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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.

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 gualifying 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.

The 2019/20 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

The early termination of League Fixtures for 2020/21 was more of a blow than was the previous seasons voiding as we were well placed to make a charge towards a play-off place at least. However the Buildbase FA Trophy continued and we enjoyed a run through to the 4th Round Proper when Oxford City of the National League South finally eliminated us 4-2 after we had been two up; en route we had overcome Faversham Town, Bishops Stortford, Eastbourne Borough and Dartford, the last two also being National League South Clubs. The London Senior Cup also carried on and due to withdrawals, we reached the quarter-final without playing a game but lost a penalty shoot out to Hanwell Town after a 2-2 draw.

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 CHELMSFORD CITY FC

Founded in 1938 it is fair to say that the history of Chelmsford City Football Club has been a roller coaster ride that has seen the Club at the very height of the non-league game whilst also 'enjoying' spells when the very future of the Club was at risk.



Immediately joining the Southern League, then the strongest competition outside the Football League, the club enjoyed an F.A. Cup run in its first season that saw

them start at the Preliminary Round before losing 6-0 at Birmingham in the Fourth Round, in front of a crowd of 44,494. On the way City accounted for League clubs Darlington and Southampton.

The outbreak of the Second World War brought the fledgling club's progress to a halt, but the 1945-1946 season saw the Club win both the Southern League and the Southern League Cup.

The late 1940's found the Club at the forefront of non-league football as they along with Colchester United, Gillingham and Merthyr Tydfil dominated the Southern League during the period up until 1950. Players such as Frank Soo, Cecil MacCormack and Syd Plunkett were attracted to New Writtle Street, and it was during this period that the record home crowd of 16,807 was established when Colchester United visited for a league match in September 1949.

When the Football League expanded from 88 clubs to 92 in 1950 the two southern clubs that got the nod were Colchester United and Gillingham, and it started a period of decline for City. So much so that by 1955 the club's finances were in such a parlous state that there was even talk of withdrawing from the Southern League.

The establishment of a Supporters Club Pool that brought in much needed funds and the appointment of John Coward as Chairman in 1960 heralded another golden era in the history of the Club. So strong were the finances that the Club owned a string of club houses around the town, an attraction that enabled the Club to bring quality players to the Club.

On the pitch it was not so good a story though, as the only honour to come the clubs way was the Southern League Cup in 1959-1960. The signing of Bobby Mason, on Wolves transfer list, without paying the required transfer fee, forced Football League clubs to look at the whole question of player registrations and City were retrospectively banned from applying for Football League membership for five years. A blow to the Club as it was, arguably, their best chance of gaining election to the elite competition.

The Southern League championship was won in 1967-1968, whilst the same season Oxford United were knocked out of the F.A. Cup, City's first win against a Football League club since 1938-1939. It was to be the end of this golden era though because by 1970 the Club was again in dire straits, saved only by a 'merger' with Brentwood Town.

The Southern League championship was won again in 1971-1972, but this proved to be a false dawn and with finances once again an issue relegation was suffered for the first time in 1976-1977, despite Jimmy Greaves being signed and topping the goalscoring charts.

The pendulum swung again when the original Company was wound up in 1980 and a new relatively debt free Company was established to take its place. This led to another period when the Club progressed although the elusive goal of reaching what is now the Football Conference could never be attained.

After a brief period of consolidation things turned downwards again and by 1994 a new low was reached. Ownership of the New Writtle Street stadium was lost and the Club was on the point of going out of existence before a group of supporters led by Trevor Wright took over the running of the Club, another Company being formed to do this.

In 1997 the Club was relegated for the third time and was also evicted from the Stadium which began a period of nearly nine years playing firstly at Maldon Town and then at Billericay Town. This was not an ideal situation with only gate income to keep the Club alive, but in 2006 the opportunity arose to return to Chelmsford at a newly refurbished Melbourne Park.

The opening game against Billericay Town on 2nd January 2006 saw a massive crowd watch City beat their near neighbours 2-1. In March 2008 a record crowd of 3,201 saw City beat their rivals AFC Wimbledon

3-2, the biggest crowd at a home league game since 1974. This win virtually sealed the Isthmian League championship and promotion to the Football Conference South.

The last few seasons have seen City as regular play off contestants but they have been unable to achieve the aim of promotion to the level just outside the Football League. The 2012-2013 season saw them beat Colchester United in the F.A. Cup, the fourth time they have beaten a Football League club in that competition. Dean Holdsworth was appointed Manager in the summer of 2013 but things didn't work out and he left the role in November, eventually being replaced by former Heybridge Swifts Manager Mark Hawkes who, along with his assistant Steve Smith, enjoyed a two year spell in charge. They were replaced temporarily by coach Kevin Maher but in the summer of 2016 former Braintree Town and Bishop's Stortford Manager Rod Stringer was appointed to the Melbourne Community Stadium hot seat. The 2016-2017 saw the Club reach the National League South Play Off Final and win the Essex Senior Cup.

The 2017-2018 season was also successful as the Club reached the National League South play offs and also the final of the Essex Senior Cup where they were beaten by local rivals Billericay Town.

During a disappointing 2019-2020 Rod Stringer left the Club and was succeeded by Robbie Simpson as City embarked on a new era with, hopefully more success.



#### **Chairman - Haringey Borough FC**

This afternoon it is with pleasure that we welcome Chelmsford City of the National League South as we continue with our preparations for the forthcoming season.

As with our League the National League South was curtailed at a time when today's opponents were in mid table. The problems over continuing and the finances involved led to a well publicised split between the National League at level 1 and the League below at level 2. The rift between the two levels of the same league and the perceived lack of support for the Club's struggling will take some time to repair. Chelmsford I am sure are looking forward to starting again afresh and with the limits on crowds being removed it looks like there will be a return to some normality after some 18 months of turmoil. It is a great fixture for a Club of our stature to have such esteemed visitors and I am proud of the fact that Chelmsford and the like want to come and play us. I hope it is due to their visit two season ago and the impression we made upon them. I know we got spanked on the pitch and I hope it is a closer game this afternoon but I feel that we enhanced our reputation with them and even with a new manager since then I believe we left a lasting impression and hence the fixture.

We are enjoying life as an established Level 3 side and we now have opportunities to play Level 2 sides regularly and above in pre season and of course we played 3 Level 2 sides in Eastbourne Borough Dartford and Oxford City in the FA trophy last season and we will learn a little more in the coming weeks about the reality of our ambitions to go to the next level. Although Tom and the fans know he is only ever safe for a week I am proud of the fact that I give him a bit more latitude in pre season friendlies. Certainly after last Saturday's game against Romford I am sure he appreciates it!! Tuesday against Royston Town was better all round. More importantly in these times it was so good to say hello to so many of you and to see you all again in this environment made me smile and reminded all of us of what we have been missing. I am sure more will come as the start of the new season looms large and I repeat what I said last week that I want you all to try and spread the word and cajole a few more of your acquaintances, family and friends to come to the home games and take advantage of the free season. Enjoy the match, support the boys as usual and ensure we also give Chelmsford a good reception as we do to all visiting Clubs – Come on Boro

Aki Achillea - Chairman Haringey Borough F.C.

#### Manager - Haringey Borough FC

A good work out on Saturday against a Romford side who were intent on upsetting the big guns and they duly did and I have to say they deserved it. I am not worried as the whole purpose of such an early pre season game is to get minutes into the boys, we made a lot of substitutions and in particular I thought the youngsters who were given a chance did very well. Tuesday night against Royston Town was much better, we looked fitter and I thought our shape was good. What pleased me was the fact that the numerous changes I made did not affect the style I want us to play and all who came in slotted in well to the system .I have made regular changes and will do that again in the matches ahead as we try to build on last season and look to strengthen where I believe we can improve. We certainly do not need many additions to the squad but I am looking to ensure we have the strength in depth that any side needs if there is aspiration to be at the top end. I am hoping we learn a bit more with today's formidable challenge against a strong national league South side .We have some mouth watering matches ahead and I include Chelmsford in that comment. They are now a well established side at a level above us and they will be a stern test. They were a couple of seasons ago when they scored 7! Something I want to put right today. Support the boys in your usual manner – enjoy the game

#### Tom Loizou - Manager Haringey Borough F.C.

#### THE SECRETARY'S MUSINGS

This afternoon we welcome the players, officials and supporters of CHELMSFORD CITY FC to the CVS Van Hire Stadium for our third pre-season game of 2021/22. The Clubs have probably never met in a first team competitive match as they have never been in the same League at any time; possibly there may have been a cup match for which records are not immediately available. There was a friendly match when City visited Coles Park at the start of season 2019/20 to inflict a 7-0 defeat on us – so we should not find it too difficult to improve on that. Our Under 18s visited Chelmsford at the start of last season for an FA Youth Cup game and left 4-0 losers. Only our Women have the honour of having beaten a Chelmsford team – and by no less a score than 12-0 - when City visited us in 2016/17 for a Womens FA Cup game and before that there were many seasons of Eastern Region Womens League encounters up until 2011/12 when City left to join the Essex County League.

We extend a warm welcome also, of course, to our match officials who are Michael Mackey with the whistle; Steve Walsh and Will Prior on the lines

This will be the third of 8 or 9 pre-season games at Coles Park. The highlight is obviously against Sutton United, newly promoted to the Football League. We also have 4 games against National League sides. The full Schedule is:-

Saturday 3 July	July 3pm ROMFORD Lost 1-2		entry £5 adults Under 16s free				
Tuesday 6 July	7.45pm	ROYSTON TOWN Won 4-1	entry as above				
Saturday 10 July	3pm	CHELMSFORD CITY	entry £10 adults £5 Concessions U16s free				
Saturday 17 July	3pm	BILLERICAY TOWN	entry as above				
Tuesday 20 July	7.45pm	SUTTON UNITED	entry as above				
Saturday 24 July	3pm	OXFORD CITY	entry as above				
Tuesday 27 July	7.45pm	ALDERSHOT TOWN	entry as above				
Saturday 31 July	3pm	Opponents being sought					
Saturday 7 August	3pm	MARLOW	entry £5 adults Under 16s free				

Our second game game against Royston Town last Tuesday saw us win 4-1 but it was disappointing that circumstances prevented "The Crows" from sending their strongest team. Even so victory was not that easily come by as the visitors youngish team put on a determined display and it was not until the closing minutes that we scored our last two goals. Around the half hour mark Jamie O'Donoghue arrowed a shot low into the corner to the goalkeepers left to finish off a fine flowing move and, early in the second half, the much travelled Ryan Richefond who was with Maidstone United last season fired home low to double the lead. The margin was quickly reduced to one and to spare blushes the circumstances of its arrival are best not described. In the closing stages Bobson Bawling whose erstwhile finishing had been well below par threaded his way in from the left to unleash an unstoppable rocket right into the top corner from the edge of the penalty area. A minute from time Jorge Jassi Sambu was in the right place a few yards from goal to knock home a low cross from the right.

Last season's results, up to the time of abandonment of the League Competition, are shown further on together with the League tables for both our Premier Division and the National League South Division at the time the season was curtailed. It appears that both teams were quite well placed to challenge for a play-off spot, as were many other Premier Division teams. Our highlight was obviously the Buildbase FA Trophy run which ended in the 4th Round Proper at Oxford City when we went down 4-2 having led 2-0 at one stage. Our conquerors are among our pre-season visitors.

This season, the First Team will be playing 42 League games against the same teams as were in the Premier Division last season, there having been no promotion, relegation or sideways movements.

The League highlight for all Clubs will probably be the two games against Hornchurch in the light of their fantastic achievement in winning the Buildbase FA Trophy and we congratulate them heartily. You can see our 21 League home games without admission charge as we are maintaining the Free Season Ticket offer

for another season. To obtain one go to the Club's official website www.haringeyboroughfc.net and use the "Ticket Store" option. It is also worth bearing in mind that by becoming a Club Member for the sum of £50 (again via the "Ticket Store" option) you would then be able to see all of our pre-season friendlies at no cost and the aggregate charge for all such matches will exceed the cost of Membership. Of course there are many other benefits which Membership will bestow. The draws have not yet been made but the team will again be competing in the FA Cup (exempt until the 1st Qualifying Round on 4th September and FA Trophy (exempt until the 3rd Qualifying Round on 30th October) in which we hope for our now customary extended run in one or both, as well as the London Senior Cup and the Isthmian League Cup (all these being Competitions where we are obliged to charge for entry and share the proceeds 50/50 with the opposing Club so the Free Season Ticket will not be valid). No charge is made for the Under 23, Under 18 and Women's team home matches.

Rather disappointingly, the Under 23s League contains only 7 Clubs which will provide them with 18 games as they will play each other three times; if the weather is kind and the League season is completed reasonably early it is likely that the League will introduce some kind of supplementary competition

The number of teams in the Southern Counties Floodlight Youth League Nemean Division has increased to 10 which will also provide the Under 18s with 18 matches. The possibility of a supplementary competition may also arise in the event of early League match completion. They will also be competing in the FA Youth Cup - their first game in which will be at Home to Southend Manor in the week commencing 30th August, on a day yet to be agreed - as well as their League Cup.

The Women will play 22 League games as they remain in the 12 team Eastern Region Women's League Premier Division with one change from last years list as Harlow Town have been promoted to the Womens Premier League and Kings Lynn Town promoted from the League's First Division to replace them. They will also be playing in the Womens FA Cup, their League Cup and the Capital Womens Cup. They have already played one friendly (although technically in late June it was really a last season game as the FA allowed a month's extension of the season) and a goal laden draw away to Herts Vipers at the County Ground in Letchworth finished 5-5. They have three Sunday afternoon Friendlies fixed up, the first on Sunday 11th July.against Billericay Town Reserves.

All League fixtures for all Clubs are shown on our supporters website www.haringeyboroughfc.com albeit undated at the moment but actual dates will be entered as soon as the 4 Leagues release them. Friendly matches with dates are also included.

The normal midweek match day will be Tuesday for all our teams except the Under 23s who will normally play on Mondays but keep an eye on the .com website which is updated daily for cancellations and rearrangements are inevitable due to the unpredictable insertion of Cup Competitions especially in the early weeks of the season

Finally, we can confirm that our Groundshare with New Salamis FC, now promoted to the Premier Division of the Spartan South Midlands League, has been renewed for another season

### HARINGEY BOROUGH 2020/21 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(All Isthmian League Fixtures unless otherwise indicated)

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)				
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	L 0-1			
Sat 3 Oct	Н	CHERTSEY TOWN (FA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round)	W 2-0			
Mon 5 Oct	Н	EAST THURROCK UNITED	W 3-1			
Sat 10 Oct	А	Brightlingsea Regent	W 3-0			
Tue 13 Oct	Н	BRACKNELL TOWN (Emirates FA Cup 3rd Qualifying Round)	W 5-1			
Sat 17 Oct	Н	CRAY WANDERERS	L 1-3			
Sat 24 Oct	А	Maldon & Tiptree (Emirates FA Cup 4th Qualifying Round)	L 0-1			
Tue 27 Oct	А	Hornchurch	L 1-3			
Sat 31 Oct	А	Faversham Town (Buildbase FA Trophy 3rd Qualifying Round)	W 2-1			
Wed 4 Nov	А	Kingstonian	L 1-3			
Sat 5 Dec	Н	HENDON (FRIENDLY)	W 5-3			
Tue 8 Dec	Н	BISHOP'S STORTFORD (Buildbase FA Trophy 1st Round Proper)	W 2-1			
Tue 15 Dec	Н	EASTBOURNE BOROUGH (Buildbase FA Trophy 2nd Round Proper	W 3-1			
Sat 19 Dec	А	Dartford (Buildbase FA Trophy 3rd Round Proper)	W 1-0			
Sat 16 Jan	А	Oxford City (Buildbase FA Trophy 4th Round Proper	L 2-4			
Thur 13 May	Н	NEW SALAMIS (FRIENDLY)	W 8-1			
Tue 25 May	Н	HANWELL TOWN (LONDON SENIOR CUP QUARTER FINAL) (Lost 4-5 on penalty shoot out)	D 2-2			

Isthmian League	mian League Premier Division 2020/21			- at Time of Termination				
	Р	W	D	L	F	А	+/-	Pts
Worthing	8	7	0	1	22	10	+12	21
Cheshunt	10	6	1	3	13	14	-1	19
Enfield Town	10	6	0	4	15	17	-2	18
Kingstonian (+3)	9	5	0	4	15	18	-3	18
Carshalton Athletic	8	5	1	2	14	10	+4	16
Folkestone Invicta (+3)	9	4	1	4	13	13	0	16
Cray Wanderers	7	5	0	2	21	10	+11	15
Bishop's Stortford	6	4	2	0	13	5	+8	14
Hornchurch	10	4	2	4	17	12	+5	14
Horsham	10	4	2	4	19	15	+4	14
Haringey Borough	8	4	0	4	13	13	0	12
Leatherhead	9	3	3	3	8	15	-7	12
Bowers & Pitsea	5	3	1	1	13	5	+8	10
Bognor Regis Town (-3)	7	4	1	2	12	6	+6	10
Potters Bar Town	9	3	1	5	13	11	+2	10
Wingate & Finchley	8	3	1	4	18	17	+1	10
Lewes	8	2	2	4	8	15	-7	8
Brightlingsea Regent	10	2	1	7	11	20	-9	7
Margate	9	1	3	5	6	13	-7	6
East Thurrock United	9	1	2	6	10	21	-11	5
Merstham	8	1	1	6	8	18	-10	4

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	National League So	uth Divi	sion 20	20/21 -	at Time	of Term	ninatio	า	
		Р	W	D	L	F	А	+/-	Pts
1	Dorking Wanderers	18	12	3	3	40	17	+23	39
2	Dartford	19	10	4	5	26	17	+9	34
3	Eastbourne Borough	19	9	6	4	36	26	+10	33
4	Oxford City	17	9	5	3	35	17	+18	32
5	St Albans City	15	9	5	1	22	10	+12	32
6	Hampton & Richmond Borough	17	9	2	6	24	16	+8	29
7	Hungerford Town	19	9	2	8	27	28	-1	29
8	Ebbsfleet United	18	8	4	6	26	24	+2	28
9	Havant and Waterlooville	14	6	2	6	25	21	+4	20
10	Hemel Hempstead Town	18	6	2	10	28	38	-10	20
11	Maidstone United	13	5	4	4	24	18	+6	19
12	Dulwich Hamlet	13	4	4	5	15	17	-2	16
13	Chelmsford City	16	4	4	8	21	25	-4	16
14	Tonbridge Angels	14	5	1	8	16	23	-7	16
15	Billericay Town	17	4	4	9	26	35	-9	16
16	Chippenham Town	14	4	4	6	13	22	-9	16
17	Concord Rangers	14	3	5	6	16	24	-8	14
18	Bath City	13	4	1	8	16	23	-7	13
19	Braintree Town	16	4	1	11	19	34	-15	13
20	Slough Town	12	3	3	6	16	24	-8	12
21	Welling United	14	2	6	6	18	30	-12	12

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#### HARINGEY PLAYER PROFILES 2020-21

GEORGIOS ARESTI – Cypriot International midfielder who numbers AEK Athens among his previous Clubs; 2017/18 deadline day signing and near automatic selection last season. 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.

**YANNICK BITSINDOU** – strong full back or defensive midfielder now in his third season with us having previously been with Dereham Town; squad player knocking on the door for a first team spot

CHRISTOS DJAMAS – Cypriot Under 21 International signed in October 2020. Midfielder who was most recently on contract at Othello Athienoy and previously with Apoel Nicosia and Agia Napa

**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.

**CALLUM ISMAIL** – skilful young full back previously with Bowers and Pitsea who joined us in September 2018 and after establishing himself in the Under 23s and on the bench made his first start in December 2019

**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.

**MEKHI LEACOCK-McLEOD** – recent signing lastly with Romford. Wide attacker who numbers Halifax Town, Accrington Stanley and Eastleigh among his previous berths and Fulham, Wolverhalmpton Wandereres and Glasgow Rangers at Under 23 level.

**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.

**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/misfielder; 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.

#### 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				
Charne LEMBA				
David OLUFEMI				
Rakim RICHARDS				
Scott MITCHELL				
Tyrese OWENS				
Mekhi LEACOCK-MCLEOD				
Jorge DJASSI SAMBU				
Chid ONOKWAI				
Bobson BAWLING				
Anthony MCDONALD				
Jamie O'DONOGHUE				
Hector BETA				
Tyler MORGAN				
Richard ACHEAMPONG				
Nikola VUJEVIC				
Milos VUKASINOVIC				
Sidi HAIDARA				
Manager: Tom Loizou				
Assistant Manager: David Cumberbatch				
Coaches: Johnny Fitsiou Tucker O'Donoghue				

## From

Nile ATTWOOD Tom BLACKWELL Dara - DADA ANITE Luke DECLANDES Louis DUNNE Callum HARRISON Chez ISSAC **Cameron JAMES Callum JONES** Sam KINGSTON Aaron LANG Anisius LEWIS Jacob MARSDEN Adam MORGAN Adebola OLUWO **Robbie SIMPSON** David WINFIELD **Thomas WRAIGHT** + TRIALLISTS Manager: Robbie Simpson Management Team: Danny Clare Tom Hurding Steven Kirsh

#### MATCH OFFICIALS:

Referee: Michael Mackey assisted by Steve Walsh & Will Prior

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