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# WELCOME

## MATCH DAY THIRTEEN

We extend a warm welcome to everybody here at the CR MOT Centre Community Stadium at the Lamb this evening for this Pitching In Southern League Premier Central fixture against our visitors from Stourbridge. Indeed we trust the players, supporters and officials enjoy the hospitality here this evening and have a safe journey home after the game.

Games between the Lambs and Glassboys have always been close affairs, none more so than a memorable Emirates FA Cup tie played between the two teams here at the Lamb last season. After 90 mins the scores were 3 - 3 and the game went straight to penalties which the Lambs won 5 - 4. The very first game between the two sides took place at the Lamb way back in 1939 which Tamworth won 7 - 0 in a Birmingham Combination game. Since then the teams have faced each other 100 times with Tamworth winning 50, losing 30 and 20 games have been drawn. Stourbridge come into this game on the back of a 1 - 1 draw at home to AFC Rushden and Diamonds on Saturday, while Tamworth enjoyed an exciting 2 - 1 victory at Rushall Olympic. In that game Martin Riley and Isaac Currie made their Tamworth debuts. Martin joins us from Stourbridge and Isaac from Guisley and we extend a very warm welcome to the Lamb to both of them.

No doubt thoughts are turning to the Emirates FA Cup 4Q round tie on Saturday when Notts County are in town. Tickets are selling well and we expect a very large crowd at the game. Tickets will remain on sale all week and the website has all the times that tickets are available. For those who have an online ticket account with a purchasing history, then you can purchase your tickets without having to come to the ground.

It is a special birthday today for one of our fans who lives in Australia. We send our best wishes to Neil Barker who is 50 today. He follows the Lambs games on the internet and has done for years, Neil and his wife are 'Tammys' and their daughter Amy has arranged for a Tamworth home shirt to be sent to him for his birthday. A very happy birthday to you Neil and we hope you are celebrating a Lambs win to go with your shirt!

We had a very disappointed young man when the Hitchin Town game was called off. Jake McElwee was looking forward to attending his first ever football match on his 11th birthday. He has only recently got into football and has chosen the Lamb to enjoy his first game. Jake is attending the game tonight with his Auntie Kelly and we hope you both enjoy the game and see the Lambs win!

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# RUSHALL OLYMPIC 1-2 TAMWORTH FC

## MATCH REPORT

On the back of the FA Cup victory and looking ahead to the visit of Notts County in a weeks time, The Lambs made the short journey up the A5 followed by a quick left at Muckley corner to land at Dales Lane, the home of The Pics. Tamworth fans turned up in their droves with the main topic of conversation the visit of the Magpies, but there was a job to be done in the league first, and what a game it turned out to be.

Rushall kicked off proceedings and were quick into their stride, taking the game to the Lambs. From a right sided corner in the second minute Glover fired high over the bar, and the same player forced Singh to come out and defend his box while Forde put the necessary boot in to prevent further attacks. Brown went down after just six minutes and brought Riley into the game in an unplanned early substitution and Mitchell tried his luck with a left footed shot over the bar from the right while The Lambs regrouped. A jinking run from Coyle resulted in a left footed strike wide of the far right hand post on 9 and it wasn't until 14 that Tamworth started to see the goal.

Waite, Hart and Forde combined before the ball fell to Creaney but he lifted his shot over the bar and Walters made a darting run down the left in the next move but shot low at Palmer who smothered it. As Tamworth looked to push on, Beswick tried to release Waite but his ball was just too long for him to reach and Rushall countered and Whittall fired wide on 18 while Moore blazed wide of the mark on 22. Thomas hit a rising shot over the bar on 23 and the best chance for The Lambs came following a foul by Clarke on Creaney who was stopped him advancing over the halfway line in pursuit of a ball over the top. Beswick sent the freekick into the box and Pendley got his head to it but it went just wide of the mark then, at the other end, Rushall failed to capitalise when well positioned and a miskick in front of goal gave the Lambs a lifeline. Creaney was brought down by Thorley on 32 and after the players calmed down both were shown cards. Beswick's deep freekick was dropped by Palmer, but Creaney's shot was blocked. Rushall carried on with their attacking intent on Singh's goal without really threatening to score and when Tamworth created a chance they couldn't take it, none more so when Walters worked himself into the box with the whole goal to aim at in front of him, but lifted his shot over the target. Pendley was booked for a foul on Glover just outside the area on 40 and despite some positive attacking play from The Lambs the half drew to a close and the score line remained 0-0.

Tamworth restarted the game and Forde saw his name go in the book on 50 after a foul on Batchelor in the centre circle. Pendley glanced a header wide of the mark on 54 while he and his fellow defenders put everything behind the ball to keep Singh as protected as possible. Thomas was brought down just past the hour mark and Beswick's freekick deflected to a grateful Palmer and at the other end, Mitchell found Parry in the area a minute later but he too cleared the bar from 8 yards out. Concannon came into the fray for the hardworking Walters on 63 as Olympic poured forwards out of the their own half resulting in Coyle striking a shot wide of the mark.

Hart, in his first game back from injury, was replaced by new signing Currie on 67 in a straight swap at right back and Singh was forced to push the ball over the bar on 72 when Moore supplied Coyle with the ammunition.

Tamworth exerted some pressure around the 80th minute with Thomas and Concannon combining, and a corner from the latter was headed wide by Creaney. Lambs fans were feeling that Rushall could well be the team likely to score first, and sure enough after forcing a corner, another on the opposite side was forthcoming and a powerful header by Clarke through a crowded area left Singh claspang at thin air to put The Pics in front with 6 minutes left on the clock. (0-1, 84 mins) The Lambs seemed to be down and out but the never say die heroes sprang into life and a looping shot from Thomas was tipped over the bar by the Palmer as it was dropping into the goal.

Beswick's corner was headed by Pendley and forced another flagkick on the right but that was dealt with by the Rushall defence.

But they couldn't do anything to prevent the equaliser coming in the first minute of added time. Another right sided corner was struck into the box, partially headed down, struck the Pics defence, looped back out, was headed back in and dropped perfectly for Creaney to bicycle kick from 12 yards. Needless to say he connected perfectly to rocket the ball into the back of the net for his tenth of the season. (1-1, 90+1 mins)

The travelling faithful behind the goal went wild with jubilation, but it wasn't over yet and a minute later Concannon won and whipped the ball from the right into the path of Thomas past the far post and he knocked it back first time for Creaney who duly smashed the ball into the centre of the back of the net (2-1, 90+2 mins) Needless to say, drinks, programmes, hats, scarves and even bodies – basically anything not nailed down - went flying into the air in wild scenes of celebratory jubilation. A 'miracle' had happened. The Lambs had snatched victory from the jaws of defeat and the Tamworth contingent gave their heroes a standing ovation as they left the pitch, smiling more in relief than anything.

Written by: Dave Clayton and Ivor Turner.









# THE CHANGING FACE OF THE LAMB



Since the start of last season there have been some big changes at the Lamb which you can't help but spot. The 9 ageing and second hand floodlight columns have been replaced by 4 brand new state of the art LED floodlight towers. The lights are brighter and cheaper to run, and with the facility to dim them, they are suitable for use in a number of different situations.

Another major change is the investment in the clubhouse, identifiable by the refurbished roof and a redeveloped internal space following considerable damage caused by the winter weather. All in all just over £250,000 has been invested in the ground with a substantial amount provided by grants from the Football Stadia Improvement Fund and the generosity of supporters and backers of the club.



Since 2016 the Lamb has moved from a facility that was used two nights a week and a Saturday afternoon to a seven-days-a-week all year-round operation. The club has grown from one competitive team to 25 teams ranging from under-7s to the first team. There is also a full-time scholarship programme for 60 students aged 16-19. A women's section has been introduced with junior and adult teams. As a result, Tamworth FC is now the largest multi-team football club in the area with our academy in a partnership with Derby County.

The Football Stadia Improvement Fund (FSIF) is the largest funder of non-league football in the country. The FSIF is the sister organisation of the Football Foundation and is solely funded by the Premier League. It is the country's largest provider of grants towards projects that help improve the comfort and safety of lower-league football grounds in both the professional and amateur game. These improvements range from new football stands and turnstiles to flood-lighting and improved provision for disabled supporters.

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# STOURBRIDGE

STOURBRIDGE FC



"The Glassboys" were founded in 1876 and were originally known as Stourbridge Standard. Top honours eluded the club until the 1887-88 season when the Kidderminster Cup and the Worcester Charity Cup was won. By that time, it is known that the club had changed its name to "Stourbridge Football Club" and were competing in the Birmingham and District League, where reasonable success was achieved without actually gaining the league title, but the Worcestershire Senior Cup was won on three occasions.

The 1923-24 season was one of the best in the club's history, when the Birmingham League championship was clinched by finishing seven points clear of Shrewsbury and the Worcestershire Senior Cup was won yet again.

After the Second World War, "The Glassboys" (reflecting the town's connection with the Cut Glass industry) enjoyed a particularly successful period with the Birmingham Combination Championship achieved in 1952 and the Birmingham, Worcestershire and Herefordshire Senior Cups were also won too during this particular era.

October 1997 saw a new Chairman at the club and many impressive signings for the 1998-99 season were made under the guidance of a new manager, Steve Daniels. However early season success proved short lived as budget cutbacks then saw many of the more experienced players move on. The club finished in mid-table and shortly after the end of the season, Daniels resigned as manager, and player/coach Micky Guest was promoted as his successor.

The club suffered a torrid few months on and off the pitch at the start of the 1999-2000 season and Micky Guest resigned. Meanwhile a new owner came to the club, and swiftly appointed Mark Serrell as Chairman and Mark Harrison as Manager. Despite an influx of new players, continued poor results meant the bell finally tolled on our 29-year spell at Southern League level with defeat in the last game of the season at Hinckley United in May 2000.

We finished in 5th place in our inaugural season in the Midland Football Alliance, but the highlight of the 2000-01 season was the capture of the MFA Davis League Cup. We emerged victorious over Bridgnorth Town following a dramatic penalty shoot-out after the final had finished in a 1-1 draw, to collect our first silverware for eight years.

In 2004-05 we enjoyed a memorable run in the F.A. Vase to reach the last 8 of the competition. We put up a tremendous display at AFC Sudbury in the quarter-final before finally succumbing to a 4-1 defeat after extra time. In the league, we were well placed for a title push at the turn of the year, but after our exit from the Vase in early March we suffered a terrible run of results which meant that we slipped down the league table and eventually finished in 8th place.

In the 2007-08 season, an excellent run of results during March and April saw us seal a third-place finish in the Midlands Division to reach the play-offs. A narrow 1 - 0 win at home to Sutton Coldfield took us through to the Final away at second placed Leamington and in front of a crowd of 1,634, a stunning goal from Leon Broadhurst four minutes from the end of extra-time sealed a 2 - 1 victory to earn us a second promotion in three seasons and a return to the Premier Division of the Southern League after a gap of 24 years!

In 2009-10 Gary Hackett became the first Stourbridge manager to take the club through to the First Round Proper of the FA Cup with the Glassboys earning a home tie with Walsall. In front of a crowd of 2,014 at the War Memorial Athletic Ground the Saddlers ran out narrow 1 - 0 winners on a momentous day for the club. Some excellent results in the second half of the campaign also saw Stourbridge finish in 9th place in the league.

2010-11 saw the Glassboys taste cup final success as we defeated Worcester City 2 - 0 to lift the Worcestershire Senior Cup at Kidderminster Harriers. Another solid Premier Division season ended with Stourbridge finishing 8th.

The 2017-18 campaign saw the Glassboys have mixed fortunes in the league, eventually ending in 10th place, but the club reached the 4th Qualifying Round of the FA Cup and 2nd Round proper of the FA Trophy and the season ended on a high note with the lifting of the Birmingham Senior Cup with a 2 - 1 win over Hednesford Town in the Final played at St Andrew's.

The Club returned to the Southern League for 2018-19 as a member of the newly created Premier Division Central. Home wins over National League North teams Leamington and Kidderminster saw the Glassboys once again reach the FA Cup 4th Qualifying Round, but this time Guiseley proved too strong as we fell to a 3 - 1 defeat in West Yorkshire. In the league we held a top two spot for much of the campaign only to slip to 3rd on the final day of the season with a home defeat to King's Lynn Town. We then had to give up home advantage in the play-off semi-finals and were subsequently defeated 2 - 1 at Alvechurch to see our promotion hopes dashed once more.

A day after the play-off loss Gary Hackett resigned his post to bring the curtain down on an outstanding 16 years in charge and Jon Ford and other members of his backroom team also followed him in leaving. Ian Long then arrived from Alvechurch in May 2019 to take over at the helm. Despite a large turnover of players that summer, the Club reached the 1st Round Proper of the FA Cup again following wins in the qualifying rounds against Bromsgrove Sporting, Coalville Town, Stafford Rangers and Whitby Town before losing to Eastleigh after a replay. However, in February 2020 Ian Long was relieved of his duties with Mark Yates subsequently appointed in his place with Neil Howarth as his assistant just before the 2019/20 campaign was brought to a premature end by the pandemic.

# STOURBRIDGE PLAYERS

## **CHARLIE PRICE - Goalkeeper**

Goalkeeper who first joined the club in May 2015 from Tividale and he made 14 appearances for the Glassboys in 2015-16 before ending that campaign on dual registration to Lye Town. He moved to Alvechurch in the summer of 2016 after his year at Stourbridge but in June 2019 he returned for a second stint at the War Memorial Athletic Ground and some strong performances early in 2020 have since seen him secure the no. 1 jersey.

## **KIERAN MORRIS - Defender**

A central defender who originally came through our youth ranks. His performances were noted by Brentford who signed him as a teenager in the summer of 2013. He played for their under-21 side and impressed sufficiently to win another one-year contract ahead of the 2014/15 season. Following the Yeltz relegation at the end of the 2018/19 season he joined Hednesford ahead of the 2019/20 campaign, but after some upheaval at the Staffordshire side he opted to join Coalville early in January 2020, however the Dudley-based player moved back to the War Memorial Athletic Ground in February 2020.

## **BEN O'HANLON - Defender**

He returned to the Midlands on loan at Hednesford from the Quakers in February 2019, before making a move to the Staffordshire outfit on a permanent basis ahead of the 2019-20 campaign.

## **HARVEY PORTMAN - Defender**

Highly regarded teenage defender who has progressed through our youth and academy ranks to be promoted into the senior squad. Made his Stourbridge debut as a second half substitute against Stamford in the FA Trophy in October 2020 and has also gained more senior experience playing for Team Dudley FC in the West Midlands Regional League.

## **LATHANIEL ROWE-TURNER - Defender**

An athletic left-sided defender with a strong presence who is equally adept at full-back or in the heart of the defence. He signed for Stourbridge in the summer of 2021 from Tamworth.

## **LEE VAUGHAN - Defender**

The Birmingham-born, former England C International arrived in the summer of 2021 from Barnet FC where he spent the last two months of the 2020/21 campaign. He is a solid, committed right-back who also likes to get forward to support the attack whenever possible.

## **JACK WILSON - Defender**

The 30-year-old, well-regarded for his strength, pace and work-rate, joined Stourbridge in September 2021, having chalked up over 200 appearances for Bromsgrove Sporting and been a key figure as the Rouslers climbed up the levels. He had a short stint at Lichfield City at the start of the 2015/16 season before re-joining Sporting.

## **MELIS BUSHAJ - Midfielder**

A Coventry-based midfielder or left-sided player who has joined us on a long-term loan from Solihull Moors until January. He is known to Mark Yates from his time in charge of the Moors earlier in 2021.

## **REECE KING - Midfielder**

Signed from Buxton in the summer of 2021. In February 2020 he completed a move to Buxton FC, linking up again with former Pitmen boss Gary Hayward and he remained with the Bucks for the truncated 2020/21 season before deciding to join a club closer to home for the upcoming campaign.

## **DARRYL KNIGHTS - Midfielder**

Joined the Glassboys from AFC Telford in the summer of 2020. The Suffolk-born attacking playmaker

can operate at the head of a midfield diamond or out wide.

## **JOSH MARSDEN - Midfielder**

Josh came through the Stourbridge Academy.

## **JAMES MCQUILKIN - Midfielder**

The Tipton-born midfielder signed for Stourbridge in the summer of 2021. A former Northern Ireland under 21 International, he is a hard-working, high energy, creative midfield player who is comfortable on the ball.

## **GREG MILLS - Midfielder**

A skilful and direct left-sided winger who started out his career at Derby County where he progressed through their ranks to go on and make two first team appearances with his debut coming in October 2009. He signed for Stourbridge in the summer of 2018 and as a key player he scored 24 times to be the outgoing Manager's Player of the Year for 2018/19. He transferred to Bromsgrove Sporting in October 2019 but was brought back to the Glassboys for a second stint during the summer of 2020 by the new manager.

## **ETHAN MORAN - Midfielder**

The young attacking midfielder has shown promise whilst on trial with the Glassboys during pre-season and Mark Yates has moved to add him to the squad ahead of our visit to Banbury on Saturday.

## **TOMIWA SOLANKE - Midfielder**

The 20-year-old, who can play as a defensive midfielder or in the heart of the defence, was previously with West Bromwich Albion, progressing through their youth ranks and appearing for The Gaggies at under 23 level in the EFL Trophy.

## **JASON COWLEY - Striker**

The livewire striker joined from Bromsgrove Sporting in the summer of 2021.

**MONTEL GIBSON - Striker**

An athletic striker who has joined us on loan from Grimsby Town until the end of January 2022.

**DANIEL GYASI - Stiker**

Promising, pacey wide player who has been promoted into the senior squad for this season after some good displays for our academy side and for West Midlands Regional League side, Team Dudley FC.

**MIRACLE OKAFOR - Striker**

Promising young forward who was signed after impressing in pre-season ahead of the 2021/22 campaign. He was originally in the Scunthorpe United academy and had a loan stint with Frickley Athletic in March 2019. After being released he featured for Alvechurch in August 2019 before moving to Highgate United. He then signed for Guiseley in December 2020 before the National League North campaign was halted early in 2021.

**BEN USHER-SHIPWAY - Striker**

Ben is on loan from Solihull Moors and has his loan extended until November.





# ADRIAN LEEDHAM

Tamworth Football Club were saddened to hear that our friend Adrian Leedham passed away last week.

The funeral service will be held at Dradley Crematorium on Friday 22nd October 2021 at 1:30pm and then returning back to Tamworth FC's Clubhouse afterwards.

The family welomer all those who wish to attend to celebrate the life of Adrian.

Adrian served the Lambs in several capacities, including being part of the management of the club as Company Secretary and as a Director, and many of the supporters will remember how he helped in many fund raising activities. He was a regular face around the club until he set up his own accountancy business which meant he had to take more of a back seat due to time constraints. This didn't stop him helping the club behind the scenes and he has worked very closely with the Directors in managing the clubs' finances. Shareholders will have seen Adrian regularly bring the financial statement to the AGM every year and it will not be the same without him.

Chairman Bob Andrews speaking to the website said "Adrian was an important and much-loved member of the Tamworth FC family. He was a local man and loved his sport. You could say he was part of the furniture, and we will miss him terribly."

Everybody that knew Adrian will remember him as an incredibly decent man who had time for everybody, and he will be sadly missed. We send our love and prayers to his family and loved ones as this sad time. RIP Adrian.

Adrian is pictured below back in 1993 with the fund-raising committee. Along with some very familiar loved faces of Tamworth FC, in the first picture Adrian can be seen on the front row third from left, and in the second picture 2nd from the right.



# NON LEAGUE ROUND UP WITH MARK MAYBURY

It was second-placed Coalville Town's turn to take a break on Saturday and Peterborough Sports took advantage to extend their lead at the top of the Pitching In Southern League Premier Division Central table to four points. The Turbines ran out 5-2 winners at the Arden Garages Stadium against Stratford Town, who had initially taken the lead through Ashley Sammons' early 5th-minute goal. However, the visitors took a 2 - 1 lead into the break. The hosts pulled back on level terms within 2 minutes of the restart through Jaanai Gordon. Michael Gash restored Sports' lead on 71 minutes and Dion Sembie-Ferris made it game over with a fourth in the 80th minute, with Nicholson completing his hat-trick 4 minutes later to make it 5-2.

Royston Town leaped into third spot after a 7-1 hammering of St Ives Town on their own Westwood Road 3G pitch. St Ives trailed 2-0 to goals from Brandon Adams after 21 minutes and Dan Newton on 38 minutes at half-time. However, quick fire efforts from Adams on 48 and 51 minutes completed his hat-trick and made it virtually game over already. Harry Draper added a fifth just past the hour-mark followed by a Nabil Shariff consolation for the Saints. But a second for Draper in the 88th minute and a fourth for Adams in stoppage time completed the rout.

The Crows weren't the only team to score seven as not too far away, Biggleswade Town beat Barwell 7-0 at Langford Road. As at St Ives, the lead was 2-0 at half-time with Ben Stevens after 9 minutes and Ronan Silva on target for the Waders. Five minutes after half-time though, Barwell had defender Herve-Pepe Ngoma sent-off for a challenge deemed reckless by the referee. Two minutes later, James Peters added the home side's third and then Silva went on to complete his hat-trick in the 61st and 91st minutes, sandwiched by Matt Hall on 66 minutes and Joe Neal on 81 minutes.

Banbury United maintained their unbeaten record with a 1-0 win against bottom-markers Nuneaton Borough at the Plant Hire Community Stadium. The strugglers were up against it when they had the experienced Carl Baker dismissed for a second bookable offence after just 23 minutes. The ten-men battled hard but finally conceded 14 minutes from time when Chris Wreh was one-on-one with the Boro keeper before slotting home. Hednesford Town slipped down to fifth after being held to a 2-2 draw at Keys Park by third-bottom Hitchin Town. The visiting Canaries took the lead on the half-hour mark through Luke Brown – a lead they held at the break. But within seconds of the restart, Andre Landell pulled the Pitmen back on level terms. Alex Brown restored the visitors' lead in the 58th minute, with Lewis Ludford-Ison equalising with 20 minutes remaining. Second-from-bottom Needham Market drew 1-1 with Redditch United at Bloomfields. After a goalless opening 45 minutes, thanks mainly to both keepers, it was the Reds who broke the deadlock with a 66th-minute effort from Curtis Jemmett-Hutson. But 15 minutes from time, Jake Dye pulled the Marketmen level to earn a point that was about right on the balance of play.

Tonight's visitors Stourbridge also picked up a point from a 1-1 draw at the War Memorial Athletic Ground against AFC Rushden & Diamonds. Connor Furlong gave the visitors an early 9th-minute lead and it wasn't until 10 minutes into the second half that the Glassboys, in front of a crowd of 817, pulled back on level terms through Melis Bushaj. The home side had to hang on for the final 5 minutes with ten-men after Tom Taylor received his second booking.

Lowestoft Town recorded their third win of the season by beating Bromsgrove Sporting 2-1 at Crown Meadow. Top scorer Jake Reed gave the Trawlerboys a good start with a goal after just 5 minutes. Former Lamb Connor Taylor eventually pulled the Rouslers back on level terms with 70 minutes gone on the clock, only for Ryan Hawkins to respond within 6 minutes with what proved to be Lowestoft's winner.

The Lambs won 2-1 against Rushall Olympic – but left it very, very late! The Pics appeared to be heading for victory when Mitchell Clarke broke the deadlock to give them an 84th-minute lead. However, a spectacular bicycle kick from Dan Creaney pulled the Lambs level a minute into stoppage time and then remarkably, Creaney popped up with another seconds later to win it for the visitors.

Alvechurch secured a 2-0 Lye Meadow win over Leiston. Anthony Dwyer put 'Church in front after 36 minutes and less than 5 minutes later, Charlie Dowd doubled their advantage – and one they kept.

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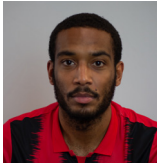






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## TAMWORTH SUPPORTERS CLUB COACH INFORMATION FOR ALVECHURCH

TAMWORTH SUPPORTERS CLUB HAVE A COACH TO ALVECHURCH ON TUESDAY  
19TH OCTOBER 2021.

DETAILS:

ADULTS: £10.00,  
UNDER SIXTEEN: £5.00.

COACH WILL DEPART THE LAMB AT 5:30PM.

TO BOOK YOUR SPACE, EMAIL: [TFCSC@MAIL.COM](mailto:TFCSC@MAIL.COM) OR PHONE: 07971001078

**TAMWORTH SUPPORTERS CLUB ARE DOING A RAFFLE FOR TWO PEOPLE TO WIN  
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## TAMWORTH ACADEMY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME SEPTEMBER 2021

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# GIRLS SCHOLARSHIP TRIALS

## SEPTEMBER 2022

HERE AT TAMWORTH FC WE OFFER A FULL TIME FOOTBALL AND EDUCATION PROGRAMME RUN BY BRIGHTER FUTURES WITH THE AIM TO GIVE A PLATFORM THAT GIVES TALENTED FEMALE FOOTBALLERS THE CHANCE TO CONTINUE THEIR FULL TIME ACADEMY STUDIES WHILST RECEIVING QUALITY FOOTBALL COACHING THREE DAYS A WEEK AND COMPETING IN A WOMEN'S COLLEGE LEAGUE.

THE BTEC SPORTS COACHING PROGRAMMES ARE DESIGNED TO GIVE 16 TO 19 YEARS OLDS THE OPPORTUNITY TO GAIN 2 OR 3 A LEVEL'S WHILST TRAINING IN TAMWORTH GIRLS FOOTBALL PROGRAMME.

#### WHY CHOSE US?

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- UNIVERSITY ACCEPTED APPLICATIONS
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- TRAIN AND EDUCATE WITH YOUR TEAM MATES,
- ROUND THE CLOCK EDUCATION AND FOOTBALL SUPPORT,
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#### TRIALS

**MONDAY 25TH OCTOBER 2021,  
10:00AM - 12:00PM,**

TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST EMAIL:

CHILDS NAME, DOB, CURRENT TEAM, POSITION,  
PARENTS NAME AND PARENTS NUMBER TO:

[RACHAEL.GRAHAM@SYSCO.UK.COM](mailto:RACHAEL.GRAHAM@SYSCO.UK.COM)



# TAMWORTH FC

## PLAYER STATISTICS SEASON 2021/22

TOTAL NUMBER OF MATCHES - 13

		SEASON TOTAL						LAMBS CAREER		
		XI = starting eleven, PS = played sub, NPS = Non played sub XI-G = goals from starting eleven PS-G = goals from the bench								
SURNAME	FIRST NAME	XI	PS	NPS	XI-G	PS-G	Total	App	NPS	Goals
own goals		-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	160
BASTOS	Kevin Da Silva	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BESWICK	Ryan	7	0	0	1	0	1	83	+	1 24
BROGAN	Max	0	0	+	4	0	0	0	+	4 0
BROWN	Jordaan	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	0
CLEMENT	Jordan	3	4	+	3	0	0	60	+	14 8
CONCANNON	Jack	8	3	+	2	1	0	29	+	4 7
COX	Chris	2	0	0	0	0	0	20	+	1 1
CREANEY	Dan	10	0	0	11	0	11	47	+	2 27
CURRIE	Isaac	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FALLOWS	Keelan	1	0	+	2	0	0	1	+	2 0
FORDE	Aaron	7	1	+	1	1	0	44	+	2 2
GRIFFIN	Callum	0	1	+	1	0	0	0	+	1 0
HART	Ben	4	1	0	0	0	0	9	+	1 0
HOWKINS	Cameron	1	0	+	1	0	0	7	+	8 0
KELLERMANN	James	6	0	0	2	0	2	6	0	2
MALANDJOU-KONDJO	Louis-Augustin	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
MANCINELLI	Prince	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McDONALD	Shaquille	1	0	0	0	0	0	12	+	1 7
OLUSEMO	Daniel	0	1	+	1	0	0	0	+	1 0
PARKER	Tom	0	1	+	1	0	0	0	+	1 0
PENDLEY	Orrin	11	0	0	1	0	1	11	0	1
RILEY	Martin	0	1	+	1	0	0	0	+	1 0
SINGH	Jasbir	11	0	0	0	0	0	101	+	1 0
SOLEMAN	Aram	0	1	+	3	0	0	3	+	3 0
TAIT-MORAN	Michael	1	2	+	2	0	1	2	+	2 1
TAYLOR	Michael	2	5	+	2	2	2	12	+	2 6
THOMAS	Jack	10	2	+	1	0	0	13	+	3 0
WAITE	Tyrell	10	0	0	2	0	2	96	+	2 26
WALTERS	Dexter	4	6	+	1	3	0	14	+	18 4
WARD	Tom	5	2	+	1	0	0	5	+	1 0
WILDER	Henri	12	0	0	1	0	1	55	+	9 4
YEOMANS	Lucas	8	1	0	0	0	0	9	0	0

# LEAGUE TABLE

FROM MONAY

CLUB	P	W	D	L	PTS
PETERBOROUGH SPORTS	10	9	0	1	27
COALVILLE TOWN	11	8	2	1	26
ROYSTON TOWN	10	6	2	2	20
BANBURY UNITED	8	6	2	0	20
HEDNESFORD TOWN	11	5	4	2	19
TAMWORTH	8	5	1	2	16
RUSHALL OLYMPIC	9	4	3	2	15
ALVECHURCH	10	4	2	4	14
LEISTON	8	4	1	3	13
BROMSGROVE SPORTING	9	4	1	4	13
STRATFORD TOWN	8	4	0	4	12
REDDITCH UNITED	11	3	3	5	12
BIGGLESWADE TOWN	9	3	2	4	11
AFC RUSHDEN & DIAMONDS	9	3	2	4	11
BARWELL	11	2	4	5	10
LOWESTOFT TOWN	10	3	1	6	10
ST IVES TOWN	11	2	3	6	9
STOURBRIDGE	11	1	5	5	8
HITCHIN TOWN	10	2	1	7	7
NEEDHAM MARKET	9	0	6	3	6
NUNEATON BOROUGH	11	1	1	9	4

## FIXTURES

TUESDAY 12TH OCTOBER 2021

AFC RISHDEN & DIAMONDS VS. RUSHALL OLYMPIC  
BIGGLESWADE TOWN VS. STRATFORD TOWN  
BROMSGROVE SPORTING VS. BANBURY UNITED  
LEISTON FC VS. ST IVES TOWN  
PETERBOROUGH SPORTS VS. LOWESTOFT TOWN  
TAMWORTH FC VS. STOURBRIDGE



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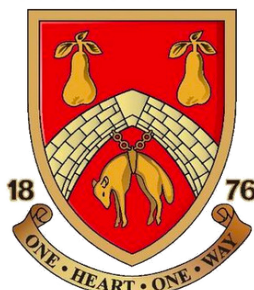


Management Team: Gary Smith  
and Andrew Danylyszyn  
Colours: Red and Black

JASBIR SINGH  
JORDAAN BROWN  
CHRIS COX  
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CAMERON HOWKINS  
ORRIN PENDLEY  
HENRI WILDER  
RYAN BESWICK  
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DANIEL CREANEY  
SHAQUILLE MCDONALD  
MICHAEL TAYLOR  
TYRELL WAITE  
MARTIN RILEY  
ISAAC CURRIE

Referee: Niall Smith,  
Assistant Referee: Jack Stenson  
and Daniel Clenton.

**STOURBRIDGE FC**



Management: Mark Yates  
Colours: Blue and Black

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