PREMIER SPORTS **Southern Combination Football League**

Oakwood

Red & Black Shirts, Black Shorts & Socks





Midhurst & Easebourne

Blue Shirts, Blue Shorts & Socks

Tom Agate Darrell Agyemang Reginald Agyemang Josh Alder Sam Cane Charlie Cullinane Charlie Daly Mohammed Djabali

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Andrew Greaves

Anthony Harris

Ross Jones

Imad Khan

Henry Siofaa Daniel Lade

Finley Macleod

Josh Mamo

Jordan Newman

Frederick Peterson-Midadje

Adil Raman

Aaron Ryder

Jack Walter

Manager: Mark Gilbert Assistant: Neill Wilkinson **GK Coach: Tony Jones** Physio: Grace McVicar



Marcus Bedford Josh Bird Guy Blackman

Lawson Bright **Duncan Brown**

Kieran Carter

Billy Connor

Harry Giles

Lewis Hamilton

Oliver Herring

Lewis James Hyde

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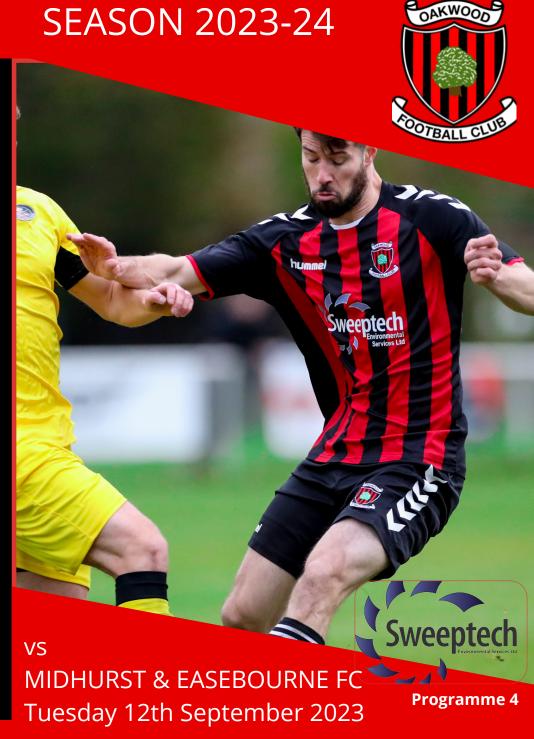
Coach: Rich Peterson-Midadje



Manager: Andrew Ewen **Assistant Manager: Daniel Trussler** Coach - Arnold Miron Coach - Jamie Angell

Match Officials

John Patrick Kane - Joshua Dance - William King



Sussex Senior Cup - 1st Round



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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

Treasurer / Secretary: Ms Sarah Daly



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DIVISION ONE - TABLE

Pos		Team	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Diff	Pts	Form
1		Roffey	8	6	1	1	29	7	22	19	
2	(1)	Dorking Wanderers B	8	6	1	1	22	7	15	19	
3		Worthing United	7	4	2	1	13	7	6	14	
4	0	Godalming Town	6	4	1	1	14	6	8	13	
5	((1)	Montpelier Villa	8	4	1	3	14	16	-2	13	
6	\$	Forest Row	8	4	0	4	18	11	7	12	
7		Seaford Town	7	4	0	3	18	11	7	12	
8	(3)	Wick	7	3	2	2	17	16	1	11	
9	٠	Selsey	7	3	2	2	9	10	-1	11	
10	(D)	Chessington & Hook	7	3	2	2	13	17	-4	11	
11		Alfold	8	3	1	4	14	18	-4	10	
12	(4)	Arundel	7	2	2	3	10	8	2	8	
13		Banstead Athletic	5	2	1	2	11	12	-1	7	
14	©	Billingshurst	7	2	1	4	15	20	-5	7	
15	Ü	Oakwood	7	2	0	5	7	12	-5	6	
16		Mile Oak	7	1	2	4	8	16	-8	5	
17	<u></u>	Copthorne	8	1	1	6	15	32	-17	4	
18	T	East Preston	6	0	0	6	5	26	-21	0	

NEIL

WILKINSON

Welcome to Tinsley Lane for what promises to be a thrilling first round clash in the Sussex Senior Cup against Midhurst & Easebourne FC.

Myself, Gilly, Rich, Tony, and the entire team are delighted to have your company this evening. Your safety and well-being are our utmost priorities, so please stay healthy as you enjoy the night'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 tonight's encounter, Midhurst & Easebourne has historically been a formidable opponent, and we've had some memorable clashes over the years. I have no doubt that tonight will add another thrilling chapter to this storied rivalry.

Before we kick off, I'd like to extend my best wishes to Midhurst & Easebourne FC 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	05/08/23 15:00	Oakwood	Ü	vs	(2)	Arundel	OAKWOOD SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB	Division One
Div1	08/08/23 19:45	Roffey	(a)	VS	V	Oakwood	ROFFEY FC (CHENNELLS BROOK)	Division One
Div1	12/08/23 15:00	Chessington & Hook United	φ.	VS	V	Oakwood	CHESSINGTON AND HOOK UNITED FC	Division One
Cup	15/08/23 19:45	Oakwood	Ü	vs		Copthorne	OAKWOOD SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB	Peter Bentley Challenge Cup_2023 - 2024
Div1	19/08/23 15:00	Oakwood	Ü	vs		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.

For details or further information please contact us via our website www.oakwoodfc.co.uk

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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

Midhurst & Easebourne has 2 senior teams and 8 youth teams. The First Team are currently members of the Southern Combination Football League and compete in Premier Division, whilst the Reserves play in the Premier Division of the Hampshire Development League.

The club was established in 1946 by a merger of Midhurst, whose ground had been used to build a school on, and Easebourne, who had lost several officials and players during the World War II.

They joined the West Sussex League and went on to win the title in 1955-56, 1962-63 and 1964-65, as well as the Malcolm Simmonds Memorial Cup in 1959-60. After the top division was renamed the Premier Division. the club won the league again in 1967-68, the Bareham Cup in 1970-71 and the Malcolm Simmonds Memorial Cup in 1973-74. They won the Premier Division and Malcolm Simmonds Memorial Cup double in 1976-77 and retained the cup the following season, before winning another league and cup double in 1979-80. Although an application to join the Sussex County League was rejected in 1980, they were accepted into the league the following year, becoming members of Division Two.

In their first season in Division Two, Midhurst & Easebourne were runners-up, earning promotion to Division One. The club finished bottom of Division One in 1986-87 and were relegated back to Division Two. They won the Division Two Cup in 1988-89, beating Newhaven 5-3 on penalties in a replay. The club returned to Division One after finishing second in 1991-92, but were relegated back to Division Two at the end of the following season. A second successive relegation in 1993-94 saw them drop into Division Three. Although they won Division Three at the first attempt, the club were relegated back to the division at the end of the 1997-98 season.

In 1998-99 Midhurst & Easebourne finished bottom of Division Three and were relegated to the Premier Division of the West Sussex League. They were Premier Division champions and Centenary Cup winners in 2001-02 and were promoted back to Division Three of the Sussex County League. The following season saw them win the Division Three title and the Division Three Cup, earning promotion to Division Two. Although they finished bottom of Division Two in 2009-10, the club avoided being relegated to Division Three. In 2015 the Sussex County League was renamed the Southern Combination, with Division Two becoming Division One. Midway through the 2018-19 season, the club found themselves bottom of Division One and appointed Liphook United Manager, Andrew 'Lemmy' Ewen as First Team Manager, who subsequently saved the club from relegation to Division Two. The 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons were both ended early and deemed null and void due to COVID-19, with the club sitting 6th and 4th in respective seasons.

The 2021-22 saw a return of success to the club. With the first tema winning promotion to the premier division via the playoffs and also winning the league cup. A real triumph for Lemmy and his team after having the two previous seasons curtailed when in strong positions. The reserve team also enjoyed success with a second place finish, securing promotion to their respective premier division.

With last seasons achievements, and subsequent promotion to step 5 football we now find ourselves competing in the Fa Cup for the first time in our history, 2022-23 is sure to be an exciting historical season for everyone involved in the club and town.



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