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### HARINGEY BOROUGH FC - A BRIEF HISTORY

It was not until 1970 that a team competed under the name of Haringey Borough when WOOD GREEN TOWN who had played at Coles Park since 1930 changed their name to Haringey Borough. A merger with EDMONTON FC resulted in a brief change of name to Edmonton & Haringey FC until 1976 when the present name was re-adopted. After a period of instability and a year in the wilderness away from senior football they were admitted to the Spartan League in 1989 retaining Premier Division membership throughout until the South Midlands League merger in season 1997/98 when they finished 7th. in the Premier Division South to secure membership of the

new "combined" Premier Division in 1998/99 as well as being runners up in the League's Premier Division Cup. In 2004 after an unsuccessful attempt to move the Club to the nearby New River Sports stadium and a walk out of the existing Committee Aki Achillea who had commenced his association with the Club in 1995 was appointed to lead the Club forward and together with George Kilikita and Secretary John Bacon the club sought to engage more with the local community and tap into the talent locally. Youth teams were commenced and run successfully for many years at various age levels with some considerable success particularly at the older age groups including progress into the 2nd round proper of the FA Youth Cup in 2006/07. The Women's Team, formed in 1999 were promoted to the top Division for 2002/03 of the Eastern Region Women's League where they have had notable success over the years. In 2005/06 they were losing League Cup finalists by the odd goal of seven in a thrilling contest with Norwich City Canaries.

NGEY BOROLI

The senior men's team having been relegated to Division One of the Spartan South Midlands League in 2006/7 bounced back with promotion at the very first attempt and a fine season ended with both promotion and the winning of the Division One Cup. Back in the Premier Division for the season 2008/09 the Club again guickly found itself among the relegation strugglers leading to the appointment of the current Manager – the vastly experienced Tom Loizou. Tom and his excellent loyal team of coaching staff have been instrumental in turning around the Club's fortunes in the intervening years. In 2011/12 a highest ever 5th place was achieved and the League Challenge Trophy won. After massive stadium improvements in the close season with the erection of a new Clubhouse and new dressing rooms hopes were high for 2012/13 but the poor weather and the problematic pitch led to a massive fixture backlog which negated any chance of a serious challenge for honours and the Club finished 9th. In 2013/14 the Club's challenge for promotion took place in the Essex Senior League following a sideways switch imposed by the FA. The Club had its most successful season ever finishing runners up by just a solitary point to Great Wakering Rovers and ended the season with 20 wins and one draw from the final 21 League games. The League title was nevertheless secured at the second attempt in 2014/15 with a haul of 103 points from 38 games and with it promotion to Step 4 in which we were allocated to the Ryman League Division One North. The first season at the higher level was a baptism of fire when only 7 points were garnered from the first 17 games but by the close of the season a further 43 points had been amassed from the remaining 29 games and the Club finished in a comfortable 15th place. The first season in the FA Trophy produced two fine victories before a replay loss to Hitchin Town of the Evostik South Premier Division. The summer of 2016 saw yet further investment in the close season in the form of a 3G synthetic main pitch and added improvements to the perimeter, the spectator rails and the floodlights and has created a facility of which the Club can be proud; and has afforded a greater opportunity for the Club to move forward in all aspects. The first team in 2016/17 improved markedly on the previous season and had an excellent all round campaign although rather unfortunate not to finish the season on a high having ended with the "double heartbreak" of missing out on promotion through a 4-5 closely fought semi final play-off defeat to Maldon & Tiptree FC after finishing 5th in the Division and an odd goal 2-3 London Senior Cup semi-final loss at Metropolitan Police. But 2017/18 was to be the Club's best ever and culminated in promotion to Step 3 via the play-off route with a 3-1 win over Canvey Island after automatic promotion had been missed by just two points. And in FA Competitions the 4th and final round of the Qualifying rounds for the FA Cup was reached, although that ended in disappointment with a 2-4 home defeat by Heybridge Swifts who then enjoyed a visit to Exeter City in the First Round Proper. In the FA Trophy we went right through the qualifying campaign and were lucky enough to draw Leyton Orient in the First Round Proper which brought a record attendance of 1,133 to Coles Park and "The O's" left mightily relieved at having come back to win 2-1 after going a goal down in the fifth minute.

2018/19 was to be the Club's best ever season with an FA Cup run which took us into the First Round

Proper where it was ended rather cruelly by AFC Wimbledon's last minute goal at Coles Park in front of a record crowd of 2,710. Having led the Premier Division for several weeks in mid-season it was somewhat disappointing that we dropped from 2nd to 3rd on the last day of the season after a poor late run but still enjoyed home advantage in the Play-Off Semifinal in which a 45 minute second half onslaught on the Tonbridge Angels goal produced only one goal in response to the two they had scored before the interval.

Last season's early termination was less of a disappointment for us than for most other Isthmian Premier Division Clubs as we were marooned in mid-table with no realistic prospect of entering either the promotion or relegation zones. The highlight of the season should have been the visit of National League Yeovil Town in the Final Qualifying Round of the Emirates FA Cup but, as is well known, appalling crowd behaviour brought that game to an early end and the second game seemed something of an anti-climax. In fact, without making excuses, that unpleasant episode seems to have adversely affected our players for some time for, whereas we had been well in the promotion places mix, thereafter we just drifted downwards.

2016/17 saw the introduction of a much needed "second" team, formed to compete in the Ryman Development League it being basically intended for Under 21 players but with the facility to include up to 4 older players in every squad. The team held their own comfortably in the League finishing a very creditable 6th place and the benefits of the Club's participation were all too evident with the introduction of a number of players into the first team squad throughout the season and the opportunity for first team squad players to keep fresh and those who were returning from injury had a platform to get fit. Thereby proving the benefits of having such a side. The age restriction was amended to Under 23 for 2017/18 and the team was always near the top of the table.

In the 2017/18 season the Club also entered an Under 18's Youth side into the Southern Counties Floodlit Youth League which will again provide a pathway for talented local boys to make their way into the first team squad and ultimately the first team itself. The team won its Divisional Championship in its debut season. The Women over the years have steadily improved and were extremely fortunate to have been approached midway through the 2013/14 season by renowned coach and former professional footballer Steve Browne who at the time was involved in the highly successful S & T Academy Girls football .Steve was duly appointed Manager and preserved the Women's Premier Division status. In 2015/16 a mid table position was easily secured from an uneven campaign which included convincing away wins at the top 2 Clubs and some surprisingly disappointing performances against lower placed teams. Last season, by Christmas the team were runaway League leaders only to be thrown off course by the tragic early death of Steve on New Years Day but after a shaky period the Women re-asserted themselves to win the League Championship on the last day of the season and with it, promotion to the Women's Premier League and followed that up by adding the League Cup with a 5-1 win over Cambridge City to complete the double. The best ever season for the Women and a fitting lasting legacy for their Manager. The loss of many of the successful squad, several to American University Scholarships proved too much of a handicap at the higher level and relegation back to the Eastern Regional League was an unsurprising outcome.

The foundations are in place for an eventual assault on the title to secure a National League place for the men's senior side and an exciting season is in prospect in which the ability to go one better and obtain promotion to the National League at the second attempt should be within the capabilities of our talented squad, The facilities and structures are in place for all the Club's teams to improve and enhance on recent successes

The Directors and Committee of *HARINGEY BOROUGH FOOTBALL CLUB* take pleasure in extending a warm welcome to all visitors to Coles Park and hope that they will make use of the bar and refreshment facilities available to increase their enjoyment of the occasion.

However, the Club reserves the right to refuse admission to any person and the right to remain within the ground is conditional upon compliance with directions given by Club Officials. Spectators and

other visitors must not encroach upon the playing area, deface or damage Club premises or equipment, take any glasses, alcohol or bottles outside of the Clubhouse or use obscene or insulting language or gestures (and especially any of a racist nature).

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#### HISTORY OF LEATHERHEAD FC

The modern Leatherhead Football Club was formed by the merger of Leatherhead Rose and Leatherhead United in 1946. However, research undertaken by supporters David Johnston and Graham Mitchell showed that the Tanners can trace their continuous history back to the formation of Leatherhead Rose in 1907. The Surrey FA confirmed that the 2007-8 season was Leatherhead's official Centenary.



The town's first, of many, clubs was formed in 1886 and twenty one years later, Leatherhead

Rose were established as a team drawn from the Leatherhead Common area. Rose played friendlies until the formation of the Dorking and District League in 1909 and they were crowned as the first League Champions. The league shut down for the duration of the Great War in which four Rose players and one committee man were killed. One Leatherhead family closely associated with Leatherhead Rose, the Taylors, sent seven brothers to the War. Five were killed and a sixth lost a log. Only "Lucky" Arthur remained physically unscathed and was able to resume his playing career in 1919-20 when Rose were League Champions again. In 1920, Leatherhead Rose joined the Kingston and District League and won the League title three times, the last in 1938-9.

Leatherhead United were formed in 1924 and, in 1925-6, won Division One of the Sutton and District League. In the early 1930s, Fetcham Grove based United joined the Surrey Junior League. After becoming Champions in 1933-4, they joined the Surrey Intermediate League but were relegated in 1937 after a disastrous season. Upon the outbreak of World War II, many leagues were suspended travel restrictions but the Kingston League continued. Rose's Barnett Wood Lane ground was needed for allotments so they returned to Kingston Road. United continued to play friendlies and in 1940-1, United beat Rose 3-2, the last ever meeting of the two sides.

After the War, officials of the two clubs met and on 27th May 1946, Leatherhead Football Club was officially formed at a public meeting. The two clubs pooled their financial resources (a total of £200) and three former Rose officials and two from United were elected as officers. United's Fetcham Grove ground was to be used as the home ground. The Tanners were accepted as late entrants to the Surrey Senior League and went on to win four consecutive Championships before joining the Metropolitan League. After just one season, they switched to the new all-amateur Delphian League, joining the Corinthian League in 1958. Tanners were the League's last champions as, in 1963, the Corinthian and Delphian Leagues joined forces with the Athenian League. Leatherhead won promotion from Division One at the end of the first season and inaugurated their floodlights with a match against a Fulham side including: George Cohen, Alan Mullery, Bobby Robson and Johnny Haynes. Leatherhead won the Surrey Senior Cup in 1969 and also collected the Intermediate Cup and Senior Shield, a unique achievement. The disappointment of defeat in FA Amateur Cup semi-finals in 1971 and 1974 was tempered by election to the Isthmian League.

Leatherhead made national headlines in 1974-5 when they reached the Fourth Round proper of the FA Cup. After playing through all the qualifying rounds, they had to overcome Bishops Stortford before meeting and beating Football League opposition for the first time. Colchester United went down 1-0 at Fetcham Grove before "Leatherhead Lip" Chris Kelly's goal defeated Brighton and Hove Albion at the Goldstone Ground. The Fourth Round tie against First Division Leicester City was switched to Filbert Street where Leatherhead were two goals ahead at half time, eventually losing 2-3 when the fitness of the full time players took its toll. In subsequent seasons, the Tanners defeated two more Football League sides at the Grove – Cambridge United and Northampton Town.

In 1978, the Tanners reached Wembley Stadium at last but were beaten in the FA Trophy Final. Tragically, Chairman Chris Luff, "Mr Leatherhead", died suddenly in February 1978. His ambition had been to see Leatherhead at Wembley. Without his leadership, the Club entered a period of decline and were relegated in

1983. In 1985, the Tanners were denied promotion by a three point deduction but this period was typified by a succession of managers and turnover of players. In 1990, Leatherhead slipped down into Division Two South but they were back in Division One in 1997. The Club's finances were still a problem and, in 1999, only emergency funding kept the Tanners going. In the summer of 2000, Leatherhead FC was within a few days of folding. The Club was saved by its supporters who took over following a crisis meeting at the end of May. Only one player remained at Fetcham Grove so a new team had to be built from scratch and although Chick Botley won Manager of the Month for March, it was too late to avoid relegation.

In 2006-7, Leatherhead were the lowest ranked team to reach the First Round Proper of the FA Cup, losing 1-2 at Football League side, Torquay United. Unfortunately, league form for the rest of the season and the early part of the 2007-8 campaign was poor culminating in October 2007 in the resignation of manager David Harlow and the majority of the squad took that as their cue to leave as well. Ian Hazel was quickly appointed and immediately faced the tough task of rebuilding the First Team during the season, with The Tanners eventually finishing 14th. However, the Youth Team completed an Isthmian Youth League and Cup double. Ian Hazel's reign lasted barely a year, resigning in October 2008; however, replacement Bob Langford's spell was even shorter, leaving at the end of the season as Tanners struggled into 15th position. The previous year's successful Youth Team squad had stepped to form a reserve team and duly added to their previous successes by winning the Suburban League South Championship by a margin of 18 points.

Mick Sullivan, who had had great success in an eight-year stint at local rivals Merstham, was appointed First Team Manager in May 2009 and immediately set about rebuilding the team. Under Sullivan's guidance, the club had its most successful season in years, winning the Isthmian League Cup (the first major trophy for some 40 years) and finishing the season in fifth place in the League before losing a play-off semi-final. At the start of the 2010-11 season, Tanners beat Ryman Premier League Champions, Dartford, to win the Isthmian Charity shield. This was followed by a dramatic play-off victory against Dulwich Hamlet (4-3 after extra time) in Division One South, which saw The Tanners return to the Premier Division for the first time since 1983.

Following a bad start to the 2011-12 season, Richard Brady was appointed manager in September. He was unable to guide Tanners to safety; however, the club did have a successful FA Cup run, which came to an end in the fourth qualifying round replay versus Sutton United. 2013-14 saw Tanners end the regular season in third spot. With home advantage in the playoff semi-final, The Tanners edged Guernsey 3-2. After 120 minutes, and with the scores level at 1-1 with Folkstone Invicta, Leatherhead won the penalty shootout 5-3 and celebrated their return to Ryman Premier Division. In their first season back in the Premier Division Tanners finish the season in a respectable tenth place. Following an indifferent start to 2015-16, Richard Brady stepped down as Manager. Former coach, Mike Sandmann and Steve Watt took over the reins and, with several additions, finished the season in a creditable 11th place.

The 2016-17 season saw a massive overhaul both on and off the pitch with former manager Richard Brady elected as Chairman. Under new leadership and with budget cuts implemented the side started poorly and Mike Sandmann was replaced. The surprise choice as his successor was former Fulham and Hull player Jimmy Bullard. His appointment certainly attracted a lot of media attention to the club. Jimmy's reputation enabled a decent squad to be assembled but results didn't immediately improve and relegation looked a probability by February. However, a fine run in saw Tanners confirmed as safe in the penultimate week of the season. Bullard left in the summer and was replaced by former AFC Wimbledon and Leyton Orient player Sammy Moore. In his first managerial job Sammy did a fantastic job as Tanners reached the Second round proper of the FA Cup, missed out on the play offs only on goal difference and reached the County Cup final. Not surprisingly Sammy moved up the non league ladder to takeover at Concord Rangers in May 2018, taking a number of his former players with him. Former Wycombe, Aldershot and Margate goalkeeper Nikki Bull was appointed to replace him and led the side to an 8th place finish last season.

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#### Chairman - Haringey Borough FC

Welcome to everyone associated with Leatherhead FC as our league season continues with another home match some 48 hours after our first game last Saturday against Bognor Regis Town FC. It was great to see so many managed to fathom out the new online season ticket application and I must give immense praise to Nick Bird of Busybird Hosting services who has managed to develop the software in such a short space of time. I know there have been some teething problems but it is up and running now and in addition to the season ticket application fans can additionally, if they wish, seek to help the Club out by becoming a Club member and they can also complete that application form online. There are some benefits to membership but the Club's intention is to allow many fans who have told me that they want to help by making a contribution to sustain the Club and give something back to the Club as we enter the 5th season of allowing fans in free. On behalf of everyone I thank all of you who have sought to help in this fashion. I see the season tickets as a means of inclusion of you all into the very fabric of the Club and I see no distinction between members and non members. The membership scheme is merely a vehicle whereby fans who are in a position to do so can offer to help the Club in what on any view are challenging times. Whilst other Clubs have sought help from a wider source by going down the crowdfunding route I feel that our scheme is a more personal way of allowing those who are able to make a contribution. There are always things that need doing at the ground, some of them not obvious but nevertheless costly and all help in this regard is of course gratefully received and I can assure you that anything we receive will be put to good use to help make your experience safer and more enjoyable. You will all have seen the measures we have put in place to combat as much as we practically can the risk of the pandemic reaching our Club. However I repeat as I have said before that you must all be aware and keep your distance and follow all governmental advice. Whilst the league have sanctioned attendance at matches at our level we all know the government is keeping a close eye on fan's behaviour and it is imperative that we all do the very best we can and not give the government a reason to change things. The National League have yet to start and you will I am sure be aware of the problems they face and we may all help the decision if we play our part and show that matches can go ahead and that fan's will be trusted to play their part. 2 home matches in 2 days and yet another home draw in the FA Cup next Saturday. Let's all enjoy every second for as long as we can, get behind the boys and if you repeat the atmosphere of last Saturday I am sure the boys will do their best to reward you with 3 points .

Aki Achillea - Chairman Haringey Borough F.C.

#### Manager - Haringey Borough FC

After my notes in last Saturday's programme I have to say that I am so pleased with the continuation of the way we have started the season. We created several chances against Bognor and I repeat that my only criticism is that we need to really capitalise when we put teams to the sword like we did. The intensity of the second half display reminded me of the performances that we regularly had a couple of years ago and that we rarely displayed last season. Of course the new additions have helped and the two full backs Mikey and Tosin have certainly given us the attacking prowess we missed last season. Added to the performances of Bobson and Daniel up front allied to the consistency of the boys surrounding them we have an attacking blend that I think will be the envy of many in our division. The performances have certainly lifted everyone around the Club but as a word of caution we must play with the same determination every game as we look to make it 3 out of 3 this evening and take our form into Saturdays Emirates FA Cup tie against Chertsey Town who, by way of coincidence, knocked out tonight's opponents last week. Make no mistake Leatherhead will be smarting after their weekend hammering by Bowers so we cannot afford to be complacent or we will feel the backlash. I have to say the noise you all made on Saturday brought a smile to my face as I thought the Bognor boys didn't know what hit them. Almost 400, most of them home fans shows we are doing something right. The online season ticket application promised by the Chairman worked and the passion and the support lifted all of us so give it the same again tonight and help push us forward once more- Come on Boro

Tom Loizou - Manager Haringey Borough F.C.

#### THE SECRETARY'S MUSINGS

This evening we take the opportunity to welcome the players Officials and supporters of LEATHERHEAD FC to Coles Park for our third League match of the season. This will be the third meeting of the Clubs since we became a Premier Division Club. In 2018/19 "The Tanners" completed the double over us with an early season 2-1 home win and a 3-0 win at Coles Park in February. Last season we won an August midweek game at Fetcham Grove by 3-2 and the return at Coles Park never took place.

We do, of course, also extend a warm welcome to our Match Officials who are Jonathan Bolland in the middle with Dani Mansour and Adam Steele on the lines. Whatever the outcome of the match we hope all will enjoy themselves as far as is possible in these difficult times and have a safe journey home.

Our visitors arrive on the rebound from an astonishing seven goal defeat last Saturday at Bowers and Pitsea's Len Salmon Stadium; which is not really good news for us as they will obviously be determined to restore their wounded pride. And had they not lost a penalty shoot out to Chertsey Town following a goalless draw last Tuesday in the first Qualifying Round of the Emirates FA Cup they would have been visiting us again this coming Saturday, but it is "The Curfews" we will be facing then in the 2nd Qualifying Round. Last Saturday we maintained our 100% winning start to our competitive season with a 2-1 home win over Bognor Regis Town. Bognor created only two clear cut chances in a first half during which we always looked threatening without giving their 'keeper much of a test. A free header from the six yard line midway through the half put Bognor ahead at half time. We piled on the pressure after the interval and it told after ten minutes when a foul during some desperate defending gave Roman Michael-Percil the chance to blast us level from the spot. We continued to look the more likely winners and it fell to Laste Dombaxe to secure our deserved victory in the 74th minute when he drilled home low and hard at the end of a fine flowing move which carved "The Rocks" defence open. Laste is clearly our "Mr. Second goal" specialist for he has netted at that point in all three of our fixtures and well merited the honour bestowed on him by the Bognor Radio people who made him player of the match. The win puts us into 5th place in the table as one of 6 Clubs with maximum points from their first two games.

The Womens team secured 3 welcome points yesterday with a 4-2 win at home to Bedford in a game between two well matched sides which could have gone either way. An early penalty put Borough ahead but the visitors came back strongly and failure to deal decisively with a corner gave them a soft equaliser before the interval. The second half saw plenty of chances being created at both ends but it was Borough who proved the better finishers putting away three of theirs whereas a brave performance by Borough keeper Katie Rukat restricted Bedford to one.

NOTE THAT THE SCHEDULED AWAY LEAGUE GAME AT HORNCHURCH ON 3rd OCTOBER HAS							
BEEN POSTPONED AND REPLACED BY OUR 2nd ROUND FA CUP MATCH.							
Sat 3 Oct	HOME	3pm	1st Team	CHERTSEY TOWN	FA Cup		
Sun 4 Oct	HOME	2.30pm	Women	COLNEY HEATH	League		
Mon 5 Oct	HOME	7.45pm	1st Team	EAST THURROCK UNITED	League		
Wed 7 Oct	Away	7.45pm	U 23s	Brentwood Town	League		
Wed Oct 7	Away	7.30pm	U18s	Edgware Town	League		
Sat Oct 10	Away	3pm	1st Team	Brightlingsea Regent	League		
Sun Oct 11	HOME	2pm	Women	WROXHAM	League		

#### NEXT FIRST TEAM AWAY GAME

Saturday October 10th v BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT (3pm) League at Taydal Stadium, North Road, Brightlingsea, Essex, CO7 0PL Greater Anglia trains leave Liverpool Street at 11.02, noon and 13.00 hrs for the nearest station which is Alresford (change at Colchester) with bus from Alresford to Brightlingsea. Overall Journey time approx. 95 minutes (But note that Greater Anglia are introducing a new timetable on October 3 so check for update)

#### LEATHERHEAD FC PLAYER PROFILES 2019-20

JAKE BENNETT – Young goalkeeper signed from Surrey Intermediate League side AFC Royal Holloway in August 2020.

**ANDREW BRIGGS** – Andrew is a young midfielder who joined us from Lancing in August. He was previously at Eastbourne Borough and made 20 appearances in the National League South in the 2018/19 season. He has also won representative honours with the Sussex County FA.

**STEFAN BROWN** – 29 year old striker signed from Oxford City in February. Previous clubs include Thatcham Town, AFC Totton, Basigstoke Town, Hungerford Town and Wealdstone.

JACK CURRIE - Full back who is a member of AFC Wimbledon's Academy. Joined Tanners on loan in August.

**CHARLIE DAWKINS** - Charlie was a member of the Chelsea Academy. In 2017 he signed for Aldershot as a 15-year-old. The attacking box to box midfielder signed for the Tanners in the summer of 2019.

**MISHA DJEMAILI** – Versatile young player equally at home at full back or in midfield who was a member of the Essex County Schools side that won the English Schools Football Association Under 18 County Trophy in 2017. After starting out at Ebbsfleet's Academy he had spells at Tilbury and Essex Senior League Leyton Athletic prior to joining the Tanners in February 2019.

**GREAT EVANS** – Great made his professional debut for AFC Wimbledon in an EFL Trophy tie at Yeovil in 2017. Despite scoring regularly for Don's under 18's he was released and subsequently signed for South Park, scoring 19 goals in 37 appearances during two spells at Whitehall Lane. Other clubs include Hayes & Yeading, Merstham and Wingate & Finchley

**DAN HECTOR** – Summer signing from Kingstonian. Midfielder or forward whose other previous clubs include Merstham and Whyteleafe.

**CHARLIE HESTER-COOK** – CHC played for the Tanners for the second half of the 2018/19 season on dual registration forms from Woking having come through the Cards Academy system. He quickly became a fans favourite for his combative displays in the middle of the park. He signed permanently for the Tanners in the summer of 2019. Last season's Supporters Player of the year.

**RYAN HUCKLE** – After 6 years with the Gillingham Academy Ryan joined Faversham Town in the summer of 2019 having spent time on loan at Salters Lane during 2018. The central defender signed for Tanners in August 2020

**CROSSLEY LEMA** -- Full back who graduated through Sutton Utd's academy side. Crossley had a successful loan spell at Fetcham Grove towards the end of 2018/19. Returned on loan in September 2019 before signing permanently for the Tanners in November.

JACK MADELIN – Young Welsh defender currently on loan from AFC Wimbledon.

**CRAIG MCGEE** – Craig came through the Academy and Reserves ranks at Sutton Utd before signing on at Fetcham Grove in January 2019. He quickly established himself in the starting X1 with a series of impressive displays. Spent part of last season on loan at East Grinstead Town.

**JERRY NNAMANI** – Formally of Bromley, Crystal Palace and Sittingbourne. At only 28 years of age Jerry is already a club legend having made over 390 appearances since signing for the Tanners in 2011. He is solid at the back and great in the air. The unassuming and likeable Jerry is hugely popular with the Tanners fans.

**DAVID OMPREON** – Former AFC Wimbledon academy player. Has subsequently played for Sutton Utd, Whyteleafe, Cheshunt and Sutton Common Rovers before signing for the Tanners in September.

**ZAKI OUALAH** – Popular 25-year-old goalkeeper now in his second spell at the club. Zaki originally signed in May 2017 and was a vital part of the Tanners squad that reached the 2nd Round of the FA Cup. Re-signed in September 2018 after spells with Aldershot Town, Hayes & Yeading and Hendon. Previous clubs include Merstham, Godalming, Met Police, Aylesbury and Farnborough with whom he gained promotion from the Evo-Stik Southern Central Division in 2016/17.



**DANNY ROWE** – Winger with an eye for goal. Signed from Oxford City in February 2020. Started out with the academies of QPR and Leicester City. Previous clubs include Hemel Hempstead, Braintree Town and Boston.

**WILL SALMON** – Centre half and club captain who began his career with Aldershot Town before moving to AFC Wimbledon and then Ebbsfleet United in the Conference in 2009. Switched to AFC Telford and was part of their Conference North promotion-winning side, before moving to Bath City in the summer of 2013. He had a short spell at Woking before spending four years at Met Police. Signed for Tanners in May 2018.

**WILL SEAGER** - Will is in his fourth season at the club having originally played for the Tanners Academy side. Another versatile young player who is equally at home playing at full back, central defence or in midfield.

#### MANAGEMENT

**NIKKI BULL** - Leatherhead turned to the experienced former Aldershot Town goalkeeper to lead them as their new player/manager in the summer of 2018. Nikki made nearly 400 appearances in total for Aldershot and then Wycombe Wanderers before dropping into non-league football with Margate, where he also had a spell as manager during their stay in the National League South.

MARTIN MCCARTHY – Popular young coach who joined the Tanners as Nikki's assistant in the summer of 2018 after three years in charge at Fleetdown in the Kent County League. Macca was previously part of Tanners Academy coaching team.

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#### HARINGEY PLAYER PROFILES 2020-21

**DANIEL AKINDAYINI** - much travelled striker signed from Cheshunt in mid-December 2019 who opened his account with a fine strike at Enfield on Boxing day 2019.

**GEORGIOS ARESTI** - Cypriot International midfielder who numbers AEK Athens among his previous Clubs; 2017/18 deadline day signing and near automatic selection last season. **JACK BARTHRAM** - defender who moved on from Spurs Youth set up to make 87 appearances for Swindon Town and Cheltenham Town between 2015 & 2017 and 60 for National League Barrow in next 2 seasons. Most recently with FC United of Manchester.



**BOBSON BAWLING** - attacking midfielder who joined us from Enfield Town at the start of this season having previously been with Crawley Town, Woking and St. Albans City.

**SAMI BESSADI** - Attacking midfielder who has come right through the ranks with the Under 18s and Under 23s and is now a challenger for a First Team berth.

**QAMIL DERVISHAJ** - Regularly on the bench as back up goalkeeper. Promising prospect moving up to Senior football after serving the Club's Under 18 team.

**LASTE DOMBAXE** - central midfield lynch-pin – a great sprayer of telling passes; former Tottenham Hotspur Under 21 player who joined us at the start of this season having previously been with Maldon & Tiptree.

**JORGE DJASSI-SAMBU** - midfield powerhouse now in 7th season with Club; opponents know when they have been tackled by this non-stop box to box player. Dangerous in opponents box at set piece situations.

**SCOTT OLU DUROJAIYE** - powerful midfielder who has rejoined us having moved to Woking towards the end of 2018/19. Has played in Scotland for Falkirk and several other National league sides.

**ANTHONY McDONALD** - fast tricky wide player entering his 9th season with us; excellent finisher with 13 League goals in an injury hit 2016/17; first team regular but appearances have been interrupted by injuries.

**ROMAN MICHAEL-PERCIL** - our first signing of 2020 from Potters Bar Town; a winger who has been with several Isthmian Clubs after moving on from Tottenham Hotspurs Under 21s.

**JONATHAN MILES** - December 2019 signing; goalkeeper most recently with Ramsgate whose other past Clubs include Ebbsfleet United and Margate after leaving Tottenham Hotspur Under 18s.

**SCOTT MITCHELL** - a summer 2017 signing; 22 year old central defender who was previously with Dagenham & Redbridge. Almost an ever present in 2017/18 season and now an established member of the squad.

**JAMIE-LEE O'DONOGHUE** - strong running striker re-joining us this season; was with Baldock Town last season and numbers Cleethorpes Town among his previous Clubs. Older brother of our full back, Michael.

MICHAEL O'DONOGHUE - powerful full back rejoining us after a year away at National League side

Concord Rangers. Formerly a professional with Colchester United.

**DAVID "TOSIN" OLUFEMI** - attack minded full back who rejoins us this season after a year away with National League side Concord Rangers. Also numbers Colchester United among his former Clubs.

**VALERY PAJETAT** - goalkeeper signed in the 2017 close season with extensive playing time in Portugal and with Margate; commanding presence in his domain. Has won several monthly "Golden Gloves" awards.

**RAKIM RICHARDS** - versatile player with us since 2010 and most usually to be found in a defensive role but quite at home in midfield and a menace in the opponents penalty area when corner kicks arrive.

**JOSEPH RUSSELL** - defender/midfielder; January 2020 signing from Cheshunt who played against us in an August 2019 fixture; numbers Ware, Northwood, Hoddesdon Town and Egham Town among his previous Clubs.

**CLAUDIO VILCU** - tall, strong central defender signed shortly before the early close down last season; a very experienced player, who numbers Dinamo Bucharest, Enfield Town, Wealdstone, Kingstonian, Cambridge City, Hampton & Richmond Borough, Wingate & Finchley and FC Romania among his previous Clubs.

#### MANAGEMENT

**TOM LOIZOU (MANAGER)** - A man with wealth of experience and knowledge of the game who is always running around for the club; his passion is there for everyone to see and he keeps everyone at the Club their toes - not just the players!

**DAVID CUMBERBATCH (ASSISTANT MANAGER)** - often sits in the main stand watching the game and recording bits for time to time known sometimes as 'Terry Connor or Howard the Halifax man" who gives you extra..."

**JOHNNY FITSIOU (COACH)** - his extensive knowledge and experience of conditioning has made the Borough players more aware of how to exert their power and pace game plan.

**THOMAS O'DONOGHUE (COACH)** - known as 'Tucker' is an experienced coach who joined the coaching staff at the Borough in 2016. Having started with the first team. Father of players Michael and Jamie.



**TODAYS TEAMS** 



From

Jonathan MILES
David OLUFEMI
Michael O'DONOGHUE
Rakim RICHARDS
Scott MITCHELL
Laste DOMBAXE
Roman MICHAEL-PERCIL
Georgios ARESTI
Daniel AKINDAYINI
Scott DUROJAIYE
Alfred BAWLING
Sami BESSADI
Anthony McDONALD
Yannick BITSINDOU
Jorge DJASSI SAMBU
Arthur LEBLOND
Manager: Tom Loizou
Assistant Manager: David Cumberbatch
Coaches: Johnny Fitsiou Tucker O'Donoghue

Physio: Nathalie Grah

#### From

Zaki OUALAH Will SALMON Jack CURRIE Craig McGEE Ryan HUCKLE Will SEAGER Charlie HESTER-COOK Danny ROWE Great EVANS Stefan BROWN Dan HECTOR Jerry NNAMANi Andrew BRIGGS Misha DJEMAILI David OMPREON Jack MADELIN Charlie DAWKINS Manager: Nikki Bull Coach: Martin McCarthy

#### MATCH OFFICIALS: Referee: Jonathan Bolland assisted by Dani Mansour & Adam Steele

#### HARINGEY BOROUGH 2020/21 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(All Isthmian League Fixtures unless otherwise indicated)

(All Saturday kick offs 3pm and midweek kick offs at 7.45pm unless otherwise indicated)

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Tue 18 Aug	Н	NEW SALAMIS (FRIENDLY)	W 1-0
Tue 25 Aug	Н	ALDERSHOT TOWN (FRIENDLY)	D 1-1
Sat 29 Aug	Н	HANWELL TOWN (FRIENDLY)	L 1-3
Sat 5 Sep	А	Kings Langley (Friendly)	L 1-2
Tue 8 Sep	Н	QPR UNDER 23S (FRIENDLY) 7PM	L 0-2
Sat 12 Sep	Н	SUTTON UNITED (FRIENDLY)	L 0-2
Sat 19 Sep	А	Corinthian Casuals	W 2-1
Tue 22 Sep	Н	TUNBRIDGE WELLS (FA Cup 1st Qualifying Round)	W 5-1
Sat 26 Sep	Н	BOGNOR REGIS TOWN	W 2-1
Mon 28 Sep	Н	LEATHERHEAD	
Sat 3 Oct	Н	CHERTSEY TOWN (FA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round)	
Mon 5 Oct	Н	EAST THURROCK UNITED	
Sat 10 Oct	А	Bightlingsea Regent	
Tue 13 Oct	А	Hornchurch	
Sat 17 Oct	Н	CRAY WANDERERS	
Mon 19 Oct	А	Carshalton Athletic	
Sat 24 Oct	Н	LEWES	
Sat 31 Oct		TBA (FA Trophy 3rd Qualifying Round)	
Wed 4 Nov	А	Kingstonian	
Sat 7 Nov	А	Margate	
Sat 14 Nov	Н	POTTERS BAR TOWN	
Mon 16 Nov	Н	BOWERS & PITSEA	
Sat 21 Nov	А	Horsham	
Sat 28 Nov	Н	MERSTHAM	
Sat 5 Dec	А	Bishops Stortford	
Sat 12 Dec	Н	FOLKESTONE INVICTA	
Sat 19 Dec	А	Worthing	
Sat 26 Dec	Н	ENFIELD TOWN	
Mon 28 Dec	А	Wingate & Finchley	
Sat 2 Jan	Н	CHESHUNT	
Sat 9 Jan	А	East Thurrock United	
Sat 16 Jan	А	Lewes	
Sat 23 Jan	Н	KINGSTONIAN	
Sat 30 Jan	А	Potters Bar Town	
Sat 6 Feb	Н	MARGATE	
Sat 13 Feb	А	Bowers & Putsea	
Sat 20 Feb	Н	HORSHAM	
Sat 27 Feb	Н	CORINTHIAN CASUALS	
Tue 2 Mar	A	Leatherhead	
Sat 6 Mar	A	Bognor Regis Town	
Sat 13 Mar	Н	HORNCHURCH	
Sat 20 Mar	Н	BISHOPS STORTFORD	
Sat 27 Mar	Α	Merstham	
Sat 3 Apl	Н	CARSHALTON ATHLETIC	
Mon 5 Apl	Α	Enfield Town	
Sat 10 Apl	H	BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT	
Sat 17 Apl	A	Cray Wanderers	
Sat 24 Apl	A	Folkestone Invicta	
Sat 1 May	H	WORTHING	
Mon 3 May	H	WINGATE & FINCHLEY	
Sat 8 May	A	Cheshunt	

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		Р	W	D	L	F	А	+/-	Pts
Bowers & Pitsea		2	2	0	0	9	1	+8	6
Cray Wanderers		2	2	0	0	8	2	+6	6
Worthing		2	2	0	0	6	1	+5	6
Enfield Town		2	2	0	0	5	1	+4	6
Haringey Borough		2	2	0	0	4	2	+2	6
Cheshunt		2	2	0	0	3	1	+2	6
Carshalton Athletic		2	1	1	0	5	2	+3	4
Margate		2	1	1	0	4	3	+1	4
Bishop's Stortford		2	1	1	0	3	2	+1	4
Folkestone Invicta		2	1	0	1	5	3	+2	3
Brightlingsea Regent		2	1	0	1	3	3	0	3
Corinthian-Casuals		2	1	0	1	3	3	0	3
Hornchurch		2	1	0	1	2	2	0	3
Bognor Regis Town		2	0	1	1	3	4	-1	1
Horsham		2	0	1	1	2	3	-1	1
Leatherhead		2	0	1	1	1	8	-7	1
Merstham		2	0	0	2	1	3	-2	0
East Thurrock United		2	0	0	2	1	4	-3	0
Lewes		2	0	0	2	2	6	-4	0
Wingate & Finchley		2	0	0	2	2	6	-4	0
Potters Bar Town		2	0	0	2	1	5	-4	0
Kingstonian		2	0	0	2	1	9	-8	0

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