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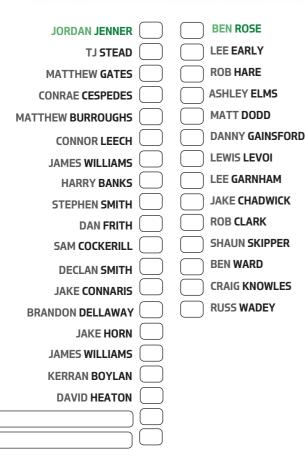
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TODAY'S FIXTURES

MACRON SCORE SCFL DIVISON ONE

Bexhill United v Seaford Town

Haywards Heath Town v Crawley Down Gatwick

> Lingfield v Steyning Town

> > Mile Oak v Storrington

Oakwood v Little Common

Southwick v Langney Wanderers

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A full set of fixtures in the Macron Store Southern Combination League saw four of the top five win in the Premier Division, whilst the top three also picked up three points in Division One.

Game of the day, however, was at The Beaconsfield, where struggling Hailsham Town picked up a point which was looking most unlikely at half time against Hassocks. Phil Gault scored a hat-trick for the Robins, with Brad Bant also on target all in the first half as the visitors went 4-0 up at half time. Despite that, the Stringers made it 4-2 through Tristan Jarvis and Danny Leach, and that is how it stayed with five minutes to go. However, there was still time for Leach, and then Emmanuel Okinja to strike to make it 4-4, and earn Ian Stevens' men a point.

There was also a remarkable comeback at St. Flora Sportsfield, where 10-man Loxwood came from two goals down to draw at Littlehampton. Rob Hutchings scored twice either side of half-time to put the Golds in control. Despite having a man sent off, the Magpies responded through two goals in as many minutes – Cecil Jee and Michael Wood on target for Mark Beard's side in a 2-2 draw.

At the top of the table, it's as you were as Horsham won 2-0 at Wick & Barnham United. Joe Shelley scored twice for the Hornets, with Richard Towers' side finishing with nine men after two red cards shown by referee Nick Blogg.

Eastbourne Town are five points behind Dominic Di Paola's side after winning at Shoreham by the same scoreline. Wes Tate and Aaron Capon scored either side of half time for John Lambert's side against the Musselmen.

Horsham YMCA stay fourth, despite a 4-2 win against Arundel at Goring's Mead. Phil Johnson scored twice for YM, with Nick Sullivan and Luke Donaldson completing the scoring for Peter Buckland's side. Dave Herbert and Asa Nicholson were on target for the Mullets, but it proved to be in vein.

Third place Lancing were held to a goalless draw at home to Pagham, whilst Newhaven complete the top five after a 2-0 win at Eastbourne United. Lee Robinson and Connor Sidwell got the goals in the first half for the Dockers.

East Preston were on course for three points at half time at Broadbridge Heath, but failed to pick up what would only be their second win of the season. Daniel Huet put EP ahead, but only for Jake Holmes, Shaun Findlay and Stuart Chester goals to give the Bears a 3-1 win. Elsewhere, defender Lewis Parsons scored a hat-trick for AFC Uckfield Town as they inflicted a 27th defeat in 27 games to St. Francis Rangers. Craig Norman was also on target for the Oaks, whilst George Booker's goal proved nothing more than a consolation for the hosts who were defeated 4-1 at the Colwell Ground.

After losing to Loxwood last time out, goals from Kieran Hartley and Dan Hegarty saw Chichester City return to winning ways with a 2-0 victory against Worthing United in the division's other game.

Haywards Heath Town stay top of Division One, and are seven points clear of Crawley Down Gatwick after both teams picked up wins. Rob O'Toole and Nathan Cooper got the goals for the Blues in a 2-1 win at Southwick. Andy McDowell scored late on for the hosts, who remain the only team to have denied Shaun Saunders' men all three points this season.

Crawley Down stay just about in touching distance of Heath after a 3-0 win at home to Ringmer. Oli Leslie, Sam Cane and then Myles Pitt got the goals for the Anvils.

Saltdean United picked up only their second win of the season, and in dramatic style, against Midhurst & Easebourne at Hill Park. After a goalless first half, Lewis Hamilton and Scott Dormer put the Stags 2-0 up going into the final twenty minutes. Dave Pugh then halved the deficit, before drawing the Tigers level on the stroke of 90 minutes. Just when the spoils looked set to be shared, Pugh struck in added time to complete his hat-trick and give Saltdean a 3-2 win.

Cameron Corell, Joseph Clarke, Ben Mepham, Ryan Morey and then James Parsons got the goals for Selsey as they saw off Langney Wanderers, 5-3. Shane Saunders scored twice for Kenny McCreadie's side, who fall below the Blues in the table as a result.

Declan Smith scored twice for Lingfield in a 3-0 win at home to Little Common, whilst Pat Macolgan and Connor Jones goals gave Seaford Town all three points at Oakwood. Jack McNab had drawn Oakwood level in the first half, but only for Town to win 2-1.

Elsewhere, Josie Stakim got the only goal as third place Storrington won 1-0 at home to Bexhill United, whilst John Phillips, Thomas Kelly and Joe Jefkins were on target as Sidlesham beat Steyning Town, 3-1

By Anthony Scott









07.11.15 SCFL DIVISION ONE

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A dominative midfield display wasn't enough as the Lingers lost out to Oakwood.

The game started with a touching display of Remembrance as captain Sam Cockerill laid a wreath of poppies in the centre circle and lead the teams in a minutes silence. The sides also wore poppies on their kits as a mark of respect to those who gave their lives.

Lingfield dominated in the opening stretches and indeed for a lot of the game, and it took less than 10 minutes for Kerran Boylan to tap in the first goal thanks to good work from Romaine Atkinson. Unfortunately, just a few minutes later it was even again as a fast Oakwood counter met the onrushing Daniel Smith, leading to the ball flicking into the air wildly and landing in the back of the home net.

The rest of the half followed a similar pattern with the Lingers enjoying large periods of chances and possession, and the visitors occasionally looking dangerous on the counter. Despite this, just 15 minutes into the second half it was the away side that took the lead, as their number 9 headed in at the near post. You could count the number of genuine Oakwood chances on one hand and yet just moments later they had a third, as Daniel Smith's scuffed clearance in the wet allowed Oakwood to cross and tap in again.

Insult was added to injury as Christian Londoño, arguably Lingfield's best creator in the second half had to limp off injured 20 minutes from the end. Oakwood's confidence swelled and they began to create more and in the fourth minute of extra time the away number 7 (whose presence on the pitch was dubious considering some of the challenges he'd made throughout the game) found himself through. He calmly rolled in the fourth and final goal, leaving the Lingers feeling very hard done by indeed.

By Sam Freebody

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08 AUG	LANGNEY WANDERERS	А	SCFL 1	3-2	75	Smith	Tuck	Kuffour	Cespedes 1	
11 AUG	OAKWOOD	А	SCFL 1	1-1	44	Smith	Tuck	Stead	Killick	(
14 AUG	CANTERBURY CITY	Н	FAC EP	0-3	145	Reid	Tuck	Stead	Killick	(
22 AUG	SALTDEAN UNITED	А	SCFL 1	3-0	20	J-Freeman	Tuck	Stead	Cespedes	
29 AUG	HASSOCKS	А	PBLC 2	1-5	0	Taggart	Tuck	Stead	Cespedes	Gr
31 AUG	HAYWARDS HEATH TOWN	А	SCFL 1	1-6	86	Smith	Tuck	Stead	Gates	Gr
05 SEP	STORRINGTON	А	SCFL 1	2-3	62	Reid	Tuck	Stead	Gates 1	Ce
12 SEP	STORRINGTON	Н	SCFL 1	1-4	64	Reid	Tuck	Stead	Gates 1	Gr
19 SEP	SIDLESHAM	А	SCFL 1	6-0	34	Jenner	Leech	Stead	Gates	Ce
22 SEP	MIDHURST & EASEBOURNE	Н	SCFL 1	6-0	35	Jenner	Leech	Stead	Gates 1	Ce
26 SEP	SOUTHWICK	Н	SCFL 1	0-1	41	Jenner	Leech	Gates	Harman	Gr
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10 OCT	BEXHILL UNITED	Н	SCFL 1	4-2	62	Jenner	Leech	Tuck	Smith	Ce
17 OCT	SEAFORD TOWN	Н	SCFL 1	2-0	33	Jenner	Leech	Tuck	Gates	Ce
20 OCT	OAKWOOD	А	D1LC 2	5-3	55	Jenner	Tuck	Leech	Gates	
24 OCT	LITTLE COMMON	А	SCFL 1	1-5	68	Jenner	Tuck	Leech	Gates	Ce
31 OCT	SOUTHWICK	А	SCFL 1	2-0	19	Jenner	Tuck	Leech	Gates 1	Ce
07 NOV	OAKWOOD	Н	SCFL 1	1-4	24	Smith	Burroughs	Leech	Gates	
21 NOV	SELSEY	Н	SCFL 1	1-1	30	Conteh	Tuck	Leech	Smith	Ce
28 NOV	MIDHURST & EASEBOURNE	А	SCFL 1	0-2	26	Conteh	Tuck	Gates	Cespedes	I
05 DEC	SEAFORD TOWN	А	SCFL 1	1-0	18	Jenner	Leech	Smith	Gates	
42732	CRAWLEY DOWN GATWICK	А	SCFL 1	4-6	104	Jenner	Tuck	Gates	Smith	I
16 JAN	BEXHILL UNITED	А	SCFL 1	0-1	84	Jenner	Leech	Smith	Langridge	
06 FEB	SALTDEAN UNITED	Н	SCFL 1	7-3	38	Jenner	Stead 1	Dowrick	Gates	l
20 FEB	RINGMER	А	SCFL 1	2-0	43	Jenner	Stead	Smith	Gates 1	I
27 FEB	LITTLE COMMON	Н	SCFL 1	3-0	35	Jenner	Stead	Gates	Smith	I
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09 MAR	MILE OAK	А	D1LC 3							
12 MAR	MILE OAK	Н	SCFL 1							
28 MAR	CRAWLEY DOWN GATWICK	Н	SCFL 1							

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1	HAYWARDS HEATH TOWN	20	19	0	1	76	18	58	57
2	CRAWLEY DOWN GATWICK	21	16	2	3	62	30	32	50
3	STORRINGTON	24	16	1	7	53	35	18	49
4	OAKWOOD	22	13	3	6	71	42	29	42
5	MILE OAK	20	12	2	6	39	29	10	38
6	LINGFIELD	22	11	2	9	51	41	10	35
7	SOUTHWICK	22	10	3	9	51	40	11	33
8	LITTLE COMMON	19	10	2	7	50	35	15	32
9	SELSEY	23	8	3	12	42	65	-23	27
10	LANGNEY WANDERERS	15	8	2	5	37	24	13	26
11	BEXHILL UNITED	21	7	3	11	36	49	-13	24
12	RINGMER	24	6	5	13	32	50	-18	23
13	SIDLESHAM	21	7	1	13	33	55	-22	22
14	STEYNING TOWN	18	6	3	9	29	39	-10	21
15	MIDHURST & EASEBOURNE	23	4	4	15	23	49	-26	16
16	SEAFORD TOWN	24	4	3	17	16	49	-33	15
17	SALTDEAN UNITED	23	2	5	16	24	75	-51	11

SATURDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2016

MACRON STORE DIVISION TWO						
Crawley Down G	3-0	Ringmer				
Lingfield	3-0	Little Common				
Oakwood	1-2	Seaford Town				
Saltdean United	3-2	Midhurst & Ease				
Selsey	5-3	Langney W'ders				
Sidlesham	3-1	Steyning Town				
Southwick	1-2	Haywards Heath				
Storrington	1-0	Bexhill United				

SATURDAY 5 MARCH 2016

MACRON STORE DIVISION TWO							
Bexhill United	v	Seaford Town					
Haywards Heath	v	Crawley Down G					
Lingfield	v	Steyning Town					
Mile Oak	v	Storrington					
Oakwood	v	Little Common					
Southwick	V	Langney W'ders					





The club was established in 1892, and were originally called Steyning. The club became founding members of the West Sussex Football League in 1896, joining the junior Division.

After the First world war the club joined division two of the Brighton, Hove & District Football League for the 1919–20 season. The club remained in division two until the end of the 1933–34 season, when they finished as champions and gained promotion to Division one. The club spent three seasons in the top division of the league before being relegated, but they finished as champions two seasons later in the 1938– 39 campaign, but were not promoted.

After the Second world war the club was still playing in Division two of the Brighton & Hove league. The club remained in this division until the end of the 1951-52 campaign when they gained promotion to Division one. The 1963-64 camapign saw the club leave division one, when after finishing as runners-up, they gained promotion to Division two of the Sussex County League. For the next 17 seasons Steyning stayed in Division two of the Sussex county league, until they gained promotion as champions, to division one at the end of the 1977–78 campaign. After their first season in Division one the club in 1979, they changed their name to their present one. The next season then saw the club make their debut in the FA Cup, where they met Sutton United, in the first qualifying round, but lost 3-1. In the 1984-85 season, they reached the Quarter Finals of the FA Vase, but managed to claim silverware when they won the Division one title for the first time. In the following seasons the club retained the league title and completed a treble by winning the Sussex Senior Challenge Cup and league cup. These were considered the glory years for the club. After winning the Sussex league the club left the league, to become one of the founder members of the Wessex Football League in 1986. After just two seasons the club left the Wessex league and joined the Combined Counties Football League. At the end of their fifth season in the Combined counties league the club returned to the Sussex county league, but were placed in Division two.

Since their return to the County league in the early 90's the club has struggled to return to its former glories suffering financial difficulties off the pitch and



more often than not struggling for any success on the pitch. It has spent most of the time in Sussex County league Division II and a brief spell in Division III. In the last few years since 2009, the clubs fortunes have started to turnaround, with a new committee providing added drive off the pitch. On the pitch there was good progress under the Richard Whittington and Tom Gurney from 2011 to 2013. In 2015/ 16 season a new management team of Alan Skipper, Richard Brannigan and Paul Hawkins took over at the helm. The reserve side also gained promotion to the Reserve Premier league in 2012/13 which has added to the strength in depth required across the club.

Off the pitch with much hard undertaken, work club is now on a more stable footing, is investing heavily in its youth areas, now running two under 18 sides as well as U21s for the first time in 2015/16. The club has recently merged with Steyning Strikers the club that caters for 6-16 year olds, to form Steyning Town Community Football Club.

This new combined club has 17 sides and over 300 players. It recently gained Community Club status, the highest award possible from the FA, and has also received a number of individual and club awards related to this area. There are plans to continue to invest in facilities and coaching to improve the long term prospects for the club. 10

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