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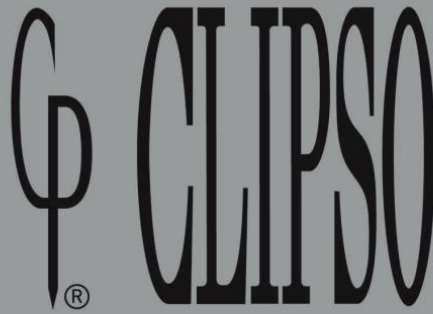
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Alan Lee Reporting

Kidlington 1 Vs Leverstock Green 3

Leverstock Green won their first ever away game since promotion to the Southern League, and it was a crucial three points against fellow strugglers Kidlington.

Since their last game, Fergus Moore has added to his squad with three players on loan from Boreham Wood's academy side, and all three featured tonight, along with John Gyabaah, signed on a dual registration from Colney Heath. Daniel Isaac started at centre back, while Keanu Fleming and Adam Morley came off the bench, the former scoring a superb goal to seal the win.

The home side had the game's first chance, with Felix Robertson heading over the bar from close range in the 5th minute. In the 12th minute Isaac showed some neat footwork outside the opposition penalty area before putting in a low cross. Guiseppe Delgaudio slid in at the near post but his effort was wide. Four minutes later Callum Neal headed over the bar from a corner.

In the 31st minute Alfie Bonfield pulled off the first of several important saves in a goalmouth scramble following a Kidlington free kick. In first half stoppage time Leverstock threatened on the break as Delgaudio carried the ball from the edge of his own penalty area to deep into opposition territory before laying off to Jamie Breen, whose shot was well saved by home keeper Henry Woodcock.

A tight game was goalless at the break, but five minutes into the second half Leverstock made a breakthrough. Breen went on a solo run from the halfway line before slotting a shot past Woodcock from the edge of the penalty area for a 1-0 lead.

The lead could have been doubled ten minutes later when a great pass from Breen put Nat Connolly through on goal, but Woodcock came off his line to save well. Another good chance was missed in the 64th minute when Breen had a clear shooting chance, but took an extra touch and had his effort blocked. It looked as though those misses might prove costly when Kidlington won a penalty in the 66th minute, a challenge from skipper Dan Pett bringing down Powfil Raposo, who had made a dangerous

s run into the box. Raposo sent Bonfield the wrong way from the spot to level the scores at 1-1.

Bonfield made another good save in the 70th minute to keep the scores level, before

Leverstock started using their substitutes. Isaiah Hilaire replaced Breen in the 70th minute, Fleming came on for Luke Beckwith in the 80th minute and Gyabaah replaced Ademide Baruwa in the 85th minute. Seconds after that last change Leverstock were back in front as Rio Beach capped off a spell of pressure around the Kidlington goal with a low shot from the edge of the penalty area past Woodcock for a 2-1 lead.

It got even better for Leverstock three minutes later as Fleming showed his quality with a mazy run into the box before cracking home a fierce shot off the underside of the bar to make it 3-1.

That proved to be enough for Leverstock to take the win, which moves them above Kidlington on goal difference and will be a great confidence booster for the forthcoming games against high-flying Flackwell Heath and Thame United.

Kidlington (0) 1 (Raposo 66 pen)

1. Henry Woodcock, 2. Samuel Jenkins, 3. Conor Taylor, 4. Zarius Edwards-Giraud, 5. Matthew Gunn, 6. Ben Richards, 7. Nathaniel Opoku (17. Fraser Allen 58 mins), 8. Felix Robertson (12. Latham Hawkins 63 mins), 15. Powfil Raposo, 10. Alex Costa, 11. Charlie Bacon. Subs not used: 14. Bogdan Stolboushkin, 16. Mason Muckelberg, 18. Buster Reed.

Leverstock Green (0) 3 (Breen 50, Beach 85, Fleming 88)

1. Alfie Bonfield, 2. Callum Neal, 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Pett, 5. Daniel Isaac (14. Oliwier Fusiek 90+4 mins), 6. Ryan Carruthers, 7. Jamie Breen (17. Isaish Hilaire 73 mins), 8. Ademide Baruwa (15. John Gyabaah 85 mins), 9. Guiseppe Delgaudio, 10. Nat Connolly (18. Adam Morley 90+1 mins), 11. Luke Beckwith (12. Keanu Fleming 80 mins).

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Alan Lee Reporting

Leverstock Green 1 VS Flackwell Heath 1

Leverstock Green were once again close to registering a crucial win in the Southern League Division One Central, but a late equaliser from Flackwell Heath meant they had to settle for their seventh draw of the season.

The starting lineup showed only two changes from Wednesday night's win at Kidlington, one of them being a first start for Oliwier Fusiek, recently signed from Haringey Borough. The first half saw few chances for either side. In the 9th minute a Flackwell Heath free kick went across the face of goal and just eluded two players who were sliding in to finish. Alfie Bonfield made the first of several crucial saves in the 29th minute, keeping out a shot from James Ayres. The closest that Leverstock came in the first half was from a misdirected defensive header that had to be turned over his bar by visiting keeper Carl Dennison.

Three minutes into the second half it was Leverstock that took the lead, from a free kick awarded near the corner flag. Ryan Carruthers aimed directly at goal and it went straight in at the near post as Dennison could only help it into his own net.

Flackwell should have equalised four minutes later when a shot from Matthew Ayres deflected into the path of James Ayres, who had the goal at his mercy but slipped his shot across goal and wide. Leverstock were still holding onto their lead as the game went into the final ten minutes, but Flackwell were now pushing strongly. Bonfield made a good save from Lewis Patrick in the 83rd minute, however three minutes later a ball into the box found Callum

Mapley, who hit a first time low shot that beat Bonfield and levelled the scores.

From there, Leverstock did well to hold out for the point under furious pressure from the visitors. Bonfield made some crucial saves, and his defence held firm with some important blocks and clearances.

Leverstock Green (0) 1 (Carruthers 48)

1. Alfie Bonfield, 2. Callum Neal (16. Adam Morley 75 mins), 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Pett, 5. Oliwier Fusiek, 6. Ryan Carruthers (14. Keanu Fleming 71 mins), 7. Jamie Breen (17. Marcus Warren 78 mins), 8. Ademide Baruwa, 9. Rawn Seale, 10. Nat Connolly, 11. Luke Beckwith (12. Lewis Collins 59 mins). Sub not used: 15. Daniel Isaac.

Flackwell Heath (0) 1 (Mapley 86)

1. Carl Dennison, 2. Kieran Jordan (16. Michael Harding 58 mins), 3. Lewis Patrick, 4. Lewis Pegg, 5. Callum Mapley, 6. Sean McGuinness, 7. Harrison Mephram, 8. Matthew Ayres (17. James Keeley 90 mins), 9. Jeffrey Fordjour (14. Abdellah El Jalaoui 75 mins), 10. James Mulley (15. Cory Hathaway 69 mins), 11. James Ayres (12. Philip Prior 70 mins).



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Alan Lee Reporting

Thame United 4 Vs Leverstock Green 0

Leverstock Green's three-game unbeaten run ended with a 4-0 defeat away to Thame United on Tuesday night. The damage was mostly done during a ten minute spell towards the end of the first half when three goals were scored.

Alfie Bonfield had to make a save within the opening 20 seconds of the game as Brayden Daniel burst through straight from the kick-off, and made another save in the 18th minute to turn a shot from Jefferson Louis round the post.

Leverstock were holding their own in the game until the 32nd minute when the ball was given away in their own half. Dan West picked up the ball and played a one-two with Daniel before firing home a low shot from the edge of the box for the opening goal.

There was almost an instant response from Leverstock. Jamie Breen got free down the left and crossed for Guiseppe Delgaudio. Thame keeper Matt Crowther got a hand to Delgaudio's shot, but it would still have gone in but for a goalline clearance from a defender. Instead of being level, Leverstock found themselves two goals down in the 36th minute as the ball was given away again and the mistake was swiftly punished as Daniel ran straight through the Green defence to slot home the second goal. Three minutes later West headed home at the far post from a corner to put the home side three goals up.

Leverstock needed an early goal in the second half to have a chance, but instead it was Thame who got the early goal as a ball over the top put Daniel clean through and onside to slot home the fourth goal in the 47th minute.

That ended the game as a contest, and the second half was largely a non-event as Thame made a triple substitution in the 63rd minute, withdrawing all their forwards. Leverstock brought on all their young substitutes during the second half, and it was an improved performance, but there were no further serious chances for either side.

Thame United (3) 4 (West 32, 39, Daniel 36, 47)

1. Matt Crowther, 2. Josh Stranks, 3. Leo Galpin (12. Oscar Lucey 76 mins), 4. Mark Riddick, 5. Finlay Murray, 6. Jack Tutton, 7. Greg Hackett, 8. Brayden Daniel (15. Curtis Brown 63 mins), 9. Jefferson Louis (14. Tom McElroy 63 mins), 10. Dan West (16. Hayden Beadle 63 mins), 11. Harry Alexander. Sub not used: 13. Archie Davis.

Leverstock Green (0) 0

1. Alfie Bonfield, 2. Callum Neal, 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Weeks, 5. Dan Pett, 6. Ademide Baruwa, 7. Jamie Breen (15. Oliwier Fusiek 74 mins), 8. Nat Connolly (12. Daniel Isaac 63 mins), 9. Guiseppe Delgaudio (14. Keanu Fleming H/T), 10. Rawn Seale (18. Adam Morley 52 mins), 11. Lewis Collins (17. Callum Moore 80 mins).

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Alan Lee Reporting

Allenbury Reserves 5 Vs Leverstock Green Reserves 1

It was a bad day at the office for league leaders Leverstock Green Reserves as they were beaten 5-1 at Allenburys Sports in Saturday's Herts Senior County League Premier Division game. After playing well during the first half they conceded a goal late on to trail 1-0 at the break. A poor start to the second half saw them concede further goals in the 47th, 49th and 55th minutes, and a red card for Jose Costa in the 58th minute reduced them to ten men.

Alex Vtornicov netted for the fourth game in a row to pull a goal back, but another goal for Allenburys late in the game made it 5-1.

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Barton Rovers Club History

Our home is in Barton-le-Clay, a village of some 5000 people just north of Luton. Formed in 1898, we played inter-village football for the first 50 years until 1946 when we reformed and joined the Luton & District League. Progress was such that in 1954 we were accepted into the South Midlands League. We enjoyed only limited success until 1964 when former Leicester City and Luton Town defender Barry Reed joined our club as manager. After winning promotion to the Premier Division in 1964/65 the club was never out of the top three until leaving the league in 1979, winning the title eight seasons out of nine and making a clean sweep in their final season the Premier Division title, the Senior Section Challenge Trophy, the Reserve Division title and the Reserve Section Challenge Trophy the only time this has been achieved to date.

In 1976 we entered the FA Vase for the first time and went to the quarterfinals before losing to Farnborough Town. The following year it was one step better with a semi-final appearance against Sheffield. 1978 saw the pinnacle reached with a crowd of 16,391 watching the Final at Wembley where we unfortunately lost 2-1 to Blue Star of Newcastle. In 1979 we gained election to the then Isthmian league. In our first season, we finished in a credible 8th position. In 1980/81 this was improved to fourth and the same position was repeated in 1981/82, when the club also enjoyed another good Vase run reaching the Rainworth MW 1-2 on aggregate. At the end of the 1982/83 season, Barry Reed retired having achieved the club's highest position of 3rd. He had also fulfilled his greatest wish to see Barton Rovers play in the first-round proper of the FA Cup, which was achieved in 1980 when we lost 2-0 to Torquay United at Plainmoor.

As a club, we had to settle for mid-table obscurity as three managers guided the Rovers through a transitional period in the mid-'80s. In season 1990/91, Rovers qualified for the new Division Two, for Manager Mick Huckle, his final game in charge after five years, as he retired to become General Manager. After an unspectacular 1991/92 season with firstly Ray Brandon and then Tony Dumigan in charge a new man was appointed in May 1992 - Brian Williams who had been one of the most successful non-league managers in the area. Unfortunately, his success was limited to cup competitions with the Rovers having their best FA Vase run for seven years, eventually failing to, Wembley finalists Tiverton Town from the Great Mills Western League in the 4th Round. The semi-final of the Bedfordshire Premier Cup was also reached but the most notable success came in the Isthmian Associate Members Trophy where the Rovers reached the final of an Isthmian League competition for the first time in our history.

Despite a 3-1 extra-time defeat against Northwood, it was an achievement that lit up the reins, retaining Gordon Brown as his coach. Together these two steered the Rovers clear of the relegation threat that had hung over the club all season, securing their Division Two status in the penultimate league match with a 2-2 draw at Withal Town. May 1993 saw the appointment of Gordon Taylor. His first season at Sharpenhoe Road saw him guide the Rovers to 4th spot, the club's highest position since 1983, behind runaway leaders and big spenders Newbury Town, Chertsey Town and Aldershot Town. This platform was built upon in season 1994-95, and Gordon Taylor successfully steered the Rovers into the Runners up position behind Champions Thame United. But to leave it there would hide the real success story of the season. It was realised at Christmas that the Club's financial position was precarious, to say the least, and drastic action was needed, initially to cut costs. With the team riding high in the table, and the very realistic chance of promotion, if not the Championship, lying ahead the decision to cut the playing budget to nil was not an easy one, but a necessary evil to ensure the Club's survival.

This body blow has destroyed many a club before but the loyalty shown by the manager Gordon Taylor, and the bulk of the playing squad, cannot be disputed. Their response had to be seen to be believed. Playing the best football of the season they subsequently swept to nine straight victories, eight in the league that put Barton back on top of the table, scoring 30 goals and conceding just 4. Only one victory in March allowed the chasing pack to make up ground, but a return to form in April culminated in promotion being gained in the penultimate match. No praise can be too high for the achievement of the management and players, who after all the adversity, took Barton Rovers into the First Division of the Isthmian League for the first time ever, after 16 seasons of membership of the League.

The elevation also saw the Rovers join the top 176 non-league clubs in the country in the FA Trophy. With subsequent cuts being made to the clubs running costs, and an increase in revenue from sponsorship, the club was once again heading in the right direction. Barton's first season in Division One was not an easy one as the club struggled to find its feet in the higher division, but lessons were learnt from the early setbacks, and by December the tide was turned and the Rovers hoisted themselves clear of the danger zone. Barton also reached the finals of both county cups, where we met Bedford Town twice. Bedford took the honours in the Senior Cup, winning 1-0. Barton then won the Premier Cup 1-0 on aggregate. Tony McNally scored the only goal 11 minutes from the end of the second leg at Sharpenhoe Road.

Season 1996/97 saw Barton top the Division One table twice in September. However, a run of seven matches without a win meant Manager Gordon Taylor resigned in October 1996 after three and a quarter years in charge, despite the club still being in a healthy position in the top half of the table. Former Manager Mick Huckle took over the reins with former Coach Ben Harrison temporarily while interviews took place.

As a result of this, the Club selected Gordon Brown as their new Manager. The transitional period that followed saw a run of 13 games without a win until a vital 2-1 success at fellow strugglers Canvey Island in February 1997. With the "duck" broken and a settled side now back in place, results improved and the Rovers pulled themselves away from the danger zone. On the penultimate Saturday of the season with a 3 - 1 home win over doomed Tooting & Mitcham United, and a win at Molesey on the last day to be sure. As in the previous season, Barton lifted some silverware. This time it was in the form of the Anglia TV 5-a-side Championship. Manager Gordon Brown hoped his second season would see his team improve within their newfound level. This was achieved in season 1997 98 with a new record finish of 16th. The Rovers also had their best run in the FA Cup for 17 years, reaching the 3rd Qualifying Round with wins over Hassocks, Clapton and Windsor & Eton before Braintree Town ended the growing dreams of another 1st Round Proper appearance. We also reached the final of the Bedfordshire Senior Cup for the 11th time, and Manager Gordon Brown departed to coach in the US for a year with the cup secured thanks to a 4- 0 victory over Potton United.

The Club appointed Gordon's successor in April 1998, on his recommendation, in former Arsenal and Luton Town player Ian Allinson, who was manager at United Counties League club Stotfold. Another record season was recorded, with 15th a new positional high. To cap a memorable season Barton reached three cup finals. The Bedfordshire Senior Cup was retained with a 3 - 0 win over Bedford Town, in a final played at Bedford Town FC and the South Midlands Floodlight Cup was won for the first time, with a 1 - 0 win over Hemel Hempstead Town, again on the opponent's ground. Barton missed out on a cup treble, losing the Hinchingsbrooke Cup Final, which they had reached in their first season, by 2 - 1 to Spalding United. 1999-2000 saw an excellent start by the club with Rovers in third spot on Christmas day. However, two defeats over the festive period by local rivals Bedford Town and bottom club Chertsey Town brought Ian Allinson's shock resignation to join Harlow Town. Ian Donnelly was promoted from assistant to take over the reins, and the club consolidated to record its highest-ever league finish with a final place of 12th. In addition to this Barton Rovers reached the semi-final of the League Cup losing over two legs to Farnborough Town.

With the club suffering a poor start to the next season Ian Donnelly was replaced by Noel Blackwell, who had been assistant Manager at Stevenage Borough. Noel was also a former Barton Player from the 1980s but his reign was brief lasting just 17 days in September. Barton's third manager in as many months was Alan Biley, the former Everton, Derby County and Cambridge player. Alan was appointed in October 2000 but resigned to take over Diss Town 4 months later. Dick Newman took over, steadied the ship, but had the job of rebuilding the Rovers following their relegation back to Division Two

With no relegation taking place due to the forthcoming league restructuring, the club took the opportunity to bring forward some of the younger players from its youth academy to give them invaluable first-team experience. Although the average age of the side was probably the youngest in the division, the team managed to finish in 14th place in the table. This young team also reached the final of the Bedfordshire Senior Cup and won the Hinchingsbrooke Cup for the first time with a 2-0 victory over Yaxley. Immediately after this final match of the

season, Dick Newman informed the club of his decision to resign to take up a post with Potton United. However, this shocking news was tempered by the fact that former manager, Ian Allinson, had left Harlow and agreed to return to Sharpenhoe Road for a second spell in charge, continuing the progress of the young players which had begun the previous season.

Season 2002/03 saw another period of consolidation with several young players making the grade. Notably, striker Drew Roberts, who came through from the youth side set the league "alight" with some great goals before moving on to Bedford Town. Ian continued to mould a side on a tight budget with yet more youth players to come through, hopes were high for this season. In January Ian decided to try his luck elsewhere and so he left to join Borehamwood on good terms after 18 months with us in his second spell. The club moved fast in finding a replacement and by the following Saturday it had appointed former players Gordon Guile and Graham Golds from Harpenden Town as joint player/managers. The club started the new season in the Southern League following the restructure, full of confidence as the rebuilding continued. Unfortunately, in early October Gordon found that work commitments meant that he could no longer give his full commitment to the club as manager, and he stepped down. The club moved quickly again and moved coach and former manager Gordon Taylor up into the management "hot seat". They also appointed long-term player and club captain Tony McNally as player-coach, and they continued to keep the club together and moving in the right direction.

After a season that saw the team consolidate its position in the league, and the departure of top goal scorer Paul Barnes to A.F.C. Wimbledon for a club record fee the season ended with a second Hinchingsbrooke Cup win and the final retirement of stalwart Tony McNally. The club then regretfully accepted the resignation of manager Gordon Taylor. With a view to the future, the club have appointed youth team manager Kevin Thoburn as General manager and the vastly experienced Neil Rodney as coach and the job of rebuilding the team goes on with the team looking very impressive in the pre-season period. The period after Kevin Thoburn's departure has somewhat been a transition of turning old ways into new. Manager Gary Fitzgerald took charge of his first full season in charge during the 2007/08 Season, Gary was the youngest manager to ever take charge of the Rovers team.

The 2007/08 season was a season looked at by many by trying to achieve stability after the previous regime. The season ended with the Rovers finishing in a comfortable position in the league, safe from any relegation battle. The following season Gary Fitzgerald was still at the helm, his passion and knowledge of the non-league game guided Barton to safety once again. For a team that has such a small population, playing football in the Southern League is somewhat of an achievement in itself, Gary Fitzgerald was building a young and vibrant squad by the end 2008/09 Season. Former Luton Town player Ross Hanley had a superb season, winning the Player of the Season award. Fitzgerald believed in youth and the performances by Hanley were second to none.

The 2009/10 Season witnessed Gary Fitzgerald's third season in charge of the club. This season was to be a struggle, however, there were many highlights along the way. In the league, the club battled with relegation throughout the season and had to await news on a reprieve which gladly came in the summer of 2010. Barton Rovers played some fantastic football throughout the season and the lads battled till the end. Even in such a tough season, there were some outstanding individuals, Centre-back Paul Andrews developed into a no-nonsense defender and Tommy Hull a combative midfielder had a fine regime. The club enjoyed a great run in The FA Trophy, beating Ryman Premier side Horsham on the way and taking fellow Ryman Premier side to a replay.

The start of the 2010/11 season saw Barton Rovers in the Southern Football League, this time in the newly created Central Division. Gary Fitzgerald departed the club after four seasons in charge due to an unconvincing start to the season and was replaced with Dan Kennoy. Dan was recruited from neighbours Arlesey Town where he held a coaching position with their first team. At 30 years of age the former Rovers player managed to assemble a vibrant squad that ended the season in a solid 12th position in the Southern League Central division. One of the plum results in his first season was the 2-1 away win at promoted Hitchin Town. The 2010/11 season also saw the introduction of a Reserve Team, some 15 years after Barton Rovers Reserves kicked their last ball. Darren Whiley was charged with the responsibility of filtering players through to the 1st team and competing in the Suburban Football League. A solid 13th-placed finish in the first season justified the decision to reintroduce a reserve team to

the senior setup. Richard Wilmot was awarded the Players Player of the Year award; Sam Spencer was awarded Player of the Year and Andre Maltay picked up the Supporters Player of the Year.

The 2011/12 season saw Dan Kennoy retain a majority of the squad so the season started with an air of optimism. It's fair to say that it didn't quite go as planned. Just four points from the opening nine games and an FA Cup defeat to lowly Hatfield Town and the young manager was started to fill the pressure. Then just one defeat in the next nine league games saw the confidence rise as well as the Rovers league position. Some convincing results continued notably the 5-1 away win at Chertsey

Town and a 4-0 home win against Chalfont St Peter and the play-off places were starting to look achievable. The final quarter of the season unfortunately ended the same as the season started and with only 13 points from the last 30 available the season ended with a league position of 11th place which meant a top-half-of-the-table finish, something that hasn't happened since 2005. Ricky Case and Tommy Hull cleaned up with the first-team awards, Ricky taking the Players Player award and Top Goalscorer with 14 goals. Tommy took home the Player of the Year and the Supporters Player of the Year. Niran Vaughan was awarded the Young Player of the Year trophy. The Reserves finished the season in a remarkable 3rd place. Danny Charles was awarded the Reserve Team Players Player of the Year and Kevin Ashby received the Reserve Team Player of the Year.

Kennoy stayed on for another crack at the helm in 2012/13 guiding the side to a respectable mid-table finish. Some success in both the FA Cup and Trophy with the season ending with silverware in the shape of the North Beds Charity Cup. Arguably Rovers under the stewardship of Kennoy had its best season for many years in 2013/14. Flirting with the play-off places all season before finishing 6th with a last-day-of-the-season defeat which saw the side miss out on the playoffs by just 3 points. The club's highest league position in its history was coupled with back-to-back North Beds Charity Cup successes. Following Dan Kennoy's decision to stand down at the end of the season 2014/15 saw new managers at the helm in the shape of former players Richard Wilmot and Wes Byrne. The season bettered the previous with Wilmot and Byrne achieving a club best of playoff finalist beaten by Bedworth Utd 2-0 but then going on to lift the Beds Senior cup with an emphatic 4-0 victory over Biggleswade Town at Kenilworth Rd. The 2015-16 season saw yet another new management team of Matt Endersby and Jon Reed taking the reigns to push the small village outfit to bigger things. Sadly the season was a right off with neither manager staying to the end of the campaign but the club did manage to retain the Beds FA senior cup with a 2-1 win over AFC Dunstable.

Former player Jimmy Gray took over in the Sharpenhoe Rd hot season for the promotion chase in 2016/17. Jimmy was assisted by Mark Boyce whilst Keith West stayed on as coach. Again, it's as close as it can be but no cigar as Rovers lose in the playoff final in an enthralling match v Farnborough. The two nil loss did not reflect the game but goals are all that matter. Barton regrouped for 2017-18, Mark Boyce moved up to the hot seat for the early part of the season but after a poor run of results was replaced after 16 games by ex-Dunstable Town manager and former Barton player Tony Fontanelle.

After a difficult start to the 2022/23 season, Tony Fontanelle and his team were relieved of their duties and shortly replaced by joint management force Leon Cashman and Jermaine Hall who managed to keep the club afloat after an inter-step playoff victor

Barton Rovers Pen Pics

Goalkeepers

Tyler Joseph

Previous clubs: Biggleswade FC, Potton United, Welwyn Garden City, Berkhamsted FC, Hemel Hempstead Town

Cameron Groom

Previous clubs: Berkhamsted FC, Berkhamsted

Defenders

Ryan Neufville

Previous clubs: Berkhamsted, Biggleswade United

Cameron Hyde

Previous clubs: Biggleswade United, Kempston Rovers

Tom Silford

Previous clubs: Berkhamsted, AFC Dunstable

Kai Phelan

Previous clubs: Bedford Town, Barton Rovers

Paul Andrews

Previous clubs: Barton Rovers

Robbie Goodman

Previous clubs: More than tiger woods

Mason Watkins Clark

Previous clubs: Bedford Town, Biggleswade United

Charlie Milton

Previous clubs: Shefford & Campton

Christian Swaby

Previous clubs: Watford, QPR

Midfielders

Martel Powell

Previous clubs: MK Dons, Maidenhead, Royston, AFC Dunstable etc, etc, etc

Alfie Warman

Previous clubs: Baldock Town, Godmanchester Rovers, Hitchin Town

Ashton Grant

Previous clubs: Biggleswade Utd. Bedford Town, AFC Dunstable, Berkhamsted

Saul Williams

Previous clubs: AFC Dunstable, Kings Langley, Berkhamsted

Kian Wilkes

Previous clubs: Crawley Green, Enfield Town

Lucas Kirkpatrick (Captain)

Previous clubs: Hitchin Town, Braintree Town, Bedford Town

Josiah Ramsay

Previous clubs: AFC Dunstable, Luton Town

Forwards

Matt Moloney

Previous clubs: Braintree Town, Bedford Town, Hitchin Town, Crawley Green, Luton Town

Taylor Rhiney

Previous clubs: AFC Dunstable, Biggleswade United

Markel Cousins

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John Shamolo

Previous clubs: AFC Dunstable

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Jamale McKenzie Lowe

Previous clubs: Bedford Town, S Club 7

Hadley Gleeson

Previous clubs: Colney Heath, Harpenden Town

Alan Lee Reporting

Hertford Heath 1VS Leverstock Green

Reserves 1

A controversial penalty deep into stoppage time allowed Leverstock Green Reserves to claim a deserved point from Saturday's trip to Hertford Heath. The pitch at St Margaretsbury survived the wet weather enough to play the game, but conditions were very difficult through.

The Green side was without both Freddie Newing and Jose Costa due to suspensions. There was a new partnership at the centre of defence with recent signings Antonio Edubatey and Oliwier Fusiek both starting, and first team regular Ryan Carruthers got some more game time after a recent injury.

The home side took an early lead as a defensive slip allowed the #19 a shooting chance, which he took with aplomb as a stunning strike from the edge of the box gave Harry Maloret no chance in the 5th minute. Maloret made two great saves within a matter of seconds in the 12th minute as Hertford Heath, with the wind behind them, continued to have the better of things. Maloret saved again with his legs in the 35th minute as the home side threatened on the break.

Two changes as the break saw Michael Adriano replace Joe Dalli and another new signing Daniel Kone made his debut, replacing Kaashan Darr, with Rodger Siluba dropping back into defence. Leverstock came close to an equaliser in the 68th minute, hitting the post in a goalmouth scramble. As Leverstock pushed forward for the equaliser, they left themselves vulnerable to a counter-attack, and in the 88th minute the Hertford Heath #2 was clean through on goal, but Maloret made another crucial save to keep his side in the game. In the first minute of stoppage time Leverstock had the ball in the net from another goalmouth scramble, but it was flagged offside and it

looked like their chance had gone. However, two minutes later in another goalmouth scramble, the linesman flagged for a handball. It was a controversial decision as it looked like it may have been a Leverstock player who handled, but after consulting his assistant, the referee awarded a penalty. Carruthers took the spot kick, which wasn't the best and was saved by the keeper, however Adriano was quickest to the rebound and put it away to earn a crucial point as Leverstock remained on top of the Herts Senior County League Premier Division.

Harry Maloret

Kaashan Darr ▾

Antonio Edubatey

Jack Evans

Bobby O'Flynn

Oliwier Fusiek ▾

Ryan Carruthers

Joe Dalli ▾

Alex Vtornicov

Callum Moore ▾

Rodger Siluba

Filip Kastrati 🌀 (for Moore 86)

Michael Adriano 🏆 (90+4) 🌀 (for Dalli H/T)

Raymond John 🌀 (for Fusiek 72)

Daniel Kone 🌀 (for Darr H/T)

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By Jon Couch

CHRISTMAS time is for giving as they say, well the fixtures computer has certainly served up a festive treat for Non-League fans everywhere this yuletide.

Traditionally, the Boxing Day fixtures are one of the first fans look out for when the schedule is announced – and this year hasn't disappointed with a number of crunch derby clashes taking place up and down the country.

Whatever the level, you just can't beat a derby-day cracker to complete your Christmas, so here are just a few that have caught the eye of our NLP groundhoppers.

The National League always seems to serve up a Boxing Day feast with all the trimmings – and the Aldershot Town v Woking derby is usually at the forefront.

Just 12 miles separate these rival clubs, just across the Surrey/Hampshire border, ensuring there's never any shortage of drama for the big crowds on show.

There's a Tyne-Tees affair when Gateshead and Hartlepool United meet at the International Stadium, while Dagenham v Braintree and Southend United v Ebbsfleet United ensure that Essex and Kent are well represented on the day,

At Step 2, Brackley Town and Leamington looks tasty in National League North, similarly the Derbyshire dual between Buxton and Alfreton Town and an 'Old Farm' East Anglian derby with King's Lynn Town hosting Needham Market.

A big day in the north-east is further demonstrated by Darlington v Scarborough Athletic and Spennymoor Town v South Shields, not to mention Stockton Town v Hebburn Town in the Northern Premier League, Premier Division at Step 3.

The South is equally as intriguing, An all-Hertfordshire clash between Hemel Hempstead Town and St Albans City is a worthy headline act, while Aveley versus Hornchurch and Tonbridge Angels v Maidstone United are big games in Essex and Kent respectively. Chippenham Town v Bath City is often a tasty affair also.

The NPL also serves us up with Matlock Town v Ilkeston Town and Bamber Bridge v Lancaster City, while at Step 4 there are two more all-north east affairs between Bishop Auckland and Consett and Dunston v Newton Aycliffe.

AFC Rushden & Diamonds v Corby Town is always an eagerly-awaited affair in their respective parts of Northamptonshire, while in an ultra-congested Midlands division, packed with local affairs, unbeaten Quorn and Shepshed Dynamo, separated by just seven miles, battle it out in Leicestershire.

All eyes in Manchester will be on Wythenshawe when bitter rivals FC and Town meet at Hollyhedge Park, while Hednesford Town v Stafford Rangers looks a Boxing Day battle of heavyweights to rival Usyk and Fury.

The Southern League Premier Central is always full of crunch local affairs and Boxing Day doesn't disappoint with AFC Telford United

and Halesowen Town or Bromsgrove Sporting v Stourbridge arguably the pick.

The Somerset clash between Tiverton Town and Taunton Town always whets the appetite in the west country, while Havant & Waterlooville and Gosport Borough love a battle on the south coast. And if you're in or around the Beaconsfield area of Buckinghamshire then why not make the trip to Holloways Park where they take on close rivals Flackwell Heath in a lunchtime showdown.

In the Isthmian League, the all-Essex affair between Billericay Town and Canvey Island gets the juices flowing, as does the Sussex derby between Horsham v Bognor Regis Town and the north London clash between Hendon and Potters Bar Town.

Margate versus Ramsgate is undoubtedly the game of the day in Step 4 as the two Kent coast promotion rivals lock horns, while Hartley Wintney v Farnham Town, a local battle of third versus first, is also well worth a visit.

At Step 5 and 6, of course, derbies are a little more commonplace but there are a few, mainly, cross-town affairs that are sure to whet the appetite of the locals.

1874 Northwich v Northwich Victoria ticks all the boxes for a Boxing Day bonanza, as does Newcastle Benfield v Newcastle Bue Star in Ebac Northern League Division One.

And division two produces two more in the form of Chester-le-Street Town versus Chester-le-Street United and Sunderland West End v Sunderland RCA.

The lunchtime affair in the United Counties League Premier North between Newark & Sherwood and Newark Town bares all the hallmarks of a cracker, similarly Northampton ON Chenecks v

Northampton Sileby Rangers in Premier South and the Division One fixture between Retford United and Retford.

And, if you're on your holidays on the Isle of Wight and missing your football fix, then how about East Cowes Victoria v Newport (IoW) in the Wessex League.

Wherever you are in the country, you're never far from a crunch local derby to savour. Combining the spirit of Non-League with the spirit of Christmas, it's truly one of the highlights of the football calendar. But wherever you go and whatever you do, The NLP wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Alan Lee Reporting

Leverstock Green Reserves 3 VS Apsley Argyle

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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 ▼

Alfie Herd ▼

Jack Evans 

Callum Neal

Freddie Newing

Jose Costa

Joe Dalli ▼

Alex Vtornicov 

Callum Moore  ▼

Rodger Siluba ▼

Luc Dischamps  (for Siluba)

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Kaashan Darr  (for O'Flynn)

Charlie Clarke  (for Moore)

Tyrone Kumi  (for Dalli)



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Alan Lee Reporting

Leverstock Green U18 4 VS Crawley Green U18 2

After two postponed games, the Under-18s returned to action on Thursday night. They continued their good form with a 4-2 win over Crawley Green, completing a league double. The goals were scored by Ryan Barry, Joe Sadler, Josh Weidner and Kuba Tinriover.

Thomas Morrell
Ryan Barry 
Alfie Hart
Shae Robinson
Archie Baker
Luca Crofts
Josh Weidner 
Neo Mitchell
Kuba Tinriover 
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

Neo Mitchell

Taylor Wilkinson-Ousby

Alan Lee Reporting

Stotfold 1 VS Leverstock Green 0

Leverstock Green suffered a late defeat at Stotfold in a Boxing Day clash between two sides threatened with relegation from Southern League Division One Central.

It was a scrappy game of few chances played on a soft pitch. The Leverstock side showed a number of changes from their last game, including in goal where there was a debut for Frankie Beckles, signed on a dual registration from Bedfont Sports and Wealdstone.

Leverstock made a promising start, with Jamie Breen making some threatening runs down the left, but there was little end product. Stotfold had a couple of near-misses, with Haroon Merial shooting wide from a good position on 18 minutes, and a header from Mitchell Gooch landing on the top of the bar in the 25th minute.

But the game was goalless at half time, with the second half continuing in a similarly scrappy fashion. Stotfold had more of the pressure but the Leverstock side battled well to keep them from having any clear shots at Beckles' goal. The game looked like it would fizzle out into a goalless draw until three minutes from time when the ball dropped for Stotfold substitute Alex Coppin on the edge of the box, and Coppin made a good connection with a volley that beat Beckles and went in off the post to clinch the points.

Leverstock had to pick themselves up quickly with another game to come in two days at home to Aylesbury United.

Stotfold (0) 1 (Coppin 87)

1. Liam Gooch, 2. Tommy Reynolds, 3. Callum Kane, 4. Lewis Lynn (15. Ernest Njoroge 82 mins), 5. Dan Sears, 6. Luke Abraham (14. Matthew Ball 76 mins), 7. Codi-Lee Spavins (16. Robbie Buchanan 76 mins), 8. Mitchell Gooch, 9. Remell Sterling (17. Joziah Barnett 87 mins), 10. Haroon Merial, 11. Joe Sellers-West (12. Alex Coppin 82 mins)

Leverstock Green (0) 0

1. Frankie Beckles, 2. Adam Morley, 3. Rio Beach, 4. Dan Weeks, 5. Daniel Isaac, 6. Ryan Carruthers (17. John Gyabaah 89 mins), 7. Jamie Breen, 8. Dan Pett, 9. Rawn Seale, 10. Marcus Warren (14. Nat Connolly 75 mins), 11. Keanu Fleming (12. Ademide Baruwa 72 mins). Subs not used: 15. Callum Moore, 16. Oliwier Fusiek.

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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 TOWN	SL1C	D 1-1	Stefanoaica
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 21st 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	

First Team Statistics

Player	Appearances	Goals	Assists	Yellow Cards	Red Cards
Nat Connolly	28	0	0	2	0
Rio Beach	27	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	21	3	2	4	0
Ryan Carruthers	21	1	1	2	0
Jamie Breen	20	1	1	1	1
Ademide Baruwa	20	2	0	2	0
Dan Pett	19	0	0	1	0
Dan Weeks	18	0	0	1	0
Guiseppe Delgaudio	17	8	1	3	0
Rawn Seale	17	1	3	0	1
Radu-Mihai Stefanoaica	16	5	2	4	0
Ethan Mooney	15	2	2	2	0
Eyituoyo Akinbulumo	15	0	0	2	0
Josh Dooley	15	0	0	3	0
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
Keanu Fleming	5	1	0	0	0
Adam Morley	5	0	0	1	0
Tyrone Kumi	4	0	0	0	0
Callum Moore	4	0	0	0	0
Oliwier Fusiek	4	0	0	0	0
Daniel Isaac	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
Connor McGinty	2	0	0	0	0
Ronnie Brennan	2	0	0	0	0
John Gyabaah	2	0	0	0	0
Marcus Warren	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
Frankie Beckles	1	0	0	0	0
Liam Gauthier	1	0	0	0	0
Michael Adriano	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

Crawley Green 1 VS Leverstock Green U18 3

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


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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	Venue	Opponents	Comp	Result	Goalscorers
Sat 13th Jul	Home	LEIGHTON TOWN DEVELOPMENT	FRD	D 0-0	
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

Player	Appearances	Goals	Yellow cards	Red cards
Joe Dalli	19	1	0	0
Rodger Siluba	18	3	1	0
Callum Moore	18	12	4	0
Harry Maloret	18	0	0	0
Jack Evans	18	2	1	0
Freddie Newing	17	0	5	0
Bobby O'Flynn	17	0	0	0
Alex Vtornicov	17	7	1	0
Jose Costa	16	0	0	1
Michael Adriano	15	5	1	0
Connor McGinty	14	5	4	0
Alfie Herd	13	0	3	0
Schilo Mateta-Kanda	12	0	4	0
Ronnie Brennan	11	1	0	0
Kaashan Darr	10	0	0	0
Filip Kastrati	8	0	0	0
Raymond John	7	0	0	0
Jack Child	5	0	0	0
Luc Dischamps	5	0	0	0
Finley Sykes	4	0	0	0
Reece Marchant	4	1	0	0
Mikey Havill-Tierney	3	0	1	0
Max Drayton	3	0	0	0
Charlie Clarke	3	0	0	0
Antonio Edubatey	3	0	0	0
Josh Weidner	2	0	0	0
Matthew Brett	2	0	0	0
Ethan Horwood	1	0	1	0
Oscar Martin	1	0	1	0
Cole Riley-Snow	1	0	0	0
Curtis Dibley	1	0	0	0
Thomas Morrell	1	0	0	0
Tyrone Kumi	1	0	1	0
Callum Neal	1	0	0	0
Oliwier Fusiek	1	0	0	0
Daniel Kone	1	0	0	0
Ryan Carruthers	1	0	0	0
Aryan Bashashdoust	1	0	1	0

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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

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Player Stats

Player	Appearances	Goals
Shae Robinson	8	3
Alfie Hart	8	0
Archie Baker	8	1
Luca Crofts	8	0
Luke Dunton	8	0
Matthew Brett	7	0
Josh Weidner	7	1
George Eldridge	7	6
Freddie Turner	7	0
Sonny Latham-Gough	5	0
Oscar Martin	5	1
Thomas Morrell	6	0
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Joe Sadler	5	1
Taylor Wilkinson-Ousby	5	0
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For further information please visit our website www.kitaid.net or email us at kitaidcharity@gmail.com

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Leverstock Green FC Honours

Honours

1954-55	Joined Herts County League Division Two Herts County League Division Two runner-up
1955-56	Placed in Division One "B" for transitional season
1962-63	Normal league programme cancelled, emergency competition run instead
1967	Relegated to Division Two
1973-74	Herts County League Division Two runner-up (lost title on goal average) Promoted to Division One
1978-79	Herts County League Division One Champions Promoted to Premier Division
1984	Relegated to Division One
1984-85	Herts County League Division One runner-up Promoted to Premier Division
1985-86	League renamed Herts Senior County League
1987	Relegated to Division One
1988-89	Herts Senior County League Division One runner-up (lost title on goal difference) Promoted to Premier Division
1990-91	Herts Senior County League runner-up
1991-92	Joined South Midlands League
1993-94	Joined newly formed Senior Division on league re-organisation
1995-96	South Midlands League Senior Division runner-up
1996-97	South Midlands League Senior Division Champions
1997-98	Founder members of Spartan South Midlands League Senior Division
2001	Senior Division renamed Division One
2002-03	Promoted to Premier Division
2024-25	Promoted to Pitching In Southern League Division One Gladwish 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 2010-11	Herts Charity Shield Winners
2011-12	Herts Charity Cup R-up

Herts Senior County League

1965-66	Reserve Division Three R-up
1973-74	Division Two Runners-up
1978-79	Division One Champions
1981-82	Reserve Division Two R-up
1984-85 1988-89	Division One Runners-up
1990-91	Premier Division Runners-up

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

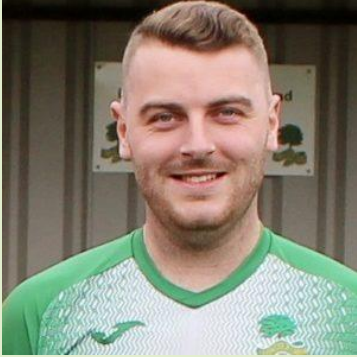
Rickmansworth Charity Cup

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

Frank Major Trophy

Winners 1990-91 1991-92

Branching Out: Talking to the Trees



Name: Ryan Carruthers

Where from: Hemel Hempstead

Position @ Club: Midfielder

What are your Hobbies?

Outside of football I've recently started golf. That's a new hobby for me!

What football team do you support?

I support Arsenal

Favourite Player of all time?

I have a few! Lionel Messi as one, Fabregas was my favourite until he went Chelsea! Wilshere before the injuries!

Best thing about being involved with Levy?

It's a family club, everyone's in it together!



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Leverstock Green Football Club would like to thank the Vice Presidents for their help and assistance pledged for this season.

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Colin Bull, Peter Dennis,
Jim Doble, Peter Frasier,
Roger Stokes, Phil Gray

As in previous seasons the donations made by our Vice Presidents have assisted us in providing many improvements.

Would you like to join, £25 will secure your place.

GOLD Members Club

Tony Smart, Alan Lee, Keith Pym
Colin Bull and Bill Dawes

The Gold Members Club for those who have given significant donations to the club.

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