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TUES SEPTEMBER 1ST 2020

KICK OFF : 7.45PM

VS COLNEY HEATH FC

**THE FA CUP EXTRA
PRELIMINARY ROUND**



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WELCOME



A very warm welcome to today's match officials, the players, committee & supporters of Colney Heath Football Club for today's FA Cup Match.

This will not only be our first ever fixture with Colney Heath, but also our first ever match in the FA Cup.

Today's game is a light respite to the plight everyone is enduring during the Covid-19 pandemic, which ended both teams' seasons early. Colney Heath and ourselves both leading our respective divisions in the Spartan League when our seasons were ended.

However our thoughts & prayers are uppermost for those who lost their lives.

New Salamis Committee

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Head of Youth : Peter Xiouri

First Team Management :

Manager : Gursel Gulfer

Assistants : Mickie Leslie & Andrew Kouroushi

Physio : Asshwin Giridran



Meet the Gaffer : Gus Gulfer

We asked our new manager Gus some questions on how he's first 2 months have gone.

1. How have you found your first 2 months at the helm of New Salamis ?

Gus : it was tough at first due to Covid and no dates of restart, but once we got the go ahead we have got stronger and stronger.

2. Have you been happy with pre-season ?

Gus : To be fair I am really happy five wins, a draw and a loss to Haringey is not to bad.

3. What are your goals for the season ?

Gus : My number one priority is promotion, thats the target, then a nice run in the FA Cup and FA Vase.

4. What does it mean to you to be back in the dugout ?

Gus : It means everything to me, I love my football and its where I want to be.



New Salamis Football Club History

New Salamis FC were formed in 1971 by fans of Cypriot club Nea Salamis Famagusta, with the Cypriot based club acting as a parent club to their fans in the UK. Playing in the KOPA (Cypriot Football League) a British League set-up for Cypriots in London, the club won countless honours and left the league in season 2017/18 as the leagues most successful team, winning 12 League Titles. The club also won a record 7 London County Cups.

In the 2015/16 season the club won the FA Sunday Cup, following a 1-1 draw with Barnes at Selhurst Park and winning on penalties. In 2016/17 the club lost to Hardwick Social Club on penalties again following a 1-1 draw, at Brammall Lane. Many of the players still play for the team today.

In 2018/19 we moved into the Herts County Senior League, playing our matches at Enfield Town FC. In our first season we won the prestigious Aubrey Cup Final, and also achieved promotion to the Spartan South Midlands League, after finishing runners up.

Season 2019/20 saw us participate in the Spartan South Midlands League Division One at Step 6, our ambition to achieve promotion to Step 5.

In March when the Covid-19 pandemic hit, we sat top of the Division certain of a top four finish and promotion. We also were the top scorers in all top 10 Divisions as the season was null and voided.

We embark on a new chapter this season 2020/21 with our first fixture in the FA Cup. Lets see what new history we can write.

CLUB HONOURS

HERTS SENIOR COUNTY PREMIER DIVISION

Runners Up 2018/19

HERTS SENIOR COUNTY AUBREY CUP

Winners 2018/19

FA SUNDAY NATIONAL CUP CHAMPIONS

2015-16

Runners-up

2016-17

KOPA LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION WINNERS (x 12)

**2017/18, 2016/17, 2015/16, 2014/15, 2012/13, 2011/12,
2010/11, 2008/9, 2000/2001, 1999//2000, 1993/94, 1984/85**

Runners-up

2009/10, 2001/02, 1998/99, 1995/96, 1991/92, 1988/89

KOPA LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP WINNERS

2017/18, 2016/17, 2013/14, 1995/96, 1994/95, 1987/88

Runners-up

2009/10, 2005/06, 2002/03, 1996/97, 1991/92, 1988/89

KOPA LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION CUP WINNERS

2017/18, 2016/17, 2013/14, 2005/06, 1995/96, 1994/95, 1987/88

Runners-up

2009/10, 2002/03, 1996/97, 1991/92, 1988/89

LONDON FA SUNDAY CHALLENGE CUP WINNERS (x 7)

**2017/18, 2016/17, 2014/15, 2013/14, 2010/11, 2009/10, 2007/8,
1981/32**

Runners-up

2005/06



TODAYS VISITORS

COLNEY HEATH FOOTBALL CLUB . . . A Brief History

The "Magpies" were founded in 1907 and played their early football in the Hatfield District League and, after the 1st World War, joined the Mid Herts League, where the 3rd team played until recently. Earlier records indicate the winning of a Harcourt Cup but it is believed that this was Junior football some 18 months earlier, 1905-6. Earlier matches were played on two grounds in Coursers Road (the Meadow and the Warren).

Success was a long time coming - 1935-36, and was disrupted by the 2nd World War. The golden era of football came from 1946 through to 1960 when the club won the Mid Herts Benevolent Shield twice, the Bingham Cox Cup, Division 1 and Premier Division titles.

In 1952 the switch was made from Fuzzen Field to the Recreation Ground and into the Herts County League. Division Two was won at the first attempt and success continued with two Playing Fields Cups, the Aubrey Cup twice, Division 1 and Premier titles. This culminated over the Easter weekend in 1960 with the Herts Intermediate Cup and Aubrey Cup double. The Reserve side also completed a double in 1958 winning both Cup and League.

In 1965-66, 1968-69 and 1975-76 saw relegations and a slip down to Division 3. Promotions in 1979-80, 1983-84 and 1985-86 saw a return to the Premier Division after a 20 year gap only to be relegated back immediately.

Odd trophies were picked up in the 60's 70's and 80's but these were pretty barren years on the field.

Off the field, however, the club fought for permission to use its old clubhouse. This was secured with leases still running today.

In August 1988 while modernising the building, the club burnt down. Without a clubhouse, the Magpies, playing from a Portacabin, regained entry to the Premier Division winning the Division 1 title.

A new clubhouse was built in 1989 and an extension added in 1993, along with post and rails. Floodlights were erected in February 2000.

The wish to play South Midlands football eluded the club with 3rd, 3rd, 4th, 4th finishes from 1994 - 1998, when second place would have been enough. Centenary Trophies back to back and another Aubrey Cup were won but the Herts County title only came in 1999/2000, when coming from 15 points behind in January to win by 10 points from rivals, Wormley.

The club's ambition was to gain Premier Division status and with it FA Cup entry. Finishes of 5th 3rd 5th 6th and 5th were not enough in the initial seasons, despite numerous semi-final appearances and consecutive Charity Cup successes in seasons (2001/2 and 2002/3) The South Midland Reserve Challenge trophy was collected in 2004/5. The First Division title eventually came in 2005/6. With this came the Premier Division and the FA Cup. We are now in our 14th season and steadily improving picking up the Premier Division Cup in 2010/11 with a 2-0 win.

against Leverstock Green. Our FA Vase run of 2013/14 saw us to a 3rd round replay which we followed up by being thrown out of the competition in 2014/15 which was a troubled season with many managerial changes. Our last few seasons have continued with changes for the better with Ryan 'Tomo' Thompson installing a togetherness across the club and an FA Cup run that may take some beating in future years and the little reward of second and third Charity Shield wins in 2017-18 and 2018-19. Our main aim is still promotion along with the continuing of ground improvements to the fore and the allure of Step 4 football. Turnstiles have been acquired and toilets within the ground are in readiness.

Last Seasons Spartan South Midlands League Table :

Premier Division

League Table						
POS		P	W	D	L	GD PTS
1	Colney Heath	30	22	2	6	40 68
2	Tring Athletic	31	20	2	9	46 62
3	Biggleswade United	31	18	5	8	25 59
4	Newport Pagnell Town	29	15	9	5	28 54
5	Oxhey Jets	29	14	8	7	8 50
6	Harpenden Town	29	15	4	10	10 49
7	Leighton Town	26	15	3	8	24 45 *
8	Crawley Green	32	11	11	10	10 44
9	Eynesbury Rovers	29	12	7	10	14 43
10	Edware Town	33	12	6	15	-13 42
11	Leverstock Green	28	12	2	14	-17 38
12	Baldock Town	29	11	3	15	-12 36
13	Potton United	28	10	5	13	-12 35
14	Dunstable Town	27	9	5	13	-12 32
15	Harefield United	27	8	7	12	-7 31
16	Arlesey Town	28	7	12	9	-4 30 *
17	Broadfields United	29	8	6	15	-27 30
18	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	26	8	5	13	-18 29
19	Wembley	29	6	9	14	-13 27
20	North Greenford United	24	5	4	15	-27 19
21	London Colney	28	3	5	20	-43 14

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Skipper's thoughts - Ryan Havel

It is a great honour for me to captain and play for New Salamis in their first ever FA cup game. I have been at the club for over 5 years now and it has been a great journey so far. This game signifies the progress of the club over the last couple of years.

This game is definitely one of the biggest games so far in the club's history as this is only the clubs 3rd season in Saturday football and the first time they have ever competed in the FA Cup.

I think Pre-Season has gone well. We have played a variety of clubs from steps above and below us but I think our level of performance has stayed pretty consistent throughout. We have been fortunate enough to retain the core group of players from last season and have also added some very good experienced players as well.

As we know unfortunately last season got cut short with us sitting on top of the league and looking good for promotion so our objectives for this season are very clear. As a team our main objective has to be promotion as winners of the league. Also, it would be great for the club to be able to have a cup run in both the FA Cup and FA Vase. Both of these things are easier said than done and I am under no illusion of how tough this season will be as other teams would have strengthened and will be more aware of us but I am certainly looking forward to the challenges ahead. This club has a rich history and tradition of winning trophies and playing a certain type of football and I'm hoping as a team we will be able to continue that success this year. Come on you Reds!

The Skipper



Player in Profile - Richard Georgiou

Last year saw us lose one of our talismen for a large part of the season. Club Legend Richard Georgiou and our leading goalscorer in Saturday football broke his leg in two places. We are happy to report he is back and has featured well in pre-season. Here's Bubsie's thoughts.

What a massive journey it's been for this football club. It's important to remember that we were a Sunday league team a few seasons ago and now we are playing in the FA cup. I'm proud to be playing for Salamina in such a Prestigious competition.

I've been at Salamina a long time and played in some big games for us. Two FA Sunday Cup Finals at Selhurst Park and Bramall Lane stand out, but this is right up there with them.

It's been a long road to recovery for me but I'm so happy to be back playing again. I've got minutes in the tank during pre-season and feeling stronger and fitter after every game.

I've had many great memories playing for Salamina but I would have to say playing at Selhurst Park in the FA Sunday cup final in front of so many people was amazing and winning the competition was the icing on the cake.

Promotion. I think everyone was so disappointed not to go up last season after being top of the league when the league was abandoned. It's really important that we achieve it this season. We have some really good players and plenty of winners in our side so hopefully we can get the job done this season.

TOTAL CLUB APPEARANCES & GOALS

SATURDAY FA NATIONAL GAME



Player	Appearances	Goals
Mehmet, Deniz	60	33
Hervel, Ryan	60	13
Georgiou, Harrison	50	34
Georgiou, Charlie	46	24
Anastasiou, Andy	45	1
Chambi, Andreas	44	
Lutaava, George	41	19
Smith, Robert	39	
Georgiou, Richard	39	51
White, Lee	37	3
Kvriacou, John	34	4
Durmin, Luke	29	3
Artimadies, Christian	29	3
Plowright, Xavier	24	2
Michael, Antonio	24	3
Kouroushi, Nicholas	24	3
Foster, Luke	24	1
Xiouri, Chris	22	4
Rose, Marcus	21	
Johnson, Sean	19	5
Anastasiou, Michael	18	3
Austin, Courtney	17	16
Marku, Henry	16	3
Mustali, Kevin	15	
Ouidi, Alla	14	
Grantham, Josh	14	4
Arthur, Chris	14	2
Portou, Kyri	13	9
Crowley, Charles	13	
Campbell, Tyler	13	7
Fenton, Dean	12	3
Becka, Johan	12	2
Mckenzie, Leon	11	12
Cekrezi, Amrildo	11	
Ovie, Rasheed	9	
Lowen, Phil	9	3
Krasniqi, Arti	9	6
Fisher, Leon	9	2
Rapai, Imti	8	4
Loizou, Andy	8	2
Price, Perry	7	
Cumanai, Andreas	7	1



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SEASON 2020-21



KEY : HOME FIXTURES **BOLD**, SSMFL (Spartan South Midlands Football League), FAC (FA CUP), FAV (FA VASE)

Date	Opposition	Comp	Result	Att	Goalscorers
01/09/2020	Colney Heath FC	FACFP			
12/09/2020	Possible FA CUP	FACFP			
19/01/2020	Shefford Town & Campton	SSMFL			
23/09/2020	London Lions	SSMFL			
26/09/2020	Ampthill Town	SSMFL			
03/10/2020	Winslow United	SSMFL			
10/10/2020	Comard United	FAV 2RQ			
12/10/2020	Stotfold	SSMFL			
17/10/2020	Milton Keynes Irish	SSMFL			
19/10/2020	Ampthill Town	SSMFL			
24/10/2020	Bedford	SSMFL			
31/10/2020	Rayners Lane	SSMFL			
07/11/2020	Hillingdon Borough	SSMFL			
10/11/2020	Enfield Borough	SSMFL			
14/11/2020	London Tigers	SSMFL			
21/11/2020	Milton Keynes Irish	SSMFL			
28/11/2020	Amersham Town	SSMFL			
05/12/2020	Bedford	SSMFL			
12/12/2020	Park View	SSMFL			
19/12/2020	Buckingham Athletic	SSMFL			
28/12/2020	St.Panteleimom	SSMFL			
02/01/2021	Langford	SSMFL			
09/01/2021	Park View	SSMFL			
16/01/2021	TBC	SSMFL			
23/01/2021	Shefford Town & Campton	SSMFL			
30/01/2021	London Lions	SSMFL			
06/02/2021	TBC	SSMFL			
13/02/2021	Langford	SSMFL			
20/02/2021	TBC	SSMFL			
27/02/2021	Stotfold	SSMFL			
06/03/2021	Amersham Town	SSMFL			
13/06/2021	Winslow United	SSMFL			
20/03/2021	Buckingham Athletic	SSMFL			
27/03/2021	London Tigers	SSMFL			
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10/04/2021	Hillingdon Borough	SSMFL			
17/04/2021	Enfield Borough	SSMFL			
24/04/2021	Rayners Lane	SSMFL			
01/05/2021	Reserved for Postponements	SSMFL			
03/05/2021	Reserved for Postponements	SSMFL			



TODAY'S OFFICIALS

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Asst : Mads Ydemark
Asst : Gheorghe Moraru

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NEXT HOME GAME

New Salamis v Sheford Town
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SSMFL Division One

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Saturday 12th September 2020

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