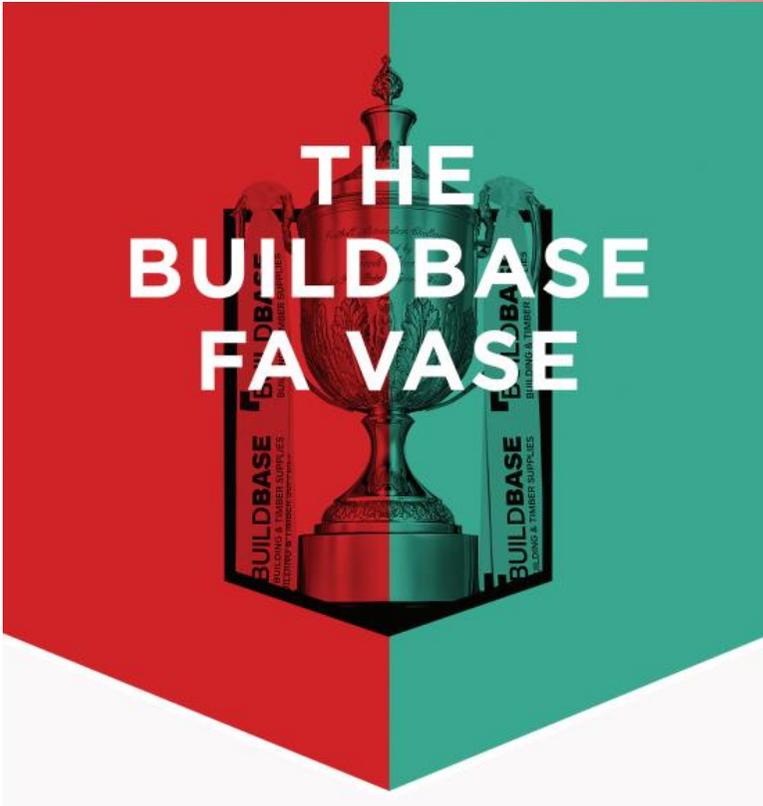


BALDOCK TOWN FC



Match Programme



Sun 11th October 2020 KO 3:00pm
v Halstead Town
FA VASE—Second Round Qualifying
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MANAGER'S VIEW

A warm welcome to everyone for this afternoon's FA Vase game.

A special welcome to our visitors Halstead Town, their committee and their supporters.

Our opponents come to New Lamb Meadow off the back two narrow defeats in their respective league. Looking at their results this season so far, a lot of their games were decided either way by one goal – in football there are fine margins and we will expect a tough test this afternoon.

Saturday's defeat at home to Leverstock Green was probably the first time this season that I believe we actually deserved to lose. Yet again we started well, scoring an early goal but what happened after that was simply not up to the standards that I expect and the players know this.

One positive from Saturday was Ollie Trott (17) made his first senior start following the positive impact he made off the bench in the previous game; I felt he did well but after picking up a booking in the first half and the dynamic of the game changing quite early in the 2nd half we had to make a tactical change to stay in the game and ensure we kept 11 on the field.

We have had a lot of injuries and suspensions which has contributed to us not having a settled starting eleven but with players back from suspension now and only Theo and Dylan on the injury list, we can have no excuses moving forward as pretty much everyone else is available again.

We need to find the right balance as playing attractive football doesn't guarantee you three points. We need to be better at digging in and protecting what we have or eradicating errors so we can stay in the game – If games were 20 minutes long, we'd be nearer the top of the league.

I've said it before and I'll keep saying it, we have to perform for 90+ minutes every game, no exceptions. We need to rediscover our pre-season form where we played with a certain intensity and without fear.

Enjoy the game and thank you as always for your continued support!

On behalf of everyone at Baldock Town Football Club I'd like to congratulate club captain Josh Furness and his wife Rachel on the birth of their beautiful daughter Lily Annabelle. Congratulations!

Rob Bates

Manager, Baldock Town FC

A WORD FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Good afternoon and welcome to the New Lamb Meadow stadium for today's second Preliminary round of the Buildbase FA Vase against Halstead Town FC. I would like to extend a warm welcome to the players, officials and supporters of HTFC and hope they enjoy their brief time with us.

Please note: Today's match will be played with the emphasis on spectators remaining socially distanced by 2 meters, with groups no larger than six, so please adhere to the Government and FA guidelines and respect the Stewards who are enforcing these rules. We have no real desire to ask spectators to leave the stadium but will have no other option should you not follow the guidelines. Please remember we are all on trial and if this does not workout non-league football will be played with no spectators. I would like to thank you all in advance for your understanding and co-operation.

I am sure you will all join me in congratulating Club Captain and record appearance holder Josh and his wife Rachel on the birth of their first child, a healthy baby Girl, who they have named Lily Furness. I doubt whether sleepless nights will affect Mr Dependable at the heart of our defence!

In our last match here, we suffered a 3-1 defeat at the hands of Leverstock Green in a game that we really should have done better in. After starting brightly and taking the lead we just couldn't seem to build on it and slowly but surely allowed Leverstock back into the game, albeit with an offside equaliser. I know the lads were disappointed after the game and will do all they can to make up for it with a win today.

Halstead Town also suffered a home defeat last Saturday going down 3-2 to White Ensign. Scoring twice in the last quarter of the match and having a third disallowed for offside will give them some confidence today. Halstead beat Hackney Wick 1-0 away in the previous round and they will be hoping for more of the same here. If we are not on our game, there is every chance we will exit the competition at the first hurdle.

Thank you for your continued support and enjoy the game.

**Graham Kingham,
Chairman. Baldock Town FC**

Future Plans

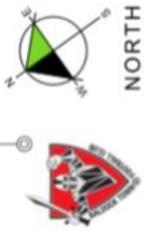
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PROPOSED SITE PLAN @ 1:1000
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Jay Duguid	Complete Building Services	Complete Building Services
Josh Furness	Phillips Digital	Sean Horscroft
Lewis Franklin	Baldock Town u13s EJA	Baldock Town u13s EJA
Lewis Sinclair	Comfort From Joy	Comfort From Joy
Luis Brooker	Cousins Carpets	Cousins Carpets
Luke Rowland	Graham Kingham	Graham Kingham
Ollie Skinner	Clarity Agency	Clarity Agency
Ollie Trott	A-Plan Insurance	A-Plan Insurance
Paul Morris	Comfort From Joy	Comfort From Joy
Robbie Ponting	JCP Web Designs	JCP Web Designs
Scott Piggott	The Fox Aspenden	The Fox Aspenden
Theo Reed	Any Kitchen	Any Kitchen
Tommy Reynolds	Any Kitchen	Any Kitchen
Zach Decker	Integrated Business Telecom	Integrated Business Telecom
Ercan Mehmet	Big Dave, Little Dave & Martin	Big Dave, Little Dave & Martin
Stuart Howard	Big Dave, Little Dave & Martin	Big Dave, Little Dave & Martin
Tony Deitsch	DMC Construction	DMC Construction
Physio	The James Harper Fund	The James Harper Fund
Danny Hutchins	MacronStore Hertfordshire	MacronStore Hertfordshire
Rob Bates	Nick Haydon	Nick Haydon

TODAY'S VISITORS

Halstead Town was formed in 1879 following a meeting of 16 "interested gentlemen" in the Town Hall. In the early years friendlies were played against local villages before the club became members of the North Essex League in 1894. The first trophy of note was winning the Essex Junior Cup in 1902, beating Chingford 2-0 in the final at Chelmsford.

During the early years of the century the club competed in the Halstead & District League and also the Haverhill & District League. They played at various grounds in the town including Three Gates, Ravens Meadow, King George playing field, Courtaulds Sports Ground and Coggeshall Pieces.

In 1947 they won the Essex Junior Cup again, beating Eton Manor 6-3 at Grays. In the following year they moved to their present ground at Rosemary Lane which had been developed from parts of three fields. In 1949, the clubhouse was opened and the 500-seater stand was added a year later. Halstead then joined the Essex & Suffolk Border League, finishing joint runners-up to Sudbury in 1955. Three years later, under Bob Curry Snr, they landed the Championship as well as the League Cup, beating Lakenheath 11-4 on aggregate in the final.

Four Border League titles, six runners-up places and four League Cup victories were amongst the honours that followed before the club moved up to the Essex Senior League in 1980.

In 1988 Town joined the newly formed Jewson League First Division, from where player-manager Dennis Longhorn led the club to promotion to the Premier Division and the final of the League Cup. The following season 1994/95 they took the title by seven points from Wroxham, and followed up with the title again in 1995/96, this time with Ian Philips in charge. For good measure they took the League Cup as well, beating Fakenham 4-0 in the final at Diss.

By the start of 2012-13 season, the league had new sponsors and a new name. Formerly the Ridgeons League it was now to be known as the Thurlow Nunn League. At this time a new name also appeared on the bench for Halstead with the recruitment of Mark Benterman as assistant manager. Mark, who as a player had spells with Peterborough United and Chelmsford City was previously manager at Maldon St Mary's. At the end of the season he was promoted to team manager with his predecessor, Jimmy Holder, remaining on the bench as his assistant.

In Benterman's first season as manager, 2013-14, the team finished 6th in the league and also brought some silverware to the club by virtue of a hard-fought, 4-3 victory at Witham Town in the final of the Tolleshunt D'Arcy trophy. This brought the trophy back to Rosemary Lane for the first time since 1997.

A strong challenge was made during the 2015-16 season, with the club still in with a chance of promotion until the very last game. However, on that fateful day results went against the club and the final league table showed the Humbugs, as they were now known, in 4th spot, one place below the promotion places.

The 2016-17 season is one that will be remembered for the exciting FA Cup run which saw Halstead beat two teams from higher divisions. Firstly Newmarket Town from the Thurlow Nunn Premier League were beaten 2-1 at the newly-named Milbank Stadium before Halstead travelled to the other side of Essex for a sensational 3-2 victory at Ryman League side, Thurrock FC.

For season 2018-19 the Football Association made changes to the structure of the Eastern Counties league and Halstead Town joined a new league, the Thurlow Nunn First Division South. In their first season in this league, the club challenged for first spot all season but unfortunately fell away towards the end and eventually finished 3rd.

The club celebrated its 140th anniversary in 2019.



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2	Adam Harpur (GK)
3	Ollie Skinner (GK)
4	Aedan Gaffney
5	Charlie Joy
6	Paul Morris
7	Ben Burton
8	Charlie Rome
9	Luke Rowland
10	Ashley Hay
11	Scott Piggott
12	Daryl Doolan
13	Dylan Logan
14	Luis Brooker
15	Alex Coppin
16	Josh Furness
17	Lewis Franklin
18	Zach Decker
19	Dan Harper
20	Lewis Sinclair
21	Ollie Trott

HALSTEAD TOWN

Jack Cherry	1
Liam Whitehead	2
Greg Strong	3
Matt Caley	4
Jack Schelvis	5
Alfie Cleal	6
Mark Dallinger	7
Joe Jones	8
Jordan Pavett	9
Ricky Gardiner	10
Chris Harris	11
Nick Miller	12
Brad Amos	13
Markus Dunn	14
Jack McPherson	15
Connel Dunlop	16
Jamie Baker	17
Louis O'Sullivan	18

Manager: Rob Bates

Assts: Danny Hutchins,
Ercan Mehmet

Manager: Mark McLean

Asst: Pete Travers

Officials: R.Cole, R.Woolford, M.Howard

NEXT MATCH - AWAY

SSML – Tues 13th Oct 2020

Eynesbury Town

KO; 7:30pm

THEN – HOME

SSML - Sat 17th Oct 2020

Wembley

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