

Royal Wootton Bassett Town F.C.

Wokingham & Emmbrook F.C.

ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C.

Home Team Squad			Played No.	Sub
1	Curtis	Meare		
2	Dan	Comer		
3	Dale	Richards		
4	Adam	Corcoran		
5	Nathan	Hawkins		
6	Steve	Yeardley		
7	Dan	Bailey		
8	Harvey	Scholes		
9	Steve	Robertson		
10	Sam	Packer		
11	Kalum	Youngsam		
12	Richie	Carter		
14	Ryan	Thomas		
15	Tyler	Sheppard		
16	George	Drewitt		
17	James	Skinner		
18	Stephen	Olphert		
19	Matt	Cheetham		
20	Hugo	Vivash		
21	Luke	Kuczynski		
22	Jake	Covey		
23	Christy	Miller		
24				

Visitors Team Squad			Played No.	Sub
1	Sean	Woodward		
2	James	Charlton		
3	Adam	Cooke		
4	William	Day		
5	Mark	O'Connell		
6	Daniel	Carter		
7	Chris	Yeatman		
8	Nick	Bateman		
9	Sam	Duffelen		
10	Elliott	Rushforth		
11	Jake	Butler		
12	Luke	Scope		
14	Shaun	Wanklyn		
15	Julian	Harley		
16	Samuel	Bateman		
17	George	Parsons		
18	Craig	Haylett		
19	Gary	Sargeant		
20	Daniel	Collier		
21	James	Payne		
22	James	Clark		
23	Ben	Broadhurst		
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Dugout Team
 Manager: Paul Braithwaite
 Assistant: Chris Green

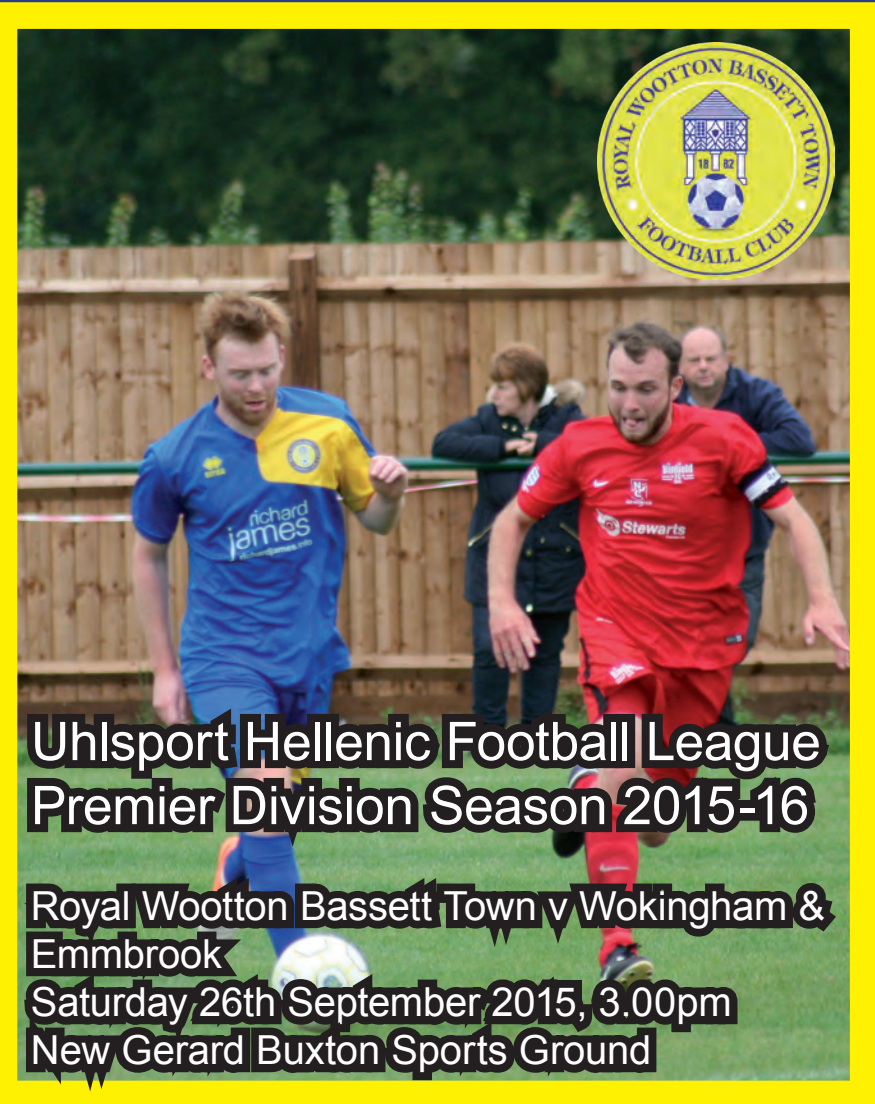
Dugout Team
 Manager: Dan Bateman
 Manager: Matt Eggleston
 Physio:

Match Officials
 Referee:  Ireneos Christodoulou
 Assist. Ref (Red Flag): Nick Stanley
 Assist. Ref (Yellow Flag): Adrian Hunt

Next Home Games
 Thur 01-Oct-15 v Chippenham Town (Wiltshire County U18 Floodlit League, kick-off 7.30pm)
 Sat 03-Oct-15 v Andover New Street (Wiltshire County League, kick-off 3.00pm)
 Sat 10-Oct-15 v Ludgershall Sports (Wiltshire County Senior Cup, kick-off 3.00pm)



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We are very proud to have been asked to support the Royal Wootton Bassett Football Club and are looking forward to a successful season ahead.

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Managing Director

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Editorial & RWBTFC News

Welcome to Wokingham & Emmbrook

A warm welcome to Wokingham & Emmbrook who have made the journey along the M4 from Berkshire for this afternoon's UHlsport Hellenic League Premier Division fixture. We hope all from Wokingham & Emmbrook enjoy their visit to our new ground and we wish them a safe journey home.

After promotion last season, when they were champions of Division One East, Wokingham & Emmbrook have had a tough start on their return to the Premier Division. Injuries have hit the side badly forcing them to field a number of youngsters. Currently playing their home games at Henley Town, Wokingham & Emmbrook have already played eleven league fixtures ahead of their trip to Ardley on Tuesday evening. Seven of those eleven games have been played at Henley where Wokingham & Emmbrook have yet to register a home win this season. The season opened with a 4-1 away defeat at Brimscombe & Thrupp. The first point of the season came courtesy of a draw at home to Milton United with neither side being able to find the net. It was tight again four days later when Longlevens visited Henley and left with the points courtesy of a solitary goal. Another midweek encounter at Henley saw Oxford City Nomads take the spoils, 3-1 the score in this one. It was three home defeats on the trot when Thame United visited, winning by the odd goal in three.

The first win of the season came in the midweek game against their former landlords, Bracknell Town. Knowing the pitch at Bracknell well Wokingham & Emmbrook hit three without reply to register the first three point haul of the season. Ahead of Tuesday those were the last points registered by Wokingham & Emmbrook as they have lost five games on the bounce. A 3-0 away defeat at Lydney Town, was followed by a narrow Bank Holiday Monday defeat against local rivals Binfield, managed by former manager Roger Herridge. Despite the poor start to the season Wokingham & Emmbrook gave reigning champions Flackwell Heath a run for their money losing out by the odd goal in a seven goal thriller. This was followed by two more home defeats at the hands of Ascot United (0-3) and Brackley Town Saints (1-4) and a cup defeat, again at the hands of Ascot.

Previous Encounters

The two sides have met on three occasions previously and it is one win a piece and one drawn game. The two sides were both in the Premier Division in Season 2010-11. On 7th September 2010, goals from Jon Beeden and Sam Collier gave Wootton Bassett Town the three points at Rylands Way. The return took place on 15th March 2011 and neither side were able to find the net with the points shared. The one Wokingham & Emmbrook win came in the Subsidiary Cup at Rylands Way when they caught Bassett on an off night, winning 5-0.

Floodlit Cup v Fairford

A first half hat-trick from Steve Robertson a week last Wednesday did the damage on a night when we safely saw off a potential cup shock against Fairford. With so many connections between the two sides the game had the potential for a surprise result but those Robbo goals certainly settled any nerves and as good as ended the game as a contest by half-time. Fairford got one back in the second half but the first half performance had been enough to secure progress into the Second Round of the Floodlit Cup. The draw for the next round has again been reasonably kind as we will now be away to Tytherington Rocks, a side currently struggling at the bottom end of Division One West. We have had some good games over the years in the sixteen encounters with Tytherington and have had the better of things with eight wins to six for Tytherington, two games being drawn. Hopefully the lads will maintain our good record when we visit Tytherington on Wednesday 7th October. The Floodlit Cup is one that is winnable as a number of clubs tend to field weaker sides in the early rounds (including ourselves in previous seasons) and if you take the competition seriously from the start a potential final beckons. This season we seem to be treating the competition with respect and hopefully this will lead us to a cup final come the end of the season.

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Abingdon United

Last Saturday saw us secure a hard fought win away at Abingdon. We were coasting it when 3-0 up but poor defensive play from the front allowed Abingdon back in the game with two soft goals that came on the break. This was a game that should have been won comfortably but we managed to make hard work of it. Another hat-trick for Steve Robertson in this game, who on the day was the difference between the two sides. For me there are a couple of players who, on current form, are not up to Hellenic League standard but I won't go naming names as football is a game of opinions and mine does not count when it comes to team selection.

Binfield

Monday night saw the winning run (two games) come to an end. The game turned on the penalty decision in the first half when George Drewitt brought down the Binfield striker, saw red and Binfield scored from the resulting penalty. No arguments with the sending off and whilst George perhaps should not have put the challenge in, as a former centre half myself I know that this was just defenders instinct and the Binfield forward was very clever in stopping and drawing the foul having got the wrong side of George. By all accounts the foul was outside the box (Binfield even tweeted that although the tweet was sent from the clubhouse) as our subs were warming up at the time and level with the incident and said it was outside the box. After that we were always going to be up against it but we continued to compete and have a chance to get back into the game. The second goal was the killer though and then to round off a bad night at the office Dale Richards was also sent off in the 93rd minute. Again technically a correct decision but what happened to common sense? No, with an assessor present, that was never going to happen and a red card was shown.

Ladies Side

The Ladies side are having a tough time of things at present having lost their opening three games quite heavily. No game this weekend but hopefully that first win will come a week later when the Ladies travel to Cirencester Town. A player sponsorship page is now included in the programme so anyone interested in offering support please speak to Becky Gammon.

Pitch Advertising

A reminder once again that pitch side advertising at the New Gerard Buxton Sports Ground is now available for an initial fee of £200. Renewal fees will be as little as £150 per season. This is a fantastic opportunity to advertise your business at our new ground and also support your local community football club. For further information about this and other sponsorship opportunities available, please contact Chairman Andy Walduck (07980730905) or another member of the club's Exec Committee.

County Call-up

Congratulations to Dan Murphy, who has been called up to the Wiltshire Under 18 squad for their FA County Youth Cup clash away against Norfolk. The defender made his debut for the Reserve team last year while still just 16 and has continued to impress with his performances for that team and Paul Gerrish's Under 18 side. Murphy will be part of the 15-man County squad that will travel to the East of England for the fixture on Saturday 3rd October.

Programme

Looking at what is included in the programme tonight. There are match reports from the games against Abingdon United and Binfield. The reminiscing article is back with Paul Davis the featured former player this week. The player included in the player profile feature is Steve Yeardley who edges ever closer to that 400 appearances for the club mark. The defunct former opponents feature this week showcases the Swindon side Ferndale Athletic.

Enjoy the game and hopefully a win for Bassett and three more points.

Mark



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- 1902/03 Advertiser Cup Runners-up
- 1903/04 Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
- 1905/06 Wiltshire County League Runners-up
- 1930/31 Calne & District League Runners-up
- 1931/32 Calne & District League Champions
- 1933/34 Vale of White Horse Cup Winners
- 1934/35 Calne & District League Champions
- Calne & District League Cup Winners
- 1935/36 Calne & District League Champions
- Calne & District League Cup Runners-up
- 1938/39 Brotherhood Cup Winners
- 1953/54 Vale of White Horse Cup Winners
- 1957/58 Chippenham & District League Division 2 Champions
- 1958/59 Wiltshire League Division 1 Champions
- 1978/79 Wiltshire County League Division 2 Runners-up
- Wiltshire County League Subsidiary Cup Winners
- 1982/83 Wiltshire County League Division 4 Runners-up
- 1983/84 Wiltshire County League Ghia Senior Cup Winners
- 1984/85 Wiltshire County League Division 2 Champions
- Wiltshire County League Ghia Junior Cup Runners-up
- 1987/88 Wiltshire County League Division 1 Champions
- Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
- 1988/89 Wiltshire County League Ghia Junior Cup Runners-up
- 1989/90 Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Winners
- 1993/94 Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Winners
- 1994/95 Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Runners-up
- 1998/99 Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners
- 2000/01 Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners
- Hellenic League Reserves Division 2 West Champions
- 2004/05 Wiltshire Youth Cup Runners-up
- 2009/10 Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up
- 2010/11 Wiltshire County FA Floodlit League Champions
- Wiltshire Youth Cup Runners-up
- 2012/13 Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up
- Wiltshire County League Junior Cup Runners-up



From The Dugout

Good afternoon and a warm welcome to the management team and players from Wokingham & Emmbrook to the New Gerard Buxton Ground for this UHlsport Hellenic League Premier Division fixture. Wokingham did really well to win Division One East last season but are finding the Premier Division a tough proposition so far. However, do not be lulled into a false sense of security as I understand they have been decimated by injuries so far this season and when they start getting those players back I am sure they will start to climb the table.

Since my last notes we have played three games, winning two and losing our last outing away at Binfield on Monday night. The win against Fairford Town in the Floodlit Cup was very pleasing and another hat-trick from Robbo who is currently in a rich vein of goal scoring form. With so many of us having connections to Fairford it was one we did not want to lose and the lads did the business to see us safely into the next round. Our prize was a trip to Tytherington Rocks in Round Two.

Saturday saw us win away at Abingdon United. Another two from Robbo and one from Stephen Olphert, the Robbo goals taking him to the top of the Hellenic Premier goal scoring table, saw us in total control. Just when you look to the team to keep a clean sheet to see out the match we concede two silly goals. Both came from us not defending in advanced positions, with half hearted challenges at one end of the pitch being then punished at the other end. Thankfully Robbo scored another to give him yet another hat-trick, the goal came out of nothing but was clinical finishing of the highest order. That is 14 for the season now for Robbo.

Monday night saw us travel to Binfield just a couple of weeks after our FA Vase victory on the same ground. On paper we fielded a stronger side but our chances of winning disappeared when George allowed himself to get the wrong side of the Binfield striker who drew the foul and a red card for George and a penalty to put Binfield in front. Down to ten and up against it. George has now been sent off twice already and it is one area of his game that he needs to work on. In the circumstances it would have been better not to have put the challenge in and let the striker have a shot. He could have missed; even if he scored we would have still had a full complement of players on the pitch. It is on these split second decisions that games can be won and lost. After going down to ten the lads did well to compete in the game and Sam Packer in particular was excellent on the night but we didn't really open up Binfield and create any clear cut chances. They scored a second when their player reacted quickest to a wonder save from Curtis and the game was over as a contest. It was particularly hard on Curtis who had been excellent all night and did not deserve to be on the wrong end of a 2-0 result. In the dying seconds the linesman flagged for something that Dale said and he also saw red. Not sure why they saw it necessary to inflict such punishment in the 93rd minute of a game that was already over and we will now miss Dale for a few games, as well as George. At the end we could not get out of Binfield quick enough and back on that long journey along the M4. A bad night all round the ramifications of which will be felt in a couple of weeks time.

Next week we make the trip to Windsor for the FA Vase but before that have an away game in Gloucester against Tuffley Rovers in midweek.

Please support the players this afternoon and help us get three more precious points to climb the table. Come on the Bassett.

Paul



Opponents - History

Wokingham & Emmbrook • Club History



Wokingham & Emmbrook Football Club was formed in the summer of 2004 by the merger of 2 long established clubs from Wokingham. We are looking to re-establish senior football back in Wokingham after an absence of many years, since Wokingham Town moved from their Finchampstead Road Ground in 1999. The first team are currently playing their home matches at Lowther Road in Wokingham.

In our first season as Wokingham & Emmbrook, as the merger 'bedded-in' and the re-structuring took shape, under the guidance of Glenn Duggleby as manager and Dave Evans as his coach, the 1st team finished in 11th position in the Hellenic League, Division One East. In the season 2005/06 we finished in 3rd place, our highest ever placing in the league, having been in contention for the championship for most of the season, under the experienced guidance of Tony Calvert, as 1st team player-manager and Dave Evans as his coach. In November 2007 the experienced Allied Counties manager, Wayne Wanklyn, was appointed. Wayne, a former professional player with Reading FC and former Wokingham Town 1st team player-manager, quickly appointed existing reserve team boss, Roger Herridge and his assistant Sam Page from the Allied Counties set-up as his coach. Wayne's strategy from the on-set was to develop his talented youth team into the first team squad. The remainder of the season saw a crop of exciting young talent blend in with the more experienced squad and with a little more fortune and experience they could have easily finished a lot higher than their final 13th position. Having won the Reading Senior Cup and finished 4th at the back end of the 2008/2009 season confidence was high that the team would push for promotion. However as the season went on it became apparent that their Cantley Park home would not be developed by the council to support a higher level of football. Despite this set back the young side certainly used their momentum from the previous season to soar to the top of the table in the early months of the season. However, the unseasonable hostile weather proved to derail the team's title hopes. The weather caused a huge backlog of not only league games but also 3 cup competitions. All of which ended with no silverware. Despite being pipped to the title by Thame the side showed good focus to overcome their tough fixture list and still secured 2nd spot and promotion.

In 2010 Wayne stepped down as First Team Manager and the club again looked internally promoting Roger Herridge to First Team Manager and Dan Bateman to Assistant Manager and enjoyed a strong finish to their first season in the Hellenic Premier League finishing 11th. Season 2011/12 saw more young local players progress through the Allied Counties team into the first team and saw the clubs first matches in the FA Cup in over ten years. A successful season saw the Sumas finish tenth in the league, reach the quarter final of the League Cup and win the Reading Challenge Cup at the Madjeski Stadium in May. In Season 2012/13 the Sumas were able to go a step further on where they had finished the previous season, because, as well as retaining the Reading Senior Cup beating Marlow United 2-1 in the final, the Satsumas finished in 8th place in the Hellenic Premier League.

The 2013/14 season saw Wokingham & Emmbrook FC returning back home to Lowther Road, playing in the Hellenic Division One East. Dan Bateman and Matt Eggleston took over the reigns as joint-managers in a season that ended up with Wokingham continuously climbing the table and ending up runners-up in the league. The Sumas also were able to retain the Reading Senior Cup for the third season running, beating local rivals Finchampstead 5-0 at Madjeski Stadium in the final.

The club continue to nurture young talent as the cornerstone to future development and success.

Hellenic League Sundry Stats

Uhsport Hellenic League

Top Goalscorers (all games) as at 23rd September 2015

1	Stephen Robertson	Royal Wootton Bassett	14
2	Shane Cooper-Clark	Bracknell Town	12
3	Marcus Mealing	Thatcham Town	11
4	T.J.	Highworth Town	10
4	Christopher Hurst	Flackwell Heath	10
6	Daniel Burnell	Flackwell Heath	9
7	Anaetlet Odhiambo	Kidlington	8
8	Declan Morley-Lyne	Lydney Town	7
9	Ben Gray	Thame United	6
9	Josh Baines	Thatcham Town	6
9	Sanchez Commack	Highmoor Ibis	6
37	Harvey Scholes	Royal Wootton Bassett	3
63	Dan Bailey	Royal Wootton Bassett	2
63	Stephen Olphert	Royal Wootton Bassett	2
99	Steve Yeardeley	Royal Wootton Bassett	1
99	Nathan Hawkins	Royal Wootton Bassett	1
99	Sam Packer	Royal Wootton Bassett	1
99	Ryan Thomas	Royal Wootton Bassett	1

Premier Division Attendances Season 2015-16

League games only - as at 23rd September 2015

	Lowest	Highest	Average	
1	Royal Wootton Bassett Town	92	204	132
2	Thatcham Town	67	149	103
3	Brackley Town Saints	68	119	97
4	Highworth Town	48	94	79
5	Lydney Town	61	87	79
6	Tuffley Rovers	52	123	79
7	Bracknell Town	60	119	78
8	Wokingham & Emmbrook	45	152	78
9	Brimscombe & Thrupp	69	83	75
10	Oxford City Nomads	46	112	74
11	Ascot United	42	116	73
12	Binfield	47	92	65
13	Abingdon United	45	75	60
14	Kidlington	42	86	60
15	Ardley United	55	65	60
16	Flackwell Heath	46	67	56
17	Longlevens	35	75	51
18	Thame United	41	67	50
19	Milton United	47	54	49
20	Highmoor Ibis	28	32	30



Defunct Opponents

A look back at former opponents who are no longer competing. Today's featured team is former Swindon side.....

Ferndale Athletic

The first known games between Wootton Bassett Town FC and Ferndale Athletic were in the old Wiltshire Combination, with rivalries commencing in Season 1969-70. A Ferndale Athletic team had existed some years prior to that as a one George Hunt is shown in the history of Swindon Town FC as having joined Swindon from Ferndale Athletic in 1947. In the first encounter between the two sides Wootton Bassett had won 6-1 at Rylands Way with Toby Ewing firing a hat-trick and Roy Blackburn bagging a brace with one for Tom Gardiner. The return in Swindon finished one a piece. That season Ferndale finished in 9th place, 4 places below Bassett. It was a home win followed by a draw the following season, 5-1 the score at Rylands this time Roy Blackburn (2), Graham Reid, Derek Powell and Tony Russell the scorers for Bassett. The return saw the two sides share six goals, Derek Powell, Sammy Rose and Ian Sinfield on target for Bassett. Ferndale finished the season in 16th place with Bassett in 7th. The following season saw both sides struggling at the foot of the table but Bassett were able to record the double, the two sides meeting on consecutive Saturdays in October. John Culley 2, Phil Keep, Dave Clark and Derek Powell scored in a 5-2 home win and Powell, Clark and Bob Thomas scored in a 3-0 win in Swindon.

Season 1972-73 saw Ferndale record their first win over Bassett, winning 6-2 at Rylands Way, Dave Clark and Toby Ewen with the Bassett consolation goals. Bassett had won the earlier away fixture 4-2 courtesy of goals from Toby Ewen 2, Dave Clark and Roy Blackburn. The two sides were in the same division the following season but unfortunately I have not been able to trace the results from this due to the lack of printed newspapers caused by the Three-Day Week introduced to save on electricity! Both teams struggled in the Combination with Ferndale finishing in 13th place, one spot above Bassett.

Season 1974-75 saw honours shared, Bassett winning 5-0 away from home thanks to goals from Benny Lehane 2, Phil Keep, Seppy Glasscoo and Dave Clark. Seppy and Benny were again on target in the game at Rylands but Ferndale won this one 5-3. Bassett finished in 6th place with Ferndale in 9th spot. Season 1975-76 was the last season of the Wiltshire Combination and once again the two sides struggled at the wrong end of the table. Ferndale had the better of the two games winning 3-0 at Rylands and the two sides drawing in the first encounter at Ferndale, Dave Clark netting in the one all draw.

The formation of the Wiltshire County League saw both sides start in Division One but Ferndale were to have a torrid season winning just one game all season and finishing way adrift at the bottom of the league. Bassett did the double winning 5-1 at Ferndale with Alan Turner leading the scoring with a couple and 4-2 at home, two for Tony Spiers and one a piece for Gary Dixon and Phil Keep. With Ferndale relegated to Division Two the two sides would not meet again in the league until 1978-79 after Bassett had also been relegated. That season the two sides fought neck and neck for the league title and promotion back to Division One, Ferndale eventually edging it by one point after the 26 league fixtures. It was honours even in terms of points in the two games between the sides Bassett had defeated Ferndale 3-0 on their own patch thanks to a Phil Keep hat-trick but Ferndale extracted revenge winning 1-0 at Rylands.

The following season Ferndale were able to finish in 12th place in the top flight but unfortunately Bassett were relegated back to Division Two. Ferndale won in Swindon and the two sides drew 2-2 at Rylands, Gary Dixon and an own goal for Bassett in this one. The two sides did not meet again until 1982-83 when Ferndale joined Bassett in Division Two. Wootton Bassett finished one place below Ferndale in the table in 9th place, this despite doing a 1-0 double over the Swindon side, Neil Timbrell scoring in the game at Ferndale.

The following two seasons were very poor for Ferndale Athletic as they finished bottom of Division Two for two consecutive seasons. In Season 1983-84 a Dougie Gee goal in November was enough to give Bassett the points and in the return at Rylands in January from Kevin Bishop and Graham Smedley ensured a double for Wootton Bassett. It was a similar story the following season, although Bassett made hard work of defeating a side who were to again finish bottom of the pile, winning 2-1 in both games. Roger Smith and Gary Dixon scored in the first game at Ferndale, with Dixon again on the score sheet in the return at Rylands along with Dougie Gee. With Wootton Bassett winning the league and being promoted to Division One and then up to the Hellenic League three seasons later these were to be the last two competitive league fixtures between the two sides.

In their later years Ferndale Athletic played on the County Ground Extension but like so many of the old top Swindon sides were eventually to fold. These days the Ferndale name partially lives on in the shape of the thriving young club Ferndale Rodbourne run by the Morgan family but there is no longer an adult side with the name Ferndale Athletic.

Opponents Pen Pics

Wokingham & Emmbrook



Sean Woodward Goal Keeper
Sean has been with the club from the age of 10 and come through the youth system. A great shot stopper, and organiser of his defence.



Adam Cooke Defence
This will be Adam's third season with the Sumas, strong no nonsense defender, commanding in the air.



Mark O'Connell Defence
Another product of the youth system, joining the club from the age of 6, and played at every level for the club. Possess great pace, and proves an asset going forward. Can play anywhere across the back line.



George Parsons Defence
First season with the Suma's, already looks at home in our back line, last season George played for Swansea University where he was captain of the 1st team (BUCS Prem). He also represented Wales Universities.



Chris Newlove Defence
Home grown talent who again came through our youth system. Strong in the tackle, and has pace to burn, turning defence into attack very quickly.



James Charlton Defence
Another success from our youth system, James has proved a strong, dependable, goal scoring centre-half. Was players player of the year for 2014/15.



Shaun Wanklyn Defence
Shaun returns to the club, after a three years away, a strong no-nonsense defender and natural leader.



Will Day Defence
Came through the youth system, and has proved a great team leader, who marshals his defence to great effect. Strong in the challenge and reads the game well.

Dan Collier Midfield
Dan joined following a successful spell with Farnborough Town's youth side, he picked up two nasty in his first two seasons. But showed his class in a injury free season last term.



Chris Yeatman Midfield
In his first season with the Suma's, Chris collected the Managers player of the year, as well as the supporters. A great motivator, and team leader.



Jake Butler Midfield
Jake joined the club from local rivals Binfield, and has proved a huge success, a talented midfielder with an eye for goal.



Sam Duffelen Midfield
Returning to the club following two seasons with Cove FC, a strong, goal scoring midfielder player.



Nick Batemen Midfield
Talented midfielder, who has had spells with Watford, Bracknell Town (Southern League) and Binfield, but has always returned to the club where he started as a U7's player.



James Payne Midfield
Tall strong striker, who has joined the club from Reading League side Woodcote Stoke Row.



Julian Harley Forward
One of the most talented player in the squad, great with the ball at his feet. Happy playing as striker or a deeper roll in midfield.



Elliott Rushforth Forward
The quite man of the squad, but a hugely talented player who knows were the goal is, one of the best finishers in the squad.



Sam Bateman Forward
Sam chances were limited last term, but performed well when called upon, big strong target man.



Luke Scope Forward
Luke is the club's longest serving player, having played over 230 games for the club, scoring over 100 goals along the way. A strong, quick and determined player who happy to lead the as one or in a pair.



Dan Bateman Joint Manager





Matt Eggleston Joint Manager

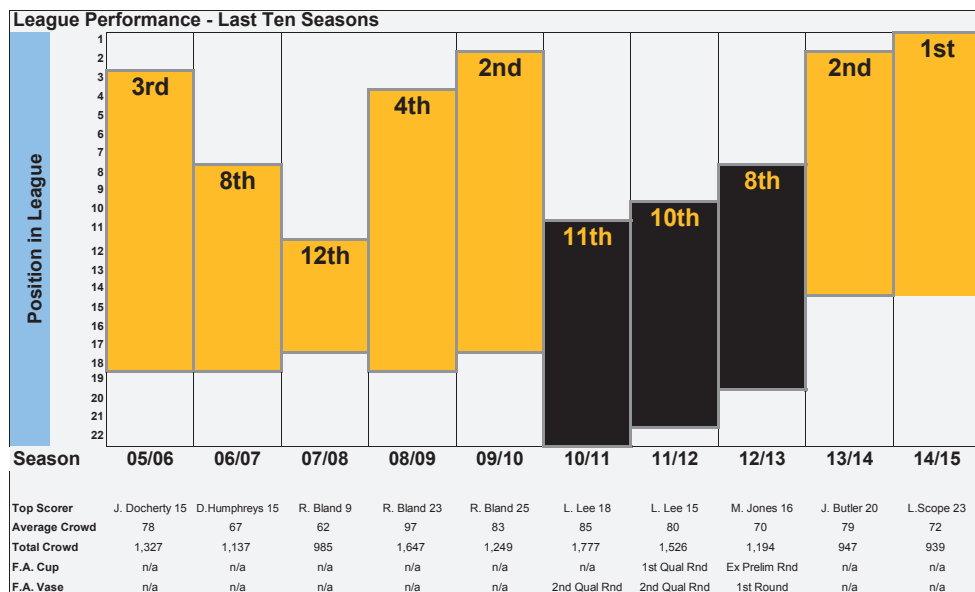
Todays Opponents

Wokingham & Emmbrook F.C.

Formed:	2004
Nickname:	Satsumas
Chairman:	Graham Tabor
Secretary:	Neil van den Dungen
Ground:	The Triangle Ground, Mill Lane, Henley RG9 4HB
Tel:	01491 410389
Manager:	Dan Bateaman and Matt Eggleston
Website:	www.pitchero.com/clubs/wokinghamemmbrook/
Colours:	Orange Shirts, Black Shorts
Ground Directions:	Leave M4 at J10, take A329M signposted Wokingham & Bracknell. Follow road for 5 miles, over roundabout, pass Southern industrial estate (Waitrose etc.) on right to a 2nd roundabout with traffic lights; take 2nd exit and follow signposts for M3. At next roundabout take 1st exit. At next roundabout take 3rd exit, Church Road dual carriageway. This brings you to another roundabout with Bracknell & Wokingham college on right and Old Manor PH on left, take 5th exit for Ascot - A329. Go down hill on dual carriageway, London Road to next roundabout take 4th exit back up the dual carriageway, London Road, Larges Lane last left turn before reaching roundabout again. Ground 200 yards on right.

Div One East
Premier

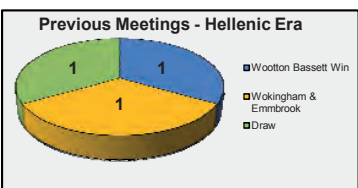
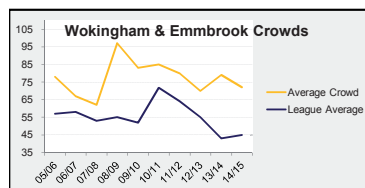


Current Form (Last Six Games)

Date	Opponent	Result
22-Sep-15	Ardley United (A)	L 0 - 5
19-Sep-15	Ascot United (A) (BICC)	L 0 - 1
12-Sep-15	Brackley Town Saints (H)	L 1 - 4
8-Sep-15	Ascot United (H)	L 0 - 3
5-Sep-15	Flackwell Heath (A)	L 3 - 4
31-Aug-15	Binfield (H)	L 1 - 2

v Wootton Bassett Town (Last Six Games)

Date	Fixture & Result
1-Dec-12	Wootton Bassett T 0 Wokingham & Emm 5
15-Mar-11	Wokingham & Emm 0 Wootton Bassett T 0
7-Sep-10	Wootton Bassett T 2 Wokingham & Emm 1
Sides only played each other 3 times	



Wilts U18 Floodlit League

For the 2015/16 season, Royal Wootton Bassett Town's third senior men's side will be an Under 18s team competing in the Wiltshire Football Youth Floodlit League.

The Under 18s team, which will be managed by Paul Gerrish with Rab McLeod as his assistant, replaces the Development side, whose place in the Wiltshire Football League Premier Division has been taken by the Reserves.

The re-introduction of the Under 18 Senior side marks a return to the Floodlit League, which Bassett withdrew from following the 2011/12 season when they finished as runners-up in the North Division. A year earlier, under the stewardship of Danny Groom, Bassett's Under 18 side comfortably won the competition, while also reaching the Wiltshire Youth Cup final.

WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

SEASON 2015-16 U18 TEAM FIXTURES - WILTSHIRE COUNTY FLOODLIT LEAGUE

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Thurs 3-Sep-15	Calne Town	H	League	W 5 - 2	Collins 2, Covey, Harris, OG
Thurs 10-Sep-15	Shrivenham	A	League	W 3 - 0	Covey 3
Thurs 1-Oct-15	Chippenham Town	H	League		
Thurs 8-Oct-15	New College	A	League		
Thurs 22-Oct-15	Shrivenham	H	League		
Thurs 29-Oct-15	Calne Town	A	League		
	New College	H	League		
	Chippenham Town	A	League		

AFC Corsham have withdrawn from the league

Wiltshire U18 Floodlit League - North Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC	2	2	0	0	8	2	6
2 New College, Swindon FC	1	1	0	0	5	2	3
3 Shrivenham FC	2	1	0	1	3	3	3
4 Chippenham Town FC	1	0	0	1	2	5	0
5 Calne Town FC	2	0	0	2	2	8	0

Wiltshire U18 Floodlit League - South Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Laverstock and Salisbury FC	2	2	0	0	6	0	6
2 Melksham Town FC	2	1	0	1	5	3	3
3 Bemerton Heath Harlequins FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Pewsey Vale FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Amesbury Town FC	1	0	0	1	0	3	0
6 Bradford Town Youth FC	1	0	0	1	0	5	0

Reminiscing - The Good Old Days

MS: Towards the end of your career you played under Burkie who you had also played alongside previously. If you were to describe Paul the player in one word and Paul the manager in one word what would those two words be?

PD: *Burkie the player in one word is pretty difficult but I think I would have to go with tenacious, as a manager the one word would have to be committed. In all seriousness Crazy was a great player and it was always much better to have him on your team rather than against you! And as a manager you knew exactly what was expected and Crazy was always happy to tell you when you weren't doing it!*

MS: You also played with Woody as well as Burkie, controversial question, which one was the better player?

PD: Putting me on the spot here, both different players altogether, Woody was a much more defensive player than Crazy. Bryan would be consistent week in week out but Burkie would have the inspirational moments and goals (although I am sure he thinks it was every game!). I will have to be completely diplomatic and say they were both great players at Bassett for different reasons.

MS: You were briefly manager of the Reserve side. How did you find the transition from playing to managing the side?

PD: *Very difficult to be honest. Running a reserve side is the hardest job in non league football because you never really knew who was with you until Friday night or Saturday morning, I remember one Saturday going to Rayners Lane and Danny, myself and Steve Thomas all had to be on the team sheet. Having Danny Groom assist me with this was a godsend though and we did a really good job together but the commitment that anyone has to give is phenomenal and it wasn't something I was able to sustain due to job commitments.*

MS: Would you consider going back into management in future?

PD: *I don't think I would anymore, football has changed so much at this level over the last few years that I would become frustrated far too easily with it.*

MS: Finally on football, I ask everyone this question. Bassett bobble at Rylands Way – fact or just an excuse used by players with poor ball control?

PD: *There is only one answer to this and anyone that says anything different is wrong – it's a fact!*

MS: Finally I know, like Burkie and myself, you are a big Swindon speedway fan. If you were to pick your top 3 Swindon Robins of all time, who would they be and also do you think Swindon can still win the play-offs despite the loss of Darcy Ward?

PD: *Firstly what a horrific injury Darcy has suffered and i hope he is able to recover some mobility in his legs, it just proves what a dangerous sport speedway it is. In terms of my top 3 – the greatest rider has to be Leigh Adams – again what a travesty that he rode for so many years with no injury and then within six months of retiring he had a crash on a moto cross bike and again was paralysed. At number 2 it would probably be Phil Crump and finally it would be Lee Richardson who was unfortunately killed during a meeting in Poland in 2012. Watching Lee and Leigh ride in heats 13 and 15 at the Abbey was always a great moment. In terms of the playoffs I think we are seriously struggling following the first leg, I know Rosco will do what he can to get the team up but i just feel 15 points is too big a gap to get back.*

Today's Opponents - This Season

Fairford Town - Results Season 2015-16

Date	Result	League/Cup	Opponent	Score	Opponent	Scorers	Att	MOM
8-Aug-15	L	Premier Div	Brimscombe & T	4	Wokingham & Emm	1 Butler	76	C. Turner
11-Aug-15	D	Premier Div	Wokingham & Emm	0	Milton United	0	45	W. Day
15-Aug-15	L	Premier Div	Wokingham & Emm	0	Longlevens	1	50	
18-Aug-15	L	Premier Div	Wokingham & Emm	1	Oxford City Nom	3 Carter	60	
22-Aug-15	L	Premier Div	Wokingham & Emm	1	Thame Utd	2 Scope	60	
25-Aug-15	W	Premier Div	Bracknell Town	0	Wokingham & Emm	3 Haylett 2, Butler	119	C. Haylett
29-Aug-15	L	Premier Div	Lydney Town	3	Wokingham & Emm	0	77	
31-Aug-15	L	Premier Div	Wokingham & Emm	1	Binfield	2 Haylett	152	
5-Sep-15	L	Premier Div	Flackwell Heath	4	Wokingham & Emm	3 Haylett, Duffelen, Yeatman	60	
8-Sep-15	L	Premier Div	Wokingham & Emm	0	Ascot United	3	78	
12-Sep-15	L	Premier Div	Wokingham & Emm	1	Brackley Town S	4 Butler	66	
19-Sep-15	L	Bluefin Cup	Ascot United	1	Wokingham & Emm	0	88	
22-Sep-15	L	Premier Div	Ardley United	5	Wokingham & Emm	0		

Goalscorers Goals Strike-Rate

Craig Haylett	4	50.0%
Jake Butler	3	30.0%
Daniel Carter	1	14.3%
Luke Scope	1	14.3%
Sam Duffelen	1	11.1%
Chris Yeatman	1	10.0%



Previous Meetings

Cup thumping leaves only one thing to play for

Rylands Way, 1st December 2012

Wootton Bassett Town now have only their Hellenic League Division One West promotion push to concentrate upon following a heavy 5-0 defeat against Wokingham and Emmbrook in the Supplementary Cup second round.

Without seven first team regulars, Dave Turner was forced to field a young, experimental side. And against a team riding high in the Premier Division, Bassett were simply overpowered.

As soon as the opening whistle blew Bassett found themselves camped deep inside their own territory as Wokingham created a plethora of chances.

Initially Luke Sharps' (pictured) goal led a charmed life as Callum Eagle twice wasted headed opportunities.



It appeared to be just a matter of time before the deadlock was broken though, and the opening goal eventually came on the quarter hour. With the hosts' defence sucked over to the left hand side, the visitors exploited the gaping hole on the right. Nick Bateman was fed an incisive pass and should have done better with his drive which Sharps parried. But Matt Jones was there to swivel and slot the rebound into the bottom corner.



Although Steve Yeardley (pictured) came close following a rare Bassett foray forward, forcing Gary Aulsberry to awkwardly tip over, Bassett quickly found themselves two behind when Elliott Rushforth beat a hesitant Sharps to a long ball and poked home.

On the stroke of half time it was three when Danny Horscroft's precise free kick left the keeper no chance and nestled in the left corner.

Following the restart Wokingham scored twice inside the opening ten minutes. Bateman got both of them, confidently dispatching a penalty before reacting quickest to a headed effort that had struck the bar.

Bassett put up something of a fight in the latter stages, the half time introduction of Matty Bennett adding a spark that had been desperately lacking before the break. But Aulsberry was not to be beaten, producing two composed saves. The first directed Bennett's powerful strike over before he parried at the feet of Andy Brien (pictured) following the Bassett assistant manager's solo run.

Match Report: Stuart Smedley



Reminiscing - The Good Old Days

MS: How many seasons in the end did you play for the Town and what was your reason for leaving when Pete Yeardley took over from Barry Giles as manager?

PD: *I honestly can't remember Mark, I think in total it was probably 15 seasons either side of a short stint away at Pewsey, Calne and Purton! I also don't really remember the reason for leaving, I think I became slightly disillusioned with the number of new faces coming into the club and the fact that the old Bassett team spirit didn't seem to be as prevalent as the previous few years.*

MS: You didn't stay away from Bassett too long, what was it that brought you back to the club?

PD: *Again the memory doesn't do me any favours here, I think I just realised that I loved playing for the club and wanted to finish my career here*

MS: Having made so many appearances for the club you must have played with a number of Bassett legends. Who do you consider to be the best player you played alongside and why?

PD: *Really tough question, I played with so many good players that I would need two pages to list them all out, a few that I consider great players though are Scott Vincent, Alan Wilson, Steve Yeardley, Roger Frost, Nutty Newton, Robbie Newnham, Neil Timbrell, Paul Dowding, Kev Moloney, Steve Thomas, Dave Hawkins but the best player was probably Lee Stoddart – he had phenomenal pace and also knew where the net was, I think he may well have been top scorer in the Hellenic League on a couple of occasions. I don't think we ever really replaced him when he left the club.*

MS: On a similar note, you must also have played under a number of managers in your time at Wootton Bassett, I'm thinking it would have been Mick Woolford, Barry Giles, Kevin Moloney, Dave Warren, Pete Yeardley and Burkie. Who do you rate as the best manager and why?

PD: *All of these are totally different managers and each had their own ways of doing things but I think the best manager I played under was probably Mick. Every player had the greatest respect for him because he had played a decent level and was able to bring us together as a team and play in the exact style and manner he wanted. He wasn't really a manager who shouted and screamed at you but encouraged more, however there were a few moments where he did lose it in the changing room and these were always well deserved. You also always knew where you stood with Mick as he would speak to you regularly and let you know how you were doing and what you could do to improve things.*

MS: What is your fondest memory of your time with Wootton Bassett Town?

PD: *I would say the club spirit, I remember going to Rylands Way when I was 10 or 11 and watching the senior teams that included the likes of H, Danny Groom, Steve Thomas and many others and thinking that I wanted to play for this team. The club has an amazing history and the people behind the club have remained the same for so many years – I can't imagine where the club would be without the likes of all the volunteers over the years but in particular Rod and Roger who have given so many years through all the different managers and committees that have steered the club to where they are now.*

MS: Paul Harrison was Chairman during the majority of the years you were playing for the club. Did you ever play alongside Paul and what are your first memories of H?

PD: *I did have the pleasure of playing with H, first memories were the number of bandages and strappings he put on before every game!! H was a great player, one of the fittest I played with who could control a game from the centre of midfield.*

MS: As a centre back you will have had many tussles with tough centre forwards. Which opponent do you feel you had your biggest battles with and which forward did you respect the most in your playing career?

PD: *I played against a few, one of the hardest centre forwards I played against was Sean Clark, I had many battles with him over the years on both Saturdays and Sundays. I remember one particular game at Lambourn when I didn't really know him and he was keen to let me know who he thought was boss but I managed to pretty much mark him out of the game. I also had a few tussles with many others but I can't remember the names, I wasn't really bothered who I played against, I just tended to try and mark whoever it was out of any game I played in!!*

This week with **Paul Davis**

MS: Paul, thank you for agreeing to be interviewed for the Match Day programme. Everyone who I have asked so far has enjoyed doing this and I hope this interview will be no different. I normally ask how players came to play for Bassett but I more than anyone know how you came to play for Wootton Bassett Town as you for playing for me at Wootton Bassett Sports in Season 1991-92 when Mick Woolford came up to the School to watch you play. Within the week we had the 7 day notice of approach and you left followed shortly afterwards by Dominic Machell. What do you remember of those events and I have to ask, any truth in the rumour that Mick offered you a new pair of boots to go to Bassett Town?



PD: *If only, I don't even think I was offered a can of coke or packet of crisps as part of the deal!!! All I remember is playing a few games for the Sports and really enjoying senior football, I then remember Blower having a chat with me and saying that Mick was interested in trying to get me down to the Town to play – I didn't have a clue who Mick was at the time but I think on the day he watched I had a pretty decent game and as you say the 7 day followed shortly after.*

MS: I still have the Wootton Bassett Sports End of Season Programme for Season 1991-92 and it shows you played 8 games for the Sports before coming over to the Town. The write-up on the season also refers to a game against Salisbury Manor when you were kicked in an off the ball incident by their centre-forward and had to go off with stud marks all over your knee. Don't suppose you remember that game?

PD: *I do remember the game but not just for the off the ball incident – I was having a real battle with the centre forward who thought he could probably push me around and try to dominate my game because I was quite young, I wasn't having that and think I pretty much gave as good as I got. We were having a few verbals and I remember him just booting me, I think I had a few cuts where it happened. The only thing I remember after the incident was Dave Alstowe and Mal Little trying to take retribution on the centre forward for me – I think I realised then how important it was to have team mates who would get stuck in and stick up for each other*

MS: You played for Bassett for many years and were part of two Wootton Bassett Wiltshire Senior Cup winning sides in 1998-99 and 2000-01, which of those two wins gave you the most satisfaction?

PD: *I think the one in '99 was the best game for me, I was captain and the game was played at the County Ground in front of a few hundred people, it was lousy night weather wise but we played some great football and made the most of playing on a pitch without the infamous Bassett Bobble! It was also a game in which I scored (a diving header no less) and also had the chance to lift the trophy, although I do remember the floodlights being turned off just as I was handed the trophy!*

MS: Swindon were having financial trouble and I guess it was part of their cost management. If I recall we never got our share of the gate receipts from one of those finals due to their problems. Thinking back to those two nights at the County Ground, of those two cup winning sides which do you think was the stronger side and why?

PD: *I think the side in 99 was the stronger side; we didn't really have any superstars in the team (although Micky Goodwin thought he was!) and had a great team spirit. We had one of the best centre forwards in the league in Lee Stoddart who we could always rely on to grab a load of goals each season. We always thought that we would win games and wouldn't worry about who we were playing*

MS: If I remember correctly the side at that time included Paul Harper who had an enormous throw-in which was often used as an offensive weapon. What do you remember of Harps and that throw and did you ever get on the end of any of his throw-ins to score?

PD: *Harps was a great player and I had a great relationship with him on the pitch. His throw was huge and quite regularly myself and Marshy would be chucked up top for them. Any time we had a throw that was just inside the opponents half we saw as an opportunity, we scored a few goals as a team from it but it tended to be others as we were there to win the initial flick on. I also remember that Harps had one of the hardest shots in local football so he was pretty useful at free kicks also!!*

Royal 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 championship. 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 finished 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 2 where they remained for 5 seasons. A second league title was secured in 1984-85 when Bassett were promoted back 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.

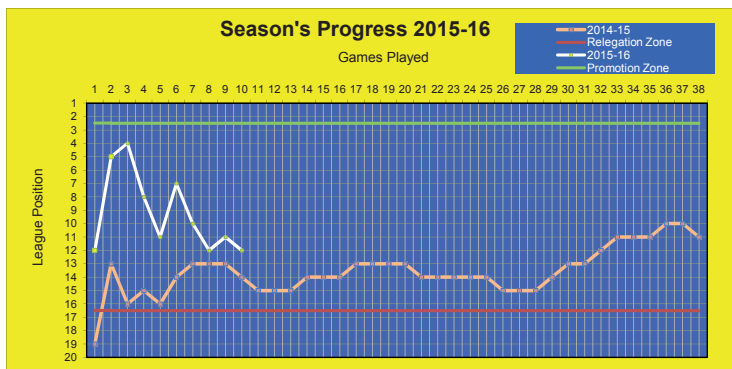
Throughout their first eleven seasons Bassett kept a steady mid table position. In 1999-2000 they finished 3rd in Division One West and gained promotion to the Hellenic top flight. First season in the Premier resulted in a respectable twelfth position and a County Cup triumph. The next season they made 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.

With plans for the club's and Sports Association's new facility finally moving ahead, the first team began a two year ground share with Cirencester Town in 2013-14, a year in which Bassett finished a comfortable 14th in the Hellenic Premier Division. That performance was bettered in 2014-15 under new manager Paul Braithwaite, Bassett's final year playing its games in Cirencester, with an 11th place finish – the club's highest ever in the non-league pyramid – and record points haul in the division. This season sees the club playing at the New Gerard Buxton Sports Ground, which was opened in the summer of 2015 and with the Royal title now included within the club name.



WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB STATS PAGE



	This	Last	+(-)
Brackley Town (H) #	1	3	(2)
Oxford City (A)	3	0	1
Ardley Utd (H)	3	3	1
Flackwell Heath (A)	0	1	0
Lydney Town (A)*	0	3	(3)
Ascot United (A)	3	0	0
Highworth Town (H)	0	0	0
Thame United (A)	0	0	0
Abingdon Utd (A)	3	1	2
Binfield (A)	0	0	2

	Appearances 2015/16	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals
1 Dan Comer	14			14	
2 Dan Bailey	13			13	2
3 Sam Packer	13			13	1
4 Dale Richards	12	1		13	
5 Harvey Scholes	11	2		13	3
6 Curtis Meare	12			12	
7 Nathan Hawkins	10	1		11	1
8 Richie Carter	7	4		11	
9 Kalum Youngsam	5	5		10	
10 Steve Robertson	9			9	14
11 George Drewitt	7	2		9	
12 Matt Cheetham	5	4		9	
13 Steve Yeardley	8			8	1
14 Stephen Olphert	6	2		8	2
15 Tyler Sheppard	3	5		8	
16 Adam Corcoran	7			7	
17 Ryan Thomas	3	4		7	1
18 Dane Moulden	4	1		5	
19 Nathan Gambling	2	2		4	1
20 Luke Kuczynski	2			2	
21 James Skinner		2		2	
22 Callum Wright	1			1	
22 Hugo Vivash		1		1	
23 Jake Covey		1		1	
24 Cristy Miller		1		1	
25 Jack Ellis		1		1	
Own Goals			-		

	Total	Goals
-	-	-
46	18	
-	-	-
45	1	
-	-	-
-	-	-
44	-	
46	1	
-	-	-
16	12	
36	1	
-	-	-
40	10	
-	-	-
29	1	
-	-	-
12	-	
-	-	-
39	16	
13	-	
37	6	
27	2	
6	1	
-	-	-
-	-	-
5	-	

Year	Winner	Runners-Up
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 Wanderers	Calne
1894-95	Trowbridge Town	Calne
1895-96	Swindon Town Reserves	West Swindon
1895-96	Trowbridge Town	Joint holders
1896-97	Swindon Town	Joint holders
1897-98	Trowbridge Town	Trowbridge Town
1898-99	Swindon Victoria	Swindon Victoria
1899-00	Chippenham Town	Deveses Town
1900-01	Warminster Town	Deveses Town
1901-02	Chippenham Town	Even Swindon United
1902-03	Warminster Town	Swindon Town Reserves
1903-04	Swindon Town Reserves	Wootton Bassett Town
1904-05	Melksham Town	Wootton Bassett Town
1905-06	Salisbury City	Swindon Haydon St W
1906-07	Swindon Town	Swindon Haydon St W
1907-08	Deveses Town	Trowbridge Town
1908-09	Swindon Town Reserves	Trowbridge Town
1908-09	Trowbridge Town	Swindon Town Reserves Cup held by President
1909-10	Salisbury City	Trowbridge Town
1910-11	Warminster Town	Warminster Town
1911-12	38th Brigade RFA	Salisbury City
1912-13	Calne Town	Calne
1913-14	3rd Wilts Regiment	Trowbridge Town
1919-20	Swindon Town	Chippenham Town
1920-21	Swindon Victoria	Salisbury City
1921-22	Trowbridge Town	Stratton Reform
1922-23	Salisbury City	Chippenham Town
1923-24	Spencers	Deveses Town
1924-25	Chippenham Town	Swindon Victoria
1925-26	Trowbridge Town	Swindon Victoria
1926-27	Chippenham Town	1st Batt. Wilts Regiment
1927-28	Swindon Corinthians	Warminster Town
1928-29	Chippenham Town	Chippenham Town
1929-30	Garrard Athletic	Swindon Corinthians
1930-31	Chippenham Town	Trowbridge Town
1931-32	Westbury United	Swindon Corinthians
1932-33	Westbury United	Swindon Victoria
1933-34	Trowbridge Town	Warminster Town
1934-35	Swindon Corinthians	Westbury United
1935-36	Swindon Corinthians	Swindon Victoria
1936-37	Swindon Corinthians	Swindon Corinthians
1937-38	Trowbridge Town	Salisbury Corinthians
1938-39	Purton	1st Survey Coy R.A.
1945-46	Salisbury Corinthians	Swindon Corinthians
1946-47	Swindon GWR Corinthians	Chippenham Town
1947-48	Westbury United	Pewsey Vale
1948-49	Purton	Swindon BR Corinthians
1949-50	Deveses Town	Swindon BR Corinthians
1950-51	Purton	Calne & Harris United
1951-52	Westbury United	Salisbury City
1952-53	Pinehurst YC	Bulford United
1953-54	Pinehurst YC	Swindon Victoria
1954-55	Purton	Warminster Town
1955-56	Swindon Victoria	Bulford United
1956-57	Deveses Town	Downton FC
1957-58	Deveses Town	Swindon B.R.
1958-59	Deveses Town	Melksham Town
1959-60	Pinehurst	Swindon B.R.
1960-61	Deveses Town	Deveses Town
1961-62	Deveses Town	Pinehurst
1962-63	Deveses Town	Malmesbury
1963-64	Highworth Town	Highworth Town
1964-65	Pinehurst	Westbury United
1965-66	Deveses Town	Chippenham Town
1966-67	Deveses Town	Aldboune
1967-68	Deveses Town	Deveses Town
1968-69	Chippenham Town	Deveses Town
1969-70	Melksham Town	Melksham Town
1970-71	Deveses Town	Deveses Town
1971-72	Deveses Town	Pinehurst
1972-73	Highworth Town	Sanford Youth
1973-74	Deveses Town	Deveses Town
1974-75	Chippenham Town	Park
1975-76	Pinehurst	Vickers
1976-77	Corsham Town	Deveses Town
1977-78	Melksham Town	Park
1978-79	Deveses Town	Corsham Town
1979-80	Downton FC	Avon Bradford
1980-81	Downton FC	Farnedale Athletic
		Downton FC
		Tisbury United

Year	Winner	Runners-Up
1981-82	Avebury	Melksham Town
1982-83	Penhill	Chippenham Town
1983-84	Amesbury Town	Penhill
1984-85	Calne Town	Supermarine
1985-86	Supermarine	Penhill
1986-87	Penhill	Bernerton Athletic
1987-88	Purton	Wootton Bassett Town
1988-89	Purton	Highworth Town
1989-90	Swindon Athletic	Pewsey Vale
1990-91	Pewsey Vale	Swindon Athletic
1991-92	Wollen Sports	Downton FC
1992-93	Bernerton Heath Harl.	Wollen Sports
1993-94	Amesbury Town	Swindon Supermarine
1994-95	Purton	Downton FC
1995-96	Highworth Town	Amesbury Town
1996-97	Corsham Town	Marlborough Town
1997-98	Highworth Town	Purton
1998-99	Wootton Bassett Town	Pewsey Vale
1999-00	Pewsey Vale	Purton
2000-01	Wootton Bassett Town	Shrewton United
2001-02	Malmesbury Victoria	Pewsey Vale
2002-03	Melksham Town	Trowbridge Town
2003-04	Trowbridge Town	Corsham Town
2004-05	Corsham Town	Bernerton Heath Harl.
2005-06	Corsham Town	Melksham Town
2006-07	Corsham Town	Melksham Town
2007-08	Melksham Town	Laverstock & Ford
2008-09	Highworth Town	Warminster Town
2009-10	Calne Town	Laverstock & Ford
2010-11	Bernerton Heath Harl.	Bradford Town
2011-12	Calne Town	Bernerton Heath Harl.
2012-13	Melksham Town	Downton FC
2013-14	Melksham Town	Bradford Town
2014-15	Highworth Town	Bradford Town

Winner	Wins
Deveses Town	14
Swindon Town	9
Chippenham Town	8
Trowbridge Town	8
Purton	7
Melksham Town	7
Highworth Town	6
Corsham Town	5
Pewsey Vale	4
Calne Town (& Harris Utd)	4
Pinehurst	4
Swindon Victoria	4
Westbury United	4
Salisbury City (old club)	3
Swindon Corinthians	3
Warminster Town	3
Amesbury	2
Bernerton Heath Harl.	2
Downton FC	2
Penhill	2
Pewsey Vale	2
Pinehurst YC	2
Swindon Athletic	2
Swindon Town Reserves	2
Wootton Bassett Town	2
38th Brigade RFA	1
3rd Wilts Regiment	1
Avebury	1
Garrard Athletic	1
Malmesbury Vics	1
Salisbury Corinthians	1
Spencers	1
Swindon Supermarine	1
Swindon GWR Corinthians	1
Swindon Wanderers	1
Wollen Sports	1



Wiltshire Senior Cup

RWBTFC First Team Pen Pics

WILTSHIRE COUNTY SENIOR CUP SEASON 2015-16

First Round		
Laverstock & Ford	v	Shrewton United
Westbury United	v	Melksham Town
Trowbridge Wanderers	v	Downton
Devizes Town	v	Bemerton Heath Harlequins
Saum Youth	v	Mere Town
Marlborough Town	v	Trowbridge Town
Royal Wootton Bassett Town	v	Ludgershall Sports
Warminster Town	v	Amesbury Town
Calne Town	v	Pewsey Vale
Corsham Town	v	Purton
Chippenham Park	v	Malmesbury Vics
Wroughton	v	Salisbury
New College Swindon	v	Wilts Calne Town
Vale of Pewsey		Bye
Bradford Town		Bye
Highworth Town		Bye



Curtis Meare Goal Keeper
Highly rated young goalkeeper who joins from Forest Green Rovers Academy having played a handful of games for Bassett in Season 2013-14.



Nathan Hawkins Defence
A cultured defender previously with Cirencester Town and Fairford. Regular last season who formed a great centre-back partnership with George Drewitt making 44 appearances



Dane Moulden Defence
Dependable full back. Member of our U18's in 2008-09. Still only 24 but brings plenty of Hellenic experience, having featured for Cricklade Town, Fairford Town and Shrivenham.



Steve Yeardley Defence
Bassett lad who starts the season with 373 appearances before this season and 56 goals for the club. Battling midfield player or defender with tremendous energy and fans' favourite



Stephen Olphert Midfield
Joins from Shrivenham. Previously captained Clanfield where he made over 300 appearances and had reputation as one of Division One West's better players through his all-round game



Matt Cheatham Midfield
Hard tackling and skilful midfielder who joins us from Division One West Clanfield.



Richie Carter Midfield
Cultured midfielder. Last season made 46 appearances and will start the season having played 176 times for the club. Player of Year back in Season 2008-9.



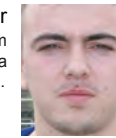
Ryan Thomas Midfield
Skilful midfield playmaker previously with Cricklade Town and Highworth Town. Suffered badly with injuries but on his day capable of opening up any defence.



Kalum Youngsam Forward
Speedy youngster with massive potential who is a good finisher. Expected to really grow this season and be a very good player in this division.



Dan Bailey Forward
Strong powerful player who can play in midfield or up front and was our top scorer last season with 18 goals from 46 appearances. Previously with Fairford Town.



Adam Corcoran Defence
This will be his 4th season with Bassett having re-joined the Club from Shrivenham. Previously with Calne Town a player who gives 100% every game.



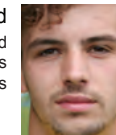
George Drewitt Defence
Classy defender, product of the Club's Youth Section. Both Manager and Players player of the season in 2014-15 when he made 36 appearances and scored 1 goal.



Dale Richards Defence
A product of the Club's youth section, a classy defender who made the step-up to adult football in style last season making 45 appearances.



Daniel Comer Defence
Young defender, comfortable at both centre half and right back. Joining from Cirencester Academy and having been selected to represent Wiltshire Under 18s. We have high expectations for Dan.



Harvey Scholes Midfield
Attack minded midfielder player with great technical ability who joins us from New College where he was a regular but now keen to step-up to the Premier.



Jack Ellis Midfield
Pacy player who re-joined the club at the back end of last season from Malmesbury. A product of one of the Club's most successful U18 sides.



Sam Packer Midfield
Returning to the Club from Shrivenham. Hard working and talented midfielder player who played for the Club in season 2010-11 and 2013-14.



James Skinner Midfield
Regular last season making 37 appearances and scoring 6 times. Versatile player who can play either at the back or in midfield.



Tyler Sheppard Forward
Another product of Bassett's youth section. Former Swindon Town Centre of Excellence player who then joined Yeovil Town. Previously also with Highworth Town and Calne Town.



Steve Robertson Forward
Free scoring forward who re-joined the Club from Shrivenham last season. Despite joining part way through the season he netted an impressive 12 times in just 16 games.

Steve Yeardley - Defence



A Bassett stalwart gradually approaching 400 appearances, Yeardley is entering his eleventh season, split across two spells, with the club. He has played in every position on the pitch, including 'keeper, for Bassett, though is most comfortable playing at full back or in central midfield. Yeardley made his debut with Bassett back in the 2002/03 season as a 17 year old in a 2-0 Supplementary Cup victory against Clanfield. He would go on to make 23 further appearances that year, only a few of which came from the bench. Establishing himself as a regular at full back, he played 42 times a year later. He grabbed his first goal for the club during in 2004/05, the year Bassett were relegated from the Hellenic Premier, hitting a dramatic late winner

away against Milton United in January before adding three more before the end of the campaign. That season he exceeded the century mark for appearances, playing 46 times in total.

New manager Paul Burke appointed Yeardley as captain ahead of the 2005/06 season. Featuring largely in defence, he helped pilot Bassett to a fifth place finish, only narrowly falling short of an immediate return to the Hellenic Premier, while he scored five goals in 36 games along the way. He would also feature in goal, helping preserve a draw in an eventful FA Vase clash with Christchurch after an injury to John Haines. Yeardley's efforts that season saw him win both Manager's and Players' Player of the Year awards. His goalscoring prowess continued to flourish a year later when he featured 39 times and finished joint top scorer with Matt Bennett on 11 goals, Yeardley's haul including two in the FA Vase and a pair of penalties in a 3-0 away win at Purton. He also produced a man of the match display in a Wiltshire Senior Cup tie against Calne Town that went to penalties just days after having completed the New York Marathon. In 2007/08 Yeardley was Bassett's leading appearance maker, playing 40 times and scoring six goals. In what was an otherwise underwhelming campaign, Burke's team did enjoy a fantastic run to the FA Cup First Qualifying round that year, and his captain was a large reason for that, scoring a brace in the shock 2-1 victory against then-Southern League Bracknell Town at Rylands Way.

The consistently high level of his performances have regularly led to interest from elsewhere. But, despite a change in manager in summer of 2008, Yeardley continued to resist those overtures in order to remain with Bassett for Dave Turner's first year in charge. Employed largely in midfield, he once again had a fine season in front of goal, finishing joint-second top scorer with 12 goals in 39 games. That included another two goals in the FA Vase in wins against Buckingham Athletic and Henley Town. After again narrowly missing out on promotion with Bassett, who finished fourth, the lure of Hellenic Premier Division football was too much to turn down and Yeardley moved across to Highworth Town in the summer of 2009. In his first season with the Worthians he quickly established himself as one of the first names on the team sheet, featuring 39 times and scoring seven goals. He was again a crucial part of the side that went close to winning the title a year later. Yeardley led the Worthians in appearances with 51 in all competitions – only two of which came from the bench – and grabbed three goals. Though Highworth's title challenge faltered in 2011/12, they would go on to win the Hellenic League Challenge Cup, with Yeardley grabbing a goal in a 6-0 demolition of Binfield in the final. In total during 2011/12 he played 46 times – a number of those spent wearing the captain's armband – and grabbed a pair of goals.

With Highworth boss Dave Webb moving onto Supermarine that summer, Yeardley returned to Rylands Way in 2012 and skippered the side to promotion from Division One West. He made the second most appearances out of any player, playing 37 times and scoring 8 goals. Half of those strikes came in the first month of the season. Yeardley netted Bassett's first goal of the campaign at Malmesbury before sealing victory against Calne in the FA Cup following a man of the match performance. He grabbed another FA Cup goal in the First Qualifying round win against Highworth, netting the equaliser. His final goal of the season came on Boxing Day at Purton after just 17 seconds.

Yeardley kept the captain's armband in Jeff Roberts' lone season at the helm. Featuring primarily at full back, he failed to improve on the 38 goals he had scored in Bassett colours. Last season, which he split almost evenly between centre midfield and full back saw him return to goalscoring ways to take him beyond the half century mark. Yeardley scored ten times, including a brace in a doomed comeback attempt against Ascot United and a match winning penalty in the County Cup against Wroughton. That haul came in 40 total appearances, which continued to move him closer towards the club's all-time appearance record.




















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

Total to start of this season: 383 appearances, 56 goals (see elsewhere in programme for this season).

The table below shows the addresses of all the grounds we will be visiting this coming **2015-16** Season. With 5 new teams next season the league has moved West a bit during the summer and added over 100 miles to the travel that needs to be made. The table below includes the postcode to enter into your Sat Nav. A rough estimate of the distance from Wootton Bassett is also shown.

Total away travel = **1,806** miles (2014-15: 1,704 miles)

Average away game travel (return journey) = **95.1** miles (2014-15: 89.7 miles)

Team	Address	Postcode	Distance (Miles)
Abingdon United	 Northcourt Rd Abingdon, Oxfordshire	OX14 1PL	46
Ardley United	 The Playing Fields, Oxford Road, Ardley	OX27 7NZ	52
Ascot United	 Ascot Racecourse, Car Park 10, Winkfield Road, Ascot	SL5 7RA	59
Binfield	 Hill Farm Lane, Binfield	RG42 5NR	56
Bracknell Town	 Bracknell Town FC. Larges Lane, Bracknell	RG12 9AN	56
Brackley Town Saints	 St James Park, Churchill Way, Brackley	NN13 7EJ	58
Brimacombe & Thrupp	 'The Meadow' ,London Road Brimacombe , Stroud	GL5 2SH	27
Flackwell Heath	 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
Kidlington	 Yarnton Road, Kidlington	OX5 1AT	43
Longlevens	 Saw Mills End, Corinium Avenue, Gloucester	GL4 3DG	42
Lydney Town	 Lydney Recreation Ground, Swan Road, Lydney	GL15 5RU	53
Milton United	 Potash Lane, Milton Heights	OX13 6AG	40
Oxford City Nomads	 Court Place Farm Stadium, Marsh Lane, Oxford	OX3 0NQ	54
Thame United	 The ASM Stadium, Meadow View Park, Tythrop Way, Thame,	OX9 3RN	64
Thatcham Town	 Waterside Park,Crookham Hill, Thatcham, Berkshire	RG19 4PA	36
Tuffley Rovers	 Glevum Park Lower Tuffley Lane, Tuffley, Gloucester	GL2 5DT	41
Wokingham & Emmbrook	 The Triangle Ground Mill Lane Henley	RG9 4HB	51

Half Time Quiz Answers



1C



2D



3F



4A



5G



6J



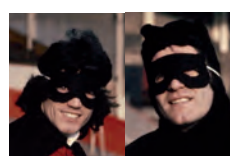
7I



8E



9H



10B

1C - Chris Sutton and Alan Shearer (Blackburn Rovers 1994-95)

2D - Andy Cole and Peter Beardsley (Newcastle 1993-94)

3F - Bruce Bannister and Alan Warboys (Bristol Rovers 1973-74)

4A - Mark Bright and Ian Wright (Crystal Palace 1987-91)

5G - Kevin Phillips and Niall Quinn (Sunderland 1999-2000)

6J - Gary Shaw and Peter Withe (Aston Villa 1980-82)

7I - Robbie Fowler and Stan Collymore (Liverpool 1995-96)

8E - Kenny Dalglish and Ian Rush (Liverpool 1980-87)

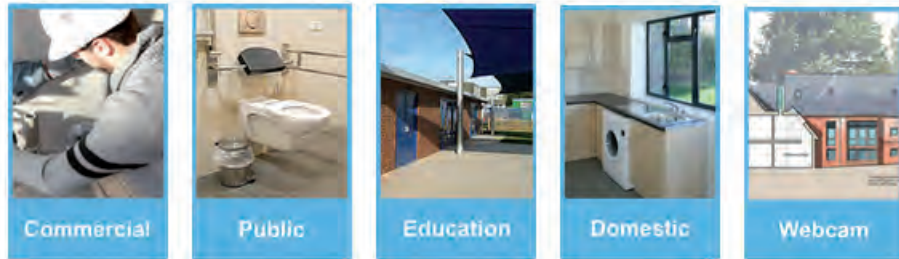
9H - Steve Bull and Andy Mutch (Wolves 1986-93)

10B - Kevin Keegan and John Toshack (Liverpool 1971-77)

First Team Player Kit Sponsorship

Player	Shirt	Shorts	Socks
Curtis Meare	Whole kit sponsored by Arctic Services (01793 848502)		
Luke Kuczynski			
Adam Corcoran	Whole kit sponsored by Andy Walduck		
Dale Richards	Whole kit sponsored by Arctic Services (01793 848502)		
Dane Moulden			
George Drewitt	Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley		
Nathan Hawkins	Whole kit sponsored by David Thomas		
Dan Comer	Whole kit sponsored by Dave & Carol Rowe		
Steve Yeardley	Whole kit sponsored by C.S. Building Services		
Stephen Olphert			
Harvey Scholes	Whole kit sponsored by RWB Kitchen Design		
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Hugo Vivash			
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Sam Packer	Whole kit sponsored by Debbie and Paul Comer		
Steve Robertson	Whole kit sponsored by C.S. Building Services		
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Dan Bailey	Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley		
Tyler Sheppard	Whole kit sponsored by Charlotte Bull		
James Skinner			
Paul Braithwaite	Whole kit sponsored by Andy Walduck		
Kara Gregory	Whole kit sponsored by Dave & Carol Rowe		

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Ladies Team Player Kit Sponsorship

Half Time Quiz

Player	Shirt	Shorts	Socks
Sarah Humphries			
Charlotte Burke			
Jodie Cahill			
Claire Edwards-Evans			
Jenny Galvin			
Sophie Harper			
Laura Jefferies			
Sarah Moore			
Sam Wood			
Rachel Buchanan			
Mandy Cook			
Joanne Duncan			
Kate Edwards			
Amber Eggerton			
Alisha Elson			
Zoe Holland			
Megan James			
Felicity Talbot			
Megan Tidy			
Emily Bogg			
Laura Gammon			
Claire White			
Becky Gammon		Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley	

1	2	3	4	5
				
6	7	8	9	10
				
A	B	C	D	E
				
F	G	H	I	J
				

Match the two strike partners. Each numbered player is famous for a strike partnership with a lettered player. There are a few shirts to throw you this week rather than necessarily help! Name the players and the club where they formed their deadly partnership.

8 or more correct - top of the class

<8 - as the Barmy Army used to say, to many a ref at Rylands Way poor very poor

Fixtures, Results and Tables

Season 2015-16

UhlSport Hellenic League

Player Profile - Emily Bogg

Emily Bogg - Striker

Hellenic League Premier Season 2015-16	Abingdon Utd	Ardley Utd	Ascot Utd	Binfield	Brackley Town	Bracknell Town	Brimscombe & Thrupp	Flackwell Heath	Highmoor Ibis	Highw'th Town	Kidlington	Longf'm	Lydney Town	Milton Utd	Oxford City Nomads	Thame United	Thatcham Town	Tuffley Rovers	Woking'm & E	W.Bassett Town
Abingdon Utd	1-5							0-6	1-3		0-6	2-1		3-3	0-3			1-2	2-1	2-4
Ardley Utd		1-3										0-2						2-1	5-0	
Ascot United								3-0	1-0	0-1			2-1			1-1				1-4
Binfield		1-1					1-2							0-0						2-0
Brackley Town		3-0							2-4	2-5	2-2		1-2							
Bracknell Town		0-1				2-1					1-3	1-1								0-3
Brimscombe & T	1-1												4-2							4-1
Flackwell Heath				4-0	3-2									3-0						4-3
Highmoor Ibis		2-1																		7-2
Highw'th Town							3-0	1-2									1-2	5-0		
Kidlington			3-1						1-1	1-0						1-0	2-1			
Longlevens	3-0			1-2	1-0				0-1				3-0			1-2				
Lydney Town								1-3						0-0	3-2					3-0
Milton United		2-1	0-2			3-3			2-3							0-1				
Oxford City Nom								2-2	3-1		2-0	4-0								0-2
Thame United				1-2	5-0				2-1						0-1					3-1
Thatcham Town	6-2			2-0		6-2	0-0	3-2												
Tuffley Rovers			1-2				2-1						0-0	2-3	2-4					
Wokingham & E			0-3	1-2	1-4															
W.Bassett Town		2-1			1-1						0-2									



'Boggy' as she's known to the team enjoyed her first full season for Bassett ladies in Season 2013-14 after suffering injuries the previous season.

She was joint top goal scorer that season.

She joined us from Chippenham Town where she played first team football and also represented Wiltshire centre of excellence.

Scored 12 league goals from 19 appearances last season and also scored a further 4 goals in cup matches to finish the season as top scorer for the club in Season 2014-15.

2015-2016 Season UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division as at 23rd September 2015

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Flackwell Heath	11	8	1	2	36	17	25
2 Oxford City Nomads	11	7	1	3	25	13	22
3 Ascot United	11	7	1	3	19	12	22
4 Highw'th Town	10	7	0	3	23	9	21
5 Kidlington	10	6	3	1	21	10	21
6 Thatcham Town	8	6	1	1	22	10	19
7 Thame United	10	6	1	3	17	9	19
8 Highmoor-Ibis	10	5	1	4	17	15	16
9 Longlevens AFC	10	5	0	5	13	11	15
10 Binfield	8	4	2	2	10	8	14
11 Lydney Town	10	4	2	4	15	17	14
12 Royal Wootton Bassett	10	4	1	5	18	22	13
13 Brimscombe & Thrupp	8	3	2	3	14	14	11
14 Milton United	11	2	5	4	13	18	11
15 Ardley United	12	3	1	8	14	27	10
16 Brackley Town Saints	11	2	2	7	16	27	8
17 Abingdon United	11	2	2	7	17	33	8
18 Tuffley Rovers	8	2	1	5	10	18	7
19 Bracknell Town	8	1	2	5	11	21	5
20 Wokingham & Emmbrook	12	1	1	10	11	31	4

2015-2016 Season UHLSPORT Hellenic League Division One (West) as at 23rd September 2015

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Carterton	6	4	1	1	15	10	13
2 Cheltenham Saracens	4	4	0	0	12	5	12
3 North Leigh United	6	4	0	2	17	17	12
4 Purton	7	2	4	1	12	8	10
5 Fairford Town	6	3	1	2	13	11	10
6 Easington Sports	6	2	2	2	15	13	8
7 Clanfield 85'	6	2	2	2	9	9	8
8 Shortwood United Res'	5	2	1	2	13	10	7
9 Hook Norton	3	2	0	1	5	2	6
10 New College Swindon	5	2	0	3	4	5	6
11 Letcombe	5	1	1	3	7	10	4
12 Tytherington Rocks	6	1	1	4	7	13	4
13 Cirencester Town Dev'	6	0	3	3	10	19	3
14 Shrivenham	3	0	0	3	3	10	0

2015-2016 Season UHLSPORT Hellenic League Division One (East) as at 23rd September 2015

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Henley Town	7	4	1	2	19	15	13
2 Headington Amateur's	6	4	1	1	9	5	13
3 Penn & Tylers Green	4	4	0	0	15	3	12
4 Bicester Town	6	3	2	1	13	10	11
5 Rayners Lane	6	3	0	3	13	9	9
6 Finchampstead	7	2	3	2	9	8	9
7 Wantage Town Res'	8	3	0	5	13	19	9
8 Chinnor	5	2	1	2	11	9	7
9 Chalfont Wasps	4	2	1	1	8	6	7
10 Holyport	4	2	0	2	10	11	6
11 Didcot Town Res'	6	1	2	3	7	12	5
12 Woodley United	5	1	1	3	6	8	4
13 Old Woodstock Town	4	1	0	3	3	10	3
14 Reading Town	4	0	0	4	6	17	0



Ladies Section In Focus

Gloucestershire County Womens League Season 2015-16

Division One Fixtures

Date	Opponents	H/A	Competition	Result	Scorers
6-Sep-15	Downend Flyers	H	W FA Cup	L 1 - 5	
13-Sep-15	Bristol Ladies Union Dev	H	League	L 1 - 8	Jefferies
20-Sep-15	Cheltenham Town Dev	A	League	L 1 - 5	Jefferies
4-Oct-15	Cirencester Town	A	League		
25-Oct-15	Dursley Town	A	League		
1-Nov-15	Forest of Dean	H	League		
8-Nov-15	Longlevens	A	League		
22-Nov-15	St Nicholas	H	League		
6-Dec-15	AEK Boco	A	League		
20-Dec-15	Almondsbury UWE	H	League		
10-Jan-16	Almondsbury UWE	A	League		
17-Jan-16	Bristol & West	H	League		
24-Jan-16	Bristol Ladies Union Dev	A	League		
31-Jan-16	Cheltenham Town Dev	H	League		
7-Feb-16	Cirencester Town	H	League		
21-Feb-16	Dursley Town	H	League		
28-Feb-16	Forest of Dean	A	League		
6-Mar-16	Longlevens	H	League		
13-Mar-16	St Nicholas	A	League		
3-Apr-16	AEK Boco	H	League		
17-Apr-16	Bristol & West	A	League		

Gloucestershire County Womens League Season 2015-16

Division One League Table

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Cheltenham Town Development	3	3	0	0	15	4	9
2 AEK Boco Ladies	2	2	0	0	8	0	6
3 Almondsbury UWE	2	2	0	0	5	1	6
4 Bristol Ladies Union Development	2	1	0	1	8	4	3
5 Dursley Town Ladies	1	1	0	0	3	0	3
6 Forest of Dean Ladies	2	1	0	1	0	1	3
7 St Nicholas Ladies Reserves	2	1	0	1	3	7	3
8 Cirencester Town Ladies	3	0	0	3	0	0	0
9 Longlevens Womens FC	3	1	0	2	0	6	3
10 Bristol & West Ladies	2	0	0	2	1	9	0
11 Royal Wootton Bassett Town Ladies	2	0	0	2	2	13	0



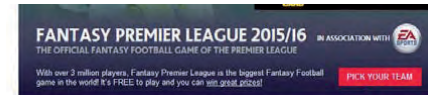
Fantasy Football

Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC

Fantasy Football Competition - Season 2015-16

As at 20th September 2015

		Week	Total
1	Gillie's Army FC	Ryan Gillie	70 309
2	Liverpool	Ethan Joe	48 308
3	Iatorrefc	Alejandro Stock	56 306
4	Michu at De Gea Ba	Dane Moulden	25 291
5	Inter Minan	Joe topping	65 290
6	SMG	James Skinner	56 286
7	High flying	Samuel Case	65 286
8	Dirty Oars	Andrew Guppy	48 283
9	Viva Paul Curtis...	SJ Lawro	44 279
10	SuarezBitsBack	Rockin Robin	41 276
11	Benford Rejects	Benny Brown	51 276
12	Shumps Gooner get ya	Steven Humphrey	26 275
13	Charlie's Angels	Karen Avery	37 275
14	royal woodpecker utd	bryan wood	42 274
15	Square Ball Tel	David Topping	55 272
16	Halls' Town	Tim Hall	31 270
17	Cupid Punts	Michael Case	48 268
18	barcaloaner	Murcia Guy	45 267
19	Largie's Lads	Scott Large	31 265
20	Moves like Agger	Andy Tye	25 264
21	Coutinho Defence Up	Jacob Hayden	35 262
21	Tekkerslovakia	Ryan Collins	39 262
23	United We Stand	Simon Jones	61 260
24	Footysavedmybacon	Ken G	58 259
25	C-Bomb's	Jack Paish	43 259
26	Jose Fonte Baby	Josh Dimond	50 257
27	Fantasy XI	Reece Holloway	42 252
28	Joe's hoe's	joe dixon	56 249
29	fc barcelona	Ethan Alejandro	42 249
30	Le Saux Solid Crew	Ryan Thomas	38 249
31	Mein Bergkampf	george Fry	42 248
32	Monye XI	hugo vivash	61 246
33	Gerrard's Slippers	Chris Green	47 246
34	BainesONtoast	Oliver Case	42 241
35	MerkelsPanzaDivision	Helmut Cheese	43 241
36	Kids R Utd	Paul Gillie	39 239
37	Gotta be my year	Becky Gammon	28 239
38	Wrighty's Warriors	Callum Wright	32 238
39	Swagenham&Redbridge	Dave Groom	40 237
40	FC United of Wood	Ali Wood	35 237
41	Who Ate All Depays?	JACK HOLDER	37 236
41	MyLittleBony FC	Euan Burke	31 236
43	Swift's bathwater FC	Phillip Forster	51 236
44	Crazy's Robins	Paul Burke	30 235
45	Stick The Blue Flag	Mark Smedley	43 235
46	Nottingham Florist	James Evans	31 232
47	Sticks & John Stones	Ollie Sinclair	45 232
48	JoseParksTheBus	Jose Moanalot	33 231
49	Winning Fc	Jayden Handel	44 230
50	The Koeman League	Stuart Smedley	39 230
51	Rigs Warriors	Paul Haworth	24 229
52	Yoyo XI	Scott Smedley	31 229
53	PC's Havin a Party	Paul Curtis	49 227
54	Royal rovers	Teresa Andow	36 225
54	FirstTimeLucky?	Keren Broyde	46 225
56	poops	thomas haworth	26 220
57	David Beldon's kids	Rhys Holdsworth	46 219
58	Pathetic Athletic	Alex Webb	35 217
59	Spiral Tribe FC	joe hockham	31 215
60	bassett legend	steve thomas	45 214
61	Sims United	Simon G	37 210
62	????????? enough!!!!	luke jones	29 209
63	REUS krispies	Harry Gough	45 208
64	Irish Allstars	Sam Jackson	42 202
65	Gregs Demons	Ian Bull	31 197
66	QPR	joe Wych	42 189
67	Hannover Hangover	Ben Gerrish	46 181



Previous Winners

- 2014/15 – Andy Guppy (Dirty Oars)
- 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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By Steven Coney

The Simulation Game

WELLING UNITED striker Sahr Kabba could end up winning you a few bob in the future if you're a regular at pub quizzes.

The foolish forward became the first player to be charged by the Football Association for 'allegedly exaggerating or feigning an injury which directly led to an opponent being dismissed'.

Diving, simulation, cheating. Whatever you want to call it, it's the latest epidemic to invade our game and it has slowly started making more of an impact over the last decade.

While it has mostly been reserved for the top level and the overpaid mercenaries in the Premier League, it has started to trickle down. Much faster than the Premier League's billions have, that's for sure!

Of course we all like to think our grass-roots game is immune and sacrosanct but this unfortunate incident has proved it isn't.

Going down in the fashion Kabba did was risky to begin with but knowing the game was being shown live on BT Sport? That's tantamount to sporting suicide.

Ritchie Sutton's 'elbow' was neither dangerous nor enough to send a grown man flying to the floor holding their face. Especially seeing as it was nearer his chest.

Tranmere Rovers fans have rightly had their say on social media. You can't say for certain they would have held onto their 1-0 lead if Sutton had rightly remained on the pitch.

But you can definitely say it can't have helped. It gave Welling impetus and those two points could end up being vital come the end of the season.

Justice has been done - well as much as it can - with Kabba receiving a three-match ban and a fine of £250 after Sutton's red was rescinded.

Under the FA's new policy 'If the dismissed player is successful in overturning his sending-off and it is clear that the opposing player had not, for example, been struck as implied/claimed or at all, then a disciplinary charge may follow'.

Wembley chiefs get a lot of stick, and some is definitely warranted, but hats off to them for trying to stamp down on Kabba's kind of acting that is more suited to the stage than the football pitch. It will be interesting to see, however, how long it will take for a Premier League player to receive the same charge.

When reading the initial news I also had to spare a thought for referees. Yes, referee Craig Hicks was obviously wrong in sending Sutton off. Assistant Ian Parsons had even advised him about the 'elbow'.

Officiating is not an easy job and with the amount of cameras seemingly fixated on every game up and down the country, it's become easier than ever to lament poor decisions. But players trying to fool them only makes their jobs harder.

Reputations are quickly made, though, and who will Kabba and the Wings have to blame if referees are a little less willing to point to the spot in the future with the Tranmere incident so widely talked about?

It's a shame for the talented Kabba, who has now become a quiz question answer. But it's also a great shame for the young and energetic Wings - who continue to pluck talented players out of nowhere - and 19-year-old captain Sam Come.

His stunning equaliser was good enough to feature at the very top of the game - and that's the sort of thing we should be talking about.



WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

SEASON 2015-16 RESERVE TEAM FIXTURES - WILTSHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sat	15-Aug-15 Ludgershall Sports	A	League	D 2 - 2	Shepherd, Large
Tue	18-Aug-15 Wroughton	A	League	L 2 - 3	Covey, Dixon
Sat	22-Aug-15 Melksham Town Res	A	League	L 0 - 1	
Tue	25-Aug-15 Chippenham Park Dev	H	League	W 3 - 1	Shaw 2, Clark
Sat	29-Aug-15 Trowbridge Wanderers	A	League	L 4 - 5	Clark, Ellis, Shaw, Large
Sat	5-Sep-15 Wilts Calne Town	A	League	W 4 - 2	Clarke 2, Tidy, Hayden
Sat	12-Sep-15 Shrewton United	A	League	L 1 - 6	Tidy
Sat	19-Sep-15 Devizes Town Res	H	League	L 2 - 4	Tidy 2
Sat	26-Sep-15 Corsham Town Res	A	League		
Sat	3-Oct-15 Andover New Street Sw	H	League		
Sat	17-Oct-15 Malmesbury Vics	A	League		
Sat	24-Oct-15 Devizes Town Res	A	League		
Sat	31-Oct-15 Chippenham Park Dev	H	League		

Wiltshire County Football League

Premier Division Season 2015-16 as at 20th September 2015

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Melksham Town FC Res	8	7	0	1	29	4	21
2 Shrewton Utd FC	8	6	2	0	25	9	20
3 Trowbridge Town FC	7	6	1	0	31	6	19
4 Malmesbury Victoria FC	7	6	0	1	39	9	18
5 Corsham Town FC Res	8	5	0	3	20	17	15
6 Devizes Town FC Res	8	4	1	3	10	14	13
7 Ludgershall Sports FC	7	3	3	1	22	10	12
8 Chippenham Park FC Development	8	4	0	4	19	12	12
9 Trowbridge Wanderers FC	7	4	0	3	20	15	12
10 Wroughton FC	7	3	1	3	22	27	10
11 Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC Res	8	2	1	5	18	24	7
12 Vale of Pewsey FC	7	2	1	4	11	27	7
13 Sarum Youth FC	8	1	0	7	10	29	3
14 Marlborough Town FC	7	0	2	5	8	21	2
15 Wilts Calne Town FC	8	0	1	7	9	36	1
16 Andover New Street Swifts FC	7	0	1	6	8	41	1

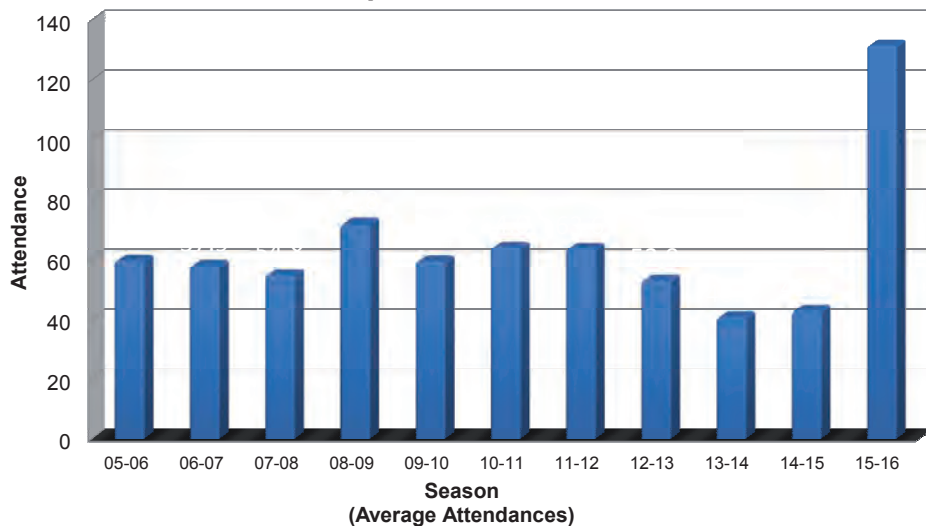
The Reserves entertained Devizes Town Reserves at the New Gerard Buxton Ground on Saturday and it was the visitors who left our new ground with all three points following a 4-2 success. Both Royal Wootton Bassett Town goals were scored by Lewis Tidy. All three teams at the top had good wins. League leaders Melksham Town Reserves scored four without reply at home against Ludgershall Sports, our opponents in the Wiltshire County Cup. Second placed Shrewton United edged it by the odd goal in five against Trowbridge Wanderers. The other Trowbridge side the Town kept in touch with the top two following a comprehensive 7-2 away win at Marlborough Town. Biggest winners of the day were Malmesbury Vics who won 8-1 away at Sarum Youth to remain in 4th spot.

Chippenham Park Development lifted themselves a couple of places in the table after hitting six without reply away at Wilts Calne Town. The final game of the day saw Corsham Town Reserves win 4-0 away at Wroughton.

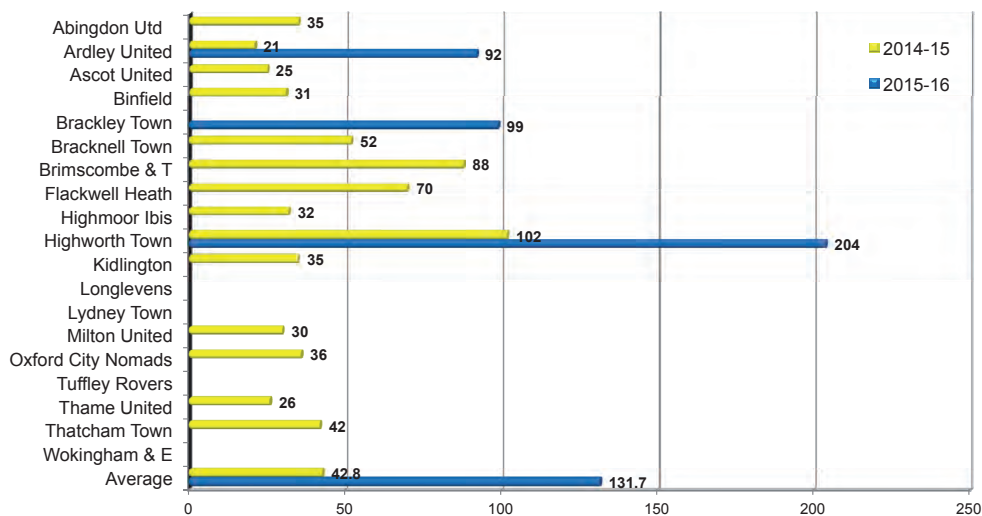
The draw for the Wiltshire Senior Cup has now been made (and is shown elsewhere in this programme). Wroughton had got the top draw with Salisbury and Steve Claridge visiting the Weir Field.



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



WBTFC Attendances - Season 2015-16 (and comparison to 2014-15)



Seeing red

Hill Farm Lane, 22nd September 2015

George Drewitt and Dale Richards both saw red as Royal Wootton Bassett Town slipped to a 2-0 defeat away at Binfield on a hugely frustrating for Paul Braithwaite's team. Drewitt's dismissal, which led to the opening goal from the penalty spot after just half an hour, proved to be the game's turning point. Gifting the hosts both a man and one goal advantage, thereafter there was only likely to be one winner in the game despite a valiant display from the visitors throughout the contest.

Bassett had started the evening brightly, moving the ball around the field with vim and vigour, while pressing Binfield effectively enough to force a number of stray passes. The hosts, too, looked in equally good form, and an entertaining, closely fought affair seemed to be in the offing. But when Drewitt dragged down forward Jemel Johnson as the last man after a quick ball forward caught the visiting defence out, the game's plot took an unfortunate twist. There was no choice but to send the Bassett skipper for an early shower. However, the decision to award a penalty compounded Bassett's feelings of woe, the foul having appeared to take place a good couple of yards outside the area. Josh Howell then proceeded to leather the spot kick down the middle to put Binfield ahead.

Despite playing against ten men, Binfield failed to produce the additional chances that their numerical strength would naturally yield. Largely a result of strong defensive play and graft from their opponents, the home team nevertheless didn't need to pepper Curtis Meare's goal with shots in order to attempt to extend their lead given the struggles Bassett faced scatching out opportunities of their own. Only once did they really come close, but Steve Robertson, after racing onto a Richards ball from the back, was thwarted by Nathan Silver, who produced a fine save at the forward's feet. And by that stage Bassett were two goals behind. Shortly after the restart, Howell had driven just wide of the mark from an angle. But Aaron Rowland made no mistake minutes later. His initial sidefoot shot from Johnson's low cross was brilliantly repelled at point blank range by Meare. However, the ball teed up kindly for the midfielder to nod in the rebound.

Try as they might, either through Sam Packer's ingenuity in the centre of midfield or quick kicks forward from Meare to try and catch Binfield overcommitting men forward, there was no route back into the game for Bassett.

And frustrations, both at the chance of points that had passed them by and the officials, eventually boiled over when Richards was giving his marching orders in injury time for using foul and abusive language.

Man of the Match: Sam Packer – lively and dangerous all evening, firstly in an advanced role and then back in the heart of midfield after his team went down to ten men.

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MW Bulletin No 002/2015-2016 Midweek Roundup 17th September 2015

Match Reports

Perpetua Print Floodlit Cup 1st Round

Binfield fell out of the Perpetua Press Floodlit Cup on Monday at the first hurdle, as Highmoor Ibis took their chances in a match that was otherwise fairly even. Highmoor took the lead through Harrison Bayley in the first half. Within two minutes of the second half Highmoor had doubled their lead. When Binfield could only half clear from a cross, Zak Tull hit a lovely low shot that flew past Lusty in at his near post. So Highmoor Ibis progress into the second round.

On Wednesday a Steve Robertson hat-trick inside 43 minutes secured Royal Woolton Bassett a place in the second round of the Perpetua Press Floodlit Cup. The home side took the lead with ten minutes played when Robertson was on hand to pole home from close range. Robertson grabbed his second of the game shortly before the break - with his downward header beating former Bassett stopper Ben Mitchell and the offside trap. Robertson secured the matchball before the break with a fizzing low drive that put his side into a comfortable lead. Fairford responded quickly after the break with Lee Smith's free-kick firing past Callum Meare. Bassett's reward is a midweek trip to Tytherington Rocks in the second round stage.

Premier

Kidlington hit Abingdon United for six. Kidlington made it look easy as they cruised to a 6 - 0 win even with the disadvantage of having 10 men for over an hour. There were only 2 minutes on the clock when Kristian Thomas put them 1 - 0 up after converting a Tommy Castle cross with a close range finish. On 13 minutes Lewis Gabbidon scored with a pile-driver of a shot from outside the box to make it 2 - 0. It was 3 - 0 only a minute later when Gabbidon was fouled in the box and Brownhill converted the resultant spot kick sending the keeper the wrong way. Just before half time Anacleto Odhiambo was felled in the box by the home keeper Kieron Brown and Brownhill once again smashed the ball home. The 63rd minute saw Brownhill complete his hat-trick after some great work by Gabbidon, who charged down Browns attempted clearance, and the ball deflected forward. Brownhill was onto it in a flash and slid it home for 5 - 0. To round off the night ex-Abingdon United player Odhiambo scored a spectacular goal after an impressive solo run in the 80th minute for 6 - 0.

A dominant second half performance including a stand-out defensive display from Tristram Dennis inspired Ascot United to a 3-1 win at Ardley United on Tuesday evening. After Andrew Prescott's penalty had cancelled out Daryl McLean's opener for Ascot, debutant Gurkan Gokmin and Matt Jones added second half goals to extend Ascot's winning run.

It took two free kicks for Thatcham Town to break down a resolute Highworth Town defence to inflict a second league defeat of the season in four days. Thatcham's Marcus Meaning headed home the opening goal of the game. Just as the half-time break appeared the visitors were given a penalty. Which Marcus Meaning then dispatched the penalty kick to get the visitors back into the game. With ten minutes or so left to play, the visitors were given a free kick on the edge of the penalty box and Marcus Meaning hit a low and hard strike which by-passed the wall and went in off a post to give the visitors the lead.

The first league point is on the board for Bracknell Town as they recovered from 2-0 down and 3-1 down to share six goals with hosts Milton Utd. Danny Langford fired the home side ahead on eighteen minutes with a 35 yard strike. A second goal for Langford followed in the 26th minute and this was another rasping drive which swerved and dipped to beat Garry Aulsberry. Jake White conceded his fourth penalty of the season and Langford took it despite not being the regular penalty taker, but it was not the best kick and Aulsberry saved it diving to his left. Milton restored their two goal lead in the 64th minute and it was another poorly defended one for the Robins. Sam Elkins struck a free-kick which went through the wall and flew into the left hand corner. Aulsberry was left with no chance with the wall supposed to protect that side. Cooper-Clark gave his side hope with his second goal on 74 minutes as he got ahead of Sam Jenkins who twice tugged him back but the striker had only one thing on his mind as he kept going and fired into the left hand corner. The scoring was completed in the 78th minute and it was that man Cooper-Clark again to claim his hat-trick and make it twelve goals in eleven matches for him this season. A corner was only cleared to Barratt who fired in a cross and Cooper-Clark volleyed in at the far post.

Connor Harris scored the only goal in Oxford City Nomads 1-0 win away to Thame United.

Gloucestershire Challenge Trophy 1st Round

Brimcombe and Thrupp beat Bristol Telephones 1-0. The winning goal came in the 81st minute; Ben Snook, who along with Clarke up front had 'run their socks off', picked up the ball on the edge of the visitors 18 yard box, after working himself a bit of space with the ball he delivered a pin point cross into the box where Oli Pitt rose and headed the ball into the top corner of Greatbanks goal. For the last 10 minutes of the game the home side managed what they had failed to do in some of their previous games and they saw the game out with some keep ball which secured their place in the next round where they will play AEK Boco at the Meadow on the 10th October.

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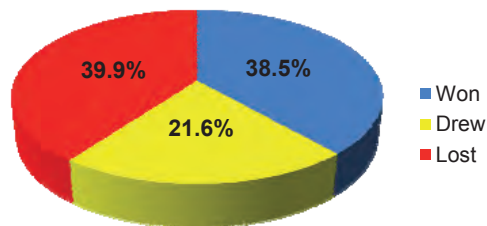


WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C. 27 YEARS IN THE HELLENIC LEAGUE

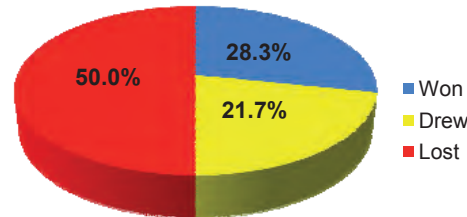
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Season	Div	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Manager	Top Scorer										
1988/89	1	28	11	7	10	50	41	40	5 out of 15	Mick Woolford	Damon York										
1989/90	1	30	13	8	9	52	35	47	7 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York 25										
1990/91	1	30	11	8	11	32	36	41	8 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York										
1991/92	1	32	10	8	14	45	59	38	12 out of 17	Mick Woolford	Not known										
1992/93	1	30	8	6	16	40	53	30	12 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent										
1993/94	1	34	15	8	11	65	57	53	9 out of 18	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent										
1994/95	1	38	18	5	15	67	68	59	9 out of 20	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent/Darren Jell										
1995/96	1	34	12	9	13	50	64	45	10 out of 18	Kevin Maloney	Scott Vincent										
1996/97	1	32	9	8	15	37	50	35	11 out of 17	Kevin Maloney	Ian Curtis/Gary Ashford 8										
1997/98	1	32	12	6	14	67	58	42	10 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart/Peter Dearlove 10										
1998/99	1	32	17	7	8	64	43	58	5 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart 17										
1999/00	1	28	15	7	6	54	32	52	3 out of 15	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart										
2000/01	P	38	14	10	14	54	60	52	13 out of 20	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart 25										
2001/02	P	42	11	9	22	39	75	42	19 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley	Mark Vaughan 14										
2002/03	P	40	10	10	20	36	70	40	15 out of 21	Pete Yeardeley	Geoff Swatton 9										
2003/04	P	42	11	5	26	38	73	38	16 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley	Geoff Swatton 16										
2004/05	P	42	6	27	30	85	27	21	21 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley/Chris Jones	Matty Bennett 10										
2005/06	1W	34	17	10	7	58	30	61	5 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett 12										
2006/07	1W	34	14	5	15	64	62	47	11 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett/Steve Yeardeley 11										
2007/08	1W	34	11	3	20	43	66	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	P	42	13	7	22	55	47	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	P	38	11	12	15	60	60	45	14 out of 20	Jeff Roberts	Levi Cox 14										
2014/15	P	38	14	9	15	66	80	51	11 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Dan Bailey 18										
2015/16	P	10	4	1	5	18	22	13	12 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Steve Robertson 14										
Total		938	361	203	374	1,463	1,518	1,280		Division 1	Premier Division										
Won:Drew:Lost Ratio		38.5%	21.6%	39.9%																	

Nickname	Bassett
Record Gate	2,103 v Swindon Town (1991)
Best Gate - 2014/15	102 v Highworth Town
Average Hellenic Attendance 2014/15	42.8 (13/14 = 40.7)
Top Scorer - 2014/15	Dan Bailey - 18 Goals
Record Known Win	16 - 0 v Clyffe Pypard (1933/34)
Record Known Defeat	1 - 16 v Warminster T (3/11/1945)

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



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



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Match Reports

PREMIER

Ade Talabi and Chris Jackson gave Ardley United their second win of the season winning 2-1 at home to Tuffley Rovers, Brett James replying for Tuffley Rovers. Goals from Steve Olphert and a hat trick from Steve Robertson helped Royal Wootton Bassett win 4-2 away to Abingdon United with Jamie Essex scoring both goals for Abingdon United. Brimscombe & Thrupps Manager Sam Prior had to shuffle his pack as all 5 central attacking players were unavailable due to injury or other commitments. Ollie Pitt stepped up into the roll as centre forward from his usual right wing position and bagged a brace in their 2-1 away to Binfield. Jemel Johnson replied for Binfield. Goals from Luke Hanley and Dan Ridge gave Bracknell Town 2-1 win at home to Brackley Town Saints with Henry Jackson scoring late for Brackley Town Saints. With Ascot on Cup duty, League leaders Flackwell Heath extended their lead to 4 points with a 3-0 win at home to Milton United with goals by Chris Hurst (2) and a Dan Burnell penalty.

An Injury time winner from live wire striker Anacet Odhiambo secured Kidlington three points when he fired the ball past Sharkey in the Highwoths goal for 1 - 0 in the 3rd minute of added time. This was a really good game of football refereed superbly by Paul Andrews and his team. Good fair football had been the order of the day. Longlevens lost their third game in the spin this afternoon missing out narrowly to a good Thame United side by 2-1. Ed Smyllie scored first for Longlevens but two second half goals from Ben Connolly and Andrew Gledhill gave Thame the Victory. Lydney Town won 3-2 at home to Oxford City Nomads. Luke Barker, Kristian Burnard and Pete Macklin scoring for the home side and Deon Gallacher and Jamie Mundy scoring for Oxford City.

Division One East

Goals from Lemar Maycock, Prince Alozie, Sam Skehan and Luke Titcombe (2) gave Woodley Town a resounding 5-2 win at home to Holyport. Paul Rake and Jack Banks replying for Holyport.

Henley Town won 5-3 at home to Reading Town. Grant Keep, Richard Bennett (2) Ben Clark and Grant Keep scoring for Henley and Kamran Khan, Abdul Ally and Lance Barlow scoring for Reading.

Division One West

FAIRFORD Town produced their best display of the season to date with an injury time equaliser from Matt Bowcher. In fact their first shot on target in the game gave Fairford the share of the points in a 1-1 draw at Carterton who took the lead through Ryan Curtin. Cheltenham Saracens won 3-2 away to Easington Sports with goals from Jack Sklaner, Paul Holmes and John Evans. Andrew Stidder scoring a brace for Easington Sports.

Two second half goals from Simon Hall gave Hook Norton a 2-1 win at home to Tytherington Rocks who replied through Nick Jones. Purton and Clanfield shared the points in a 1-1 draw.

Bluefin Sports Challenge Cup 1st Round

Joe Grant's solitary first half goal was enough to send Ascot United through to the second round. Highmoor recorded their biggest win of the season in their first ever meeting against Old Woodstock Town on Saturday in the Bluefin Sport Challenge Cup, with Sanchez Commock registering his first hat trick of the season in the process. Mo Davies, Anthony White, Mitchell Parker completed their 7-0 win. Thatcham won 4-0 away to Chalfont Wasps with goals from Danny Iachacz, Lucas Burt, Josh Helmore and Bradley Pagliaroli. Hook Norton won 2-0 at home to Tytherington Rocks (goal scorers not provided) Connor Tinsley and Alfie Saunders first half goals gave North Leigh a 2-0 win at home to Shrivenham. First half goals from Danny Jordan, and Adam Harman gave Penn & Tylers Green a 2-0 win against Bicester. Rayners Lane won 2-1 at home to Stokenchurch despite playing with 10 men for the last half hour with goals from Chesney Cassell and Jay Thorne, Jack Sears replying for Stokenchurch.

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Hellenic League



FIXTURES

Saturday 26 September	
F.A. Cup 2nd Qualifying Rd	
Hook Norton	v Western Super Mare
Chairman's Reserve Challenge Cup 1st Rd	
Ascot United	v Chinnor
Chalfont Wasps	v Bracknell Town Dev
Holyport	v Milton United Dev
Letcombe	v Purton
Old Woodstock Town	v Shrivenham
Penn & Tylers Green	v Wokingham & Emmb
Bluefin Sports Challenge Cup 1st Rd	
Ardley United	v Carterton
Bracknell Town	v Chinnor
Cheltenham Saracens	v Longlevens AFC
Fairford Town	v Highworth Town
Flackwell Heath	v Didcot Town
Henley Town	v Binfield
New College Swindon	v Purton
Reading Town	v Holyport
Wantage Town	v Lydney Town
Premier Division	
Brimscombe & Thrupp	v Thame United
Highmoor Ibis	v Abingdon United
Brackley Town Saints	v Tuffley Rovers
Milton United	v Oxford City Nomads
Thatcham Town	v Ascot United
Royal Wootton Bassett	v Wokingham & Emmb
Division One West	
Clanfield	v Cirencester Town Dev
Easington Sports	v North Leigh
Shortwood United	v Letcombe
Division One East	
Finchampstead	v Old Woodstock Town
Headington Amateurs	v Penn & Tylers Green
Division Two West	
Highworth Town	v Clanfield
Division Two East	
Stokenchurch	v Flackwell Heath
Thame United	v Sandhurst Town
Sunday 27 September	
F.A. Cup 2nd Qualifying Round	
Gloucester City	v Kidlington

Monday 28 September	
Premier Division	
Binfield	v Brackley Town Saints
Tuesday 29 September	
Premier Division	
Ascot United	v Abingdon United
Flackwell Heath	v Highmoor Ibis
Highworth Town	v Lydney Town
Kidlington	v Longlevens AFC
Milton United	v Brimscombe & Thrupp
Thame United	v Ardley United
Tuffley Rovers	v Royal Wootton Bassett
Wokingham & Emmb	v Thatcham Town
Wednesday 30 September	
Chairmans Challenge Cup 1st Round	
Hook Norton	v Kidlington
Premier Division	
Oxford City Nomads	v Bracknell Town
Thursday 2 October	
F.A. Vase 2nd Qualifying Round	
Henley Town	v Oxford City Nomads
Saturday 3 October	
F.A. Vase 2nd Qualifying Round	
Abbey Rangers	v Tytherington Rocks
Alton Town	v Bracknell Town
Fairford Town	v Badshot Lea
Frimley Green	v Thame United
Hartley Wintney	v Milton United
Knaphill	v Lydney Town
Rayners Lane	v Stotfold
Thatcham Town	v Brimscombe & Thrupp
Westfield	v Carterton
Windsor	v Royal Wootton Bassett
Wokingham & Emmbrook	v Shrivenham
Bluefin Sports Challenge Cup 1st Round	
Cirencester Town Dev	v Kidlington
Chairmans Challenge Cup 2nd Round	
Moreton Rangers	v Stokenchurch
Premier Division	
Binfield	v Abingdon United
Brackley Town Saints	v Flackwell Heath
Highmoor Ibis	v Ascot United
Longlevens AFC	v Tuffley Rovers

HELLENIC LEAGUE FLOODLIT CUP SPONSORED BY PERPETUA PRINT SEASON 2015-16

First Round		
Bracknell Town	4 - 0	Rayners Lane
Highmoor-Ibis	2 - 0	Binfield
Highworth Town	0 - 3	Brackley Town Saints
Lydney Town	2 - 1	Shortwood United
Royal Wootton Bassett Town	3 - 1	Fairford Town
Shrivenham	0 - 1	Carterton
Thame United	4 - 0	Milton United
Thatcham Town	4 - 2	Didcot Town
Tuffley Rovers	2 - 4	Kidlington

Second Round		
Abingdon United	v	Henley Town
Ardley United	v	Hook Norton
Brackley Town Saints	v	Lydney Town
Bracknell Town	v	Highmoor Ibis
Cheltenham Saracens	v	Carterton
Chinnor	v	Wokingham & Emmbrook
Cirencester Town Dev	v	Longlevens
Clanfield	v	Wantage Town
Holyport	v	Kidlington
New College Swindon	v	Bicester Town
North Leigh	v	Brimscombe & Thrupp
Oxford City Nomads	v	Thatcham Town
Reading Town	v	Ascot United
Sandhurst Town	v	Flackwell Heath
Tytherington Rocks	v	Royal Wootton Bassett Town
Woodley United	v	Thame United

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Match Reports

Bassett rescued by another Robertson hat trick

Northcourt Road, 19th September 2015

Steve Robertson just can't stop scoring. And after nearly seeing a 3-0 advantage slip away on the road against Abingdon United, Royal Wootton Bassett Town are more than thankful for that as the frontman's third hat trick of the season – and his second this week - secured an anxiety inducing 4-2 triumph against the early season strugglers.

Ideally his three-timer would have been the focal point of this encounter. But Paul Braithwaite and his team will need to concentrate on how what should have been a comfortable triumph turned so quickly and, from the visitors' perspective, so disappointingly into a close run affair. Bassett certainly weren't at their best on this afternoon. Yet, from the evidence of the first half, nor did they need to be. Abingdon's youthful side offered little end product in the opening period with Dom White labouring fruitlessly on his own up front. It appeared as though the Bassett back four were therefore set for an easy afternoon. In addition to that lack of threat, the home side were also rash and undisciplined during the opening period, resulting in a trio of yellow cards being picked up for late challenges. That combination allowed Bassett to cruise to a 2-0 half time lead.

They took the lead twenty minutes in thanks to a well worked goal. Nathan Hawkins sprayed a diagonal ball out to Dan Bailey on the right wing, and he burst past Cameron Hawtin before eventually squaring for Steve Olphert, who swept home with precision from twelve yards. The midfielder's finish made up for an earlier miss when he squandered a one-on-one opportunity having made a clever run to latch onto a Robertson flick. And when Robertson bagged his opening goal just before the half hour, he too made up for passing up an earlier chance that he snatched at. As ever though, when he did find the net, he did so in some style. Olphert's deft header set him through, and after shrugging off the attentions of the last defender by cleverly shifting onto his right foot Robertson buried the ball into the bottom left corner from the edge of the area. He could quickly have added the team's third and his second as he raced onto Harvey Scholes' defence splitting pass before rounding 'keeper Jack Griffiths, but his attempt to slot home from an angle was cleared off the line. Despite that near miss, Bassett's two goal lead still seemed rather secure as the sides went into the break.

And, although starting shakily after the restart, the visitors bolstered it further after the hour when poor defending from the hosts allowed Robertson to slip in unnoticed, collect George Drewitt's clearance and blast beyond a helpless Griffiths. However, Bassett soon found they had a game on their hands. Really Abingdon should have been dead and buried and offered no hope of salvaging something from a lost cause. But the hosts, and in particular wingmen George Reid and Jordan Jeacock, sparked into life. Combined with a complacent approach to proceedings from Braithwaite's side as they appeared to go through the motions, the game's outcome was soon in doubt. Arguably the warning signs early in the second period should have been heeded, but Robertson's strike only seemed to reinforce the sense that the points were in the bag. How dangerous that was. Adam Bowerman soon forced Curtis Meare into an uncomfortable parry, before, having survived a double Dan Bailey chance, Jamie Essex cut into the deficit with a glancing header from a corner. With quarter of an hour to go he grabbed his second. Reid did the legwork, skipping down the right and taking on Dan Comer before squaring to his captain, who steered in confidently. By now, you got the impression that the team who got the next goal would go on to win the game. And the way momentum had swung so heavily in favour of Abingdon, fear crept in that perhaps Bassett were about to capitulate completely. They breathed a sigh of relief when Reid failed to find the target from range having cut in from the right and twisted his way past two challenges. Eventually though, in the game's final minute, Robertson completed his hat trick to extinguish any concerns. Again the goal came from a Drewitt clearance over the Abingdon defence, which Robertson charged down. Then, from an angle on the left edge of the box that he really had no permission to score from, he thrashed a low arrowed drive that bounced just in front of Griffiths, over the 'keeper's outstretched palm and into the opposite bottom corner. Albeit way after they should have been, the points were finally safe.

Man of the Match: Steve Robertson – again Bassett were indebted to his lethal finishing abilities. All three of Robertson's goals were well taken, with the third, and most important, the pick of the bunch.

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Football Pyramid 2015-16

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

Bluefin Hellenic Challenge Cup

HELLENIC LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP SPONSORED BY BLUEFIN SEASON 2015-16

First Round		
Ardley United	v	Carterton
Ascot United	1 - 0	Wokingham & Emmbrook
Bracknell Town	v	Chinnor
Chalfont Wasps	0 - 4	Thatcham Town
Cheltenham Saracens	v	Longlevens
Cirencester Town Dev'	v	Kidlington
Fairford Town	v	Highworth Town
Flackwell Heath	v	Didcot Town
Henley Town	v	Binfield
Hook Norton	v	Tytherington Rocks
New College Swindon	v	Purton
North Leigh United	v	Shrivenham
Old Woodstock Town	0 - 7	Highmoor Ibis
Oxford City Nomads	v	Abingdon United
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F.A. Cup

THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C.						
Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
15-Aug-15	Extra Preliminary Round	v Bracknell Town	H	L 0 - 2	£1,500	
29-Aug-15	Preliminary Round	v Brimscombe & Thrupp	A		£1,925	
12-Sep-15	First Qualifying Round	v Shortwood United	A		£3,000	
26-Sep-15	Second Qualifying Round	v Oxford City	A		£4,500	
14-Oct-15	Third Qualifying Round				£7,500	
24-Oct-15	Fourth Qualifying Round				£12,500	
7-Nov-15	First Round				£18,000	
5-Dec-15	Second Round				£27,000	
9-Jan-16	Third Round				£67,500	
30-Jan-16	Fourth Round				£90,000	
20-Feb-16	Fifth Round				£180,000	
12-Mar-16	Sixth Round				£360,000	
23-Apr-16	Semi-Final		Wembley		£900,000	
21-May-16	Final		Wembley		£1,800,000	
Total Prize Money Won					£Nil	

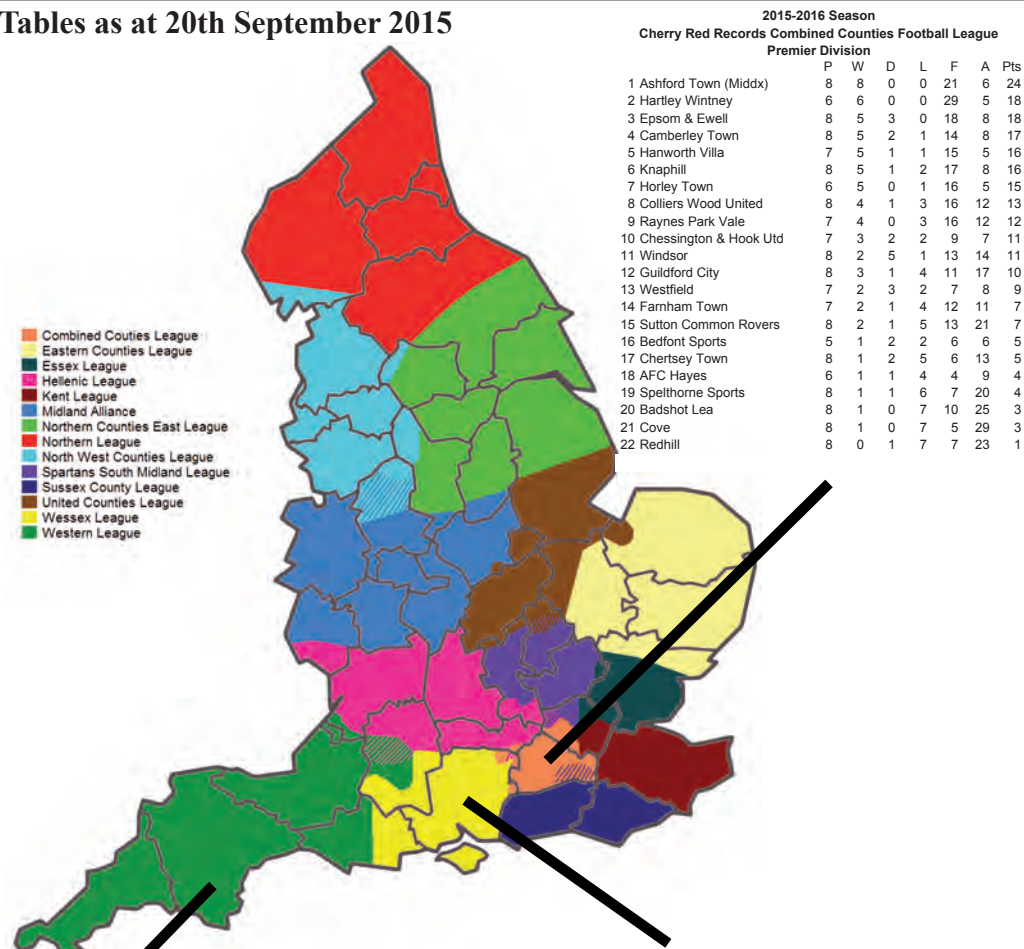


F.A. Vase

THE ROAD TO WEMBLEY FOR WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN F.C.						
Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
5-Sep-15	First Round Qualifying	v Binfield	H		£600	
3-Oct-15	Second Round Qualifying	v Windsor	A		£800	
31-Oct-15	First Round Proper				£900	
21-Nov-15	Second Round Proper				£1,200	
12-Dec-15	Third Round Proper				£1,500	
9-Jan-16	Fourth Round Proper				£2,000	
30-Jan-16	Fifth Round Proper				£2,500	
20-Feb-16	Sixth Round Proper				£4,500	
12-Mar-16	Semi-final		Two legs		£6,000	
22-May-16	Final		Wembley		£25,000	
Total Prize Money Won					£600	

Pyramid Levels Steps 5 & 6

Tables as at 20th September 2015



2015-2016 Season
Cherry Red Records Combined Counties Football League
Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Ashford Town (Middx)	8	8	0	0	21	6	24
2 Hartley Wintney	6	6	0	0	29	5	18
3 Epsom & Ewell	8	5	3	0	18	8	18
4 Camberley Town	8	5	2	1	14	8	17
5 Hanworth Villa	7	5	1	1	15	5	16
6 Knaphill	8	5	1	2	17	8	16
7 Horley Town	6	5	0	1	16	5	15
8 Colliers Wood United	8	4	1	3	16	12	13
9 Raynes Park Vale	7	4	0	3	16	12	12
10 Chessington & Hook Utd	7	3	2	2	9	7	11
11 Windsor	8	2	5	1	13	14	11
12 Guildford City	8	3	1	4	11	17	10
13 Westfield	7	2	3	2	7	8	9
14 Farnham Town	7	2	1	4	12	11	7
15 Sutton Common Rovers	8	2	1	5	13	21	7
16 Bedford Sports	5	1	2	2	6	6	5
17 Chertsey Town	8	1	2	5	6	13	5
18 AFC Hayes	6	1	1	4	4	9	4
19 Spelthorne Sports	8	1	1	6	7	20	4
20 Badshot Lea	8	1	0	7	10	25	3
21 Cove	8	1	0	7	5	29	3
22 Redhill	8	0	1	7	7	23	1

2015-2016 Season
Toolstation Western Football League
Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Buckland Athletic	9	8	0	1	19	3	24
2 Odd Down (Bath)	8	6	1	1	22	10	19
3 Melksham Town	10	5	2	3	19	8	17
4 Bristol Manor Farm	8	4	3	1	23	8	15
5 Gillingham Town	8	4	2	2	16	10	14
6 Barnstaple Town	7	4	1	2	13	6	13
7 Bitton	7	4	1	2	9	5	13
8 Shepton Mallet	8	4	1	3	10	8	13
9 Bradford Town	7	3	1	3	17	13	10
10 Briport	6	3	1	2	11	10	10
11 Brislington	7	3	1	3	11	11	10
12 Hallen	7	3	1	3	12	14	10
13 Willand Rovers	8	3	1	4	8	13	10
14 Street	8	3	1	4	10	16	10
15 Winterbourne United	7	3	0	4	12	15	9
16 Cadbury Heath	7	1	3	3	11	15	6
17 Welton Rovers	7	1	3	3	11	16	6
18 Longwell Green Sports	8	1	3	4	11	24	6
19 Sherborne Town	6	1	2	3	7	11	5
20 Cribbs	7	1	0	6	5	20	3
21 Clevedon Town	8	0	0	8	5	26	0

2015-2016 Season
Sydenhams Wessex Football League
Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Salisbury	9	6	2	1	28	4	20
2 Andover Town	7	6	0	1	20	8	18
3 Sholing	10	5	3	2	19	13	18
4 AFC Portchester	8	5	2	1	19	7	17
5 Hordean	7	5	2	0	17	6	17
6 Moneyfields	9	5	1	3	19	12	16
7 Blackfield & Langley	7	4	1	2	17	7	13
8 Bemerton Heath Harlequins	8	4	1	3	15	12	13
9 Lymington Town	7	4	0	3	10	9	12
10 Fareham Town	8	3	2	3	16	15	11
11 Cowes Sports	7	3	2	2	12	16	11
12 Hamworthy United	6	2	2	2	17	11	8
13 Fawley	7	2	2	3	9	12	8
14 Verwood Town	8	2	2	4	9	20	8
15 Team Solent	7	2	1	4	13	15	7
16 Brockenhurst	7	2	1	4	9	17	7
17 Newport (IoW)	9	2	1	6	14	24	7
18 Alresford Town	9	1	3	5	7	20	6
19 Whitchurch United	8	2	0	6	7	20	6
20 Folland Sports	9	1	1	7	13	27	4
21 Bournemouth	7	1	1	5	6	21	4

Royal Wootton Bassett Town F.C. Season 2015-16 First Team Line-ups, Results and Fixtures

Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	Crowd	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15
Sat 8-Aug	Brackley Saints	H	D 1 - 1	99	Meare	Comer	Richards	Wright	Hawkins	Packer	Olphert (1)	Bailey	Youngsam	Sheppard	Carter	Thomas	Scholes	Moulden
Wed 12-Aug	Oxford City Nomads	A	W 2 - 0	72	Meare	Comer	Richards	Moulden	Hawkins	Packer	Olphert	Bailey	Youngsam	Corcoran	Carter	Thomas (1)	Scholes (1)	Cheetham
Sat 15-Aug	Bracknell (FAC EP)	H	L 0 - 2	121	Meare	Comer	Corcoran	Moulden	Drewitt	Packer	Scholes	Bailey	Youngsam	Sheppard	Carter	Thomas	Richards	Cheetham
Wed 20-Aug	Ardley United	H	W 2 - 1	92	Meare	Comer	Richards	Moulden	Drewitt	Packer (1)	Scholes	Bailey (1)	Robertson	Thomas	Carter	Ellis	Skinner	Youngsam
Sat 22-Aug	Flackwell Heath	A	L 2 - 7	46	Meare	Comer	Richards	Moulden	Corcoran	Packer	Sheppard	Bailey	Robertson (2)	Yearley	Carter	Youngsam	Gambling	Cheetham
Wed 26-Aug	Lydney Town	A	L 2 - 3	87	Meare	Comer	Richards	Hawkins	Corcoran	Packer	Scholes	Bailey	Robertson (1)	Yearley (1)	Carter	Youngsam	Gambling	Olphert
Sat 29-Aug	Ascot United	A	W 4 - 1	67	Kuczynski	Comer	Richards	Hawkins	Corcoran	Packer	Scholes	Bailey	Robertson (3)	Yearley	Gambling (1)	Olphert	Sheppard	Carter
Mon 31-Aug	Highworth Town	H	L 0 - 2	204	Kuczynski	Comer	Richards	Drewitt	Corcoran	Packer	Scholes	Bailey	Gambling	Yearley	Carter	Youngsam	Hawkins	Cheetham
Sat 5-Sep	Binfield (FAV 1st QR)	H	D 1 - 1	83	Meare	Comer	Richards	Hawkins	Corcoran	Packer	Scholes	Bailey	Robertson (1)	Yearley	Youngsam	Thomas	Drewitt	Sheppard
Mon 7-Sep	Binfield (FAV 1st QR Rep)	A	W 4 - 3	84	Meare	Comer	Richards	Drewitt	Hawkins (1)	Packer	Scholes (2)	Bailey (1)	Youngsam	Cheetham	Olphert	Skinner	Vivash	Sheppard
Sat 12-Sep	Thame United	A	L 1 - 3	67	Meare	Comer	Richards	Cheetham	Hawkins	Packer	Scholes	Bailey	Robertson (1)	Yearley	Olphert	Youngsam	Drewitt	Sheppard
Wed 16-Sep	Fairford Town (F/L1)	H	W 3 - 1	84	Meare	Comer	Richards	Drewitt	Hawkins	Packer	Scholes	Thomas	Robertson (3)	Yearley	Cheetham	Carter		
Sat 19-Sep	Abingdon United	A	W 4 - 2	49	Meare	Comer	Thomas	Drewitt	Hawkins	Cheetham	Scholes	Bailey	Robertson (3)	Yearley	Olphert (1)	Carter	Sheppard	
Mon 21-Sep	Binfield	A	L 0 - 2	92	Meare	Comer	Richards	Drewitt	Hawkins	Packer	Scholes	Bailey	Robertson	Cheetham	Olphert	Carter	Covey	Miller
Sat 26-Sep	Wokingham & Emmbrook	H																
Tue 29-Sep	Tuffley Rovers	A																
Sat 03-Oct	Windsor (FAV 2ndQR)	A																
Wed 07-Oct	Tytherington Rocks (F/L2)	A																
Sat 10-Oct	Ludgershall Sports (CC1)	H																
Sat 17-Oct	Abingdon United	H																
Wed 20-Oct	Longlevens	A																
Sat 24-Oct	Flackwell Heath	H																
Mon 26-Oct	Highmoor Ibis	A																
Sat 31-Oct	Thame United	H																
Tue 10-Nov	Brimscombe & Thrupp	A																
Sat 14-Nov	Thatcham Town	A																
Wed 18-Nov	Tuffley Rovers	H																
Sat 21-Nov	Milton United	H																
Sat 28-Nov	Bracknell Town	H																
Tue 9-Dec	Kidlington	H																
Sat 12-Dec	Ascot United	H																
Sat 19-Dec	Brackley Saints	A																
Mon 28-Dec	Highworth Town	A																
Sat 2-Jan	Brimscombe & Thrupp	H																
Sat 16-Jan	Ardley United	A																
Sat 23-Jan	Oxford City Nomads	H																
Sat 06-Feb	Wokingham & Emmbrook	A																
Sat 13-Feb	Kidlington	A																
Sat 27-Feb	Lydney Town	H																
Wed 2-Mar	Highmoor Ibis	H																
Sat 05-Mar	Milton United	A																
Tue 08-Mar	Bracknell Town	A																
Sat 19-Mar	Binfield	H																
Mon 28-Mar	Longlevens	H																
Sat 2-Apr	Thatcham Town	H																

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