### PREMIER SPORTS **Southern Combination Football League Division One**

### Oakwood

**Red & Black Shirts, Black Shorts** & Socks





### Wick

Yellow & Black shirts, Yellow shorts & socks

Ore Allen **Darrell Agyemang Tom Agate Charlie Cullulane Charlie Daly** Mo Djabali

**Noel Etherington Finn Gadd Jake Gadd** 

**Finlay Gadd Andrew Greaves** 

**Anthony Harris Paul Johnston** 

Szymon Kowalczyk **Finley Macleod** 

**Jamie McCov** 

Joshua Mamo Jordan Newman

**Luke New** 

**Ethan Prill** 

**Adil Raman** 

**Aaron Ryder Leo Stringer** 

Dan Sullivan

Manager: Mark Gilbert **Assistant: Neill Wilkinson** Coach: Andrew Goodwin **Physio: Grace McVicar** 



Keelan Belcher **Harry Williams Nathan Hawker Ryan Singers Charlie Robinson Jake Hawker** Sam Hack Sam Conolly Josh Irish **David Crouch Jack Bingham George Bingham** Lee Newell **Rhys Rawlings Alex Kew Aaron Tester** James Thurgar Ryan Clarke **Kieron Howard** 

**Ryan Barratt** 

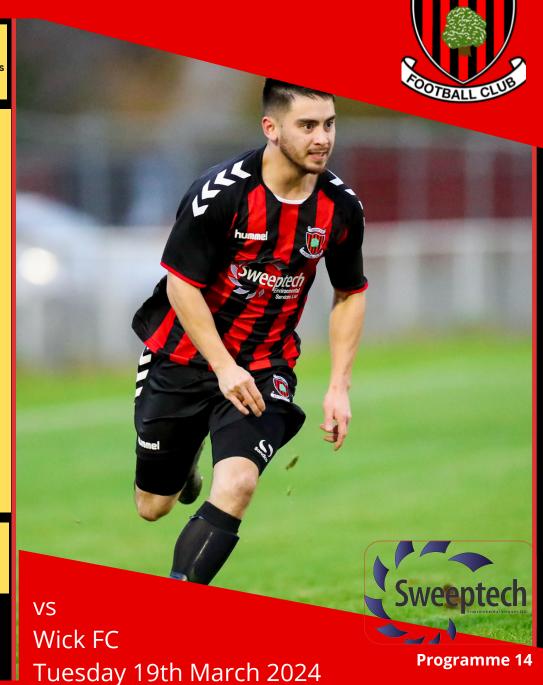


Manager - Lee Baldwin **Assistants - Matt Lander Assistants - Richard Hack Assistants - Warren Pye** Physio - Ellie Fowkes

**Match Officials** Anthony O'Brein - Adam Bensuretti - James Goodall

## **SEASON 2023-24**

OAKWOOD



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### WELCOME

Oakwood Football Club would like to extend a warm welcome to today's match officials, along with the visiting club delegates, players and supporters for this fixture.

We hope you enjoy your visit to Oakwood Park and wish you a safe return journey home.

Unless otherwise stated information concerning our opponents for today's programme is taken from the SCFL website

No comments regarding visiting clubs is made by officials, or supporters of Oakwood FC. If information appears incorrect please notify the relevant website administrators from the respective organisations.

Thank you for your understanding.

Oaks archive information collated by Richard John Neil
Please enjoy your day and remain safe at all times

The committee

### Matchday hosts from:

Manager / Chairman: Mr Mark Gilbert

Assistant Manager / Vice Chairman: Mr Neill Wilkinson

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### **DIVISION ONE - TABLE**

Pos		Team	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Diff	Pts	Form
1	8	Roffey	27	20	4	3	89	25	64	64	
2	<b>①</b>	Dorking Wanderers B	28	17	4	7	73	31	42	55	
3	0	Worthing United	26	16	5	5	53	26	27	53	
4	<b>(3)</b>	Wick	26	14	6	6	62	43	19	48	
5		Seaford Town	26	15	2	9	73	47	26	47	
6	0	Godalming Town	29	12	11	6	46	31	15	47	
7	<u>@</u>	Selsey	25	13	6	6	40	38	2	45	
8	(4)	Arundel	26	12	6	8	51	37	14	39	
9	<b>(P</b> )	Chessington & Hook	26	9	10	7	43	45	-2	37	
10		Montpelier Villa	26	10	5	11	51	53	-2	35	
11		Alfold	28	9	4	15	44	69	-25	31	
12	<b>(</b>	Forest Row	26	9	3	14	46	60	-14	30	
13	<u></u>	Copthorne	28	9	3	16	63	96	-33	30	
14	<b>*</b>	Banstead Athletic	27	6	7	14	41	56	-15	25	
15		Mile Oak	27	6	7	14	34	62	-28	25	
16	0	Billingshurst	25	6	5	14	53	63	-10	23	
17	T	East Preston	27	5	4	18	30	75	-45	19	
18	U	Oakwood	23	4	0	19	21	56	-35	12	

# NEILL

## WILKINSON

Welcome to Tinsley Lane for what promises to be a thrilling clash in the Premier Sports Southern Combination Football League Division One, as we host Wick FC.

Myself, Gilly, Andy, and the entire team are delighted to have your company this afternoon. Your safety and well-being are our utmost priorities, so please stay healthy as you enjoy today's action. Although we've hit a rough patch recently, it's not for lack of effort or opportunity. Compared to last season, we're creating significantly more chances in front of goal.

What we're currently missing is that razor-sharp final touch and composure in the key moments. I'm proud to say that our squad has embraced our football philosophy since pre-season, showing a steadfast commitment to evolve and succeed. Like many clubs at our level, the quest for consistent excellence and an unquenchable thirst for victory remains our driving force.

Now, shifting focus to today's encounter, Wick currently sitting at 5th in the league, the last few games have been tough battles for both teams, so no matter what the table states, I know it will be a well-contested game to get us moving in the right direction and off the bottom of the table.

Before we kick off, I'd like to extend my best wishes to Wick and today's match officials for a safe journey back home and continued success throughout the season.

Thank you for being here, and let's look forward to an electrifying game of football! Warmest regards,

Neill Wilkinson, Assistant Manager/Vice Chairman



## **AUGUST FIXTURES**

Type	Date / Time	Home	Team		Away	Team	Venue	Competition
Div1	<b>05/08/23</b> 15:00	Oakwood	Ü	vs	(2)	Arundel	OAKWOOD SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB	Division One
Div1	<b>08/08/23</b> 19:45	Roffey	(	VS	Ū	Oakwood	ROFFEY FC (CHENNELLS BROOK)	Division One
Div1	12/08/23 15:00	Chessington & Hook United	φ	VS	0	Oakwood	CHESSINGTON AND HOOK UNITED FC	Division One
Сир	<b>15/08/23</b> 19:45	Oakwood	Ü	VS		Copthorne	OAKWOOD SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB	Peter Bentley Challenge Cup_2023 - 2024
Div1	<b>19/08/23</b> 15:00	Oakwood	Ü	VS	٠	Alfold	OAKWOOD SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB	Division One
Div1	28/08/23 11:00	Copthorne		vs	0	Oakwood	HORSHAM FOOTBALL CLUB	Division One

## **CLUB SPONSORSHIP**

The committee of Oakwood Football Club would like to thank all of our sponsors for their continued support, and hope that they continue their association with the club for many years.

Our thriving youth section will provide the club with some rich talent in the future, and we as a club must continue to improve the facility in which we operate through the ground development fund.

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## POLITE NOTICE

Would all visitors to Oakwood Park please observe that there is a policy for no smoking anywhere within the clubhouse building including the committee room, toilets or changing areas.

Drivers kindly remember to park your vehicles within the club grounds when attending matches or functions! Our resident neighbours have had difficulty in the past with vehicles blocking the entrances to their homes.

If when attending matches, you require a drink and you wish to spectate outside of the clubhouse, please be reminded that glasses or bottles are not permitted whilst the match is in progress. This includes the half time interval.

At all times remain behind the perimeter fencing that surrounds the pitch, unless instructed otherwise, and refrain from throwing litter onto the playing area.

Please return all glasses and bottles to the bar after you have finished using them, including plastic drinking vessels, and put any rubbish into the litter bins provided. A little understanding from everyone helps to maintain a cleaner, safer environment.

Parents please ensure your children do not throw objects around anywhere. The stones adjacent to the clubhouse and hard-court area cause damage to the tractor blades when cutting the pitch, and cause injuries to people playing on the hard-court surface.

The committee would like to thank you for your co-operation and hope you enjoy your visit to Oakwood Park.



### TODAY'S OPPONENTS

Wick became founding members of the West Sussex Football League in 1896, joining the Junior Division.

Wick joined Division Two of the Sussex County League in 1964-65 and then spent the next eighteen seasons in Division Two, eventually winning promotion in 1983 after finishing as champions. They then spent three seasons in Division One before being relegated, but bounced back the following season (1985-86) after winning Division Two for

From then until the end of the 2002-03 season, Wick were ever-present in Division One of the County League, winning the League Challenge Cup in 1987-88.

In 1989-90 they lifted the Division One title, as well as the RUR Charity Cup. [2] In 1992-93 they won the Sussex Senior Cup for the only time, beating Oakwood at the Goldstone Ground, 3-1. The 1993-94 season they won the championship for the second time, finishing 14 points clear of runners-up Whitehawk.

The league cup was won in the 1996-97[2] season and finished runners-up to Burgess Hill Town. The following season under manager Jimmy Quinn, Wick finished third in the League, but reached the semi-finals of the Senior Cup, and won the RUR charity Cup, which they retained in the following 1998-99 season.[3]

In 2000-01, the club finish third, but two seasons later in the 2002-03 campaign the club was relegated to Division Two.[4]

The club finished as runners-up to Crowborough Athletic in 2004-05 to move back into the top division of the Sussex league.[5]

Carl Stabler joined as manager in 2006-07 with the remit of rising Wick Football Club out of the County League and after 3 seasons stepped up to Chairman and handed over the reins of the football side of the club to manager Vic Short.

Prior to the 2013-14 season, they merged with near neighbours Barnham and to become members of the Southern Combination Football League Premier Division.

However, the clubs split again at the end of the 2015-16 season, with Wick taking the place of the first team in the Southern Combination Football League Premier Division.[6] The following season saw them relegated to Division One for the 2017-18 season.

The club appointed David Phillips as chairman and in March 2020 and a new committee was formed which has seen great improvements made both on and off the pitch led by Matt Lander Secretary, Terry Doyle Football Chairman, Lee Baldwin First Team Manager and Warren Pye Assistant Manager. The 22/23 season was even more successful both on and off the pitch with the club making the league playoffs but losing to Epsom & Ewell in the final.



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