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Alan Lee Reporting Hadley 2 Vs Leverstock Green 2

Leverstock Green were once again denied a first away win in the Southern League by a stoppage time equaliser. The three additional minutes had been played and the referee was about to blow for time when Hadley snatched an equaliser. It would have been a deserved win for Leverstock, who had come from behind to lead against the team second in the league at the start of play.

Leverstock started the game well and went close to a goal in the 7th minute when Josh Dooley hit the bar with a header from a corner. Three minutes later a cross from Isaiah Hilaire was met by Luke Beckwith at the near post but he couldn't quite divert his shot on target. The game was evenly-fought for much of the half, but five minutes before the break the home side took the lead. After a shot from Billy Hayes was tipped onto the bar and over by Alfie Bonfield, the resulting corner caused a goalmouth scramble in which Isaac Stones forced the ball home. The goal stood despite protests from the Leverstock side that there had been a push in the buildup. The second half was similarly competitive. In the 51st minute Rio Beach was released down the left on a run before crossing for Rawn Seale, whose shot bounced up off the ground and was tipped over the bar by a spectacular save from home keeper Charlie Taylor. Seale was unlucky again in the 62nd minute when his overhead shot went just wide.

Leverstock kept pushing and finally got their reward in the 72nd minute. Beach made another good run into the box before squaring across goal for Beckwith, who lashed home a fierce shot for the equaliser. It got even better for Leverstock four minutes later. Ademide Baruwa was near the angle of the penalty area when he hit a low shot along the ground which went through a crowd of players. Taylor was unsighted and dived too late to stop the ball going into the bottom corner of the net for a 2-1 Leverstock lead.

Radu-Mihai Stefanoaica had made his return from injury off the bench during the second half and had the chance to further extend the Leverstock lead ten minutes from time, running clear of the Hadley defence but putting his eventual shot just over the bar. Leverstock still held their lead as the game went into stoppage time, and they looked to have weathered a period of intense Hadley pressure as the referee looked set to blow for time with three minutes played, but the game went on and out of nowhere Stones blasted a shot from the edge of the penalty area that gave Bonfield no chance and rescued a point for his side.

Even then the referee played further time after the restart and Bonfield had to make a save just to preserve the Leverstock point, but the game eventually finished 2-2. Leverstock now have an 11-day break before their next game, which should hopefully allow some of the many players missing through injury today to get fit again.

Hadley (1) **2** (Stones 40, 90+4)

1. Charlie Taylor, 2. Callum Ismail (16. George Alfieri 79 mins), 3. Caoilan McGettigan, 4. Hedley Ogbebor, 5. Luke Massingham, 6. Hermes Gbio, 7. Finley Aldridge (17. Toby Goudl 59 mins), 8. Jordan Edwards (18. Cameron Ferguson H/T), 9. Isaac Stones, 10. Billy Hayes (14. Peter Rosemin 85 mins), 11. Luke Alfano. Sub not used: 12. Panny Boxer.

Leverstock Green (0) 2 (Beckwith 72, Baruwa 76)

1. Alfie Bonfield, 2. Josh Dooley, 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Weeks, 18. Eyituoyo Akinbulumo, 6. Ademide Baruwa, 7. Lewis Collins (17. Radu-Mihai Stefanoaica 66 mins), 8. Nat Connolly, 9. Rawn Seale, 10. Luke Beckwith (15. Callum Neal 85 mins), 11. Isaiah Hilaire (12. Jamie Breen 79 mins). Subs not used: 14. Tyrone Kumi, 16. Cem Poyraz.

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| Alfie Bonfield | 6. Ben Stallard |
| Callum Neale | 7. Luqman Kassim |
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| Curtis Dibley | 17. Kian Henry |
| Lewis Croucher | |
| Lewis Collins | |

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Alan Lee Reporting Ware 1 Vs Leverstock Green 0

<u>Leverstock Green FC</u> fell to a narrow defeat in Tuesday night's Southern League Division One Central fixture at home to Ware. After a first half in which Leverstock played very well, they went into half time a goal down, and the visitors generally had the better of the second half.

Fergus Moore continues to be plagued by injuries, with Guiseppe Delgaudio, Radu-Mihai Stefanoaica, Ryan Carruthers, Gary Connolly and Jamie Breen among those unfit to play in this game. Leverstock created some good chances in the first half. In the 11th minute Ademide Baruwa set up a chance for Luke Beckwith after the referee had played a good advantage, but Beckwith's effort was wide. Baruwa played a superb pass in the 25th minute to put Rio Beach through on goal, but his shot was kept out by keeper Fred Burbidge. In the 33rd minute a cross from Beach had Dan Pett diving in to meet it, but it just eluded him.

Having been the better side throughout the half, <u>Leverstock Green FC</u> found themselves a goal down in the 40th minute. Alfie Bonfield did well to tip a close-range header onto the bar, but Jon Clements followed up to head home the rebound.

The second half saw Ware miss a number of good chance to extend their lead. In the 56th minute Mackye Townsend-West had a free header from a corner, but couldn't divert it on target, and six minutes later another good chance from a corner was missed. In the 68th minute Jack Dreyer hit the bar with a shot from the edge of the box.

<u>Leverstock Green FC</u> had created little in the second half, but in the closing minutes they came close to finding the equaliser. Ethan Mooney was denied by a save from point-blank range in the 81st minute, and Beach had a shot from similarly close range saved by Burbidge in the 89th minute. Deep into stoppage time Rawn Seale stabbed an effort towards goal that was going in until it was kept out by a last-ditch goalline clearance.

Leverstock Green FC (0) 0

1. Alfie Bonfield, 2. Ethan Mooney (17. Cem Poyraz 86 mins), 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Weeks, 18. Eyituoyo Akinbulumo, 6. Ademide Baruwa, 7. Lewis Collins (14. Isaiah Hilaire 66 mins), 8. Dan Pett, 9. Rawn Seale, 10. Nat Connolly (16. Callum Moore 82 mins), 11. Luke Beckwith (15. Tyrone Kumi 73 mins). Sub not used: 12. Josh Dooley.

Ware FC (1) **1** (Clements 40)

1. Fred Burbidge, 2. Chukuma Okotcha, 3. David Sota, 4. Jack Dreyer, 5. Mackye Townsend-West, 6. Jay Rolfe, 7. Johnny Allotey, 8. Max Granville, 9. Jon Clements, 10. Thomas Kay (15. Gabriel Chapps H/T), 11. Joe Dearman. Subs not used: 12. Mitchel Hahn, 14. Isaac Evans, 19. Lewis Thomas.



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Alan Lee Reporting Leighton Town 2 Vs Leverstock Green 2

<u>Leverstock Green FC</u> twice came from behind to earn another point in the Southern League Division One Central. The Leverstock side turned in a very hard-working and battling performance against Leighton Town and were well worth their point against a team in good form recently.

It wasn't a great start for Leverstock as the visitors took the lead in the 8th minute from a very straightforward goal. Charlie Pattison rose unchallenged at the near post to head home a corner.

However, <u>Leverstock Green FC</u> got themselves into the game and went close to an equaliser in the 26th minute as a pass from Luke Beckwith put Guiseppe Delgaudio in on goal, but visiting keeper Connor Hunt saved Delgaudio's shot. The equaliser came seconds later, though, as a pass from Delgaudio put Lewis Collins clean through on goal, and Collins took the ball round Hunt before slotting into the empty net for 1-1.

It looked like the scores would be level at the break, but in first half stoppage time Leverstock conceded again from a corner. Jack Sayell's header was saved by Alfie Bonfield, but the rebound was not cleared and Sayell pounced to force the loose ball home for a 2-1 Leighton lead.

Seven minutes into the second half Leverstock were awarded a penalty as Hunt brought down Dan Pett inside the box as he chased a rebound. Beckwith stepped up to take the spot kick and sent it past Hunt to level the scores again at 2-2.

Leverstock Green FC went close to going in front for the first time in the 66th minute. A neat reverse pass from Pett gave Collins the chance to show his pace and race clear of the Leighton defence, however Collins' eventual shot went across goal and just eluded Delgaudio sliding in at the far post. Tolu Ikuyinminu had the best chance for Leighton to win the game in the 71st minute when through on goal, but hit his shot wide under pressure from a Leverstock defender. Leighton put the Leverstock goal under quite a bit of pressure in the closing minutes, but they held out to claim the point from an entertaining game.

Leverstock Green (1) 2 (Collins 26, Beckwith 53 pen)

1. Alfie Bonfield, 2. Ethan Mooney, 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Weeks, 18. Eyituoyo Akinbulumo, 6. Nat Connolly, 7. Lewis Collins (17. Rawn Seale 69 mins), 8. Dan Pett, 9. Guiseppe Delgaudio (16. Tyrone Kumi 82 mins), 10. Lewis Croucher (12. Ademide Baruwa 57 mins), 11. Luke Beckwith (15. Isaiah Hilaire 76 mins). Sub not used: 14. Josh Dooley.

Leighton Town (2) 2 (Pattison 8, Sayell 45+1)

1. Connor Hunt, 2. Charlie Stirland, 3. Sebastian Simpson, 4. Ben Farrell (17. Alfie Tucker 69 mins), 5. Luke Tingey, 6. Lee Cooksey, 7. Samuel King, 8. Jack Sayell (12. Emmanuel Dahle 69 mins), 9. Lynton Goss, 10. Charlie Pattison, 11. Tolu Ikuyinminu (16. Kyle Boyce 79 mins). Subs not used: 14. Harry Tucker, 15. Ben Ford.



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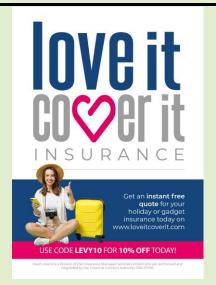




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Alan Lee Reporting Cheshunt 1 Vs Leverstock Green Reserves 2

It was a fourth straight away league win for Leverstock Green Reserves, as they came from a goal down to win 2-1 at Cheshunt FC Development with goals from Alex Vtornicov and Callum Moore.

Harry Maloret
Alfie Herd
Reece Marchant
Jack Evans
Bobby O'Flynn
Freddie Newing
Jose Costa
Ronnie Brennan
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Alex Vtornicov

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Aylesbury United Club History

Aylesbury United were founded in 1897 when three local sides: Night School FC, The Printing Works and Aylesbury Town decided to merge. The club, affectionately known as 'the Ducks' due to the famous 'Aylesbury' breed, have experienced some incredible highs over their long 112-year history but now battle for existence without a home ground to call their own.

In the early years United played in local leagues before joining the Spartan League in 1908 where they remained until the Second World War.

1951 saw the Ducks gain their first taste of national publicity as they became the only club from the Delphian League ever to reach the First Round Proper of the FA Cup, eventually losing to Division Three side Watford.

Aylesbury decided to turn semi-professional in 1976 and joined the Southern League, a move which got the ball rolling on the club's most successful period. A number of events followed which were to help: In 1983 the club appointed Trevor Gould as manager, and then a year later a young local lad called Cliff Hercules made his debut, unaware that he was to become the most successful player in the club's history. 'Hercy' was, and still is, an Aylesbury icon, and some 20-years later he finally hung up his boots having smashed the club records with 669 appearances and scoring 301 goals.

Promotion to the Southern Premier was soon achieved and shortly afterwards the Ducks moved to their new Buckingham Road stadium. This gave the town a new impetus and Gould's talented squad secured the Southern League Championship in 1987/88 and gained promotion to the GM Vauxhall Conference.

United then hit the headlines again, becoming the only non-league side ever to take on the full England team, as over 6000 packed into Buckingham Road to see the Ducks take on the Three Lions. Unfortunately United's brush with the non-league elite only lasted one season, after which the club were relegated to the Isthmian League.

During the period between 1985 and 1992, Aylesbury boasted the best FA Cup record of any side outside the Football League, reaching at least the First Round Proper every season. The highlights being a victory over then Division Four leaders Southend United, a narrow extra time replay defeat against Northampton Town, and being shown live across Europe against Walsall.

Ironically though, it wasn't Gould, the club's most successful manager, who lead the Ducks to their greatest FA Cup achievement, it was his successor Steve Ketteridge in 1994/95. Once again the club became media celebrities as the 'Duck Walk' goal celebration was shown around the world, as Aylesbury went on to reach the Third Round Proper where they lost to Premiership side Queen's Park Rangers at Loftus Road.

Ketteridge delivered the Isthmian League Cup title to Aylesbury, but it was to be the beginning of a rollercoaster ride for the Buckinghamshire club. After almost going out of business, the Ducks were pipped to the Isthmian League title by Sutton United a year later, despite heading the table for long periods. The following season saw United back in administration and fighting for survival both on and off the pitch.

Despite defeating Football League side Reading in the Berks and Bucks Senior Cup, for the second time in four seasons, the club was relegated to Division One for the first time in their history.

In October 2000, the legendary Hercules took time out from his duties as the club's Community Development Officer to manage the Ducks, and in his brief spell in charge he secured United's promotion back to the Isthmian Premier Division and extended the club's proud FA Cup record with a First Round trip to Port Vale.

2002/03 saw Aylesbury returned to national prominence twice. Firstly the club was privileged to play a major part in an England get together as the Buckingham Road facilities were used by Sven Goran Eriksson for a media conference and by the squad for a training session. Secondly the club made their first ever appearance in the semi-final of the FA Trophy, where the Ducks were beaten by eventual winners Burscough.

For varying reasons the club then began to cycle through a string of managers at an average rate of two a season – namely Chris Boothe, Kevin Wilson, Paul Curtis, Danny Nicholls, Jon Franklin, Tony Thompson and Mark Eaton.

But nothing was to match the low point of summer 2006. Former Chairman Bill Carroll failed in his plans to convert the Buckingham Road playing surface to a 3rd generation artificial surface, what he described as his 'last ditch' idea for creating a viable football club, when the Southern League and FA baulked at his ideas.

Carroll decided to cut ties with the club he had been involved with since 1997, and popular local businessman Graham Read took over the club. But in a cruel twist Aylesbury were left homeless after their lease expired.

Since that time Aylesbury have been forced to play their 'home' matches some twenty miles out of Aylesbury whilst the committee work hard keeping the club alive. The campaign to 'Bring the Ducks Home' was launched in earnest, and has generated plenty of publicity, but so far, sadly, nothing concrete in terms of a new home for the club.

There are still plenty of reasons to remain positive; a glance to our near neighbours Slough Town, who now have definite plans for a new stadium in place to end their own exile, just goes to show that with patience and perseverance it can be done, and Aylesbury United will return to their rightful place eventually.

On the pitch the club continued to do remarkably well, going close to the playoff positions in the Midlands Division for the next three seasons but a new challenge arose last summer when the previous manager defected clubs, taking almost the entire playing squad with him.

This lead to another tumultuous season which saw Martin Stone initially appointed as manager, but due to personal reasons he had to renege on his appointment less than two weeks before the first game of the season. His assistant, Byron Walton, briefly stepped into the mantle and did a sterling job in assembling a competitive team in such a short space of time. He has now moved on and former United defender Tony Joyce has moved from Buckingham Town to become the club's new permanent manager.

Unfortunately Joyce was unable to prevent the club's slide – which had seen them amass just one league win by October – and the club were relegated to the Spartan South Midlands League. However, Joyce built a new and strong squad which finished 6^{th} in the league in 2010/11.

Season 2011/12 saw further progression in the league with the Ducks eventually finishing 4th after a strong run of results at the tail end of the season. There was disappointment, however in the cups with the team being out of all cup competitions by mid November.

"The 2012/13 season saw the club competing for the title, being in the top four for the entire season. Finally finishing second to Dunstable Town, we gained promotion to the Southern League courtesy of the FA's restructuring of the feeder leagues and the additional promotional places that created.

The season was capped by securing the Spartan League premier Division Cup, beating Hadley 3-2 after extra time.

The Ducks first season back in the Southern league saw them achieve a creditable 12th place finish in a strong division. Other highlights from the season was a much better FA Cup run and notable victories against Southern Premier League opponents Hemel Hempstead Chesham and Burnham in the Berks and Bucks Senior Cup and The Red Insure Cup.

The 2014/15 season saw the club finish in 13th place but made the final of the Berks and Bucks Senior Cup for the first time in ten years where we lost 4-0 to Maidenhead United from the Vanarama Conference South.

After a disappointing start to the 2015/16 season, Tony Joyce tendered his resignation after 6 years at the club and was replaced by Glyn Creaser who had been coach under Tony. In Glyn's first full season in charge, he led the club to the semi-final of the Southern League club, before losing at Premier Division St Ives. He also guided the team to 13th position in the Central Division. While work continues trying to identify opportunities to return to

playing in Aylesbury, after 2 seasons ground sharing at the ASM Stadium at Thame, a decision was made to return to The Meadow, the home of Chesham FC for the 2017/18 season.

After a disappointing start to the league campaign, the Ducks relieved manager Glyn Creaser of his responsibilities following a 6-1 home defeat against Cambridge City in Dec 17, with the team lying 2nd from the bottom of the table. His assistant Ben Williams was appointed caretaker manager in his place, before being appointed in a full time capacity in Jan 18. Ben steadied the ship successfully, integrating a number of new young players and developing a great team spirit, which saw the Ducks rise to 13th in the league, winning 9 of their last 13 matches.

2019-20 began in promising fashion, with the Ducks unbeaten in the first nine league games, and winning ties in both the FA Cup and FA Trophy. Despite a slight dip in form, the Ducks remained in the play-offs before the season was curtailed early and voided due to the global Covid-19 pandemic.

The 2020-21 season suffered the same fate, abandoned after just two months. But that was still long enough for the Ducks to suffer heartbreak in the FA Cup, losing a penalty shoot-out to Moneyfields (in a game that had already seen four penalties) – before bouncing back to win on penalties against Tilbury in the FA Trophy.

There were hopes the form from the two cancelled seasons could be maintained, and 2021-22 began well with out best run in the FA Cup for a decade – scoring more goals than eventual winners Liverpool before being knocked out 1-0 by National League South side Ebbsfleet United. Just outside the play-offs at Christmas, the team unfortunately suffered a collapse in form, losing 10 consecutive games before rallying to avoid a relegation scrap, and finishing in 14th place.

The 2022-23 season was the club's 125th anniversary, but despite a good start, a series of negative results saw Ben Williams step down as manager. Jack Wells was appointed in October in his place, with the club hovering at the foot of the table. Results began to improve, but it took until the final month of the season – and four victories in five games, including a crucial injury-time away victory over fellow strugglers Highworth Town - when another season of Southern League football was secured with a 15th place finish.

The 2023/24 season saw some good results achieved against teams challenging at the top of the league, although there have also been some poor results against struggling teams, meaning the Ducks entered 2024 in a precarious position. Following defeat at Barton Rovers in January, Wells was sacked, with ex-Spurs, Sheffield United and Crystal Palace defender David Tuttle asked to lead the team until the end of the season, charged with maintaining Step 4 football for the club. A good end of season saw this achieved, securing Step 4 football for another season and leading to Tuttle being installed as the permanent manager.

Management Profiles

David Tuttle Manager

Appointed to the manager's role on an interim basis in Jan 24. A former professional Tuttle was a central defender player who had spells at Tottenham, Sheffield United, Crystal Palace, Barnsley and Millwall. After his playing career, he turned his attention to management, first with Milwall and Swindon and then with non-league clubs including Bracknell Town, Hartley Wintney and Burnham. Latterly he was manager at AFC Aldermarston.

Hamzah Collins Coach

Hamzah is a UEFA B qualified coach, with a Masters degree in performance coaching. He has more than 10 years coaching experience, including a sports science internship with Cardiff City. He has coaching experience at step five with both Bilston Town and Continental Star, in addition to roles with Maccabi GB and Meadvale Valley Park, and first linked up with Dave Tuttle as part of the management team at AFC Aldermaston.

Alex Pluck Coach

Alex is currently a PDC Coach at Norwich City FC Regional Development Programme, and is studying sports coaching and development at the University of South Wales.

Grace Wellstood Physio

Grace joined the club as part of Dave Tuttle's backroom team towards the end of the 2023/24 season, having previously worked for Hemel Hempstead FC in Jan 24

Playing Staff

Goalkeepers

Jack Hopwood

Jack has returned for a 3rd spell with the Ducks after a season at Kidlington FC. A firm fans favourite in his previous spells at the club, he initially joined the club from Tring Athletic in February 2018 and quickly showed his quality by starting his Aylesbury career with an impressive three successive clean sheets, going on to add three more in his first 13 appearances for the Ducks. Jack left the club in Summer 2021 following his relocation, but returned just over a year later. He was named the joint-Players' Player of the Season and Supporters' Player of the Season in 2023-24, but left to join Kidlington, where he also won Player of the Season the following season. He is close to making 100 appearances for the Ducks and is welcomed back.

Luke Daley

Goalkeeper signed in August 2024 as cover for Jack Hopwood. Luke has previously played for a number of London and Home Counties based teams, including Hayes & Yeading, Rayners Lane and Hanwell.

Remy Mitchell

Signed for the Ducks in November 2024, from Haringey Borough. Remy has a fine pedigree, having previously played for Arsenal as a youth player before moving to Swansea City and playing for their U21 side.

Defenders

Jack Wood

Long serving club captain, Jack initially joined the club on loan from Luton Town in March 2010, before making the move permanent the following summer. An outstanding and versatile talent, he most commonly lines up in central defence, but has played in a number of defensive and midfield positions when needed. Sixteen-time end of season award winner, Jack has won multiple Supporters' Player of the Year awards (2012/2014/2015/2016/2019/2022), as well as Manager's Player of the Year (2011/2013/2014/2015), and Players' Player of the Year (2011/2013/2014/2016/2018/2019/2023).

Jack is now second on the list of all-time appearances for the Ducks, and by the end of the 2023-24 season had made 619 appearances for the club, just 50 behind club legend Cliff Hercules. He has now scored in excess of 50 goals and continues to display incredible loyalty to the Ducks despite several offers to ply his trade elsewhere. A firm fan's favourite he delighted the supporters by signing on again for what will be his fourteenth season at the start of the 2024-25 season, joining the coaching staff as player liaison.

Liam Batchelor-Morgan

Right back who joined the Ducks in summer 2024, from Biggleswade FC. Has also previously played for Hilltop and Tring Corinthians

Jake Bewley

Ever reliable versatile left sided defender who has barely missed a game since being recruited from United's former landlords Leighton Town in summer 2014, after a four-year association with the Bedfordshire side, having previously played for both Dunstable Town and AFC Dunstable. Jake has now passed 400 appearances for the club; his year-on- year improvement culminated in him being named Supporters' Player of the Year and Players' Player of the Year at the end of the 2016/17 campaign, and then Supporters'/Players' Player of the Year the following season. Always eager to support attacks on the left flank, he has an excellent left foot which can also be turned to set piece speciality, Jake weighing in with a number of direct free kick goals over the course of his Aylesbury career to date.

Liridon Daka

Defender who joined the club when Dave Tuttle took over in early 2024, having previously played under Tuttle at AFC Aldermarston.

Kian Henry

Central defender signed in summer 2024 from Wokingham and Embrook. He was previously a junior with Beaconsfield Town

Charley Tuttle

Charley joined the club in mid February 2024 from Binfield after his father took the manager's role., He began his career as a junior with Oxford United, before signing for National League South Havant and Waterlooville in their title-winning season. Since then the 25-year-old has also played for Marlow, before joining Binfield.

Midfielders

Tom Cove

Talented young wide player who initially joined the Ducks in Dec 23 from Aylesbury Vale Dynamos. He made a good impression in his first spell, scoring 3 goals in 19 appearances. Having left to join AFC Dunstable at the start of the 2024 season, Tom rejoined the Ducks in Oct 24.

Brandon Green

Cultured midfielder who joined the club in the summer of 2024, having previously played for Three Bridges FC.

Kacper Kloc

Twenty year-old utility player links up with Dave Tuttle as he did at AFC Aldermaston. Has also played for Penn and Tyler Green.

Haziz Kone

Kone played against the Ducks for Biggleswade in the final game of the 2023-24 season, before signing for the Ducks in the close season. He has also played for Harlow Town, Walthamstow, and Enfield Borough.

Ben Peters

21 year-old box-to-box midfielder who joined from Risborough Rangers in Dec 23, he was previously part of the Academy 23 set-up with both Slough Town and then at Beaconsfield Town.

Ashis Rai

Midfielder who joined the club in Dec 2024, having come through the Dover Athletic youth set up

Will St Clair Burton

Midfielder who is currently part of the Chesham United development team, and is part of the Ducks squad this season. Was previously with MK Dons academy.

Ben Stallard

Central midfielder signed from Binfield, making 29 appearances in 2023-24. He has also played for Harefield United, Chalfont St Peter, and was a junior with Wycombe Wanderers

Forwards

Sonny French

Attacking midfielder who rejoined the Ducks for a second spell in Oct 24, having spent the last season at Kings Langley. Sonny will be looking to add to his 282 appearances and 62 goals accumulated during his first spell with the club. Took on the extra responsibility as player coach in Dec 24.

Kajetan Halatyn

Joined the club in September 24, signing from Penn & Tyler Green after a prolific last season. Has previously played for Flackwell Heath and Marlow.

Morrison Hashii

Forward who joined from Basingstoke Town in Summer 2024. Prior to joining Basingstoke, Hashii scored an incredible 75 goals in just 86 appearances for London Samurai Rovers at step six and has also played for Albirex Niigata in the Singapore Premier League.

Luqman Kassim

Wide man who signed shortly before the start of the 2024 season, having had a spell in Finnish professional football playing for Norrvalla FF - where he scored more than 80 goals - Vaasan Palloseura, and most recently Järvenpään Palloseura. He has also played for Ascot United in the Isthmian League.

Kamil Zielinski

Forward was one of manager's Dave Tuttle first signings in January 2023 having played under him at AFC Aldermaston, however he didn't make an appearance during the season. Re-signed at the start of the 24-25 season



Alan Lee Reporting Leverstock Green Reserves 5 VS Cockfosters Reserves 1

Leverstock Green Reserves moved level on points at the top of the Herts Senior County League Premier Division with a convincing 5-1 win over Cockfosters Reserves on Saturday. With skipper Connor McGinty having departed for Holmer Green, Freddie Newing took over as captain. The Leverstock side was 3-0 within half-an-hour, and added two further goals in the second half. Alex Vtornicov led the way with a hat-trick, with Jack Evans and Callum Moore also on the scoresheet.

Harry Maloret Kaashan Darr Alfie Herd Jack Evans 🚯 🥅 Bobby O'Flynn Jose Costa ▽ Alex Vtornicov 😂 😂 🚱 Rodger Siluba ▽ Joe Dalli (for Brennan) Matthew Brett (for Newing) Max Drayton (for Siluba) Filip Kastrati (for Costa) Charlie Clarke (for Moore)

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By Matt Babcock

HERE at The Non-League Paper we're more used to muddy Non-League car parks than the shiny floors of swanky London hotels. But, earlier this month, we dusted off our ill-fitting suits for the annual Football Supporters Association awards in Portman Square. Every year The FSA put on a top event to celebrate everything positive about football in this country – with the fans at the heart of the evening.

It was with a lot of pride – and surprise – that this year The NLP was bestowed with the Non-League Award.

Pride because we love working for the paper and covering Non-League football in all four corners of the country. Surprise because of the calibre of nominees in the same category and what they do for the Non-League game.

We've had the pleasure of reporting on George Dowell and the remarkable rise of Worthing under his ownership. Likewise, the impact Torquay United Supporters' Trust have had in the survival of their football club, while Dunstable Town's incredible community work has made waves, including winning one of our own National Game Awards. All three would have been —— and are — hugely deserving. For our part, picking up the award was done so on behalf of hundreds of people, without whom the paper wouldn't hit deadline.

Saturdays are something of an operation. With news and features all signed off, we await the final whistles at all levels and brace for the bombardment of copy and pictures to drop into our inboxes.

Reporters send across their allocated word counts, snappers fire in their best shots of the afternoon, our results guys hurriedly crash in the results and tables, while the sub-editors make the words fit the boxes and add the headlines. Then it's a race against the clock. Somehow we eventually get there, breathe a sigh of relief and get ready to do it all again the following week.

So it's a big thank you from us for all the people who contribute, no matter how big or small, to the paper every week.

It's a huge thank you to our loyal readers who have picked up their copy in the shop – or now online – each week for so many years. And it's a doff of the cap to all the people in Non-League football who give us so many amazing stories to write about each season.

The players, managers and chairs who pick up the phone or put the kettle on to allow us to do so. From FA Cup glory runs to amazing community work, we're never short of brilliant articles to write. To have those efforts recognised is a real honour. We can't wait for another year of wonderful tales – and muddy car parks.

Alan Lee Reporting Leverstock Green Reserves 3 VS Apsley Argyle

Leverstock Green Reserves went to the top of the Herts Senior County League Premier Division with a 3-0 home win over neighbours Apsley Argyle on Saturday. Goalscorers were Jack Evans, Alex Vtornicov and Callum Moore.

Harry Maloret

Bobby O'Flynn V

Alfie Herd ▼

Jack Evans 🚱

Callum Neal

Freddie Newing

Jose Costa

Joe Dalli 🔻

Alex Vtornicov 🚱

Callum Moore 🚱 🔻

Rodger Siluba 🔻

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Alan Lee Reporting Welwyn Garden City U18 3 VS Leverstock Green U18

Second half goals from Archie Baker and Joe Sadler earned Leverstock Green's under-18s another excellent win in the SCFYL Delphian Division as they came away from Thursday night's trip to Welwyn Garden City with a 2-0 result in their favour.

Thomas Morrell Ryan Barry Alfie Hart

Archie Baker 😂

Shae Robinson Neo Mitchell

Joe Sadler 😂

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Alan Lee Reporting Oxhey Jets 2 VS Leverstock Green U18 0

The Under-18s were beaten 2-0 away to Oxhey Jets in Wednesday night's SCFYL Delphian Division game, both goals coming early in the game.

Thomas Morrell

Matthew Brett

Alfie Hart

Oscar Martin

Archie Baker

Shae Robinson

Ryan Barry

Luca Crofts

Kuba Tinriover

Joe Sadler

George Eldridge

Freddie Turner

Luke Dunton

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Alan Lee Reporting Leverstock Green 1 VS Enfield 1

Leverstock Green earned another battling point as they grabbed a late equaliser in Saturday's Southern League Division One Central game at home to Enfield. Fergus Moore's side need to start putting some wins on the board soon, but the manner in which this game was saved and nearly won will be a confidence booster for a side that is still missing several key players through injury.

There was little in the way of chances for either side in the first half. In the 18th minute Enfield's Robert Clark hit a low shot which Alfie Bonfield had to turn round the post. Leverstock went close in the 25th minute when a cross from Callum Neal was brought down by Jamie Breen to set up Guiseppe Delgaudio for a shot on the swivel which hit the bar.

There was a 12 minute delay in the first half after Enfield's Luke Clark sustained a head injury in a collision with Delgaudio. There was some concern at first, but after treatment Clark was able to walk off the pitch under his own steam.

A half time change saw Ryan Carruthers replace the injured Ademide Baruwa. Three minutes into the second half Leverstock found themselves behind through an unfortunate goal. A long goal kick from visiting keeper Lamar Joseph-Johnson deflected off a Leverstock player straight into the path of Sami Bessadi, who was clean through on goal and took the ball around Bonfield before slotting into the empty net.

Leverstock struggled to make any headway for a while, but after some more substitutions they made a strong finish to the game. They went close in the 79th minute when a cross from Carruthers just eluded the head of Delgaudio. Then in the 84th minute a great crossfield pass from Rawn Seale found substitute Lewis Collins in space on the right side of the penalty area with just Joseph-Johnson to beat, and Collins found the perfect finish into the bottom corner of the net to level the scores at 1-1.

It could have been even better for Leverstock in the final minute of stoppage time as a cross from Seale found Luke Beckwith a couple of yards out, but Beckwith couldn't get his header on target and the Green side had to settle for the draw.

Leverstock Green (0) 1 (Collins 84)

1. Alfie Bonfield, 2. Callum Neal (16. Isaiah Hilaire 69 mins), 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Weeks, 5. Josh Dooley, 6. Ademide Baruwa (14. Ryan Carruthers H/T), 7. Jamie Breen (12. Luke Beckwith 62 mins), 8. Dan Pett, 9. Guiseppe Delgaudio, 10. Nat Connolly (15. Lewis Collins 75 mins), 11. Rawn Seale. Sub not used: 17. Freddie Newing.

Enfield (0) 1 (Bessadi 48)

1. Lamar Joseph-Johnson, 2. Benjamin Wyss, 17. Myles John, 5. Matthew Hurley, 6. Joe Babbage (7. Joni Vukaj H/T), 8. Robert Clark (12. Adem Yilmaz 90+5 mins), 3. Luke Clark (9. Kieran Southgate 45+3 mins), 10. Sami Bessadi (4. Sam Coombes 75 mins), 14. Jack Taylor, 11. Callum Taylor, 20. Bradley McClenaghan). Sub not used: 13. George Edgeworth.

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First Team Fixture/Results - 2024

| Date | Venue | Opponents | Comp | Result | Goalscorers |
|--------------|-------|----------------------------|--------|-------------|---|
| Sat 6th Jul | Away | Cockfosters | FRD | L 0-1 | - |
| Tue 9th Jul | Away | Colney Heath | FRD | W 4-1 | Collins, Delgaudio, |
| | · | · | | | Dibley, Baruwa |
| Sat 13th Jul | Away | Rayners Lane | FRD | L 0-4 | - |
| Tue 16th Jul | Home | HADLEY | HCC-1 | L 0-3 | - |
| Sat 20th Jul | Home | BEDFORD TOWN | FRD | L 1-2 | Bangura(p) |
| Tue 23rd Jul | Away | Slough Town | FRD | L 0-3 | - |
| Sat 27th Jul | Away | Broadfields United | FRD | L 3-4 | Delgaudio, Seale, Collins |
| Tue 30th Jul | Away | Harrow Borough | FRD | D 1-1 | Beckwith |
| Sat 3rd Aug | Home | BALDOCK TOWN | FACxp | W 3-1 | Neal, Beach, Beckwith |
| Sat 10th Aug | Home | WELWYN GARDEN CITY | SL1C | L 1-3 | Baruwa |
| Tue 13th Aug | Away | Aylesbury United | SL1C | L 0-1 | - |
| Sat 17th Aug | Home | HEYBRIDGE SWIFTS | FAC-P | D 1-1 | Delgaudio |
| Tue 20th Aug | Away | Heybridge Swifts | FAC-Pr | W 1-1 (4-3) | Collins |
| Sat 24th Aug | Home | BEACONSFIELD | SL1C | D 1-1 | Stefanoaica |
| | | TOWN | | | |
| Mon 26th Aug | Away | Barton Rovers | SL1C | L 1-2 | Stefanoaica |
| Sat 31st Aug | Away | Felixstowe & Walton United | FAC1q | L 1-5 | Stefanoaica(p) |
| Sat 7th Sep | Home | BURY TOWN | FAT1q | W 1-0 | Delgaudio |
| Sat 14th Sep | Home | REAL BEDFORD | SL1C | L 0-3 | - |
| Sat 21at Sep | Home | BARTON ROVERS | FAT2q | L 3-4 | Delgaudio 2, Neal |
| Sat 28th Sep | Away | Northwood | SL1C | D 2-2 | Delgaudio 2 |
| Sat 5th Oct | Away | North Leigh | SL1C | L 2-3 | Neal, Mooney |
| Sat 12th Oct | Home | AFC DUNSTABLE | SL1C | W 4-0 | Seale, Stefanoaica, Mooney, Beckwith |
| Tue 15th Oct | Home | BERKHAMSTED | HSC-1 | W 1-0 | Stefanoaica |
| Sat 19th Oct | Away | Welwyn Garden City | SL1C | L 0-4 | - |
| Mon 21st Oct | Away | Biggleswade FC | SL1C | D 3-3 | Delgaudio 2, Beckwith |
| Sat 26th Oct | Home | LEIGHTON TOWN | SL1C | D 2-2 | Collins, Beckwith(p) |
| Tue 29th Oct | Home | WARE | SL1C | L 0-1 | - |
| Sat 2nd Nov | Away | Hadley | SL1C | D 2-2 | Beckwith, Baruwa |
| Sat 16th Nov | Away | Berkhamsted | SL1C | L 0-1 | _ |
| Sat 30th Nov | Home | ENFIELD | SL1C | D 1-1 | Collins |
| Wed 11th Dec | Away | Kidlington | SL1C | W 3-1 | Breen, Beach, Fleming |
| Sat 14th Dec | Home | FLACKWELL HEATH | SL1C | D 1-1 | Carruthers |
| Tue 17th Dec | Away | Thame United | SL1C | L 0-4 | - |
| Thu 26th Dec | Away | Stotfold | SL1C | 3.00 pm | |
| Sat 28th Dec | Home | AYLESBURY UNITED | SL1C | 3.00 pm | |
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First Team Statistics

| Player | Appearances | Goals | Assists | Yellow Cards | Red Cards |
|---------------------|-------------|-------|---------|--------------|-----------|
| Nat Connolly | 26 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Rio Beach | 25 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Alfie Bonfield | 25 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Lewis Collins | 22 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Luke Beckwith | 21 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Callum Neal | 20 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Ryan Carruthers | 19 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Jamie Breen | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Ademide Baruwa | 18 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Guiseppe Delgaudio | 17 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Dan Pett | 17 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Radu-Mihai | | | | | |
| Stefanoaica | 16 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Dan Weeks | 16 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Ethan Mooney | 15 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Eyituoyo Akinbulumo | 15 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Josh Dooley | 15 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Rawn Seale | 15 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Gary Connolly | 9 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Cem Poyraz | 8 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Isaiah Hilaire | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Alie Bangura | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Tyrone Kumi | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jaden Newman | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Curtis Dibley | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Scott McGleish | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lewis Croucher | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Callum Moore | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Keanu Fleming | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Adam Morley | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Oliwier Fusiek | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Connor McGinty | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ronnie Brennan | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Daniel Isaac | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Alex Desmond | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sam Doolan | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Schilo Mateta Kanda | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shay Kelly | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| John Gyabaah | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Marcus Warren | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Southern League Div One Central - 2024/2025 League Table

| Pos | Club | W | D | L | F | A | GD | Pts |
|-----|-----------------------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1 | Berkhamsted | 15 | 1 | 3 | 54 | 26 | 28 | 46 |
| 2 | Real Bedford | 13 | 3 | 2 | 54 | 15 | 39 | 42 |
| 3 | Flackwell Heath | 12 | 3 | 4 | 40 | 20 | 20 | 39 |
| 4 | Thame United | 13 | 0 | 6 | 40 | 25 | 15 | 39 |
| 5 | Barton Rovers | 12 | 3 | 4 | 41 | 27 | 14 | 39 |
| 6 | Hadley | 11 | 5 | 3 | 41 | 23 | 18 | 38 |
| 7 | Welwyn Garden City | 9 | 4 | 6 | 33 | 25 | 8 | 31 |
| 8 | Aylesbury United | 9 | 2 | 7 | 23 | 18 | 5 | 29 |
| 9 | Ware | 7 | 7 | 7 | 35 | 33 | 2 | 28 |
| 10 | Enfield F.C. | 7 | 6 | 7 | 29 | 29 | 0 | 27 |
| 11 | AFC Dunstable | 8 | 3 | 8 | 27 | 38 | -11 | 27 |
| 12 | Kings Langley | 6 | 6 | 8 | 33 | 34 | -1 | 24 |
| 13 | Biggleswade F.C. | 6 | 6 | 7 | 32 | 35 | -3 | 24 |
| 14 | Beaconsfield Town | 6 | 5 | 9 | 27 | 31 | -4 | 23 |
| 15 | Leighton Town | 5 | 5 | 9 | 28 | 30 | -2 | 20 |
| 16 | Hertford Town | 5 | 5 | 8 | 26 | 34 | -8 | 20 |
| 17 | Stotfold | 5 | 2 | 11 | 18 | 38 | -20 | 17 |
| 18 | Northwood | 5 | 1 | 13 | 21 | 40 | -19 | 16 |
| 19 | Leverstock Green | 2 | 7 | 9 | 23 | 35 | -12 | 13 |
| 20 | Kidlington | 3 | 3 | 13 | 21 | 46 | -25 | 12 |
| 21 | North Leigh | 1 | 3 | 16 | 14 | 58 | -44 | 6 |



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Alan Lee Reporting Oxhey Jets 2 VS Leverstock Green U18 0

There was an excellent result for Leverstock Green Under-18s on Tuesday night as they travelled to free-scoring Crawley Green for an SCFYL Delphian Division fixture with a squad depleted by injuries and unavailability. However, Jon Turner's side pulled out a 3-1 win which takes them to the top of the table for the time being. Kuba Tinriover scored twice with Josh Weidner also finding the net.

Thomas Morrell Matthew Brett Alfie Hart Archie Baker Shae Robinson Luke Dunton

Josh Weidner 👶

Luca Crofts

Kuba Tinriover 😥 🤨

Neo Mitchell

Freddie Turner

Sonny Latham-Gough



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Herts Senior County League Premier Division Table - Reserves

| Pos | Club | W | D | L | F | A | GD | Pts |
|-----|---------------------------------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1 | London Cheetahs | 13 | 2 | 2 | 53 | 15 | 38 | 41 |
| 2 | Chipperfield Corinthians | 12 | 1 | 2 | 54 | 22 | 32 | 37 |
| 3 | Leverstock Green Reserves | 11 | 4 | 2 | 37 | 26 | 11 | 37 |
| 4 | Cuffley | 10 | 4 | 1 | 36 | 18 | 18 | 34 |
| 5 | Allenburys Sports | 8 | 5 | 3 | 50 | 27 | 23 | 29 |
| 6 | Everett Rovers | 9 | 1 | 3 | 66 | 29 | 37 | 28 |
| 7 | Owens FC | 8 | 3 | 7 | 41 | 46 | -5 | 27 |
| 8 | Cockfosters Reserves | 7 | 1 | 9 | 31 | 43 | -12 | 22 |
| 9 | Hinton | 6 | 1 | 9 | 37 | 41 | -4 | 19 |
| 10 | London Lions Development | 6 | 1 | 8 | 30 | 45 | -15 | 19 |
| 11 | Hertford Heath | 4 | 5 | 7 | 34 | 36 | -2 | 17 |
| 12 | Cheshunt FC Development | 3 | 3 | 9 | 21 | 28 | -7 | 12 |
| 13 | OIR FC | 3 | 3 | 9 | 23 | 40 | -17 | 12 |
| 14 | Buntingford Town | 3 | 2 | 11 | 28 | 48 | -20 | 11 |
| 15 | Elneny FC | 2 | 4 | 12 | 39 | 72 | -33 | 10 |
| 16 | Apsley Argyle | 3 | 0 | 14 | 18 | 62 | -44 | 9 |

Reserves Fixtures and Results 2024

| Date Sat 13th Jul | Venue Home | Opponents LEIGHTON TOWN DEVELOPMENT | Comp FRD | Result D 0-0 | Goalscorers |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Tue 23rd Jul | Home | CADDINGTON | FRD | D 4-4 | |
| Sat 27th Jul | Home | TOTTERNHOE | FRD | L 1-2 | |
| Tue 30th Jul | Home | EVERGREEN | FRD | W 5-2 | |
| Sat 3rd Aug | Away | Eagles Land Cricklewood | FRD | L 3-6 | |
| Sat 10th Aug | Away | Codicote Reserves | FRD | W 5-0 | |
| Sat 17th Aug | Away | Apsley Argyle | HSCL | W 4-0 | Moore 2, Marchant, McGinty |
| Tue 20th Aug | Home | LONDON CHEETAHS | HSCL | D 2-2 | Moore, McGinty |
| Tue 27th Aug | Home | ELNENY FC | HSCL | W 3-2 | Moore 2, OG |
| Sat 31st Aug | Away | Cuffley | HSCL | D 0-0 | - |
| Tue 3rd Sep | Home | CHESHUNT FC DEVELOPMENT | HSCL | W 2-1 | Siluba, Adriano |
| Sat 7th Sep | Away | Owens FC | HSCL | W 3-1 | Moore, Adriano 2 |
| Tue 10th Sep | Home | ALLENBURYS SPORTS | HSCL | D 1-1 | Moore |
| Sat 14th Sep | Away | Chipperfield Corinthians | HSCL | L 0-6 | - |
| Sat 21st Sep | Away | OIR FC | HSCL | W 1-0 | Dalli |
| Sat 28th Sep | Home | COCKFOSTERS RESERVES | NAT-1 | L 0-1 | - |
| Sat 5th Oct | Home | CODICOTE | HSCT-1 | L 2-2 (2-4) | McGinty 2p |
| Sat 12th Oct | Away | Buntingford Town | HSCL | W 2-1 | McGinty, Brennan |
| Sat 19th Oct | Away | Hinton | HSCL | W 4-3 | Moore 2, Brennan, Siluba |
| Sat 26th Oct | Away | Cheshunt FC Development | HSCL | W 2-1 | Vtornicov, Moore |
| Sat 2nd Nov | Home | COCKFOSTERS RESERVES | HSCL | W 5-1 | Vtornicov 3, Moore, Evans |
| Sat 9th Nov | Home | APSLEY ARGYLE | HSCL | W 3-0 | Vtornicov, Evans, Moore |
| Sat 16th Nov | Away | Allenburys Sports | HSCL | L 1-5 | Vtornicov |
| Sat 23rd Nov | Away | Hertford Heath | HSCL | D 1-1 | Adriano |
| Sat 21st Dec | Home | HERTFORD HEATH | HSCL | W 3-1 | Vtornicov, Siluba, Adriano |
| Sat 4th Jan | Home | OIR FC | HSCL | 3.00 pm | |
| Sat 18th Jan | Home | HINTON | HSCL | 3.00 pm | |

Reserves Player Stats 2024

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|----------------------|--------------|-------|--------------|-----------|
| Joe Dalli | 19 | 9 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rodger Siluba | 18 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Callum Moore | 18 | 3 12 | 4 | 0 |
| Harry Maloret | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jack Evans | 18 | 3 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Freddie Newing | 17 | 7 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Bobby O'Flynn | 17 | 7 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Alex Vtornicov | 17 | 7 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Jose Costa | 16 | 5 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Michael Adriano | 15 | 5 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Connor McGinty | 14 | 1 5 | 4 | 0 |
| Alfie Herd | 13 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Schilo Mateta-Kanda | 12 | 2 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Ronnie Brennan | 1: | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kaashan Darr | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Filip Kastrati | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Raymond John | 7 | 7 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jack Child | į | 5 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Luc Dischamps | Ţ | 5 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Finley Sykes | 4 | 1 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Reece Marchant | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mikey Havill-Tierney | Ę | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Max Drayton | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Charlie Clarke | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Antonio Edubatey | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Josh Weidner | 2 | 2 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Matthew Brett | 2 | 2 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ethan Horwood | <u> </u> | L 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Oscar Martin | - | L 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Cole Riley-Snow | - | L 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Curtis Dibley | - | L 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas Morrell | - | L 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tyrone Kumi | - | L 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Callum Neal | - | L 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Oliwier Fusiek | - | L 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Daniel Kone | <u>:</u> | L 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ryan Carruthers | <u>:</u> | L 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Aryan Bashashdoust | - | L 0 | 1 | 0 |
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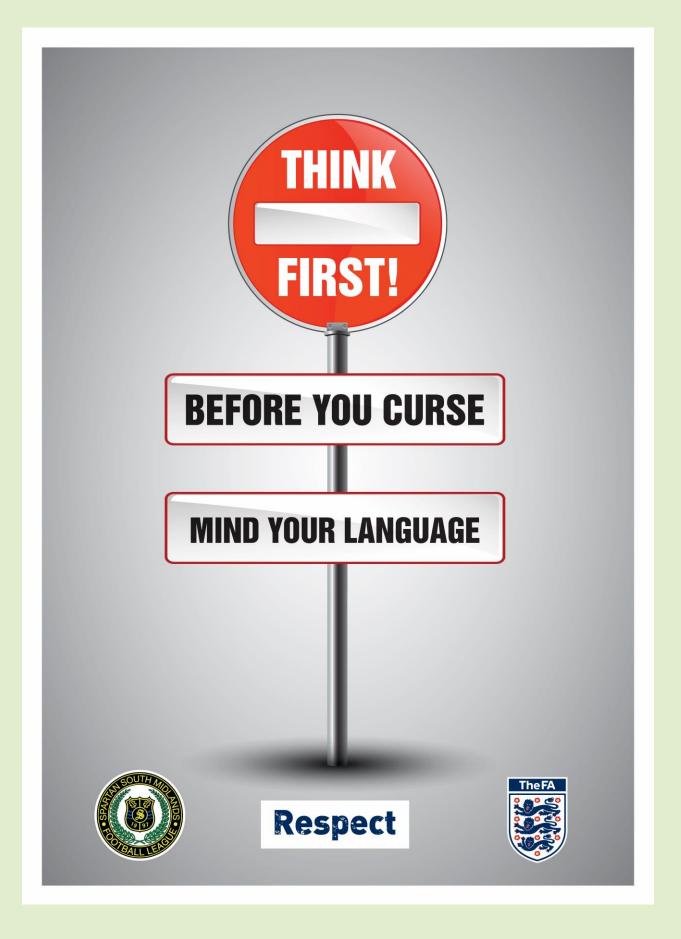
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Southern Counties Floodlit Youth League Delphian Division – Under 18s – League Table

| Pos | Club | W | D | L | F | A | GD | Pts |
|-----|--|---|---|---|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1 | Oxhey Jets U18 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 26 | 11 | 15 | 16 |
| 2 | Leverstock Green U18 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 12 | 5 | 15 |
| 3 | Crawley Green U18 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 27 | 26 | 1 | 12 |
| 4 | Codicote U18 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 25 | 24 | 1 | 12 |
| 5 | Colney Heath U18 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 19 | 10 | 9 | 11 |
| 6 | Letchworth Garden City Eagles U18 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 11 | 0 | 6 |
| 7 | Welwyn Garden City U18 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 20 | 21 | -1 | 6 |
| 8 | Dunstable Town U18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 11 | -4 | 4 |
| 9 | Baldock Town U18 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 13 | 37 | -24 | 3 |

Under 18s

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Fixtures/ Results

| Date | Venue | Opponents | Comp | Result | Goalscorers |
|---------------|-------|-------------------------------------|--------|-------------|------------------------------------|
| Thu 5th Sept | Home | BEACONSFIELD TOWN | FAYC-P | L 1-5 | Eldridge |
| Tue 10th Sept | Away | Letchworth Garden City Eagles | SCYL | W 1-0 | Robinson |
| Thu 10th Oct | Home | ENFIELD BOROUGH | BHC-2 | L 2-2 (4-5) | Eldridge, Robinson |
| Thu 17th Oct | Away | Codicote | SCYL | L 3-5 | Robinson, Eldridge, Mitchell |
| Thu 24th Oct | Home | LETCHWORTH GARDEN CITY EAGLES | SCYL | W 4-2 | Eldridge 3, Martin |
| Tue 29th Oct | Away | Crawley Green | SCYL | W 3-1 | Tinriover 2, Weidner |
| Wed 6th Nov | Away | Oxhey Jets | SCYL | L 0-2 | - |
| Thu 14th Nov | Away | Welwyn Garden City | SCYL | W 2-0 | Hart, Sadler |
| Thu 21st Nov | Home | DUNSTABLE TOWN | SCYL | P-P | |
| Thu 5th Dec | Home | COLNEY HEATH | SCYL | P-P | |
| Thu 12th Dec | Home | CRAWLEY GREEN | SCYL | W 4-2 | |
| Thu 19th Dec | Home | BALDOCK TOWN | SCYL | 7.45 pm | |
| Thu 9th Jan | Home | CODICOTE | SCYL | 7.45 pm | |

Under 18s

Player Stats

| Alfie Hart 8 Archie Baker 8 Luca Crofts 8 Luke Dunton 8 Matthew Brett 7 | |
|---|---|
| Archie Baker 8 Luca Crofts 8 Luke Dunton 8 Matthew Brett 7 | 3 |
| Luca Crofts8Luke Dunton8Matthew Brett7 | 0 |
| Luke Dunton 8 Matthew Brett 7 | 1 |
| Matthew Brett 7 | 0 |
| | 0 |
| Josh Weidner 7 | 0 |
| , | 1 |
| George Eldridge 7 | 6 |
| Freddie Turner 7 | 0 |
| Sonny Latham-Gough 5 | 0 |
| Oscar Martin 5 | 1 |
| Thomas Morrell 6 | 0 |
| Kuba Tinriover 6 | 3 |
| Joe Sadler 5 | 1 |
| Taylor Wilkinson-Ousby 5 | 0 |
| Ryan Barry 5 | 0 |
| Neo Mitchell 5 | 1 |
| Alfie Welham 1 | 0 |
| Max Pepper 1 | 0 |
| Chris McNamee 1 | 0 |
| Leo Rumsby-Ferris 1 | 0 |

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Leverstock Green FC Honours

Honours

| | | | Honours |
|--|--------------------|--------|---|
| | 1954-55 | Joined | Herts County League Division Two |
| | | Herts | County League Division Two runner-up |
| | 1955-56 | Placed | d in Division One "B" for transitional season |
| | 1962-63 | Norm | al league programme cancelled, emergency competition run instead |
| | 1967 | Releg | ated to Division Two |
| | 1973-74 | Herts | County League Division Two runner-up (lost title on goal average) |
| | | Prom | oted to Division One |
| | 1978-79 | Herts | County League Division One Champions |
| | | | oted to Premier Division |
| | 1984 | _ | ated to Division One |
| | 1984-85 | | County League Division One runner-up |
| | | | oted to Premier Division |
| | 1985-86 | | e renamed Herts Senior County League |
| | 1987 | | ated to Division One |
| | 1988-89 | | Senior County League Division One runner-up (list title on goal difference) |
| | 4000.04 | _ | oted to Premier Division |
| | 1990-91 | | Senior County League runner-up |
| | 1991-92 | | d South Midlands League |
| | 1993-94 1995-96 | | d newly formed Senior Division on league re-organisation Midlands League Senior Division rupper up |
| | 1995-96 | | Midlands League Senior Division runner-up Midlands League Senior Division Champions |
| | 1997-98 | | der members of Spartan South Midlands League Senior Division |
| | 2001 | | r Division renamed Division One |
| | 2002-03 | | oted to Premier Division |
| | 2024-25 | _ | oted to Pitching In Southern League Division One |
| | | | vish Charity Cup Winners, |
| | | | |
| | | | Hertfordshire Football Association |
| | 1991-92 | | Herts Charity Shield Runners-up |
| | | | Herts Centenary Trophy R-up |
| | 2002-03 | | Herts Intermediate Cup R-up |
| | 2006-07 201 | 0-11 | Herts Charity Shield Winners |
| | 2011-12 | | Herts Charity Cup R-up |
| | | | |
| | 1005.00 | | Herts Senior County League |
| | 1965-66 | | Reserve Division Three R-up |
| | 1973-74 1978-79 | | Division Two Runners-up Division One Champions |
| | 1978-79 | | Division One Champions Reserve Division Two R-up |
| | 1981-82 | 8-89 | Division One Runners-up |
| | 1007-00 100 | 0 05 | Division One Runners up |

Premier Division Runners-up

1990-91

| | Spartan South Midlands League |
|------------|--|
| 1991-92 | Reserve Division Two R-up |
| 1993-94 | Senior Cup Runners-up |
| 1995-96 | Senior Division Runners-up |
| | Senior Div Best Playing Surface |
| | 1st Equal Best Programme |
| 1996-97 | Senior Division Champions |
| | Senior Div Best Playing Surface |
| | Sportsmanship Cup Winner |
| | Fred Crain Award Winner |
| 1999-2000 | Senior Div Best Playing Surface |
| | Res Div 1 Top Sportsmanship Pts |
| 2000-01 | Sportsmanship Cup Winner |
| | Senior Div Best Programme |
| | Reserve Division One R-up |
| 2001-02 | Sportsmanship Cup Winner |
| 2002-03 | Division One Best Playing Surface |
| | Promoted to Premier Division |
| 2003-04 | Reserve Division One R-up |
| 2004-05 | Reserve Division One Champions |
| 2005-06 | Premier Division Cup Runners-up |
| 2006-07 | Reserve Division One Champions |
| 2008-09 | Reserve Division One R-up |
| 2010-11 | Premier Division Cup Runners-up |
| 2011-12 | Fred Crain Award Winner |
| 2012-13 | Sportsmanship Cup Winner |
| 2015-16 | Napier English Electric Sportsmanship Cup Winner |
| | Southern Counties Floodlit Youth League |
| 2010-11 | Delphian Division Runners-up |
| 2014-15 | Corinthian Division Runners-up |
| 2015-16 | Brian Hitchings Cup Runners-up |
| | Colwyn Cup Runners-up |
| | West Herts FA St Mary's Cup |
| Winners | 2017-18 2022-23 |
| Runners-up | 2005-06 2008-09 2010-11 2013-14 |
| | |

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Runners-up 1983-84 1989-90 1990-91 1991-92

Frank Major Trophy

Winners 1990-91 1991-92

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Where from: Shenley

Position @ Club: Assistant

Manager

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