



**Southern Combination
Football League
Division One
21 September 2021
7:45pm kick-off**



Red & black shirts, black
shorts & socks

Light Blue Shirts, White
Shorts & Socks

Tom Agate
Sam Cane
Blair Cooney
Dylan Charles
Noel Etherington
Marlon Fraser
Charlie Garnham
Patricio Gomes
Andy Greaves
John Greene
Ash Hollum
Paul Johnston
Timi Kalajaiye
Josh Mamo
Brad Ross
Aaron Ryder
Taylan Scarratt
Scott Smith
Alex Spellward
Luke Stevens

Manager: Mark Gilbert
Assistant: Neill Wilkinson
Coach: Joe Clark
Coach: Mark Fiest
Physio: Grace McVicar

Manager: tba
Assistant: tba
1st team coach: tba

Officials: Paul Ransome, Lee Roberts, Colin Huckle

The Southern Combination Football League

Division One



"Committed to Excellence"

V

Midhurst & Easebourne

Season 2021-22

Tuesday 21 September 2021



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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
Secretary: Ms Sarah Daly
Treasurer: Ms Carol Macey

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Pos	Team	PL	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Midhurst & Easebourne	9	8	0	1	32	9	23	24
2	Roffey	8	7	1	0	22	9	13	22
3	Dorking Wanderers Res.	9	6	1	2	26	14	12	19
4	Shoreham	8	6	1	1	22	13	9	19
5	Epsom & Ewell	9	5	2	2	17	10	7	17
6	Seaford Town	8	4	2	2	16	8	8	14
7	Godalming Town	10	4	2	4	16	18	-2	14
8	Montpelier Villa	9	4	1	4	19	12	7	13
9	Worthing United	9	4	1	4	11	10	1	13
10	Forest Row	9	4	0	5	16	17	-1	12
11	Selsey	8	4	0	4	9	11	-2	12
12	Wick	9	3	0	6	18	20	-2	9
13	Billingshurst	8	3	0	5	15	20	-5	9
14	Arundel	9	2	1	6	14	22	-8	7
15	Hailsham Town	9	2	1	6	7	18	-11	7
16	Oakwood	8	2	1	5	12	24	-12	7
17	Mile Oak	9	1	1	7	11	20	-9	4
18	Storrington	8	1	1	6	9	37	-28	4

Above...

Pos	Premier – bottom three	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
18	Hassocks	10	1	2	7	11	31	-20	5
19	East Preston	9	0	2	7	8	28	-20	2
20	AFC Varndeanians	9	0	0	9	15	34	-19	0

Below...

Pos	Division 2 – top three	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1	Rustington	6	6	0	1	16	3	13	18
2	Jarvis Brook	6	5	0	1	16	4	12	15
3	Upper Beeding	7	4	1	2	18	12	6	13

MANAGERS NOTES

Hello and welcome to everyone – our visitors from Midhurst and Easebourne, the match officials and supporters to Oakwood Football Club for this SCFL Division One match.

A tough one today with the Stags being top of the table. Our lads came from being a goal down at half time on Saturday to grab the point in the Hailsham match. The line-up on Saturday was as follows...

Oaks: Ben Amissah, Rhys Bolt, Dylan Charles, Marlon Fraser, Andy Goodwin, Andrew Greaves, Paul Johnston, Finley Macleod, Casey Mwaura, Aaron Ryder, Luke Stevens
 Subs played: Noel Etherington, Ash Hollom, Josh Mamo
 Scorer: Paul Johnston (5th of the season)

If you fancy another evening out then join us here at Oakwood Park again tomorrow when the u23 side face their counterparts from Crowborough Athletic

Neill Wilkinson – Assistant Manager



First Team Results / Fixtures

Date	Vs	Competition	H/A		Score
Sat 31 Jul	Wick	League	A	L	0-3
Tues 3 Aug	Midhurst & Easbourne	League Cup	A	L	2-5
Sat 7 Aug	Dorking Wnds. Res	League	H	L	1-5
Sat 14 Aug	Seaford Town	League	A	L	1-4
Sat 21 Aug	Arundel	League	H	W	4-0
Sat 28 Aug	Billingshurst	League	H	W	5-3
Mon 30 Aug	Godalming Town	League	A	L	0-1
Sat 4 Sep	Montperlier Villa	League	A	L	0-7
Sat 11 Sep	Welling Town	FA Vase	H	L	3-4
Sat 18 Sep	Hailsham Town	League	H	D	1-1
Tues 21 Sep	Midhurst & Easebourne	League	H		

Under 23s

After two seasons abandoned due to Covid, the under 23 side will be hoping for a complete schedule as they again play in the SCFL Under 23 North Division.

Date	Vs	Competition	H/A		Score
Thurs 19 Aug	Roffey	League	A	D	0-0
Weds 1 Sep	Hassocks	League	H	L	0-2
Weds 8 Sep	Alfold	League	H	W	2-0
Thurs 16 Sep	Broadbridge Heath	League	A	L	0-4
Weds 22 Sep	Crowborough Athletic	League	H		
Thurs 30 Sep	Horsham YMCA	League	A		

Oakwood Ladies

This season the Oakwood Ladies team will be playing in the South Eastern Counties Womens Football League Kent Division One West.

Date	Vs	Competition	H/A		Score
Sun 5 Sep	Junior Reds	League	H	W	2-0
Sun 12 Sep	KFU Development	League	A	L	0-5
Sun 26 Sep	Gravesham	League	H		
Sun 3 Oct	Foots Cray	League	A		
Sun 10 Oct	Petts Wood	League	H		
Sun 24 Oct	Maidstone Development	League	A		
Sun 7 Nov	Long Lane	League	A		
Sun 14 Nov	Sevenoaks	League	A		

POLITE NOTICES - Please observe the following

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.



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

Sponsorship can be arranged through many channels for example:

- Programme adverts (full or half page)
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- Kit sponsorship (bearing sponsors name on away shirt)
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- Match ball sponsor (programme advert)
- Youth team sponsorship



First team appearances 2021-22

Player	Start	Sub	Tot	Goals
Andrew Greaves	10	0	10	
Aaron Ryder	9	0	9	1
Blair Cooney	9	0	9	
Ross Jones	7	0	7	
Ashley Hollom	6	2	8	
Noel Etherington	6	1	7	
Paul Johnston	6	1	7	5
Bradley Ross	6	0	6	2
Marlon Fraser	6	0	6	1
Tom Agate	6	0	6	
Ebenezer Amissah	5	0	5	2
Sam Cane	5	0	5	3
Josh Mamo	4	6	10	
Dylan Charles	3	2	5	
John Greene	3	1	4	1
Luke Stevens	3	1	4	
Patricio Gomes	3	1	4	1
Casey Mwaura	3	0	3	
Taylan Scarratt	2	3	5	
Matthew Rendell *	2	0	2	
Andy Goodwin	1	1	2	
Jaydan Willis	1	1	2	
Rhys Bolt	1	1	2	1
Finley McLeod	1	0	1	
Harry Petty	1	0	1	
Mark Fiest	1	0	1	
Charlie Gamham	0	4	4	
Timi Kalejaiye	0	3	3	
Alexander Spellward	0	1	1	
Charlie Graham	0	1	1	
Scott Smith	0	1	1	

* no longer with Oakwood



Today's opponents: Midhurst & Easebourne

We extend a warm welcome to the management, players and supporters of Midhurst & Easebourne to Oakwood Park for our second meeting of the season.

Twitter: @MidhurstFC

Web: www.midhurstfc.com

The club was established after World War II 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 war). The merged club played at Easebourne's Rotherfield ground. They applied to join the Sussex County League in 1980 but were rejected. However, the following year they were successful, and were accepted into Division Two. After finishing as runners-up in their first season, they were promoted to Division One.

They finished bottom of the division in 1986–87 and were relegated back to Division Two. They returned to Division One after finishing second in 1991–92 but were immediately relegated back to Division Two. The following season they were relegated again. They won Division Three at the first attempt but were relegated back to it at the end of the 1997–98 season, and after finishing bottom of the division the following season, left the league they dropped into the West Sussex League.

After winning the Premier Division in 2001–02 they returned to the Sussex County League and won Division Three at the first attempt, earning promotion to Division Two.

Last meeting...

Midhurst & Easebourne 5-2 Oakwood

Tuesday 3 August 2021

Peter Bentley League Cup, 1st Round, Attendance 42

Midhurst: Josh Bird, Duncan Brown (Marcus Bedford 56), Kieran Carter, Charlie Cooper, William Essai (Lewis Hamilton 72), Tommy Ford, Harry Giles, Josh Sheehan, Laurie Smith, Robert Tambling (James Liddiard 56), Chris Wyatt
Scorers: Kieran Carter (8), Harry Giles (23), Robert Tambling (31), William Essai (65), James Liddiard (84)

Oaks: Andrew Greaves, Tom Agate, Sam Cane, Blair Cooney, Noel Etherington, John Greene, Paul Johnston, Ross Jones, Bradley Ross, Aaron Ryder, Taylan Scarratt
Subs: Dylan Charles, Ashley Hollom, Timi Kalejaiye, Josh Mamo, Luke Stevens

Scorer: Sam Cane (50, 68)



The Oaks vault - 30 years back...

Oakwood 2-2 Horsham YMCA (aet)

21 September 1991

Sussex County League Cup, 1st Round

(Crawley Observer) Oakwood laboured against Second Division opponents and will be grateful for another crack at this Unijet League Challenge Cup tie. They only had themselves to blame, surrendering a two goal lead to Horsham YMCA on a bumpy Tinsley Lane pitch, and failing to make the most of first half domination.

It all started so well for Oaks, after ten minutes Phil Richardson pounced on Stewart McCreadie's error to blast his side ahead, then 16 minutes later Gary Chandler made it 2-0 with a looping 18 yard shot. YMCA, who had lost their last five matches, looked destined for defeat until a superb 39th minute goal by right back John Tewsley changed the match. Oaks lost their composure, and only a fine Stewart Wilkie save ensured the home side kept the lead at the break.

But Wilkie was helpless on the hour to prevent Daren Champion equalising after a powerful Tewsley run. Both sides had chances to prevent extra time, Doug Cashman should have shot when clean through, and the dangerous Mark Richardson always looked capable of opening the YMCA defence. There was far more excitement in the extra 30 minutes, in which three marvellous saves left all the players gasping. The first saw Wilkie somehow claw the ball over after it cannoned off Peter Brackpool, and Andy Piper twice denied Oaks in the final five minutes. He parried a Mark Richardson header, and flung himself across the goal to beat out Dave Gate's 20 yard shot.

Oaks: Stewart Wilkie, Peter Frake, Raymond Martin (Mark Richardson 63), Keith Hurren, Peter Brackpool, Stuart Lovegrove, Dave Palmer, George Smith, Lee Mobsby, Phil Richardson (David Gates 63), Gary Chandler
Scorers: Phil Richardson, Gary Chandler

The replay was at YMCA on Tuesday 12 November. Oaks went through to the next round with a 2-0 courtesy of goals from Gary Chandler and Paul Green.