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### **OUR CLUB**

### **HONOURS LIST**

Southern League Central Division Winners 2013-2014

Southern League Championship Trophy Winners 2013-2014

Spartan South Midlands Premier Division Winners: 2002-03, 2012-2013

Bedfordshire Senior Cup Winners (12): 1895–96, 1956–57, 1959–60, 1979–80,

1982-83, 1985-86, 1986-87, 1987-88, 1988-89, 2002-03, 2006-07, 2008-09

Bedfordshire Premier Cup Winners (4): 1980-81, 1982-83, 1990-91, 2006-07, 2011-2012

Bedfordshire Intermediate Cup Winners: 1999-2000, 2008-09

Bedfordshire Floodlit Cup Winners: 2007–08 Eastern Junior Cup Winners: 2006–07 Colwyn Cup Winners: 2006–07, 2009–10

### WHO'S WHO AT CREASEY PARK

### **Playing Staff**

Tony McCool, First Team Manager

Kevin Gallen, First Team Coach and Football Advisor

Gareth Jackson, First Team Coach

Simon Reilly, Development Team Manager

Colin Lauder, Development Team Coach

Valentino Qoku, Development Team Coach

Josh Kent, Physio

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On this special Remembrance weekend, we pause to think about all those brave men and women who have served their country, many during the Great War, and also those in the 100 years since.

During the Dunstable Town pre match warm up today, our team will be proudly wearing shirts bearing the names of fourteen of these brave people, some who laid down their lives in the line of duty, as well as others who served their country and returned home.

We would like to thank the sponsors of each shirt, who have raised monies for Help for Heroes, the Royal British Legion and RAFA-Dunstable. A special thank you also to our kit suppliers Macron, who by reducing each shirt price, have helped maximise our fundraising.

As the first Remembrance event hosted by Dunstable Town, we have been humbled by the response of local supporter's wishing to honour the service men and women. It is our hope that this will become an annual event. Final news of funds raised today will be posted on Dunstable Town's social media outlets in the coming weeks.



### In Memory of

### Private

### **Charles Henry Fountain**

41432, "A" Coy. 1st Bn., Bedfordshire Regiment who died on 22 August 1918 Age 20

Son of Henry and Mary Fountain, of 83, Waterlow Rd., Dunstable, Beds.

Remembered with Honour Bagneux British Cemetery, Gezaincourt





Commemorated in perpetuity by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

### In Memory of Corporal

### John Knight

7687, 2nd Bn., Scots Guards who died on 16 May 1915 Age 23

Husband of Norah Maud Rollings (formerly Knight), of "Summerleys", Eaton Bray, Dunstable.

Remembered with Honour Le Touret Memorial





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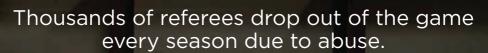






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### MANAGER'S NOTEBOOK

Good afternoon, welcome and safe trip here and home to our near neighbours Aylesbury United, and a welcome return to Creasey Park following our three away games.

We went over to our neighbours Bedford Town who have been able to sign some very good players, so we were really happy with our overall performance and were able to give starts to a couple of fresh faces, who really grabbed the opportunity. We went to penalties and sadly didn't progress in the County Cup, but it was a very good exercise.

We were very confident going into Aveley in the FA Trophy. Two minutes into the game Ethan Lamptey took a bad knock to the rear of his quad and rotated his hip around violently. It looked horrible and transpired to be a nasty muscle injury that will see him out for 4-6 weeks. Then 5 minutes later Arel Amu was fouled. when he was about to score in the box and done his ankle. Down he went and limped through and hasn't played since. At half time we had no choice but to take Nick Hayes out to protect him and that left outfield player Charlie Black to go in goal. The third time we have used an outfield player in goal this season. Some more very nasty tackles followed and that was concluded with some in my opinion, bad code and sportsmanship, but you live and learn, maybe mark it down as another one for another day.

With Kempston approaching we had no fit goalkeeper. After an SOS, up stepped James Connell and after a long week of work on and off the pitch we managed to get him sorted and he made his debut at Kempston. On top of this we also had 9 players out. 6 injured, 2 unavailable and 1 suspended.

We played this game in great spirit with tempo, passing movement and bravery. We forced several saves from their keeper, as did they with ours and two were terrific. We showed such bravery to play football in a way that is attractive and attacking and this proved to keep everyone entertained.

Our 14 only fit players were named and this included 4 players from our development squad again. We are into double figures already and not many clubs can boast that. Our development squad played that day as well and also managed to get a victory and they had 8 players out. This meant they had to dig a bit deeper, had an U18 player make his senior debut and have a 16 year old in goal. That's the third 16 year old debutante and this shows what great work we have done. Colin and Simon have defined success. no1, get another player through and into the first team. When that happens they are punching the air as success. That's fantastic. Many clubs lower down see 'losing' players to the first team as hindrance and weakens their chances of winning. Not our guys. everyone is firmly behind the ethos and philosophy of this work in progress new era.

Tony McCool #COYB



### AYLESBURY UNITED HISTORY

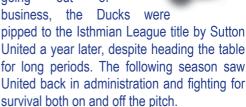
Aylesbury United were founded in 1897 when three local sides: Night School FC, The Printing Works and Aylesbury Town. The club, affectionately known as 'the Ducks' due to the famous 'Aylesbury' breed, have experienced some incredible highs over their long 112-year history but now battle for existence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

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. 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.

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, 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



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.

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.

On the pitch the club continued to do remarkably well, going close to the playoff

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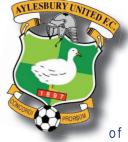
positions in the Midlands Division for the next three seasons but a new challenge arose when the previous manager defected clubs, taking almost the entire playing squad with him.

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 moved on and former United defender Tony Joyce 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 6th 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. 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. The 2014/15 season saw the club finish in 13th place but made the final



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. 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. With the majority of the squad that finished the season signing on again and a few shrewd acquisitions, hopes are high for a successful season ahead.

### **AYLESBURY UNITED PLAYER PROFILES**

JACK HOPWOOD - Young goalkeeper signed from near neighbours Tring Athletic in February 2018 as manager Ben Williams looked to strengthen his goalkeeping cover with regular stopper Jack Sillitoe sidelined through injury.

ARCHIE DAVIS - A graduate from the Bucks Sports Academy team, he joined the club to offer cover for Jack Hopwood when regular number 1 Jack Sillitoe suffered a season ending foot injury.

CAMERON YATES - Young goalkeeper, signed on loan from Wycombe Wanderers in Oct 18 to cover for the injured Jack Hopwood. Formerly with Leicester City, Cameron is a former Scotland youth international who is highly regarded at his home club.

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.

JAKE BEWLEY - Ever reliable attack-minded left back 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.

CHRIS CROOK - An experienced defender who signed at the start of the season for his second spell with the club. Previously made with the club for the 2015/16 season he became an influential member of the backline.

CALLUM MAPLEY Callum signed
from league rivals
Beaconsfield Town
in January just after



Ben Williams took charge of the team. He quickly established himself as a first choice for the team, making an ideal partner for skipper Jack Wood at the centre of the defence.

JEANMAL PROSPER - Exciting Defender who has previously played for Chesham United, Arlesey Town and Aylesbury FC and most recently Winslow.

SONNY FRENCH - Talented midfielder now entering his third full season with the club having signed on registration deadline day in March 2015 from Aylesbury FC, where he was a former Player of the Season winner.

MAX HERCULES - Exciting 18-year old winger who joined the Ducks from Tring Athletic in June 2018 after making 60 appearances for the Hertfordshire side in two years since breaking into their first team.

OLLIE HOGG - Industrious midfielder and product of the Aylesbury FC ranks who made the switch to United in summer 2015 having spent much of the previous season with Tring Athletic.

HARRY JONES - Joined the club from Risborough Rangers for the start of the 2017 season, going on to make 45 appearances in his debut season. A versatile hard working player who can play on either side of midfield or further forward.

### **AYLESBURY UNITED PLAYER PROFILES**

OLLIE JONES - Central midfielder who signed in July 2018 after impressing in preseason, joining the Ducks from league champions Beaconsfield Town. A former teammate of Aaron Berry and Callum Mapley at Beaconsfield, he made 110 appearances for the South Bucks club and has also played for Southall and Egham Town

MATT PEAKE-PIJNEN - Matt joined the club from Banbury United in February. A left footed player, he can play at full back, wing back and as a winger. He came through the youth system at Oxford City and progressed to make his first team debut for them towards the end of season 2015/16.

BEN SEATON - Understated attacking midfielder who brought his fine technical abilities to the club in October 2017 having previously played for Tring Athletic, and ended the season winning the 'Most Improved Player' award. Previously with Tring Athletic, he proved a valuable addition to the squad with his ever-improving displays and, still at a young age, has bags of potential to develop further.

GREG WILLIAMS - Midfield veteran who, having now entered his 40s, became only the second ever Aylesbury United player to pass the 400 appearances mark and is second only to Cliff Hercules in the all time club appearances list. A workaholic, he always gives 100% and fights to the death for the team, and, at the age of 41 still has better fitness levels than many of his younger counterparts!

BENJAMIN AGHADIUNO - Highly regarded young striker signed on a work experience loan from Barnet in late September. Formerly

has had loans spells at Haringey Borough, Northwood and Hillingdon Borough, he made an



AARON BERRY - Imposing centre forward whose presence in attack was just what the Ducks needed when he made the switch from Southern League counterparts Egham Town in February 2018. Boasting an impressive scoring record with the Sarnies and Beaconsfield SYCOB before that, Aaron netted 6 goals in 11 Aylesbury games to leave fans eagerly anticipating what might await in the 2018/19 season.

SEAN COLES - Winger/attacker who has been impressing in local football with 95 goals in the last three seasons for Hale Leys United, Thame Rangers, and, latterly, Winslow United for whom he scored 36 goals in 36 games last year before injury curtailed his season early.

JAMIE KEEN - Young attacker who joined the club in February 2018, making his debut as a 16-year old in a 4-0 win over Egham Town. Another of the Bucks Sport Academy prospects of whom there are high hopes.

MACIEJ TAJS - Polish-born forward who joined Aylesbury ahead of the 2017/18 season, going on to make 6 first team appearances whilst also spending much of the season with Tring Corinthians. Will be looking to stake a claim for more senior action going into the new campaign, and made a case for himself with a goals in the Ducks' pre season campaign.

### REPORTING IN KEMPSTON ROVERS 1-3 DUNSTABLE TOWN

There were recalls for James lauder & Hassan Sheikh with Daniel Trif partnering Saul Williams & Chris Wreh up front. On ten minutes John Sonuga pounced in the box and forced a good save from Martin Conway the Kempston keeper, followed minutes later by good strikes from both Daniel Trif & Chris Wreh, the latter of those a rasping drive which looked on target but clipped a defender and went out for a corner.

Twenty minutes played and Dunstable gave away a soft penalty which earned James Connell a yellow card. Ben Shepherd tucked the ball away to give the Walnut Boys the lead. Two minutes later Connell needed to save well from former Blue, Shane Bush, but parity was restored nine minutes later when Alex Taylor was fouled in the box by Dainel Akubuine and Chris Wreh converted from the spot.

End to end play continued in a well contested match which saw James Connell out bravely at the feet of Shane Bush, and then a Marius Patru thunderbolt from 30 yards was only narrowly wide. This period of play leading up to half time saw chances and half chances at both ends and an absorbing first half saw honours even at the half time whistle.

Attacking intent from Dunstable was clear as the second half got under way. A bullet header from Hassan Sheikh was well saved by Conway, but shortly afterwards a smart attacking move with Alex Taylor powering forward before sliding the ball through for Saul Williams to tuck the ball into the bottom left hand corner on 51 minutes to put Dunstable into the lead.

Having found the back of the net relatively comfortably at the start of the season it really was gratifying to see Saul get his goal as he embodies, as do so many of our other players exactly what

this team is all about, quiet, unassuming, patiently waiting for a chance, and then when that chance arrives, goes out there to show his game and says to the gaffers, "Here I am".

Kempston threw everything at the Dunstable goal bar the proverbial kitchen sink for long periods of the second half. They had made all three substitutions by the hour mark, including former Blue, Mason Spence.

The Kempston Rovers Twitter feed report mid-way through the second half that "The Dunstable keeper is having a blinder here". He certainly did that, but this was also a magnificent defensive rear-guard display by every single player with John Sonuga leading by example. White shirts were everywhere snuffing out moves, tackling, blocking shots and laying their bodies on the line. It wasn't all one-way traffic though as Dunstable looked to play their way out from the back & midfield using Erin Amu's strength, Alex Taylor's wizardry and Hassan Sheikh's vision.

Chris Wreh was replaced by Rio Dasilva for the final 15 minutes. End to end play continued as the seconds ticked away. Daniel Trif & Saul Williams continued to cause the Kempston defenders problems. The game was finally put to bed on 89 minutes when Rio Dasilva took advantage of a delightful cross from Daniel Trif to bury the ball in the back of the net. This was Rio's first competitive senior goal, and one, you hope, will be the first of many more to come.

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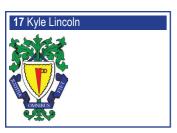




Anthony Penwright



The Regiment

























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### FIXTURES, RESULTS & LINEUPS

Date	Opponents		Att	Score	1	2	3	4	5	6
Aug 18	North Leigh	SL1C	116	1-3	Hunt	Mead	Okito	Trif	Sheikh	Ogden
Aug 21	BERKHAMSTED	SL1C	127	2-4	Hunt	Mead	Okito	Trif	Sonuga	Ogden
Aug 25	Corby Town	FACP	372	3-3	Hunt	Patru	Okito	Sheikh	Mead	Ogden
Aug 27	A.F.C. Dunstable	SL1C	302	3-2	Hunt	Collins	Okito	Sheikh	Sonuga	Ogden
Sep 01	COLESHILL TOWN	SL1C	92	3-3	Harness	Patru	Okito	Naismith	Mead	Ogden
Sep 04	CORBY TOWN	FACPR	146	0-4	Hunt	Mead	Okito	Barnett	Sonuga	Ogden
Sep 11	Chesham United	SLCC1	74	3-5	Hunt	Lauder	Okito	E Amu (1)	Mead	Ogden
Sep 15	AYLESBURY	SL1C	93	1-6	Todd	Mead	Okito	Sheikh	Sonuga	Ogden
Sep 22	Kidlington	SL1C	44	5-1	Burbidge	Mead	Okito	Taylor	Lincoln	Ogden
Sep 29	CAMBRIDGE CITY	SL1C	143	1-1	Burbidge	Mead	Okito	Taylor	Lincoln	Ogden
Oct 06	Bromsgrove Sporting	SL1C	721	0-1	Burbidge	Mead	Okito	Taylor	Sonuga	Lincoln
Oct 13	NORTHWOOD	FATPR	152	2-0	Hayes	Mead	Okito	Sheikh	Sonuga	Lincoln
Oct 20	CORBY TOWN	SL1C	127	3-3	Hayes	Patru	Okito	Taylor	Mead	Lincoln
Oct 23	Bedford Town	BSC1	204	1-1	Hayes	Collins	Patru	Taylor	Sonuga	Mead
Oct 27	Aveley	FAT1Q	121	0-1	Hayes	Patru	Okito	Taylor	Sonuga	Mead
Nov 03	Kempston Rovers	SL1C	134	3-1	Connell	Patru	Okito	Lauder	Sonuga	Sheikh
Nov 10	AYLESBURY UNITED	SL1C	Н							
Nov 17	Didcot Town	SL1C	Α							
Nov 24	Bedford Town	SL1C	Α							
Dec 01	BARTON ROVERS	SL1C	Н							
Dec 08	THAME UNITED	SL1C	Н							
Dec 15	Peterborough Sports	SL1C	Α							
Dec 22	Yaxley	SL1C	Α							
Dec 26	A.F.C. DUNSTABLE	SL1C	Н							
Dec 29	NORTH LEIGH	SL1C	Н							
Jan 01	Welwyn Garden City	SL1C	Α							
Jan 05	SUTTON COLDFIELD TOWN	SL1C	Н							
Jan 12	Berkhamsted	SL1C	Α							
Jan 19	BROMSGROVE SPORTING	SL1C	Н							
Jan 26	Cambridge City	SL1C	Α							
Feb 02	KEMPSTON ROVERS	SL1C	Н							
Feb 09	Corby Town	SL1C	Α							
Feb 16	PETERBOROUGH SPORTS	SL1C	н							
Feb 23	Thame United	SL1C	Α							
Mar 02	Aylesbury United	SL1C	Α							
Mar 09	DIDCOT TOWN	SL1C	Н							
Mar 16	Aylesbury	SL1C	Α							
Mar 23	KIDLINGTON	SL1C	Н							
Mar 30	Barton Rovers	SL1C	Α							
Apr 06	BEDFORD TOWN	SL1C	Н							
Apr 13	YAXLEY	SL1C	Н							
Apr 20	Coleshill Town	SL1C	Α							
Apr 22	WELWYN GARDEN CITY	SL1C	Н							
Apr 27	Sutton Coldfield Town	SL1C	Α							

**SL1C** - Evo-Stik Div 1 Central, **FAC** - The Emirates Cup, **FAT** - Buildbase FA Trophy, **BSC** - Beds FA Senior Challenge Counstable Town Football Club is a members-owned football club that is run by the Club Committee through its annually elec

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	Taylor	Lauder	A Amu (1)	Wreh (2)	Esso	Collins (46)	Mullings	Williams (62)	Trif (79)	Naismith
	Taylor	Lauder	A Amu	Wreh (1)	Williams (2)	Patru	Naismith (85)	Mullings	Trif (69)	E Amu (65)
	Collins	Lauder	A Amu (1)	Williams (1)	Black (1)	Barnett (46)	Perlmutter	E Amu (52)	Trif (79)	
	E Amu	Sheikh	A Amu	Williams	Wreh	Naismith	Lauder	Perlmutter	Trif (65)	Mullings (65)
	Dasilva	Lamptey	A Amu	Wreh (1)	Williams (1)	Collins	Sonuga (73)	Sheikh (50)	Trif (57)	Patru
	Taylor	E Amu	A Amu (1)	Wreh	Williams	Collins	Lamptey (40)	Black (64)	Trif	Lauder
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	E Amu	Lamptey	A Amu	Trif (1)	Williams	Collins (88)	Sonuga (76)	Marius	Black	Wreh (63)
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### **TODAY'S OTHER FIXTURES**

### **Saturday 10th November 2018**

3pm	Aylesbury	V	Berkhamsted Town
3pm	Cambridge City	٧	Kempston Rovers
3pm	Coleshill Town	٧	Kidlington
3pm	<b>Dunstable Town</b>	٧	Aylesbury United
3pm	North Leigh	٧	Bromsgrove Sporting
3pm	Peterborough Sports	٧	Corby Town
3pm	Sutton Coldfield Town	V	Barton Rovers

### MATCHDAY HAPPY HOUR

2 drinks for £5.50

Carling and Greene King IPA only

Saturday 1 - 2



Midweek 6 - 7

### MATCH DAY MEAL DEALS

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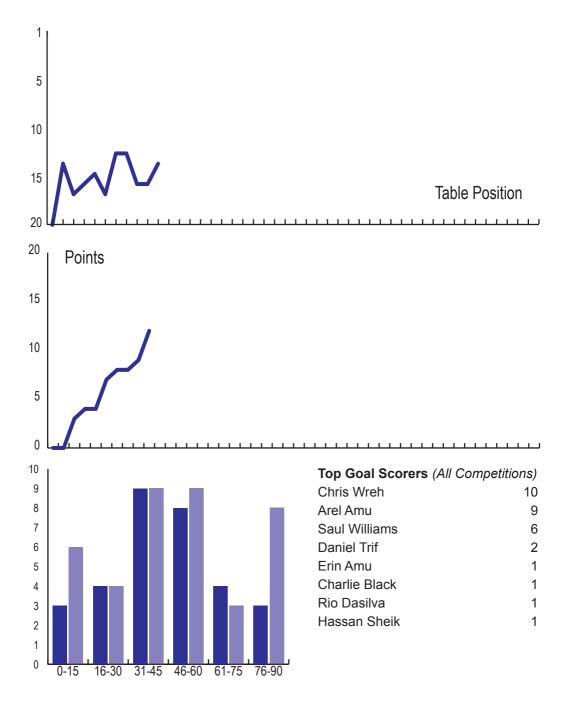
Burger and Chips £4

Fish Fingers/Nuggets, Chips and Fruitshoot £3.50

### **PLAYER APPEARANCES**

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	1	6	1	10		6			31	19	3
Arel Amu	14		9		5		58		9		
Erin Amu	11	(2)	6	(2)	5		28	(2)	1		
Jonathan Barnett	1	(1)		(1)	1		198	(1)			
Charlie Black	1	(3)	1	(2)		(1)	23	(3)	1		
Fred Burbidge	3		2		1		3				
Ben Collins	3	(3)	2	(1)	1	(2)	32	(3)			
James Connell	1		1				1			1	
Rio Dasilva	3	(4)	1	(2)	2	(2)	3	(4)	1		
Jetmir Esso	3		2		1		16				
Nathan Harness	1		1				10				
Nick Hayes	4		1		3		15				
Will Hunt	6		3		3		14				1
Lanre Ladipo							36				
Ethan Lamptey	7	(1)	3	(1)	4		24	(1)		1	
James Lauder	6	(2)	4	(2)	2		6	(2)			
Kyle Lincoln	5		4		1		63			1	
Joe Mead	14		8		6		14				1
Nathan Mullings		(2)		(1)		(1)	3	(2)			
George Naismith	1	(1)	1	(1)			1	(1)			
Keiran Ogden	10	(1)	7	(1)	3		37	(1)		3	
Gedeon Okito	16		10		6		86			1	
Marius Patru	6	(1)	3	(1)	3		6	(1)		3	
Connor Perlmutter											
Hassan Sheik	8	(1)	5		3	(1)	8	(1)	1	2	
John Sonuga	9	(2)	5	(1)	4	(1)	62	(2)		2	
Alex Taylor	12		9		3		12			3	1
Daniel Trif	5	(9)	5	(3)		(6)	38	(9)	2	1	
Saul Williams	14	(2)	9	(1)	5	(1)	32	(2)	6	1	
Chris Wreh	13	(2)	7	(2)	6		13	(2)	10		

### **SEASON STATS**



### **EVO-STIK DIVISION ONE CENTRAL TABLE**

		Р	W	D	L	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	Corby Town	10	7	3	0	32	9	23	24
2	Bromsgrove Sporting	11	7	2	2	30	15	15	23
3	Peterborough Sports	9	6	2	1	19	5	14	20
4	Cambridge City	10	5	2	3	22	16	6	17
5	Berkhamsted Town	10	5	2	3	16	13	3	17
6	Bedford Town	8	5	1	2	22	7	15	16
7	Welwyn Garden City	11	5	1	5	11	14	-3	16
8	Sutton Coldfield Town	10	4	3	3	15	12	3	15
9	Coleshill Town	10	4	2	4	18	15	3	14
10	Barton Rovers	11	4	2	5	14	19	-5	14
11	Kempston Rovers	10	4	1	5	18	20	-2	13
12	AFC Dunstable	10	4	1	5	16	19	-3	13
13	Thame United	9	4	1	4	14	18	-4	13
14	DUNSTABLE TOWN	10	3	3	4	22	25	-3	12
15	Aylesbury	12	3	3	6	16	20	-4	12
16	AYLESBURY UNITED	10	4	0	6	17	22	-5	12
17	Yaxley	11	4	0	7	25	33	-8	12
18	Didcot Town	8	3	1	4	15	14	1	10
19	North Leigh	10	2	1	7	16	29	-13	7
20	Kidlington	10	1	1	8	6	39	-33	4

### **IN DEVELOPMENT**

### SUBURBAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE CENTRAL DIVISION

		P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Ascot Utd	9	6	3	0	11	21
2	DUNSTABLE TOWN	9	5	2	2	3	17
3	Westfield	9	4	3	2	13	15
4	Tring Athletic	9	5	0	4	10	15
5	Abbey Rangers	10	3	3	4	3	12
6	Leverstock Green	9	4	0	5	-12	12
7	Hartley Wintney	8	3	1	4	2	10
8	Eversley & California	8	3	1	4	-5	10
9	Harefield Utd	8	3	0	5	-5	9
10	Fleet Spurs	7	2	1	4	-7	7
11	AFC Hayes	8	1	2	5	-13	5

### **RESULTS & FIXTURES**

Saturday, 18 August	Α	Fleet Spurs	SLC	W	3-1
Thursday, 23 August	Н	Hartley Wintney	SLC	W	3-1
Saturday, 25 August	Α	Westfield	SLC	W	2-1
Thursday, 30 August	Н	Eversley & California	SLC	L	1-2
Saturday, 15 September	Α	AFC Hayes	SLC	D	1-1
Saturday, 22 September	Α	Abbey Rangers	SLC	D	3-3
Thursday, 11 October	Н	Tring Athletic	SLC	L	2-6
Saturday, 20 October	Α	Royston Town	MBSC	L	2-2
Saturday, 3 November	Α	Hartley Wintney	SLC	W	2-1
Thursday, 8 November	Н	Abbey Rangers	SLC	W	4-1
Saturday, 17 November	Α	Leverstock Green	SLC		



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ON THIS DAY ... by Brian Seal



### 10 NOVEMBER 1899 - ALL'S FAIR IN FOOTBALL AND WAR

On 10 November 1899, British forces in South Africa during the Second Boer War had a football match interrupted by an artillery shell. The shell did no damage, but allowed one of the teams to sneak a goal amid the confusion.

The match took place at the parade ground of the Gordon Highlanders near Ladysmith in the British Colony of Natal, South Africa. The Gordons were playing against a team from a local Natal regiment. After only two minutes of play, a 90-lb artillery shell launched by Boer forces from a nearby ridge flew over the players' heads and exploded harmlessly near the far side of the pitch.

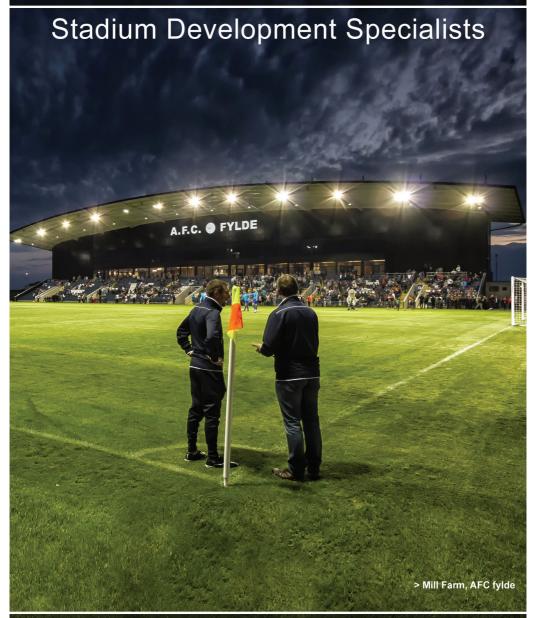
One of the Gordons took advantage of the confusion caused by the explosion to score

a goal against his distracted opponents. The Natal players understandably objected, to which the Gordons later responded by sending a letter to the Football Association. Their complaint was that the rules at the time did not allow for any such objections. There is no record of a reply from the FA.

The Gordon Highlanders went on to later success, with their regimental team winning the 1890 Irish Cup.

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October was a month which saw the managerial merry-go-round in full flow with destinations taking a different turn from what you might have expected. Martin Gray found himself back in football at Ebac Northern League Division One side Shildon after his departure at York City earlier this season. Heads were turned by the 47-year-old's decision to make the drop three levels lower than his former employers. Here are three other instances of the past and present where managers have made moves few could have predicted.

### Kevin Nicholson - Mousehole

From the National League with Torquay United last season, to the new surroundings of South West Peninsula League outfit Mousehole AFC. A drop from Step 1 to 7, but the Seagulls are a club who have no intentions of 'standing still'. UEFA 'A' Licence-holder Nicholson has proved quite the catch for the fishing port town based in west Cornwall, steering the team to a 11-1 league victory over Ludgvan last week. Switching the Gulls for the Seagulls, Nicholson said he was "taken aback by the club's footballing philosophy, coaching setup, use of technology, committee support, infrastructure, fantastic Academy and forward-thinking ambition."

### Tony Adams - FK Gabala

This was no high and dry decision by the Arsenal great who followed his sacking as Portsmouth manager with a move to the former Soviet Republic of Azerbaijan and top flight side FK Gabala. His arrival at the one-time champions of Azerbaijan was heralded

as a landmark moment to boost the Azerbaijan Premier League's reputation, but results didn't come consistently as Gabala were left to bide their time with mid-table finishes. After leaving the club, Adams then returned in 2014 as sporting director and his recruitment saw the team post the their biggest points total in eight years when they finished third. For the next two seasons, Gabala couldn't crack the glass ceiling and would saddle consecutive third-place finishes with cup runs which fell at the final hurdle.

### Sven Goran Eriksson - Notts County

A year after managing Manchester City, the former England boss was lured to League Two Notts County as sporting director. In one of British football's most extreme cases of shady ownership, the takeover would become part of a wider investigation into the legitimacy of businessman Russell King for the Serious Fraud Office. Proclaiming to have bought the rights to North Korea's gold, coal and iron ore mining operations, King was the head of a company worth \$2trillion. All the money in the world to help Sven take the Magpies from League Two to the Premier League. And the Swede was totally sold on the idea he could do just that. But all was not as it seemed and once 'conman' King was embroiled in the investigation for fraud, the club ran up debts of £7million before being sold for £1 to local businessman Ray Tew. Eriksson's seven months at the club were at an end and the Swede later admitted the vanishing act had left him stewing in 'anger'.



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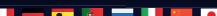
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The club was founded in 1907 and in their early days competed in the North Berks League from the 1910–11 season. They left the North Berks league at the end of the 1927–28 campaign and later joined the Reading League and then the Metropolitan League. They then became founder members of the Hellenic League in 1953, where they won the championship at the first attempt. Although they returned to the Metropolitan League for the 1957–58 season they rejoined the Hellenic League Premier Division in 1963.

They spent the next thirteen seasons in the premier division before being relegated to Division one at the end of the 1975–76 season, the same season they made their debut in the FA Cup; however, they bounced back up as champions of Division one the next season. They moved between the Hellenic League's two divisions on two more occasions before they established themselves for the rest of their time in the top flight of the Hellenic league from the 1995–96 season. In 2004–05, under manager Stuart Peace, they were only denied the title due to the deduction of one point for fielding an ineligible player in a 1–1 draw at Tuffley Rovers at the start

of the season, but made up for it by beating A.F.C. Sudbury to claim the FA Vase. The following season they finally claimed the league title, becoming the first team in Hellenic League history to accrue 100 points in a season, and were thus promoted to the Southern League Division One South & West. In May 2009 they gained promotion to the Southern Football League Premier Division, when they beat AFC Totton 2–1 after extra time in the play-off final. The 2010–11 season saw long-term manager Stuart Peace leave the club in January, to be replaced by Adrian Williams; however, he could not save them from relegation.

Manager Ady Williams then resigned in May 2011 to be replaced by Francis Vines, but he only stayed until September 2011, after a poor start to the season. He was replaced with Dave Mudge, who guided the club to the first round of the FA Trophy for the first time, but resigned at the start of the 2012–13 season for personal reasons to be replaced by Gary Elkins. Elkins was replaced by former Didcot FA Vase winners Ian Concannon and Jamie Heapy, who were appointed as joint managers in November 2013.

### ON THE ROAD WITH THE BLUES

A Bedford Town Football Club was in existence by 1884, although it changed its name to Bedford Association in 1887. As there were no leagues at the time, the club played friendly matches in cups, including the Kettering Charity Cup and the Luton Charity Cup, before disappearing in 1891.

The name Bedford Town reappeared in 1894 when Swifts, a club founded in 1890, were renamed. They absorbed Bedford Rovers in 1896, and although local leagues had been formed, the club continued to play only cup matches and friendlies. However, the club disappeared around the turn of the century.

On 31 July 1908 a new Bedford Town was formed at the Association Rooms on Harpur Street. They joined Division One of the Northamptonshire League, finishing bottom of the table in their first two seasons, but avoiding relegation to Division Two.

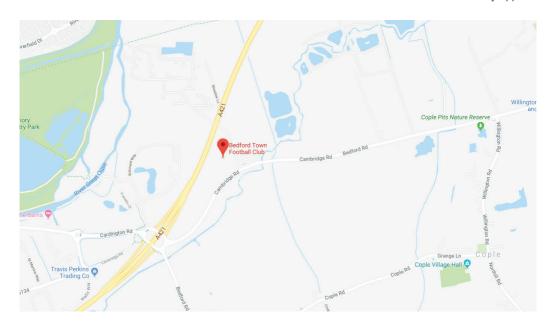
They went on to finish as runners-up for three consecutive seasons between 1911–12 and 1913–

14 before the league closed down due to World War I. They also won the Northamptonshire Senior Cup in 1912–13.



After the war the club continued in the league, finishing as Division One runners-up in 1929–30 before winning the title in 1930–31. The following season saw them finish in second place again, after which they won back-to-back titles in 1932–33 and 1933–34. The league was then renamed the United Counties League, with Bedford finishing as runners-up in 1934–35 and reaching the first round of the FA Cup for the first time, losing 3–2 at home to Dartford. They finished as runners-up in 1936–37, remaining in the league until World War II

In 1945 Bedford joined the Southern League. They reached the first round of the FA Cup several times in the early 1950s, losing 2–0 at Swindon Town in 1951–52, 4–0 at Weymouth in 1953–54 and 2–0 at Dorchester Town in 1954–55. In 1955 they applied



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