

Royal Wootton Bassett Town F.C.



Fairford Town F.C.



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2017-18

Home Team Squad			Played No.	Sub
1	Daniel	Lawrence		
2	Keiran	Diaz-Benitez		
3	Chris	Jackson		
4	Kai	Robinson		
5	Steve	Yeardley		
6	Sam	Collier		
7	Harvey	Scholes		
8	Giorgio	Wrona		
9	Rory	Sproule		
10	Callum	Wright		
11	Sam	Packer		
12	Antonio	Gerrish		
14	Ben	Lodge		
15	Ryan	Withers		
16	Aaron	Maximen		
17	Matt	Cheetham		
18	Jonny	Aitkenhead		
19	Mason	Thompson		
20	Aaron	Stevens		
21	Dale	Richards		
22	Jamie	Richards		
23	Josh	Coombe		
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Visitors Team Squad			Played No.	Sub
1	Charles	Steward		
2	Aaron	Dainton		
3	Mason	Hathaway		
4	Nathan	Hawkins		
5	Ben	Saunders		
6	Josh	Gregory		
7	Callum	Preece		
8	Dan	Reynolds		
9	Lee	Smith		
10	Liam	Gale		
11	Michael	Oakes		
12	Matt	Boucher		
14	George	Thrussell		
15	Steve	Hall		
16	Shane	Bumphrey		
17	Jody	Bevan		
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Dugout Team
Manager: Rich Hunter
Assistant: Chris Green
Coaches: Sam Collier & Mike Brewer
Therapist: Kara Gregory

Dugout Team
Manager: Jody Bevan
Assistant: Will Steadman
Coach:

Match Officials
Referee: David Nicholson
Assist. Ref (Red Flag): Chris Stobart
Assist. Ref (Yellow Flag): Kyle Robinson

Next Home Games
 Wed 01-Nov-17 v Kidlington Reserevs (Perpetua Floodlit Cup) kick-off 7.45PM
 Sat 04-Nov-17 v Longlevens (Uhsport Hellenic League Premier Division) kick-off 3.00PM

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Season 2017-18

Uhsport Hellenic League Premier Division Royal Wootton Bassett Town v Fairford Town

Saturday 28th October 2017
 Gerard Buxton Sports Ground, Kick-off 3.00PM
 Official Match Day Programme £1.50



Club Officials Season 2017-18



(founded 1882)

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With our network of six additional offices located throughout Swindon and its surrounding villages, Richard James have been helping people move in the Wiltshire area for over 23 years. We have a large team of local experienced staff all looking forward to getting to know and become part of the Royal Wootton Bassett community.

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.

Alex Hornby
Managing Director

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Welcome to Fairford Town

A warm welcome to the players, officials and spectators from Fairford Town for this UHlsport Hellenic League Premier Division fixture. We hope all those from Fairford enjoy their short stay with us today and we wish them a safe journey home.

Five seasons back I produced the Bassett match day programme for six months from down in Melbourne and today's programme has once again been produced from Down Under, as will the Kidlington Reserves programme, due to a holiday and fixture scheduling that sees us have 6 home games when I am travelling to and in Australia. Apologies for the statistics not being up to date for the Oxford Nomads game but with the chance that the game may not take place I took the decision to produce it in advance of travelling. Up to date statistics are included here today.

This is the second meeting between the two sides this season as we met Fairford earlier in the season in the FA Vase on a Friday night. In front of a bumper crowd we won 3-1 to progress to the 2nd Qualifying Round thanks to goals from Sam Collier, Harvey Scholes and Sam Packer. We are on a good run against Fairford having won our last five games against them and also unbeaten in six meetings against Fairford, our last defeat coming way back in 2004-05. Fairford are currently bottom of the Premier Division table having found it tough on their return to the Premier Division having won the Division One West title last season. A number of the squad that won the league last season have now moved on and in recent weeks, with last season's manager Gareth Davies taking over the reins at Shrivenham there have been further defections to Shrivenham to re-join Davies. We welcome back some former players this afternoon, most notably Nathan Hawkins a player who always gave 100% in his time with Bassett. Welcome back Nathan and also the other players that have worn the blue and yellow over the years.

Cricklade Town and Wiltshire Senior Cup

After defeating Cricklade Town 4-1 in the First Round, we will again face Wiltshire Senior League our opposition in the last 16 will be Trowbridge Town. Trowbridge – Bassett's former Hellenic League Division One West foes – currently sit eleventh in the league with two wins, five draws and six defeats from their opening thirteen games. Despite being seven times winners of the Senior Cup – their last title came in 2003-04 when they beat Corsham Town on penalties in the final - they will go into the game as outsiders, though we will again have to be on their guard if we are to avoid a cup upset. Trowbridge were eliminated in the First-Round last season, but were quarter finalists just two seasons ago. They received a bye in the opening round of this year's competition.

Amphill Town and the FA Vase

Our reward for Saturday's excellent 2-1 come-from-behind win against Amphill Town is a trip to Hampshire to take on high quality Wessex League Premier Division opposition in Horndean. The tie will take place on Saturday 11th November. Bassett have historically found it tough against Wessex League opponents in national competitions. Thirteen ties across the Vase and FA Cup have seen us win on just two occasions, with eleven losses – three of which came after replays. We suffered defeat against Wessex League opponents on the only other occasion we reached the second round of the Vase, losing 4-0 away at Wimborne Town in 2008-09.

Horndean are well established in the Wessex Premier, and are now in their seventh consecutive season of step five football. They came sixth last season, having achieved a fifth-place finish in 2015-16 – their best ever league performance. The Deans, based just north of Portsmouth, had their best run in the Vase in 2012-13 when they reached the third round. That year they saw off Melksham Town, Christchurch and Willand Rovers before falling to a 5-0 loss against Bemerton Heath Harlequins. Two seasons later they reached the second round where they were defeated 1-0 by Ascot United. Their most recent experience of Hellenic League opponents came in the FA Cup earlier this season when they defeated Binfield 3-0 in a preliminary round replay after holding the Moles to a 1-1 draw in Berkshire. In the round before that, they defeated Bassett's Wiltshire



Jo Bunkasem



Josh McHugh



Deborah Reay



Rebecca Barrett

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rivals Melksham 2-1. Horndean have enjoyed a fantastic start to their league campaign, and sit fourth after twelve games with a record of nine wins, one draw and two defeats from twelve games. So a tough game is in prospect but there is no reason why we cannot come back from Hampshire with a place in the next round.

Race Night Fundraiser

Royal Wootton Bassett Town will be hosting a Race Night fundraising event on Saturday 4th November, starting at 7pm in the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground clubhouse. Organised by first team player Callum Wright, all are welcome to attend what should be an entertaining, family-friendly evening. Sponsorship opportunities are available - horses in each race are available to sponsor for £10, while races are available for £50. If you are interested in sponsoring a horse or race, please contact Callum Wright by email (cal.wright@hotmail.co.uk).

Concert

The Killertones, the Swindon-based scootierist, soul, indie, goth, psychobilly, ska, mod and new wave tribute band, are set to play at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground on Saturday 11th November. The latest in a series of music events being held by the Sports Association, it should be a fantastic night's entertainment. Demand for tickets is expected to be high, so make sure to purchase as soon as you can. Advance tickets for the event cost £5 and will be available to purchase from the bar. Entry on the night will cost £6.50. Doors will open at 7.30pm.

Help secure Aviva Community Funding

Royal Wootton Bassett Town has again applied for grant funding from Aviva's Community Fund scheme and needs YOUR vote to help qualify. This year the club is seeking funding to help supports its "Friday Footy" veterans football programme. What initially started as a pay-as-you-play open age session with only a few players has since blossomed, with about 50 players now attending on an ad hoc basis. Since November, 67 players have attended with an average age of 43, with the eldest player being a sprightly 68! However, financial support is required as they currently rely on using balls and bibs provided by the Wiltshire FA and wear old kits. If successful, funding will be put towards the purchase of first aid, training equipment, playing kit and to block book use of the AGP at the Gerard Buxton Sports Ground to help reduce costs for players. You can vote for the club at <https://community-fund.aviva.co.uk/voting/project/view/17-5047>. All you need to do is create an account, search for "Royal Wootton Bassett" and allocate your 10 votes to the football club. Please also share with others to encourage as much support as possible.

Veterans seeking fixtures

Talking of the veterans, Royal Wootton Bassett Town's thriving veterans section is seeking opponents for friendly fixtures at the 35 and above, 40 and above and 50 and above age groups. Having competed in the Wiltshire FA Veterans Summer League, Bassett are now looking to schedule a number of friendlies - home and away - throughout the autumn and winter months. If you are interested in organising a fixture, please contact Head of Veterans Section Nick Warren by phone (07789 888300) or by email.

Next Up

This is our fourth home game in the sequence of six home games in just 18 days as home cup draws collide with league fixture planning. On Wednesday Kidlington Reserves visit us in the Floodlit Cup before we meet Longlevens here in the league on the following Saturday. Enjoy the game and hopefully a league win for Bassett and three more points.

Mark

Senior Honours List



- 1902-03 Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
- 1902-03 Advertiser Cup Runners-up
- 1903-04 Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
- 1904-05 Advertiser Cup Runners-up
- 1905-06 Wiltshire County League Runners-up
- 1930-31 Calne & District League Runners-up
- 1931-32 Calne & District League Champions
- 1933-34 Vale of White Horse Cup Winners
- 1934-35 Calne & District League Champions
- Calne & District League Cup Winners
- 1935-36 Calne & District League Champions
- Calne & District League Cup Runners-up
- 1938-39 Brotherhood Cup Winners
- 1953-54 Vale of White Horse Cup Winners
- 1957-58 Chippenham & District League Division 2 Champions
- 1958-59 Wiltshire League Division 1 Champions
- 1978-79 Wiltshire County League Division 2 Runners-up
- Wiltshire County League Subsidiary Cup Winners
- 1982-83 Wiltshire County League Division 4 Runners-up
- 1983-84 Wiltshire County League Ghia Senior Cup Winners
- 1984-85 Wiltshire County League Division 2 Champions
- Wiltshire County League Ghia Junior Cup Runners-up
- 1987-88 Wiltshire County League Division 1 Champions
- Wiltshire Senior Cup Runners-up
- 1988-89 Wiltshire County League Ghia Junior Cup Runners-up
- 1989-90 Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Winners
- 1993-94 Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Winners
- 1994-95 Hellenic League Division 1 Cup Runners-up
- 1998-99 Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners
- 2000-01 Wiltshire Senior Cup Winners
- Hellenic League Reserves Division 2 West Champions
- 2004-05 Wiltshire Youth Cup Runners-up
- 2009-10 Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up
- 2010-11 Wiltshire County FA Floodlit League Champions
- Wiltshire Youth Cup Runners-up
- 2012-13 Hellenic League Division 1 West Runners-up
- Wiltshire County League Junior Cup Runners-up
- 2016-17 Gloucestershire Womens League Division 1 Runners-up
- Gordan Perrott Memorial Cup Winners





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Opponents - History

Fairford Town • Club History



Formed in 1891, the club has a long and proud history and will celebrate its 125th anniversary with a series of events in 2016. The first team have had a promising start in Hellenic Division One West, with the aim being promotion back to the UHlsport Hellenic Premier Division.

Here are a few facts about the club that you may or may not be aware of – and we look forward to welcoming you to Cinder Lane, perhaps for the return fixture or to take in a game soon.

A-Z GUIDE | FAIRFORD TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

Your guide to the Reds for the 2017/18 Hellenic Premier Division season

AIR TATTOO – Royal International Air Tattoo (13-15 July 2018) sponsor our away kit

BEVAN – Joint manager Jody Bevan scored over 250 goals in 600 career games

CLUBHOUSE – Includes TV screens, a kitchen, bar, changing rooms and a boardroom

DI CANIO – Italian Paolo Di Canio played at Cinder Lane during a 2012 charity match

ELF – Fairford Town will host Abingdon United (3pm) in an enticing Boxing Day fixture

FORMED – The club was formed in 1891 and recently its celebrated 125th anniversary

GROUNDBOARDS – Priced at £99 for the season at Cinder Lane, great value!

HISTORIC – The FA Cup trophy was on show at Cinder Lane v Knaphill (August 2014)

INSTAGRAM – Follow us on Instagram @FairfordTownFC for match images and more

JONES – Steve Jones began with Fairford before an established Football League career

KICK-OFF – Midweek home games will be played on Wednesday nights (7.45pm)

LEAGUE – Fairford Town won Division 1 West last season with a goal difference of 105

MEDAL – Secretary Bill Beach was awarded a British Empire Medal in January 2014

NEARLY – FTFC finished Hellenic Premier Division Runners-up in 1990/91 & 1994/95

OWENS – Rugby referee Nigel Owens MBE is the club's most recent guest speaker

PROPERTY – Cinder Lane and the training ground are both owned by the club

QUIRKY – Washing machines can be found in one of the main stands at Cinder Lane

RESTAURANT – Visiting Fairford? Try Colosseo (01285 239238) for an excellent Italian

SPIKES – Main club sponsor Spikes have a new fast food diner inside the clubhouse

TWITTER – Follow updates from today's game via @FairfordTownFC on Twitter

UNSURE – President Mike Tanner is in his 44th season with FTFC, having joined in 1973

VOLUNTEER – We're always looking for an extra pair of hands. Can you help?

WEBSITE – For a full report on today's game and news please see fairfordtownfc.co.uk

X-MEN – Ex-boss Paul Richardson played for Nottingham Forest under Brian Clough

YOUTH – The youngest player to play for the Fairford first team is Steve Bennett (15)

ZOOM – Many of our home fixtures are photographed by Ainscow Pictures

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Fairford Town



Ben Mitchell

Goal Keeper

Goalkeeper who played for Fairford during their last Premier Division season five years ago. An important figure on and off the pitch.



Josh Langley

Goal Keeper

Goalkeeper who signed in the summer, has previous experience with the likes of Cirencester Town and Shortwood United, and will contest for the number one shirt.



Ben Saunders

Defence

Netted an impressive nine goals in 35 games from left-back last season. The son of former Fairford defender Mark, Ben has a similarly robust streak.



Lyndon Tomkins

Defence

Experienced former Gloucester City central defender who offers a commanding and influential presence at the heart of the backline.



Steve Hall

Defence

Long-serving left-back who can also play in midfield. Robust operator whose experience could be valuable as the Reds return to the Hellenic Premier Division.



Aaron Dainton

Defence

Rangy central defender who loves a run forward. Good in the air and quick off the mark; he made 46 appearances last term.



George Thrussell

Defence

Young defender who has showed much promise after joining in pre-season. Mobile and reads the game well.



Luke Barstow

Defence

Tall central defender who spent the last two years with Stonehouse, helping them reach the Gloucestershire County League and finish third last season.



Dan Reynolds

Midfield

Powerful 20-year old midfielder who made the step up from local league football last term and provides a presence in the heart of the engine room.



Ben Newman

Midfield

At West Bromwich as a youngster, joined Fairford towards the end of the 2016/17 campaign and comfortable at the heart of defence or in midfield.



Matt Boucher

Midfield

Experienced, hard-working midfielder who works at the Gloucestershire FA. One of the longest serving members of the Reds' squad whose experience is an asset.



Liam Gayle

Midfield

Summer signing who joins the club from Slimbridge, can operate up front or out wide and will look to make a quick start with his new club.



Michael Oakes

Midfield

Midfielder who helped set Stroud on their way to winning the Stroud League Division One title last season before stepping up to join Southern League side Slimbridge AFC.



Martin Hall

Midfield

Right-back or midfielder who made 18 appearances for the reserves last term and has returned to Cinder Lane for the 2017/18 season.



James Campbell

Forward

Signed on dual forms with Evesham United. Scored 34 goals for Charlton Rovers last term and won gold at the 2004 Commonwealth Youth Games (Javelin).



Lee Smith

Forward

An important signing in the summer. Smith has vast experience at higher levels of the game with the likes of Weston and Gloucester City and offers a real goal threat.



Josh Morse

Forward

With 22 goals in 44 appearances in last season's title-winning side, the versatile former Supermarine man can operate up front or out wide.



Liam Franklin

Sports Therapist

A valued member of the backroom team, joined the club in the summer of 2016 and offers pitchside support as well as an impressive trainer collection.



Jody Bevan

Manager

Joined the club in May 2017 after a career that saw him score over 250 goals in 600 in a stellar Southern League career.



Will Steadman

Asst. Manager

Played over 150 games for Gloucester City. He also played for Cinderford Town and Shortwood United during an established career in non-league circles.

Todays Opponents

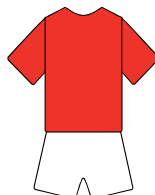
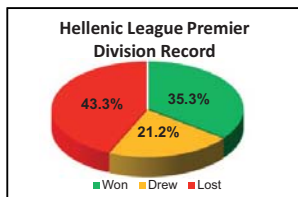
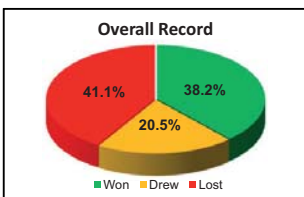
Hellenic Years - 1996-97

Fairford Town Historical Record since RWBFC in Hellenic League

Certain information taken from the excellent [Football Club History Database](http://fchd.info) which can be found at <http://fchd.info>

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Season	League & Division	FAC	FAV	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Top Scorer										
1988/89	Hellenic Premier	n/a	PR	32	15	7	10	45	40	52	4 out of 17	Not known										
1989/90	Hellenic Premier	n/a	PR	34	17	6	11	59	42	57	4 out of 18	C. Panter 17										
1990/91	Hellenic Premier	n/a	PR	34	22	5	7	69	38	71	2 out of 18	Not known										
1991/92	Hellenic Premier	n/a	EP	34	12	9	13	72	55	45	11 out of 18	Not known										
1992/93	Hellenic Premier	n/a	PR	34	8	13	13	55	48	37	12 out of 18	D. Labbett										
1993/94	Hellenic Premier	n/a	PR	34	18	7	9	76	51	61	5 out of 18	C. Panter										
1994/95	Hellenic Premier	n/a	PR	30	21	4	5	73	25	67	2 out of 16	Not known										
1995/96	Hellenic Premier	n/a	1QR	34	10	10	14	49	52	40	11 out of 18	Not known										
1996/97	Hellenic Premier	n/a	2QR	34	7	5	22	32	73	26	18 out of 18	Not known										
1997/98	Hellenic Premier	n/a	1st	34	13	8	13	54	43	47	9 out of 18	J. Titcombe 14										
1998/99	Hellenic Premier	n/a	2nd	36	10	10	16	42	50	40	13 out of 19	Not known										
1999/00	Hellenic Premier	n/a	2QR	36	7	8	21	32	69	29	16 out of 19	Not known										
2000/01	Hellenic Premier	n/a	1QR	38	17	7	14	54	45	58	9 out of 20	G. Davies 16										
2001/02	Hellenic Premier	PR	2QR	42	21	10	11	72	42	73	6 out of 22	L. Stoddart 40										
2002/03	Hellenic Premier	EP	1st	40	21	8	11	65	30	71	6 out of 21	L. Stoddart 23										
2003/04	Hellenic Premier	PR	2nd	42	21	8	13	74	63	68	10 out of 22	N. Matthews & L. Stoddart 16										
2004/05	Hellenic Premier	1QR	2QR	42	19	5	18	62	54	62	8 out of 22	P. Corcoran 16										
2005/06	Hellenic Premier	1QR	2QR	40	11	6	23	42	73	39	17 out of 21	L. Stoddart 8										
2006/07	Hellenic Premier	1QR	2QR	38	12	10	16	56	61	46	13 out of 20	P. Corcoran 15										
2007/08	Hellenic Premier	EP	2QR	42	8	8	26	52	100	32	20 out of 22	B. Gill 18										
2008/09	Hellenic Premier	1QR	2QR	42	13	12	17	62	67	51	14 out of 22	P. Walker 9										
2009/10	Hellenic Premier	EP	2QR	42	6	11	25	47	95	29	20 out of 22	J. Magani 7										
2010/11	Hellenic Premier	EP	1st	42	4	8	30	46	125	20	21 out of 22	R. Williams 7										
2011/12	Hellenic Premier	PR	1st	42	8	5	27	47	109	29	20 out of 21	N. Gambling 16										
2012/13	Hellenic Div 1 West	EP	1st	30	19	4	7	65	38	58	4 out of 16	D. Bailey 16										
2013/14	Hellenic Div 1 West	EP	2QR	28	15	6	7	69	39	51	4 out of 15	N. Gambling 20										
2014/15	Hellenic Div 1 West	EP	1QR	28	5	6	17	45	76	21	14 out of 15	J. Allen 10										
2015/16	Hellenic Div 1 West	n/a	1st	26	18	3	5	60	27	57	4 out of 14	J. Ellis 14										
2016/17	Hellenic Div 1 West	EP	1st	30	24	3	3	131	26	75	1 out of 16	J. Milhench / L. Smith 31										
2017/18	Hellenic Premier	EP	1QR	15	1	4	10	20	45	7	20 out of 20	L. Smith 9										
Totals				1,055	403	216	434	1,727	1,701													
Won:Drew:Lost Ratio				38.2%			20.5%			41.1%												

Hellenic League Div 1 West	142	81	22	39	370	206	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	57.0%	15.5%	27.5%
Hellenic League Prem Div	913	322	194	395	1,357	1,495	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	35.3%	21.2%	43.3%



eight points ahead of Hellen. Ardley United retained the Division One Challenge Cup.

Meanwhile in the Wiltshire League, Division 1 was won by Shrewton United, Corsham Town were runners-up. Division 2 champions were Raychem SSC with Marlborough Town runners-up. Chiseldon won Division 3 with Cricklade Town finishing as runners-up. Division 4 was won by Raychem SSC Reserves with Ferndale Rodbourne runners-up.

Corsham Town won the Addkey Senior KO Cup for the second season running defeating Bradford Town in the final. Cricklade Town defeated Ferndale Rodbourne in the final of the Fountain Trophies Junior.

Elsewhere in the Swindon & District League the Premier Division champions were Jacobs Ladder. Division 1 champions were Moonrakers with Division 2 being won by Hunt Street Clubhouse. Phone Shop took the Division 3 title. The Advertiser Cup was won by FC Venus whilst the George Thomas Cup was won by Wroughton.

Manchester United win the Premier League, seven points ahead of second placed Newcastle United. Middlesbrough are deducted three points for failing to fulfil a fixture which ultimately costs them their place in the Premier League as they are relegated. Barnsley are promoted to the Premier League along with Division One champions, Bolton, and play-off winners Crystal Palace. Swindon Town finish nineteenth in Division One. Chelsea win the FA Cup, defeating relegated Middlesbrough 2-0 in the final.

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

Singles

- Wannabe
- Ready or Not
- Breathe
- 2 Become 1
- I Believe I Can Fly

- Spice Girls
- Fugees
- Prodigy
- Spice Girls
- R Kelly

Albums

- Jagged Little Pill
- Spice
- White On Blonde
- Pop

- Alanis Morissette
- Spice Girls
- Texas
- U2

Hellenic League Premier Division - Season 1996-97

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Brackley Town	34	25	6	3	79	20	81
2 Abingdon United	34	22	5	7	57	32	71
3 Burnham	34	20	9	5	67	34	69
4 Swindon Supermarine	34	21	5	8	72	40	68
5 North Leigh	34	17	7	10	56	39	58
6 Tuffley Rovers	34	16	8	10	62	43	56
7 Endsleigh	34	13	11	10	49	50	50
8 Banbury United	34	14	5	15	51	46	47
9 Didcot Town	34	13	7	14	42	52	46
10 Carterton Town	34	12	6	17	57	57	41
11 Shortwood United	34	11	6	17	53	60	39
12 Lambour Sports	34	10	8	16	44	53	38
13 Bicester Town	34	10	7	17	31	53	37
14 Wantage Town	34	11	4	19	36	62	37
15 Almondsbury Town	34	8	10	16	44	52	34
16 Kintbury Rangers	34	9	5	20	41	67	32
17 Highworth Town	34	8	5	21	40	73	29
18 Fairford Town	34	7	5	22	32	73	26

Hellenic League Division One - Season 1996-97

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Ardley United	32	24	7	1	76	21	79
2 Hallen	32	21	8	3	79	23	71
3 Harrow Hill	32	20	7	5	56	29	67
4 Cheltenham Saracens	32	20	5	7	75	47	65
5 Purton	32	19	5	8	75	36	62
6 Kidlington	32	19	4	9	64	33	61
7 Pegasus Juniors	32	18	4	10	61	29	58
8 Headington Amateurs	32	14	6	12	49	47	48
9 Ross Town	32	13	7	12	56	47	46
10 Cirencester United	32	12	4	16	51	56	40
11 Wootton Bassett Town	32	9	8	15	37	50	35
12 Clanfield	32	9	3	20	46	64	30
13 Bishops Cleeve	32	7	9	16	39	66	30
14 Yarnston	32	9	3	20	67	30	27
15 Easington Sports	32	5	5	22	34	78	20
16 Letcombe	32	4	4	24	26	97	16
17 Milton United	32	2	5	25	42	106	11

Wiltshire County League - Division 1 - 1996-1997

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Shrewton United	22	14	3	5	38	16	45
2 Corsham Town	22	14	2	6	49	22	44
3 Aldbourne	22	10	5	7	30	28	35
4 Devizes Town Res	22	8	6	8	38	28	32
5 Biddestone	22	10	2	10	32	22	32
6 Bradford Town	22	7	10	5	22	22	31
7 Tisbury United	22	6	8	8	35	30	28
8 Southbrook Walcot	22	7	8	7	27	25	29
9 Wroughton	22	7	8	7	33	37	29
10 Melksham Town Res	22	6	10	6	34	34	28
11 Purton Res	22	5	1	16	22	59	16
12 Burmah Castrol	22	2	5	15	23	52	11

Wiltshire County League - Division 2 - 1996-1997

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Raychem SSC	27	21	1	5	70	24	64
2 Marlborough Town	27	15	7	5	48	28	52
3 Malmesbury Vics	27	14	4	9	53	38	46
4 Warminster Town Res	27	13	6	8	38	27	45
5 Chippenham Town Res	27	10	11	6	49	30	41
6 GPS	27	12	5	10	45	41	41
7 Dunbar Athletic	27	12	4	11	66	49	40
8 Bromham	27	6	7	14	40	52	25
9 Amesbury Town Res	27	2	7	18	30	79	13
10 Pewsey Vale Res	27	3	2	22	20	91	11

Wiltshire County League - Division 3 - 1996-1997

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Chiseldon	26	19	3	4	107	48	60
2 Cricklade Town	26	17	3	6	76	35	54
3 Wroughton Res	26	14	5	7	88	51	47
4 Shrewton United	26	14	1	11	72	53	43
5 Sunstrand	26	12	2	12	63	38	38
6 W.Bassett Sports	26	12	4	9	81	67	40
7 Down Ampney	26	8	11	7	51	43	35
8 Southbrook Walcot Res	26	10	5	11	49	48	35
9 Corsham Town Res	26	8	10	8	39	44	34
10 Aldbourne Res	26	10	3	13	38	63	33
11 Pinehurst	26	9	5	12	47	49	32
12 Highworth Athletic	25	7	5	13	35	49	26
13 Marlborough Town Res	26	4	5	17	37	73	17
14 Ashton Keynes	26	3	6	17	34	78	15

Wiltshire County League - Division 4 - 1996-1997

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Raychem Res	26	19	6	1	86	29	63
2 Ferndale Rodbourne	26	17	5	4	90	35	56
3 Biddestone	26	16	5	5	62	34	53
4 West Swindon	26	15	6	5	63	40	51
5 Minety	26	13	3	10	57	46	42
6 Burmah Castrol Res	26	11	6	9	50	56	39
7 Malmesbury Vics Res	26	10	8	8	47	42	38
8 Bradford Town Res	26	9	7	10	39	40	34
9 Dunbar Athletic Res	26	10	4	12	53	60	34
10 Marshfield	26	7	2	17	35	58	23
11 GPS Res	26	5	6	15	30	59	21
12 Box Rovers	26	4	8	14	32	51	20
13 Sherston Town	26	4	6	16	24	72	18
14 Bromham Res	26	3	6	17	24	70	15

Hellenic Years - 1996-97

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

Today the featured season is 1996-97:

Kevin Moloney's reign at the helm had been a short one. At the end of the previous season the club's committee had taken the decision not to invite Moloney to return as manager and the Reserve Team Manager Dave Warren was installed as manager. Dave brought together a relatively young side and gave the opportunity to some of his old reserve side the chance to perform at Hellenic league level.

It was in the League Cup that Bassett once again had most success making the semi-final for the second season running. It was at the beginning of November that Wootton Bassett Town had qualified for the League Cup semi-final and the tie, which was to be played over two legs, was eventually scheduled for the first two weeks of March. Of the fourteen-man squad who had defeated Clanfield, only Paul Harrison, Barry Giles, Gary Ashford, Dominic Franklin and Peter Dearlove played in the First Leg at Harrow Hill which saw a disappointing 2-0 defeat. For the return leg at Rylands Way, Simon Green, Justin Hyde and Paul Parsons all returned and a much-improved performance saw Wootton Bassett get back level on aggregate terms with Harrow Hill, leading 3-1 at the end of ninety minutes courtesy of goals from Barry Giles, Scott Vincent and Peter Dearlove. With the aggregate score level, the tie went into extra time during which neither side was able to find the back of the net meaning that penalties were needed to decide who would progress to the final. Unfortunately for Wootton Bassett they lost the penalty shootout 4-3 to crash out at the semi-final stage for the second consecutive season. Manager Dave Warren noted in his programme notes for the next home game that he could not have asked any more from his team. Noting that not many teams put three goals past Harrow Hill he was proud of his team's performance and to go out on penalties was a cruel blow.

Wootton Bassett did not improve on the previous season's tenth spot, slipping one place in the table to eleventh. Goals had been the problem with just 37 scored in the league, with just three sides registering a lower tally. The joint top scorers were Ian Curtis and Gary Ashford, both netting just six times in the league and twice in cup competitions to head the goal scoring charts with the relatively low total of eight goals. Despite the lack of goals and a lower league position there was to be some consolation for the Club though as they won the Hellenic League Division One sportsmanship award.

Elsewhere in the non-league scene the Hellenic Premier Division was won by BrackleyTown who finished ten points clear of Abingdon United. Swindon Supermarine won the Premier Division Cup with Abingdon United winning the Floodlit Cup. Division One of the Hellenic League was won by Ardley United who finished

Hellenic League Premier Division - Season 1996-97

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Brackley Town	34	25	6	3	79	20	81
2 Abingdon United	34	22	5	7	57	32	71
3 Burnham	34	20	9	5	67	34	69
4 Swindon Supermarine	34	21	5	8	72	40	68
5 North Leigh	34	17	7	10	56	39	58
6 Tuffley Rovers	34	16	8	10	62	43	56
7 Endsleigh	34	13	11	10	49	50	50
8 Banbury United	34	14	5	15	51	46	47
9 Didcot Town	34	13	7	14	42	52	46
10 Carterton Town	34	12	5	17	57	57	41
11 Shortwood United	34	11	6	17	53	60	39
12 Lambourn Sports	34	10	8	16	44	53	38
13 Bicester Town	34	10	7	17	31	53	37
14 Wantage Town	34	11	4	19	36	69	37
15 Almondsbury Town	34	8	10	16	44	52	34
16 Kintbury Rangers	34	9	5	20	41	67	32
17 Highworth Town	34	8	5	21	40	73	29
18 Fairford Town	34	7	5	22	32	73	26

Hellenic League Division One - Season 1996-97

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Ardley United	32	24	7	1	76	21	79
2 Hallen	32	21	8	3	79	23	71
3 Harrow Hill	32	20	7	5	56	29	67
4 Cheltenham Saracens	32	20	5	7	75	47	65
5 Purton	32	19	5	8	75	36	62
6 Kidlington	32	19	4	9	64	33	61
7 Pegasus Juniors	32	18	4	10	61	29	58
8 Headington Amateurs	32	14	6	12	49	47	48
9 Ross Town	32	13	7	12	56	47	46
10 Cirencester United	32	12	4	16	51	56	40
11 Wootton Bassett Town	32	9	8	15	37	50	35
12 Clanfield	32	9	3	20	46	64	30
13 Bishops Cleeve	32	7	9	16	39	66	30
14 Yarnton	32	9	3	20	30	67	30
15 Easington Sports	32	5	5	22	34	78	20
16 Letcombe	32	4	4	24	26	97	16
17 Milton United	32	2	5	25	42	106	11

Wiltshire County League - Division 1 - 1996-1997

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1 Shrewton United	22	14	3	5	38	16	45
2 Corsham Town	22	14	2	6	49	22	44
3 Aldbourne	22	10	5	7	30	28	35
4 Devizes Town Res	22	8	8	6	38	28	32
5 Biddestone	22	10	2	10	32	23	32
6 Bradford Town	22	7	10	5	22	22	31
7 Tisbury United	22	8	6	8	35	35	30
8 Southbrook Walcot	22	7	8	7	27	25	29
9 Wroughton	22	7	8	7	33	37	29
10 Melksham Town Res	22	6	10	6	34	34	28
11 Purton Res	22	5	1	16	22	59	16
12 Burmah Castrol	22	2	5	15	23	52	11

Wiltshire County League - Division 2 - 1996-1997

Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Raychem SSC	27	21	1	5	70	24	64
2 Marlborough Town	27	15	7	5	48	28	52
3 Malmesbury Vics	27	14	4	9	53	38	46
4 Warminster Town Res	27	13	6	8	38	27	45
5 Chippenham Town Res	27	10	11	6	49	30	41
6 GPS	27	12	5	10	45	41	41
7 Dunbar Athletic	27	12	4	11	66	49	40
8 Bromham	27	6	7	14	40	52	25
9 Amesbury Town Res	27	2	7	18	30	79	13
10 Pewsey Vale Res	27	3	2	22	20	91	11

Wiltshire County League - Division 3 - 1996-1997

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1 Chiseldon	26	19	3	4	107	48	60
2 Cricklade Town	26	17	3	6	76	35	54
3 Wroughton Res	26	14	5	7	88	51	47
4 Shrewton United	26	14	1	11	72	53	43
5 Sunstrand	26	12	2	12	63	63	38
6 W.Bassett Sports	25	12	4	9	61	67	40
7 Down Ampney	26	8	11	7	51	43	35
8 Southbrook Walcot Res	26	10	5	11	49	48	35
9 Corsham Town Res	26	8	10	8	39	44	34
10 Aldbourne Res	26	10	3	13	38	63	33
11 Pinelhurst	26	9	5	12	47	49	32
12 Highworth Athletic	26	7	5	13	35	49	26
13 Marlborough Town Res	26	4	5	17	37	73	17
14 Ashton Keynes	26	3	6	17	34	78	15

Wiltshire County League - Division 4 - 1996-1997

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
1 Raychem Res	26	19	6	1	86	29	63
2 Ferndale Rodbourne	26	17	5	4	90	35	56
3 Biddestone	26	16	5	5	62	34	53
4 West Swindon	26	15	6	5	63	40	51
5 Minety	26	13	3	10	57	46	42
6 Burmah Castrol Res	26	11	6	9	50	56	39
7 Malmesbury Vics Res	26	10	8	8	47	42	38
8 Bradford Town Res	26	9	7	10	39	40	34
9 Dunbar Athletic Res	26	10	4	12	53	60	34
10 Marshfield	26	7	2	17	35	58	23
11 GPS Res	26	5	6	15	30	59	21
12 Box Rovers	26	4	8	14	32	51	20
13 Sherston Town	26	4	6	16	24	72	18
14 Bromham Res	26	3	6	17	24	70	15

Todays Opponents - Last Season & This

Results Season 2016-17

Date	Result	League/Cup	Opponent	Score	Scorers	
2-Aug-16	OneW	Abingdon United	2	Fairford Town	1	Drewett
6-Aug-16	FA Cup	Fairford Town	1	CB Hounslow United	5	Hale
13-Aug-16	OneW	Fairford Town	5	North Leigh United	0	Ellis 2, Hale, Saunders, Smith
20-Aug-16	OneW	Fairford Town	5	Hook Norton	0	Drewett, Ellis, Hale, Milhench, Ockwell
27-Aug-16	OneW	Shortwood United Dev'	1	Fairford Town	6	Ellis 3, Cordery, Hale, Milhench
29-Aug-16	OneW	Fairford Town	7	Letcombe	0	Milhench 2, Jackson, Chilcott, Ellis, Drewett, Blackford
6-Sep-16	Floodlit Cup	Abingdon United	1	Fairford Town	2	Drewett, Ellis
10-Sep-16	FA Vase	Chipping Sodbury Town	3	Fairford Town	2	Drewett, Ellis, Smith
17-Sep-16	OneW	Fairford Town	4	Easington Sports	0	Boucher, Ellis, Milhench, Smith
24-Sep-16	FA Vase	Fleet Spurs	1	Fairford Town	3	Ellis, Morse, Smith
1-Oct-16	OneW	Tytherington Rocks	1	Fairford Town	3	Milhench 2, Ellis
4-Oct-16	Blurfin Cup	Fairford Town	1	Highworth Town	2	Smith
8-Oct-16	OneW	Fairford Town	6	New College Swindon	0	Milhench 3, Cordery, Saunders, Smith
11-Oct-16	GFA Trophy	Fairford Town	4	Longlevens AFC	1	Smith 2, Milhench, Morse
15-Oct-16	OneW	Fairford Town	2	Cirencester Town Dev'	1	Smith 2
22-Oct-16	FA Vase	Fairford Town	1	Andover Town	2	Smith
29-Oct-16	OneW	Woodstock Town	1	Fairford Town	8	Cox 3, Milhench 2, Morse, Ellis, Smith
1-Nov-16	Floodlit Cup	Holyport	0	Fairford Town	6	Morse 4, Hall, Hibbert
5-Nov-16	OneW	Fairford Town	7	Cheltenham Saracens	0	Cox 3, Morse 2, Smith 2
19-Nov-16	OneW	Fairford Town	2	Purton	1	Hale, Milhench
26-Nov-16	GFA Trophy	Bristol Telephones	1	Fairford Town	3	Boucher, Milhench, Smith
10-Dec-16	OneW	Cheltenham Saracens	0	Fairford Town	17	Smith 4, Cox 3, Milhench 3, Morse 2, Ockwell 2, Chilcott, Blackford, Saunders
13-Dec-16	Cup	Fairford Town	2	Henley Town	1	Morse, Saunders
27-Dec-16	OneW	Letcombe	1	Fairford Town	0	
31-Dec-16	OneW	Purton	3	Fairford Town	5	Smith 2, Cox, Morse, OG
7-Jan-17	OneW	Fairford Town	5	Abingdon United	2	Drewett 2, Morse 2, Cox
10-Jan-17	GFA Trophy	Fairford Town	5	Chipping Sodbury Town	2	Morse 2, Milhench
14-Jan-17	OneW	Fairford Town	1	Clanfield 85'	1	Boucher
28-Jan-17	OneW	Easington Sports	0	Fairford Town	3	Boucher, Cox, Smith
4-Feb-17	OneW	Fairford Town	3	Shortwood United Dev'	2	Boucher 2, Cox
11-Feb-17	OneW	Hook Norton	0	Fairford Town	3	Cox, Hall, Morse
18-Feb-17	OneW	North Leigh United	0	Fairford Town	2	Drewett, Jackson
25-Feb-17	OneW	Fairford Town	5	Tytherington Rocks	1	Smith 3, Jackson, Cox
28-Feb-17	Floodlit Cup	Fairford Town	1	Flackwell Heath	3	Milhench
4-Mar-17	OneW	New College Swindon	0	Fairford Town	4	Milhench, Smith
11-Mar-17	OneW	Fairford Town	1	Shrivenham	1	Smith
18-Mar-17	OneW	Fairford Town	11	Woodstock Town	0	Stanners 4, Milhench 3, Mephram, Blackford, Boucher, Drewett
21-Mar-17	Supp Cup	Fairford Town	6	Oxford City Dev'	3	Milhench 3, Morse, Blackford, Smith
25-Mar-17	Supp Cup	Finchampstead	0	Fairford Town	5	Blackford 2, Morse, Ockwell, Cox
28-Mar-17	GFA Trophy	Bristol Manor Farm	1	Fairford Town	3	Drewett, Milhench, Saunders
1-Apr-17	OneW	Cirencester Town Dev'	3	Fairford Town	2	Smith 2
4-Apr-17	OneW	Fairford Town	5	Milton United	0	Ockwell 2, Cox, Reynolds, Smith
11-Apr-17	OneW	Clanfield 85'	0	Fairford Town	2	Cox 2
13-Apr-17	Cup	Fairford Town	8	Henley Town	2	Saunders 2, Cox 2, Milhench, Drewett, Morse, Ockwell
15-Apr-17	OneW	Milton United	2	Fairford Town	3	Ockwell 2, Milhench
17-Apr-17	OneW	Shrivenham	2	Fairford Town	5	Saunders 2, Stanners, Morse, Reynolds
20-Apr-17	Supp Cup	Tuffley Rovers	1	Fairford Town	1	Milhench (lost 4-5 on pens)
27-Apr-17	GFA Trophy	Cadbury Heath	2	Fairford Town	2	Cox, Smith (lost 3-4 on pens)

Top Goalscorers	Goals	Strike-Rate
Jason Milhench	31	81.6%
Lee Smith	32	80.0%
Josh Morse	22	48.9%
Levi Cox	22	88.0%

Results Season 2017-18

Date	Result	League/Cup	Opponent	Score	Scorers		
1-Aug-17	D	Premier	Tuffley Rovers	1	Fairford Town	1	Morse
5-Aug-17	D	FA Cup	Fairford Town	1	Longlevens	1	Smith
8-Aug-17	L	FA Cup	Fairford Town	5	Fairford Town	1	Milhench
12-Aug-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	2	Flackwell Heath	6	Morse, Smith
16-Aug-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	2	Longlevens	6	Morse, Smith
26-Aug-17	D	Premier	Windsor	1	Fairford Town	1	Smith
28-Aug-17	L	Premier	Abingdon United	1	Fairford Town	0	
2-Sep-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	1	Brackley Town Saints	2	Gale
5-Sep-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	1	Lydney Town	2	Saunders
8-Sep-17	L	FA Vase	Royal W. Bassett Town	3	Fairford Town	1	Gale
13-Sep-17	D	Premier	Longlevens	1	Fairford Town	1	Smith
16-Sep-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	1	Binfield	2	Smith
20-Sep-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	2	Brimscombe & Thrupp	7	Gale, Smith
23-Sep-17	D	Premier	Fairford Town	4	Ascot United	4	Gale, Bevan, Saunders, Smith
27-Sep-17	W	Premier	Fairford Town	2	Tuffley Rovers	1	Reid, Smith
30-Sep-17	L	Premier	Thatcham Town	5	Fairford Town	1	Gale
7-Oct-17	W	Bluefin Cup	Fairford Town	2	Kidlington Reserves	1	Gale, Reynolds
14-Oct-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	1	Highworth Town	5	Reynolds
18-Oct-17	L	GFA Trophy	Fairford Town	1	Lebeq United	3	Saunders
21-Oct-17	L	Premier	Fairford Town	0	Woodley United	1	

Goalscorers	Goals	Strike-Rate
Lee Smith	9	50.0%
Liam Gale	6	40.0%
Ben Saunders	3	25.0%
Josh Morse	3	17.6%
Dan Reynolds	2</	

Previous Meetings & Our Visitors



versus



- Royal Wootton Bassett Town and Fairford Town have met on 19 occasions previously with Fairford having the better of things having won 9 times to just 6 for Bassett, 4 games have been drawn.
- Interesting to note that Bassett did not win any of the first 11 games between the two sides it is only in recent times that Bassett have obtained good results against Fairford.
- Surprisingly the first meeting between the two sides did not take place until August 2000 and resulted in a 6-0 win for the Gloucestershire based side.
- The first ever Bassett goal against Fairford was scored by Lee Stoddart the following month, a player who would go on to make a name for himself as a top striker at Fairford.
- It would be seven more games before Bassett would find the net again against Fairford, Tony Macek scoring in a 1-1 draw in December 2003.
- Bassett's first win came in January 2005 when Dave Tyler and Chris Mills scored in a 2-1 Supplementary Cup win.
- Bassett are currently on a good run having won the last 5 meetings between the two sides. The latest win came on Friday 8th September in the FA Vase when goals from Sam Collier, Harvey Scholes and Sam Packer gave us a 3-1 win.
- Mark Barnes and Steve Robertson have the honour of scoring the most goals against Fairford, both having a total of 3, Robertson's all coming in the last meeting between the two clubs in September 2015.
- Of our current players the 3 who scored in the game earlier this season are the only players to score against Fairford with Sam Collier leading the way on 2 goals.

Fairford Town Honours Table	
League Honours	Hellenic League Division One A Champions 1971-72 Hellenic Division One West Champions 2016-17 Swindon & District Premier Div Champions 1964-65 & 1968-69
Cup Honours	Gloucestershire Challenge Trophy Winners 1979-80 & 1998-99 Hellenic League Premier Division Cup Winners 1978-79 Hellenic League Div One Challenge Shield Winners 1971-72 Advertiser Cup Winners 1964-65 & 1968-69 Gloucestershire Junior Cup Winners 1962-63
Best FA Cup Performance	First qualifying round 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07 & 2008-09.
Best FA Vase Performance	Second Round 1977-78, 1979-80, 1983-84, 1985-85, 1998-99 & 2003-04.
Record Attendance	1,525 v Coventry City July 2000

Player Profile

Antonio Gerrish – Midfield



Gerrish is a promising, energetic young midfielder who is dual-signed for Bassett with Swindon Supermarine.

He is an all-round midfielder, combining a fine touch, skill and great passing range, with a willingness to get stuck in and a non-stop motor.

The youngster came through the ranks at New College, where he impressed mightily over the past three seasons in a team that otherwise struggled in Hellenic League Division One West.

Gerrish worked his way into the starting eleven as a first year with the student side in 2014-15. Though he would make only twelve appearances, he was among the goals, racking up six, good enough for third best for his team. That haul included a pair of braces in victories against Wantage Town Reserves (5-0) and Fairford Town (3-2).

A season later, he appeared 19 times as he became a key member of the New College squad, scoring five goals.

Last season, he netted twelve times in 28 games for them, finishing as their second top scorer behind Ben Lodge. His haul of goals included strikes in 2-0 and 4-0 victories against Purton, the only two goals of the game in a triumph over Tytherington Rocks, a hat-trick away against Cheltenham Saracens and a key brace against the same side at home.

He featured for Supermarine in the build-up to this campaign, grabbing a goal for the Southern League side in their final friendly away against Carterton before signing with Bassett in order to acquire match experience.



RWBTFC Fantasy Football League

Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC
Fantasy Football Competition - Season 2017-18
AS AT 25TH OCTOBER 2017

	Week	Total
1 Jack Paish	C-Bomb's	76 518
2 SJ Lawro	Viva Paul Curtis	50 516
3 Mari Green	Nuno Limits	73 514
4 Murcia Guy	CostaCalidaRovers	86 514
5 Ryan Collins	Tekkerslovakia	57 506
6 Sam warner	pjanic at the isco	45 499
7 Dale Richards	FC Escoria	61 499
8 Phillip Forster	AFC Bell of Truth	59 498
9 Reece Holloway	2 girls 1 Schlupp	62 498
10 Alex Webb	WestSwindonAthletic	41 493
11 Simon Godfrey	Nomis FC	77 491
12 Harry Gough	Goffys Green Army	59 490
13 Rockin Robin	Moanrinhos bus	72 489
14 Jack Coward	What's the mata?	47 486
15 Tim Hall	Tim's Hallstars	73 486
16 Anthony Moore	BALOTELLITUBBIES	56 485
17 Jacob Hayden	Our Year M8	66 485
18 Michael Case	Cupid Punts	42 484
19 Jamie Richards	TeddyBearUnited FC	64 484
20 Mike Price	Cheesy naan	49 479
21 Joe topping	Inter Minan	42 477
22 Andrew Guppy	Dirty Oars	54 477
23 Josh Hughes	HughesXV	67 477
24 James Skinner	Sound of the Lloris	46 476
25 Mark Smedley	Hollowhead Rangers	68 476
26 Ronald Greainho	Greenteam	51 474
27 Ryan Gillie	Who ate all Depays?	55 473
28 Teresa Andow	Royal Rovers	41 471
29 Helmut Cheese	Merkals Kalergi Plan	59 468
30 Callum Wright	Lallana's In Pajamas	74 468
31 Josh Smith	Jurgen Flopp	39 465
32 luke jones	Summit	44 465
33 Benny Brown	soccerates.	67 464
34 Hayley Huckin	Huckin Fantastic	35 463
35 Noah Cranswick	Noah's army	32 459
36 Antony Brown	Browner's ballers	37 458
37 Euan Burke	Delph And Safety	61 458
38 bryan wood	Member for Life	38 455
39 Gareth watkinson	longBall XI	74 455
40 Wesley van Vliet	WL van Vliet	68 454
41 Kath Johnson	Barca Loader	54 451
42 P J	Inter Minan	34 448
43 Josh Dimond	Real Sociopath	38 448
44 George Lance	Madeline Milan	35 447
45 Marc Bennett	Melchester Rovers	53 447
46 Paul Gillie	Kids R Utd	35 446
47 Mark Rice	Tikka Man	41 446
48 david attan	Sharp Shooters	39 444
49 Harvey Watkinson	ginger ninjas	50 444
50 Ethan Joe	Wheres Zlatan	67 444
51 Scott Large	Largie's Lads	42 442
52 James Holloway	Debbie Does Bassett	51 442
53 Ken G	Footiesavedmybacon	58 441
54 James Evans	AFC Jimboton	60 437
55 Paul Curtis	PC'S BARMY ARMY	39 436
56 Ben Gerrish	As you were	51 435
57 Ali Wood	BounceBackAbility FC	45 431
58 Mark Vincent	Vinnies V. V.	62 426
59 Jack Holder	Jacko XL	59 425
60 Stuart Smedley	The Koeman League	42 422
61 Karen Avery	Charlie's Angels	50 421
62 Simonr Jones	United We Stand	52 421
63 Josh Bolton	Diaby does Gallas	72 417
64 Adam Potter	Loftus Roadrunners	36 415
65 Finlay Cranswick-coates	A lot of points	36 414
66 hugo vivash	Vivash's XI	41 414
67 Chris Dye	Teolegend	31 411
68 Liam Guy	The Cesc Pistols	52 411
69 Ethan Price	BURNTOY FC!!!	29 409
70 David Mantle	Dave's Devils	56 409
71 Josh Smith	FC Beercalona	23 406
72 Chris Green	Reina's Red Balloon	61 405
73 Ryan Vincent	Rhinos XI	51 403
74 Patrick Russell	Just Add Water	39 402
75 Lucia Green	Los Lobos	49 402
76 Max Chambers	Max Points	35 397
77 Bobby Socks	SanPedroFC	46 397
78 Glenn Coates	Sbs11	26 396
79 Becky Gammon	Top of the Klopps	56 394
80 Ian Bull	Greg's Demons	46 385
81 Alex Warner	Teenage ninja skrtel	46 382
82 Shelley Gould	Aint got a Kalou	39 378
83 Ollie Sinclair	OS XI	77 377
84 Samuel Case	Ivory Toast	80 377
85 Roy Dinsmore	Red eyes green hair	34 369
86 Marcel Houtzager	FC Gravenzande	21 357
87 Simon Jones	Hangover Rovers	32 348
88 Rhys Holdsworth	Rhys	40 341
89 Alejandro Stock	thefinanceguy.co.uk	60 333
90 Martyn Robinson	NoKinChance	20 296

RWBTFC Fantasy Football League Hall of Fame

2016-17 - Andy Guppy

2015-16 - Andy Guppy

2014-15 - Andy Guppy

2013-14 - Michael Case

2012-13 - Sam Lawro

2011-12 - Sam Lawro

2010-11 - Josh Dimond



Previous Meetings

Season	Date	L/Cup	Opponents	H/A	Result	Goalscorers
2000.01	19-Aug-00	L	Fairford Town	A	L 0 - 6	
2000.01	5-Sep-00	FL	Fairford Town	A	L 1 - 3	Stoddart
2000.01	3-Feb-01	L	Fairford Town	H	D 0 - 0	
2001.02	22-Dec-01	L	Fairford Town	A	L 0 - 2	
2001.02	9-Apr-02	L	Fairford Town	H	L 0 - 2	
2002.03	29-Mar-03	L	Fairford Town	H	L 0 - 1	
2002.03	9-Apr-03	L	Fairford Town	A	L 0 - 2	
2003.04	9-Sep-03	FL	Fairford Town	H	L 0 - 1	
2003.04	20-Dec-03	L	Fairford Town	H	D 1 - 1	Macek
2003.04	10-Apr-04	L	Fairford Town	A	L 0 - 4	
2004.05	3-Jan-05	L	Fairford Town	H	D 1 - 1	Tyler
2004.05	29-Jan-05	SC	Fairford Town	A	W 2 - 1	Tyler, Mills
2004.05	16-Mar-05	L	Fairford Town	A	L 0 - 2	
2010.11	20-Nov-10	L	Fairford Town	A	D 1 - 1	S.Carter
2010.11	25-Jan-11	L	Fairford Town	H	W 3 - 1	Beeden, Boucher, Collier
2012.13	18-Aug-12	L	Fairford Town	A	W 4 - 3	Barnes, Ellis, Bown, OG
2012.13	20-Oct-12	L	Fairford Town	H	W 2 - 1	Barnes 2
2015.16	16-Sep-15	FL	Fairford Town	H	W 3 - 1	Robertson 3
2017.18	8-Sep-17	FAV	Fairford Town	H	W 3 - 1	Collier, Scholes, Packer

Mr Dependable does it again

Rylands Way, 20th October 2012

He scores. And he scores. And he scores. And he scores. There seems to be no stopping Mark Barnes this season. With a match winning brace, Bassett's sharpshooter moved onto twenty goals in all competitions so far - and it's not even November yet. Meanwhile, his side moved further clear of the chasing Division One West pack as Fairford Town were defeated by the odd goal in three.

It was a scrappy affair at Rylands Way, devoid of any real quality. That is except for when Barnes found the back of the net, the front man producing two top calibre finishes to seal the three points.

He gave his side the lead midway through the first half, pouncing on a fortunate break to finish well.

Fairford, themselves in the mix in the division's top half, got back on level terms in the 70th minute as Shannon Pocock put away a penalty.

But four minutes later Barnes sealed the deal and helped give Bassett a seven point cushion over their fifth place local rivals with a game still in hand. The two sides above Fairford - Old Woodstock Town and Tytherington Rocks - both trail by six points having played more times so far than Bassett.

All in all, it's been a terrific first third of the campaign for Dave Turner and his charges. Just five points from a possible thirty have been dropped and the team looks strong in all areas, particularly up top. And that is thanks in no small part to their prolific talisman.

Sunday Team

ROYAL WOOTTON BASSETT TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

SEASON 2017-18 SUNDAY TEAM FIXTURES - SWINDON SUNDAY LEAGUE DIVISION 2

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sun 03-Sep-17	Nationwide	H	League	W 7 - 0	Thomas 3 , Duckers 2, Hale, Hall
Sun 10-Sep-17	Northern Lights	A	Cup	W 15 - 1	Duckers 4, L.Petrie 4, Hall, Groom, Brown English, Stevens, Sheppard, Dainton
Sun 24-Sep-17	FC Walcot	H	Cup	L 1 - 4	Hall
Sun 15-Oct-17	Croft Juniors	A	League	D 4 - 4	Hale, Morse, Duckers, Dainton
Sun 22-Oct-17	Stratton Saints	H	League	W 11 - 0	Duckers 4, Morse 3, L.Petrie 2, Hall,M.Petrie
Sun 29-Oct-17	Save on Tyres Athletic	H	League		
Sun 05-Nov-17	Wanborough	H	League		
Sun 12-Nov-17	Eldene	A	League		
Sun 03-Dec-17	Athletico Marlborough	A	League		
Sun 10-Dec-17	Stratton Saints	A	League		
Sun 17-Dec-17	Highworth Town Sunday	H	League		
Sun 07-Jan-18	Croft Juniors	H	League		
Sun 14-Jan-18	Purton Red House	H	League		
Sun 21-Jan-18	Wanborough	A	League		
Sun 28-Jan-18	Athletico Marlborough	H	League		
Sun 04-Feb-18	Swindon Athletic	A	League		
Sun 11-Feb-18	Highworth Town Sunday	A	League		
Sun 18-Feb-18	Willowgreen Hotspur	H	League		
Sun 25-Feb-18	Save on Tyres Athletic	A	League		
Sun 04-Mar-18	Rudis FC	H	League		
Sun 18-Mar-18	Purton Red House	A	League		
Sun 25-Mar-18	Eldene	H	League		
Sun 01-Apr-18	Rudis FC	A	League		
Sun 08-Apr-18	Swindon Athletic	H	League		
TBA	Willowgreen Hotspur	A	League		

Swindon Sunday League

Division Two - Season 2017-18

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Highworth Town Sunday FC	5	4	1	0	19	11	13
2 Eldene FC	3	3	0	0	17	6	9
3 Purton RedHouse FC	5	3	0	2	7	9	9
4 Croft Junior FC	5	2	2	1	16	11	8
5 Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC	3	2	1	0	22	4	7
6 Wanborough FC	4	2	1	1	12	12	7
7 Athletico Marlborough FC	5	2	0	3	16	17	6
8 Nationwide FC	5	2	0	3	8	13	6
9 Swindon Athletic FC	3	1	0	2	11	12	3
10 Stratton Saints FC	5	1	0	4	9	26	3
11 Save on Tyres Athletic PFC	3	0	1	2	2	8	1
12 Willowgreen Hotspur FC	1	0	0	1	1	4	0
13 Rudis FC	3	0	0	3	4	11	0

RWBTFC First Team Pen Pics

Royal Wootton Bassett Town



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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

Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC • Club History

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



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

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

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

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

Premier Division Travel 2017-18

Distance Between Clubs (One-way)

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

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Royal Wootton Bassett Town FC First Team Season 2017-18

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

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






















Away Travel Season 2017-18
























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

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

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

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

First Team Player Kit Sponsorship

Player	Kit Sponsor
Dan Lawrence 	Whole kit sponsored by R.A. Nicholas Garden Maintenance Tel: 07745922420
Jonny Aitkenhead 	Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley
Aaron Stevens 	Whole kit sponsored by Mark Smedley
Nathan Hawkins 	Whole kit sponsored by Gordon Reeves
Matt Cheetham 	Whole kit sponsored by Roger Williamson
Sam Collier 	Whole kit sponsored by John & Kath Fellows
Callum Wright 	Whole kit sponsored by rwbtc.co.uk
Chris Jackson 	Whole kit sponsored by the Wood Family
Kieran Diaz-Benitez 	Whole kit sponsored by Andrew Watkins
Steve Yeardley 	Whole kit sponsored by Mem-Star Distribution
Sam Packer 	Whole kit sponsored by Sophos plc
Kai Robinson 	Whole kit sponsored by Wason & Webb
Mason Thompson 	
Harvey Scholes 	
Dale Richards 	
Ben Lodge 	Whole kit sponsored by Webb's Wood Tel:(01793) 783 879
Antonio Gerrish 	Whole kit sponsored by Webb's Wood Tel:(01793) 783 879
Rory Sproule 	
Jamie Richards 	
Aaron Maximen 	
Giorgio Wrona 	
Dan Bailey 	
Kara Gregory 	Whole kit sponsored by the Walduck Family

Cost for the whole kit £40 (fixed at 2016-17 prices)
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In This Week From the Archives...

Terry Strike Silences Hardwicke Manager As Mystic Dave Predicts Right Result

Rylands Way, Saturday 1st November v Hardwicke AFC (Won 1-0)

A shot from Shaun Terry from 6 yards following good link up play was all that separated the two sides in this SBJ Insurance Cup tie. In Friday's Swindon Advertiser manager Dave Turner had predicted there would probably just be one goal in it and his prediction came true. Despite just the one goal this was an excellent game of football played in difficult conditions with a cold biting wind blowing across the pitch. However, one suspects that after phoning in the result to the Hellenic League, Secretary Rod Carter's next task was to go and complain to the Rylands Way neighbours about the noise emanating from the visitors' dugout courtesy of Hardwicke's manager. At times it resembled an Under 9 manager screaming at his players not the manager of a side at Step 6 in the Pyramid and it was a blessed relief to the crowd's ear drums when the referee blew the final whistle and passage into the next round secured. The win also removed any danger of having to enter yet another cup, the dreaded Supplementary Cup.

Bassett survived a couple of close scares early on when they were forced to clear off the line. At the other end, with Scott Ward linking up well with Shaun Terry, Bassett themselves created problems for a Hardwicke defence that had only conceded 3 goals in 11 league games. However, the best chance of the first half fell to the visitors and it took a stunning save from Stewart Thompson in the Bassett goal to keep the scores level. The two defences remained on top for the rest of the half, with Chris Oram in particular looking solid for Bassett, and the two sides turned round at the break with the game goalless.

The deadlock was finally broken on 72 minutes when a fine flowing move involving Tom Richie, Ryan Banks and Scott Ward saw a lay off set Shaun Terry up from six yards out and he finished in style. Despite the visitors throwing caution to the wind in search of the equaliser, Bassett never looked like conceding to extend their unbeaten run (the Floodlit Cup has been written out of history given that we fielded a Reserve Team).

Man of the Match: Chris Oram – solid as a rock from start to finish.

Buildbase F.A. Vase



RWBTFC F.A. Vase Record

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

Half Time Puzzle - courtesy of Kens Quiz Site

BANK & BUILDING SOCIETY LOGOS



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

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

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

Date	Round	Opponents	H/A	Result	Prize Money	
					Winner	Loser
9-Sep-17	First Round Qualifying	v Fairford Town	H		£550	£175
23-Sep-17	Second Round Qualifying	v Codicote	H		£725	£250
21-Oct-17	First Round Proper	v Amphill Town	H		£825	£275
11-Nov-17	Second Round Proper	v Horndean	A		£900	£300
2-Dec-17	Third Round Proper	v			£1,125	£375
6-Jan-18	Fourth Round Proper	v			£1,875	£625
3-Feb-18	Fifth Round Proper	v			£2,250	£750
24-Feb-18	Sixth Round Proper	v			£4,125	£1,375
17-Mar-18	Semi-final	v	Two legs		£5,500	£1,750
20-May-18	Final	v	Wembley		£30,000	£20,000
Total Prize Money Won					£2,100	

Results and Tables

Current Season 2017-18

Uhsport Hellenic League Premier Division

Hellenic League Premier Season 2017-18	Abingdon Utd	Ascot United	Binfield	Brackley Town	Bracknell Town	Brimcombe & Thrupp	Burnham	Fairford	Flackwell Heath	Highmoor Ibis	Highw'th Town	Longl'ns	Lydney Town	Oxford City Nomads	Royal W. Bassett	Thatcham Town	Tuffley Rovers	Wantage Town	Windsor	Woodley Utd
Abingdon Utd		4-0	0-3	1-1				2-3	1-0	0-1						1-8	1-1		0-4	3-0
Ascot United				1-2	2-0		2-0			2-3	2-6				1-0			2-2	1-3	1-3
Binfield		3-1								2-2										
Brackley Town		2-2									0-1				2-2					3-1
Bracknell Town		3-2	2-0	6-1					3-2											
Brimcombe & T				4-1	0-2					1-3		1-0	1-0	2-0	3-0	0-1		1-0	4-4	6-0
Burnham		2-2	0-2	1-4	0-8					3-3	2-6								0-2	1-1
Fairford		4-4	1-2	1-2		2-7			2-6	1-5	2-6	1-2					2-1			0-1
Flackwell Heath		1-0		4-2	1-3		2-1		2-3	6-0	1-3			2-0	4-0					0-0
Highmoor Ibis				2-2	1-2	1-2	0-1								0-3					
Highw'orth Town													5-1		3-2			3-0		
Longlevens				4-3	1-1	1-1				1-6				3-5					0-2	
Lydney Town					1-2	2-1					2-4	1-1		3-2	1-1					1-0
Oxford City Nom	3-1			2-2	1-5							5-1				1-2			2-5	4-0
Royal W Bassett				1-0	1-3		3-1						1-0	0-5		0-3			1-1	
Thatcham Town	1-0	3-1	0-0		3-0			5-1	3-3	2-1	1-2									3-0
Tuffley Rovers				3-3		3-1		1-1	1-2		0-4	0-1	2-1		0-2					1-0
Wantage Town	5-0		2-0		3-2	3-1	5-0				1-3		1-2			2-1				4-0
Windsor		3-0						1-1		3-1		0-3		3-0	0-1					
Woodley Utd			3-2	2-1					0-1	0-0						1-1				

2017-2018 Season

UHLSPORT Hellenic League Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Highw'orth Town	13	13	0	0	51	14	39
2 Flackwell Heath	16	11	2	3	39	20	35
3 Bracknell Town	15	11	1	3	45	18	34
4 Thatcham Town	15	10	3	2	37	13	33
5 Wantage Town	15	10	1	4	35	16	31
6 Brimcombe & Thrupp	16	9	2	5	31	22	29
7 Windsor	13	6	3	4	27	17	21
8 Royal Wootton Bassett	15	6	3	6	18	26	21
9 Binfield	12	5	4	3	21	19	19
10 Longlevens	14	5	4	5	25	29	19
11 Brackley Town Saints	15	4	5	6	32	29	17
12 Oxford City Nomads	15	5	1	9	30	35	16
13 Woodley United	15	4	4	7	11	28	16
14 Lydney Town	12	4	2	6	15	21	14
15 Tuffley Rovers	14	3	5	6	16	24	14
16 Abingdon United	16	3	4	9	20	37	13
17 Highmoor Ibis	14	2	4	8	19	33	10
18 Ascot United	15	3	1	11	19	37	10
19 Burnham	15	2	3	10	16	44	9
20 Fairford Town	15	1	4	10	20	45	7

From The Ladies Section

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

Date	Opponents	H/A	Competition	Result	Scorers
3-Sep-17	AFC Bournemouth	H	FA Cup	L 2 - 5	Gammon, Huckin
10-Sep-17	St Nicholas Res	A	SWWFL	W 4 - 3	Huckin, Gammon, Levett, Rich
17-Sep-17	Swindon Spitfires	H	SWWFL	W 9 - 3	Levett 3, Westlake 3, Huckin 2, Jefferies
24-Sep-17	Cheltenham Civil Service	A	SWWFL	W 1 - 0	Gammon
1-Oct-17	Market Lavington & Easterton Utd	A	Wilts Cup	W 21 - 0	Gammon 5, Westlake 4, Jefferies 3, Wood Bridger 2, Dent 2, Baker, Moores, Sykes, OG
8-Oct-17	Almondsbury	H	SWWFL	W 4 - 2	Gammon 3, Sykes
22-Oct-17	Team Mendip	A	SWWFL	W 5 - 1	Westlake 3, Jefferies, Rich
29-Oct-17	Oldland Abbotonians	H	SWWFL		
5-Nov-17	FC Chippenham	A	SWWFL		
12-Nov-17	Frome Town Ladies	H	SWWFL		
26-Nov-17	Portishead Town	H	SWWFL		
3-Dec-17	Portishead Town	A	SWWFL		
10-Dec-17	St Nicholas Res	H	SWWFL		
7-Jan-18	Swindon Spitfires	A	SWWFL		
14-Jan-18	Cheltenham Civil Service	H	SWWFL		
21-Jan-18	Swindon Town Dev	A	SWWFL		
28-Jan-18	Almondsbury	A	SWWFL		
4-Feb-18	Team Mendip	H	SWWFL		
11-Feb-18	Oldland Abbotonians	A	SWWFL		
18-Feb-18	FC Chippenham	H	SWWFL		
25-Feb-18	Frome Town Ladies	A	SWWFL		
4-Mar-18	Cheltenham Town Dev	H	SWWFL		
11-Mar-18	Swindon Town Dev	H	SWWFL		
18-Nov-18	Cheltenham Town Dev	A	SWWFL		

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

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Wootton Bassett Town Ladies First	5	5	0	0	23	9	15
2 Almondsbury Women First	6	4	1	1	20	10	13
3 Portishead Ladies First	4	4	0	0	16	3	12
4 Fc Chippenham Youth Ladies First	3	3	0	0	5	1	9
5 Swindon Spitfires FC Womens 1st	5	3	0	2	15	16	9
6 Team Mendip Ladies First	7	3	0	4	13	19	9
7 Swindon Town Ladies (Sun) Development	4	2	2	0	14	6	8
8 Cheltenham Town Ladies Development	5	1	1	3	7	15	4
9 Cheltenham Civil Service Ladies First	6	1	0	5	9	15	3
10 St Nicholas Ladies Reserves	5	0	2	3	6	12	2
11 Oldland Abbotonians Ladies First	5	0	2	3	6	18	2
12 Frome Town Ladies (WOMEN) First	5	0	0	5	4	14	0

From The Ladies Section

Five-star Ladies maintain perfect start

Sunday 22 October 2017 - by *Stuart Smedley*

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Ladies moved two points clear at the top of the South West Women's League Eastern Division courtesy of an emphatic 5-1 victory away against Team Mendip.

In testing conditions on a sticky pitch, a hat trick from Beth Westlake helped pave the way for a win that maintains their perfect start to their league campaign.

In their inaugural campaign playing in the sixth tier of women's football, Becky Gammon's side have triumphed in their opening five league fixtures, racking up 23 goals - making them by some distance the division's most potent attacking side - and conceding just nine.

Though the goals have been spread around the team, Westlake's three-timer make her the team's leading scorer in the league with six for the season so far.

She was backed up against Team Mendip by Laura Jefferies, who scored directly from a corner, and fellow summer signing Michelle Rich, who struck a sumptuous volley.



Premier Division Statistics

Uhsport Hellenic League Premier Division Season 2017-18 - Alltime Record in Hellenic League Premier Division															
	PL	First	Total							Win	Draw	Lost	Avg Pts	Avg	Avg
	Seasons	Season	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Ratio	Ratio	Ratio	Ratio	Goals F	Goals A
Abingdon United	32	1977-78	1,094	460	211	423	1,772	1,666	1,562	42.0%	19.3%	38.7%	1.43	1.6	1.5
Ascot United	9	2009-10	323	141	60	122	634	546	483	43.7%	18.6%	37.8%	1.50	2.0	1.7
Binfield	9	2009-10	320	172	51	97	689	444	567	53.8%	15.9%	30.3%	1.77	2.2	1.4
Brackley Town Saints	3	2015-16	87	24	14	49	142	216	86	27.6%	16.1%	56.3%	0.99	1.6	2.5
Bracknell Town	7	2010-11	245	101	38	106	457	470	341	41.2%	15.5%	43.3%	1.39	1.9	1.9
Brimacombe & Thrupp	5	2013-14	164	80	20	64	325	283	260	48.8%	12.2%	39.0%	1.59	2.0	1.7
Burnham	10	1973-74	311	158	66	87	580	451	526	50.8%	21.2%	28.0%	1.69	1.9	1.5
Fairford Town	39	1972-73	1,349	477	313	559	1,973	2,155	1,658	35.4%	23.2%	41.4%	1.23	1.5	1.6
Flackwell Heath	16	1977-78	554	289	101	164	1,177	751	914	52.2%	18.2%	29.6%	1.65	2.1	1.4
Highmoor-Ibis	6	2012-13	198	90	34	74	373	333	303	45.5%	17.2%	37.4%	1.53	1.9	1.7
Highworth Town	24	1994-95	891	424	151	316	1,714	1,363	1,420	47.6%	16.9%	35.5%	1.59	1.9	1.5
Longlevens AFC	3	2015-16	86	34	9	43	156	182	111	39.5%	10.5%	50.0%	1.29	1.8	2.1
Lydney Town	4	2007-08	126	52	24	50	203	222	180	41.3%	19.0%	39.7%	1.43	1.6	1.8
Oxford City Nomads	9	2009-10	323	146	46	131	679	620	481	45.2%	14.2%	40.6%	1.49	2.1	1.9
Royal Wootton Bassett	11	2000-01	409	123	82	204	507	766	448	30.1%	20.0%	49.9%	1.10	1.2	1.9
Thatcham Town	17	1953-54	539	207	95	237	997	1,147	626	38.4%	17.6%	44.0%	1.16	1.8	2.1
Tuffley Rovers	16	1993-94	528	214	114	200	848	794	756	40.5%	21.6%	37.9%	1.43	1.6	1.5
Wantage Town	43	1956-57	1,481	550	274	657	2,393	2,769	1,761	37.1%	18.5%	44.4%	1.19	1.6	1.9
Windsor	1	2017-18	13	6	3	4	27	17	21	46.2%	23.1%	30.8%	1.62	2.1	1.3
Woodley United	1	2017-18	15	4	4	7	11	28	16	26.7%	26.7%	46.7%	1.07	0.7	1.9

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

Most seasons in the Premier Division	Wantage Town	43
Least seasons in Premier Division	Windsor / Woodley United	1
Most points in the Premier Division	Wantage Town	1,761
Highest average points in Prem. Division	Binfield	1.77
Lowest average points in Prem. Division	Brackley Town Saints	0.99
Most goals scored in Prem. Division	Wantage Town	2,393
Highest average goals for in Prem. Div.	Binfield	2.2
Lowest average goals for in Prem. Div.	Woodley United	0.7
Lowest average goals conceded in Prem.	Windsor	1.3
Highest average goals conceded	Brackley Town Saints	2.5
Most goals conceded in Prem. Div.	Wantage Town	2,769
Best win ratio in Premier Division	Binfield	53.8%
Worst win ratio in Premier Division	Woodley United	26.7%



Division One West & East

2017-2018 Season

UHLSPORT Hellenic League Division One West

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Ardley United	10	10	0	0	42	6	30
2 Easington Sports	11	6	1	4	27	12	19
3 Shrivenham	9	5	1	3	21	11	16
4 Kidlington Reserves	9	5	1	3	21	12	16
5 Cheltenham Saracens	9	4	3	2	19	18	15
6 Letcombe	9	4	3	2	16	15	15
7 Headington Amateurs	9	4	0	5	22	15	12
8 North Leigh United	10	3	3	4	16	16	12
9 Woodstock Town	10	3	3	4	14	22	12
10 Clanfield 85	9	3	2	4	15	12	11
11 Pewsey Vale	8	3	2	3	16	14	11
12 Cirencester Town Dev'	7	3	2	2	14	13	11
13 Shortwood United Res	7	1	1	5	8	17	4
14 New College	7	1	0	6	8	29	3
15 Tytherington Rocks	8	0	0	8	5	52	0

2017-2018 Season

UHLSPORT Hellenic League Division One East

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Bicester Town	10	7	2	1	26	13	23
2 Wallingford Town	11	5	3	3	19	15	18
3 Penn & Tylers Green	7	5	2	0	23	4	17
4 Virginia Water	9	4	4	1	23	10	16
5 Wokingham & Emmbrook	7	4	1	2	17	10	13
6 Holyport	11	4	1	6	25	26	13
7 Sandhurst Town	7	3	3	1	22	8	12
8 Thame Rangers	8	3	2	3	12	18	11
9 Didcot Town Reserves	7	2	4	1	12	6	10
10 Chalfont Wasps	8	3	1	4	17	22	10
11 AFC Aldermaston	6	2	1	3	12	14	7
12 Chinnor	9	1	3	5	9	21	6
13 Milton United	8	1	1	6	8	23	4
14 Henley Town	10	1	0	9	3	38	3

From The Development Side

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

Date	Opponents	H/A	Comp	Result	Scorers
Sat 12-Aug-17	Ludgershall Sports	A	League	L 0 - 3	
Wed 16-Aug-17	Bassett Bulldogs	H	League	W 6 - 1	Withers 3, Rawlins, Coombe, Clark
Sat 19-Aug-17	Westbury United Res	A	League	L 1 - 5	Clark
Tue 22-Aug-17	Marlborough Town	H	League	W 4 - 1	Withers 2, Vivash, Sanderson
Sat 26-Aug-17	Trowbridge Town	A	League	L 0 - 4	
Tue 29-Aug-17	Cricklade Town	H	League	W 4 - 1	Coombe, Stevens, Withers, Sinclair
Sat 02-Sep-17	Corsham Town Res	H	League	W 5 - 1	Withers 2, Sinclair, Murphy, Coombe
Sat 09-Sep-17	Bremhill FC	A	League	W 3 - 2	Yeardeley 2, Staten
Sat 16-Sep-17	Melksham Town Res	H	League	L 3 - 5	Cassidy, Coombe, Stevens
Sat 23-Sep-17	Shrewton United	A	League	L 0 - 5	
Sat 30-Sep-17	Kintbury Rangers	A	League	L 1 - 4	Withers
Sat 07-Oct-17	Devizes Town Res	H	League	W 2 - 1	Clark, Miller
Sat 21-Oct-17	Wroughton	A	League	W 4 - 3	Cassidy 2, Stevens, Marsh
Sat 28-Oct-17	Bassett Bulldogs	A	League		
Sat 11-Nov-17	Malmesbury Vics Dev	A	League		
Sat 18-Nov-17	Bremhill FC	H	Cup		
Sat 25-Nov-17	Kintbury Rangers	H	League		
	Bremhill FC	H	League		
	Corsham Town Res	A	League		
	Cricklade Town	A	League		
	Devizes Town Res	A	League		
	Ludgershall Sports	H	League		
	Malmesbury Vics Dev	H	League		
	Marlborough Town	A	League		
	Melksham Town Res	A	League		
	Pewsey Vale Devel't	A	League		
	Pewsey Vale Devel't	H	League		
	Purton	H	League		
	Purton	A	League		
	Shrewton United	H	League		
	Trowbridge Town	H	League		
	Westbury United Res	H	League		

Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League Premier Division Season 2017-18

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
1 Cricklade Town FC	13	10	1	2	51	19	31
2 Melksham Town FC Res	11	10	0	1	56	15	30
3 Wroughton FC	14	9	2	3	44	25	29
4 Kintbury Rangers FC	10	8	0	2	41	12	24
5 Shrewton United FC	12	7	1	4	39	25	22
6 Westbury United FC Res	11	6	3	2	31	19	21
7 Royal Wootton Bassett Town Dev	13	7	0	6	33	36	21
8 Purton FC #	10	6	1	3	17	15	17
9 Ludgershall Sports FC	12	4	4	4	29	35	16
10 Corsham Town FC Res	11	4	2	5	19	24	14
11 Trowbridge Town FC	13	2	5	6	17	24	11
12 Devizes Town FC Res #	12	3	4	5	11	24	11
13 Marlborough Town FC	12	3	2	7	18	37	11
14 Pewsey Vale FC Dev #	12	2	4	6	15	29	8
15 Malmesbury Victoria FC Dev #	12	2	0	10	15	40	4
16 Bassett Bulldogs FC	11	1	1	9	7	50	4
17 Bremhill FC	11	0	2	9	18	32	2

2 points deducted for postponing games

From the Wilts Senior League

Round-up Week 11 – All Change Again At The Top

After their tremendous efforts in midweek in the Wiltshire Senior Cup, when they nearly caused a surprise against Sydenham's Wessex League Division 1 leaders Laverstock & Ford, leaders Wroughton slipped up in the title race on their return to Corsham Print Wiltshire Senior League action. At home to a Royal Wootton Bassett Town Development side which has up to now been impressive on their own pitch at the Gerard Buxton Ground but struggled on their travels, the leaders were involved in a 7 goal game which saw the visitors from Bassett edge it by the odd goal thanks to strikes from Logan Cassidy (2), Aaron Stevens (pictured above) and Jacob Marsh. Consolation goals for Wroughton coming through Dave Coleman (2) and Craig Bowden. The win lifted Bassett one place in the table above Purton whose game with Shrewton was postponed. Wroughton slipped to 3rd due to results elsewhere.

Cricklade Town took advantage of the Wroughton defeat to move back top of the table courtesy of a 3-2 home win over one of the other title contenders Kintbury Rangers. The win came about despite Cricklade being reduced to 10 men. Charlie Allsop put Kintbury ahead on 6 minutes before Cricklade scored twice to take the lead. An equaliser from Liam Thorne on 65 minutes for Kintbury and with the home side having gone a man down the visitors must have been hopeful of all three points. However, it was the home side who scored the winner to move back top of the table. Cricklade's goals came from Jamie Sheppard (2) and top scorer Devan Bryan.

Melksham Town Reserves moved up into second place with an impressive 6-1 win away at Trowbridge. In Rhys Talmarsh they seem to have found a ready-made replacement for Callum Demkiv as the Under 18 striker hit 4 goals in the win over Trowbridge. The other Melksham goals came from Tom Jones and Emilio Menghini, Sean Horobin with the consolation goal for Trowbridge.

After their midweek heroics in the Wiltshire Senior Cup, bottom of the table Bremhill had been hoping to secure that first elusive league win of the season. Despite scoring three through Alfie Presley (2) and Kyle Pogue-Elms, the home side Ludgershall hit six of their own to take the points and move up to 9th place in the table.

Goals from Adam Mitchell and Aaron Mason gave Corsham Town Reserves the points away at Pewsey Vale Development. The win lifted Corsham up into 10th place in the table.

In the other league game played Marlborough Town returned from their trip to Devizes Town with all three points following a 3-0 win thanks to goals from Aaron Presley, Christopher Deane and Harry Etheridge.

In the Fountain Trophies Senior Cup Westbury United Reserves progressed to the Second Round following a 2-1 home win over Malmesbury Victoria Development.

League Results

Cricklade Town 3 Kintbury Rangers 2
 Devizes Town Reserves 0 Marlborough Town 3
 Ludgershall Sports 6 Bremhill 3
 Pewsey Vale Development 1 Corsham Town Reserves 2
 Trowbridge Town 1 Melksham Town Reserves 6
 Wroughton 3 Royal Wootton Bassett Town 4



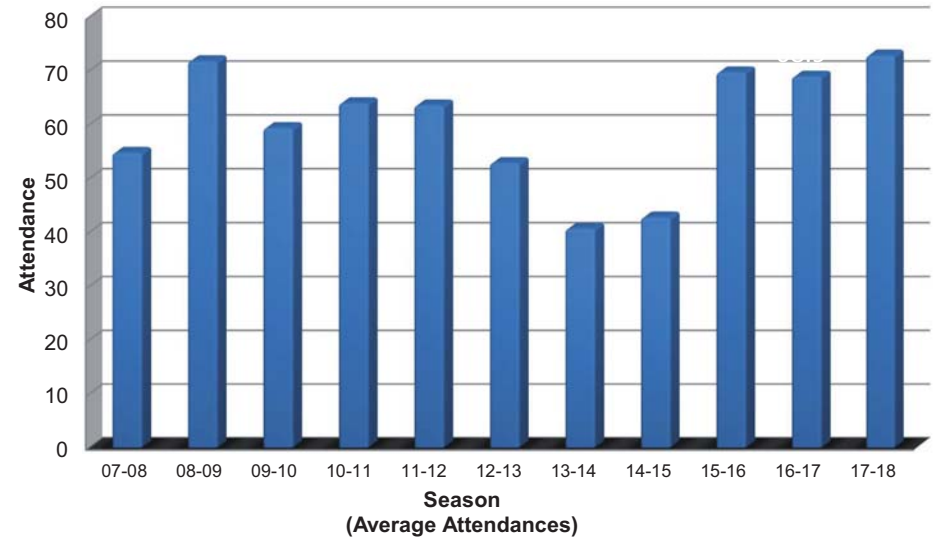
Fountain Trophies Cup Results

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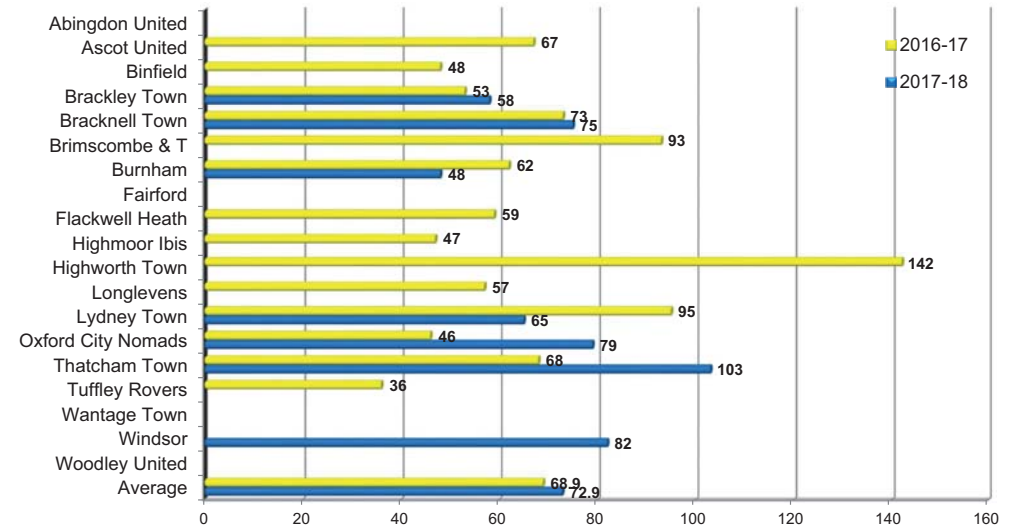
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RWBTFC Attendances

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



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



RWBTFC Hellenic League Record

Half Time Puzzle Answers

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

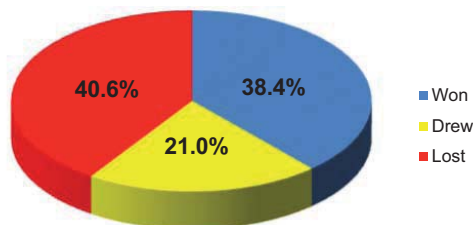
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Season	Div	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Agst	Pts	Position	Manager	Top Scorer										
1988/89	1	28	11	7	10	50	41	40	5 out of 15	Mick Woolford	Damon York										
1989/90	1	30	13	8	9	52	35	47	7 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York 25										
1990/91	1	30	11	8	11	32	36	41	8 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Damon York										
1991/92	1	32	10	8	14	45	59	38	12 out of 17	Mick Woolford	Not known										
1992/93	1	30	8	6	16	40	53	30	12 out of 16	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent										
1993/94	1	34	15	8	11	65	57	53	9 out of 18	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent										
1994/95	1	38	18	5	15	67	68	59	9 out of 20	Mick Woolford	Scott Vincent/Darren Jell										
1995/96	1	34	12	9	13	50	64	45	10 out of 18	Kevin Maloney	Scott Vincent										
1996/97	1	32	9	8	15	37	50	35	11 out of 17	Kevin Maloney	Ian Curtis/Gary Ashford 8										
1997/98	1	32	12	6	14	67	58	42	10 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart/Peter Dearlove 10										
1998/99	1	32	17	7	8	64	43	58	5 out of 17	Dave Warren	Lee Stoddart 17										
1999/00	1	28	15	7	6	54	32	52	3 out of 15	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart										
2000/01	P	38	14	10	14	54	60	52	13 out of 20	Barry Giles	Lee Stoddart 25										
2001/02	P	42	11	9	22	39	75	42	19 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley	Mark Vaughan 14										
2002/03	P	40	10	10	20	36	70	40	15 out of 21	Pete Yeardeley	Geoff Swatton 9										
2003/04	P	42	11	5	26	38	73	38	16 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley	Geoff Swatton 16										
2004/05	P	42	6	9	27	30	85	27	21 out of 22	Pete Yeardeley /Chris Jones	Matty Bennett 10										
2005/06	1W	34	17	10	7	58	30	61	5 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett 12										
2006/07	1W	34	14	5	15	64	62	47	11 out of 18	Paul Burke	Matty Bennett/Steve Yeardeley 11										
2007/08	1W	34	11	3	20	43	66	36	15 out of 18	Paul Burke	Richie Saunders 12										
2008/09	1W	32	17	9	6	61	31	60	4 out of 17	Dave Turner	Shaun Terry 26										
2009/10	1W	30	20	7	3	74	34	67	2 out of 16	Dave Turner	Sam Collier 22										
2010/11	P	42	13	7	22	55	87	46	15 out of 22	Dave Turner	Sam Collier 26										
2011/12	1W	32	15	7	10	69	47	52	5 out of 17	Dave Turner	Matt Bown 18										
2012/13	1W	30	22	3	5	75	40	69	2 out of 16	Dave Turner	Mark Barnes 32										
2013/14	P	38	11	12	15	60	60	45	14 out of 20	Jeff Roberts	Levi Cox 14										
2014/15	P	38	14	9	15	66	80	51	11 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Dan Bailey 18										
2015/16	P	38	12	5	21	50	86	41	15 out of 20	Paul Braithwaite	Steve Robertson 30										
2016/17	P	34	15	3	16	61	64	45	11 out of 19	P.Braithwaite/R.Hunter	Steve Robertson 27										
2017/18	P	15	6	3	6	18	26	21	8 out of 20	Richard Hunter	S. Collier & S.Packer 8										
Total		1,015	390	213	412	1,574	1,672	1,380		Division 1	Premier Division										
Won:Drew:Lost Ratio			38.4%	21.0%	40.6%																

Division	W	D	L	W	D	L	W	D	L	Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	30.1%	20.0%	49.9%
Premier Division	409	123	82	204	507	766	448			Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	30.1%	20.0%	49.9%
Division 1 West	226	116	44	66	444	310	392			Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	51.3%	19.5%	29.2%
Division 1	380	151	87	142	623	596	540			Won:Drew:Lost Ratio	39.7%	22.9%	37.4%

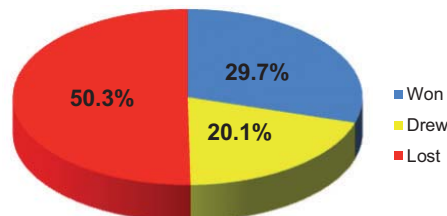
Nickname	Bassett
Record Gate	2,103 v Swindon Town (1991)
Best Gate - 2015/16	204 v Highworth Town
Average Hellenic Attendance 2015/16	69.7 (14/15 = 42.8)
Top Scorer - 2016/17	Steve Robertson - 27 Goals
Record Known Win	16 - 0 v Clyffe Pypard (1933/34)
Record Known Defeat	1 - 16 v Warminster T (3/11/1945)

Most Frequent Results	Games
Draw 1 - 1	108
Lose 0 - 1	86
Win 2 - 1	67
Lose 1 - 2	66
Win 1 - 0	65
Draw 2 - 2	61

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



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



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17 Nottingham BS	18 Bank of Ireland	19 Skipton BS	20 Standard Chartered



RWBTFC - Road to Wembley



RWBTFC F.A. Cup Record

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

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

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

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

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

RWBTFC Hellenic League Record

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

	Pld	Won	Drew	Lost	For	Against	Points	Ratio	
North Leigh Reserves	4	4	0	0	16	6	12	3.00	
Worcester College OB	4	4	0	0	11	2	12	3.00	
The Herd	4	4	0	0	11	3	12	3.00	
Middle Barton	2	2	0	0	5	2	6	3.00	
Watlington Town	4	3	1	0	11	4	10	2.50	
Newbury	4	3	1	0	9	4	10	2.50	
Wokingham & Emmb'rk	4	3	1	0	6	3	10	2.50	
Shrivenham	6	4	2	0	11	5	14	2.33	
Abingdon Town	4	3	0	1	12	4	9	2.25	
Lauton Sports	4	3	0	1	11	3	9	2.25	
Banbury United Reserves	4	3	0	1	14	7	9	2.25	
New College Swindon	4	3	0	1	13	8	9	2.25	
Yarnton	14	10	1	3	32	15	31	2.21	
Bicester Town	10	7	0	3	16	9	21	2.10	
Lefcombe	26	16	5	5	45	30	53	2.04	
Clanfield	38	23	8	7	81	38	77	2.03	
Ross Town	12	7	3	2	26	9	24	2.00	
Brackley T Saints	6	3	3	0	11	5	12	2.00	
Burnham	3	2	0	1	9	4	6	2.00	
Windsor	2	1	1	0	2	1	4	2.00	
Winterbourne United	12	7	2	3	25	23	23	1.92	
Cirencester United	30	16	9	5	70	35	57	1.90	
Easington Sports	36	20	8	8	79	42	68	1.89	
Almondsbury Town	10	5	3	2	12	9	18	1.80	
Tytherington Rocks	14	8	1	5	21	18	25	1.79	
Brimcombe & Thrupp	13	7	2	4	17	14	23	1.77	
Headington Amateurs	24	12	6	6	53	35	42	1.75	
Holyport	4	2	1	1	10	4	7	1.75	
Harrow Hill	10	5	2	3	11	10	17	1.70	
Gloucester United	6	3	1	2	9	8	10	1.67	
Cheltenham Saracens	42	20	8	14	62	63	68	1.62	
Oxford City Nomads	15	7	2	6	30	28	23	1.53	
Hook Norton	12	5	3	4	16	14	18	1.50	
Swindon Supermarine	6	3	0	3	6	5	9	1.50	
Rayners Lane	4	2	0	2	5	5	6	1.50	
Longlevens	4	2	0	2	9	6	6	1.50	
Cirencester Town Dev	2	1	0	1	2	1	3	1.50	
Forest Green Rov Res	2	1	0	1	5	5	3	1.50	
Purton	38	15	10	13	54	48	55	1.45	
Malmesbury Victoria	12	4	5	3	18	14	17	1.42	
Henley Town	10	4	2	4	13	9	14	1.40	
Lambourn Sports	16	6	4	6	25	24	22	1.38	
Thatcham Town	7	3	0	4	8	12	9	1.29	
Cricklade Town	14	5	3	6	21	20	18	1.29	
Bishops Cleeve	24	8	6	10	39	48	30	1.25	
Carterton Town	24	8	6	10	35	37	30	1.25	
Trowbridge Town	12	4	3	5	33	22	15	1.25	
Viking Sports	4	1	2	1	5	3	5	1.25	
Highmoor Ibis	9	3	2	4	13	21	11	1.22	
Chipping Norton Town	14	4	5	5	20	22	17	1.21	
Pegasus Juniors	22	7	5	10	32	42	26	1.18	
Reading Town	6	2	1	3	13	13	7	1.17	
Abingdon United	16	4	6	6	21	28	18	1.13	
Ascot United	10	3	2	5	14	18	11	1.10	
Shortwood United	12	4	1	7	17	24	13	1.08	
Old Woodstock Town	14	4	3	7	23	23	15	1.07	
Kidlington	32	9	7	16	45	64	34	1.06	
Highworth Town	33	11	2	20	42	69	35	1.06	
Tuffley Rovers	19	4	8	7	25	34	20	1.05	
Milton United	20	5	5	10	26	48	20	1.00	
Didcot Town	14	4	2	8	17	30	14	1.00	
Cirencester Town	6	1	3	2	7	8	6	1.00	
Cheltenham Town Res	4	1	1	2	6	8	4	1.00	
Lydney Town	16	4	3	9	24	27	15	0.94	
Fairford Town	14	3	4	7	12	27	13	0.93	
Wallingford Town	12	3	2	7	17	28	11	0.92	
Yate Town	6	1	2	3	6	12	5	0.83	
Pewsey Vale	14	2	5	7	16	22	11	0.79	
Witney United	4	1	0	3	5	8	3	0.75	
Hungerford Town	4	1	0	3	5	13	3	0.75	
Ardley United	26	4	7	15	28	55	19	0.73	
Thame United	10	1	4	5	10	18	7	0.70	
Wantage Town	18	4	0	14	18	43	12	0.67	
North Leigh	16	2	4	10	10	37	10	0.63	
Hallen	8	0	5	3	9	18	5	0.63	
Flackwell Heath	11	1	3	7	8	33	6	0.55	
Brackley Town	8	1	1	6	8	21	4	0.50	
Cirencester Academy	6	1	0	5	6	14	3	0.50	
Almondsbury Picksons	2	0	1	1	2	3	1	0.50	
Bracknell Town	11	1	2	8	7	33	5	0.45	
Binfield	10	1	1	8	8	29	4	0.40	
Slimbridge	8	1	0	7	4	17	3	0.38	
Southall Town	6	0	1	5	2	16	1	0.17	
Endsleigh	2	0	0	2	2	5	0	0.00	
Hardwicke	2	0	0	2	0	3	0	0.00	
Wollen Sports	2	0	0	2	1	6	0	0.00	
Woodley United	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	
Cinderford Town	2	0	0	2	0	6	0	0.00	
		1,015	390	213	412	1,574	1,670	1,383	1.36



View From the Local Press

Local football as reported by the

Swindon Advertiser

Saturday 21st October

ROYAL Wootton Bassett Town were forced to come from behind before eventually claiming a 2-1 victory in their FA Vase clash against Ampthill Town. Rich Hunter's Hellenic League Premier Division side were hit on the counter early on as Sam Holmes signed off a sweeping move by the visitors. Although they trailed at the break, Bassett were level soon after the restart as Sam Collier was on hand to finish the job when Ampthill failed to deal with Gio Wrona's corner. With the game drawing to a close, Bassett were given a golden opportunity to get their noses in front when Rory Sproule was fouled by the visiting keeper. The experienced Steve Yearly stepped up and showed no worries from the spot to seal a narrow win.

Manager Hunter was particularly pleased with the character shown by his side to come back from a goal down to pinch a win.

"It was a really good win and it was difficult conditions for both sides with the heavy wind," he said.

"In the first half, we were against the wind, which was difficult. We had to defend a lot at times and we struggled to clear our lines.

"Other than that, I thought we had the majority of possession. We created a lot of chances and just couldn't convert any of them.

"Ampthill got a breakaway goal after a long ball cleared the whole of the back four and a quick striker raced in to score.

"In the second half, they were pinned in. They couldn't get out and we were able to dominate the game."

Highworth Town were also in Vase action but they were unable to progress as they were beaten 3-1 at home by Sholing. The Worthians played out a goalless first 45 minutes before TJ Cuthbertson drilled home from 25 yards to give the visitors the lead. Just under 10 minutes later, Highworth were further behind as Daniel Mason rolled home before Lee Wort added his name to the scoresheet with 15 minutes to play. Both teams were then reduced to 10 men as the Worthians' Ross Adams and Sholing's Pete Castle saw red after the game boiled over before Callum Parsons popped up with nothing more than a consolation goal deep into injury time.

Jody Bevan had a birthday to forget as his Fairford Town side slumped to the foot of the Hellenic League Premier Division table following a 1-0 home defeat to Woodley United.

Meanwhile, in Division One West, Shrivenham claimed a 4-2 home victory over Pewsey Vale. Josh Fowler chipped in with the perfect hat-trick for the hosts, while Rob Lincoln added a fourth for Gareth Davies' men.

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First Round		
Ardley United	1 - 4	Bicester Town
Burnham	2 - 3	Holyport
Cheltenham Saracens	1 - 4	Cirencester Town Development
Clanfield	2 - 1	North Leigh
Didcot Town	8 - 2	Abingdon Town
Henley Town (4 - 3 pens)	3 - 3	AFC Aldermaston
Kidlington	3 - 0	Carterton
New College Swindon	1 - 3	Bishops Cleeve Dev
Shortwood United	4 - 5	Pewsey Vale
Shrivenham	1 - 4	Oxford City Nomads
Thame Rangers	5 - 1	Sandhurst Town
Tytherington Rocks	v	Easington Sports
Virginia Water	3 - 1	Milton United
Wallingford Town	1 - 0	Chinnor
Second Round		
Abingdon United	v	Brimscombe & Thrupp
Binfield	v	Ascot United
Brackley Town Saints	v	Wantage Town
Cirencester Town Development	v	Bishops Cleeve Dev
Clanfield 85	v	Tuffley Rovers
Didcot Town Res	v	Bicester Town
Flackwell Heath	v	Lydney Town
Highmoor Ibis	v	Bracknell Town
Highworth Town	v	Wallingford Town
Holyport	v	Virginia Water
Longlevens	v	Fairford Town
Oxford City Nomads	v	Henley Town
Pewsey Vale	v	Thatcham Town
Royal Wootton Bassett Town	v	Kidlington Reserves
Thame Rangers	v	Tytherington or Easington Spts
Woodley United	v	Windsor
Third Round		
Quarter Finals		
Semi Finals		
Final		

Floodlit Cup - Winners

1994-95	Cinderford Town
1995-96	Bicester Town
1996-97	Abingdon United
1997-98	Swindon Supermarine
1998-99	Tuffley Rovers
1999-00	Swindon Supermarine
2000-01	Swindon Supermarine
2001-02	Fairford Town
2002-03	Tuffley Rovers
2003-04	Slimbridge
2004-05	Almondsbury Town
2005-06	Slimbridge
2006-07	Wantage Town
2007-08	Kidlington
2008-09	Marlow United
2009-10	Shortwood United
2010-11	Holyport
2011-12	Binfield
2012-13	Ardley United
2013-14	Brimscombe & Thrupp
2014-15	North Leigh
2015-16	Ascot United
2016-17	Lydney United



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By Alex Narey

Everybody loves the FA Cup, don't they? Well, try telling that to Gary Strodder, who probably has a slightly different view of English football's most cherished piece of silverware following events at The Hawthorns on January 5, 1991.

Strodder, a tough-tackling and no-nonsense centre-half built in the old-school mode, was marshalling the West Bromwich Albion defence on a day when an unknown part-time 'cricketer' from Gibraltar was busy writing his name into FA Cup folklore.

With Woking of the old Diadora League losing 1-0 at half-time in their third round tie at the

Baggies, a stunning second-half hat-trick from Tim Buzaglo left the home side on the ropes before Terry Worsfold added a fourth to wrap up one of the Cup's most famous wins. To this day, almost 27 years on, Strodder, a man who made over 500 appearances in the Football League, will be trying to piece together just how it happened. On such a result are legacies built. Brian Talbot, the Baggies boss, probably doesn't care much for the Cup either (despite winning it with Arsenal). He was sacked within 24 hours of the defeat...

Leeds United legend Johnny Giles made no secret of his dislike for the FA Cup 'underdog'. There was no romance! Smaller teams were only out to damage reputations. Players had to live with it, and were fearful of being part of the horror story. Forget the good times before; an early cup exit to a minnow would haunt you for the rest of your days. A top-class, pampered footballer being made to look utterly foolish by the local postman? No thanks!

Upsets are what we cling onto in the cup, and they have long been its unique selling point. But should we be so surprised. There are 20 ties in the looming first round where Non-League sides will be looking for that Football League scalp.

Of those, not one would jump out at me should it come off. It's not because the gulf between Non-League and League clubs has become smaller, but rather because football, for all the money that is thrown at it towards the very top tier, remains the most level of sporting playing fields within the bounds of the pitch.

In other sports there are many determining factors: a playing surface will suit one competitor over the other in tennis; certain courses will be set up to favour longer hitters in golf; while pitches made to order for the home team's spinner are common practice in cricket. But in football, it's down to hunger and desire (and skill). Anything can happen. It's why we all love the game and it's why we all love the FA Cup.

Well, maybe not Gary Strodder....



Youth Section Round-up

Sunday 22 October 2017 - by Stuart Smedley

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Under 13 Blue's fantastic start to their North Wilts League Division Two campaign continued as they recorded a thumping 8-3 triumph at home against Wroughton Youth Blue.

They've now recorded five wins from their opening five league games and sit six points clear at the top of the table, though second place side Ashton Keynes Youth are also yet to drop a point.

Their game was only one of four to take place involving Bassett teams this weekend due to the half term holidays.

There was a second consecutive narrow defeat for the Under 13 Yellows who were edged out 1-0 by high-flying Liden Community. Three of their four league defeats so far this season have been by a single goal, and, after another battling display, no doubt a first win will soon be in the offing for them.

Elsewhere, the Under 18 Yellow and Under 16 Blue teams both suffered heavy defeats.

Joe Mitchell got a consolation goal for the elder of the two sides in their 8-1 loss away at Ashton Keynes. The Under 16 Blues, meanwhile, were beaten 8-0 by league leaders Shrivensham and Watchfield Royals White.

First Team Match Report – Wiltshire Senior Cup

Royal Wootton Bassett Town's superiority may have taken a while to become evident, but it eventually arrived as a three goal second half helped them to a 4-1 victory against Cricklade Town in the opening round of this year's Wiltshire Senior Cup.

The Wiltshire League Premier Division high-flyers would have been sensing the potential to cause an upset when they took their hosts into the break with the game tied at 1-1.

However, Bassett struck early in the second half through Adam Corcoran, with further goals from Gio Wrona and Aaron Maximen making it a routine victory in the end.

Rich Hunter's team got the fantastic start they craved when Sam Collier fired them in front after just eight minutes, shooting in off the post from ten yards after Harvey Scholes set the ball back to him.

However, Cricklade - boasting a number of players arguably good enough to be playing at Hellenic League level - equalised with the interval looming as Dan Lawrence was unable to keep out Devon Bryan's curling strike from the edge of the area.

Bassett quickly regained the advantage after the restart though as Gio Wrona swung in a low corner, which was deflected into the path of defender Adam Corcoran, who poked home from close range.

Wrona extended the lead shortly after the hour, finishing off a fine move with a composed finish from Scholes' square pass.

The tie was then firmly put to bed when substitute Aaron Maximen delivered the fourth with eight minutes remaining. Beating the offside trap, he raced onto a free kick from the deep, rode one tackle and calmly tucked away into the nearside bottom corner.

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The home side's spell of dominance soon told and Hunter's team equalised exactly on the hour mark.

Collier had just been thrown on in place of Robinson, with a midfielder being sacrificed for a third striker, and the change paid immediate dividends. Wrona's low corner wasn't cleared, resulting in a brief spell of pinball in the box, and the ball fell to Collier who, with his first touch, fired home.

The game was now clearly Bassett's to lose, and they should have pulled ahead shortly after restoring parity.

Sproule was unlucky when his far post header from another Wrona corner struck the bar before going over, but his strike partner Collier was left holding his head in his hands minutes later.

Kieran Diaz-Benitez, who had an outstanding game at right back, set loose Packer with a clipped pass into the right channel, and after confidently beating his man, the Bassett playmaker delivered a perfect low cross into the box. It was set up on a plate for an unmarked Collier, who contrived to skew over from ten yards out with the goal at his mercy.

He can be forgiven that miss, however, given the equaliser he had earlier recorded.

Breathing a sigh of relief, Ampthill briefly sprung into life. Twice they got at Bassett down the right flank, but they could only muster shots from very tight angles. The first from Holmes forced Lawrence to parry and Cheetham to scramble clear, before the second saw Clarke fire into the side netting after Ampthill launched a controversial counter following an injury to Jonny Aitkenhead.

Still, it was Bassett who were controlling proceedings, and Packer narrowly missed the target with a flicked header when Sproule diverted Wrona's corner back across goal.

Eventually though the breakthrough was found. On the edge of his area, Ramsey attempted to head Yeardeley's pass in over the top clear. However, he didn't connect properly and the ball sailed backwards into the path of Sproule. Seizing possession, the forward sought to round Tompkins but was hauled down by the 'keeper.

It was a stonewall penalty and Yeardeley made no mistake, sending the 'keeper the wrong way as he swept the spot kick into the top left corner.

Given an earlier injury to Ampthill's Louie Dillon, there was still plenty of time left in the match. Tiller didn't help his side's cause though when he picked up a second caution for a late lunge on Diaz-Benitez.

Ampthill did have one chance left in them when Lawrence punched Jake O'Neil's free kick only as far as substitute Ben Butler, but the defender's looping header landed on the roof of the net.

That meant victory was Bassett's – and a hard-fought, deserved one it was too.

Man of the Match; Kieran Diaz-Benitez – had an excellent game at right back. Throughout the contest he caused the visitors trouble with his dangerous forays forward and good deliveries into the box. Defensively he was solid too, helping bottle up the free-scoring Holmes, who was limited to just a single shot.

From The Press Office

Bassett make Ampthill pay the penalty in Vase triumph

Royal Wootton Bassett Town advanced to the second round of the FA Vase with a come-from-behind 2-1 victory against Ampthill Town.

Gerard Buxton Ground, 21st October 2017

A patient, disciplined display helped Royal Wootton Bassett Town advance to the FA Vase second round for only the second time in their history as they came from behind to defeat testing opponents Ampthill Town 2-1.

On a blustery afternoon, Bassett did supremely well to ensure they went into half time trailing by a single goal.

And, with the wind behind them following the restart, took the game to their Spartan South Midlands League Division One opponents, eventually securing victory courtesy of Sam Collier's poacher's finish on the hour mark and Steve Yeardley's confidently taken penalty with five minutes to go.

Rich Hunter's team dealt with the difficult conditions exceptionally well, and that was evident from a solid first half performance – playing into a ferocious, swirling wind - in which they limited their visitors to just three shots on goal.

Only one of those was taken. In the game 23rd minute a Bassett attack broke down when Kai Robinson's attempted pass into Sam Packer fell short of its target. With men committed forward, Bassett were to be caught on the break, as a long clearance over the top set the prolific Sam Holmes free, and he shrugged off the attentions of Matt Cheetham before burying a low left-footed drive beyond Dan Lawrence.

Four minutes later Ed Skinner blazed over from the left edge of the area after James Tiller's towering, in-swinging free kick was only half cleared.

Ampthill's final opportunity of the half then fell to Brad Clarke, who controlled Holmes' inside pass with his back to goal before sending an acrobatic effort into the arms of Lawrence.

Throughout the period Bassett had been making forays into the visitors' half, and though they only asked a question of 'keeper Ross Tompkins the once before the break, it did almost lead to an equaliser. Following a foul on Antonio Gerrish on the edge of the box, Packer struck a low free kick towards the bottom right corner and the outstretched Ampthill shotstopper did well to get down low and clutch onto the ball.

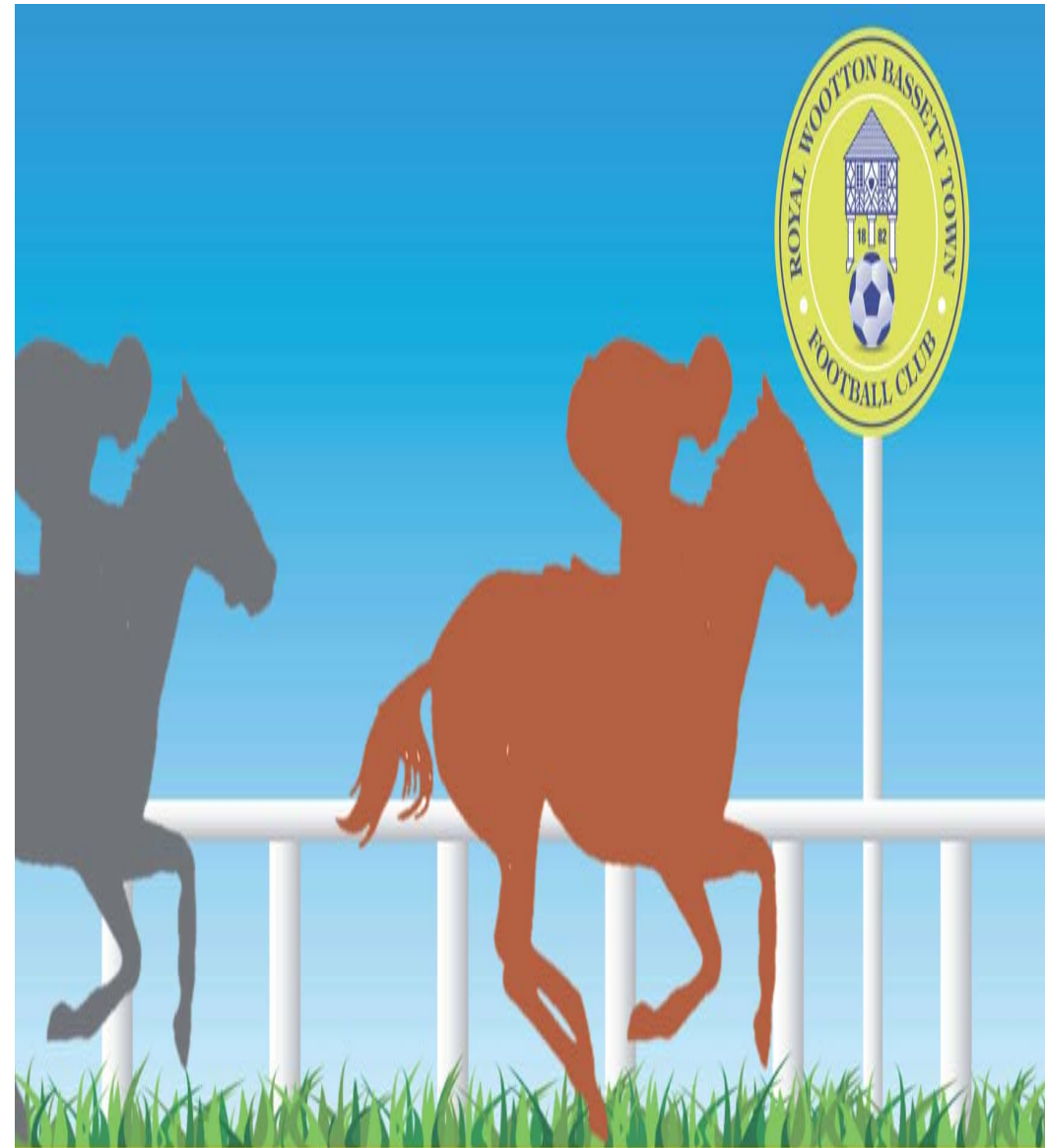
With the wind behind them and the tie still well within their grasp, Bassett emerged for the second half in a confident.

They could have been level less than two minutes after the restart too. Ampthill were guilty of overplaying at the back and Gerrish was able to steal possession from centre half Aaron Ramsey deep inside the box. From a tight angle, the midfielder shot a goal and forced Tompkins to tip wide at the near post.

It helped Bassett that the Bedfordshire side were taking the opposite approach to their hosts when it came to defending the clubhouse end. Sitting very deep, they invited pressure upon themselves, resulting in more chances than they could muster in the preceding 45 minutes.

The always probing Rory Sproule came close on 53 minutes. Controlling a diagonal ball from Adam Corcoran, he arrowed a 15-yard effort across goal, which Tompkins gladly held onto.

Race Night



Royal Wootton Bassett Town F.C. Race Night Fundraiser
Saturday 4th November – 7pm start
Gerard Buxton Sports Ground Clubhouse
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Football Pyramid 2017-18

Bluefin Hellenic Challenge Cup

Step	League/Division					
1	National League (24 clubs) <i>(Vanarama National)</i> Promoted to League Two of The Football League: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff.</i> Relegated to either National League North or National League South: <i>4 clubs.</i>					
2	National League North (22 clubs) <i>(Vanarama National North)</i>			National League South (22 clubs) <i>(Vanarama National South)</i>		
	Promoted to National League: <i>Champions of each division; the winners of a 2nd-5th playoff in each division will also be promoted.</i> Relegated to Step 3 leagues: <i>3 clubs from each division.</i>					
3	Northern Prem. League (24 clubs) <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Premier Division		Southern League (24 clubs) <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Premier Division		Isthmian League (24 clubs) <i>(Ryman League)</i> Premier Division	
	Promoted to National League North or South: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league.</i> Relegated to Step 4 leagues: <i>4 clubs from each league.</i>					
4	Northern Premier League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One North	Northern Premier League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One South	Southern Football League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One Central	Southern Football League <i>(Evo-stick League)</i> Division One South & West	Isthmian League <i>(Ryman League)</i> Division One South	Isthmian League <i>(Ryman League)</i> Division One North
	*All divisions of 22 clubs except Isthmian League divisions which have 24 teams in each Promoted to Step 3 leagues: <i>Champion and winner of 2nd-5th playoff for each league.</i> Relegated to Step 5 leagues determined by NLS Committee: <i>2 clubs from each league.</i>					
5	Combined Counties League Premier Division Eastern Counties League Premier Division Essex Senior League 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					

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

HELLENIC LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP SPONSORED BY BLUEFIN SEASON 2017-18

First Round		
Binfield	1 - 0	Woodley United (aet)
Burnham	0 - 1	Thame Rangers
Chalfont Wasps	-	Oxford City Nomads
Chalvey Sports	3 - 0	Headington Amateurs
Cheltenham Saracens	2 - 1	Woodstock Town
Cirencester Town Dev	0 - 3	Bishops Cleeve Dev
Clanfield	0 - 1	Royal Wootton Bassett Town
Didcot Town Res	4 - 2	Wokingham & Emmbrook
Easington Sports	3 - 0	Newent Town
Fairford Town	2 - 1	Kidlington Res
Henley Town	2 - 3	AFC Aldermaston
Highmoor Ibis	0 - 2	Windsor
Highworth Town	4 - 1	Tytherington Rocks
Holyport	1 - 2	Chinnor
Letcombe (aet)	1 - 2	Bourton Rovers
London Rangers	2 - 12	Abingdon United
Longlevens	2 - 1	Tuffley Rovers
Lydney Town	4 - 0	Faringdon Town
Milton United	1 - 0	Long Crendon
New College Swindon	-	Moreton Rangers
North Leigh	2 - 5	Ardley United
Penn & Tylers Green	2 - 1	Abingdon Town
Pewsey Vale	1 - 0	Carterton
Sandhurst Town	2 - 0	Bicester Town
Shortwood United	3 - 5	Brimmscombe & Thrupp
Shrivenham	2 - 1	Brackley Town Saints
Virginia Water	8 - 1	Aston Clinton
Wallingford Town	0 - 2	Ascot United
Bracknell Town	-	Bye
Flackwell Heath	-	Bye
Thatcham Town	-	Bye
Wantage Town	-	Bye

Second Round		
Abingdon United	-	Brimmscombe & Thrupp
Ardley United	-	Sandhurst Town
Bishops Cleeve Development	-	Ascot United
Bracknell Town	-	Cheltenham Saracens
Chinnor	-	Binfield
Didcot Town Res	-	Bourton Rovers
Fairford Town	-	Royal Wootton Bassett Town
Flackwell Heath	-	Windsor
Milton United	-	Chalvey Sports
New College or Moreton R	-	Chalfont Wasps or Oxford C N
Penn & Tylers Green	-	Easington Sports
Shrivenham	-	Highworth Town
Thame Rangers	-	Lydney Town
Thatcham Town	-	Longlevens
Virginia Water	-	AFC Aldermaston
Wantage Town	-	Pewsey Vale

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



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Chippenham Town recorded back-to-back wins for the first time in the National League South on Saturday as they claimed a 3-1 success away at Bognor Regis Town.

Swindon Town loanee and former Royal Wootton Bassett Town Youth Section player Scott Twine got proceedings under way for Mark Collier's side when he snatched a goal just before the break. Holding a one-

goal advantage at half-time, Chippenham came flying out of the blocks in the second instalment as David Pratt was able to double the visitors' tally. Michael Jones was then on hand to grab Chippenham's third goal before Ibra Sekajja notched a late consolation for the home side in the 85th minute. The win also means Chippenham are now unbeaten in three games, following their goalless draw with Wealdstone at the start of the month, and Tuesday's 7-0 crushing of Shrewton in the Wiltshire Senior Cup.

At Step 4, Swindon Supermarine slumped to a second successive Southern League West defeat. Before last weekend's 3-2 loss to leaders Taunton Town, Webb's troops had yet to taste defeat in the league. However, following some sloppy defending at blustery Wimborne Town, Marine have now lost two in row. Tobias Holmes opened the scoring for the Dorset outfit in the ninth minute before Marine's Jack Alexander turned the ball into his own in the 76th minute. Holmes compounded the visitors' misery three minutes from time as he bagged his second of the match. Elsewhere Salisbury were held to a goalless draw at home to Evesham United.

At Step 5 in the UHlsport Hellenic both Wiltshire sides were involved in FA Vase action. Whilst Royal Wootton Bassett Town were progressing to the 2nd Round courtesy of the 2-1 win over Amptill Town, league leaders Highworth were losing 3-1 at home against Wessex League side Sholing. Not only did they lose but Highworth also had Ross Adams sent off which will lead to a suspension and could endange Highworth's fantastic 100% record.

In the Western league both Bradford Town and Melksham Town had good wins. Melksham won 1-0 at home to Bridport, whilst Bradford Town won 4-1 at home against Cribbs. Bradford sit 3rd in the table and Melksham Town are in 5th place. At Step 6 it was not a good day for Wiltshire sides in the Western League. Devizes Town lost 3-2 away at Bishops Lydeard, Chippenham Park went down 3-0 at home to Cheddar, whilst Malmesbury Victoria were beaten 4-2 at home by Almondsbury. Calne Town and Warminster Town both secured 1-1 draws, Calne at home to Chard Town and Warminster away at Roman Glass St George.

In the Sysdenham's Wessex league Amesbury Town were beaten 3-1 at home by Team Solent. Downton lost in the FA Vase 4-3 at Wellington. Back in the league Laverstock & Ford were involved in a high scoring game sharing 11 goals with visitors Tadley Calleva, with visitors Tadley edging it 6-5.

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

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

Date	Opponents	H/A	Result	Crowd	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15
Wed 02-Aug	Brackley Town Saints	A	D 2 - 2	53	A.Brown	Hughes	D.Richards	Drewett	Yearley	Cheetham	Wright(1)	Wrona	Gambling (1)	Packer	Cox	Thompson	Bailey	Lance
Sat 05-Aug	Crawley Green (FAC EP)	H	L 1 - 2	89	A.Brown	Hughes	D.Richards	Hawkins	Yearley	Cheetham	Wright	Wrona	Gambling (1)	Packer	Bailey	Thompson	Lance	
Sat 12-Aug	Bracknell Town	H	L 1 - 3	75	Bulman	Stevens	D.Richards	Aitkenhead	Robinson	Cheetham	Thompson	Wrona	Coleman	Packer	Lodge (1)	Rawlins	Bailey	Wright
Tue 15-Aug	Lydney Town	A	D 1 - 1	87	Bulman	Stevens	D.Richards	Jones	Yearley	Cheetham	Wright	Wrona	Coleman	Packer	Lodge	Gambling (1)	Bailey	
Sat 19-Aug	Windsor	H	D 1 - 1	82	Bulman	Stevens	D.Richards	Drewett	Jackson (1)	Thompson	Wright	Wrona	Gambling	Packer	Coleman	Lance	Bailey	
Sat 26-Aug	Thatcham Town	H	L 0 - 3	103	Lawrence	Cheetham	D.Richards	Yearley	Jackson	Robinson	Wright	Wrona	Sproule	Packer	Scholes	Aitkenhead	Gambling	Lodge
Mon 28-Aug	Highworth Town	A	L 2 - 3	171	Lawrence	Aitkenhead	Collier	Yearley	Jackson	Robinson	Wright (1)	Wrona	Sproule	Packer (1)	Scholes	Cheetham	D. Richards	Lodge
Sat 02-Sep	Flackwell Heath	A	L 0 - 4	55	Lawrence	Cheetham	Collier	Yearley	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Wright	Wrona	Sproule	Packer	Scholes	Cox	Stevens	Lodge
Tue 05-Sep	Brackley Town Saints	H	W 1 - 0	58	Lawrence	Cheetham	Collier	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Lodge	Wright	Wrona	Sproule	Packer (1)	Scholes	Gerrish	Stevens	Corcoran
Fri 08-Sep	Fairford Town (FAV 1QR)	H	W 3 - 1	159	Lawrence	Corcoran	Collier (1)	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Wright	Gerrish	Sproule	Packer (1)	Scholes (1)	Yearley	Wrona	Lodge
Wed 13-Sep	Lydney Town	H	W 1 - 0	65	Lawrence	Corcoran	Collier	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Wright	Wrona (1)	Cox	Packer	Scholes	Yearley	Maximen	
Sat 16-Sep	Highmoor Ibis	A	W 3 - 0	56	Lawrence	Cheetham	Yearley (1)	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Gerrish	Wrona	Maximen	Lodge	Scholes (1)	Collier (1)	Withers	
Tue 19-Sep	Tuffley Rovers	A	W 2 - 0	77	Lawrence	Cheetham	Corcoran	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Gerrish	Wrona	Collier (2)	Packer	Scholes	Lodge		
Sat 23-Sep	Codicote (FAV 2QR)	H	W 5 - 0	62	Lawrence	Cheetham	Yearley	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Gerrish	Wrona	Sproule (1)	Packer (4)	Scholes	Lodge	Collier	Wright
Sat 30-Sep	Burnham	H	W 3 - 1	48	Lawrence	Cheetham	Yearley (1)	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Wright	Gerrish	Wrona	Collier (1)	Packer (1)	Scholes	Lodge	Maximen	Corcoran
Tue 03-Oct	Windsor	A	W 1 - 0	102	Lawrence	Cheetham	Corcoran	Jackson	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Gerrish	Wrona	Collier	Packer	Scholes	Lodge (1)	Maximen	Wright
Sat 07-Oct	Clanfield ' 85 (BICC1)	A	W 1 - 0	35	Lawrence	Cheetham	Yearley	Aitkenhead	Diaz-Benitez	Wright	Gerrish	Wrona	Sproule	Lodge	Maximen	Collier (1)	Scholes	Coombe
Sat 14-Oct	Brimscombe & Thrupp	A	L 0 - 3	78	Lawrence	Cheetham	Wright	Aitkenhead	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Gerrish	Wrona	Sproule	Packer	Scholes	Maximen	Lodge	Collier
Wed 18-Oct	Cricklade Town (WSC1)	H	W 4 - 1	35	Lawrence	Corcoran (1)	Yearley	Aitkenhead	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Wright	Wrona (1)	Collier (1)	Packer	Scholes	Maximen (1)	Lodge	Thompson
Sat 21-Oct	Amphill Town (FAV 1)	H	W 2 - 1	62	Lawrence	Cheetham	Yearley (1)	Aitkenhead	Diaz-Benitez	Robinson	Gerrish	Wrona	Sproule	Packer	Corcoran	Collier (1)	Scholes	
Wed 25-Oct	Oxford City Nomads	H	L 0 - 5	79	Lawrence	Cheetham	Yearley	Beeden	Diaz-Benitez	Collier	Gerrish	Wrona	Sproule	Packer	Corcoran	Lodge	Scholes	Jackson
Sat 28-Oct	Fairford Town	H																
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Sat 04-Nov	Longlevens	H																
Wed 08-Nov	Fairford (BICC2)	A																
Sat 11-Nov	Horndean (FAV 2)	A																
Wed 15-Nov	Trowbridge Town (WSC2)	H																
Sat 18-Nov	Wantage Town	A																
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Sat 17-Feb	Longlevens	A																
Sat 24-Feb	Wantage Town	H																
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Sat 24-Mar	Ascot United	H																

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Man of the Match

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