

Witham Town



Football Club

NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the 1st Witham Town Football Club Newsletter. We aim to have a newsletter four times a year which will include 1st team Fixtures, news about the team including new signings etc. Feel good story's about all our teams including our youth teams and more!

As many of you know we have had lots of changes since last season, with 1st team manager Chris Taylor leaving at the end of last season. We would like to say Thank you to Chris for all his work and support and wish him well in whatever path he follows.



Welcome to Gary Kimble who is the new 1st team manager. Gary said It was great to be back and is really looking forward to being Witham Towns manager again.



Welcome to Mark Hawkes who joins us as Assistant Manager. Mark said, I'm excited to work at Witham Town FC and to work alongside Garry.



James Arundell and Kevin Hunter join us as 1st Team coaches.

A warm welcome to you all! I'm sure we all look forward to meeting all of them in the season ahead.



Jack Sibley joins us as 1st team Goalkeeper coach

EARLY SIGNINGS FOR SEASON 2023/2024



A BIG WELCOME

to our new squad members and a big welcome back to some of our last seasons squad. We look forward to watching and supporting you all in the upcoming season. These are the some of early season signings so more to come!

WITHAM TOWN ALL INCLUSIVE SOCCABILITY



SOCCABILTY is about providing disabilities or SEN somewhere to interactions. If you know of Soccability then email

We have a wide range of ages and meet most Saturdays from 12pm at the Simarco Stadium

players with additional needs, play sport and develop their social someone who may benefit from soccability@withamtownfc.co.uk



Beth is one of the coaches who volunteer there time to help coach at Soccability every Saturday and was awarded a Grassroots Football ,Highly Commended award for Young Volunteer of the Year. Well done and Congratulations Beth!

WITHAM TOWN FC PRESENTATION NIGHT

SATURDAY 20TH MAY 2023



Vets 45's Presented by Paul Taylor . Managers player : Chris Bensley. Players player : Simon Buckley

Vets Reserves Presented by Mik Kinsella . Managers player : Elliott Robinson Players player : Elliott Robinson

Vets First Presented by Paul Taylor Managers player : Peter Adam Players player : Stanley Leach

Special award presented by David Sexton to Brad Hearn Paul Taylor

A Team presented by Brad Hearn & Lee Sexton. Managers player : Matt Wallace, Coaches player : Sam Groves

Players player : Lewis Cacchio.Goal of the season : Lewis Cacchio

1st Team Supporters presented by Laura.Supporters player : Liam Whipps .

1st Team presented by Chris Taylor . Managers player : Luke Ige . Players player : Farai Tsingano

Gift from Chris Taylor of 12 Fosters to Mark A Bundock

WITHAM TOWN YOUTH TEAMS

Witham Town Youth currently have 22 youth teams ranging from U7 to U18. They play in the Blackwater and Dengie League, The Colchester league and the Eastern Junior Alliance. All teams cater for players of all abilities having several teams per age group. All coaches are DBS checked and hold approved qualifications.

Training is on Saturdays with matches being played on Sundays. Home matches are played at either Spa Road or Rickstones Academy.

Next Season we will be introducing several girls teams. Watch this space for the next exciting chapter!



Witham Town U11 Blues

won against

Danbury and Bicknacre Blues to become
The Blackwater and Dengie Cup winners 2022/2023.
U11 Manager: Ian Wilson.



**Witham Town U 12 whites and
Witham Town U12 yellows**

played against each other in the the Blackwater and Dengie Cup. Both teams played really well despite persistent rain. With The U12 Whites winning 4-2 to win the Blackwater and Dengie cup 2022/2023.

Mangers U12 Whites is Jim Merrington and U12 yellow Manger is Rob Harrison

Teams are doing well in their respective leagues and this season several teams have made it through to cup finals.



**The Witham U9 Whites played really well to win the
WTFC Stadium Tournament 2023.**

Manager Dan Reeves. Coach Dan Barrell



Wow what a season the U12 Whites have had!

Not only did they finish the season unbeaten which in itself is a remarkable achievement. They also won the Black water and Dengie Division 3 League and Cup for 2022/2023.

Plus they were awarded

The WTFC George and Betty Vale Team of the Year!

Congratulations and Well done to you all!



Well done to **Dan Reeves** who was awarded **The WTFC Mark Nicholls commitment shield!**

Dan is manager of the WTFC U9 whites. He also gives his time on a Saturday to help coach with WTFC Soccability.

Congratulations Dan!

We pride ourselves on a community club.

Our Veterans Football Team recently played an in house charity match at Simarco Stadium and raised £250 for the Witham Community Hub. Well done to all the players and supporters!



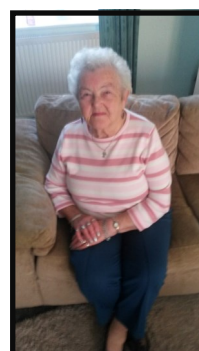
At the AGM in July it was decided that following the sad passing of our “President” George Vale in February, George will now be Witham Town’s “Honorary President, George was an important part of our club, he was Press Officer for over 40 years and was a stalwart of the Bingo from when it was introduced in the club. George was also a WTFC committee member.

Our new club President’s will be Geoffrey Bacon & Betty Vale



Geoffrey has been involved with the club since 1980 a current Trustee and an organiser of Thursday night Bingo.

He has previously been Treasurer for over 20 years.



Betty has been a part of the club for over 48 years, she was on the First Ladies committee and on the main committee too.

She was always ready to help out behind the bar and was known to do some cleaning if needed.



On the 7th July this year, sadly Jo Wright former Chairman of Witham Town Fc passed away.

Jo was one of four Trustee's of the club, she has been involved with the club since 1976, Club Secretary prior to 1985 & Chairman between 1985 to 1992.

Jo was the first female Chairman of an Isthmian League club and preferred to be called Chairman not Chairwoman.

WHATS ON AT WITHAM TOWN FC

Are you having a party or celebrating a big event?

Then why not enquire about holding it at WTFC .

contact Shirley to enquire at
wtfclubsteward@gmail.com



Every Thursday night

Fridays once or twice a month(please check
as date differ each month)

Eyes down 7.00.



WTFC Craft club is held every Tuesday from 12 to 3pm.

Come along and Join in. Beginners welcome as well as
experienced . Enjoy doing a craft and meeting people for
Tea , coffee and cake!

Baby Sensory and Bougie Bounce are held every Monday, Wednesday night and Saturday mornings.

Tuesday is Zumba 10am and Craft club 12-3pm with Slimming world from 6.45pm.

Wednesdays is U3a at 1pm and once a month on a Thursday

Thursdays come and join in Janes Keep fit, or Thursday dance, with Bingo starting at 7pm.

Once or twice a month on a Friday is Bingo. (please check as dates differ each month)

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