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### **Hadley**





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#### Welcome to Bell Close

Good afternoon, today we welcome the committee, players and supporters of Hadley for a very important league game for both sides.

We have not played Hadley for a couple of seasons as they switched to the Essex Senior League but returned this year to the Spartan league as part of the FA League restructuring plans.

Games between the two teams have usually been very close but Hadley have usually come out on top, lets hope for a change today.

Hadley are currently in third place in the League, two points in front of us but unfortunately with two games in hand, and I think they will be looking for a second place finish with Risborough leading the table by 5 points, although the leaders lost to Ardley last Saturday to end their wonderful record of 50+ games without a League defeat.

We also welcome our three match officials, Referee Richard Wharton, and his two assistants Darren Fenner and Lyn McGregor and we hope they enjoy their afternoon with us.

On Tuesday night at kempston the lads performed well to earn a draw with the Southern League side but we were good enough to win the penalty shoot out by 4 goals to 2.

We will now face a difficult game against Luton Town who beat Dunstable 5-0 to earn their place in the next round on 15th February, should be a good game for the fans.

Our next two games after today will be at MK Irish on Tuesday night and then we travel to play Baldock at Arlesey. our under 18 side have a home game here on Thursday night.

On Saturday 5th February we entertain Ardley here at Bell Close ko 3pm.

We hope you all enjoy today's game and let's hope for a Town win.

Hope to see you in the Bar after the game.



### Saturday 22nd January – Kick Off 3.00pm PREMIER DIVISION

Ardley United v Oxhey Jets
Baldock Town v Harefield United
Crawley Green v Dunstable Town
Flackwell Heath v Arlesey Town
Harpenden Town v Broadfields United
Holmer Green v New Salamis
Leighton Town v Hadley
Leverstock Green v Aylesbury Vale Dynamos
Milton Keynes Irish v London Colney

### Tuesday 25th January – Kick Off 7.45pm PREMIER DIVISION

Aylesbury Vale Dynamos v Ardley United Flackwell Heath v Broadfields United Milton Keynes Irish v Leighton Town

### Saturday 29th January – Kick Off 3.00pm PREMIER DIVISION

Baldock Town v Leighton Town
Broadfields United v Leverstock Green
Crawley Green v Milton Keynes Irish
Dunstable Town v Harefield United
Flackwell Heath v Risborough Rangers
Hadley v Ardley United
Harpenden Town v London Colney
Holmer Green v Tring Athletic
New Salamis v Arlesey Town







### **Hadley Town FC Club History**

Hadley Football Club were founded in the 1882/83 season. A notable achievement during the early years was a 1-0 defeat of Tottenham Hotspur, although Tottenham then was not of the calibre that it is now. The 1880's and 1890's were glamour times for Hadley when the club used to attract crowds of several hundred to Hadley common. With regret however, the progressive Barnet FC etc. drew players away from Hadley. This was at about the turn of the century. Club activities became low key around 1912 with Barnet FC becoming more prominent. Between these years and 1922 the club was up and down like a yo yo. Club fortunes again changed close to World War II and thereafter, with the emergence from the Hadley ranks of the famous Lester Finch who went on to play for Barnet FC and become a full amateur international. Records show an upturn in Hadley FC activities after World War II. The club became a member of the Barnet and District League and, from about 1947, played at Wrotham Park at the Barnet end of Kitts End Road. Hadley played there until about 1955 when it then moved to Barnet Playing Fields in order to "have some better facilities". The club played in the North Suburban Intermediate League at this time.

Still playing at Barnet Playing Fields, the club then joined the Mid Herts League and with Peter Gray as 1st team manager, we were Premier Division Winners in 1975/76 and 1976/77. We also won the Mid Herts Premier Division Shield in 1976/77. Having won the Mid Herts Premier Division twice, the club wanted to progress to the Herts Senior County League so therefore moved to a pitch with better facilities in St. Albans Road, Barnet (current home of The Shire London Golf Club). We had one season at this pitch before being told that it was no longer available to hire. We won the Herts Senior County League Division Three at our first attempt during this season. However, we had to find a new home and played at a sports ground in Chandos Avenue, Whetstone (a training base for the England National team at the time), until 1985. The club left the Herts Senior County League to join the Southern Olympian League and moved grounds again to play at the Woodside Park Club, Southover, Totteridge.

In 1992 the club moved to a ground in Brickfield Lane, Arkley, Barnet and rejoined the Herts Senior County League in the 1999/00 season. Under the management of Ian Gray, the 1st team won the Division One championship in 2001/02 to move up to the Premier Division in 2002/03, where we finished midtable. Mick Hore was appointed manager in 2003/04 and we enjoyed a very successful season with the 1st team winning the Herts Senior County League Premier Division and the Herts Senior Centenary Trophy. 2004/05 was also very successful with the 1st team retaining the Premier Division title. Success continued into 2005/06 with the 1st team winning the prestigious Aubrey Cup.

In 2006-07 the 1st team finished Runners Up in the Herts Senior County League Premier Division. An application to join the Spartan South Midlands



league was blocked by the Herts County League, so the following season (2007-08) the club played all of its football in the West Herts Saturday League. During this season, all Hadley teams (3 teams) won their respective leagues for the first time in the clubs history. This included the 1st team winning the Premier Division of the West Herts League with Guy Slee in charge, having taken over from Mick Hore at the start of the season. We again applied to join the Spartan South Midlands League and our place in Division Two was accepted for the start of the 2008-09 season.

The move to the Spartan South Midlands League saw the 1st team begin groundsharing at Potters Bar Town FC, and the reserves and 3rd team continued to use the ground in Brickfield Lane. Ian Gray replaced Guy Slee as manager at the start of the season, with Guy having stepped up into the role of Chairman, joined on the committee with the arrival of Bob Henderson as Secretary. Our first season in the Spartan South Midlands League turned out to be a very successful one with the 1st team gaining promotion to Division One at the first attempt after finishing one point behind The 61 FC (Luton). We also won the Division Two Cup after beating Totternhoe in the final.

Our second season in the Spartan South Midlands League (2009-10) surpassed everyone's expectations when we achieved another promotion after finishing in second place behind Holmer Green. We also won two matches in our first attempt at the FA Vase, beating Harpenden Town and then Leverstock Green, eventually being knocked out in a tight 1-0 defeat at Stanway Rovers. The 2010-11 season saw us again playing at the highest level in the club's long history (Step 5 of the National League System), and we also enjoyed our first ever outing in the FA Cup, drawing 0-0 with Barking before losing 1-0 in the replay. Another highlight of the season was playing against Barnet in the 2nd round of the Herts Senior Cup, drawing 1-1 after 90 minutes before losing 4-1 in Extra Time.

In January 2012, long-serving manager lan Gray stepped down from the role of 1st team manager after 3½ successful years in charge, having guided the team from Division Two to the Premier Division of the Spartan South Midlands League with back-to-back promotions. A new management team was appointed who were previously with St Albans City reserves. An influx of new players and the guidance of player-manager Alexis Nicholas saw us achieve our pre-season aim of staying in the Premier Division, as we ended in 15th position out of 22 teams. The start of the 2012-13 season saw Franco Sidoli join as 1st team manager having also left St Albans City during the summer. Franco was supported by a coaching team of Alexis Nicholas, Lewis Dommett and Hector Varela as we enjoyed a successful season with a comfortable mid-table finish and our first ever win in the FA Cup following a 2-0 victory over Hertford Town. We also reached the final of the Premier Division Cup when we were unlucky to lose 3-2 against Aylesbury United (After Extra Time), having taken the lead twice in the match.



At the end of the 2012-13 season, Franco Sidoli stepped down as 1st team manager due to a change in work circumstances for 3 out of 4 people in the management team, including himself, which would not have allowed them to give 100% commitment to the job during the forthcoming season. The club appointed Geoff O'Vell as the new 1st team manager, who had previously been 1st team manager at Colney Heath, Hoddesdon Town and Broxbourne Borough. Geoff was joined by Assistant Manager Paul Surridge and coach Mark Mezen. A highlight during this season was drawing Watford FC in the 1st Round of the Herts Senior Cup. We lost 2-0 with goals from Luke O'Nien and Bernard Mensah securing the win for Gianfranco Zola's Championship side. We had mixed fortunes during the 2013-14 league campaign and although an improved end to the season saw us make a late climb up the league table to finish just below mid table, the club decided that a restructuring of the team management was required at the end of the season. This saw Geoff O'Vell and his management team leave the club.

At the start of the next season (2014-15) Micky Hazard was appointed as the new 1st team manager. As a player, Micky was a member of the Tottenham team that won the 1982 FA Cup and UEFA Cup in 1984. He also went on to play for Chelsea, Portsmouth, Swindon Town and then Tottenham for a second spell. Since the end of his playing career, Hazard was Youth Academy Coach at Crystal Palace and was also involved on the management team of Sevenoaks Town and Hoddesdon Town. Micky was joined by the return of Franco Sidoli, Lewis Dommett and Hector Varela who were all well-known to the club as, along with Alexis Nicolas, they formed our 1st team management team during a successful 2012-13 season. The first season in charge for our new management team was very successful as we ended in 9th position in the Spartan South Midlands League Premier Division - our highest ever finish. We surpassed this in the following season (2015-16) as we ended in 6th position in the league and we also won the Herts Charity Shield for the first time following a 3-1 victory over Tring Athletic in the final at the County Headquarters, Letchworth.

The 2016-17 season saw the return of our 1st team to Brickfield Lane in Arkley, Barnet, following over £500,000 worth of facilities improvements and eight years of groundsharing with Potters Bar Town. Ground improvements included the installation of floodlights, a spectator stand, new fencing and pathways, pitch drainage installation, a new car park and the refurbishment of the pavilion clubhouse and changing rooms. This was made possible thanks to grants and donations from the Football Stadia Improvement Fund, Sport England, the Peter Harrison Foundation, the Happy Charitable Trust, Village Healthcare and the Back2Barnet campaign. A highlight of our first season back in Barnet was an outstanding FA Cup run, eventually being knocked out in a Third qualifying round replay against Eastbourne Borough who went on to beat Aldershot Town in the next round.



The 2017-18 season saw a change of first team management with Anthony Clark being appointed in October 2017. As a player, Anthony appeared for Southend United before playing at a high standard of non-league football with teams including Hendon and Wealdstone. A very strong end to the season saw us finish in sixth place, our joint highest ever finish. The 2018-19 league campaign was our most successful in the Spartan South Midlands League Premier Division, finishing in 3rd place, missing out on the Runners Up spot by goal difference.

In the summer of 2019, following correspondence with the Football Association, a lateral movement saw Hadley FC moved to the Essex Senior League for the 2019-20 season after 10 seasons in the Spartan South Midlands League. This move was part of the Football Association's ongoing restructuring of the National League System and their move towards a "pure pyramid". A highlight of the 2019-20 season was reaching the Third qualifying round of the FA Cup, equalling our best ever run from the 2016-17 season. We eventually lost at Havant & Waterlooville, but getting that far in such a prestigious competition was an excellent achievement by Anthony Clark's team. Unfortunately, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the season then ended early and was declared null and void. Similarly, the 2020-21 Essex Senior League season was also curtailed due to the COVID-19 pandemic but we had a fantastic run in the FA Vase, reaching the Fifth Round for the first time in the club's history. We were unfortunate to lose on penalties to Binfield who went on to reach the final at Wembley - this was another excellent achievement from Anthony Clark's team.

In the summer of 2021, the Football Association again carried out some restructuring of the National League System and we were moved from the Essex Senior League back into the Spartan South Midlands League. It was a shame that we could not complete a full season in the Essex Senior League, and we enjoyed our time in that league and meeting some new clubs, but we now look forward to the 2021-22 season back in the Spartan South Midlands League Premier Division.



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### **LEAGUE HISTORY**

The League is relatively young compared to other's being formed in 1922 as the Bedfordshire County League. With new clubs keen to join from outside the County it was decided in 1929 to change the name to the South Midlands League.

The League continued to consolidate and strengthen over the ensuing 70 years or so providing quality football for many teams over a large area of the South Midlands.

In 1997 it became apparent that the London Spartan League, which was very much to the South of the League's geographical footprint, was struggling administratively and, with the full support of the Football Association, the decision was taken to merge the two competitions with the new League being known as the Spartan South Midlands League.

The League now covers a wide area from North London in the South to Milton Keynes in the North and from Ware in the East to Aylesbury in the West.

The League is part of the FA's National League System (NLS) and comprises of three Divisions; Premier at Step 5 of the NLS, Division One at Step 6 and Division Two at Step 7.

The League has a proud record of promoting clubs to Step 4 of the NLS and has also provided 4 FA Vase Finalists including two winners in Arlesey Town and Hoddesdon Town FC.

### SPARTAN SOUTH MIDLANDS LEAGUE



### PREMIER DIVISION







**Arlesey Town** 



Aylesbury Vale Dynamos



**Baldock Town** 



**Broadfields Utd** 



**Crawley Green** 



Dunstable Town Flackwell Heath





Hadley



Harefield United



Harpenden Town



**Holmer Green** 





Leighton Town Leverstock Green London Colney



MK Irish



**New Salamis** 







Oxhey Jets

Risborough Rangers Tring Athletic



### The History of Leighton Town Football Club

Leighton Town, who were known as Leighton United between 1922 and 1963, were formed in 1885. They were mainly involved in local leagues until the outbreak of the Great War and were winners of the Leighton and District League on several occasions.

Leighton were one of the original members of the South Midland League in 1922 – which at the time was known as the Bedfordshire County League. They were also members of the Spartan League between 1922/23 and 1951/52, but their only successes being the Spartan League Division 2 title in 1923/24 and 1927/28. They were Bedfordshire Senior Cup winners in 1926/27.

In 1952, they became a founder member of the Hellenic League, but after two disappointing seasons, moved to the South Midlands League. In 1965/66 season however, the Premier Championship sat in the Leighton Town Boardroom. The club then rejoined the Spartan League in 1967/68.

Leighton proceeded to consolidate their League success by winning the Bedfordshire Senior Cup for three successive seasons in 1968, 1969 and 1970. Unfortunately, some of the successful players moved on to other clubs, and Leighton's fortunes again declined. A move to the United Counties League proved disastrous and after just two seasons, the club rejoined the South Midlands League.

During the '70's and '80's, Leighton were unable to capture the success of the '60's.

In 1990/1991 the First Team won the South Midlands League Challenge Trophy and the O'Brien's Premier Division Cup, both for the first time in the club's history.

The 1991/2 season was one of the club's best. The South Midlands Premier Division title, which had eluded the club for so long, was won, and with it a place in the Isthmian League.

1992/3 saw the Club's success continue when they won the Bedfordshire Senior Cup for the first time since 1970. The Club missed out on promotion in their first Isthmian League season by just a single point but the Youth Team retained the County Cup.

1995/6 saw the First Team win promotion to Division 2 of the Isthmian League, whilst at the same time retaining the Buckingham Charity Cup. In the 1996/7 season, Leighton won the Isthmian League Associated Members Trophy for the first time. 1998/99 saw the return of the Associated Members Trophy and the Buckingham Charity Cup.



Season 2003/04 Leighton won the Ryman Isthmian Second Division title. They were also named Ryman Division Two Team of the Year, and Paul Burgess was awarded Manager of the Year. They also reached the Fifth round of the FA Vase, and the final of the Beds Senior Cup, before losing to Andover and Arlesey Town respectively.

The 2004-05 season saw the club placed in The Southern League East Division and finished in a creditable tenth place. They also won the Buckinghamshire Charity Cup. The Reserves won the Bedfordshire Intermediate Cup and the U18's won the SCYFL League Shield.

The 05-06 Season saw the Club progress again, improving on the year before, as they finished 8th in The Southern League Western Division. After a poor start, League results improved and the side only suffered four defeats from the start of November until the end of March, a play-off place just eluding them.

After three excellent victories interest in the FA. Trophy competition ended with a single goal defeat to eventual semi-finalists, Borehamwood.

The Club also reached the Beds Senior Cup Final, but sadly they again finished as Runners Up.

The Club were relocated to the Southern League Midland Division for 06-07 season but only one League win in the first six games and early exits in the two FA Competitions cost Paul Burgess his job in September. He was replaced by former Wycombe professional Keith Scott, results did improve but it was a disappointing season, although Town did win the Bucks Senior Charity Cup.

The 07-08 started brightly with the first League defeat not coming until mid-October. Three wins in the FA Cup saw the Club reach the 4th Qualifying Round for the first time in it's history. A 3-0 defeat to Conference South, Havant and Waterlooville finally ended the run. Keith Scott then left in December to join Windsor and Eton. In January 2008, Assistant Manager Sean Downey was appointed as First Team Manager and did a splendid job as the Club ended their League season in 9th place, winning the Bucks Charity Cup and reaching the final of the Beds Senior Cup once more.

The 08/09 Season the First Team finished 8th in the Southern League, Midland Division, achieving their highest points total to date at that level. The 09/10 season saw Leighton once again finish in the top half of the table, when they finished in 9th place and they also lost the Bedfordshire Senior Cup Final to Southern League rivals, Arlesey Town after penalties.

Season 2010/2011, saw Town finish in 7th place in the League, gaining 69 points, their best performance since joining the Southern Football



#### League.

The 2011/2012 a poor season saw Leighton finish in their lowest position for several years.

2012/13 was also very disappointing for the First Team as they finished in 20th place.

2015/2016 After 3 disappointing seasons Leighton finished the season in the bottom two of the Southern League Central Division and were relegated to the Spartan South Midlands League where they had last played in the 1991/92 season.

2016/2017 This was a disappointing season with the club struggling for much of the time after yet another Managerial Change. Things did pick up towards the end of the season and we eventually finished in 16th place. 2017/18 The club retained Scott Reynolds as Manager and finished 4th in the League and reached the Quarter Finals of the FA VASE. Gates improved and it was our best season for about 8 years,

2018/2019 Manager, Scott Reynolds resigned in the close season and Danny Nicholls was appointed as Manager but left in October due to work commitments. The Club then appointed Joe Sweeney and Paul Copson, who had previously won the Premier division title with London Colney as their new Management Team. They steadied the ship and we finished in mid table.

2019/2020 Was a good season for the Club as we again reached the Quarter Final of the FA Vase and after a slow start in the League the team started to find some good form as we slowly climbed up the table. The team were also awarded the Team of the Month twice.

2020/2021 Town for the third time in 4 seasons reached the Quarter Final of the FA Vase but sadly lost out to 2 late penalties. An indifferent start in the League meant we could not quite gain the points needed to gain promotion in a Covid affected season.

2021/2022 Leighton are hoping to be challenging at the top end of the table but we are well aware that this is a difficult Division and several other strong teams will be competing to finish in the top 2 places.

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### Leighton Town FC launch on-line Club Shop



The Executive Committee are delighted to announce that in partnership with our current kit providers 'Kinnect International', we have launched an on-line shop. Supporters will be able to purchase an array of LTFC merchandise directly from the suppliers. Although it is a limited offer at present due to overseas chain supply problems, it is our aim to build a larger range of products, in particular replica playing and warm-up shirts. All the items on display in the club shop are available on a 5 day delivery time frame and the last date for pre Christmas orders is the 15th December. The club will receive commission on all the items sold and this will be reinvested in the continuing improvements the club is making to the ground and facilities. Just visit the website and click on the link and get shopping!

Important notice: any queries re the shop should be directed to Kinnect International. Contact details of their customer services are available at the bottom of the web page.

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### Match Report 15/1/22

### **Leighton Town 1-1 Arlesey Town**

In what was the first match in five weeks for Leighton Town, the *Reds* could only muster a draw against a determined Arlesey side in league action. Despite the cold, Bell Close was buzzing for the first fixture played in 2022. The 316 fans in attendance were treated to a competitive tussle capped by two first half goals and the home side ending the game with ten men.

The game started as Leighton looked to dust off the cobwebs from their postponement enforced break. Forward Kieran Turner compounded some early pressure as Town looked comfortable driving down the left side.

A free kick on 6 minutes was arrowed into the box from Ross Adams, creeping through the defence perfectly for the arriving Turner to poke home at the back post. It was a great return for the ex-Tring man, who had previously been with Leighton at the start of 2020.

Town continued to have more joy down that side. However, Arlesey stood firm and nearly even managed an instant reply – a corner from the right deflecting off Connor Coulston and narrowly going over.

Leighton's play down the wings came from some less-than-glamourous hard graft in the engine room midfield and a challenge from Alfie Osborne epitomised that. The midfielder clattered forward Archie Sayer and could breathe a sigh of relief as the referee opted for a yellow card on 15 minutes. The referee would have more work to do on 29 minutes. Both sides swarmed the man in black amidst a frustrating spell. Town popped the ball around nicely before Luke Pyman, seemingly through, was brought down cynically.

Not given, the midfielder tracked back with a retaliation challenge that stopped the Arlesey counter, with play being pulled back when they were through on goal. In a strange turn, the phase was resolved with a drop ball. Ashton Campbell then missed out on doubling the lead on 38 minutes, curling round the keeper and the post after being played in by Adams.

Arlesey would punish missed opportunities and in spectacular fashion too. Reece Crowther, an ever-present attacking force, cut in from the right and unleashed a rasping effort back across goal. From 25-yards, it flew into the bottom right corner on the 40 minute mark.

On 43 minutes chaos descended once more. Tom Bryant won a foul before an exchange of words with *Blues'* midfielder John Smith ended with the



latter writhing around on the floor noisily. Despite the cries and an alleged kick, the half ended – lucky not to see more names in the officials' book. The second half started in similar dramatic fashion. Ross Adams drew the keeper out on 46' and looked to have rounded him before being brought down. Nothing was given.

Amidst a flurry of second half half-chances, an Adams corner from the left trickling across the face came so close, just begging for a touch on 56'.

Arlesey had attempts of their own, especially through the continued efforts of Crowther on 71'. His drives down the right were sharpest in a relatively blunt offensive edge from the away team.

Moving into the final 15 minutes, Campbell linked up well with Turner who latched on to a pass and outran defender Mickey Shuttlewood. Baring down on goal, the keeper rushed off his line and could only watch Turner open his body and tuck his right footed shot tantalisingly wide of the bottom right corner.

Minutes later on 81', Joe Fitzgerald nearly got the breakthrough – just getting to a ball down the right of the box from Turner. His pass expertly unlocked the defence but the keeper Adam O'Neill protected his near post well and ultimately saved a valuable point for his side.

The game finished in a contentious manor as the red card Alfie Osborne perhaps could've received in the first half was shown in the 89th minute. Adjudged to have tripped his man on the break, it felt like a soft dismissal and perhaps retribution for the ref's earlier leniency.

Now, with other teams playing their games in advance and this draw, Leighton drift down to 4th place. For Arlesey Town, this point sees them chipping away at 7th spot – their next game is away at Crawley Green. The next game is away at Kempston Rovers in The Beds Senior Cup Competition on Tuesday.

### By Max Bradfield





















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- Always respect the Referee and coaches and encourage players to do the same
- Stay behind the touchline and within the Designated Spectators' Area (where provided)
- When players make mistakes, offer them encouragement to try again next time
- Never engage in, or tolerate offensive, insulting or abusive language or behaviour

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- Requested not to attend future games, be suspended or have my membership removed.
- Required to leave the club along with any dependents and/or issued a fine





### Results - January 2022

	Monday 3	3rd Janu	ary 2022						
SSML	Ardley United	5 3	Milton Keynes Irish	128					
SSML	Baldock Town	2 4	Crawley Green	162					
SSML	Broadfields United	0 2	Oxhey Jets	133					
SSML	<b>Dunstable Town</b>	2 2	Arlesey Town	281					
SSML	Harefield United	1 5	Flackwell Heath	265					
SSML	Harpenden Town	0 2	Hadley	237					
SSML	Leverstock Green	1 2	Holmer Green	81					
SSML	Risborough Rangers	1 0	Tring Athletic	237					
	Saturday	8th Janu	ary 2022						
SSML	Ardley United	3 1	Leverstock Green	128					
SSML	Baldock Town	4 1	London Colney	85					
SSML	New Salamis	3 2	Flackwell Heath	80					
Tuesday 11th January 2022									
SSML	New Salamis	5 2	Broadfields United	75					
	Saturday 1	15th Janı	uary 2022						
SSML	Ardley United	1 0	Risborough Rangers	136					
SSML	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	1 1	<b>Dunstable Town</b>	161					
SSML	Broadfields United	1 2	Milton Keynes Irish	51					
SSML	Crawley Green	4 5	Oxhey Jets	41					
SSML	Flackwell Heath	1 1	Baldock Town	140					
SSML	Hadley	4 0	Holmer Green	105					
SSML	Harpenden Town	0 2	Leverstock Green	127					
SSML	Leighton Town	1 1	Arlesey Town	316					
SSML	Tring Athletic	0 1	Harefield United	74					
	Tuesday 18th January 2022								
SSML	Broadfields United	2 3	Tring Athletic	48					
SSML	Harpenden Town	3 1	Milton Keynes Irish	89					



### **LEAGUE TABLE**

			Overall			Home				Away				0					
		Р	W	D	L	F	A	w	D	L	F	A	w	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
1	Risborough Rangers	21	17	3	1	61	12	10	0	0	31	7	7	3	1	30	5	+49	54
2	New Salamis	21	16	1	4	60	26	7	0	3	32	17	9	1	1	28	9	+34	49
3	Hadley	21	15	2	4	47	21	7	1	3	25	14	8	1	1	22	7	+26	47
4	Leighton Town	23	13	6	4	57	25	7	3	2	26	11	6	3	2	31	14	+32	45
5	Leverstock Green	24	13	2	9	51	35	4	1	6	24	22	9	1	3	27	13	+16	41
6	Harpenden Town	23	12	4	7	41	34	6	2	3	22	15	6	2	4	19	19	+7	40
7	Arlesey Town	23	10	6	7	47	44	3	3	5	19	23	7	3	2	28	21	+3	36
8	Oxhey Jets	23	10	4	9	48	62	4	4	3	26	27	6	0	6	22	35	-14	34
9	Flackwell Heath	21	10	3	8	37	24	5	1	5	18	13	5	2	3	19	11	+13	33
10	Ardley United	20	9	3	8	34	25	7	2	4	24	15	2	1	4	10	10	+9	30
11	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	21	9	3	9	41	42	4	1	4	20	20	5	2	5	21	22	-1	30
12	Harefield United	21	7	4	10	43	39	4	2	5	22	19	3	2	5	21	20	+4	25
13	Milton Keynes Irish	22	7	4	11	32	39	3	4	3	13	14	4	0	8	19	25	-7	25
14	Dunstable Town	23	6	6	11	27	44	3	4	5	13	18	3	2	6	14	26	-17	24
15	London Colney	23	7	3	13	26	57	3	3	6	10	28	4	0	7	16	29	-31	24
16	Broadfields United	20	7	1	12	32	43	3	0	8	14	21	4	1	4	18	22	-11	22
17	Holmer Green	22	5	2	15	27	74	2	1	8	16	40	3	1	7	11	34	-47	17
18	Tring Athletic	22	4	4	14	24	42	3	1	8	12	18	1	3	6	12	24	-18	16
19	Baldock Town	20	4	3	13	24	39	1	0	8	12	23	3	3	5	12	16	-15	15
20	Crawley Green	22	3	4	15	31	63	0	1	9	12	34	3	3	6	19	29	-32	13



### **Attendance Statistics**

		Attendance	S		
	Team	Lowest	Highest	Average	+/-
1	Leighton Town	165	473	335	+8.77%
2	Dunstable Town	87	435	173	+57.27%
3	Risborough Rangers	102	237	153	+53.00%
4	Flackwell Heath	70	272	139	+51.09%
5	Harpenden Town	89	237	136	0.00%
6	Hadley	94	160	113	-12.40%
7	Tring Athletic	70	214	113	+13.00%
8	Arlesey Town	63	225	111	+37.04%
9	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	67	161	107	+8.08%
10	Ardley United	42	136	90	+50.00%
11	Harefield United	50	265	83	-8.79%
12	Baldock Town	50	162	78	-15.22%
13	Holmer Green	27	253	73	+35.19%
14	Oxhey Jets	38	126	72	-7.69%
15	Milton Keynes Irish	38	105	71	+29.09%
16	Broadfields United	35	133	69	-22.47%
17	Leverstock Green	31	105	62	-19.48%
18	Crawley Green	30	100	50	N/A
19	New Salamis	19	90	50	0.00%
20	London Colney	20	52	34	-27.66%



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### The Future's Bright

So far this season 4 players have emerged from the Under 18s to make their debuts in the First Team.

Well done to Freddie Heeps, George Kerr, Josh Hatton & Finley Peart. Not forgetting Luke Pyman who is also a by-product of the player pathway at the Club.

Future is bright!





#### **ESTABLISHMENT OF DEVELOPMENT TEAM FOR NEXT SEASON**

Leighton Town FC is delighted to announce that their application to field a Development Team in the Spartan South Midlands League Division 2 for the 2022-23 season has been successful.

"This is a further significant step in establishing the high quality pathways our young players need and deserve to support them in making the transition between youth and senior football", said Town's Director of Football Sean Downey. "We have some fantastic young players coming through the youth ranks and five U18 players have already made their debuts for the First Team this season. This demonstrates the club's commitment to youth. Playing in a well run, competitive league is important for our young players and we are delighted that the Spartan South Midlands League committee have been supportive of our application to compete at Step 7. This is the next, hugely important stage of our Football Development Plan for the club and we look forward to releasing further details regarding trials etc as the season develops", said Sean.

### <u>Development Team Manager (Management Team)</u>

Leighton Town FC are seeking to appoint a Manager (Management Team) to take responsibility for managing/coaching our newly established Development Team for the 2022-23 season and beyond. This is an excellent opportunity for suitably qualified and experienced coaches to join an ambitious, forward thinking, professionally run football club. Interested candidates are invited to send their cv and a short vision statement outlining their coaching philosophy to Director of Football, Sean Downey on sdowney0207@outlook.com

The closing date for applications is 5pm on <u>Wednesday 19 January</u> and interviews for those short listed will take place later that week, (dates and times to be agreed).



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BY KAKEN BROWNE

On a day when art and literature topped the bill with (*Joseph Mallord William*) Turner, (*William*) Shakespeare, (*Sherlock*) Holmes and (Kingsley) Amis amongst the scorers.

#### **SATURDAY HEADLINES**

'Ard Luck Risborough' the remaining unbeaten record in the SSML ends at Ardley United. Stotfold march on in Division One. Northampton Sileby Rangers net eight. Long Crendon bag a seven goal haul on the road. Wellingborough Whitworth reach semi-finals of the Les Underwood Junior Cup.

Saturday brought about 101 goals from the 23 games (an average of 4.39 per game). Cian Banert (Aston Clinton) netting the days only hat-trick.

Saturday Stats: 23 games played of which 7 were home wins, 11 away wins and 5 draws.

Without A League Draw to date: Aston Clinton, Codicote, Risborough Rangers Development and The 61FC (Luton).

Saturday Highest Attendances: 316 Leighton Town v Arlesey Town, 161 Aylesbury Vale Dynamos v Dunstable Town and 140 Flackwell Heath v Baldock Town.

Season's Highest Attendances to date (Premier Division Clubs): 473 Leighton Town v Broadfields United, 449 Leighton Town v Aylesbury Vale Dynamos and 435 Dunstable Town v Leighton Town.

Season's Highest Attendances to date (Division One Clubs): 404 Stotfold v Ampthill Town, 392 Stotfold v Bedford and 371 Ampthill Town v Bedford.

Season's Highest Attendances to date (Division Two Clubs): 212 Bovingdon v Totternhoe, 175 Bovingdon v Berkhamsted Raiders and 134 Totternhoe v Leighton Town (Gladwish Challenge Trophy).

### Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> January

#### PREMIER DIVISION

To quote that famous Roy Orbison song "It's Over" yes Risborough Rangers have finally met their 'Waterloo' as their long unbeaten league run which began after their defeat at Winslow United on the 9<sup>th</sup> April 2019 was brought to a close on Saturday at Ardley United where a first half goal from Mason Courtney for the hosts sounded the death knell. With one record ending another is edging closely

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to being equalled as Hadley's 9<sup>th</sup> successive league win on Saturday 4-0 at home against Holmer Green is just one short of equally their best at Step 5 (set in 2018 however the club record at any league level for them is 11 at Step 7). Milton Keynes Irish ended their winless run of 7 games with a 2-1 success at Broadfields United while Leverstock Green (5<sup>th</sup>) won 2-0 at Harpenden Town (6<sup>th</sup>) to put some clear daylight between the clubs in the table. At the other end of the standings the bottom two both suffered home defeats, bottom club Crawley Green just failed to claw back a 1-4 half time deficit, going down by the odd goal in nine against visiting Oxhey Jets while a goal on the stroke of half time was enough for Harefield United to defeat hosts Tring Athletic. Elsewhere the other three games all resulted a 1-1 draws, Aylesbury Vale Dynamos v Dunstable Town, Flackwell Heath v Baldock Town and Leighton Town v Arlesey Town. Full results and goalscorers are listed below.

- 1-0 Ardley United v Risborough Rangers (Courtney) Attendance: 136
- **1-1** Aylesbury Vale Dynamos v Dunstable Town (Gould [own goal]) / (Percy) Attendance: 161
- **1-2** Broadfields United v Milton Keynes Irish (Clarke-Rowe) / (Clarkson, Shrieves) Attendance: 51
- **4-5** Crawley Green v Oxhey Jets (Amadi, Mongey, Collins, Opponent Own Goal) / (Giordmaina [2], Costa, Inch, Tabor) Attendance: 41
- 1-1 Flackwell Heath v Baldock Town (Shakespeare) / (Hay) Attendance: 140
- 4-0 Hadley v Holmer Green (Ofori [2], Alfano, Ferguson) Áttendance: 105
- 0-2 Harpenden Town v Leverstock Green (Daalberg, Seale) Attendance: 127
- 1-1 Leighton Town v Arlesey Town (Turner) / (Crowter) Attendance: 316
- 0-1 Tring Athletic v Harefield United (Pacquette) Attendance: 74

#### **DIVISION ONE**

No change at the top of the table with leaders Stotfold running out 4-1 winners at neighbours Bedford to extend their lead at the top to seven points as second placed Winslow United welcomed third placed Ampthill Town in the day's big game and a report on this one can be found later in these ramblings. Elsewhere there were plenty of goals to keep the fans happy, Northampton Sileby Rangers hit struggling Burton Park Wanderers for eight as the hosts cruised to a 8-3 win while Long Crendon netted seven on their travels with a 7-1 success at Raunds Town. There was a nine goal thriller at Penn & Tylers Green where visiting Shefford Town & Campton came out on top 5-4 while the day's other action saw Amersham Town climb out of the bottom three following a 2-2 draw at Letchworth Garden City Eagles. Full results and goalscorers are listed below.

**1-4** Bedford v Stotfold (Bamford) / (Spavins [2], Ryan, Smith) Attendance: 120 **2-2** Letchworth Garden City Eagles v Amersham Town (Amis, Thake) / (Clifford, Bennett) Attendance: 41

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**8-3** Northampton Sileby Rangers v Burton Park Wanderers (Burrows [2], Cirelli [2], Freitas, Nagy, A Taylor, L Taylor) / (Clarke-Knowles [2], Brown) Attendance: 55 **4-5** Penn & Tylers Green v Shefford Town & Campton (Gardner, Hurst, Colverd,

Hancock) / (Snee [2], Day, O'Neil, McNamara) Attendance: 37

**1-7** Raunds Town v Long Crendon (Wills) / (Hawkes [2], Warwick [2], Brownsword [pen], Gaul, Simms) Attendance: 45

1-2 Winslow United v Ampthill Town (Workman) / (Holmes [2]) Attendance: 132

#### **LES UNDERWOOD JUNIOR CUP Quarter Finals**

It was mixed fortunes for the two remaining SSML sides in the Les Underwood Junior Cup Quarter Finals, Wellingborough Whitworth booking a semi-final place with a 2-1 home win against United Counties League side Bugbrooke St Michael Reserves while Rushden & Higham United bowed out after a 0-4 home defeat by ChromaSport Northants Combination League side Blisworth. Full results and goalscorers are listed below.

**0-4** Rushden & Higham United v Blisworth (Bobowicz [2], Duffy, Morgan)

Attendance: 68

**2-1** Wellingborough Whitworth v Bugbrooke St Michael Reserves (lasalire, Daldy) / (Hall) Attendance: 70

#### **DIVISION TWO**

Division Two leaders Old Bradwell United dropped two points as they were held to a 1-1 draw at home against Pitstone & Ivinghoe, the result allowed the chasing pack to close with Bovingdon defeating visiting New Bradwell St Peter 3-0 to make it x league wins on the bounce while Milton Keynes College Football Academy's trip Berkhamsted Raiders was rewarded with a 5-2 success. At the bottom of the table there were two big games, firstly Codicote saw off the challenge from visitors Sarratt, the 'Cod' winning 4-0 while The 61FC (Luton) edged out bottom club Tring Corinthians AFC, the hosts winning by the odd goal in three. Full results and goalscorers are listed below.

- **2-5** Berkhamsted Raiders v Milton Keynes College Football Academy (Mulholland [2]) / (Asante [2], Lodder, Summers, Boyce) Attendance: 35
- **3-0** Bovingdon v New Bradwell St Peter (Dowling, Hemington, Baldwin) / Attendance: 122
- 4-0 Codicote v Sarratt (Evans, White, Barker, Sutton) Attendance: 46
- **1-1** Old Bradwell United v Pitstone & Ivinghoe (D Smith) / (Murphy) Attendance: 63
- **2-1** The 61FC (Luton) v Tring Corinthians AFC (Polson, Opponent Own Goal) / (Nevin) Attendance: 12

**BERKS & BUCKS CHARLES TWELFTREES TROPHY Second Round** 

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Aston Clinton eased their way into the Third Round of the Berks & Bucks Charles Twelftrees Trophy win a comfortable 7-2 win at North Bucks & District League side Great Linford, their reward being a home tie with Hellenic League side FC Beaconsfield next week. Full result and goalscorers (where known) are listed below.

**2-7** Great Linford v Aston Clinton (Unknown) / (Banert [3], MacDonald [2], Collins, Williams) Attendance: Unknown

#### **COMMITTEE AWAYDAYS**

Bob Flight was at Winslow United and sends the following report:-

On a misty afternoon in Buckinghamshire, Winslow hosted near neighbours Ampthill Town and the watching crowd of over 120 witnessed an entertaining match. Ampthill were the better team in the first half with Winslow strangely subdued although they did have a couple of chances but wayward finishing failed to trouble the visitor's goal. The only goal of the half came from Ampthill on 30 minutes when a shot from Jamie Cerminara was only pushed out by the home keeper to Sam Holmes who scored from just 6 yards to put Ampthill in the lead. Indeed they could have scored again but their shot hit the Winslow post and bounced away to safety. Whatever was said to the Winslow players at half time saw an immediate improvement at the start of the second half and they equalised on 51 minutes. The goal had a touch of good fortune about it as the ball rebounded off a couple of defenders before falling nicely to Lewis Workman to score. The watching home crowd expected Winslow to go on and win the game, but this was a forlorn hope. Ampthill looked dangerous on the break and had two big chances to score but each time the player, who was clean through, shot straight at the Winslow keeper. However, the winning goal was not slow in coming and from another breakaway, a right wing cross found Sam Holmes who headed in his and Ampthill's second goal on 69 minutes. Despite increasing pressure on the visiting team, and a great save by the keeper from a free kick, Winslow were denied a second equalising goal. The final few minutes saw a flurry of yellow cards to both teams and Ampthill saw out the game to collect all three points. The win moves Ampthill into third place in the table whilst Winslow still reside in second spot with games in hand over leaders Stotfold who also won away at Bedford.



### Sin Bins

**Temporary Dismissals** - otherwise known as 'sin bins' - will become mandatory for matters of dissent across all of grassroots football from the 2019/20 season.



#### **HOW DO YOU FIND YOURSELF IN THE SIN BIN?**



Players will only go in to the sin bin for dissent cautions



For use of words or gestures questioning or undermining the ref's decisions



#### **EXAMPLES OF DISSENT**

- Shouting at the ref
- Questioning ref's ability
- Slamming the ball in to the ground
- Sarcastically clapping a decision

#### **DURATION OF A SIN BIN**



For matches of 90 minutes, players spend 10 minutes in the sin bin



For matches of all other lengths, players spend 8 minutes in the sin bin



If the sin bin period has not expired at the end of:

1st half: Continues into 2nd half 2nd half: Continues into extra time Extra time: Player can participate in penalties

### THE MATCH DAY PROCESS



If the player commits a 2nd dissent caution and has already been booked, they will take no further part in the game and can't be substituted If the player commits a 2nd dissent caution and no other offences, they will receive a 2nd sin bin. After which they can't take any further part in the game but can be substituted If the player commits a yellow card offence on the field of play in addition to a period in the sin bin, they will continue to play

Ref decides when player returns to play

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### 1st TEAM FIXTURES

Туре	Date / Time	Home Team	8		Away Team	Venue	Competition
PREM	<u>22/01/22</u> <u>15:00</u>	Leighton Town	VS	3	<u>Hadley</u>	Bell Close	Premier Division
PREM	<u>25/01/22</u> <u>19:4</u> 5	<u>Milton Keynes</u> <u>Irish</u>	VS	3	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>	The Irish Centre	Premier Division
PREM	<u>29/01/22</u> <u>15:00</u>	Baldock Town	VS	5	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>	New Lamb Meadow	Premier Division
PREM	05/02/22 15:00	<u>Leighton Town</u>	VS	3	Ardley United	Bell Close	Premier Division
PREM	<u>08/02/22</u> <u>19:45</u>	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	VS	3	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>	The Greenfleets Stadium	Premier Division
PREM	1 <u>9/02/22</u> 1 <u>5:00</u>	<u>Leighton Town</u>	VS	3	<u>Leverstock</u> <u>Green</u>	Bell Close	Premier Division
PREM	<u>26/02/22</u> <u>15:00</u>	Harpenden Town	VS	3	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>	Rothamsted Park	Premier Division
PREM	<u>05/03/22</u> <u>15:00</u>	<u>Leighton Town</u>	VS	3	Tring Athletic	Bell Close	Premier Division
PREM	12/03/22 15:00	London Colney	VS	3	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>	LONDON COLNEY FC	Premier Division
PREM	<u>19/03/22</u> <u>15:00</u>	Risborough Rangers	VS	3	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>	Windsors	Premier Division
PREM	<u>26/03/22</u> <u>15:00</u>	<u>Leighton Town</u>	VS	3	Oxhey Jets	Bell Close	Premier Division
PREM	<u>02/04/22</u> <u>15:00</u>	<u>Leighton Town</u>	VS	3	<u>Flackwell</u> <u>Heath</u>	Bell Close	Premier Division
PREM	16/04/22 15:00	Leighton Town	VS	3	Milton Keynes Irish		
PREM	<u>TBC</u>	Broadfields <u>United</u>	VS	3	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>		
PREM	3 <u>0/04/22</u> 15:00	<u>Hadley</u>	VS	3	<u>Leighton</u> <u>Town</u>	Brickfield Lane	Premier Division



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### The Under 18's were in for training.

They will be looking to kick on from a promising start in the New Year.





### **Full Results Table**

Type	Date / Time	Home Team		Away Team	Competition
COR	02/12/21 19:30	AFC Dunstable U18	0 - 2	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	Corinthian
COR	<u>25/11/21 19:45</u>	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	4 - 2	<u>Leverstock Green</u> <u>U18</u>	Corinthian
COR	15/11/21 19:45	Luton Town U18 Shadow (Cedars)	0 - 0	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	Corinthian
COR	04/11/21 19:45	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	1 - 2	<u>Dunstable Town</u> <u>U18</u>	Corinthian
COR	<u>28/10/21 19:30</u>	Kings Langley FC U18	3 - 2	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	Corinthian
<u>FAYC</u>	<u>21/10/21 19:45</u>	Bugbrooke St Michaels	4 - 1	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	FA Youth Cup 3rd Round Qualifying
FAYC	14/10/21 19:45	Bugbrooke St Michaels	Abandoned A - A	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	FA Youth Cup 3rd Round Qualifying
FAYC	3 <u>0/09/21 19:4</u> 5	Rothwell Corinthians	1 - 5	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	FA Youth Cup 2nd Round Qualifying
COR	23/09/21 19:45	Leverstock Green <u>U18</u>	0 - 10	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	Corinthian
<u>FAYC</u>	14/09/21 19:45	Leighton Town U18	2 - 1	AFC Dunstable U18	FA Youth Cup 1st Round Qualifying
COR	09/09/21 19:45	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	3 - 1	Luton Town U18 Shadow (Cedars)	Corinthian
FAYC	02/09/21 19:45	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	<b>5</b> - O	Corby Town	FA Youth Cup Preliminary Round

### Corinthian

POS	Team	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Kings Langley FC U18	9	9	О	О	24	27
2	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos FC U18	8	6	1	1	12	19
3	<u>Luton Town U18 Shadow (Cedars)</u>	8	4	2	2	3	14
4	Harpenden Town U18	9	4	2	3	6	14
5	<u>Leighton Town U18</u>	7	4	1	2	14	13
6	Berkhamsted FC U18	9	4	1	4	8	13
7	<u>Leverstock Green U18</u>	12	4	О	8	-17	12
8	AFC Dunstable U18	12	2	1	9	-18	7
9	<u>Dunstable Town U18</u>	10	1	0	9	-32	3



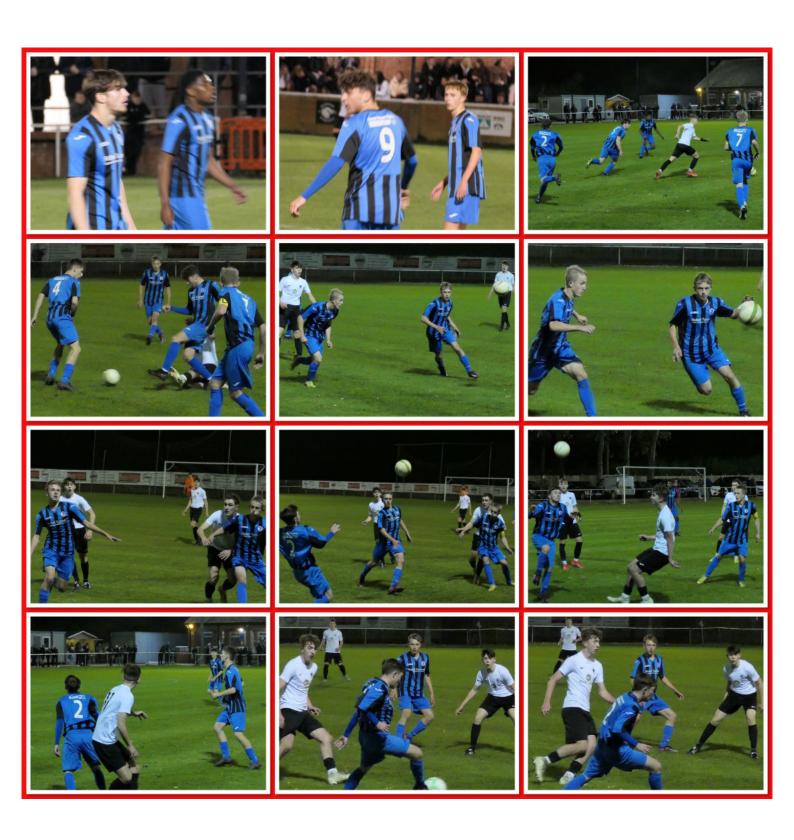
### **U18 FIXTURES**



Туре	Date / Time	Home Team		Away Team	Venue	Competition	
COR	<u>27/01/22</u> <u>19:4</u> 5	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	<u>vs</u>	<u>Harpenden Town U18</u>	Bell Close	Corinthian	
COR	<u>03/02/22</u> <u>19:4</u> 5	<u>Leighton Town</u> <u>U18</u>	<u>vs</u>	<u>Aylesbury Vale Dynamos</u> <u>FC U18</u>	Bell Close	Corinthian	
COR	08/02/22 19:45	Harpenden Town <u>U18</u>	<u>vs</u>	<u>Leighton Town U18</u>	Rothamsted Park	Corinthian	



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