 Pinehurst Devizes Towr 1976-77 Corsham Towr Park 1977-78 Melksham Town Avon Bradford

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Swindon Supermarine Swindon GWR Corinthians Swindon Wanderers Wollen Sports

# Wiltshire Senior Cup

#### WILTSHIRE COUNTY SENIOR CUP SEASON 2014-15

First Round						
Amesbury Town	4 - 1	FC Chippenham Youth Adults				
Highworth Town	5 - 0	New College Swindon				
Corsham Town	2 - 0	Supermarine Sports FC				
Marlborough Town	0 - 1	Purton (awarded to Marlborough)				
Downton	2 - 1	Westbury United				
Southbrook	2 - 0	Trowbridge Wanderers				
Malmesbury Victoria	2 - 3	Wootton Bassett Town				
Wroughton	2 - 1	Bemerton Heath Harlequins				
Calne Town	1 - 2	Warminster Town				
Shrewton United	3 - 2	Devizes Town				
Laverstock & Ford	4 - 0	Pewsey Vale				
Ludgershall Sports	1 - 2	Chippenham Park				
Trowbridge Town	3 - 1	Wilts Calne Town				
Bradford Town	W - L	Vale of Pewsey				
Sarum Youth	0 - 2	Mere Town				
Melksham Town		Вуе				

Second Round								
Downton	0 - 5	Highworth Town						
Melksham Town	4 - 1	Trowbridge Town						
Amesbury Town	3 - 2	Shrewton United						
Corsham Town	2 - 1	Chippenham Park						
Laverstock & Ford	2 - 0	Marlborough Town						
Southbrook FC	1 - 5	Warminster Town						
Wroughton	0 - 1	Wootton Bassett Town						
Bradford Town	5 - 1	Mere Town						

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Quarter Finals								
Laverstock & Ford	2 - 0	Corsham Town						
Wootton Bassett Town	0 - 2	Bradford Town						
Highworth Town	3 - 2	Melksham Town						
Warminster Town	1 - 2	Amesbury Town						
	Semi Fina	ls						
Amesbury	0 - 4	Highworth Town						
Bradford Town	4 - 2	Laverstock & Ford						
	Final							
Bradford Town	v	Highworth Town						

# **WBTFC History On One Page**

### Wootton Bassett Town FC • Club History

Wootton Bassett Town formed in 1882 and are one of the oldest Clubs in Wiltshire. Bassett's early success came in the Wiltshire Senior Cup, making the final in both 1902-3 and 1903-4, losing to Warminster 3-1 in a replay before going down 3-0 to Swindon Town the following season. Bassett folded for a period pre World War 1 before re-forming in the Calne & District League. After finishing runners-up in 1930-31 they went one better the following year winning the champion-ship. A short unsuccessful spell in the Swindon & District League saw the team return to the Calne League where they were champions again in 1934-35.



Having won the Calne League for the second time Bassett moved up into Wiltshire League Division 2. Promotion was achieved in the first season and the team remained in the top division until the start of World War II. After the war Bassett recommenced in the County Senior League but struggled. In 1956-57 a reorganisation of football in Wiltshire saw the creation of a Premier Division and Bassett found themselves in the second tier. Season 1958-59 saw the first title secured when Bassett foinshed top of Division 1. Back in the top tier the highest place finish was 8th in Season 1967-68. Then, following another reorganisation, Bassett found themselves in the Wiltshire Combination where they were to remain until 1976-77 when the current Wiltshire County Football League was formed. The second season in the new league saw Bassett relegated but they were to bounce straight back in 1978-79 when they finished runners-up. Unfortunately momentum could not be maintained and they were immediately relegated to Division 1. This time the team were able to hold their own and after finishing 6th and 4th they then achieved their greatest success in 1987-88 when they won the Division 1 title, elevating the Club into the Hellenic League, where they have remained since.

Throughout their first eleven seasons Bassett kept a steady mid table position. In 1999-2000 they finished 3rd in Division One West and gained promotion to the Hellenic top flight. First season in the Premier resulted in a respectable twelfth position and a County Cup triumph. The next season they made the first round of the FA Vase but just avoided relegation. The next two seasons saw Bassett finish mid table but the following season they were relegated, this after making their first venture into the FA Cup since 1950-51. Bassett missed immediate promotion back to the Premier by one point in 2005-06 and went close again in 2008-09, finishing fourth. Meanwhile Bassett became the first club in Wiltshire to be awarded Charter Community Club status by the FA. Promotion back to the Premier Division was secured at the end of 2009-10 as Bassett finished level on points with champions Slimbridge.

Bassett finished in a credible 15th place in their first season back in the Premier. However, they harshly found themselves demoted back to Division One on a ground grading technicality. They did well to finish in 5th place the following season after such heartbreak. In 2012-13 Bassett were never out the top 3 as they marched towards promotion, finishing 2nd. In addition they reached the FA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round for the first time. At the end of the season manager Dave Turner decided to move on after 5 years in charge. The Club were devastated when shortly after the fixture with his new club Shrivenham Dave tragically passed away. Last season Bassett were managed by Jeff Roberts. Despite assembling a skilful side on paper and paying players for the first time, the side ended the season in 14th place and with a poor discipline record. Ahead of the move into a new ground at Ballards Ash the Club again has a new manager with former Fairford Town manager Paul Braithwaite taking over the management duties.



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# F.A. Vase

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

Date Round		Opponents	H/A Result	Prize Money
6-Sep-14 First Round Qualifyin	ng v	Cove	A W 3 - 2	£600
4-Oct-14 Second Round Quali	ifying v	Abingdon United	H L 2 - 3	£800
1-Nov-14 First Round Proper	v	Farnham Town	Α	£900
22-Nov-14 Second Round Prope	er v	Littlehampton Town	н	£1,200
6-Dec-14 Third Round Proper	v	Ashford United	н	£1,500
17-Jan-15 Fourth Round Prope	r v	Norwich United	н	£2,000
7-Feb-15 Fifth Round Proper	v	Ascot United	Α	£2,500
28-Feb-15 Sixth Round Proper	v	St Austell	Α	£4,500
21-Mar-15 Semi-final	v	Glossop NE	Two legs	£6,000
9-May-15 Final winners	v	North Shields	Wembley	£25,000
		Total Prize	£600	



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# **On The Road With The Lads**

The table below shows the addresses of all the grounds we will be visiting in **2014/15**. This includes the postcode to enter into your Sat Nav. A rough estimate of the distance from Wootton Bassett is also shown.

Total away travel = **1,704** miles (2013-14: 1,706 miles)

Average away game travel (return journey) = 89.7 miles (2013-14: 89.8 miles)

Team		Address	Postcode	Distance (Miles)
Abingdon United		Northcourt Rd Abingdon, Oxfordshire	OX14 1PL	46
Ardley United	Æ	The Playing Fields, Oxford Road, Ardley	OX27 7NZ	52
Ascot United		Ascot Racecourse, Car Park 10, Winkfield Road, Ascot	SL5 7RA	59
Binfield	Binfield <u>■ fc</u> :==	Hill Farm Lane, Binfield	RG42 5NR	56
Bracknell Town		Bracknell Town FC. Larges Lane, Bracknell	RG12 9AN	56
Brimscombe & Thrupp	۲	'The Meadow' ,London Road Brimscombe , Stroud	GL5 2SH	27
Cheltenham Saracens	Q	Petersfield Park Tewkesbury Road	GL51 9DY	44
Flackwell Heath	<b>U</b>	Wilks Park, Magpie Lane, Heath End Road, Flackwell H	HP10 9EA	68
Highmoor Ibis		Palmer Park Stadium Wokingham Road Reading	RG6 1LF	45
Highworth Town		Elm Recreation Ground, Highworth	SN6 7DD	12
Holyport	hje 🔮	Summerleaze Village	SL6 8SP	60
Kidlington	KEC	Yarnton Road, Kidlington	OX5 1AT	43
Milton United		Potash Lane, Milton Heights	OX13 6AG	40
Newbury Town		Faraday Road Newbury	RG14 2AD	31
Oxford City Nomads		Court Place Farm Stadium, Marsh Lane, Oxford	OX3 0NQ	54
Reading Town	0	Scours Lane, Tilehurst, Reading	RG30 6AY	43
Shrivenham	SHRIVENHAM FC	The Recreation Ground, Shrivenham	SN6 8BJ	16
Thame United	۲	The ASM Stadium, Meadow View Park, Tythrop Way, Thame,	OX9 3RN	64
Thatcham Town		Waterside Park,Crookham Hill, Thatcham, Berkshire	RG19 4PA	36

# **Half Time Quiz Answers**

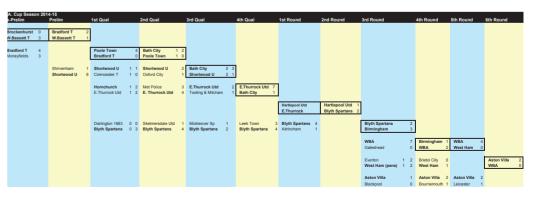
	Lyric Quiz No 23		Artist and Song
1		In the deserts of Sudan and the gardens of Japan From Milan to Yucatan, ev'ry woman, ev'ry man	lan Dury and the Blockheads – Hit Me With Your Rhythm Stick
2		One man on a lonely platform One case sitting by his side Two eyes staring cold and silent Show fear as he turns to hide	Visage - Fade To Grey
3		It's close to midnight and something evil's lurking in the dark Under the moonlight you see a sight that almost stops your heart You try to scream but terror takes the sound before you make it You start to freeze as horror looks you right between the eyes, You're paralyzed	Michael Jackson - Thriller
4		Golden Nose Slim Golden Nose Slim I know's where you' ve bin Purple Pie Pete Purple Pie Pete Your lips are like lightning Girls melt in the heat	T.Rex – Telegram Sam
5		Midnight to six man For the first time from Jamaica Dillinger and Leroy Smart Delroy Wilson, your cool operator Ken Boothe for UK pop reggae With backing bands sound systems And if they've got anything to say There's many black ears here to listen	The Clash – White Man in Hammersmith Palais
6	Les and L	I've never seen you look like this without a reason, Another promise fallen through, another season passes by you. I never took the smile away from anybody's face, And that's a desperate way to look for someone who is still a child.	Big Country – In a Big Country
7		I was 21 years when I wrote this song I'm 22 now but I won't be for long People ask me when will I grow up to understand Why the girls I knew at school are already pushing prams I loved you then as I love you still Though I put you on a pedestal you put me on the pill I don't feel bad about letting you go I just feel sad about letting you know	Kirsty MacColl
8		I wanna love you and treat you right; I wanna love you every day and every night: We'll be together with a roof right over our heads; We'll share the shelter of my single bed; We'll share the same room, yeah! - for Jah provide the bread.	Bob Marley – Is This Love
9		And when I speak of you I see envy in other men's eyes, and I'm well aware of what's on their minds. They pretend to be my friend, when all the time they long to persuade you from my side. They'd give the world and all they own for just one moment we have known.	Four Tops - Bernadette
10	<b>R</b>	You may say I'm a dreamer But I'm not the only one I hope someday you'll join us And the world will be as one	John Lennon - Imagine
	what is the connect	tion between the 10 songs/artists?	Singers are all dead

# F.A. Cup

#### THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. Round Opponents H/A Result Prize Money Date 16-Aug-14 Extra Preliminary Round Brockenhurst A W 3 - 0 £1,500 v 30-Aug-14 Preliminary Round L1-2 £1,925 Bradford Town Α v £3,000 13-Sep-14 First Qualifying Round v Poole Town Α £4,500 27-Sep-14 Second Qualifying Round Bath City v Α 11-Oct-14 Third Qualifying Round v Shortwood United н £7.500 25-Oct-14 Fourth Qualifying Round v East Thurrock United £12,500 Α 8-Nov-14 First Round Hartlepool United £18.000 v Α 6-Dec-14 Second Round **Blyth Spartans** £27,000 v н 3-Jan-15 Third Round Birmingham City £67,500 v н 24-Jan-15 Fourth Round WBA £90,000 н v 14-Feb-15 Fifth Round v West Ham н £180,000 7-Mar-15 Sixth Round Aston Villa £360,000 v Α 18-Apr-15 Semi-Final £900,000 v Liverpool Wembley 30-May-15 Final Arsenal Wembley £1,800,000 Total Prize Money Won £1,500



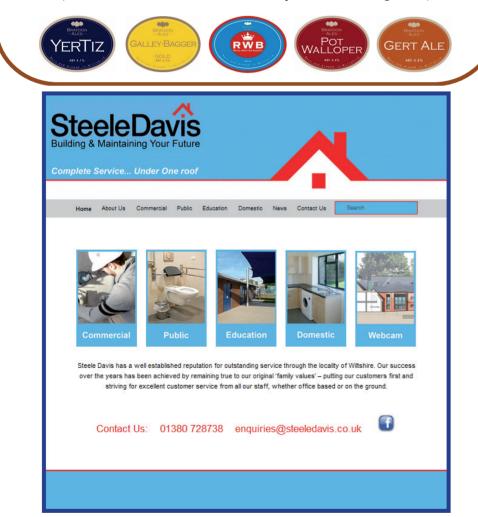






Braydon Ales, located in Preston, near Lyneham, brews quality real ales. The beers are available for home drinking, parties, or events, in 9, 18 and 36 pint bag-in-boxes, and can be picked up from the brewery or the Five Bells in Wootton Bassett.

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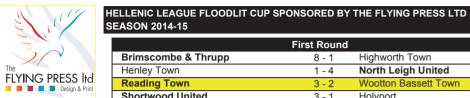
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# **The Flying Press Floodlit Cup**



SEASON 2014-15









North Leigh United

	First Roun	d
Brimscombe & Thrupp	8 - 1	Highworth Town
Henley Town	1 - 4	North Leigh United
Reading Town	3 - 2	Wootton Bassett Town
Shortwood United	3 - 1	Holyport
Wantage Town Res	2 - 3	Abingdon United
New College	2 - 3	Burnham
Brackley Town Development	3 - 1	Flackwell Heath
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Ascot United	8 - 1	Woodley Town
Binfield	4 - 2	Abingdon United
Bracknell Town	2 - 4	Chinnor
Brimscombe & Thrupp	1 - 3	Longlevens AFC
Burnham	2 - 3	Shrivenham
Carterton	2 - 1	Cheltenham Saracens
Didcot Town	1 - 1	Clanfield (2 - 3 on pens)
Fairford Town	4 - 2	Milton United
Hook Norton	1 - 3	Reading Town
Lydney Town	6 - 2	Tytherington Rocks
North Leigh United	5 - 0	Ardley United
Rayners Lane	2 - 1	Highmoor Ibis
Shortwood Utd (won on pens)	3 - 3	Tuffley Rovers
Thame United	1 - 3	Oxford City Nomads
Thatcham Town	2 - 4	Kidlington
Newbury	4 - 1	Brackley Town Dev
	Third Roun	nd
Ascot United	6 - 0	Shortwood Utd
Shrivenham	2 - 5	
Carterton	2 - 1	Rayners Lane (awarded to R.Lane)
Chinnor	2 - 1	Reading Town
Clanfield	2 - 4	Longlevens AFC
Lydney Town	4 - 2	Kidlington
Newbury	3 - 1	Oxford City Nomads
North Leigh United	8 - 1	Fairford Town
	Quarter Fina	als
Chinnor	1 - 2	Rayners Lane
Newbury (Won 3-2 on pens)	3 - 3	Longlevens
North Leigh United	1 - 0	Ascot United
Binfield	6 - 0	Lydney Town
	Semi Final	s
Rayners Lane	0 - 5	Binfield
Newbury	0 - 1	North Leigh United
	Final	

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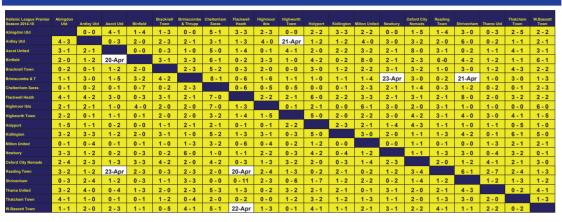
Binfield

**Half Time Quiz** 

Name both the artist and the song from the lyrics and picture shown below:

	Lyric Quiz No 23		
1		In the deserts of Sudan and the gardens of Japan From Milan to Yucatan, ev'ry woman, ev'ry man	
2		One man on a lonely platform One case sitting by his side Two eyes staring cold and silent Show fear as he turns to hide	
3	the second se	It's close to midnight and something evil's lurking in the dark Under the moonlight you see a sight that almost stops your heart You try to scream but terror takes the sound before you make it You start to freeze as horror looks you right between the eyes, You're paralyzed	1
4		Golden Nose Slim Golden Nose Slim I know's where you' ve bin Purple Pie Pete Purple Pie Pete Your lips are like lightning Girls melt in the heat	
5		Midnight to six man For the first time from Jamaica Dillinger and Leroy Smart Delroy Wilson, your cool operator Ken Boothe for UK pop reggae With backing bands sound systems And if they've got anything to say There's many black ears here to listen	
6	D.	I've never seen you look like this without a reason, Another promise fallen through, another season passes by you. I never took the smile away from anybody's face, And that's a desperate way to look for someone who is still a child.	
7		I was 21 years when I wrote this song I'm 22 now but I won't be for long People ask me when will I grow up to understand Why the girls I knew at school are already pushing prams I loved you then as I love you still Though I put you on a pedestal you put me on the pill I don't feel bad about letting you go I just feel sad about letting you know	
8		I wanna love you and treat you right; I wanna love you every day and every night: We'll be together with a roof right over our heads; We'll share the shelter of my single bed; We'll share the same room, yeah! - for Jah provide the bread.	
9		And when I speak of you I see envy in other men's eyes, and I'm well aware of what's on their minds. They pretend to be my friend, when all the time they long to persuade you from my side. They'd give the world and all they own for just one moment we have known.	9
10		You may say I'm a dreamer But I'm not the only one I hope someday you'll join us And the world will be as one	

### **Fixtures, Results and Tables** Season 2014-15 **Uhlsport Hellenic League**



2014-2015 Season								
UHLSPORT Hellenic League								
Premi								
	Р	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Flackwell Heath	36	29	6	1	124	33	93	
2 Highmoor Ibis	38	27	6	5	93	35	87	
3 Ascot United	36	25	4	7	77	38	79	
4 Kidlington	38	21	9	8	81	46	72	
5 Thame United	38	22	3	13	73	56	69	
6 Binfield	37	20	7	10	88	47	67	
7 Highworth Town	37	20	7	10	79	45	67	
8 Ardley United	37	20	4	13	70	53	64	
9 Bracknell Town	38	17	5	16	67	57	56	
10 Wootton Bassett Town	37	14	9	14	66	73	51	
11 Brimscombe & Thrupp	36	14	6	16	62	73	48	
12 Thatcham Town	38	14	5	19	60	65	47	
13 Oxford City Nomads	38	14	5	19	73	86	47	
14 Milton United	38	11	9	18	47	78	42	
15 Abingdon United	38	9	13	16	68	78	40	
16 Holyport	38	10	8	20	46	81	38	
17 Reading Town	36	12	1	23	58	80	37	
18 Newbury	37	9	7	21	46	70	34	
19 Shrivenham	37	3	6	28	33	115	15	
20 Cheltenham Saracens	38	1	2	35	29	131	5	

2014-2015 Season												
UHLSPORT Hellenic League												
Division One (West)												
PWDLFAPts												
Longlevens AFC	28	22	2	4	96	38	68					
Lydney Town	27	19	3	5	81	28	60					
Tuffley Rovers	26	18	5	3	70	28	59					
Hook Norton	28	14	6	8	56	49	48					
Cirencester Town 'Dev'		14	5	8	87	55	47					
Purton	28	13	4	11	43	48	43					
North Leigh United	28	14	4	10	75	47	42					
Shortwood United	28	12	5	11	62	57	41					
Clanfield	28	9	6	13	38	53	33					
Carterton	27	7	6	14	55	73	27					
Wantage Town Reserves	27	7	4	16	44	84	25					
New College Swindon	28	7	3	18	38	66	24					
Letcombe	28	6	6	16	28	57	24					
Fairford Town	28	5	6	17	45	76	21					
Tytherington Rocks	28	5	5	18	36	95	20					

2014-2015 Season										
UHLSPORT Hellenic League										
			·							
Division One (East	) - FI	nal	la	ole						
	Р	W	D	L	F	A	Pts			
1 Wokingham & Emmbrook	26	19	4	3	74	21	61			
2 Brackley Town 'Dev'	26	15	7	4	59	38	52			
3 Old Woodstock Town	26	16	2	8	61	33	50			
4 Easington Sports	26	14	5	7	59	40	47			
5 Chinnor	26	12	4	10	61	46	40			
6 Henley Town	26	11	7	8	64	52	40			
7 Rayners Lane	26	10	5	11	58	58	35			
8 Woodley Town	26	9	7	10	42	54	34			
9 Penn & Tylers Green	26	9	5	12	50	48	32			
10 Finchampstead	26	9	6	11	44	54	30			
11 Headington Amateurs	26	7	7	12	44	50	28			
12 Didcot Town	26	7	4	15	40	54	25			
13 Burnham	26	6	3	17	38	70	21			
14 Chalfont Wasps	26	3	4	19	34	110	13			

# Wilts League Development Side

		ETT TOWN FOOTBALL C				
	ON 2014-15					
Date	10.0	Opponents		Comp		Scorers
Sat	•	Trowbridge Wanderers	н	League		Hale 2, Chapman, Clark, Lovell
Tue	•	Wroughton	н	League		Petrie 2, Titcombe 2, Groom
Tue		Southbrook FC	н	League	L1-5	
Sat		Corsham Town Res	Н	League		Covey, Guppy
Sat		Sarum Youth	A	League	L 1 - 2	
Sat		Shrewton FC	A	League	L 1 - 4	
Sat		Marlborough Town	A	League	W 4 - 1	
Sat		Wilts Calne Town FC	A	League	W 1 - 0	Clark
Sat		Melksham Town Res	н	League	L 0 - 4	
Sat		Ludgershall Sports	н	Cup	L 0 - 1	
Sat		Devizes Town Res	н	League	L 1 - 4	Clark
Sat		Ludgershall Sports	н	League	L1-2	Shepherd
Sat		Westbury Utd Res	A	League	L0-9	
Sat		Southbrook FC	A	League	L 0 - 4	
Sat		Vale of Pewsey	н	League	L 1 - 4	Magani
Sat		Supermarine Sports	н	League	L 0 - 4	
Sat		Trowbridge Wanderers	A	League	L 1 - 4	Matthews
Sat		Wilts Calne Town FC	н	League	L 0 - 2	
Sat		FC Chippenham Yth	A	League	L 0 - 7	
Sat		Westbury Utd Res	н	League	L0-3	
Sat		Marlborough Town	н	League	L0-2	
Sat		Melksham Town Res	A	League	L0-3	
Wed		Corsham Town Res	A	League	L 3 - 5	Bolton 2, Tidy
Sat		Malmesbury Vics	н	League	L 2 - 8	Bowler, Cole
Sat		Vale of Pewsey	A	League		Bolton, Clark and Skeates
Sat	11-Apr-15	Shrewton FC	н	League	W 4 - 2	Brooks, Clark, Cole, Petrie
Thur	16-Apr-15	Wroughton	A	League	W 4 - 3	Petrie 2, Hale, Shepherd
Sat	18-Apr-15	Supermarine Sports	Α	League	P - P	
Tue	21-Apr-15	Malmesbury Vics	Α	League		
Thur	23-Apr-15	Devizes Town Res	Α	League		
Sat	25-Apr-15	Sarum Youth	н	League		
Tue	28-Apr-15	Ludgershall Sports	А	League		
Thur	30-Apr-15	Trowbridge Town	А	League		
Sat	2-May-15	FC Chippenham Yth	н	League		
Tue	5-May-15	Trowbridge Town	н	League		
	-			_		

Leading Goalscorers	Goals
Lewis Petrie	6
Carl Shepherd	5
Richard Clark	5
Josh Bolton	3
Danny Hale	3
Tom Titcombe	2
Jake Martthews	2
Kyle Brooks	1
Dan Cole	1
Lewis Tidy	1
Ashley Chapman	1
Ray Lovell	1
Josh Skeates	1
Scott Large	1
Steve Groom	1
Andrew Guppy	1
Jake Covey	1
Reece Bowler	1
John Magani	1

/iltshire County League Premier Division										
eague Table as at 18th April 2015										
	Р	W	D	L	F	А	PTS			
1 Malmesbury Victoria FC	27	20	3	4	90	45	63			
2 Melksham Town FC Res	28	17	8	3	67	24	59			
3 Ludgershall Sports FC	30	18	5	7	75	48	59			
4 Trowbridge Wanderers FC	29	17	4	8	58	33	55			
5 FC Chippenham Youth	29	16	4	9	67	33	52			
6 Trowbridge Town FC	27	17	1	9	58	45	52			
7 Southbrook FC	28	14	5	9	72	50	47			
8 Shrewton Utd FC	30	15	2	13	76	67	47			
9 Wroughton FC	25	13	4	8	63	49	43			
10 Devizes Town FC Res	28	12	4	12	54	62	40			
11 Supermarine Sports FC	24	11	3	10	71	54	36			
12 Wilts Calne Town FC	31	10	5	16	59	82	35			
13 Corsham Town FC Res	28	8	5	15	44	54	29			
14 Sarum Youth FC	30	6	9	15	45	86	27			
15 Wootton Bassett Town FC Dev	26	8	0	18	40	93	24			
16 Westbury Utd FC Res	31	7	1	23	54	83	22			
17 Marlborough Town FC	30	5	5	20	40	75	20			
18 Vale of Pewsey FC	27	5	2	20	41	91	17			

# **Ladies Section In Focus**

#### Gloucestershire County Womens League Season 2014-15 Division One Fixtures

Data	Ormononto		Competition	n Decult	Seeme
Date 7-Sep-14	Opponents Ilminster Town	H/A H	Competition FA Cup P		Scorers
•					L.Gammon, Bogg
14-Sep-14		H	League	L4-5	L.Gammon 2, White 2
21-Sep-14		A H	League	L 0 - 5 <b>D 4 - 4</b>	
28-Sep-14 5-Oct-14			L. Cup		Bogg 3, Cahill (Lost 3-4 on pens)
26-Oct-14		H	League	<b>W 3 - 1</b> W 5 - 0	Bogg, Jefferies, Tidy
26-001-14 2-Nov-14		H	League	D1-1	Bogg 3, Gammon, Jefferies Gammon
			League		Gammon
9-Nov-14		н	League	L0-1	<b>D</b>
	Cirencester Town Ladies	H	League	D 3 - 3	Bogg 3
7-Dec-14		A	League	L0-1	
11-Jan-15		A	League	W 5 - 0	Gammon 2, White 2, Bogg
	AEK Boco Ladies	H	League	W 2 - 1	Jefferies, White
25-Jan-15		A	League	W 2 - 0	Eggerton, Warner
1-Feb-15		Н	League	D0-0	
8-Feb-15		A	League	W 4 - 2	Tidy 2, Bogg 2
15-Feb-15		A	League	L 0 - 1	
1-Mar-15		Α	League	D 2 - 2	Cook, Jefferies
	Longlevens Womens	н	League	D1-1	Wood
15-Mar-15		н	League	D 2 - 2	Tidy 2
22-Mar-15		Α	League	W 1-0	Curtis
5-Apr-15	Forest of Dean Ladies	Н	League	W 4 - 0	Bogg, Curtis, Gammon, Jefferies
10-May-15	AEK Boco Ladies	А	League		
	Top Goalscorers				
	Emily Bogg	15		HHH	
	Laura Gammon	8			
	Claire White	5			A B B B A B A MAN
	Megan Tidy	5		States .	
	Laura Jefferies	5			
	Lisa Curtis	2			
	Amber Eggerton	1			

#### Gloucestershire County Womens League Season 2014-15 Division One League Table

Joni Warner

Jodie Cahill

Mandy Cook

Samantha Wood

	Ρ	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts
1 AlmondsburyUWE	20	14	1	5	34	21	43
2 Cirencester Town Ladies	19	12	5	2	66	20	41
3 Oldland Abbotonians	16	10	2	4	47	28	32
4 Forest of Dean Ladies	17	10	1	6	49	36	31
5 Wootton Bassett Town	19	8	6	5	39	26	30
6 AEK Boco Ladies	17	8	2	7	29	35	26
7 Cheltenham Town Development	17	7	4	6	39	42	22
8 Longlevens Womens FC	19	6	4	9	20	41	22
9 Bristol & West	17	3	4	10	22	35	13
10 Dursley Town	20	2	5	13	27	48	11
11 Cheltenham Spa CS Ladies	19	2	2	15	18	58	8



# **Fantasy Football**

#### WBTFC FANTASY LEAGUE

SEASON 2014-15 - CURRENT TABLE AS AT 19th April 2015

IN 2014-13 - CORRENT TADLE	ASATISTIAPTIZUTS		
	•	Week	Tota
Cupid Punts	Michael Case	54	1,892
Dirty Oars	Andrew Guppy	55	1,791
Viva Deirdre Barlow	SJ Lawro	40	1,705
Super chels	Samuel Case	35	1,690
SMG	James Skinner	48	1,674
Penalty Box Heroes	Alex Webb	39	1,664
C-Bomb's	Jack Paish	44	1,660
Square ball Tel	David Topping	57	1,659
Kids R Utd	Paul Gillie	23	1,653
AFC Herbs & Painters	Phillip Forster	61	1,646
Mes que un club	Liam Edmondson	37	1,640
Hurry Up Arry Comeon	Mark Smedley	49	1,630
Harry Kane you beaut	Jayden Handel	35	1,626
The Koeman League	Stuart Smedley	49	1,621
Edin Dzeko	Josh Dimond	47	1,616
Goffy's Green Army	Harrison Gough	54	1,613
Rhys' XI	Rhys Holdsworth	49	1,605
ASC Youth	joe hockham	67	1,596
SubStandard Liege	oliver sinclair	48	1,578
The Flying Dutchman	JACK HOLDER	46	1,577
Baines on toast FC	Benny Brown	45	1,548
super spurs	Bob Skinner	48	1,543
Unbelievable tekkers	Oliver Case	50	1,539
PC's Barmy Army	Paul Curtis	59	1,514
Zero Degrees	Scott Smedley	47	1,488
United We Stand	Simon Jones	38	1,486
Monstes United	Ryan Carter	36	1,459
Gillie's Army FC	Ryan Gillie	10	1,457
Play in the Hole FC	James Holloway	37	1,450
BounceBackAbility FC	Ali Wood	14	1,445
Vlaar Vlaar Vlaar	Becky Gammon	26	1,430
Joe-Boii's XI	joe dixon	21	1,428
Woodshaw wanderers	Lewis Tyrie	46	1,417
Fire Bubbles FC	Tim Elliott	20	1,396
Oceans dream	luke jones	51	1,376
The Lads	Jonny Aitkenhead	27	1,334
Johnston F.C.	Josh Johnston	35	1,311
Ashers Bashers	Ashley Prim	44	1,297
woodpecker revenge	bryan wood	53	1,297
Idiot Proof FC	Kelli Oakes	32	1,285
Gunner be Shumped	Steven Humphrey	44	1,227
DENCH	oliver khusal	32	1,219
Sam Jackson Allstars	Geoff Jackson	35	1,216
Coventry United	Josh Coventry	29	1,210
TekkerSlovakia	James Evans	24	1,175
Spent it on strikers	Andy Tye	19	1,111
Scouting for Goals	Sophie Wood	37	1,104

August Manager of the Month - Tim Elliott September Manager of the Month - Andrew Guppy October Manager of the Month - Andrew Guppy November Manager of the Month - Sam Lawro December Manager of the Month - Jayden Handel January Manager of the Month - Alex Webb February Manager of the Month - Paul Gillie March Manager of the Month - Ashley Chapman

#### Previous winners:

2013/14 – Michael Case (Cupid Punts) 2012/13 – Sam Lawro (Top of the Perch -19) 2011/12 – Sam Lawro (19- Top Of Your Perch) 2010/11 – Josh Dimond (Liquidation FC)



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#### Steven Coney 14<sup>th</sup> April 2015

THE football season may be coming to an end but we've still got the drama of the play-offs to look forward to - as well as our National Game Awards!

We know that Non-League is the lifeblood of our national game which is why we try and bring you the best coverage from around the country each Sunday.

And it's also why we try and honour the best Non-League has to offer and give them the recognition they richly deserve.

Our National Game Awards are back and we need your votes to ensure the right contenders are in the running.

The annual bash is taking place at Fulham's Craven Cottage on Wednesday, May 20 and is set to be bigger and better than ever.

This year we're backed by Dean Holdsworth's brilliant Non-League Footballers' Association and this is a plea for you to have your say while you still can.

The general election may be coming up, but there's another important vote you need to cast before then!

You might be a North Ferriby fan still on cloud nine after your brilliant win in the FA Trophy final. If so, you might want to be voting in the Reusch Goalkeeper of the Year award for Adam Nicklin who made the all important penalty save.

If you think North Shields or Glossop North End should be rewarded for reaching the FA Vase final, make sure your voice is heard Our Toolstation Cup Run of the

Year gong is ready to go to a good home

The Red Insure Team of the Year every passing season. At £1.50 it is award is always a tough one to call great value for money and essential and it looks like it will be again this time around.

> From Steps 1 to 4 there are plenty of sides who could lay claim to the title. Your votes will help them win it. As well as team related prizes, we also want to celebrate the best individuals Non-League has to offer - both on and off the pitch.

There are plenty of great youngsters plying their trade outside of the Football League. Maybe you're a Bristol Rovers fan who has been impressed by Tom Lockyer's form this season? Boss Darrell Clarke even claimed the young Welshman would "kick his own grandma if it meant winning a football match"!

Andy Yiadom has also impressed for a Vanarama Conference highflyer in Barnet while at Step 2 the likes of Solihull Moors' Omar Bogle, Oxford City's Adi Yussuf and Lee Angol of Boreham Wood could easily have their names on the trophy

And then there are those who do their fare share behind the scenes that equally deserve their spot in the limelight.

The NLFA are also backing the Unsung Hero award and William Hill are once again supporting the Fan of the Year prize.

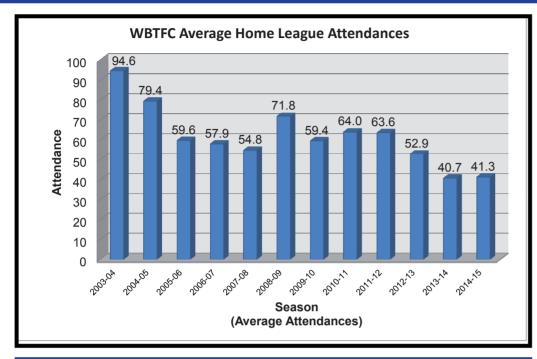
There are also awards for Manager of the Year, Player of the Year and Goal of the Season amongst others. so make sure your club is represented at our awards ceremony next month.

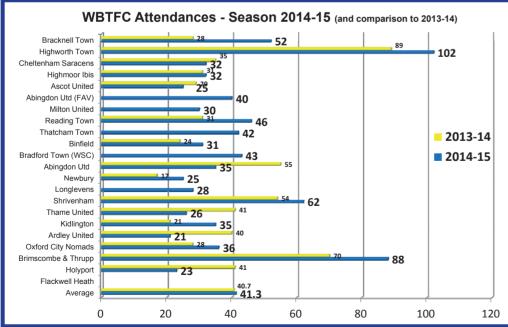
Just like the race for Downing Street, if you don't vote, you can't moan about the winner! Email who you think should be rewarded to ngavotes@greenwavspublishing.co m or tweet us using the hashtag #NGAVotes

# **Reserves in focus**

	TTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL							
Date	ON 2014-15 RESERVE TEAM FIXTU Opponents	RES - U H/A	Comp		Scorers	SION TWO WEST	SEX E	
Sat	6-Sep-14 Oxford City Nomads	Н	League	L 0 - 2	0001013			
Sat	13-Sep-14 Hook Norton	A	League		Gambling 2, Petrie	9		
Sat	20-Sep-14 Fairford Town	н	League	L 2 - 3	Brown, Hale			
Sat	4-Oct-14 Stokenchurch	A	C. Cup	L1-9	Terry			
Tue Sat	7-Oct-14 Cheltenham Saracens 18-Oct-14 Kidlington	A H	League League		Petrie 2, Terry 2, E Sheppard	Jixon		
Sat	25-Oct-14 Shrivenham	A	League	W 6 - 3		Dixon, Paish, Taylor		
Sat	1-Nov-14 Abingdon United	н	League		Hale			
Sat	8-Nov-14 Letcombe	A	League			igani, Shepherd, Taylor		
Sat	29-Nov-14 Highworth Town	н	League League	L1-2				
Tue Sat	9-Dec-14 Fairford Town 13-Dec-14 Abingdon United	A A	League		Hale 2, Gambling Adams 2, Hale			
Sat	20-Dec-14 Highworth Town	A	League		Hale 2, Murphy			
Sat	3-Jan-15 Cheltenham Saracens	н	League			liscock, Shepherd, Yeardley		
Sat Sat	10-Jan-15 Oxford City Nomads 31-Jan-15 Clanfield	A H	League League	L2-6	Gambling 2 Hiscock, Robertso			Sector Sector
Sat	7-Feb-15 Letcombe	н	League			epherd 2, Adams, Matthews, OG	STORE STORE	A CALLER AND A CONTRACT
Sat	14-Feb-15 Old Woodstock Town	А	League		Hale, Terry	,	a second a second	
Sat	21-Feb-15 Hook Norton	н	League		Hernandez			
Tue	24-Feb-14 Fairford Town	A	P- Cup	L1-3	Petrie			
Sat Sat	28-Feb-15 Brimscombe & Thrupp 14-Mar-15 Kidlington	A A	League League	L 2 - 4 L 0 - 1				
Sat	21-Mar-15 Shrivenham	H	League		Sheppard 3, Gambli	ng, Shepherd, Hale, Guppy		
Sat	28-Mar-15 Brimscombe & Thrupp	н	League	D4-4	Gambling 2, Robe	rtson 2		
Sat	4-Apr-15 Old Woodstock Town	н	League			ouza 2, Hale, Taylor		
Mon	6-Apr-15 Clanfield	A	League	W 4 - 1	Hale 3, De Souza			
	Appearances 2014/15	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals		2014-2015 Sea	son
	De Souza B Shepherd C	22 22	1	23 22	4 8	UI	HLSPORT Hellenic	League
	Taylor L	20	1	21	3		Division Two (W	/est)
	Brown B	19	1	20	1			PWDLFAPts
	Hale D	19	1	20	23	1 Oxford City Noma	de 'Dov'	21 18 0 3 88 29 54
	Dixon C Walduck S	15 13	3	18 13	2	· ·		
	Matthews J	8	3	11	1	2 Kidlington Reserve		21 16 1 4 68 39 49
	Adams L	8	2	10	5	3 Abingdon United F	Reserves	20 13 0 7 74 44 39
	Petrie W	3 9	7	10 9	3	4 Brimscombe & Thi	rupp Reserves	22 12 2 8 64 49 38
	Kuczynski L Paish J	8	1	9	1	5 Old Woodstock To	wn Reserves	20 12 2 6 46 37 38
	Guppy A	8	1	9	1	6 Fairford Town Res	erves	22 10 5 7 45 37 35
	Lewis M	8		8		7 Highworth Town R		22 10 4 8 51 42 34
	Clark R	6	2 3	8 8	1	8 Wootton Bassett		<b>22</b> 7 6 9 71 56 27
	Murphy D Stanley J	5 7	3	7	1			
	Groom S	6	1	7		9 Clanfield Reserves		22 5 2 15 26 68 17
	Gambling N	5	2	7	8	10 Hook Norton Rese	erves	21 3 7 11 26 48 16
	Large S Terry S	6 5	1	6 6	4	11 Letcombe Reserve	es	22 5 0 17 29 88 15
	Covey J	3	3	6	1	12 Shrivenham Reser	ves	21 2 1 18 26 77 7
	Petrie L	5		5	3			
	Hernandez L	5		5	1	THE CHAIRMAN'S HE		SERVES
	Stevens C Joyce F	5 4	1	5 5		CHALLENGE CUP SE	ASON 2014-15	
	Sheppard T	4	1	5	4		First Roun	d
	Hawkins N	4		4		Abingdon United	0 - 2	Oxford City Nomads
	Drewitt G Yates M	4 3		4 3		Ascot United Brimscombe & Thrug	1 - 3 pp 4 - 0	Kidlington Thame United
	Yeardley S	3		3	1	Cheltenham	pp 4-0 1-3	Fairford Town
	Connelly T	2	1	3		Finchampstead	0 - 2	Penn & Tylers Green
	Hiscock J.	2	1	3	2	Flackwell Heath	5 - 0	Chalfont Wasps
	Magani J Chatwin L	1 2	2	3 2	1 1	Henley Town Letcombe (4 - 1 on p	4 - 0 ens) 5 - 5	Clanfield Chinnor
	Mitchell B	2		2		Shrivenham	1 - 2	Old Woodstock Town
	Skinner J	2		2		Stokenchurch	9 - 1	Wootton Bassett Town
	Robertson S	2	4	2	3		Second Rou	ind
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						Holyport	1-3	Rayners Lane
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						Oxford City Nomads	v	Rayners Lane

# **WBTFC Attendances**





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### MATCH REPORTS

#### PREMIER DIVISION

The biggest crowd of the day saw Flackwell Heath secure the championship in style with a seven goal home win over bottom of the table Cheltenham Saracens. On target were Gavin James with a hat-trick, with others from Liam Rack, Joe Blount, Dan Burnell and the final came from captain Ben Sturgess in the last minute. Fifth placed Binfield were beaten at Brimscombe & Thrupp, whose recent run of good form has seen them pull into mid-table, by the odd goal in five. All of the scoring came in the first half. For the home side Ollie Pit got a couple after David Woodfield had struck in the first minute. Jemel Johnston and Ian Davies got the Binfield goals. Sixth played seventh as Thame United hosted Ardley United with the home running out winners with goals from Adam Morris, Dan West, a Conor McDonagh spot kick and an Own Goal. Eighth entertained ninth at Bracknell Town with the visit of Highworth Town and neither side troubled the scorers. A hat-trick from Dan Bailey helped mid-table Wootton Bassett Town put four past Holyport, from just above the relegation area. The other goal came from Steve Robertson with the only reply in the last seconds from Steve Nott-Macaire.

#### **DIVISION ONE EAST**

Wokingham & Emmbrook won the League with a victory at home to eleventh placed Headington Amateurs. Both goals from Luke Scope and Julian Harley, came late in the game. Third placed Old Woodstock Town went to mid-table Woodley Town and scored five times without conceding. Rob Thompson got a brace with other from Jack Dunnall, Jack Kennedy and an own goal. Easington Sports in fourth spot put six past second from bottom Burnham. Andrew Stidder with two. Steve Howkins, Matthew Keenan, Carl Standen and Conor Grant all found the net. Jemel Stewart struck a hattrick for Rayners Lane at rock bottom Chalfont Wasps. Steve Brockett, Freddy Newman. Reece Chaudry and Jordan Robinson added to this with Jake Bowyer getting one back for the home side.

#### **DIVISION ONE WEST**

A Brad Martin hat trick secured the points for top of the league Longlevens AFC at Wantage Town whose only reply came from Jordan Davies. Tuffley Rovers, in second place were held to a draw at mid-table Clanfield. Home team scorers were Adam Pendle and Matt Cheetham, with the replies coming from Jordan Dowdeswell and Brett James. In third place Lydney Town beat visitor's mid-table Shortwood United with two second half goals from Declan Morley-Lyne and Richard Kear. Hook Norton in fifth spot scored five at home to struggling Tytherington Rocks. Finding the net were Nathan Bott with a couple including a penalty, Joe Ayre, Marcus Green and Henry Rose. The single reply came from Joseph Waters, A George Seacole hat-trick for Mid-table North Leigh United led the way to winning the points over visitors Carterton. Alfie Saunders, Elliot Bryant and Jacob Hughes got the other three with Adam Bowerman the reply. In the lower reaches New College Swindon fought out a goalless draw with Letcombe which lifted the latter from the foot of the league.

<u>Other Cup Competition Round-Up</u> <u>Reading Junior Cup Semi-Final</u> Finchampstead Reserves put five Marlow United Reserves to see them into the Final. <u>The President's Division Two Challenge Cup</u> <u>Semi Final</u> The only goal of the game saw Penn & Tylers Green Reserves reach the Final over Kidlington Reserves.

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# **Boot Room Chatter**



#### **Boot Room Chatter** Bulletin No 038/2014-2015

#### **MATCH REPORTS**

This is the last Saturday with a full program of games for The UHL Sport Hellenic League this season. The League would like to thank everyone who has assisted with bringing the results and reports to all our happy readers. Your support is much appreciated. Special thanks to David Groves, who has reported our matches to the Non-League Paper, and to Brian Kirk who has worked into the small hours most Saturday nights to produce The Bulletin. Football Mitoo shows of our remaining games and our end of season Cup Finals. Please come and support us. We look forward to seeing you there.

#### PREMIER DIVISION

Newly crowned champions Flackwell Heath were in action at Shrivenham who sit in the relegation position. The difference in class showed as the visitors struck eleven times without reply. Hitting the net were Gavin James with four, Joey Blunt, Barrcarra Jarra and Dan Burnell with two each, and one from Dan Rapley. Ninth placed Bracknell Town hosted third spot Ascot United. The home side went ahead with an early goal from Shane Cooper-Clark and made life very difficult the visitors. Robert Saunders grabbed an equaliser from the spot before the interval and Ascot should have gone ahead from another spot kick, but this was saved by Aulsberry. Jon Bennett finally got the winner for the visitors midway through the second half. Two goals from Dan Drewett saw Highworth Town, starting in seventh place, keep on target to reach fifth spot. Kidlington who are currently in fourth place, had no answers. Brimscombe & Thrupp now in mid-table, entertained Abingdon United, who still need points from this their last game, to clear the relegation zone. The points were shared with Andy Younis scoring for Abingdon before the interval, and Ashley Brown equalised in the second period. Down in the lower reaches Newbury, already holding a position in the relegation area, hosted Holyport who, if the results go the wrong way, are in danger of joining them. Newbury went ahead with goals from Jeff Kayejaiy and Dave Parry, before Jamie West and Adam Pagert drew Holyport level. However another from Parry, and one from Freddie Gee, saw the points going to the home side.

#### **DIVISION ONE EAST**

It was fitting that champions Wokingham & Emmbrook, who ground-share at Henley Town, played them in the last league match of their season. The League winners finished the season in style with a four goal victory. On target were Elliot Rushforth with a pair, Sam Batman and Chris Yeatman. Woodley Town in eighth position welcomed Headington Amateurs from three places and six points below them. Six goals were scored and the points were shared. Finding the net for the visitors were Ollie Zaja, Luke Cuff and Liam Mobey. On target for Woodley were Gordon Goddard, David Frimpong, and a very late equaliser from Keyron Hylton. Finchampstead in ninth travelled to Penn & Tylers Green who could overtake them as they are just at one place and one point behind. Second half goals from Chris Hurst and Josh Fox gave the points to Penn to push them up the able. Henry Swaby got one back for the visitors. Near the foot thirteenth placed Didcot Town beat visitors Burnham, one position below, by a single Arron Gray goal in the first quarter.

#### **DIVISION ONE WEST**

18th April 2015

Champions Longlevens AFC hosted mid-table Shortwood United who shocked them with three goals in the first half hour. Two from Liam Meredith and the third from James Singh. The visitors got a fourth, but this was at the wrong end as Rob Humphries got one back for the champions. Lydney Town currently in second place have one League match left and today played Easington Sports in the Bluefin Sports Supplementary Cup.

Third placed Tuffley Rovers need to secure two victories from their final two games to sure the runners-up place. Today they faced tenth placed Carterton and were six goals to the better before the game was abandoned. Letcombe, off the bottom of the table after being there most of the season, went to fifth place Hook Norton and achieved a very creditable draw. They could have won as they were two ahead through Adam Claydon and Owen Shaw. Hook Norton struck back with goals from Harry Smith and Henry Rose in the last guarter.

#### Cup Competition Round-Up The 'Bluefin Sports (Supp') Challenge Cup Semi-Final

Lydney Town in second spot of Division One West hosted Easington Sports, fourth in Division One East. The winners are to face Hook Norton in an all Division One final. Ninety minutes plus extra time produced four goals, but could not separate the teams, Richard Kear and Pete Martin twice put Lydney ahead, only for first Connor Grant, and then Andrew Stidder, with a penalty kick in the 120th minute, to draw the scores level. Finally a penalty competition did manage to separate them with the home side wining by five to three

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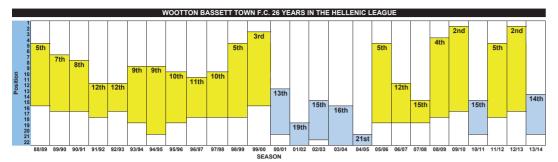
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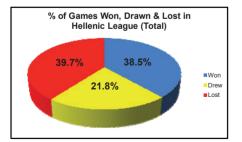
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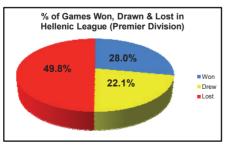


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1988/89	1	28	11	7	10	50	41	40	5 out of 15	Mick Woolford	Damon York
1989/90	1	30	13	8	9	52	35	47	7 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York 25
1990/91	1	30	11	8	11	32	36	41	8 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York
1991/92	1	32	10	8	14	45	59	38	12 out of 17	Mick Woolford	
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	Р	38	14	10	14	54	60	52	13 out of 20	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart 25
2001/02	Р	42	11	9	22	39	75	42	19 out of 22	Pete Yeardley	Mark Vaughan 14
2002/03	Р	40	10	10	20	36	70	40	15 out of 21	Pete Yeardley	Geoff Swatton 9
2003/04	Р	42	11	5	26	38	73	38	16 out of 22	Pete Yeardley	Geoff Swatton 16
2004/05	Р	42	6	9	27	30	85	27	21 out of 22	Pete Yeardley /Chris Jones	Matty Bennett 10
2005/06	1W	34	17	10	7	58	30	61	5 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett 12
2006/07	1W	34	14	5	15	64	62	47	11 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett/Steve Yeardley 11
2007/08	1W	34	11	3	20	43	66	33	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	Р	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	66	2 out of 16	Dave Turner	Mark Barnes 32
2013/14	Р	38	11	12	15	60	60	45	14 out of 20	Jeff Roberts	Levi Cox 14
2014/15	Р	37	14	9	14	66	75	51	10 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Dan Bailey 18
Total											
Won:Drew	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio 38.5% 21.8% 39.7%							1			

Nickname	Bassett
Record Gate	2,103 v Swindon Town (1991)
Best Gate - 2013/14	89 v Highworth Town
Average Hellenic Attendance 2013/14	40.7 (12/13 = 52.9)
Top Scorer - 2013/14	Levi Cox - 14 Goals
Record Known Win	16 - 0 v Clyffe Pypard (1933/34)
Record Known Defeat	1 - 16 v Warminster T (3/11/1945)







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Wednesday 22 April		1	Monday 27 April					
Premier Division	1		Veterans Premier Division					
Wootton Bassett Town	V	Flackwell Heath	Chinnor A v North Leigh Uni					
Division Two West			Wednesday 29 April					
Old Woodstock Town	v	Kidlington	Wycombe Senior Cup Fina	l 👘				
Veterans Premier Division			Flackwell Heath	V	Penn & Tylers Green			
Old Hooky	v	Chinnor	Wilstshire Senior Cup Fina	l				
Watlington Town	V	Didcot Town	Bradford Town	V	Highworth Town			
Veterans Division One			Presidents Challenge Cup	Final				
Carterton	V	Witney Royals	Penn & Tylers Green	V	Fairford Town			
Goring Utd GOBs B	V	Oxford City "A"	Veterans Premier Division					
Thursday 23 April		•	Oxford City	V	Didcot Town			
Oxfordshire Intermediate	Cup Fi	nal	Watlington Town	Thame Utd				
Oxford City Nomads Dev	v	Berinsfield	Saturday 2 May					
Reading Senior Cup Semi	Final	·	Bluefin Sports (Supp') Challenge Cup					
Henley Town	V	Binfield	Hook Norton	v	Lydney Town			
Premier Division	•		Monday 4th May					
Brimscombe & Th	V	Newbury	Bluefin Sports Challenge (	Cup Fi	inal			
Reading Town	V	Ascot United	Ardley United	V	Ascot United			
Division Two East			Tuesday 5th May					
Penn & Tylers Green	V	Thame United	Reading Senior Cup Semi	Final				
Rayners Lane	v	Finchampstead	Marlow United	V	Wokingham & Emmb			
Veterans Premier Division			Chairmans Challenge Cup	Final				
Watlington Town AFC	V	Thame Utd	Oxford City Nomads	V	Holyport			
Saturday 25 April		Wednesday 6th May						
Berks & Bucks Junior Cup	Final		Veterans Over 40's Challeng	je Cup	o - Final			
FC Mandeville	V	Penn & Tylers Gn Res	Chinnor A	V	Didcot Town			
Division Two West								
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# **Match Reports**

### Bailey hat-trick keeps wind in Bassett's sails

The Corinium Stadium, 11th April 15

A Dan Bailey hat-trick lifted Wootton Bassett Town to a 4-1 victory over Holyport as Paul Braithwaite's team continued their wonderful end of season run.

On a gusty afternoon at the Corinium Stadium, Bassett's clinical finishing proved the difference between the teams.

They survived a first half in which the visitors were, for the most part, the better of the teams before taking the lead just prior to the break when Bailey hooked in a shot with his back to the goal.

That goal arrived very much against the run of play, Holyport having hit the bar, been thwarted three times by Luke Kuczynski when one-onone and had an effort that appear to be destined for the back of the net

brilliantly cleared off the line by Jack Ellis in the opening period.

With the wind behind their backs following the restart, Bassett quickly killed off the game.

Their goal run began with a stunning Bailey strike from the edge of the box. Steve Robertson then slotted in after rounding the 'keeper before a flowing move involving Robertson and returning captain Steve Yeardley was rounded off by Bailey.

All that meant as good as Steven Nott-Macaire's late goal for Holyport was - a volley on the half turn, it was of mere consolation.

Never before have Bassett gone nine unbeaten in the Hellenic League Premier Division, nor have they finished as high as eleventh, which they are now guaranteed. Two records down, a win against champions Flackwell Heath in their final game will make it a hat-trick as it would ensure a record haul of points in the Helllenic's top tier. Still plenty to play for then.





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Hook Norton	0 - 3	Flackwell Heath
Old Woodstock Town	1 - 1	Brackley Town Dev (3 - 4 pens)
Purton Dev	0 - 2	Thatcham Town Dev
Shrivenham	0 - 2	Brimscombe & Thrupp
Stokenchurch	0 - 1	Highworth Town
Wokingham & Emmbrook	5 - 2	Wantage Town Res
Longlevens AFC	W - L	Shortwood United
Cheltenham Saracens	1 - 2	Ardley United
Finchampstead	1-2	Binfield
Lydney Town	3 - 2	Kidlington
Milton United	3 - 1	Abingdon United
Didcot Town Res	1-3	Letcombe
Penn & Tylers Green	2 - 5	Ascot United
New College	1 - 5	Reading Town
Tuffley Rovers	4 - 2	Carterton
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Ardley United	6 - 1	Chinnor
Brimscombe & Thrupp	2 - 4	North Leigh United
Clanfield	1 - 3	Woodley Town
Easington Sports	1 - 2	Newbury
Henley Town	2 - 3	Wootton Bassett Town
Highworth Town	2 - 1	Tytherington Rocks
Holyport	3 - 1	Burnham
Longlevens AFC	3 - 1	Lydney Town
Rayners Lane	2 - 0	Chalfont Wasps
Thame United Ascot United	4 - 2	Headington Amateurs
Flackwell Heath	1 - 0 2 - 1	Wokingham & Emmbrook Cirencester Town Dev
Milton United	<u>2 - 1</u> 0 - 1	Letcombe
Tuffley Rovers	1 - 3	Oxford City Nomads
Brackley Town Dev	0 - 1	Binfield
Reading Town	1 - 3	Thatcham Town
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Ascot United	3 - 1	Holyport
Flackwell Heath	5 - 3	Oxford City Nomads
Letcombe	1 - 4	North Leigh United
Newbury	1 - 0	Highworth Town
Thame United	1 - 3	Binfield
Thatcham Town	3 - 6	Ardley United
Woodley Town	0 - 2	Rayners Lane
Wootton Bassett Town	2 - 3	Longevens AFC (AET)
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Longlevens	0 - 1	Ascot United
North Leigh United	0 - 1	Ardley United
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Sydenhams Wessex Football League														
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	Р	W	D	L	F	A	Pts							
1 Petersfield Town	39	28	9	2	117	42	93							
2 Winchester City	39	27	5	7	118	37	86							
3 AFC Portchester	39	24	7	8	88	44	79							
4 Moneyfields	39	22	9	8	92	41	75							
5 Blackfield & Langley	39	20	10	9	77	44	70							
6 Whitchurch United	39	20	7	12	79	74	67							
7 Newport (IoW)	38	20	5	13	68	49	65							
8 Lymington Town	38	19	5	14	68	51	62							
9 Folland Sports	39	19	5	15	72	73	62							
10 Hamworthy United	39	14	10	15	70	65	52							
11 Horndean	37	15	6	16	60	67	51							
12 Andover Town	38	15	4	19	64	69	49							
13 Bemerton Heath Harlequins	39	14	7	18	59	80	49							
14 Brockenhurst	37	14	5	18	68	80	47							
15 Verwood Town	38	12	4	22	55	78	40							
16 Alresford Town	39	11	6	22	64	81	39							
17 Fawley	39	10	8	21	43	78	38							
18 Bournemouth	39	9	8	22	60	120	35							

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### Wootton Bassett Town F.C. Season 2014-15 First Team Fixtures, Results, Teams & Goal Scorers

	Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	Crowd	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15
Sat	9-Aug	Binfield	A	L 1 - 6		Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Hawkins	Cole	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Chatwin	Gambling (1)	Carter	Hiscock	B.Brown	10
Tue	12-Sep	Newbury	Â		107	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Terry	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Chatwin	Gambling (1)	Carter	Hiscock	Cole	
Sat	16-Aug	Brockenhurst (FAC EP)	Â	W 3 - 0	45	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Chatwin (1)	Gambling (1)	Carter	Hiscock (1)	Cole	
Wed	20-Aug	Bracknell Town	Ĥ	L 0 - 5	52	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Chatwin	Gambling	Carter	Hiscock	Groom	English
Sat	23-Aug	Flackwell Heath	A		64	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Hawkins	English (2)	Hale	Bailey	Skinner	Chatwin	Gambling	Carter	Walduck	Croom	Linglish
Mon	25-Aug	Highworth Town	H	L 0 - 1	102	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Hawkins	English (2)	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Chatwin	Hale	Carter	Hiscock	Drewitt	Walduck
Sat	30-Aug	Bradford Town (FAC P)	A	L 1 - 2	102	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	English	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner (1)	Chatwin	Terry	Carter	Hiscock	Hawkins	Walduck
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Tue	2-Sep	Reading Town (F/L1)	A	L2-3	40			Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Sheppard	Bailey (1)	Skinner (1)	Traas	Hiscock	Carter	Sykes	Matthews	
Sat	06-Sep	Cove (FAV 1st QR)	A	W 3 - 2	40.4	Mitchell	Sykes	English	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Skinner	Terry	Gambling (2)	Carter	Walduck	Richards	
Wed	10-Sep	Shrivenham	A	W 2 - 1	104	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Terry	Gambling (1)	Carter (1)	Traas	Sheppard	
Wed	17-Sep	Cheltenham Saracens	H	W 5 - 1	32	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Traas	Drewitt	Yeardley (1)	Bailey (2)	Skinner (1)	Terry (1)	Gambling	Carter	Walduck	Hawkins	Thomas
Sat	20-Sep	Abingdon United	Α		45	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Traas (1)	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Skinner	Terry	Walduck	Carter	Skeates	Gambling	Sheppard
Wed	24-Sep	Highmoor Ibis	н	L 1 - 3	32	Mitchell	English	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Chatwin	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Terry	Thomas	Sheppard
Sat	27-Sep	Ascot United	H		25	Mitchell	Skeates	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley(2)	Bailey	Skinner	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Walduck	Thomas	English
Tue	30-Sep	Kidlington	Α		54	Mitchell	Skeates	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Walduck	Hiscock	Chatwin
Sat	4-Oct	Abingdon Utd (FAV 2nd QR)	H	L 2 - 3	40	Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Skeates	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Skinner (1)	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Walduck	Hiscock	Thomas
Sat	11-Oct	Malmesbury Vics (CC1)	Α	W 3 - 2		Mitchell	Sykes	Richards	Hawkins	Skeates	Yeardley (1)	English	Skinner	Traas (1)	Terry (1)	Chatwin	Walduck	Hiscock	Petrie
Sat	18-Oct	Bracknell Town	Α	D 2 - 2	61	Mitchell	Thomas	Richards	Hawkins	Wright	Yeardley (1)	Bailey	Skinner (1)	Petrie	Gambling	Carter	Sykes	Hiscock	Adams
Wed	22-Oct	Oxford City Nomads	Α	L 0 - 3	42	Mitchell	Thomas	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Petrie	Traas	Carter	Sykes	Sheppard	Adams
Sat	25-Oct	Milton United	H	W 2 - 1	30	Mitchell	Traas (1)	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Wright	Bailey	Skinner (1)	Petrie	Terry	Carter	Sheppard		
Tue	28-Oct	Thatcham Town	Α	W 3 - 1	80	Mitchell	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley (1)	Bailey	Skinner	Petrie	Gambling (1)	Carter	Sheppard	S.Brown	Chatwin
Sat	01-Nov	Milton United	Α	L 1 - 2	35	Mitchell	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	S.Brown	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Skinner	Petrie	Sheppard	Carter	Chatwin	Taylor	
Wed	05-Nov	Cheltenham Saracens	Α	W 3 - 2	30	Mitchell	Wright (1)	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Baliey (1)	Skinner	Traas	Gambling (1)	Carter	Petrie	S.Brown	Sheppard
Sat	08-Nov	Wroughton (CC2)	Α	W 1 - 0		Mitchell	Wright	S.Brown	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley (1)	Bailey	Sheppard	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Chatwin	Hiscock	Sykes
Tue	11-Nov	Ardley United	Α	L1-2	61	Kuczynski	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	S.Brown	Sheppard	Bailey (1)	Skinner	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Chatwin	Hiscock	
Sat	15-Nov	Holyport	A	L0-1	31	Mitchell	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	S.Brown	Sheppard	Bailey	Skinner	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Yeardley	Hiscock	Drewitt
Wed	19-Nov	Reading Town	Н	W 4 - 1	46	Mitchell	Sheppard	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley (1)	Bailey (1)	Skinner	Traas	Gambling (1)	Carter	Covey	Matthews	Brown
Sat	22-Nov	Henley Town (BICC2)	A	W 3 - 2	26	Mitchell	Brown	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley (1)	Bailey	Chatwin (1)	Traas	Hiscock (1)	Carter	Wright	Sheppard	Skeates
Wed	26-Nov	Thatcham Town	Н	L0-2	42	Mitchell	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Sheppard	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Brown	Robertson	
Sat	06-Dec	Highmoor Ibis	A		48	Mitchell	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Yates	Yeardley	Bailey	Thomas	Traas	Gambling	Walduck	Hiscock	Chatwin	Adams
Wed	10-Dec	Binfield	Н		31	Kuczynski	Robertson (1)	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Thomas	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Sheppard	Chatwin	, luanto
Sat	13-Dec	Bradford Town (CCQF)	H		43	Kuczynski	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Robertson	Yeardley	Bailey	Thomas	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Sheppard	Skinner	
Sat	20-Dec	Abingdon United	H	-	35	Kuczynski	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Robertson	Chatwin	Sheppard	Carter	Hiscock	CIRITICI	
Sat	27-Dec	Brimscombe & Thrupp	_	W 3 - 1	94	Kuczynski	Wright	Richards (1)	Sheppard	Robertson (2)	Yeardley	Bailey	Skinner	Thomas	Gambling	Carter	Hiscock	Matthews	Skeates
Sat	24-Jan	Thame United	A	L1 - 4	52	Clark	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley (1)	Bailey	Robertson	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Hiscock	Sheppard	Skinner
Sat	7-Feb	Newbury	H	W 3 - 1	25	Kuczvnski	Skinner	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt (1)	Sheppard	Bailey	Robertson (1)	Traas (1)	Gambling	Carter	Yeardley	Chatwin	Hiscock
	10-Feb	Ascot United	A	L 1 - 3	45	Kuczynski	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Sheppard	Bailey	Skinner	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Hiscock	Vivash (1)	HISCOCK
Tue Sat	10-Feb	Reading Town	A	W 3 - 1	45 84	Kuczynski	Wright	Sheppard	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardlev	Bailey	Robertson (3)	Traas	Gambling	Carter	Hiscock	Vivash (1)	
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Sat	21-Feb	Longlevens (BICC3)	H			Kuczynski	Wright	Sheppard (1)	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Hiscock	Traas	Gambling	Vivash	Carter	Skeates	
wear	25-Feb	Shrivenham				Kuczynski	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Skinner	Robertson	Sheppard	Gambling (1)	Carter	Hiscock	Hale	
Sat	7-Mar	Thame United	H			Sharkey	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey	Robertson	Hiscock (1)	Gambling (1)	Carter	The		
Sat	14-Mar	Kidlington	H		35	Sharkey	Wright (1)	Richards	Hawkins	Skinner	Yeardley	Bailey	Robertson	Hiscock	Gambling	Carter	Thomas		Oliverte
Tue	17-Mar	Highworth Town	A		75	Sharkey	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Yeardley	Bailey (1)	Robertson (1)	Skinner	Gambling (3)	Carter	Thomas	Hiscock	Skeates
Tue	31-Mar	Ardley United	H	W 2 - 0	21	Kuczynski	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Sheppard	Bailey	Robertson (1)	Skinner	Gambling	Carter	Ellis	Hiscock	Skeates
Sat	4-Apr	Oxford City Nomads	H			Sharkey	Wright	Richards (1)	Hawkins	Hiscock	Sheppard	Bailey	Ellis	Skinner	Gambling (1)	Carter	Vivash	Skeates	
Mon	6-Apr	Brimscombe & Thrupp	н		88	Kuczynski	Wright	Richards	Hawkins	Drewitt	Sheppard	Bailey (1)	Robertson (2)	Skinner	Gambling (1)	Carter	Ellis	Hiscock	Skeates
Sat	11-Apr	Holyport	H	W 4 - 1	23	Kuczynski	Wright	Yeardley	Hawkins	Drewitt	Sheppard	Bailey (3)	Robertson (1)	Ellis	Gambling	Carter	Vivash	Richards	Hale
Wed	22-Apr	Flackwell Heath	H																
	FAC - FA (	Cup, F/L - Floodlight Cup, FAV -	FA Va	ase, CC -	Count	y Cup, BICC ·	- Challenge C	up, SC - Sup	oplementary	Сир									

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