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Last Match:	Guernsey	A	Sat 15 Mar	4-0	ISTH SC
Next Match:	Hanworth Villa	A	Sat 29 Mar		ISTH SC



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Ascot United Chairman Simon Negus said "from a club point of view it's important to continue to have senior team sponsors who are heavily integrated into the club and that is certainly the case with Wayne and the ProRange Design team. We look forward to building this new partnership with them and helping them to meet their objectives".

Wayne McKnight, Director at ProRange Design commented: "We are excited to team up with Ascot United, our local football club. The club and its facilities aligns with our mission to elevate experiences at sports facilities and boost community pride. This partnership isn't just business—it's about making a lasting impact through sports and community.



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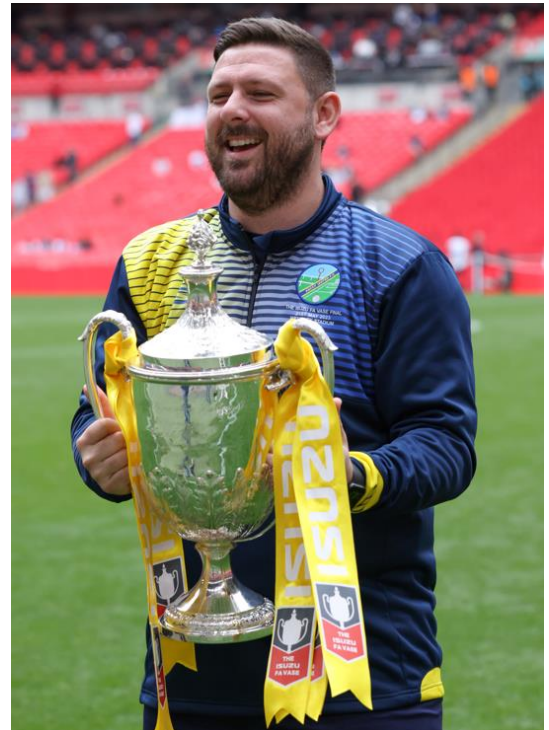
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IN THE CHAIR



**Simon Negus
Chairman**

A warm welcome to Farnham Town for today's Pitching In Isthmian League South Central Division fixture.



Welcome to the Racecourse and today's Isthmian League fixture - a special warm welcome to our visitors from Farnham.

Hopefully you all enjoy your visit today, with lots of hard work having gone into marking the combination of non-league day and St Paddy's Day - well done to Jo and the events team! If you enjoy the visit, please come back again and bring your friends - local non-league needs you!

Our visitors today are sitting well clear at the top of the league having acquired a very talented and experienced squad... I've openly said there is lots to admire about how they have engaged the local community in their "project" and created a new fanbase... not all clubs have the resources to do this and so need to get creative, but I do think all clubs at our level need to support each other rather than create barriers. We're all working hard (almost all volunteers in our case) with the resources we have, and so I believe all clubs should be working to support the local non-league community.

On the field, we remain in the playoff positions with just a few games to go... it's one game at a time I know for Jamie and the squad, but it's looking like it will go down to the wire and small margins will make the difference. That's where your support is invaluable... being the 12th man is a cliché, but undoubtedly having a large vocal support does make a difference. Let's make sure that's the case today and make the Racecourse noisier than it's been all season.

Enjoy the game and Up The Yellas! ~Simon

FROM THE DUGOUT



Jamie Tompkins
First Team Manager

**Welcome to the players, officials
and supporters of Farnham
Town. Enjoy the game!**



Good afternoon and welcome back to the Racecourse Ground for what promises to be an exciting and challenging fixture against Farnham Town. They have proven themselves the best side in the league this season, and we fully expect them to play like champions today. But as we've shown time and time again, we are more than capable of competing with anyone when we play with belief, courage and freedom.

Last weekend's performance against Guernsey epitomised exactly that. A 4-0 away win, full of energy, quality, and confidence - everything that has got us to this point. So why change now? With only a few games left in the season, our message is simple: keep doing what has made us successful. Stay positive, play without fear, and trust in each other.

A special thank you to the six supporters who made the journey to Guernsey to back the lads. Your dedication means a huge amount to all of us, and we hope we gave you a performance to be proud of. A big shoutout as well to Ricky, our brilliant club secretary, for handling all the logistics and even driving the mini-bus to Gatwick.

Finally, a massive thank you to our sponsors for their continued support. Your backing is always much appreciated.

Enjoy the game, get behind the lads, and let's keep pushing forward together! ~JT



Dean Greenwood
Assistant Manager



Ian Davies
Strength/Con. Coach



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Coach



Alex Sykes
Goalkeeping Coach



Nathan Riley
Physio

ON COURSE!

With Programme Editor Neal Jeffs

Welcome to the players, officials and supporters of Farnham Town for this Pitching In Isthmian League South Central Division match.



Good afternoon and welcome to The Racecourse for what looks set to be the biggest occasion here this season. It's nice that the powers that be gave us a home fixture against the league leaders on Non League Day! Credit to Farnham, they seem to be finding a way of winning which is kinda what we did at times when we won the Combined Counties League – I recall several late winners and turnarounds – and this is what makes a champion; never say die, and none more so that their midweek comeback from 2-0 down against Hayes and Yeading to nick all three points nine minutes into added time. During midweek I 'treated' myself to National League Football at Maidenhead United v Aldershot Town and it was £20 I will never get back – a dreadful spectacle – the hosts unable to register a shot on target until injury time in an inept display against a team not much better!!! I think I'll invest my money more wisely next time. Back to us, and last weekend's game at Guernsey was a fantastic day out. We won 2-1 and the yellow



BEN REACHES 50! Talismanic striker Ben Harris reached 50 appearances for Ascot in last weekend's win at Guernsey; celebrating it by scoring the opener. He has scored 18 times in that spell, but his overall presence is priceless.

He is a huge asset to the club, not just with his aerial presence but 100% commitment and when we fought back from 2-0 down to win at Westfield recently he was pivotal at both ends of the field. In the Women's section we have a league cup semi final here on Sunday as Andy Cox's side chase the double, but massive respect to Stu Connor whose Under 18's won the Women's Junior Premier League with victory over Aldershot last weekend. Many of his side already feature regularly in the senior side and to win a league that contains prestigious names such as Millwall and others with professional status is amazing. Finally, I want to reflect on the Guernsey trip – it was amazing day to fly in and out (and squeeze a 10k run in towards the sea front!) and then win 4-0 – but the home side despite their troubled campaign have some welcoming officials and supporters and when they move to their new ground next week they have already sold out the full 4000 capacity so I really hope they maintain their step four status. Enjoy the game today! ~Neal

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RESULTS AND FIXTURES

Date	Opposition	H/A	Comp	Result	Att	Scorers
03-Aug	Milton United	H	FAC XP	1-0	229	Igozouln
10-Aug	South Park (Reigate)	A	ISTH SC	2-2	114	Holland, Morgan
13-Aug	Kingstonian	H	ISTH SC	0-2	246	
17-Aug	Virginia Water	A	FAC P	1-2	205	Payne-James
24-Aug	Ashford Town (Middx)	A	FAT P	1-1 (4p3)	90	Morgan
26-Aug	Binfield	A	ISTH SC	3-1	310	Morgan 2, McCormack
31-Aug	Sutton Common Rovers	H	ISTH SC	2-1	149	Igozouln, Tack
06-Sep	Merstham	H	FAT 10	5-0	230	Igozouln 2, McCormack, Tack
14-Sep	Metropolitan Police	H	ISTH SC	3-0	227	Tack 2, Igozouln
17-Sep	Sutton Common Rovers	H	LC	2-1	80	Igozouln, Payne-James
21-Sep	Margate	H	FAT 20	1-0	152	Morgan
28-Sep	Raynes Park Vale	H	ISTH SC	2-3	189	Tack, Igozouln
01-Oct	Hartley Wintney	A	ISTH SC	2-5	166	Tack, McCormack
05-Oct	Folkestone Invicta	A	FAT 30	1-8	263	McCormack
08-Oct	Hayes & Yeading United	A	ISTH SC	2-2	171	Morgan, Grant
12-Oct	Moneyfields	H	ISTH SC	3-2	244	Holland 2, Grant
19-Oct	Uxbridge	A	ISTH SC	0-3	147	
22-Oct	Horndean	A	ISTH SC	3-2	134	Holland, Igozouln, Jones
26-Oct	Leatherhead	H	ISTH SC	1-1	324	Simmo
29-Oct	Chatham Town	H	LC	0-1	101	
02-Nov	Southall	A	ISTH SC	1-2	128	Morgan
05-Nov	Hartley Wintney	H	ISTH SC	3-0	173	Igozouln 2, Grant
09-Nov	Metropolitan Police	A	ISTH SC	1-0	84	Igozouln
16-Nov	Hayes & Yeading United	H	ISTH SC	2-1	283	McCormack, Harris
19-Nov	Milton United	H	BB 3	2-1	111	Gater, McCormack
23-Nov	Raynes Park Vale	A	ISTH SC	2-1	156	Harris, Morgan
30-Nov	Rayners Lane	H	ISTH SC	3-1	154	Simmo, Igozouln, Holland
07-Dec	Harrow Borough	A	ISTH SC	3-0	141	Grant, Holland, Simmo
14-Dec	Guernsey	H	ISTH SC	3-3	284	Harris 2, Simmo
21-Dec	Farnham Town	A	ISTH SC	1-1	806	Igozouln
26-Dec	Badshot Lea	A	ISTH SC	4-0	167	Harris, Payne-James, Harry, Lock
28-Dec	South Park (Reigate)	H	ISTH SC	1-0	216	Harris
01-Jan	Binfield	H	ISTH SC	1-0	314	Harris
11-Jan	Ashford Town (Middx)	A	ISTH SC	2-1	156	Harry, Fraser
14-Jan	Hungerford Town	H	BB 4	2-3	86	Igozouln, Simmo
18-Jan	Hanworth Villa	H	ISTH SC	0-1	219	
25-Jan	Rayners Lane	A	ISTH SC	3-2	87	Igozouln, Simmo, Harry
01-Feb	Harrow Borough	H	ISTH SC	2-0	229	Dzimba, Holland
08-Feb	Horndean	H	ISTH SC	3-4	192	Dzimba, Igozouln, O.G.
15-Feb	Moneyfields	A	ISTH SC	1-1	156	Igozouln
22-Feb	Uxbridge	H	ISTH SC	0-0	289	
25-Feb	Westfield	A	ISTH SC	3-2	127	Harry, Harris, O.G.
01-Mar	Leatherhead	A	ISTH SC	0-3	447	
08-Mar	Southall	H	ISTH SC	1-1	221	Rogers
15-Mar	Guernsey	A	ISTH SC	4-0	581	Igozouln (2), Harris, Lock
22-Mar	Farnham Town	H	ISTH SC			
29-Mar	Hanworth Villa	A	ISTH SC			
05-Apr	Ashford Town (Middx)	H	ISTH SC			
12-Apr	Westfield	H	ISTH SC			
19-Apr	Sutton Common Rovers	A	ISTH SC			
21-Apr	Badshot Lea	H	ISTH SC			
26-Apr	Kingstonian	A	ISTH SC			



ISTH SC - Pitching In Isthmian League South Central, FAT - Isuzu FA Trophy, FAC - The Emirates FA Cup, BB - Berks&Bucks Cup, LC - Velocity League Trophy



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IT'S approaching 15 years since the birth of Non-League Day. Inspired by a pre-season trip to Devon to watch Queens Park Rangers play at Tavistock, visionary James Doe set it up initially as a social experiment and the rest, as they say, is history.

Now, Non-League Day, scheduled to coincide with an international break, has now grown to become an annual part of the football calendar, backed by Premier League and Football League clubs, MPs, celebrities, media organisations, charities and the like. But most importantly, it's been embraced by the clubs and fans themselves with the occasion providing a platform for clubs to showcase affordable volunteer-led community football, while offering supporters of Premier League or Championship clubs the chance to get their football fix by supporting their local side.

This week in The NLP, columnist Gregor Robertson told how amid plans of new £2bn super stadiums and ever-increasing ticket prices at the top level, the fans are feeling disillusioned and exploited as the elite game changes beyond recognition. "These fans feel their game is being taken away from them," Gregor said. "Profit has become a greater incentive than sporting adventure. "Football in this country has never been so popular. Crowds in England are at their highest for half a century. That's just as true in Non-League football. "But I can't help feeling that elite football on these shores is being ripped away from the places and communities where it was founded."

"So as we approach the 16th annual Non-League Day, a platform conceived to promote the value of community football, a prediction: the trickle of marginalised Premier League fans we've seen converge at local Non-League games? That's only the beginning. "Don't be surprised to bump into more of these fans at your local club, this weekend and beyond."

Indeed, it may well be that some of those disillusioned and exploited supporters of Premier League clubs are reading this very article right now, stood on the terraces of their local club experiencing life on 'the other side'. The 3pm kick-offs, realistic ticket prices, the ability to stand (and enjoy a pint) anywhere in the ground and guaranteed a warm welcome by volunteers who run their clubs for a love of the game. What's not to like?

As the years go by, Non-League Day becomes increasingly prominent in the calendar with clubs making the most of their place in the spotlight by putting on a host of special events, ticket promotions and charitable initiatives.

Clubs like Ascot United, who are hosting a St Patrick's Day special when they host Isthmian South Central leaders Farnham Town. Fans wearing Irish fancy dress will get half-price admission, while the bar is open late for 30 per cent off a pint of Guinness.

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Elsewhere, Altrincham are urging fans to Paint The Town Red for Non-League Day when they host National League leaders Barnet. Starting at 12.30pm ahead of their televised 5.30pm kick-off, the Robins are putting on a number of shows and activities including a children's penalty shootout, a children's entertainer and football freestyler Jay Rosa, along with various stalls and a raffle for an Athletic Bilbao shirt, in aid of Prostate Cancer UK.

The Premier League trophy is also getting in on the act, visiting no fewer than three Essex Senior League grounds for the league groundhop, appearing at Benfleet FC (12pm), Buckhurst Hill (3pm) and then Takeley (7.45pm).

Abingdon United are hosting a Retro Shirt Day for their visit of Bewdley Town with anyone wearing a pre-2012 shirt getting half-price entry, while live music from Jason Rampling and a performance by The Twilight Twirlers precedes AFC Sudbury's visit of Redditch United.

Three Bridges are using the event to formally open their new 3G pitch, while Harwich & Parkeston will be continuing their 150th anniversary celebrations with a historic town visit, followed by a tour of the club's Royal Oak ground.

Charities too will be supported with Prostate Cancer UK the chosen beneficiary of a number of clubs on the day, while Non-League Day's extra mission this year focuses on encouraging people to give blood, led by former Non-League stalwart Francis Duku, the former Dulwich Hamlet, Ebbsfleet, Bromley and Lewes defender.

And this year, Non-League Day have joined forces with the Seventy7 Group in providing a fully managed social media campaign, creative assets, and advertising support to boost awareness and attendances on the day. The Seventy7 Group are encouraging attendees to share their Non-League Day experience on Instagram for a chance to win £150 worth of football prizes. Simply upload a photo of your NLD experience on Instagram, use the hashtag #NLD2025 and follow @nonleagueday_uk with a £50 voucher for mystery football kits and £100 to spend with their local club.

With so much going on up and down the country, it promises to be another Non-League Day to remember. It's a time to embrace semi-professional and grassroots football and of course the volunteers who work tirelessly behind the scenes to keep your local club at the heart of the community. Now that's got to be worth celebrating ~Jon Couch.

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MATCH REPORT ROUNDUP

YELLAMEN ROMP TO GUERNSEY WIN

Lock stars in 4-0 away victory

**Saturday 15th March 2025, Pitching In Isthmian League South Central Division,
Guernsey 0 - 4 Ascot United**



George Lock starred as Ascot United reinvigorated their play-off hopes by cruising to a 4-0 victory at Guernsey on Saturday. The Yellamen, who had stuttered recently, put in a performance oozing confidence and had effectively put the game to bed before half time, at which point they led 3-0.

Emotional day for relegation-haunted hosts

The home side were playing their last-ever home game at their Footes Lane Ground – Victoria Park awaits their next chapter when they relocate – and they paid tribute to recently deceased former mainland physio Robin Bishop ahead of kick off; a minute's applause impeccable in his name. The Yellamen's trip had begun from their own stadium before 6am, and they welcomed both Lock and Nathan Jones back into their starting line-up, the latter having tactically sat out last weekend's draw with a perilously high caution count; partly reset during midweek.

Yellamen dominant in first half

Manager Jamie Tompkins had spoken of being positive in his pre-match team-talk, and with the wind at their backs, Ascot were totally dominant in a one-sided first half. Lock and Ben Harris both impressed, and the latter missed a decent opportunity at the far post in the 14th minute. But, barely a minute later, Lock escaped down the right and hooked a cross to the left flank, which bounced up for Harris to get over the top of and volley home to give his side the lead. Harris then turned provider in the 20th minute – although inadvertently – when his direct free kick awarded after Lock had been fouled fell to Anas Igozouln, who drove the ball into the bottom right. Guernsey were desperately poor and only had Sam Murray's glancing header – which went wide – to show for their meagre efforts. And, The Yellamen would make it three-nil just before the half hour mark with Harris involved again. This time, he typified his own hard-press mentality by winning possession in a dangerous position, found Igozouln, and he took a touch before slotting home. Harris was booked in the dying stages of the half for an untidy challenge, and after an earlier heavy tackle he knew he would be on his final warning as the sides came out for the second period, and was duly replaced.

Second half – can Lions roar with the wind?

The answer was no. Now kicking into a strong wind, the visitors showed their intent with a positive start where half-time substitute Brandon Curtis saw an early effort deflect wide. In reality, it was all about game management – not that Lock wanted to sit back – as he nicked in between 'keeper and defence five minutes after the restart to tickle the ball home for number four; the assistant deeming the ball had crossed the line. Tompkins was able to give all his substitutes wealthy minutes, and one of them – Harvey Harry – almost capped a weaving run in added time only to be denied by home 'keeper Josh Addison. The home side's only chance came earlier when Finn Du Port's curling effort was gathered at the second attempt by an otherwise untroubled Mark Scott. Tougher tests lie ahead for Ascot in the coming fortnight, but this was a positive step for both them and their seven travelling supporters, who celebrated their side's performance from the upper left tier of the soon-to-be-vacated Footes Lane.

Ascot United: Scott, Lock, Goulter, Jones (Payne-James 75'), Fraser, Edwards, Grant (Simmo 68'), Harris (Curtis 46), Igozouln (Butler 75'), Holland (Harry 68'), Rogers. Entertainment: 3 / Reporter's Star Man: George Lock (Ascot United) / Away fans: 7

PHOTOZONE



Photos from the draw with Southall two weeks ago. **Clockwise from top left:** Louis Rogers scores a late equaliser, Khalid Simmo slaloms his way through Southall, Anas Igozouln runs with the ball, Josh Edwards in possession, Harry Grant scraps for the ball on the left wing.

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Management: Andy Cox / Will Blithing

Next game: Portchester (H), Sunday 23rd March, League Cup Semi Final

01-Sep	Woodley United (H)	SRWFL	W 11-0
08-Sep	AFC Portchester (A)	SRWFL	W 5-1
15-Sep	Wycombe Wanderers (A)	SRWFL	D 2-2
22-Sep	Denham United (H)	FAC 2Q	W 5-0
29-Sep	Badshot Lea (H)	SRWFL	W 1-0
06-Oct	Oxford City (H)	SRWFL	W 4-1
13-Oct	Woodley United (H)	FAC 3Q	W 8-2
27-Oct	Winchester City (A)	SRWFL	W 4-0
03-Nov	Brentford (A)	FAC 1R	L 2-4
10-Nov	Woodley United (H)	LC	W 4-1
17-Nov	Newport Pagnell (H)	BB Cup	L 0-1
24-Nov	Sholing (A)	SRWFL	W 4-0
01-Dec	Reading CT (A)	SRWFL	W 3-1
15-Dec	Selsey (A)	SRWFL	W 4-0
05-Jan	Reading CT (H)	SRWFL	W 6-0
12-Jan	Wycombe Wanderers (H)	SRWFL	W 2-1
28-Jan	Actonians	COCO	L 1-2
02-Feb	Oxford City (A)	SRWFL	W 3-1
23-Feb	Havant/Waterlooville (H)	LC QF	W 6-0
09-Mar	Sholing (H)	SRWFL	W 4-0
16-Mar	Badshot Lea (A)	SRWFL	W 1-0
23-Mar	AFC Portchester (H)	LC SF	
30-Mar	Woodley United (A)	SRWFL	
06-Apr	Selsey (H)	SRWFL	
20-Apr	AFC Portchester (H)	SRWFL	
TBC	Winchester City (H)	SRWFL	

SRWFL - Southern Region Womens Football League, LC - League Cup, BB Cup - Berks and Bucks County Cup, COCO - Combined Counties League Cup, FAC - Adobe Womens FA Cup

SRWFL PREMIER

		P	GD	PTS
1	Ascot United	14	48	40
2	Wycombe Wdrs	14	34	32
3	Oxford City	15	17	29
4	AFC Portchester	13	20	28
5	Woodley Utd	15	-15	24
6	Winchester CF	13	11	22
7	Sholing	15	-4	20
8	Reading CT	13	-35	9
9	Badshot Lea	16	-39	3
10	Selsey	16	-37	2



ASCOT UNITED WOMEN

ASCOT LABOUR TO BADSHOT LEA WIN

Yellawomen edge out strugglers 1-0 / Sunday 16th March 2025



“It’s the result that counts” is the old adage as Ascot United Women laboured to three points on the road at winless Badshot Lea Women on Sunday afternoon. In a desperately poor spectacle, Kate Fox’s first half strike was enough for Andy Cox’s men to repeat the scoreline from the reverse fixture, which was also a dour affair.

Chance to move eight points clear at the top

With second-placed Wycombe Wanderers not in action, a win would take Ascot eight points clear at the top of the table with four games remaining. Manager Andy Cox made three changes to the side which beat Sholing a week earlier; Sophie Allen back between the sticks, Jess Drage handed a start and Leah Robertson all in, with Jodie Gray-Piazza, Ella Rowntree and Liv Glover making way - the latter a late change due to a glute injury.

Yellawomen toil on difficult surface

The Baggies’ dustbowl of a pitch made for a disjointed affair with the ball hobbling and bouncing, and it took the visitors 15 minutes to carve out a meaningful chance when Drage’s goal-bound header from Fox’s corner cannoned back off a defender. Beth Lloyd then drilled over from a tight angle after Alix Todd had picked her out at the far post and Fox repeated the feat from an almost identical position soon afterwards, but the home side held on. And, they were not without chances of their own as Deanna Taylor’s header from Eleanor Chambers’ 35th minute corner looped over before Allen produced an excellent save to tip Holly Montgomery’s booming free kick over the bar four minutes before the break.

But, in between those chances, Ascot carved out what would be a slender half time lead in a moment of quality. Lloyd picked the ball up near the edge of the area and showed great vision to carve open the hosts’ defence with a diagonal ball, and Fox nipped onto it before side footing across home ‘keeper Christina Binyon and into the bottom right.

Poor second half for paltry crowd

Despite the sunshine, the match attracted a meagre attendance of around 25, although to their credit the travelling fans did outnumber their hosts’ support. The only two chances of a dour period came within a minute of each other midway through the half when Bella Cox’s delivery ended with Fox taking aim only to see her effect deflect over for a corner, before Leah Littlechild took aim from distance which faded high and wide of the left hand upright. There was little else of note, although when Kezia Banduka came off the bench, she joined compatriots Erin Huntley and Fox on the pitch; the trio had helped lead Stuart Connor’s U18’s to the Women’s Junior Premier League title just over 24 hours earlier.

And on that high note, we’ll leave it there.

FIXTURES

Friday 21st March 2025

Binfield	v	Ashford Town (Middx)
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Saturday 22nd March 2025

Ascot United	v	Farnham Town
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Badshot Lea	v	Leatherhead
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Hartley Wintney	v	Raynes Park Vale
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Hayes & Yeading United	v	Metropolitan Police
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Kingstonian	v	Hanworth Villa
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South Park (Reigate)	v	Guernsey
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Southall	v	Horndean
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Sutton Common Rovers	v	Moneyfields
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Uxbridge	v	Rayners Lane
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Westfield	v	Harrow Borough
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Tuesday 25th March 2025

Farnham Town	v	Rayners Lane
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Hanworth Villa	v	Hartley Wintney
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Leatherhead	v	Uxbridge
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Raynes Park Vale	v	Kingstonian
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Westfield	v	Binfield
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ISTHMIAN LEAGUE CONSTITUTION 24/25

The 24/25 campaign sees the constitution increase from 21 to 22 teams. We said goodbye to 6 teams: Chertsey Town and Marlow (promoted), whereas Chipstead and Corinthian Casuals were relegated to Step 5. Thatcham Town and Northwood laterally moved into the Southern League (South and Central sections respectively).

Step 4 – Isthmian League – South Central

- 1 Ascot United
- 2 Ashford Town (Middx)
- 3 Badshot Lea
- 4 Binfield
- 5 Farnham Town
- 6 Guernsey
- 7 Hanworth Villa
- 8 Harrow Borough
- 9 Hartley Wintney
- 10 Hayes & Yeading United
- 11 Horndean
- 12 Kingstonian
- 13 Leatherhead
- 14 Metropolitan Police
- 15 Moneyfields
- 16 Rayners Lane
- 17 Raynes Park Vale
- 18 South Park (Reigate)
- 19 Southall
- 20 Sutton Common Rovers
- 21 Uxbridge
- 22 Westfield

The incoming 7 teams are highlighted in the table; Farnham, Moneyfields and Rayners Lane were all promoted from Step 5, Horndean laterally moved in from the Isthmian League South East, whilst Harrow Borough, Hayes & Yeading and Kingstonian were relegated from the Step 3 Isthmian Premier Division.

LEAGUE TABLES

Pitching In Isthmian League South Central Division

		Home				Away				Total				F	A	+/-	Pts
		P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L				
	1 Farnham Town	17	12	4	1	17	14	2	1	34	26	6	2	97	28	+69	84
	2 Kingstonian	17	11	2	4	17	10	4	3	34	21	6	7	74	43	+31	69
	3 Uxbridge	17	11	3	3	17	9	3	5	34	20	6	8	69	48	+21	66
	4 Ascot United	17	9	4	4	18	10	4	4	35	19	8	8	67	48	+19	65
	5 Hanworth Villa	17	10	3	4	17	9	2	6	34	19	5	10	55	43	+12	62
	6 Hartley Wintney	18	11	1	6	16	8	2	6	34	19	3	12	64	42	+22	60
	7 Hayes & Yeading United	17	9	5	3	18	7	7	4	35	16	12	7	64	45	+19	60
	8 Leatherhead	17	12	0	5	17	4	9	4	34	16	9	9	64	41	+23	57
	9 Raynes Park Vale	16	7	3	6	17	9	4	4	33	16	7	10	69	50	+19	55
	10 Moneyfields	18	11	3	4	17	5	4	8	35	16	7	12	71	60	+11	55
	11 Westfield	16	7	5	4	18	6	3	9	34	13	8	13	53	59	-6	47
	12 Harrow Borough	18	9	4	5	17	4	3	10	35	13	7	15	52	54	-2	46
	13 Rayners Lane	18	9	3	6	15	3	6	6	33	12	9	12	68	63	+5	45
	14 Southall	18	7	4	7	17	4	4	9	35	11	8	16	49	58	-9	41
	15 Horndean	18	6	6	6	17	4	3	10	35	10	9	16	51	76	-25	39
	16 Binfield	16	5	5	6	17	6	1	10	33	11	6	16	44	69	-25	39
	17 Metropolitan Police	18	6	5	7	17	4	2	11	35	10	7	18	43	62	-19	37
	18 South Park (Reigate)	17	5	6	6	18	2	3	13	35	7	9	19	37	63	-26	30
	19 Guernsey	18	5	3	10	16	2	4	10	34	7	7	20	49	87	-38	28
	20 Ashford Town (Middx)	16	4	3	9	19	3	3	13	35	7	6	22	49	75	-26	27
	21 Sutton Common Rovers	17	3	3	11	18	4	1	13	35	7	4	24	39	70	-31	25
	22 Badshot Lea	17	2	4	11	18	1	5	12	35	3	9	23	42	86	-44	18

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Non League Pyramid (Extract) / Competition Eligibility

Step 1	National League	Isuzu FA Trophy
Step 2	National League South	Isuzu FA Trophy
Step 3	Isthmian League Premier	Isuzu FA Trophy
Step 4	Isthmian League South Central	Isuzu FA Trophy
Step 5	Combined Counties League Premier North/South	Isuzu FA Vase





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Last 6 Matches							P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
 1 Farnham Town	D 0-0 v HORN..	D 1-1 v HANW..	W 2-1 v UXBR..	W 7-0 v GUER..	W 1-0 v SOUT..	W 3-2 v HAYE..	6	4	2	0	14	4	+10	14
 2 Uxbridge	W 4-0 v METR..	D 0-0 v ASCO..	W 2-1 v SOUT..	L 2-1 v FARN..	W 3-2 v HAYE..	W 3-2 v HORN..	6	4	1	1	13	7	+6	13
 3 Hanworth Villa	W 1-0 v SUTT..	D 1-1 v FARN..	W 2-0 v RAYN..	W 2-0 v BADS..	W 3-2 v SOUT..	L 1-0 v LEAT..	6	4	1	1	9	4	+5	13
 4 Leatherhead	L 2-1 v FARN..	W 3-0 v ASCO..	W 1-0 v GUER..	D 1-1 v RAYN..	W 1-0 v SUTT..	W 1-0 v HANW..	6	4	1	1	8	3	+5	13
 5 Rayners Lane	L 5-3 v LEAT..	W 5-1 v GUER..	W 5-1 v HORN..	W 4-2 v ASHF..	L 2-0 v HANW..	W 5-2 v BINF..	6	4	0	2	22	13	+9	12
 6 Moneyfields	D 1-1 v FARN..	D 1-1 v ASCO..	L 4-2 v HAYE..	W 3-2 v HARR..	W 2-1 v BADS..	W 3-0 v HART..	6	3	2	1	12	9	+3	11
 7 Hayes & Yeading Unit...	W 1-0 v HART..	D 2-2 v RAYN..	W 1-0 v GUER..	L 3-2 v UXBR..	W 4-1 v ASHF..	L 3-2 v FARN..	6	3	1	2	12	9	+3	10
 8 Metropolitan Police	L 4-0 v UXBR..	D 1-1 v BADS..	W 3-2 v ASHF..	L 2-0 v GUER..	W 3-0 v HORN..	W 1-0 v KING..	6	3	1	2	8	9	-1	10
 9 Ascot United	D 1-1 v MONE..	D 0-0 v UXBR..	W 3-2 v WEST..	L 3-0 v LEAT..	D 1-1 v SOUT..	W 4-0 v GUER..	6	2	3	1	9	7	+2	9
 10 Raynes Park Vale	W 4-1 v SOUT..	L 2-1 v BINF..	D 2-2 v HAYE..	D 1-1 v LEAT..	L 3-1 v ASHF..	W 3-1 v WEST..	6	2	2	2	12	10	+2	8
 11 Southall	W 2-0 v SOUT..	W 1-0 v BADS..	D 1-1 v HORN..	D 1-1 v ASCO..	L 2-0 v KING..	L 3-2 v HANW..	6	2	2	2	7	7	0	8
 12 Kingstonian	L 5-1 v WEST..	D 2-2 v BADS..	D 0-0 v HARR..	W 2-0 v SOUT..	L 1-0 v METR..	W 3-1 v GUER..	6	2	2	2	8	9	-1	8
 13 Binfield	D 1-1 v BADS..	W 2-0 v HART..	W 2-1 v RAYN..	D 3-3 v SOUT..	L 4-0 v HART..	L 5-2 v RAYN..	6	2	2	2	10	14	-4	8
 14 Westfield	D 2-2 v METR..	L 2-0 v HANW..	L 3-2 v ASCO..	W 5-1 v KING..	W 1-0 v HART..	L 3-1 v RAYN..	6	2	1	3	11	11	0	7
 15 Hartley Wintney	L 2-0 v BINF..	L 1-0 v HAYE..	L 1-0 v WEST..	W 4-0 v BINF..	L 3-0 v MONE..	W 1-0 v BADS..	6	2	0	4	5	7	-2	6
 16 Ashford Town (Middx)	L 2-0 v SOUT..	L 3-2 v METR..	L 4-2 v RAYN..	W 1-0 v SUTT..	W 3-1 v RAYN..	L 4-1 v HAYE..	6	2	0	4	9	14	-5	6
 17 South Park (Reigate)	W 2-0 v ASHF..	L 2-0 v SOUT..	L 2-1 v UXBR..	D 3-3 v BINF..	L 1-0 v FARN..	D 1-1 v HARR..	6	1	2	3	7	9	-2	5
 18 Badshot Lea	L 1-0 v SOUT..	D 2-2 v KING..	L 2-1 v MONE..	L 2-0 v HANW..	W 2-1 v HARR..	L 1-0 v HART..	6	1	1	4	5	9	-4	4
 19 Sutton Common Rov...	L 4-1 v HART..	L 5-1 v KING..	L 1-0 v HANW..	L 1-0 v ASHF..	W 2-0 v HORN..	L 1-0 v LEAT..	6	1	0	5	4	12	-8	3
 20 Guernsey	W 2-0 v METR..	L 1-0 v LEAT..	L 1-0 v HAYE..	L 7-0 v FARN..	L 4-0 v ASCO..	L 3-1 v KING..	6	1	0	5	3	16	-13	3
 21 Harrow Borough	L 3-0 v LEAT..	L 3-1 v HANW..	L 3-2 v MONE..	D 0-0 v KING..	L 2-1 v BADS..	D 1-1 v SOUT..	6	0	2	4	5	12	-7	2
 22 Horndean	L 5-1 v RAYN..	D 0-0 v FARN..	D 1-1 v SOUT..	L 3-0 v METR..	L 2-0 v SUTT..	L 3-2 v UXBR..	6	0	2	4	4	14	-10	2

	ASC	ASH	BAD	BIN	FAR	GUE	HAN	HAR	HAR	HAY	HOR	KIN	LEA	MET	MON	RAY	RAY	SOU	SOU	SUT	UXB	WES
ASC		5/4	21/4	1-0	22/3	3-3	0-1	2-0	3-0	2-1	3-4	0-2	1-1	3-0	3-2	3-1	2-3	1-0	1-1	2-1	0-0	12/4
ASH	1-2		29/3	3-1	0-2	5-0	2-2	3-0	19/4	1-4	0-1	7-4	2-2	1-2	12/4	2-4	0-5	0-2	26/4	1-1	1-2	21/4
BAD	0-4	6-3		0-2	1-5	5/4	0-2	2-3	0-1	19/4	1-2	2-2	22/3	1-1	1-2	1-1	26/4	0-0	1-3	0-3	0-4	2-1
BIN	1-3	21/3	1-1		26/4	19/4	2-2	4-3	0-4	0-1	0-4	0-0	2-2	1-0	5/4	1/4	2-1	2-0	0-1	2-0	0-0	0-1
FAR	1-1	2-1	2-1	7-0		7-0	0-1	4-0	21/4	3-2	2-2	12/4	2-1	2-1	1-1	25/3	2-1	1-0	1-1	29/3	2-1	2-0
GUE	0-4	1-0	2-2	1-2	3-6		2-1	0-3	0-2	1-2	2-2	21/4	0-3	2-0	4-5	1-5	1-2	3-0	13/4	4-3	2-2	29/3
HAN	29/3	4-1	3-1	2-0	1-1	1-0		5-3	25/3	2-0	26/4	1-3	0-1	0-3	1-1	0-1	1-1	2-1	3-2	1-0	19/4	2-0
HAR	0-3	1-0	1-2	4-1	0-1	26/4	1-3		29/3	0-0	3-2	0-0	2-2	19/4	2-1	2-0	0-1	1-1	4-1	3-1	3-0	1-0
HAR	5-2	0-1	3-0	0-2	1-3	2-1	5/4	0-0		0-1	2-1	0-2	26/4	3-2	4-0	1-0	22/3	5-0	2-0	2-1	5-1	1-2
HAY	2-2	2-1	1-1	12/4	5/4	1-0	1-2	21/4	3-2		4-0	1-2	2-2	22/3	4-2	1-1	4-1	2-1	2-1	1-0	2-3	1-1
HOR	2-3	0-0	4-3	1-4	0-0	2-3	2-0	1-0	12/4	1-1		1-1	1-1	1-0	21/4	4-2	1-2	29/3	1-1	0-2	2-3	3-1
KIN	26/4	1-0	5-3	7-1	0-4	3-1	22/3	1-0	2-1	1-1	19/4		1-1	5-1	1-0	5/4	2-4	0-1	2-0	3-0	3-0	1-5
LEA	3-0	4-0	3-2	21/4	4-1	1-0	12/4	3-0	2-3	0-1	2-1	29/3		3-2	0-1	6-1	0-1	2-1	2-1	1-0	25/3	1-2
MET	0-1	3-2	12/4	29/3	0-3	3-3	21/4	1-4	1-1	4-2	3-0	1-0	0-2		0-1	1-1	0-0	2-1	2-1	1-3	0-2	2-2
MON	1-1	5-1	2-2	5-0	0-5	4-1	2-3	3-2	3-0	2-2	4-1	1-3	2-1	1-4		26/4	19/4	2-0	29/3	4-3	2-0	2-0
RAY	2-3	2-1	2-2	5-2	1-6	3-2	0-2	3-1	3-0	29/3	5-1	1-2	3-5	1-0	2-2		5-0	12/4	1-1	21/4	1-2	4-1
RAY	1-2	1-3	5-1	2-4	1-2	1/4	3-0	12/4	2-3	2-2	4-0	25/3	1-1	3-0	2-2	2-1		21/4	4-1	1-2	29/3	3-1
SOU	2-2	3-0	2-1	3-3	1-6	22/3	1-0	5/4	1-2	26/4	2-2	1-2	19/4	1-1	2-1	3-3	0-3		0-2	3-2	0-2	1-1
SOU	2-1	1-1	1-0	2-1	1-5	1-1	5-1	1-3	1-1	0-4	22/3	1-2	1-1	1-2	0-3	19/4	5/4	3-1		4-2	0-1	2-1
SUT	19/4	0-1	3-0	1-3	0-1	2-2	0-2	1-1	1-4	1-3	5/4	1-5	1-0	26/4	22/3	1-1	1-3	1-0	0-5		0-3	0-1
UXB	3-0	2-1	4-0	2-1	0-5	4-1	2-1	1-1	0-4	2-2	8-0	2-1	5/4	4-0	2-1	22/3	2-2	2-1	21/4	12/4		3-4
WES	2-3	3-3	3-2	25/3	19/4	1-2	1-3	22/3	1-0	1-1	4-1	0-5	3-1	5/4	2-1	2-2	2-2	1-1	1-0	2-1	26/4	

APPEARANCES AND GOALS

	Season 2024/25		All-time	
	App	Goals	App	Goals
M Scott	44	-	58	-
S Hayes	1	-	5	-
S Swyer	1	-	1	-
A Payne-James	42	3	42	3
A Grant	1	-	44	7
A Igozouln	39	19	39	19
B Harris	34	10	50	18
B Van Aurich	1	-	1	-
C Holland	42	7	42	7
D Bailey	10	-	154	15
G Lock	34	2	296	14
H Grant	41	4	132	15
H Tucker	5	-	72	4
J Gater	35	1	38	1
J Edwards	30	-	68	-
L Tack	15	6	33	16
M Mealing	-	-	52	18
G Butler	36	-	36	-
O Mason	24	-	34	1
S Fraser	40	1	40	1
S McCormack	25	6	166	29
T Morgan	25	8	100	31
U Lalustani	7	-	114	23
J Branker	4	-	4	-
N Jones	33	1	33	1
C Goulter	25	-	37	-
K Simmo	29	6	29	6
O Lahtinen-Kalsi	14	-	60	-
H Harry	21	4	21	-
U Ekperuoh	2	-	2	-
L Rogers	9	1	9	-
K Dzimba	9	2	9	-
B Curtis	4	-	4	-
Own Goals	n/a	-	n/a	n/a
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MEET THE YELLAMEN

Mark Scott – goalkeeper. A commanding, experienced goalkeeper who signed in January 2024 having played for many higher level clubs including Step 2 football with Hungerford Town. Previous clubs also include Bracknell Town, Slough Town, Oxford City, Beaconsfield and Basingstoke Town. **Sponsor:** Ascot Firewood.



Sam Hayes – goalkeeper. Young goalkeeper who came through the junior ranks at Ascot United and has already featured several times for the first team. Will be on loan at local Step 5 outfit Holyport from the start of the 24/25 campaign to gain more first team experience.

Sam Swyer - goalkeeper. Current U18's first choice goalkeeper; a young player with huge potential and will serve as Mark Scott's deputy this season. **Sponsor:** The McKnight Family.



George Butler – defence. Signed shortly after the start of the 24/25 season from Farnham Town, having previously played for Burnham and Farnborough Town. **Sponsor:** JB Photography.

Joe Gater – defence. Highly respected defender on the local scene having previously played Step 4 football with Bracknell Town and Binfield. Tall and physical with a strong aerial presence. **Sponsor:** Claire The Cake Lady / 07903 852494



George Lock – defence. Club stalwart who holds the record for the most appearances. A fearless right back previously with Binfield and Bracknell. Technically strong and a consistently high performer who likes to get forward and has weighed in with important goals. Lifted the FA Vase with Ascot in 22/23. **Sponsor:** Bob Wu (local resident).

Sean Fraser - defence/midfield. A hugely experienced player having played over 350 games for Slough Town. His presence within the squad will be invaluable throughout the season.



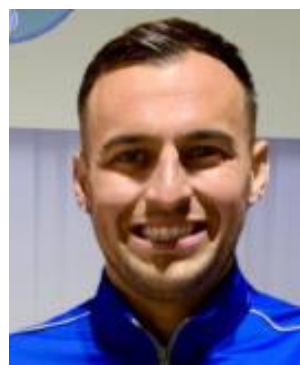
Josh Edwards - defence. Signed for the 23/24 season from Thatcham Town where he was player of the season in 22/23. A strong, powerful defender and excellent in 1 v 1 scenarios. Previously with Basingstoke Town. **Sponsor:** Terri Negus Independent Celebrant.

Nathan Jones - defence/midfield. Lively midfielder who joined from Marlow early in the 24/25 season, having been part of the side that earnt promotion to Step 3. Previously at Thatcham Town.



Louis Rogers - defence / midfield. Signed from Marlow in January 2025 having made 225 appearances in 7 seasons and helped them win promotion to Step 3. A no-nonsense player who was also previously at Watford.

Ollie Mason - midfield. Ollie, a dynamic midfielder, is an Ascot United youth product having first joined the club at our soccer school aged 5 and has since played for every age group for the club. Joined Woking FC Academy, before returning in 23/24 to gain first team experience.



Chad Goulter - defence / midfield. Returned to Ascot United in October 2025 having originally featured for The Yellamen in 23/24. A no-nonsense footballer who likes to get forwards. Has experience from playing at a string of non-league teams, most notably step-three football with Chertsey Town.

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Connor Holland - midfield. A versatile player who can play in a number of midfield and attacking roles. Creative with a brilliant work ethic, Connor has experience of playing at steps 3 and 4 in recent seasons. **Sponsor:** Vonnerose Ltd.



Harry Grant – midfield. A Rolls Royce of a player and an excellent addition to the club in 22/23. Ex-professional at Gillingham, winning EFL League 2 and the FA Vase with Thatcham Town in 2017/18 before repeating the feat with Ascot United in 22/23. **Sponsor:** Bob Wu (local resident).

Harvey Harry - forward. Exciting player who joined from Badshot Lea in November 2024. Has also featured for Southall, Binfield, Thatcham Town and Bracknell Town. Formerly a student at Reading FC's John Madejski Academy.



Khalid Simmo - forward. Arrived in October 2024 having played most recently at Step 2 side St. Albans City. Exceptionally skilful winger with quick feet, he has also played for Marlow, Badshot Lea and Uxbridge having been with Reading FC at youth level.

Kickie Dzimba - forward. Joined in January 2025 from Binfield where he scored 6 goals in 12 appearance this season. Previously with Holyport, where he made over 50 appearances, and Uxbridge.



Ben Harris - forward. Experienced striker who won the New Zealand championship with Team Wellington sandwiched between spells at Hampton & Richmond Borough, Windsor, Slough Town and Bracknell Town. Rejoined Ascot in January 2024 after first featuring in 17/18. Excellent in the air and a proven goalscorer who has consistently played at a higher level. **Sponsor:** N. Gibbs Tiling.

Taylor Morgan - forward. Rejoined the Yellamen in December 2023 from Hartley Wintney having previously featured for Ascot United between 2020-2022. An experienced striker who has played professionally overseas in the US and Sweden. Pacey and holds the ball up well. **Sponsor:** Shooting-stars.co.uk.



Aiden Payne-James - forward. A product of Woking FC Academy, Aiden has a bright future as a skilful wide-man. An intelligent and direct player with great finishing. **Sponsor:** Arema.

Anas Igozouln - forward. Signed from Burnham FC after a few seasons with The Blues. An attacker who adds superb quality in the final third with many goals and assists to his name. **Sponsor:** JB Photography.



Marcus Mealing – forward. Needs little introduction. A proven goalscorer at Steps 4 and 5, 'Mealo' was a game-changing substitute coming off the bench in the 22/23 FA Vase final. Returned to Flackwell Heath in the 23/24 campaign before suffering a serious leg injury. Returns to Ascot for 24/25 to assist his rehabilitation whilst providing invaluable coaching experience. **Sponsor:** Bob Wu (local resident).

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Jamie Tompkins – manager. Highly respected throughout the club, won the league cup in his first season (18/19) and topped the league in 20/21 only for COVID to strike. However, a league and FA Vase double in 22/23 eclipsed all that went before, before consolidating at Step 4 in 23/24. Jamie is also Senior Manager of Football Development at Brentford FC. **Sponsor:** Ascot United SYL U16's.



Dean Greenwood – assistant manager. Joined the coaching team in November 2022 and also has first team management experience from his spells in charge at Ashford Town (Middx) and Camberley Town. Also helped mastermind the league and FA Vase double. **Sponsor:** Ascot United SYL U16's.

Steve Quelch – coach. Many years of experience in the local game with Chalvey Sports and is a UEFA B coach, joined the club ahead of the 19/20 season. A big character, especially during our 22/23 double-winning campaign.



Alex Sykes – goalkeeper coach. Former England Futsal Goalkeeper who has been with Ascot United for several seasons. Dependable squad member who has also played in several first team matches when called upon due to injury or unavailability. **Sponsor:** Ascot United U14's.

Nathan Riley – physio. Joined us in 22/23 and became the club's main physio for 23/24. Another important member of our double-winning team. **Sponsor:** Shorefields Supplies



Ian Davies – Individual Player Development and S&C coach. Joins the coaching staff for 24/25 after a prolific career as a striker, primarily with Binfield, before netting 37 in 79 appearances for Ascot between 2019-2022. A qualified fitness instructor, Ian will also focus on the squad's rehabilitation between games.



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CLUB HISTORY - ASCOT UNITED

Ascot United as we know it, was founded in 1965 by a men's team who played their games at Sunninghill with "after match meetings" in The Wells in Cheapside village (now Mikado's). Teams played as long ago as 1928 under the name "Ascot United" but nothing to link them directly to the current club. In 1965, the club had gained permission from the Ascot Racecourse Trustees to convert the land east of coach park 10 into a football pitch. A wooden clubhouse was built, and this team went on to win many prestigious trophies in the years that followed.

Various youth teams represented Ascot United over the years up to 1988, and in 1992 the East Berks 7-a-side Association was formed by our then Chairman Keith Wicks, introducing small-sided junior games and having disbanded in 1980 the men's team also reformed. The men's senior team enjoyed early success through the East Berks League gaining continued promotions to the Senior division and winning various Cups including the Fielden Charity Cup in 1996/7. In 2001, the First Team join the Reading Senior League, were awarded FA Charter Standard status in 2004, and won the Reading Evening Post Senior Cup at the Madejski Stadium in 2006. Promotion to the Hellenic League Division 1 soon followed in 2007, before promotion to the Premier Division in 2009.

"The Yellamen" made their debut in the FA Cup in 2011 with a home tie against Wembley FC. The game attracted 1,149 people to The Racecourse on a Friday evening where the famous trophy itself was on display, and the match was streamed live on Facebook. In 2012-13 and 2015-16 we reached the Quarter Final of the FA Vase twice, enjoyed two top-three finishes in the UHlsport Hellenic League Premier Division, and won both the Bluefin Sport Challenge Cup and Perpetua Press Floodlit Cup. In 2018-19, new manager Jamie Tompkins led his side to the top of the table for long spells, and although they couldn't hang on to their lead, they would taste league cup glory once again by defeating Windsor FC 3-1.

A lateral move to the Combined Counties Premier Division for the 2019-20 season, combined with the installation of a new 3G pitch provided a platform for further development both on and off the pitch. The Yellamen were clear at the top of the league before COVID curtailed their first crack at the title before the 2021-22 season saw them reach the Bucks Senior Cup Final after defeating three sides from higher divisions, including Wycombe Wanderers in the semi-final in front of a club-record crowd of 1,267.

However, it is the 2022-23 campaign that will surely remain the club's most successful for decades to come. Tompkins' side dominated the league, taking 102 points from 38 league matches to win the title with four matches to spare. And if that wasn't enough, they achieved an incredible double by lifting the Isuzu FA Vase at Wembley in front of over 4,400 travelling Ascot United supporters and the BT Sport cameras. Impressively, they entered in the very first qualifying round before winning ten matches in a mesmerizing run; Kai Walters heading home in the 79th minute to secure a 1-0 win over the then-holders Newport Pagnell Town. After securing promotion to Step 4 for 2023-24, which was ultimately a season of consolidation in finishing mid-table, the 2024-25 campaign provides an opportunity to improve once again.

The club has also enjoyed much success at all levels particularly in the Women's and Girls Section. Our Senior Women won promotion to the Premier Division of the Southern Region Women's Football League in 2017-18 and were runners-up in both 2022-23 and 2023-24. Our Women's Phoenix side achieved back-to-back promotions from the Thames Valley League to take their place just one level below the Senior side for 2023-24, and the Junior Premier League (U18s) also won their league title at the first attempt in 2022-23 and were runners-up in the league cup in 203-24.

Ascot United has grown to become one of the largest Community football clubs in the UK with over 1,000 registered players and over 90 teams playing every weekend embracing all ages and abilities from 5 year olds through to veterans. We are also extremely proud to have a mixed-ability team representing our club, the Ascot United Warriors, who are affiliated with Special Olympics GB.



CLUB HISTORY - FARNHAM TOWN

Farnham Town was established in 1906 through the merger of Farnham Bungs (the Farnham Brewery) and Farnham Star.

It became a member of the Surrey Intermediate League and were champions in 1929-30 and 1930-1931.

In 1947, The Town joined the Surrey Senior League, left in 1962 but returned in 1963.

The club won three successive league titles in 1965-1966, 1966-1967 and 1967-1968 and were runners up in 1969-1970 and 1970-1971 before joining the Spartan League in 1971.

When that league merged with the Metropolitan London league to become the London Spartan League in 1975, the club were placed in Division 1, which became the Premier Division in 1977.

After finishing bottom of the London Spartan Premier Division in 1979-1980, Farnham transferred to the Combined Counties League and finished fourth in their first season.

The 1986-1987 season saw Farnham finish second to Ash United however, in 1990-1991, The Town would go one better by winning their first league title.

The following season the Town won a clean sweep of the major trophies by winning the Combined Counties Premier League, the Dan Air Elite Cup and the Dan Air Challenge Cup.

Having won the league, the club was accepted to the Diadora League (Division 3 of the Isthmian League). However, funds for the necessary ground improvements could not be generated and, since the club were unable to rejoin the Combined Counties League until the following season, it did not compete in the league during season 1992-93.

From 1995 to 1998 The Town would enjoy three consecutive top six finishes and, in 1995-96, won the Premier Challenge Cup for a second time.

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Having finished bottom of the league in 2005-2006, the club was relegated to Division 1 and, although The Town won the Division 1 title the following season under the guidance of Barry Bridger, we were denied promotion due to ground grading issues.

In Paul Tanner's first season in charge, The Town finally gained promotion from the Combined Counties Division 1 in 2010-2011 having finished second behind Worcester Park and won the Combined Counties Fair Play Award having gone through the season without having a player sent off

In 2015-2016, the club not only won the Cherry Red Records Premier Challenge Cup but also reached the final of the Aldershot FA Senior Cup.

Relegated back to Division 1 in 2017-2018, The Town performed strongly in the two COVID interrupted seasons 2019-20 and 2020-21 and were rewarded with a move up to newly created Cherry Red Records Combined Counties Premier Division South in 2021 where they play today.

In 2021-22, The Town consolidated themselves in the Cherry Red Records Combined Counties Premier Division South and built on that in 2022-23 under the new management of Paul Johnson and assistant Jimmy Hibburt.

After taking the reins in November 2022, Johnson helped guide Farnham to a top six finish in the league but also brought silverware to the Club as they defeated Balham in the Southern Combination Cup in May 2023, defeating Balham in front of a home crowd of over 1,150 people.

Last season brought even greater success, with the Town going unbeaten on their way to winning the Premier Division South league title and promotion to the Isthmian League South Central Division; achieving the club's best ever runs in the FA Cup and FA Vase; and reaching the final of the Specsavers Surrey Senior Cup, where we went down to a 1-0 defeat to South Park (Reigate).

