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# Saturday 22nd April 2023 3.00pm



**Uxbridge** 

v's



Tooting & Mitcham United





#### **UXBRIDGE FOOTBALL CLUB**

#### **Ownership**

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(Isthmian League West Division)

Steve Kennedy: Manager Joe Holland: Coach Denis Millward: Coach Adam Strange: Coach

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Short Lane	Winklebury Way
Stanwell	Basingstoke RG23 8BF
Staines TW19 7BH	Dashigstoke NG25 6Di
Bedfont Sports	Binfield FC
Bedfont Sports Recreation Ground	Hill Farm Lane
Hatton Road	Off Stubbs Hill
Bedfont	Binfield
Middlesex TW14 9JA	Berkshire RG42 5NR
Chertsey Town	Chipstead FC
Alwyns Lane	High Road
Chertsey	Chipstead
Surrey KT16 9DW	Surrey CR5 3SF
Guernsey FC	Hanworth Villa FC
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Footes Lane	Park Road
St Peter Port	Hanworth TW13 6PN
Guernsey GY1 2UL	
Leatherhead FC	Marlow FC
Fetcham Grove	Oak Tree Road
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Surrey KT22 9AS	<b>3</b>
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Weldon Way	off Cheshunt Avenue
Merstham	Northwood
Surrey RH1 3QB	Middlesex HA6 1HR
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South Park	Short Lane
Reigate	Stanwell
Surrey RH2 8LG	Middlesex TW19 7BH
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Church Road	Crookham Hill
Whyteleafe	Thatcham
Caterham	Berkshire
CR3 OAR	RG19 4PA
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# Uxbridge FC

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**FIRST TEAM** 

Adults: £10

Concessions: £5

u16s: FREE

when accompanied by an adult

UNDER 23's

Adults: £5

Concessions: £3

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when accompanied by an adult

**YOUTH TEAM** 

Adults: £5

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#### By Jon Couch

SO, ULTIMATELY, Football Association chiefs finally made the only sensible call they could have made in granting an extension to the season for clubs at Steps 5 and 6.

But even though that affords the likes of Sandhurst Town, Brook House, Horndean and Bacup Borough a bit of breathing space from their ridiculous end-of-season fixture avalanche – Sandhurst having to play 11 games in 10 days at one point – there is a bigger picture to consider here.

Tackling congested fixture pile-ups come March and April is no new dilemma for clubs these days, and therein lies the problem.

On average, you can expect to lose at least two or three league fixtures over the course of the season, but on the odd year of extraordinary weather patterns such as this, contingency plans have to be put in place.

It's not necessarily the regulation league season which is causing the problem – there are enough Saturdays and Tuesdays in the calendar to comfortably take in a 46-game season – but the numerous cup competitions which clubs are often obliged, or felt pressured to, compete in.

Take my old friends down at Fleet Town, for example. These days, the Blues ply their trade in the Wessex League Premier but that just scratches the surface of a gruelling first-team campaign which also takes in FA Cup, FA Vase, Wessex League Cup, Hampshire Senior Cup, Southern Combination Cup, Russell Cotes Cup and Aldershot Senior Cup.

Eagle-eyed readers of The NLP's extensive fixtures page may have noticed that there are some regional or district cup competitions still trying to get through delayed second or third round matches. Indeed, for some, the backlog of fixtures is often so great that the competitions have in the past, been carried over into the pre-season of the following campaign.

Sadly, though, one of Non-League football's great institutions is also implicated here – the County Cup.

This week, we saw two instances of National League clubs having to all but relinquish their challenge for honours at the semi-final stage due to fixture clashes.

Firstly, in Hampshire, we heard that Aldershot Town had been informed by the Hampshire Senior Cup sub-group that their semi-final tie against Basingstoke Town HAD to be played on Tuesday April 18.

But the Shots – proud six-time County Cup winners - had already rearranged their crucial National League game with Wealdstone for that date, meaning that despite their best efforts to arrange an alternative date, they had no choice but to fulfil their fixture but field their Under 21 academy side.

"The club wanted to move the fixture to give our supporters an opportunity to attend both our League fixture with Wealdstone and Cup fixture with Basingstoke but regret that unfortunately a choice between the two will have to be made," a club statement confirmed.

"We're incredibly proud of their achievements so far in this year's Hampshire Senior Cup and will be supporting the youngsters from Wealdstone."

And it was the same story along the south coast at Worthing.

Following the postponement of their National League South game with Cheshunt to a waterlogged pitch last week, the match was put back to the only available date left available, Tuesday April 25.

This, however, had been listed just 24 hours before the Rebels' already scheduled Sussex Senior Cup semi-final against Hastings United.

Despite constant dialogue with the National League and Sussex County FA to see if the congestion could be eased, a solution could not be found owing to "multiple factors," again meaning Worthing will have to field an under-strength side for the Hastings game with play-offs still very much in the offing.

Club chairman Barry Hunter commented: "Naturally this creates a huge conflict as it schedules us to play four games in eight days, which is not possible without compromise.

"We would also plan to speak with the Sussex FA at the end of the season in the hope we could work with them and other clubs to find ways to avoid the congestion experienced this season."

Barry is right, discussions do need to be had. Most supporters have some very fond memories from their club's respective County Cup competitions and take great pride in claiming regional bragging rights should their club be lucky enough to lift the trophy.

But the fact remains that County FAs such as Hampshire and Sussex can't expect the likes of Aldershot and Worthing to put their whole season on the line at this crucial stage when there is still so much to play for in the league. If anything, they should be supporting their member clubs in their quest to achieve a highest possible league position. I mean, it's in their best interests, right?

The plight of Aldershot and Worthing – and no doubt other clubs up and down the country – will once again place the future of the County Cup into doubt.

Personally, I like to think they still have a part to play in the fabric of a Non-League season, but unless there is more understanding and flexibility in the fulfilling of priority fixtures, then the more difficulty I have in making an argument for it to remain on the modern-day fixture list.

Something, somewhere along the line surely has to give.

#### **TEAM SELECTION**



1	Tyler Tobin
2	Joshua Andrew
3	David Sota
4	Luke Paris
5	Sean McGuinness
6	Alan Hedley
7	Kensley Maloney
8	Aaron Minhas
9	Jack Beadle
10	Lewis Patrick
11	Eitel Goueth
12	Presley Evans
14	Alex Witham
15	Alfie Harburn
16	Taymar Fleary
17	Shaka Mughal



1	Sam Nabbad
2	Abraham Henao Enamorado
3	Jayden Hutchings
4	Nikolai Krokhin
5	Mathias Tepe
6	Alex Filipe
7	Dillon Gordon
8	Will Osgathorpe
9	Raees Bangura-Williams
10	Elijas Bagdonavicius
11	Anuar Ceesay
12	David Tshinunza
14	Rhys Hajro
15	Filipe Daniel
16	Isaac Charles
17	Emmanuel Bestman

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Joint Manager Andy Hunt
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Coach Tony Hart
Goalkeeping Coach Bobby Aspinall
Kit Man Charlie 'Ten Grand' Smith

Physiotherapist Bruno Silva

Referee: Christopher Poole

Assistant Referee's: Philip Evans & Alfie Davidson

# **ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION 2022-23**



POS	TEAM	PL	HW	HD	HL	AW	AD	AL	w	D	L	F	Α	DIFF	PTS
1.	Walton & Hersham	37	17	0	2	11	2	5	28	2	7	100	39	61	86
2.	Basingstoke Town	37	13	1	4	15	1	3	28	2	7	86	36	50	86
3.	Marlow	37	9	6	4	10	4	4	19	10	8	63	42	21	67
4.	Hanworth Villa	37	9	5	5	9	4	5	18	9	10	56	50	6	63
5.	Northwood	37	11	2	5	8	1	10	19	3	15	51	44	7	60
6.	Chertsey Town	37	9	3	7	7	5	6	16	8	13	66	48	18	56
7.	Binfield	37	9	4	6	7	4	7	16	8	13	61	49	12	56
8.	Leatherhead	37	7	4	7	9	4	6	16	8	13	45	43	2	56
9.	South Park (Reigate)	37	10	4	5	6	3	9	16	7	14	49	58	-9	55
10.	Chipstead	37	7	4	7	7	5	7	14	9	14	52	52	0	51
11.	Southall	37	8	6	4	4	7	8	12	13	12	46	47	-1	49
12.	Westfield	37	6	6	7	6	6	6	12	12	13	52	48	4	48
13.	Thatcham Town	37	8	4	6	4	7	8	12	11	14	54	55	-1	47
14.	Uxbridge	37	8	5	5	3	6	10	11	11	15	53	51	2	44
15.	Guernsey	37	5	5	9	5	5	8	10	10	17	42	67	-25	40
16.	Ashford Town (Middx)	37	8	3	8	3	2	13	11	5	21	46	90	-44	38
17.	Merstham	37	4	8	6	3	6	10	7	14	16	41	64	-23	35
18.	Sutton Common Rovers	37	5	3	10	4	4	11	9	7	21	44	71	-27	34
19.	Bedfont Sports	37	3	9	6	3	5	11	6	14	17	44	62	-18	32
20.	Tooting & Mitcham United	37	3	4	12	1	5	12	4	9	24	30	65	-35	21

# **ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION 2022-23**

# **Uxbridge Fixtures & Results**

DATE	H/A	OPPONENT	COMPETITION	KO/SCORE	ATTD	SCORERS
Sat 13 Aug	Н	Hanworth Villa	Isthmian South Central	1-1	120	Akintunde (P)
Wed 17 Aug	Α	Southall	Isthmian South Central	2-1	135	Beadle (2)
Sat 20 Aug	Α	Hassocks	FA Cup P	3-1	148	Sota,Beadle,Akintunde
Sat 27 Aug	Α	Walton & Hersham	Isthmian South Central	1-3	212	Osobu
Mon 29 Aug	Н	Thatcham Town	Isthmian South Central	2-0	152	Hedley, Witham
Sat 3 Sep	Α	Marlow	FA Cup 1Q	1-0	253	Osobu
Tue 13 Sep	Α	Chertsey Town	FA Trophy 1Q	3-1	221	Beadle (pen) Williams
Sat 17 Sep	Α	Eastbourne Borough	FA Cup 2Q	0-2	574	
Tue 20 Sep	Α	Westfield	Isthmian South Central	1-1	91	Osobu
Sat 24 Sep	Н	Bedfont Sports	FA Trophy 2Q	2-0	122	Williams, Morrison
Sat 1 Oct	Α	Chipstead	Isthmian South Central	1-2	95	Osobu
Sat 8 Oct	Н	Walton & Hersham	FA Trophy 3Q	1-0	156	Williams
Tue 11 Oct	н	Spelthorne Sports	Middlesex Senior Cup 1	4-1	48	Sota, Talla, Bitmead, Chendlik
Sun 16 Oct	Α	Guernsey	Isthmian South Central	2-0	545	Jackson, Poley
Sat 22 Oct	Н	Basingstoke Town	Isthmian South Central	1-2	132	Bitmead
Tue 25 Oct	н	Merstham	Isthmian South Central	3-0	75	Chendlik, Williams, Osobu
Sat 29 Oct	н	Wingate & Finchley	FA Trop 1RP	4-2	103	Witham, Hedley, Donnelly (pen) Osobu
Tue 1 Nov	н	Enfield Town	Middlesex Senior Cup 2	2-2 Enfield Town win 7-6 on penalties	67	Chendlik, Evans
Sat 5 Nov	Н	Northwood	Isthmian South Central	1-0	101	Jackson
Sat 12 Nov	Α	Chertsey Town	Isthmian South Central	0-1	494	
Tue 15 Nov	Н	Leatherhead	Isthmian South Central	0-2	123	
Sat 19 Nov	н	Dover Athletic	FA Trophy 2	1-1 Uxbridge win 4-2 on penalties	176	Ireland
Wed 23 Nov	Α	Sutton Common Rovers	Isthmian South Central	2-0	81	Witham (2, 1 pen)
Sat 26 Nov	Α	Tooting & Mitcham United	Isthmian South Central	2-2	177	Paris, Osobu
Wed 30 Nov	Н	St Panteleimon	Middlesex Charity Cup	0-2	-	
Sat 3 Dec	Н	Marlow	Isthmian South Central	0-1	90	
Tue 20 Dec	Α	Dagenham & Redbridge	FA Trophy 3	1-5	463	Williams
Mon 26 Dec	Α	Thatcham Town	Isthmian South Central	0-2	108	
Mon 2 Jan	Н	Bedfont Sports	Isthmian South Central	2-3	154	Donnelly, Witham
Sat 7 Jan	Α	Hanworth Villa	Isthmian South Central	2-2	131	Osobu Maloney
Tue 10 Jan	Н	South Park	Isthmian South Central	2-2	94	Jackson Witham
Sat 14 Jan	Н	Southall	Isthmian South Central	2-1	151	Bitmead Maloney
Sat 28 Jan	Н	Chertsey Town	Isthmian South Central	2-0	169	Mendy Goueth
Sat 4 Feb	Α	Ashford Town (Middx)	Isthmian South Central	3-4	109	Paris Witham Simmo
Tue 7 Feb	Α	Binfield	Isthmian South Central	1-2	90	Mendy
Sat 11 Feb	Н	Sutton Common Rovers	Isthmian South Central	0-0	77	
Tue 14 Feb	Н	Westfield	Isthmian South Central	1-1	68	Mendy
Sat 18 Feb	Α	Leatherhead	Isthmian South Central	0-0	315	
Sat 25 Feb	Н	Chipstead	Isthmian South Central	1-0	110	Mendy
Tue 28 Feb	Α	Northwood	Isthmian South Central	0-1	157	

# **ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION 2022-23**

# **Uxbridge Fixtures & Results**

DATE	H/A	OPPONENT	COMPETITION	KO/SCORE	ATTD	SCORERS
Sat 4 Mar	Α	Merstham	Isthmian South Central	1-1	198	Mendy
Tue 7 Mar	н	Ashford Town (Middx)	Isthmian South Central	6-1	95	Mendy (3) Witham, Minhas, Evans
Sat 11 Mar	Н	Guernsey	Isthmian South Central	1-1	127	Jackson
Sat 18 Mar	Α	Basingstoke Town	Isthmian South Central	2-3	752	Patrick, Mendy
Sat 25 Mar	Н	Walton & Hersham	Isthmian South Central	1-3	201	Bitmead
Sat 1 Apr	Α	South Park	Isthmian South Central	1-2	97	Minhas
Sat 8 Apr	н	Binfield	Isthmian South Central	4-3	104	Paris Minhas Witham (2 pens)
Mon 10 Apr	Α	Bedfont Sports	Isthmian South Central	1-2	271	Witham
Sat 15 Apr	Α	Marlow	Isthmian South Central	1-1	274	Minhas
Sat 22 Apr	Н	Tooting & Mitcham United	Isthmian South Central	3pm		

# ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION 2022-23 UXBRIDGE APPEARANCES & GOAL SCORERS

PLAYERS	APPEARANCES	GOALSCORERS
1 Joe Jackson	44	4
2 Alex Witham	40	11
3 Kensley Maloney	39	2
4 Alan Hedley	37	2
5 Andy O'Brien	34	
6 Tyler Tobin	32	
7 Victor Osobu	29	8
8 Mark Bitmead	27	4
9 Jordan Ireland	27	1
10 Dan Williams	27	6
11 Josh Andrew	23	
12 Baboucarr Jarra	22	
13 Lewis Patrick	19	1
14 David Sota	19	2
15 Anthony Mendy	17	9
16 Luke Paris	17	3
17 Elliott Poley	17	1
18 Eitel Goueth	16	1
19 Harry Seabrook	16	
20 Presley Evans	15	2
21 Joshua Andrew	14	
22 Gareth Chendlik	13	3
23 Maurice Nugent	13	
24 Scott Donnelly	11	2
25 Jack Beadle	10	4
26 Mark Goodman	10	
27 Henry Grad	9	
28 Aaron Minhas	8	4
29 Andrew Ofosu	8	
30 Lonit Talla	8	1
31 Callum Woodcock	8	
32 Juwon Akintunde	7	2
33 Sean McGuinness	7	
34 Matthew Bonnett	5	
35 Lenny Farhall	4	
36 Alex Paine	4	
37 Khalid Simmo	3	1
38 Stephane Bombelenga	2	
39 Daniel Boswell	2	
40 Taymar Fleary	2	

# ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION 2022-23 UXBRIDGE APPEARANCES & GOAL SCORERS

	PLAYERS	APPERANCES	GOALSCORERS
41	Ryan Haugh	2	
42	Matteo Salamon	2	
43	Alfie Anderson	1	
44	Johnny Gill	1	
45	Yusuf Hamed	1	
46	Nathaniel Mensah	1	
47	Marlon Bradley Walsh	1	

# **ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION - Fixtures & Results**

South Central Division Fixtures	South Central Division Results
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2023	Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
Basingstoke Town v South Park (Reigate)	Binfield 0-1 Marlow
Bedfont Sports v Guernsey	Hanworth Villa 3-0 Guernsey
Chipstead v Hanworth Villa	Southall 1-4 Chipstead
Leatherhead v Binfield	Tooting & Mitcham Utd 2-3 Ashford Town
	(Middx)
Merstham v Westfield	Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
Northwood v Marlow	Guernsey 2-3 Basingstoke Town
Southall v Chertsey Town	Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
Sutton Common Rovers v Ashford Town (Middx)	Ashford Town (Middx) 3-3 Thatcham Town
Thatcham Town v Walton & Hersham	Binfield 1-0 Chipstead
Uxbridge v Tooting & Mitcham Utd	Chertsey Town 0-1 Merstham
	Hanworth Villa 2-1 Bedfont Sports
	Marlow 1-1 Uxbridge
	South Park (Reigate) 3-1 Northwood
	Tooting & Mitcham Utd 0-1 Leatherhead
	Walton & Hersham 3-0 Southall
	Westfield 2-2 Sutton Common Rovers
	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
	Southall 2-0 Ashford Town (Middx)
	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
	Hanworth Villa 2-1 Northwood
	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
	Bedfont Sports 2-1 Uxbridge
	South Park (Reigate) 2-2 Guernsey
	Sutton Common Rovers 1-1 Leatherhead
	Thatcham Town 0-2 Basingstoke Town
	Tooting & Mitcham Utd 1-1 Chipstead
	Walton & Hersham 6-0 Merstham
	Westfield 0-2 Chertsey Town
	Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
	Ashford Town (Middx) 0-5 Westfield
	Chertsey Town 2-1 Tooting & Mitcham Utd
	Chipstead 3-1 Thatcham Town
	Guernsey 0-0 Walton & Hersham
	Leatherhead 1-0 Hanworth Villa
	Marlow 1-3 South Park (Reigate)
	Merstham 2-2 Bedfont Sports
	Uxbridge 4-3 Binfield
	Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
	Basingstoke Town 1-0 Southall

# ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION MATCH GRID

	ASH	BAS	BED	BIN	CHE	СНІ	GUE	HAN	LEA	MAR	MER	NOR	SOU	sou	SUT	THA	тоо	UXB	WAL	WES
ASH		0-3	1-0	0-1	2-2	1-4	4-2	2-2	0-3	0-3	3-2	2-1	3-1	1-3	2-1	3-3	2-1	4-3	0-5	0-5
BAS	5-0		0-0	0-2	3-1	3-0	8-0	0-1	2-0	2-0	3-1	0-1	22/4	1-0	2-1	2-0	4-2	3-2	0-1	4-1
BED	2-2	1-3		1-2	0-0	0-0	22/4	0-0	0-1	2-2	4-2	0-1	0-2	1-4	3-3	0-0	0-0	2-1	3-2	0-0
BIN	3-0	0-1	3-1		1-1	1-0	1-2	0-1	2-1	0-1	4-0	0-0	4-2	1-1	3-2	2-2	4-1	2-1	0-2	1-2
CHE	6-1	0-3	1-1	1-2		3-0	4-0	1-1	3-1	0-2	0-1	0-1	4-0	2-2	1-0	0-3	2-1	1-0	2-5	3-0
CHI	1-2	2-4	2-1	1-1	2-0		1-2	22/4	1-3	0-0	1-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	3-4	3-1	2-0	2-1	0-2	1-0
GUE	0-1	2-3	1-1	3-1	3-3	2-2		3-1	1-1	2-3	1-2	1-2	1-0	4-1	1-0	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-1
HAN	1-1	0-4	2-1	2-2	0-4	2-5	3-0		0-0	1-2	2-1	2-1	2-1	2-0	3-1	3-2	3-1	2-2	0-2	2-2
LEA	2-1	0-0	2-1	22/4	1-3	2-3	1-2	1-0		0-2	2-1	2-0	0-1	0-0	4-3	2-0	1-1	0-0	0-2	0-4
MAR	4-2	5-2	3-2	2-2	0-1	3-0	1-1	2-0	1-3		1-1	3-0	1-3	1-1	1-2	1-1	2-0	1-1	4-3	3-0
MER	2-0	1-5	2-2	0-2	1-1	1-0	2-2	0-1	1-2	0-0		1-0	1-2	1-2	3-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	3-3	22/4
NOR	3-1	0-1	1-2	0-0	3-1	0-0	2-1	1-4	3-1	22/4	3-2		0-2	2-0	2-1	2-0	3-2	1-0	1-2	2-1
SOU	1-0	0-1	4-3	3-1	0-3	0-2	2-2	1-2	1-0	2-0	1-1	3-1		1-0	1-0	2-4	1-1	2-1	2-0	1-1
sou	2-0	0-1	1-0	2-1	22/4	1-4	3-0	2-0	1-0	1-0	3-3	1-2	2-2		2-2	2-2	1-1	1-2	3-2	1-1
SUT	22/4	0-5	0-3	0-3	0-5	0-1	0-1	2-1	1-1	1-3	2-0	1-5	4-0	1-1		2-2	3-0	0-2	1-0	0-2
THA	1-0	0-2	5-1	0-4	2-1	2-3	0-0	1-2	1-2	1-1	1-1	2-1	3-0	1-0	1-2		2-0	2-0	22/4	2-2
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WAL	3-1	5-1	4-1	5-1	3-2	3-1	6-0	1-2	0-2	3-0	6-0	2-1	4-0	3-0	2-0	3-2	2-1	3-1		2-1
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# VELOCITY CUP & MIDDLESEX SENIOR CUP/MIDDLESEX CHARITY CUP 2022/23 — Fixtures & Results

VELOCITY 2022-23	- FIXTURES & RESULTS
Velocity Cup 2022-23	Velocity Cup 2022-23 Final
	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
	Results
	Aveley 3-0 Potters Bar Town
MIDDLESEX SENIOR CUP	2022-23 FIXTURES & RESULTS
Middlesex Senior Cup 2022-23	Middlesex Senior Cup 2022-23
•	Final - Results
	Wednesday 19th April 2023
	Hayes & Yeading Utd 5-0 Harrow Borough
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MIDDLESEX CHARITY CUP	2022-23 FIXTURES & RESULTS
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# **UXBRIDGE FC PLAYER/MANAGEMENT PROFILES 2022/23**



**Tyler Tobin** – Goalkeeper signed from Ashford Town (Middlesex) in August 2019. Was a key member of the promotion chasing Uxbridge squad last season. A strong commanding goalkeeper who will once again be a key member of the squad for the upcoming season.

**Matty Bonnett** – Goalkeeper signed in the summer having previously seen service with Staines Town last season. Started his career at Slough Town.

**Henry Grad** - Young Goalkeeper who joined the club in November. Already a hero amongst the Uxbridge faithful after his heroics against Dover Athletic in the FA Trophy. Previously with Slough Town.

**Mark Goodman** – Full back signed from Chalfont St Peter in July 2019. Also previously played for Wingate and Finchley at step 3. A powerful full back who will be key in both the attacking and defensive patterns for the club this season.

Josh Andrew – A vastly experienced no nonsense right sided defender who has played for many clubs at this level. They include Harrow Borough, Ashford Town (Middlesex), Chipstead and Hayes & Yeading United.

**Lewis Patrick** –Left sided full back who has signed for Uxbridge after a successful season at Risborough Rangers. A versatile defender who likes to get forward and put telling crosses into the box.

**Elliott Poley** – Young defender signed from Ashford Town (Middlesex) in July 2019. A centre half who is now in his fourth season at Uxbridge. He reads the game well and is confident in the air.

**Ryan Haugh** - Left sided defender signed from Harrow Borough in 2019. Strong in the tackle and a very good crosser of the ball, especially from set pieces. Ryan has previously played for Chalfont St. Peter, Beaconsfield Town & Barton Rovers.

**David Sota** – Left sided defender who always gives 100% for the team. David's previous clubs include Chesham United, Potters Bar Town and Edgware Town. Has had a few injury set-backs but looks to be returning to top form.

**Alan Hedley** - Signed from Chalfont St Peter in July 2019. Central defender who is equally at home in the defence or midfield. Strong tackler and whose experience and calmness will be vital this season.

**Luke Paris** – Luke arrived this summer from Windsor. Centre back Luke can boast international experience playing for Anguilla in the World Cup.

Mark Bitmead – A talented player who consistently scores goals at this level. Previous clubs include Ashford Town (Middlesex) where he scored just shy of 100 goals in his time at the club. Good on the ball and an influential member of the squad for this season. Was part of the Chertsey Town squad which reached the play-off final last season. Second spell at Uxbridge after scoring 18 goals in 43 appearances first time around.

Jack Beadle – Jack has re-joined the club having played at Hanwell Town and Chipstead in recent seasons. He likes to take on defenders and put in crosses for the forwards and is no slouch in front of goal. Other previous clubs include Egham Town, Met Police and Ashford Town (Middlesex), where he forged a lethal partnership with Mark Bitmead.

**Lonit Talla** – Lonit is a product of the successful youth set-up at Uxbridge. An attacking midfielder who looks at ease on the ball and likes to link up play from defence to attack. Looks to have a big future.

**Alex Witham** – Alex is an attacking player who can play in midfield or in a striking role. A former Arsenal youth player and has played for Derby reserves. Previous clubs include Biggleswade Town, Wealdstone, Slough Town, Wembley, Leverstock Green, Northwood and Berkhamsted.

**Victor Osobu** – Victor was signed from Barton Rovers to strengthen the midfield and give the front line some options in attack. Victor is vastly experienced at this level and has previously played for Beaconsfield Town, Chesham United, Hemel Hempstead Town, Chalfont St. Peter, Ware, Canvey Island, Harrow Borough, Slough Town and Hayes & Yeading United. Quick feet and direct running make him a handful for defenders.

**Kensley Maloney** – A tricky midfielder with a good turn of pace. Joined Uxbridge last season after a brief stay at Marlow. Other previous clubs include Beaconsfield Town, Bracknell Town, Harrow Borough and Slough Town.

**Andy O'Brien** – Another new signing this season having played last season in the Hanwell Town side that gained promotion via the play-offs. Cultured defender who leads by example. Links play from the back to midfield and powerful in the air.

**Jordan Ireland** – Midfielder who arrives from Walton Casuals. Former Harrow Borough player whose vast experience at Step 3 will be valuable for The Reds as they push for promotion in 2022/23.

**Joe Jackson** – A big part of the Bedfont Sports side which reached the Play-offs in 2021/22. Midfielder who skippered The Eagles and scored the winning goal against Dulwich Hamlet in the FA Cup. Brings energy and creativity to the centre of the Uxbridge side.

**Presley Evans** - A young skilful midfielder who looks to have a bright future in the game. Another recent acquisition having joined Uxbridge from Grays Athletic where he was a member of their Under 23's side. At just sixteen years of age he scored four goals in nine appearances for the Essex club

**Sean McGuinness** - Young central defender who looks a have a very bright future. Came to the attention of The Reds following his assured display for Chalfont St Peter against The Reds last season. Commanding in the air and quick across the ground. Signed for Uxbridge in March 2023.

**Aaron Minhas** - Experienced midfielder who joined from Beaconsfield Town in March. A creative player with an eye for goal who scored on his debut against Ashford Town (Middlesex).

**Anthony Mendy** - Prolific goalscorer who topped the charts in that department last season. Signed for Haringey Borough in the summer, rejoining his spiritual home in January. Previous clubs include Beaconsfield Town, Chalfont St Peter, AFC Hayes and Maidenhead United.

**Eitel Goueth** - Former Slough Town youngster who joined the club in January. Skilful player who adds energy and creativity to the Reds midfield.

**Bradley Walsh** - Attacking midfielder who joined the club from Westfield at the start of 2023. Scored 4 goals in four games for the Surrey club at the beginning of this season.

### **UXBRIDGE FC PLAYER/MANAGEMENT PROFILES 2022/23**

#### **Management Team:**

**Danny Edwards** – First Team Manager – Previously at Chalfont St Peter for 15 seasons as manager. Oversaw the club's promotion to step 4 and an FA Vase semi-final. Previously worked at Chelsea FC and Southampton FC and an UEFA A-Licence coach.

**Fred Cummings** – Assistant Manager - Joined Uxbridge from Chalfont St Peter. A UEFA B licence coach who has worked for Slough Town, Hemel Hempstead Town and Wealdstone. Played over 400 games for Uxbridge and a huge influence for the players.

**Colin Finch** – Logistics Manager / Club Secretary – The most important member of the group! Without Colin's support the group is unable to operate as professionally as it does. Responsible for all key issues in and around the changing room. Previously at Chalfont St. Peter, Rayners Lane & North Greenford United.

**John Carroll** – First Team Coach – Joined from Chalfont St Peter. A UEFA B licence coach who captained the successful Chalfont St Peter side that won promotion to step 4 football. Previous clubs include Beaconsfield Town and Luton Town

**Luke Brooks-Smith** – First Team Coach – Luke has joined us this season from Windsor and was previously a player at Chalfont St. Peter under Danny Edwards the current Uxbridge Manager. A UEFA B coach who leads the Uxbridge sessions and will be integral to the club's successes this season. Has spent 14 years as a coach with the Brentford Sports Trust.

**Shaka Mughal** – First Team Goalkeeping Coach – As a player Shaka played for Millwall and Chalfont St Peter. A huge influence and strong personality both on and off the training field. Shaka will also be responsible for 1st team full coaching sessions.

**Joseph Peacock** – First Team Physio – Joined the club last season. An integral member of the management team. A fully qualified physio who gives players vital support on match days. Also responsible for players recovery and support after games.

**Ki Turner** – Videographer – Responsible for all recordings of Uxbridge FC games. Supports in and around all training sessions.

#### **UXBRIDGE FOOTBALL CLUB - HISTORY**

In the late 19th century the game of "football" was growing in popularity and on the 3rd February 1871 a group of eminent local businessmen held the inaugural meeting of Uxbridge Football Club. A local solicitor, Mr William Gardiner, was elected as the Club's President and the club's colours were chosen as white shirts with a light blue Maltese cross and a light blue velvet cap with silver tassel. Friendly games against local opposition were played in the early years, until the FA Cup was entered in 1873. A First Round Victory over Gitanos set-up a Second-Round tie against eventual finalists Royal Engineers, which the Engineers narrowly won 2-1. It was at this time that Uxbridge could boast amongst its ranks a Full England International. Hubert Heron played for England on two occasions whilst an Uxbridge player before he moved to Wanderers FC where he gained further international honours. His brother Francis, formerly of Uxbridge, also played for England after joining him at Wanderers FC.

The club changed its colours to Oxford Blue and Cambridge Blue shirts in 1874 but they were in financial difficulties and folded later that year. The main problem for Uxbridge was the lack of a permanent home ground (a problem that was to plague them until the middle of the next century), the committee searched the town for a suitable base but were thwarted at every turn and they led a nomadic existence, moving ground every few years. The enthusiasm for a team in Uxbridge was still prevalent and the Club was reformed in 1879. In 1886 Uxbridge FC amalgamated with another local club, Uxbridge Crescents, and played under this name in season 1886/87, before reverting to plain old Uxbridge the following season. It was at this time that the Red Shirts, which are still worn today, were adopted and the nickname "The Reds" was born. Their first trophy was won in 1889 when they lifted the West Middlesex Cup, defeating Colnbrook 1-0 in the Final. The end of the 19th century was a particularly successful period for The Reds as they won the West Middlesex Cup on three further occasions and also won the prestigious Middlesex Senior Cup twice. In 1894 they beat the 3rd Grenadier Guards 2-0 and repeated that success two years later with a 3-2 victory over local rivals Southall in a replay in front of over 5000 spectators. The outstanding achievement however was in reaching the final of the F.A. Amateur Cup in 1898. This was the clubs first season in the competition and they had to win eight ties before meeting Middlesborough in the final at Crystal Palace.

Unfortunately, their North East rivals proved too strong for them on the day and ran out 2-0 winners. During this successful period for the club they became founder members of Division Two of the Southern League in 1894, finishing fourth in their first four seasons. However, in season 1898/99 they finished next to bottom and the dwindling crowds (averaging around 500) meant that financially the club was once again in trouble. A decision was therefore taken to withdraw from the Southern League and join the local Middlesex League to try and stabilise the club. However, a majority of the more talented players joined other clubs and they struggled in their new surroundings, finishing bottom with only one point from their 14 games. At the end of the season the club had a deficit of £130 and with few players the club once again folded.

For two years much fund raising amongst the local community finally saw the club's debts paid and the reformed Uxbridge FC joined the West Middlesex League for the 1902/03 season. In 1904 the Great Western Suburban League was entered and here they stayed until the outbreak of the First World War. Their best finish during this period was as Runners-up to Brentford Reserves in 1910/11. They also won the Middlesex Charity Cup on two occasions in 1908 and 1913, as they looked to re-establish themselves as a force in the football world. Following the end of hostilities Uxbridge joined the Athenian League and added "Town" to their name. An unsuccessful first Athenian League campaign saw them relegated back to the Great Western Suburban League in 1920. A successful four seasons saw them back in the Athenian League in 1924 where they remained until 1937.

The Middlesex Charity Cup was won for the third time in 1935 as Finchley were beaten 4-3. Two poor seasons saw them finish bottom of the Athenian League in 1936 and 1937 and the club failed to be re-elected. They joined the Spartan League for the 1937/38 season, dropping "Town" from their name at the end of the campaign stood proudly at the summit.

Championship celebrations however were cut short when it was discovered that The Reds had played an ineligible player and were deduced six points, placing them in third position behind Champions Marlow. Following the debacle of their one and only season in the Spartan League they resigned and joined the London League prior to the Second World War.

During the war years they continued to play and joined the newly formed Great Western Combination League before re-joining the London League in 1945, finishing as Runners-up to Edgware Town. Uxbridge were founder members of the Corinthian League in 1946 and remained in this league for the next seventeen years. Finally, in 1948, after over three quarters of a century of searching, a ground of their own was purchased. A piece of land in Cleveland Road, Cowley was bought for £5,800 by then President Mr W.S. Try. The ground was named after a large house that stood on the land and "Honeycroft" was the new home of Uxbridge Football Club. During this period, they won their only Championship to-date when they were crowned Corinthian League Champions at the end of the 1959/60 season. They also won the Middlesex Senior Cup for the third time in 1951 when they defeated Hayes 2-1.

This was a successful period in the club's history as they finished in the top five of the Corinthian League on no less than eight occasions and crowds were averaging around the thousand mark. A re-organisation of non-League football saw the end of the Corinthian League in 1963 and club found itself once again in Division One of the Athenian League. This was a lean time for The Reds, they were relegated to Division Two in 1967 and financial problems once against beset them. They gained national publicity in 1976 when England were looking for a side to play as part of their warm-up for the forthcoming World Cup campaign. Uxbridge took on a full-strength England at Wembley, losing 8-0.

The ground problems that had blighted Uxbridge throughout their history surfaced once again and the club had to find a new home. In 1978 they moved to their current headquarters in Horton Road, Yiewsley. A former works Sports & Social Club they have developed the site to the superb standard you see today.

Over the past 43 years they have added floodlights (opened by the visit of Arsenal in 1981), new stands, fencing and in more recent times a new clubhouse was opened and car park laid. On the playing front the club won the Middlesex Charity Cup for the fourth time in 1982, their first silverware for 31 years, and moved to the Isthmian League in the same year, winning promotion to Division One in 1985. The Final of the AC Delco Cup (League Cup) was reached in 1986, where they met Premier Division Champions Sutton United. The Reds failed to stop Sutton completing "The Double" though, losing 3-1 in the Final in front of over a thousand spectators at Imber Court, the home of Metropolitan Police FC, Uxbridge entered the London Challenge Cup for the first time in the 1992/93 season and hence followed a love affair between the Reds and the magnificent trophy. In the eight seasons they entered the competition they reached five finals, winning on three occasions in 1994,1997 and 2000.

They won the Middlesex Senior Cup for the fourth time in 2001, defeating Harrow Borough 3-0 in the Final held at Honeycroft. In 2004 the club were moved across the pyramid to the Southern League and have reached the Play-Offs on three occasions.

In 2004/05 they lost on penalties, after leading Maldon Town in extra-time, in 2007/08 they narrowly lost 0-1 at Oxford City and in 2011/12 they lost 2-1 at Bedworth United in the Semi-Finals. In 2018 Uxbridge were moved back across the pyramid, re-joining the Isthmian League in the South Central Division.

They have won the Middlesex Charity Cup on three more occasions in the last eight years. Defeating Brentford in 2013, Wembley in 2014 and Ashford Town (Middlesex) at Hanwell Town FC in 2019.

In the summer of 2016, the Club lost one of its stalwarts when long serving President Alan Odell passed away. Alan had been associated with The Reds for over 80 years, firstly as a supporter and player in his youth, before serving in various official duties as a committee member. He is sadly missed.

In 2019 Uxbridge appointed only their sixth manager over the past 51 years. Ron Clack was in charge for 18-years from 1970, followed by Peter Marshall for one season, Michael Harvey for three, before George Talbot took the reins for fourteen seasons in 1992. In 2006 Tony Choules became the man in charge, being replaced by our current manager Danny Edwards in 2019.

Danny is a UEFA A licensed coach who spent 15 years as manager of Chalfont St Peter AFC. He steered Chalfont St Peter to Step 4 of the league system in 2011, as well as reaching the 3rd Qualifying Round of the Football Association Challenge Cup on three occasions. Danny has with him a confident team which includes Fred Cummings as his Assistant Manager. Fred is well known to the followers of the Red Army as a combative centre half with 320 First Team appearances for Uxbridge in the 1980's.

Last season was the most successful in terms of league position since 2014/15 as we finished 6th missing out on the playoffs by one place we also won the Middlesex Charity Cup last season, beating Hanwell Town in the final, for the 4th time in the last 9 years.

### **Tooting & Mitcham Utd. - A History**

The club was founded in 1932 after a merger between two existing teams, Tooting Town and Mitcham Wanderers. Both clubs had played in the London League and the new entity continued to do so until 1937, when they were accepted into the Athenian League. League form was initially patchy, but consolation was forthcoming in 1938 with the capture of the Surrey Senior Cup as Dulwich Hamlet were overcome at Selhurst Park.

Wartime brought a mixture of friendlies, and a smaller regional league (the South East Combination) was competed in. In 1942, the London Senior Cup was won for the first time with another triumph over south London rivals Dulwich Hamlet - this time by a 5-4 success at Millwall's (old) Den. The club have subsequently lifted this trophy on seven further occasions, most recently in 2021.

The Surrey Senior Cup has been won nine times in total, including a hat-trick in the years 1974 to 1976 - the first time this has been achieved.

In the post-war period, the club continued to play in the Athenian League, lifting the Championship Trophy on two occasions in 1950 and 1955. In 1956, they were accepted into the Isthmian League (then consisting of only one division), winning that Championship in 1960 and 1962, alongside consistently high placings for much of the next decade.

Perhaps the most famous fixture in their history was the 1959 FA Cup third round tie. Drawn at home to top flight Nottingham Forest, on a frozen pitch at a packed Sandy Lane the underdogs raced into a two goal lead before Forest fought back with the aid of an own-goal and a dubious late penalty. The first division side exerted their superiority with a comfortable 3-0 win in the replay and went on to lift the cup at Wembley.

It was around this time that the club changed from their original all-white shirts to black and white stripes, and that has remained their principal colours ever since; a new nickname - 'the Terrors' - was also coined, replacing 'the Lilywhites.'

Floodlights were installed at Sandy Lane in March 1962, and the club celebrated with a visit from the mighty Arsenal for the inauguration; on an unforgettable evening, the Gunners - fielding a fairly strong side, including Mitcham-born David Court (who was never affiliated with his local club) - were beaten 4-2.

Tooting enjoyed a more sustained period of FA Cup glory in the 1970s. In 1974/75, they reached the first round proper for the first time in eleven years and were drawn at home against local rivals Crystal Palace. Tooting took an early lead, but the professional team rallied to win 2-1.

The following season, Tooting went three steps further, reaching the Fourth Round proper for the only time in their history to date. Having beaten Romford and Leatherhead in the first two rounds, they journeyed to Third Division Swindon Town in the third. As expected, the full-time outfit eased into a 2-0 lead and the game looked over as the final whistle approached. However, two late goals turned the tie on its head, and earned the Terrors an unlikely home replay. Tooting won 2–1 at Sandy Lane, amidst predictably raucous celebrations!

Eighteen days later, the team and supporters made the long journey north, to Bradford City of Division Four; hopes were high of further glory but it was not to be as the Terrors went down to a 3-1 defeat.

This proved to be a high point for the club, although the team went on to reach the second round proper in 1976/77 losing away at Kettering 1–0 and the first round proper in 1977/78 losing 2–1 at home to Northampton Town of Division Four.

Having played in the top flight of the Isthmian League since the introduction of extra divisions in 1973, Tooting were relegated for the first time in their history in 1989 when they finished second-bottom of the Premier Division and dropped into Division One. During one of the low points of the clubs' existence, they suffered a further relegation in 1997 and spent four seasons around the turn of the millennium playing in Division Two of the Isthmian League and competing in the FA Vase for the only period in their history.

Happily, better times were just around the corner, and in 2001 the Isthmian League Division Two title was won.

In 2002, after many years of financial frustrations and setbacks, the club sold their Sandy Lane home to developers and moved into a purpose built stadium at Imperial Fields for the start of the 2002/03 season. However despite the new surroundings, further financial difficulties beset the club and by 2005 they were only able to continue as a result of being taken on by the current owners, Tooting & Mitcham Sports and Leisure Ltd.

Under the new administration, things began to improve on and off the pitch with the team playing a very consistent first half of the 2005/06 season, but injuries and the loss of star player Gavin Grant to Gillingham saw the team lose some of their cutting edge and start to falter, eventually finishing in a disappointing 6th place and losing to Tonbridge Angels in the semi-final of the play-offs.

At the end of this season, former player Billy Smith was appointed as manager. In his first season the club lifted both the London Senior and Surrey Senior Cups, and finished second in the league, but lost the play-off final to Hastings Utd.

The following season, after another runners-up position, the club secured promotion by defeating Worthing 2-0 in the play-off semi-final, and Cray Wanderers 1–0 in the final - both matches taking place at Imperial Fields.

Returning, at last, to the Isthmian Premier after a nineteen year absence, they finished the 2008/09 season in a comfortable 9th place and the following year reached the First Round Proper of the FA Cup for the first time since the '70s. Drawn away to Stockport County, then in the third tier of the Football league, many Tooting supporters made the journey north to take their place in a 3,000+ crowd but, unfortunately, they saw only monsoon-like conditions and a 5-0 defeat.

The management duo of Billy Smith and George Wakeling decided to call it a day at the end of that season, and despite a succession of managers taking the reins over the next few seasons, improvement was not forthcoming and the club finally succumbed to relegation from the Isthmian Premier in 2012.

The next few seasons again saw several managers come and go, with none of them able to bring a lasting upturn in fortunes before Frank Wilson took his first senior role in football in 2015. An uncertain start did little to suggest major improvement was imminent but Wilson made several changes to his staff and introduced Paul Dale as First Team Coach in November, a move that saw results improve significantly; the club climbed away from the relegation positions and rounded off the campaign with a 2-0 victory over Hendon to lift the London Senior Cup for the seventh time.

The following season saw Tooting & Mitcham and Dorking Wanderers battling it out for the Isthmian League Division One South title, with the Terrors pipping their rivals on Goal Difference after both teams finished with over 100 points.

Premier Division status was again short-lived, unfortunately; with little investment available the team predictably struggled in the higher echelon, yet relegation was only confirmed on the final day with defeat at Metropolitan Police the final nail in the coffin - just one point on the day would have been enough to ensure survival with only one team going down, but it was not to be and the team departed the division the same way they had entered it - on Goal Difference.

The club parted company with Frank Wilson that summer, and installed Ashley Bosah and Cornelius Nwadialor as joint managers. The duo had previously overseen the club's successful U23 side and introduced a number of these youngsters as a slow start became a play-off push after a steady climb up the table. Ultimately, disappointing form at home - where too many games were drawn - meant the team fell just short of their target, and potential consolation in the Surrey Senior Cup was not forthcoming as Metropolitan Police proved to be Tooting's nemesis again with a 2-0 victory in the final at Dorking.

Hopes were high as the 2019/20 season began, but with the team challenging intensely for promotion, the season was abandoned as the Coronavirus pandemic took hold and the country went into lockdown.

The following campaign suffered the same fate after the team had once again started well, but the club managed to lift silverware again as the London FA decided to play the Senior Cup to a conclusion, and on a sweltering afternoon in late May, a young AFC Wimbledon side was vanquished by 2-1 at Hendon's Jubilee Park and another trophy was added to the club's list of honours.

Despite the optimism which followed this, the 2021/22 season started badly, with the club never able to put together a consistent run of results; with relegation looming ever closer they managed to win three of their final five fixtures to haul themselves clear of danger and hope to maintain that form into future campaigns.

### **Tooting & Mitcham Utd. Player Profiles 2022/23**

#### Sam NABBAD (goalkeeper)

Has only been with the club since March, but Sam's Tooting career has been anything but dull! His debut at South Park saw a tale of two injury-time goals as the game finished 1-1. His second outing ended prematurely when he was sent off for handling outside his area against Walton & Hersham. Has since settled well into the role of regular first choice; was previously with Westfield.

#### **Lewis FOY** (goalkeeper)

At 21 years old, has already featured on several occasions in the first team for Hartley Wintney, from where he recently followed new joint-manager Andy Hunt. Made his Tooting debut in place of the suspended Sam Nabbad at Hanworth Villa recently.

#### <u>Jet HARRIS (goalkeeper)</u>

Jet has come through the ranks at Imperial Fields to break into the senior squad for the first time this season. Made his debut at Sevenoaks in the Velocity Cup and has featured on a handful of occasions since. Was particularly impressive in a London Senior Cup tie at Dartford, when he repelled almost everything thrown at him.

#### Nikolai KROKHIN (defender / captain)

Newly appointed team captain, Nikolai joined Tooting & Mitcham in the summer of 2021 from near-neighbours Carshalton Athletic; the 22 year old is a towering presence with a lot of potential. His debut season last year was a great success and much is expected of him in the future.

#### Alex FILIPE (defender)

Fans favourite who has re-joined the club for a third spell in black and white. Was previously playing for South Park and made his Tooting return against them back in October.

#### Marcus TRAVERS (defender)

Joined in November from Canterbury City and has settled in quickly to the Terrors' ranks. He has previously represented several clubs including Chipstead, Redhill and AFC Croydon Athletic. He is a powerful centre-half who is comfortable on the ball and strong in the air. Currently featuring for former club Redhill on a dual registration.

#### <u>Isaac CHARLES (defender)</u>

Recent addition from Westfield, Isaac is a quick centre-half who is strong and composed on the ball.

#### **Nathan GORDON** (defender)

Another in his second spell at the club, rejoining from Hythe Town last season. The left sided defender was a key member of the club's upturn in form at the end of the campaign which was cut short on a personal note due to a long overdue operation, which was successful but has meant he is yet to make an appearance in 2022/23; hopefully, will be back playing sooner rather than later as his recovery nears completion.

#### David ANSAH (defender)

Joining this season from Heybridge Swifts, David has featured in the Terrors defence recently as they attempt to find the right combination to preserve their Step 4 status. Has impressed for the U23s.

#### Elijas BAGDONAVICIUS (wing-back / winger)

Began his career with Huntingdon Town, before joining Hartley Wintney at the start of last season. Another who has followed Andy Hunt to Imperial Fields and has already caught the eye with his pace and willingness to shoot from anywhere.

#### Jaiden CHANG (defender / midfield)

Another product of the youth system, Jaiden made his debut this season and has quickly adapted into a valuable member of the squad, due to his cool head and versatility.

#### Jayden HUTCHINGS (midfield)

21 year old who has recently signed from Woking, for whom he played National League football at the tail-end of last season; this holding-midfielder could be one to keep an eye on in the next few seasons.

#### Kayne JAMES-THOMPSON (midfield)

Previously with Enfield Borough and Biggleswade Town, Kayne spent last season with Hertford Town and joins Tooting hoping to play his part in their fight against the drop.

#### **Baye NDIAYE** (midfield)

Another young player who came through the club's development programme, starting last season in the Under 23s before breaking into the First Team and cementing himself as a regular as the season progressed. Held in high regard by many at Imperial Fields, his burgeoning career has been curtailed by a lengthy injury this season; unfortunately, limped off on his comeback appearance against Sutton Common Rovers last month.

#### **Anuar CEESAY** (forward / winger)

Anuar is another graduate from the clubs Academy Scholarship programme. Now a regular in the Terrors First Team squad. A tricky and pacey wide player who is very comfortable with the ball at his feet and has bags of potential.

#### Raees BANGURA-WILLIAMS (midfield)

Raees made a massive impact when he graduated to first team duty towards the end of last season. Still a teenager, the hugely talented midfielder has already attracted the eye of several professional clubs including Middlesbrough and Millwall. Currently happy to further his development at Tooting & Mitcham, his natural ability allied to patience and humility serves him well and does credit to all those who have played a part in his development.

#### **Dillon GORDON** (midfield)

A versatile Canadian who can play in the middle of the park or on either flank; he joins Tooting & Mitcham having recently been with Alresford Town and the Hartley Wintney U23 side. Has previously represented Harlow Town and Clacton.

#### **Ayman DAHDOUH** (midfield)

Signed in the summer from Westside and made an explosive impact with goals in the first two competitive fixtures this season; Ayman has struggled to hold down a regular place since then but is still a popular and valuable member of the squad, though currently out on a dual registration at Step 5.

#### **David TSHINUNZA** (midfield)

David has enjoyed a fine season for our U23s and has been given an opportunity to progress into the first team recently. Made his debut as a late sub against Leatherhead last week.

#### **Lee BANBURY** (midfield)

Highly rated Academy graduate who has yet to make his senior debut but has been named amongst the substitutes for the first team this season. One to keep an eye on in 2023.

#### William CAULTON (midfield)

Young Kiwi who joined the club earlier in the season. Has been working hard in the U23s with some impressive performances which earned him a first team debut as a late substitute at Binfield in November.

#### Remi ONABANJO (winger)

Eighteen year old who has recently joined us until the end of the season, on loan from AFC Wimbledon. Remi has been on the fringes of the first team set-up at Plough Lane and featured regularly for the Dons in the FA Youth Cup this season. One to keep an eye on in the future.

#### Rhys HAJRO (winger)

Pacy and exciting winger who developed through the youth ranks at Southampton and QPR; more recently, has been representing Waltham Abbey and Harrow Borough, as well as the U23s at Hartley Wintney.

#### Ryan LOPES (winger / forward)

21 year old winger who was denied a debut goal at Bedfont Sports recently by a tight offside decision; Ryan is another who has joined the club from the Hartley Wintney U23 side and looks a very useful addition to the squad, opening his account recently with a diving header at South Park.

#### Mathias TEPE (defender / winger)

Joining Remi Onabanjo on loan from AFC Wimbledon for the remainder of the season, Mathias in another to have featured regularly in the Dons' FA Youth Cup run this season and is viewed as a good prospect for the future.

#### **Emmanuel BESTMAN** (winger)

Another graduate from the U23s who has shown impressive form that has been rewarded with a late-season call-up into the first-team, and a debut against Leatherhead last week.

#### **MANAGEMENT TEAM:**

#### <u>Ashley Bosah (Joint Manager)</u>

Previously overseeing the club's highly successful U23 side, Ashley was appointed as the Joint First Team Manager at the beginning of the 2018/19 season. Having first worked alongside previous manager Frank Wilson with the T&MUFC reserve team some seven years ago, Ashley is also Tooting's Development Squad Manager and Head of the Football Academy. He has a particular interest in the educational and well-being aspects of young player development. With previous co-manager Cornelius Nwadialor, Ashley led the Terrors to London Senior Cup glory in 2021.

#### <u>Andy Hunt (Joint Manager)</u>

Appointed as Joint Manager in February, Andy brings a wealth of knowledge and player contacts at this level and will work alongside Ashley Bosah as the team try to secure their Step 4 status. Previously manager at Godalming Town and Fleet Town, Andy has been concentrating on developing a successful International Football Academy over the last few years as well as working in the U23 Academy at Hartley Wintney where he has established impressive credentials.

#### Bruno Silva (Physiotherapist)

Bruno is a product of the University of East London having graduated in July 2018. Worked with the first team last season, being appointed as first team Physiotherapist for the last couple of months due to the departure of the previous incumbent, Amalia Kennet. Also working with Crystal Palace FC as one of the U9 -16 Sports Therapists, Bruno has a huge passion for football, and is keen to play his part in helping the club to grow. Now a cult hero with the 'Bog End' faithful, you'll hear their appreciation of him if his services are called on today.

#### Dan Yankah (coach)

Dan has been at Tooting & Mitcham since the latter stages of the 2017–18 season, taking on a voluntary role under the guidance of Ashley Bosah. After impressing the coaching team during this period, Dan was offered the U18 assistant role alongside Jordan Wilson. Now the Academy Manager and Mentor, leading the clubs' scholars in the multiple league and cup competitions they compete in, Dan has guided his teams to six trophies in the last two seasons. Also serves the first team as a coach and a matchday motivator.

#### Tony Hart (coach)

Tony works with the club's Academy Scholars on a daily basis as Academy Coach. Having previously graduated from the Academy himself, Tony is in a unique position to empathise with our Scholars whilst knowing how best to help them in their footballing development. Tony also has a role with the club's youth coaching set up, as well as a key administrative role across all of the clubs footballing sides. Still registered as a player, Tony took his place on the substitutes bench at Guernsey earlier this season but did not feature in the action.

#### Charlie 'Ten Grand' Smith (Kit Man)

Charlie is a long-time servant of the Terrors and earned his nickname after a win with a stunning accumulator bet on Frankie Dettori's 'Magnificent Seven' at Ascot back in September 1996; Charlie is an ever present at every match, and prides himself on an immaculately presented dressing room...

(...until the players arrive!)

# **ISTHMIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE – PREMIER**

POS	TEAM	PL	HW	HD	HL	AW	AD	AL	w	D	L	F	Α	DIFF	PTS
1.	Bishop's Stortford	41	13	6	2	13	1	6	26	7	8	70	33	37	85
2.	Hornchurch	41	15	3	3	9	6	5	24	9	8	96	48	48	81
3.	Canvey Island	41	12	4	4	12	5	4	24	9	8	79	41	38	81
4.	Aveley	41	11	5	5	11	4	5	22	9	10	62	41	21	75
5.	Cray Wanderers	41	12	5	4	8	8	4	20	13	8	76	46	30	73
6.	Lewes	41	12	8	1	7	6	7	19	14	8	79	53	26	71
7.	Enfield Town	41	9	8	3	10	4	7	19	12	10	72	47	25	69
8.	Horsham	41	13	4	3	6	8	7	19	12	10	78	56	22	69
9.	Hastings United	41	10	7	4	9	4	7	19	11	11	61	42	19	68
10.	Billericay Town	41	14	2	5	4	6	10	18	8	15	64	58	6	62
11.	Carshalton Athletic	41	12	3	5	5	7	9	17	10	14	50	52	-2	61
12.	Folkestone Invicta	41	11	3	7	7	2	11	18	5	18	73	63	10	59
13.	Haringey Borough	41	8	3	9	5	8	8	13	11	17	65	73	-8	50
14.	Potters Bar Town	41	8	3	10	7	2	11	15	5	21	53	84	-31	50
15.	Bognor Regis Town	41	8	4	8	6	3	12	14	7	20	68	72	-4	49
16.	Wingate & Finchley	41	7	5	9	5	7	8	12	12	17	52	61	-9	48
17.	Margate	41	5	7	8	6	4	11	11	11	19	46	62	-16	44
18.	Kingstonian	41	5	4	11	5	5	11	10	9	22	42	75	-33	39
19.	Bowers & Pitsea	41	6	6	8	2	3	16	8	9	24	44	76	-32	33
20.	Herne Bay	41	5	5	10	3	4	14	8	9	24	60	96	-36	33
21.	Corinthian-Casuals	41	4	3	13	3	2	16	7	5	29	36	85	-49	26
22.	Brightlingsea Regent	41	5	5	11	0	4	16	5	9	27	40	102	-62	24

# **ISTHMIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE – NORTH**

POS	TEAM	PL	HW	HD	HL	AW	AD	AL	w	D	L	F	Α	DIFF	PTS
1.	Hashtag United	37	18	1	0	14	0	4	32	1	4	101	35	66	97
2.	AFC Sudbury	37	17	1	1	12	3	3	29	4	4	90	31	59	91
3.	Lowestoft Town	37	12	4	2	10	4	5	22	8	7	87	50	37	74
4.	Felixstowe & Walton United	37	13	2	3	8	4	7	21	6	10	74	43	31	69
5.	Heybridge Swifts	37	13	1	5	7	8	3	20	9	8	64	37	27	69
6.	Grays Athletic	37	12	4	2	9	2	8	21	6	10	60	40	20	69
7.	Stowmarket Town	37	9	4	5	10	2	7	19	6	12	61	44	17	63
8.	New Salamis	37	9	6	4	5	7	6	14	13	10	63	63	0	55
9.	Brentwood Town	37	7	7	4	7	3	9	14	10	13	54	50	4	52
10.	Wroxham	37	8	4	7	5	7	6	13	11	13	52	52	0	50
11.	Bury Town	37	8	6	5	5	5	8	13	11	13	37	39	-2	50
12.	East Thurrock United	37	6	3	10	8	4	6	14	7	16	46	53	-7	49
13.	Gorleston	37	7	2	10	5	3	10	12	5	20	48	71	-23	41
14.	Maldon & Tiptree	37	4	4	10	7	2	10	11	6	20	40	57	-17	39
15.	Basildon United	37	5	8	5	4	4	11	9	12	16	44	63	-19	39
16.	Witham Town	37	5	4	10	4	1	13	9	5	23	42	75	-33	32
17.	Tilbury	37	1	4	13	6	2	11	7	6	24	36	76	-40	27
18.	Coggeshall Town	37	3	4	11	2	6	11	5	10	22	26	60	-34	25
19.	Great Wakering Rovers	37	2	3	13	4	3	12	6	6	25	44	86	-42	24
20.	Hullbridge Sports	37	4	1	14	2	3	13	6	4	27	35	79	-44	22

# **ISTHMIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE – SOUTH EAST**

POS	TEAM	PL	HW	HD	HL	AW	AD	AL	w	D	L	F	Α	DIFF	PTS
1.	Chatham Town	37	15	4	0	8	3	7	23	7	7	61	34	27	76
2.	Ramsgate	37	11	6	2	8	6	4	19	12	6	70	46	24	69
3.	Whitehawk	37	14	2	2	6	6	7	20	8	9	63	36	27	68
4.	Beckenham Town	37	12	5	2	8	2	8	20	7	10	62	49	13	67
5.	Cray Valley PM	37	11	3	4	8	5	6	19	8	10	68	37	31	65
6.	Sheppey United	37	9	5	5	10	2	6	19	7	11	69	52	17	64
7.	Hythe Town	37	11	6	1	8	1	10	19	7	11	47	34	13	64
8.	Ashford United	37	9	6	3	7	3	9	16	9	12	56	45	11	57
9.	Sevenoaks Town	37	9	3	6	8	3	8	17	6	14	57	48	9	57
10.	Chichester City	37	12	4	3	2	7	9	14	11	12	52	46	6	53
11.	Sittingbourne	37	7	6	6	6	6	6	13	12	12	49	39	10	51
12.	Littlehampton Town	37	7	5	6	5	4	10	12	9	16	46	58	-12	45
13.	Three Bridges	37	10	3	6	1	6	11	11	9	17	54	60	-6	42
14.	East Grinstead Town	37	9	2	7	3	4	12	12	6	19	40	67	-27	42
15.	Lancing	37	9	3	6	2	4	13	11	7	19	44	59	-15	40
16.	Burgess Hill Town	37	5	3	10	5	5	9	10	8	19	49	62	-13	38
17.	VCD Athletic	37	6	4	9	4	3	11	10	7	20	42	65	-23	37
18.	Haywards Heath Town	37	5	7	7	3	5	10	8	12	17	50	77	-27	36
19.	Faversham Town	37	5	3	10	2	4	13	7	7	23	39	74	-35	28
20.	Corinthian	37	3	4	12	3	5	10	6	9	22	30	60	-30	27

# **SUBURBAN LEAGUE U23's – NORTH DIVISION**

POS	TEAM	Р	w	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Flackwell Heath FC De	16	13	1	2	35	40
2	Harrow Borough FC U23	15	11	3	1	26	36
3	Uxbridge FC U23	15	8	5	2	19	29
4	Wokingham & Emmbrook Reserves	15	6	2	7	-8	20
5	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos FC Development	13	5	3	5	-4	18
6	Tring Athletic Development	14	4	1	9	-7	13
7	Brook House FC Reserves	15	3	3	9	-19	12
8	Marlow FC U23	14	3	1	10	-19	10
9	Hartley Wintney U21	15	3	1	11	-23	10

DATE		RESULTS		COMPETITION
08.04.23	Hartley Wintney U21	3-2	Harrow Borough	North Division
08.04.23	<b>Brook House Reserves</b>	0-2	Uxbridge U23	League Cup 2022-23
08.04.23	Sheerwater U23	3-3 (3-2 Pens)	Flackwell Heath Development	League Cup 2022-23
11.04.23	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos Dev	1-5	Beaconsfield Town	Michael Bidmead Cup 2022-23
11.04.23	Flackwell Heath Development	р-р	Hartley Wintney U21	League Cup 2022-23
11.04.23	Harrow Borough U23	3-0	Brook House Reserves	League Cup 2022-23
11.04.23	Walton & Hersham U23	4-1	Wokingham & Emmbrook Res	League Cup 2022-23
15.04.23	Flackwell Heath Development	2-1	Marlow U23	League Cup 2022-23
15.04.23	Harrow Borough U23	3-1	Tring Athletic Development	League Cup 2022-23
15.04.23	Uxbridge U23	4-1	<b>Brook House Reserves</b>	League Cup 2022-23
15.04.23	Wokingham & Emmbrook Res	1-3	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos Dev	League Cup 2022-23
18.04.23	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos Dev	3-1	<b>Brook House Reserves</b>	North Division
18.04.23	Flackwell Heath Development	5-0	Marlow U23	North Division
		FIXTURES		
22.04.23	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos Dev	V	Harrow Borough U23	North Division
22.04.23	Marlow U23	V	Tring Athletic Development	North Division
22.04.23	Hartley Wintney U21	V	Wokingham & Emmbrook Res	League Cup 2022-23
25.04.23	Wokingham & Emmbrook Res	V	Uxbridge	North Division
26.04.23	Tring Athletic Development	V	<b>Brook House Reserves</b>	North Division
26.04.23	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos Dev	V	Flackwell Heath Development	League Cup 2022-23
27.04.23	Marlow U23	V	Hartley Wintney U21	League Cup 2022-23
29.04.23	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos Dev	V	Marlow U23	North Division
29.04.23	Tring Athletic Development	V	Brook House Reserves	League Cup 2022-23
02.05.23	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos Dev	V	Hartley Wintney U21	North Division
02.05.23	Marlow U23	V	Wokingham & Emmbrook Res	League Cup 2022-23

# **ISTHMIAN YOUTH – WEST DIVISION**

POS	TEAM	PL	HW	HD	HL	AW	AD	AL	w	D	L	F	Α	DIFF	PTS
1.	Beaconsfield Town	12	6	1	0	3	0	2	9	1	2	34	18	16	28
2.	Camberley Town	13	6	1	1	2	1	2	8	2	3	41	14	27	26
3.	Bedfont Sports	15	3	2	2	3	1	4	6	3	6	32	27	5	21
4.	Uxbridge	13	5	1	1	0	3	3	5	4	4	25	35	-10	19
5.	Northwood	13	2	1	2	2	1	5	4	2	7	26	38	-12	14
6.	Hampton & Richmond Borough	12	0	0	5	1	0	6	1	0	11	8	34	-26	3

DATE		RESUL	TS	COMPETITION
06.04.23	Northwood	0-4	Camberley Town	West Division
06.04.23	Uxbridge	1-0	Hampton & Richmond Borough	<b>West Division</b>
11.04.23	Hampton & Richmond Borough	0-1	Bedfont Sports	West Division
12.04.23	Hampton & Richmond Borough	0-5	Camberley Town	West Division
13.04.23	Uxbridge	3-1	<b>Bedfont Sports</b>	<b>West Division</b>
17.04.23	Beaconsfield Town	3-1	Uxbridge	<b>West Division</b>
17.04.23	Bedfont Sports	1-4	Hampton & Richmond Borough	West Division
19.04.23	Hampton & Richmond Borough	0-2	Northwood	West Division
20.04.23	Camberley Town	0-2	Beaconsfield Town	West Division
		FIXTUR	RES	
21.04.23	Hampton & Richmond Borough	V	Uxbridge	<b>West Division</b>
24.04.23	Beaconsfield Town	V	Camberley Town	West Division
24.04.23	Uxbridge	V	Hampton & Richmond Borough	<b>West Division</b>
27.04.23	Hampton & Richmond Borough	V	Camberley Town	West Division
28.04.23	Northwood	V	Beaconsfield	West Division
0105.23	Beaconsfield Town	V	Northwood	West Division