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WELCOME

We would first like to extend a warm welcome to the Players, Officials and supporters of Rushden & Higham United to Stratford Fields for this Spartan South Midlands League Division 1 game.

On behalf of everybody at Buckingham Football Club may I wish our guests and enjoyable afternoon with us and a safe journey home after the game.

SPARTAN SOUTH MIDLANDS DIVISION 1 BUCKINGHAM F.C.

RUSHDEN & HIGHAM UNITED SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8 2024 Kick-off 15:00pm

Buckingham F.C. are family and community club and requests that all spectators respect both the officials and players and refrain from using insulting or abusive language.

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OUR VISITORS



HIGHAM TOWN

The earliest recorded mention of Higham Town Football Club occurred in 1876 when the club was formed following a meeting held at the Griffin Public House in Higham Ferrers.

The club initially competed in the Northamptonshire League during the latter part of the nineteenth century.

The Lankies' golden age was undoubtedly in the 1920s, when they were reformed following the conclusion of the First World War. By this time competing in the Wellingborough & District League, they won the NFA Junior Cup also gaining admittance to the Northants League which they won in their maiden season along with the Northants Senior Cup.

The league title was retained a year later as well as Northamptonshire's premier trophy, The Maunsell Cup. The same season (1921/22) the Lankies enjoyed a long run in the FA Cup culminating with a tie against Football League Chesterfield. More than matching our professional opponents we secured a 4-4 draw at Saltergate before succumbing by a single goal to nil in the replay. The Lankies were also the highest scorers in the FA Cup that season.



THE HIGHAM TOWN SIDE FROM 1922 WHO TOOK CHESTERFIELD TO A REPLAY IN THE FA CUP

In the 1923-24 and 1926-27 seasons the club were league runners up and in 1931 and 1933 they were also Northants Senior Cup runners cup. In 1936 the Maunsell Cup was once again secured with The Lankies defeating Northampton Town in the final.

Our visitors continued

On resumption of the football calendar following the end of the Second World War The Lankies competed in the Rushden & District League where they remained before joining the United Counties League. During the period between 1950-1997 The Lankies finished runners up in the league on no less than seven different occasions.

In 1997 The Lankies finally secured the United Counties League Division One title which was the club's first league title in seventy five years.

RUSHDEN RANGERS

Rushden Rangers were formed as a youth football side in 1978 by Steve Cavender who was inspired by watching local lads playing a jumpers for goalposts game in Melloway Park, Rushden. Steve would hold the position of Rushden Rangers' secretary until 1990.

In the club's heyday it boasted numerous youth sides and two senior sides going on to secure the NFA Lower Junior Cup and the Northants Combination League title.

In 1994 Neil Gant offered the Hayden Road facility to Rushden Rangers which now lay vacant following Rushden Town's merger with Irthlingborough Diamonds and subsequent move to Nene Park.



MERGER

In 2007 the decision was made to merge Higham Town and Rushden Rangers, with the new club playing at Hayden Road in order to preserve their United Counties League status. With

assistance from the Stadia Improvement fund the Hayden Road facility was

brought up to the required standard.

THE MODERN ERA

Since the merger Rushden & Higham United has plied their trade at Step Six, initially in the United Counties League and more recently the Spartan South Midlands Division following a lateral move in 2021.



The club's most famous day since the merger in 2007 came in 2013 when the NFA Junior Cup was secured with victory over Cogenhoe at Northampton Town's Sixfields Stadium.



RYAN COLE used to sneak into Newmarket Town's ground to practice his free-kicks – now the EFL-bound starlet will be trying to break in at Wycombe Wanderers!

The 19-year-old midfielder has been snapped up by the League One highflyers after impressing on a recent trial.

And with Big Ben's New Year chime also signaling the opening of the transfer window for League clubs, you can bet he's not the only one who will be on the move this month.

Gateshead have seen talented midfielder Callum Whelan lured away by Carlisle United – while striker Owen Oseni has been snapped up by SPL outfit St Mirren – and fellow north-east outfit, Spennymoor Town, have seen Isaac Fletcher make the switch to Barrow.

Non-League isn't exactly an untapped resource for talented players but any clubs not operating a strong scouting network throughout the pyramid are certain to be missing out on some gems.

Peterborough United have long been held as the poster club for the model of giving Non-League's finest a chance, but Wycombe are enjoying success of their own.

Top scorer Richard Kone was unearthed at Athletic Newham, Jasper Pattenden one of many success stories from Worthing.

Cole will join the club's development squad initially but his Newmarket Town manager Michael Shinn believes, in time, he can make the grade. He's certainly a determined and resourceful player. As a youngster, Cole used to jump the fence – and remove panels – to slip inside the Jockeys's ground along with fellow youth product Jacob Mingay.

"It's a funny story – as a kid him and Mingay used to break into the football club," Shinn told The NLP.

"I used to find it quite funny because I'd get a phonecall on a Sunday night, 'Coley's broken into the club, can you speak to him?'

"I'd have to say, 'If you want to go in just ask me and I'll give you the code!





Stop breaking into the football club'.

"But they'd be in there practicing free-kicks. Last season and this

season he's scored so many free-kicks I always made the joke it was worth breaking into the football club and me getting grief because it's turning out alright."

Cole was an important part in the Suffolk club's promotion through the Thurlow Nunn Premier play-offs last season and a key figure in the side playing at Step 4 football for the first time.

Blessed with a gorgeous left foot, Shinn says his ability made it easy to deploy him in a number of roles from left back, wing-back, the No.10, a front two and his natural central midfield position.

"When I first came to the club seven-ish years ago, I had a bit more time on my hands and I used to watch all the EJA (Eastern Junior Alliance) games – U13s, 14s, 15s, 16s – and he was somebody who stood out," Shinn said.

"The further he went on - U15s, U16s - you just knew that when got to 16 you were going to put him in because he can do everything really.

"At 16 he was obviously going to make mistakes but we let him make mistakes and grow. He's got better and better.

"For large periods of last season he carried us in games. It was no surprise teams eventually would show an interest.

"I am really pleased he's got his opportunity to go to Wycombe and hopefully he can break in there at some point. It won't happen straightaway, I'm sure, but being around it and improving every day, I've got no doubt he can play in the Football League.

"He can defend, he can score goals, he can get out of tight situations, one-vone he is really good, he's getting stronger and stronger."

Written by Matt Badcock - Courtesy Non League Paper





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ROLL OF HONOUR

NB: Blue indicates won as Buckingham Utd; Black as Buckingham Athletic;

Red as Buckingham FC

South Midlands League Division 1 Champions: 1986, 1991 South Midlands League Division 1 Runners-up: 2005 South Midlands League Division 2 Champions: 2004

South Midlands League O'Brien Butchers Cup Winners: 1991, 1997

South Midlands Floodlight Cup Winner: 1997

South Midlands League Division 1 Cup Runners-up: 2004, 2006 South Midlands League Reserve Division 1 Champions: 1997, 2019 South Midlands League Reserve Division 2 Champions: 1996, 2004 South Midlands League South/East Reserve Division Runners-up: 2016 South Midlands League Reserve Challenge Cup Winners: 1997, 2003 Thames Valley Counties Womens Division 2 Champions: 2018

Thames Valley Women's League Division 3 Runners Up: 2021

Hellenic League Division 1 Runners-up: 1970 Hellenic League Reserve Section Runners-up: 1970 Hellenic League Division 2 North Runners-up: 2022

Hellenic Division 2 Cup Winners: 2022

United Counties League Reserve Division Cup - 2023

Northants Women's and Girls Football League Premier Division Winners: 2023

Northants Women's and Girls Football League Cup Winners: 2023

North Bucks League Premier Division Champions: 1985 North Bucks League Premier Division Cup Winners: 1984 North Bucks League Division 1 Runners-up: 1962, 2018, 2022

North Bucks and District League Division One Shield Winners: 2018

North Bucks Division 1 Cup Winners: 2017 North Bucks League Shield Winners: 1961, 1981

North Bucks League Shield Runners-up: 1959 North Bucks Minor League Runners-up: 1966

North Bucks Minor Cup Runners-up: 1966

Berks & Bucks Intermediate Cup Winners: 2003, 2004 Berks & Bucks Intermediate Cup Runners-up: 2005, 2019

Berks & Bucks Junior Cup Winners: 1965, 2011 Berks & Bucks Youth Cup Runners-up: 1997, 2017

Berks & Bucks Womens Junior Cup Runners-up: 2018, 2019

Berks and Bucks Veterans Cup Runners Up: 2019

Buckingham Senior Charity Cup Winners: 1970, 1972, 2015 Buckingham Senior Charity Cup Runners-up: 2014, 2018

Milton Keynes Sunday League Division 2 Runners Up: 2017, 2023

Milton Keynes Veterans League Division 2 Winners: 2021

Bill Johnson Cup Runners Up: 2017, 2019, 2023

Stantonbury Cup Winners: 1960, 1996, 1997 Elsevier Oxford Youth League Champions: 1998 Elsevier Oxford Youth League Runners-up: 1997

Allied Counties Youth League Champions North: 2003 Allied Counties Youth League Champions Central: 2017 Oxfordshire Youth Under 21s Cup Runners Up: 2022

CLUB HISTORY

Buckingham Football Club is a football club based in Buckingham, Buckinghamshire, England. Formed by a merger of Buckingham Athletic and Buckingham United in 2023, they are currently members of the Spartan South Midlands League Division One and play at Stratford Fields.

The club was first formed in 1933 as **Buckingham Juniors**, but it was three years before a ground was found, allowing the club to enter the Brackley and District League. When they got their ground, it was originally called Timm's Meadow, before later becoming Stratford Fields. In 1939 the club adopted **Buckingham Athletic FC** as its name. It then took the club 27 years to win its first trophy when in 1960–61 they won their first trophy, the North Bucks League Shield.

In 1965 they applied and was accepted to the Hellenic League where they played in Division 1 finishing a creditable mid-table position in their first season but also won the Berks & Bucks FA Junior Cup. Their success continued and in 68/69 was promoted to the Premier Division after finishing Division runners-up.

The late 60's brought about some good success for the whole club with the Youth, Reserve and First teams all picking up trophies with the First winning the Buckinghamshire Senior Cup for the first team.

After a steady decline in fortunes in 78/79 the club returned to the North Bucks League and it wasn't until the mid-80's that further success was achieved

This was the start of a successful period for the club and after winning the North Bucks Premier League title they moved to the South Midlands Division 1 in 1985 winning the league at their first attempt, losing only 3 games throughout the season.

However, success came too quickly, and the ground facilities were not ready for promotion to the Premier Division so they had to remain in Division 1. The following season they were once again knocking on the door of the Premier League as they finished runners-up but a last minute hold up on planning permission once again stalled promotion. However, promotion was achieved the following year when they did the league and cup double andwith correct ground grading in place the club was promoted to the Premier League for the first time.

Throughout the 90's all the teams in the club consistently won trophies

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Club History continued

although the highest the first team achieved in the Premier League was in 97 when they finished 5th.

The late 90's the club struggled financially, and they made a very difficult decision to drop out of the top flight and they were placed back in Division 2. A level of stability was brought about the club and in 2003 they were promoted back to Division 1.

Once again ground grading held the club back as in 2004 they finished runners-up in Division 1 and promotion back to the Premier league was denied.

Since 05/06 a huge amount of work has taken place to upgrade the clubhouse and football facilities but unfortunately success on the field has been sparse.

In 2023 Buckingham Athletic started talks with Buckingham United to bring the two clubs together with the sole purpose of having one senior football team in the town.

Buckingham United FC were formed in 2011 with the sole aim of providing local grassroots football. This began as a single Sunday side playing in Deanshanger due to a lack of local facilities. After the first season the club moved to Tingewick but it was not until 2016 when the club finally moved into Buckingham to the new Lace Hill Sports and Community Centre. The club joined the North Bucks and District League before joining the South Midlands League Division Two in 2019. Here the club grew quickly providing grassroots football across various levels and abilities which peaked with eight teams by 2021, this included Saturday First and Reserves, Sunday League A & B sides, Veterans, Ladies along with an Under 21s and Under 18s.

The club reached many cup finals across the teams including winning the North Bucks and District League Division One shield in 2018. In the final season under Buckingham United the ladies side really gave the club a wonderful finally winning the Northants Premier Division Title and League Cup double.

As a result of many meetings between the clubs, both Buckingham Athletic & Buckingham United formally agreed to pass the motion to combine both clubs, creating Buckingham Football Club, which now has one of the largest offerings of adult football in the region with a structured youth pathway with our strategic partners Moretonville Junior FC.

This is not an end to Buckingham Athletic or Buckingham United, this is very much a continuation in the story of these clubs and football within the town. The history of which won't be forgotten.

The ultimate aim of combining the clubs is to provide the town with a sustainable non-league football club by sharing resources, passionate volunteers, and great sporting facilities. A club with the aim of pushing up the pyramid while also providing structured football for the community, maintaining the fun and enjoyment of the game that everyone loves.

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- Football tragedy Abuse

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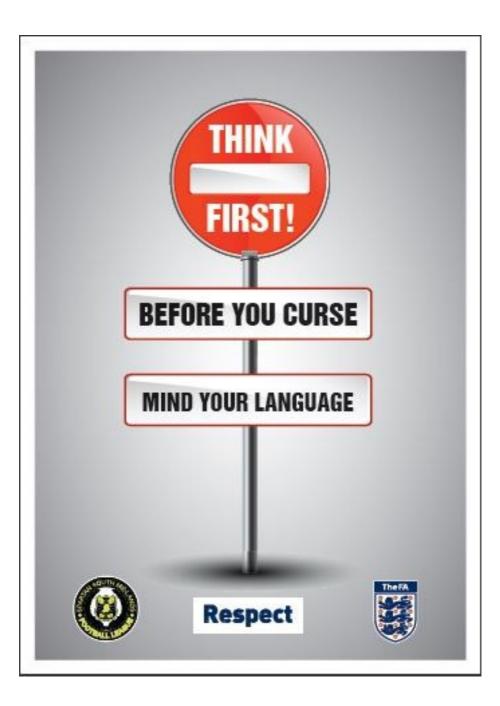






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Don't forget we have a number of other teams representing the club playing at Lace Hill, we will be keeping you in touch with their progress throughout the season.

Please refer to our web site for all up to date fixtures but in general North Bucks League kick off at 14:00 on a Saturday - Sunday teams kick off at 10:30.

NORTH BUCKS & DISTRICT INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE CURRENT STANDINGS, FIXTURES & SCORERS

	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
Olney FC	15	13	0	2	76	17	59	39
Woburn & Wavendon First	12	10	1	1	29	10	19	31
Deanshanger Athletic First	14	9	2	3	55	21	34	29
Silverstone FC Firsts	10	7	1	2	30	16	14	22
Grendon Rangers	11	7	1	3	22	12	10	22
Buckingham FC A	13	6	2	5	27	28	-1	20
Finmere First	14	6	1	7	24	40	-16	19
MK Wanderers First	15	4	4	7	38	31	7	16
Hanslope Res	11	5	1	5	22	29	-7	16
MK Royals Firsts	12	3	2	7	15	24	-9	11
Leighton Woodside Rovers	15	3	2	10	28	40	-12	11
Real MK First	13	3	1	9	14	45	-31	10
Bletchley Scot Res	17	1	0	16	23	90	-67	3

Date	Opponents	Venue	Time	Competition		Resul	lt		Scorers
17-Aug	MK Royals	Н	14:00	League	W	3	-	1	Power (2), Pearson
24-Aug	Grendon Rangers	Н	14:00	League	W	4	-	2	Bridgeman, Bryant, Ogle, Kenny
31-Aug	Woburn & Wavendon	A	14:00	League	L	1	-	5	Huntley
14-Sep	Olney	Н	14:00	League	L	1	-	5	Abreu
21-Sep	Bletchley Scot Reserves	Н	14:00	Cup	W	8	-	0	Power (3), Bryant (2), Ogle, Pearson
28-Sep	Real MK	Α	14:00	League	W	5	-	0	Swarray (2), Kenny, Power, Bridgeman
05-Oct	Woburn & Wavendon	A	14:00	Cup	W	3	-	3	Bryant, Ogle, Power
						5.4			
12-Oct	Finmere	Н	14:00	League	D	0	-	0	
19-Oct	Silverstone FC	Н	14:00	League	L	1	-	2	Bryant
26-Oct	Bletchley Scot Reserves	Н	14:00	League	W	2	-	0	Howarth, Sadler
02-Nov	Grendon Rangers	Н	14:00	Cup	L	1	-	4	Grantham
09-Nov	MK Royals	A	14:00	League	W	4	-	0	Abreu (2), Rowley, Sadler
30-Nov	Deanshanger Athletic	Н	14:00	League	L	1	-	4	Sadler
14-Dec	Deanshanger Athletic	A	14:00	League	L	0	-	5	
18-Jan	Olney	A	14:00	League	W	3	-	2	Harwood, Power, Kenny
25-Jan	MK Wanderers	A	14:00	League	D	2	-	2	Bryant, Kenny
08-Feb	MK Royals	н	14:00	Cup			-		
15-Feb	Real MK	н	14:00	League			_		
01-Mar	Leighton Woodside Rovers	Α	14:00	League					
08-Mar	MK Wanderers	Н	14:00	League					
15-Mar	Woburn & Wavendon	Н	14:00	League					

FROM THE GAFFER

Good afternoon everyone and welcome back to Stratford Fields. Only two home games in the calendar month of February for the first team squad, as always we highlight our home fixtures wirh huge importance and opportunities to take all three points.

We come into this on the back of a superb away win at Letchworth Garden City on Tuesday. That's five games unbeaten in a row away from home, with four wins in there too.



We had to mix the pack, with no fewer than six regulars missing through injury and work commitments. Up stepped a number of our U23 squad to support the group, and in addition Ed Odley made an appearance along with new signing Ash Rai from Aylesbury Utd.

This afternoon we hope to welcome back a few players from injury, including Lochlan, Samir & Dalitso but we may need to conduct some fitness assessments before the team sheet can be finalised. Brandon Green is back with us for now from Aylesbury Utd also and that gives us added steel and depth in the team too.

We are yet to play Rushden & Higham this season, and we meet again mid March. Anyone can beat anyone in this league, so we have to get the basics right and work hard above all else do give ourselves the best chance of continuing our fine run of league form.

Once again to all the committee and supporters for on going support in recent weeks and games, particularly away from home. We hope to repay you today with a good display and all three points here at Stratford Fields. See you in the bar after the game!

FOR ALL YOUR LOCAL SPORTS NEWS

Sports Shots is a website dedicated to sport in the local area. All income generated by the website is donated to charity.

HOW THEY LINE UP

Buckingham F. C.

Sky Blue/Navy JAMIE ADIM TYSON ALUKO

LOCHLAN COLQUHOUN OLAYIWOLA GABRIEL

WESLEY IROEGBU

OWEN JAMES

LLOYD KPAMBER

SAMIR MASAD

RAPHEAL OPPONG NATHAN SKINNER

OLIVER ATKINSON DALITSO CHIBWE

LEWIS HUNTLEY

EDUARD PETRESCU

BEN WATFORD

ASHIS RAI ED ODLEY

GABRIEL ANDREWS

OLLIE HOWARTH

YOUSEF KARIM

Rushden & Higham Utd

Red/Black

JACK GIBSON

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KIAN KING

JACK BLOODWORTH

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BEN PEAKS

ANDRE ELLIOTT

LOUIS MCMAHON

PATRICK BRONYAN

MAX WYNNE

TOBY WILDER

SVEN SARTAIN BRODY GOLDING

REDHA ZEKRI

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COACH: JOE COOPER ASSISTANT: IBRAHIM KWEGYIR

PHYSIO: PHYSIO:

REFEREE: FREDDIE DUTTON

ASSISTANTS: OWEN TEARNEY & STEPHEN QUIRKE

SPARTAN SOUTH MIDLANDS - DIVISION 1

	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
Irchester United	26	16	6	4	66	31	35	54
Moulton	24	17	3	4	64	36	28	54
AFC Welwyn	22	16	4	2	52	17	35	52
Eaton Socon	24	15	4	5	55	34	21	49
Desborough Town	19	15	2	2	73	19	54	47
Ampthill Town	22	12	6	4	31	20	11	42
Wellingborough Whitworth	22	12	2	8	47	39	8	38
Stotfold Reserves	24	11	4	9	49	46	3	37
Cranfield United	21	10	3	8	36	25	11	33
Letchworth Garden City Eagles	25	10	3	12	50	57	-7	33
Buckingham FC	22	9	5	8	30	28	2	32
Rothwell Corinthians	24	7	6	11	34	39	-5	27
Long Buckby AFC	19	7	4	8	42	39	3	25
Leighton Town Reserves	23	7	4	12	36	41	-5	25
Langford	25	6	6	13	38	59	-21	24
Royston Town Reserves	21	5	5	11	25	40	-15	20
Rushden & Higham United	22	5	1	16	26	59	-33	16
Huntingdon Town	22	4	1	17	28	68	-40	13
London Colney	21	3	2	16	16	56	-40	11
Raunds Town	24	3	1	20	23	68	-45	10

UNHLSPORT UNITED COUNTIES - RESERVE DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
Desborough Town Res	17	14	2	1	52	12	40	44
Wellingborough Whitworth Res	15	10	3	2	44	18	26	33
Kempston Rovers Res	15	9	5	1	47	20	27	32
Northampton ON Chenecks Res	17	9	4	4	49	36	13	31
Daventry Town Res	16	9	2	5	50	32	18	29
Irchester United Res	18	9	2	7	45	33	12	29
Moulton Res	20	8	3	9	43	42	1	27
Rothwell Corinthians Res	19	7	4	8	49	39	10	25
Buckingham FC U23'S	16	7	2	7	34	35	-1	23
Bugbrooke St.Michaels Res	13	7	1	5	34	24	10	22
Harborough Town Res	17	6	3	8	33	45	-12	21
Wellingborough Town Dev	18	5	4	9	36	46	-10	19
Godmanchester Rovers Res	16	5	1	10	46	50	-4	16
Winslow United Res	14	2	6	6	25	40	-15	12
G.N.G Oadby Town Dev	16	2	1	13	24	59	-35	6 *
Raunds Town Res	15	0	1	14	12	92	-80	0 *

SPARTAN SOUTH MIDLANDS - DIVISION 1 FIXTURE & SCORER NEWS 2024-25

Date	Opponents	Venue	Time	Competition		Result		Scorers
27-Jul	Letchworth Garden City Eagles	Н	15:00	League	W	3 -	0	Chibwe, Clarkson (pen), Culley
03-Aug	Royston Town Reserves	Α	15:00	League	L	0 -	2	
10-Aug	Eaton Socon	Н	15:00	League	D	0 -	0	
13-Aug	Desborough Town	Н	19:45	League	L	0 -	4	
17-Aug	Ampthill Town	Н	15:00	League	L	0 -	2	
21-Aug	Moulton	A	19:45	League	L	1 -	4	Clarkson
24-Aug	AFC Welwyn	A	15:00	League	L	1 -	2	Masumbuko
31-Aug	Tring Corinthians AFC	Н	15:00	Cup	W	2 -	0	Masad, Clarkson
07-Sep	Huntingdon Town	Н	15:00	League	Α	4 -	1	Masumbuko (2), Grey, Masad
						ndoned		
11-Sep	Long Buckby AFC	A	19:45	Cup	W	3 -	_	Chibwe, Britnell, Masad
21-Sep	Brook House	Н	15:00	FA Vase	L	0 -	-	
05-Oct	Raunds Town	Н	15:00	League	W	2 -	_	Chibwe, Nkata
15-Oct	Arlesey Town	Н	19:45	Cup	L	0 -	-	
19-Oct	AFC Welwyn	Н	15:00	League	D	1 -	1	Howes
26-Oct	London Colney	Н	15:00	League	W	2 -	0	Masad, Iroegbu
29-Oct	Wellingborough Whitworth	Α	19:45	Cup	L		4	James
02-Nov	Langford	Н	15:00	League	W	5 -	1	Howes, Colquhoun, Grey, Iroegbu
09-Nov	London Colney	A	15:00	League	D	0 -	0	
16-Nov	Stotfold Reserves	Α	15:00	League	L	1 -	2	Colquhoun
23-Nov	Long Buckby AFC	Н	15:00	League	W	2 -	1	Grey, Skinner
30-Nov	Huntingdon Town	Α	15:00	League	W	2 -	0	Iroegbu, James
10-Dec	Wellingborough Whitworth	Н	19:45	League	L	1 -	2	Iroegbu
21-Dec	Moulton	Н	15:00	League	L	0 -	2	
28-Dec	Leighton Town Reserves	Α	15:00	League	W	1 -	0	Iroegbu
07-Jan	Cranfield United	Α	19:45	League	W	2 -	0	James (pen), Colquhoun
18-Jan	Rothwell Corinthians	Н	15:00	League	D	1 -	1	Iroegbu
25-Jan	Rothwell Corinthians	Α	15:00	League	D	2 -	2	Iroegbu, Masad
04-Feb	Letchworth Garden City Eagles	Α	19:45	League	W	1 -	3	Iroegbu, Beaman, James (pen)
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22-Mar	Irchester United	Н	15:00	League				
29-Mar	Cranfield United	Н	15:00	League				
01-Apr	Wellingborough Whitworth	Α	19:45	League				
05-Apr	Eaton Socon	Α	15:00	League				
08-Apr	Long Buckby AFC	Α	19:45	League				
12-Apr	Langford	Α	15:00	League				
19-Apr	Leighton Town Reserves	Н	15:00	League				

Please be aware that all games are subject to change and we will always notify you as soon as we know either in the programme or via our social

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UNHLSPORT UNITED COUNTIES - RESERVE DIVISION FIXTURE & SCORER NEWS 2024-25

Date	Opponents	Venue	Time	Competition		Resu	lt		Scorers
17-Aug	Rothwell Corinthians	Α	14:00	League	W	3	- 1		Gabroel, Hayes, Hakim
24-Aug	Harborough Town	н	15:00	Cup	w	5	- 2		Clarke, Gabriel, Hart, Harwood, Towers
27-Aug	Winslow United	Н	19:45	League	L	0	- 4	ļ	
07-Sep	Desborough Town	Α	15:00	League	L	0	- 6	,	
14-Sep	G.N.G. Oadby Town Dev	Н	15:00	League	W	3	- 1		Wright (2), Longo
21-Sep	Raunds Town	Α	15:00	League	W	5	- 1		Gabriel (2), Roberts (2), Wilson
28-Sep	Moulton Reserves	Α	15:00	League	L	0	- 3	1	
12-Oct	Holyport Res	Α	14:00	County Cup	L	0	- 6	,	
22-Oct	Kempston Rovers	Н	19:45	League	L	1	- 2		Towers
02-Nov	Godmanchester Rovers	Α	15:00	League	L	0	- 5	,	
09-Nov	Rothwell Corinthians	Н	15:00	League	W	2	- C)	Davis (2)
12-Nov	Wellinborough Town Dev	Н	19:45	League	w	6	- C)	Lloyd-Roberts (2), Howarth, Davis, Burrows, Longo
16-Nov	Kempston Rovers	Н	15:00	League	L	1	- 5	;	Wilson
23-Nov	Irchester United	Α	15:00	League	W	2	- 1		Grav. Llovd Roberts
30-Nov	Harborough Town	Α	15:00	League	L	0	- 3	,	
03-Dec	Wellingborough Whitworth	Н	19:45	League	D	2	- 2		Gabriel, Hart
14-Dec	Daventry Town	Α	15:00	League	D	2	- 2		Andrews (2)
25-Jan	Desborough Town	Н	15:00	League	L	1	- 2		Gray
01-Feb	Northampton ON Chenecks	Н	15:00	League	L	2	- 4	ļ	Asante, Hart
08-Feb	Bugbrooke St Michaels	Α	14:00	League			-		
15-Feb	Daventry Town	Н	15:00	League			-		
22-Feb	Irchester United	Н	15:00	League			-		
25-Feb	Raunds Town	н	19:45	League			-		
08-Mar	Wellinborough Town Dev	Α	15:00	League			-		
15-Mar	Kempston Rovers	Α	15:00	League			-		
22-Mar	Winslow United	Α	15:00	League			-		
26-Mar	Northampton ON Chenecks	Α	19:45	League			-		
29-Mar	Wellinborough Town Dev	A	15:00	League			-		
05-Apr	Moulton Reserves	Н	15:00	League			-		
12-Apr	Bugbrooke St Michaels	Н	15:00	League			-		
19-Apr	G.N.G. Oadby Town Dev	A	15:00	League			-		
26-Apr	Godmanchester Rovers	Н	15:00	League	\dashv				
03-May	Harborough Town	Н	15:00	League	+				

SOUTHERN COUNTIES - CORINTHIAN LEAGUE CURRENT STANDINGS, FIXTURES & SCORERS

	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	PIS
Bedford Town FC	13	6	4	3	28	22	6	22
Ampthill Town	7	6	1	0	21	5	16	19
Crawley Green Clarets	10	4	3	3	28	24	4	15
Arlesey Town	6	4	0	2	11	7	4	12
Shefford Saints	6	3	2	1	13	7	6	11
Kempston Rovers Academy	4	2	0	2	4	6	-2	6
Cranfield United	6	1	0	5	9	16	-7	3
Biggleswade United	6	0	1	5	9	14	-5	1
Buckingham FC	6	0	1	5	4	26	-22	1

MILTON KEYNES SUNDAY LEAGUE DIVISION 1 CURRENT STANDINGS, FIXTURES & SCORERS

	Р	w	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
St Johns Sports	12	11	1	0	76	19	57	34
Waterhall Stars 2	11	8	2	1	41	23	18	26
Southcott Village Residents	10	8	0	2	57	22	35	24
Club Tropicana Drinks FC First	13	6	2	5	33	49	-16	20
Buckingham FC A	11	5	3	3	44	28	16	18
MK Walton FC Kika	13	4	2	7	23	49	-26	14
Newport Pagnell Town	12	3	1	8	41	48	-7	10
Newton Leys FC s	10	3	0	7	23	38	-15	9
Liscombe Park FC	14	2	2	10	27	56	-29	8
Sporting MK First	12	2	1	9	21	54	-33	7

Date	Opponents	Venue	Time	Competition		Result			Scorers
18-Aug	St Johns Sports	Н	10:30	League	D	3	-	3	Herdman-Smith, Holmes, Dean
25-Aug	Club Tropicana Drinks	Н	10:30	League	W	7	-	0	Cleere (4), Holmes (2), Tompkins
15-Sep	Newton Leys FC	A	10:30	League	W	2	-	1	Cleere
22-Sep	Liscombe Park FC	Н	10:30	League	W	8	-	2	Roberts (3), Herdman- Smith (2), Chappell, Clarke, Drewe
29-Sep	Newport Pagnell Town	A	10:30	League	W	6	-	1	Cleere (4), Herdman-Smith, Smith
13-Oct	Sporting MK	Н	10:30	League	W	6	-	1	Cleere (3), Drewe, Lynham, Pinnock
27-Oct	St Johns Sports	A	10:30	League	L	0	-	1	
03-Nov	Denham United XXII	Н	10:30	County Cup	L	2	-	5	
10-Nov	Buckingham FC B	Н	10:30	Cup	L	2	-	4	King (2)
17-Nov	Southcott Village Residents	H	10:30	League	L	4	-	10	Phillips (3), Ogle
01-Dec	Sporting MK	A	10:30	League	D	3	-	3	Read (2), Collyer
15-Dec	WoughtonFC	Н	10:30	Cup	L	6	-	6	Tattersfield (4), Johnson, Bryant
					L	ost an	Per	s 2-4	
26-Jan	MK Walton FC Kika	Н	10:30	League	D	2	-	2	Williams, Johnson
16-Feb	Newport Pagnell Town	Н	10:30	League			-		
23-Feb	Southcott Village Residents	A	10:30	League			-		
16-Mar	Waterhall Stars	Н	10:30	League			-		
23-Mar	Club Tropicana Drinks	A	10:30	League			-		
30-Mar	Waterhall Stars	A	10:30	League			-		
06-Apr	Newton Leys FC	Н	10:30	League			-		
13-Apr	MK Walton FC Kika	А	10:30	League					

MILTON KEYNES VETERANS LEAGUE DIVISION 2

	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
Chesterton Vets	10	7	2	1	33	15	18	23
Stoke Hammond Vets	11	7	0	4	33	26	7	21
Buckingham FC Vets	9	6	2	1	33	14	19	20
MK Royals Vets	10	5	1	4	29	29	0	16
Hatters Vets	11	4	2	5	40	34	6	14
Tattenhoe Vets Rovers	10	4	1	5	23	38	-15	13
Denton FC Vets	9	3	2	4	18	20	-2	11
Wingrave Vets	10	3	1	6	27	34	-7	10
OB City Vets	9	2	2	5	32	38	-6	8
Open University FC Vets	11	2	1	8	28	48	-20	7

MILTON KEYNES VETERANS LEAGUE DIVISION 2

Date	Opponents	Venue	Time	Competition		Resu	Result		Scorers
08-Sep	Wingrave	н	10:30	League	W	5	-	2	Williams (2), Patterson, Garrard, Farmer
15-Sep	Denton FC	Α	10:30	League	W	2	-	1	O'Connell, Bonsor
29-Sep	Hatters Vets	Н	10:30	League	W	6	-	1	Bonsor (3), Garrard, Rumble
13-Oct	MK Royals	A	10:30	League	L	2	-	3	Nevin, Marsden
27-Oct	Open University	Н	10:30	League	W	7	-	1	Bonsor (3), Nevin (2), Patterson, Garrard
10-Nov	Stoke Hammond	Н	10:30	League	W	5	-	2	Garrard, Rumble, Lowery, LWilliams,
10-1404									Marsden-Carter
17-Nov	Open University	A	10:30	League	W	3	-	1	L Williams, Lowery, O'Callaghan
01-Dec	Northampton Mereway	Н	10:30	Cup	W	2	-	1	Garrard, O'Callaghan
15-Dec	Chesterton	Н	10:30	League	D	0	-	0	
19-Jan	Chesterton	A	10:30	League	D	3	-	3	Berry (2), Horle
26-Jan	Tattenhoe Rangers	A	10:30	Cup	L	2	-	6	Williams, Davis
09-Feb	Hatters Vets	A	10:30	League					
16-Feb	Tattenhoe Rovers	н	10:30	League					
23-Feb	Wingrave	A	10:30	League			-		
02-Mar	Tattenhoe Rovers	A	10:30	League					
16-Mar	Denton FC	н	10:30	League					
23-Mar	Stoke Hammond	A	10:30	League					
06-Apr	OB City	A	10:30	League					

MILTON KEYNES SUNDAY LEAGUE DIVISION 2

	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
DonsAction FC	12	10	2	0	53	21	32	32
Bletchley Scot	14	9	1	4	46	22	24	28
Inter MK	12	8	2	2	45	28	17	26
Grid City Warriors FC	11	7	2	2	67	20	47	23
MK Walton FC All Stars	11	7	2	2	72	31	41	23
Great Linford Avengers	10	5	1	4	49	29	20	16
MB United First	12	3	2	7	23	43	-20	11
Buckingham FC B	10	3	1	6	22	38	-16	10
Stacey Bushes First	10	2	1	7	23	36	-13	7
Woughton FC Woughton	12	2	0	10	31	64	-33	6
Furzton FC First	14	1	0	13	27	126	-99	3

Date	Opponents	Venue	Time	Competition		Result			Scorers
25-Aug	Grid City FC	A	10:30	League	L	1	-	5	Goodgame
01-Sep	MK Walton FC All Stars	Н	10:30	League	L	4	-	5	Dench (2), Janecki (2)
08-Sep	Bletchley Scot	A	10:30	League	L	0	-	6	
15-Sep	Inter MK	Н	10:30	League	D	4	-	4	Dench, Goodgame, Janecki, Patterson
06-Oct	MB United	A	10:30	League	L	1	-	3	Hawes
13-Oct	Great Linford Avengers	н	10:30	League	W	3	-	2	Booden (2), Wickham
20-Oct	Bletchley Scot	н	10:30	League	L	1	-	7	Woodwards
03-Nov	Furzton	A	10:30	League	W	5	-	2	Dench (3), Booden (2)
10-Nov	Buckingham FC A	Н	10:30	Cup	W	4	-	2	Woodwards (2), Crowe, Janecki
22-Dec	MB United	Н	10:30	League	W	3	-	1	Dench (2), Woodwards
19-Jan	St Johns Sports	A	10:30	Cup	L	0	-	2	
26-Jan	Dons Action FC	A	10:30	League	L	0	-	3	
09-Feb	Stacey Bushes	A	10:30	League			-		
23-Feb	Furzton	Н	10:30	League			-		
02-Mar	Woughton FC	Н	10:30	League					
09-Mar	Dons Action FC	Н	10:30	League					
16-Mar	Great Linford Avengers	A	10:03	League					
23-Mar	Stacey Bushes	н	10:30	League					
30-Mar	Grid City FC	Н	10:30	League			-		
06-Apr	Inter MK	A	10:30	League					
20-Apr	MK Walton FC All Stars	A	10:30	League					
27-Apr	Woughton FC	A	10:30	League			-		

NEWS

Here is your line up for all of September and October, what other team in the area can offer you football at all levels - Don't forget we have teams who play at our other facility, Lace Hill. This really highlights what our aim is ONE CLUB FOR THE TOWN.

COMING UP NEXT AT STRATFORD FIELDS

FIRST TEAM - LEAGUE

Tuesday February 8 - Stotfold Reserves - 19:45

YOUTH TEAM - LEAGUE

Thursday February 13 - Biggleswade United - 19:45

U23 TEAM - LEAGUE

Saturday February 15 - Daventry Town - 15:00

YOUTH TEAM - LEAGUE

Thursday February 20 - Biggleswade United - 19:45

U23 TEAM - LEAGUE

Saturday February 22 - Irchester United - 15:00

U23 TEAM - LEAGUE

Tuesday February 25 - Irchester United - 19:45

FIRST TEAM - LEAGUE

Saturday March 1 - Huntingdon Town - 15:00

COMING UP NEXT AT LACE HILL

NORTH BUCKS TEAM - LEAGUE

Saturday February 8 - Woburn & Wavendon - 14:00 Saturday February 15 - Real MK - 14:00

SUNDAY A/B/ VETS TEAMS - LEAGUE

Sunday (A) February 16- Newport Pagnell Town - 10:30

Vets February 16 - Tattenhoe Rovers - 10:30

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CLUB LIFE

Supporting Our Social Events

Are you aware we are still holding regular social events at the club and although all have been well attended there have been tickets to spare.



Dry January is now over so come out of hibernation and enjoy a night of great music at Buckingham FC. Next up is the I'm Every Whitney tribute act which takes place on Saturday February 22.

Tickets are still available but they are selling **fast** so if you fancy a great night out with all those Whitney clas-

sics then get your tickets NOW!

Last year we had tribute acts for Adele, Fleetwood Mac, and Tom Jones, Elvis and the brilliant Soul Man who appeared at the club in December.

All of these events were well received by those attending and in 2025 we have already booked Gary Barlow and more slots will be booked as the year goes on. Along with that we have a very popular Disco Bingo event which we try to hold every couple of months and although it is a free event entry you will need a ticket due to its popularity. Next Disco Bingo is on Saturday March 8.

If you are interested in any of our social evenings then you can buy tickets online at our ticket store.

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