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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. The merged Club played in the Athenian League until it ceased to operate at the end of the 1983/84 season and then played for 4 seasons in Division 2 North of the Isthmian League. After a period of instability culminating ia year in the wilderness away from Senior football in 1988/89 they were admitted to the Spartan



League in 1989/90 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 for 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.

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 quickly 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 what was then 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 at 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 another great but ultimately disappointing season 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 surprising 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 Semi-final 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. The 2021/22 season was more or less a non-event as regards any real challenge for the League top spots but the semi-finals of The League Cup and the London Senior Cup were reached with both game ending in odd goal defeats in the space of a week. We may well have set a Club record for the highest number of injuries sustained in any season and that even led to an outside chance of relegation towards the end of the season but the failings of others meant we were never in serious danger.

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 a challenge for at least a Play-off position is a realistic prospect as we pursue our ambition to achieve promotion to the National League which 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.

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 has always been near the top of the table, continued to do well in the following seasons and won the North Division Championship in 2021/22 but lost to South Division Champions Hastings United in the "Champion of Champions" play off.

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. They were Divisional winners of the Southern Counties Floodlit Youth League in 2004/05 (and also winners of the League's Colwyn Cup competition) and 2009/10. After a few seasons absence from Youth football the Under 18s rejoined the Southern Counties competition in 2017/18, winning its Divisional Championship at the first attempt and finishing towards the top of the table in the following seasons. This 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 Women's Team was formed in 1999 and competed in the Eastern Region Womens League winning promotion in its first season and then to its Premier Division for 2002/03; and there they have remained save for two seasons, the first being in 2011/12 following relegation to Division 1 from which they made an immediate Premier Division return as runners-up. Steady improvement began and we were extremely fortunate to have been approached midway through the 2014/15 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. In 2017/18, 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 which was a 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. Now under the stewardship of Bobby Cato significant steps forward seem certain and promotion is again a realistic prospect. An exceptionally young and talented squad was unlucky to find itself in danger of relegation towards the end of the 2021/22 season due to a high number of odd goal defeats but pulled clear with 4 vital points from the last two games. They look capable of going places if they stick together when experience is added to their armoury.

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.

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HISTORY OF AVELEY FC

AVELEY FOOTBALL CLUB was formed in 1927 and played in local leagues until 1939. Club activities were then suspended during the war years 1939/45. In 1946 the club was reformed and joined the Thurrock Combination. Aveley twice won the Essex Junior Cup, firstly in 1948, then retaining it the following year.

Aveley gained Senior League status in season 1949/50 and were elected into the London League, Division One. They were Division Champions in the 1951/52 season. In the same season they moved from Lodge Meadow to their present ground, Mill Field, and were promptly nicknamed The Millers. In season 1954/55 they were Division

Champions once again which was followed by election to The Delphian League in 1955/56. They competed in this league until 1962/63 with little success.

1963/64 saw Millers join the Athenian League. Full membership of the Football Association was granted in 1964/65. Season 1970/71 was probably the clubs most successful one. The first-round proper of the FA Cup was reached along with the FA Amateur Cup quarter-finals, they were also Champions of the Athenian League.

Aveley were elected to the Isthmian League in season 1973/74. Here they competed without success in Division One until they were relegated to Division Two North at the end of the 1985/86 season. Millers did however achieve two cup successes during this time. The Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy was won in 1979/80 and the Hornchurch Charity Cup in 1982/83.

The 1989/90 campaign was a memorable one for The Millers. Promotion back to Division One was gained with a tremendous end of season run-in to finish second to Heybridge Swifts by two points. This was followed by a 3-0 victory over Premier Division St. Albans in the final of the AC Delco (League) Cup. This made Aveley the first team from the lowest division to win this competition. After this the club slipped down to Division Three and cup successes were limited to appearances in the finals of both the East Anglian Cup and the Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy in 1997/98.

The 1999 / 2000 season started well with Aveley being un-beaten in the League at Christmas. However, a turn in fortunes saw them slip and eventually finish 9th. This was followed by 6th place in season 2000/01. A roller-coaster season 2001/02 saw the club finish third behind Hornchurch and champions Croydon Athletic and gain promotion to Division 1 North.

An excellent season for the Millers in 2002/03. Good runs in the FA Cup and Bryco Cup were capped by an appearance in the Essex Senior Cup Final. This did not go Millers way however with Chelmsford City winning 5-0. The Third Qualifying Round of the FA Cup was reached, eventually losing out to Canvey Island 2-0. A good run-in saw Millers finish in sixth place in the League.

The 2003/04 campaign saw the club eventually finish in 14th place. Millers matched the previous season's performance and reached the final of the Essex Senior Cup. This time a much-improved display saw them go down 3-1 to local rivals Thurrock. The final game of the season was another cup final. This time in the East Anglian Cup, and a visit to Spalding United. This also finished in a 3-1 defeat for the Millers.

2004/05 was a disappointing one for Millers first season in the Southern League, the club finishing in 15th place. Compensation, however, came in the form of the Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy. Romford were beaten 1-0 in the final at The Mill Field. Simon Thomas scoring the only goal of the game. Another difficult season followed, on and off the pitch. Millers ended the season with their third manager, Steve Browne, steering them just clear of the relegation places.

A poor League season in 2006/07 was again compensated for by winning the Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy for the second time in three seasons.

After a disappointing start to the 2007 / 08 campaign, November saw the arrival of Rod Stringer as Manager, and fortunes turned with the Millers putting a string of impressive results together to finish the season in Mid-Table. 2008 / 09 saw the foundations that were laid the previous season, bare its fruit as the Ryman League Division One North Championship was won on the last day of the season in dramatic fashion at East Thurrock United. In a tense finish to the season, Millers created a club record of 11 straight away league wins, and Rod Stringer was duly judged as the Manager of the Season for the Division.

2009 / 10 our first in the Isthmian Premier Division saw a great finish to the season, with 12 wins from the last 14 games, taking us into 3rd position and a home semi-final play-off against Boreham Wood. Unfortunately,



it was one step too far, and a 1-0 defeat saw the end of a fantastic season.

During the close season Rod Stringer departed for Braintree Town, taking with him his management team, and the whole playing squad. A difficult season was endured with a last day 3-2 win at Hastings being significant as the club survived relegation by virtue of a reprieve despite finishing 4th from bottom of the table

2011 / 12 was much of the same, and relegation was confirmed after a poor season. Justin Gardner took over the reins in February of 2012, and has this season assembled a strong playing squad that is currently challenging for an immediate return to the Premier Division.

2012 / 13 was a successful season with the team occupying a play off positions all season. Unfortunately, we lost out in the semi-final at Maldon & Tiptree.

The most significant result of the 2013 / 14 season was the news in March that after many years of trying, the Club has finally achieved planning for new state of the art facilities. After a protracted period of negotiations. work commenced on the new stadium build in July 2016, and it is hoped that the new premises will be occupational for the start of the 2017 / 18 campaign.

After a solid start to the 2016/17 campaign, Justin Gardner resigned from his role of team manager after a 4 1/2-year term. Terry Spillane was subsequently appointed in October.

August the 1st 2017 is a truly remarkable day in the Millers 90-year history. The day finally arrives with the opening of Parkside, the new home of the Millers. Dulwich Hamlet are the first visitors to open the stadium. With the new stadium came the exciting appointment of James Webster as the Millers Boss, who joined in October from Brightlingsea Regent where he had led them from Step 7 to Step 3 in 7 seasons.

Our second season at Parkside, witnessed a promotion challenge, finishing runners up, but losing the play off semi-final.

Season 2019 / 20 was memorable not only for the early curtailment of the season, with us sitting again in 2nd position, but a club record run in the FA Trophy to the quarter final where we lost to Notts County at Meadow Lane in front of a record attendance for any Aveley game of 4893 (530 Aveley fans).

November 21 and we welcome Danny Scopes into the managerial post. Danny arrives from a very successful time at Concord Rangers, where he led his Step 2 club to Wembley in May '21, losing out to Harrogate Town in the FA Trophy in a match against league opposition held over from the previous season.

Season 2021/22 see the Millers achieve promotion by winning the division and taking their place back at Step 3 for the first time since 2012.





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Chairman - Haringey Borough FC

A warm welcome to all from Aveley who this afternoon will be looking to get their promotion bid back on track after their fine recent form was halted by Brightlingsea last weekend. With the league so tight and still a great chance of automatic promotion by way of being Champions I am sure they come here full of hope and intent upon continuing their amazing season thus far. For our part we have hit a bit of a purple patch albeit too late to have an impact upon our season but we showed two weeks ago with that performance against Hornchurch and more recently with wins against Kingstonian and the London senior cup in midweek that we can compete with the best of the division. Aveley are amongst the best and we will endeavour to continue with our good run. I have to say that the win against Wingate on Tuesday and the manner of the win with the last minute of extra time goal from Matty Young has lifted all of us. It's been 13 years since we last made a cup final and after the two defeats in last season's Velocity and London Senior Cup semi finals I have to say it is just reward to you the fans. It has been a difficult period over the last few years since the FA Cup TV appearance with the pandemic and the challenges everyone has faced since. We have however managed to increase the fan base substantially and this year has been amazing. In order to spread the word and attract yet more of you to the club we are hosting a special open day on the last day of the season against Cray Wanderers where everyone including the away fans will be allowed in absolutely free. Make sure you spread the word and tell everyone you know and let us make it a very special day. Moreover we have decided to have the annual Club presentations immediately after the end of the game so that more fans than normal are present and can show their support to all of the Club's teams namely the men's first team, the women's first team, the under 23's and the under 18's. We all believe that will it will be a fitting way to end the season on a high and look forward to what I am convinced will be a very successful season next season .As I said in my last notes the free season ticket will continue for an 8th successive season and I am keen to keep pushing the club forward and getting yet more local people through the turnstile to witness what is a truly fantastic league which is so well run and managed and a joy to participate in. I want more of you to see what we see week in week out. Non league football is on the radar with so much more focus in all social media outlets and I want us to play our part in introducing it to many who hitherto may not have appreciated the quality of the football and the level of organisation. Get your friends and family to come, spread the word, enjoy today and let's have more of those nights we experienced last Tuesday – Come on Boro!

Aki Achillea - Chairman Haringey Borough F.C

Manager - Haringey Borough FC

A great feeling to have reached a major cup final and the first time for many years, the last time in 2012 we went on to win the Cup and I hope we do so again this time. We have no idea who we will play but we know it will be at Hendon where we have a score to settle after our Cup semi final defeat there last season. The performance on Tuesday was full of the power and endeavour and passion I demand. We played so well throughout we could easily have scored many more but had to wait until the very last kick of extra time for Matty to come up with a wonder strike to send us through. A fitting goal to match the performance and the reaction of all of you at the final whistle was something that will stay with me and my staff for a long time. Today we are back on league duty and we will continue to treat the league and all of the teams in it with respect as we try to derail Aveley's title challenge as we did a couple of weeks ago to Hornchurch and will try to do against Enfield, Lewes and Cray in the remaining games. I am pleased we have such tough matches as I try to work out who will stay and where we need to improve to mount a sustained challenge next season. The boys have been magnificent these last few games and I want that to continue to the very last game. I want them to make my job a tough one as they seek to show all of us they want to be here and deserve to be here next season. To that end give them, as usual, your support as they seek to make you as proud as they did last Tuesday – Come on Boro!

Tom Loizou - Manager Haringey Borough F.C

THE SECRETARY'S MUSINGS

This afternoon we take the opportunity to welcome the players Officials and supporters of promotion chasing AVELEY FC. We welcome too, of course, our Match Officials who are Paul Stratton with the whistle assisted by Mahdi Elahalawany and Lewis Moore with the flags.

Every match for our visitors is now vital and although it is a relief that we can relax knowing that we are comfortably housed in mid-table obscurity in truth we wish we too were in the 10 team scrap for the two precious top 5 places. We are more than good enough as our recent performances including the 1-1 draw with Hornchurch will in particular testify. But the sad truth is that there has been just too much dross interspersed with the sparkling performances, the abject one at Bowers & Pitsea a few weeks ago being a prime example. Our season can be summed up in one word – inconsistency. But we will certainly have a say in the destination of the title and play off places for 3 of our remaining 4 League games are against contenders – Enfield Town, Lewes and Cray Wanderers.

This will be the 8th meeting of the Clubs since we regained Isthmian status in season 2015/16 and the Division One North results were:-

16/2/16 Borough 3 Aveley 1

11/4/16 Aveley 1 Borough 1

5/9/16 Borough 4 Aveley 5

30/12/16 Aveley 2 Borough 1

8/1/18 Borough 3 Aveley 2 (Borough 'keeper Austin Byfield scored the late winner with a kick from his own penalty area)

16/4/18 Aveley 1 Borough 3

22/10/22 Aveley 3 Borough 0

At the end of season 2018/19 Borough were promoted to the Premier Division and Aveley were promoted into it this season and have more than held their own.

Before that there were two seasons in the 1980s when both Clubs were in the same Division (2 North) of the Isthmian League. In 1986/87 Borough won 4-1 at Aveley while the game at Coles Park finished 1-1. In 1987/88 both matches were drawn - 1-1 away 0-0 home.

Prior to that there were many matches in the Delphian and Athenian Leagues in the 1950s, 1960s and early 1970s between Aveley and the Edmonton half of our subsequently merged Club. The Edmonton home games took place ar the Barrass Stadium.

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Tuesday 28th March 2023 HARINGEY BOROUGH v WINGATE & FINCHLEY (London Senior Cup (Sponsored by Veo) Semi-Final Tie)

For the third time this season we faced our nearest Step 3 opponents and a goal feast was in nobody's expectations given the two drab goal-less draws the League games produced. Nor did such materialise. After 270 minutes still no sight of a goal and there seemed every likelihood that the goal-less 300 mark would be reached with many of the 302 spectators resigned to the unsatisfactory settlement of proceedings by a penalty shoot out. But with 4 minutes remaining Matt Young decided enough was enough and unleashed a 20 yard rocket which flew, arrow straight, high into the net well beyond the reach of the Wingate 'keeper. Cue great joy in the Borough ranks. That was really the only flash of outstanding quality in the match. Mercifully only two minutes stoppage time had to be endured and while the ball never found sanctuary in the allotments neither did it seriously threaten our goal as we played out time with no real scares. As was to be expected with a Final appearance at stake the game was fought out with no quarter asked or given and never really got flowing, unsurprisingly given the multiplicity of free kicks. Neither defence was in a mood to give anything away cheaply. In the first half we missed several opportunities and really ought to have put at

least one away as the ball was driven hard and low across the goal with no one able to get a decisive touch. The visitors approach play often seemed to spell danger but although 'keeper Max pulled off some important stops he was never asked to perform miracles. Neither was the Wingate custodian for that matter. Thus did we secure our first Final win since 24th April 2012 when we won the Spartan South Midlands League Trophy by beating Hillingdon Borough 1-0 at Hanwell Town's Reynolds Fields Stadium. Almost forgotten is our last appearance in a final – that of the Essex Senior League's Gordon Brasted Trophy on 13th May 2014 when we went down by the only goal of the game to Hullbridge Sports played on their ground.

NEWS OF OUR OTHER TEAMS

The Under 23s. Just one game to go for us in the 6 team division. We will not finish top, bottom or 5th so it matters little if we end up 2nd, 3rd or 4th.

The Under 18s. Mid-table also for this team following an inconsistent season which has seen some surprising results, both good and bad.

Our Womens Team. A thrilling end to the season is in prospect as we are one of 5 teams in this 11 team Division battling it out for promotion into Step 2 of the Womens Non Professional pyramid. To be Champions we will probably have to win all 5 of our remaining games starting tomorrow with the trip to the leaders AFC Sudbury. Defeat there would effectively end our hopes as we would then have dropped 18 points to Sudbury's 9 and it would be, optimistic in the extreme to expect Sudbury to drop 9 points in their remaining few games even if we won our other 4. But a win could set up a thrilling finish to our season at Coles Park on 30th April when Sudbury visit us for what will be our last game of the season. But unfortunately not for Sudbury who will still have two games to play against bottom 3 teams so unless at the end of the 30th April game we are at least 6 or preferably 7 points ahead of them a long period of uncertainty looms with disappointment the mostly likely outcome. All this assumes that the other three contenders will have slipped up and we will have the opportunity to dent Luton Town's chances on Easter Sunday when they visit us. Current League Table below.

	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	Pts
Stevenage FC	16	10	2	4	47	23	24	32
AFC Sudbury	13	10	0	3	41	19	22	30
Needham Market	14	10	0	4	41	33	8	30
Haringey Borough	14	8	3	3	55	34	21	27
Luton Town	11	7	1	3	26	15	11	22
Bowers & Pitsea	15	7	0	8	36	36	0	21
Wroxham	13	5	0	8	25	45	-20	15
Royston Town	12	3	3	6	19	26	-7	12
Colney Heath	11	3	2	6	15	25	-10	11
Bedford	14	2	1	11	25	41	-16	7
Kings Lynn Town	13	1	2	10	14	47	-33	5
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The proceeds of the 50/50 draws are passed on to the Womens team to help with its running costs, which are quite considerable as will be obvious from the table below, and is much appreciated.

NEXT HOME FIRST TEAM MATCH Friday 7th April v MARGATE 3pm

(Pitching In Isthmian League – Premier Division)

NOTE DATE – Match brought forward from Saturday 8th

NEXT AWAY FIRST TEAM MATCH Monday 10th April v ENFIELD TOWN 3pm

(Pitching In Isthmian League – Premier Division)

At Queen Elizabeth II Stadium, Donkey Lane, Enfield, EN1 3PL 217 bus from Turnpike Lane to Carterhatch Lane then 5 minute walk to Stadium

OTHER TEAMS UPCOMING MATCHES (before next home game)
Sunday 2nd April WOMEN away to AFC Sudbury (League) 2pm
Monday 3rd April UNDER 18s away to Hanwell Town (League) 7.45pm

THE HOME GAME WITH CRAY WANDERERS ON 22nd APRIL

We want to end our League campaign in front of what we would like to be our highest attendance of the season. So for absolutely everyone entry will be totally FREE. With an eye to the future we particularly want to attract young supporters and to that end will be getting the "Free" message across to all the Schools in the Borough during the next few weeks.

ADVANCE NOTICE FOR NEXT SEASON

THE CHAIRMAN HAS ALREADY ANNOUNCED THAT - FOR YET ANOTHER SEASON THE FREE SEASON TICKET OFFER WILL BE CONTINUED.

HOW TO GET ONE?

KEEP AN EYE ON THE CLUB'S OFFICIAL WEBSITE www/haringeyboroughfc.net FOR THE APPLICATION OPENING DATE

(fellow IT Neanderthals like me are welcome to approach me to obtain a cardboard issue with no risk of being made to feel foolish)

AGAIN WE WILL BE SEEKING TO ADVISE EVERY PUPIL IN THE BOROUGH'S SCHOOLS THAT ENTRANCE FOR THEM WILL BE FREE FOR EVERY 21 OF OUR LEAGUE GAMES AND THAT THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS CAN ALSO ENJOY FREE ENTRY BY THE SIMPLE EXPEDIENT OF ACQUIRING A FREE SEASON TICKET.



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Don't worry, Player Focus is back! This week we turn the spotlight on a loan signing. There have been some great loans down the years. Henry's swansong at Arsenal, the return of Klinsmann to White Hart Lane, Romelu Lukaku at West Brom... (What!? He was great!)

And a great signing this one has proved too! Following his return in the new year, we're savouring every last moment of the season's twilight with our midfield maestro MATTY YOUNG. Not least the screamer that saw us into the London Senior Cup final on Tuesday Night!

WE WERE ALL DELIGHTED TO SEE YOU BACK AT COLES PARK AFTER YOUR EARLIER LOAN SPELL, MATTY. HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR TIME WITH BORO OVERALL?

I've really enjoyed my time at Boro. It's been really beneficial for me playing regular football week in week out and I hope my performances have also helped the club progress this season and that the fans have enjoyed watching me play too.

COMING IN ON LOAN CAN SOMETIMES BE TRICKY, ESPECIALLY WITH A TIGHT KNIT CORE SQUAD SUCH AS OURS. HOW DID YOU FIND SETTLING IN?

Settling in was not a problem as the lads here are all top class. The main core group that have been here in both my loan spells are all good players but they are also good people off the pitch. Most of the players here have been in football a long time now and are experienced in helping young players like myself come through and get settled quickly so you don't have to worry about fitting in and can just focus on the football.

YOU'VE HAD A BIG INFLUENCE ON THE WAY BORO GO FORWARD, AND WE MORE THAN MATCHED THE LEAGUE LEADERS IN THAT RESPECT A FORTNIGHT AGO - WHAT'S YOUR ASSESSMENT OF THAT GAME AND THE BORO ATTACK MORE GENERALLY?

We played really well against Hornchurch and we should've seen it over the line and got the 3 points. When we play against the top teams in the league you can definitely see everyone's concentration levels go up and that was the case against Hornchurch. We attacked with pace and were very direct in the way we won it back and then went straight up the other end and made chances at their goal.

YOUR EXPERIENCE SPANS SEVERAL LEVELS OF THE GAME - WHAT ARE SOME OF THE UNIQUE PARTS OF THE ISTHMIAN PREMIER?

I think the most unique part of the Isthmian league is the fact that anyone can beat anyone. If you aren't 100% focused it doesn't matter who you're playing you will struggle if you're not at it. Our results show that really: one week we lose to Bowers, the next we are beating Hornchurch for 90 plus minutes. I guess the unpredictability of it makes it quite entertaining for the fans.

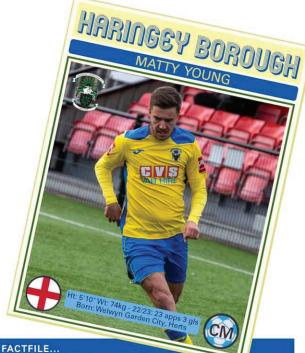
WE'LL ALL BE SAD TO SEE YOU GO WHEN YOUR LOAN FINISHES, BUT IT DOES GIVE US SOMEONE TO LOOK OUT FOR! WHAT ARE YOU HOPING TO ACHIEVE IN YOUR FOOTBALL CAREER?

I'm hoping to play at the highest level I can really. It's not been the best season for me if i'm honest, so next year i'm just going to focus on playing every week and get a full season where I play regularly and enjoy my football.

YOU SCORED ONE OF BORO'S GOALS OF THE SEASON IN THE LAST MINUTE OF BORO'S SENIOR CUP SEMI-FINAL ON TUESDAY NIGHT -THE CELEBRATIONS WERE WILD! HOW DID IT FEEL?

It was a great feeling scoring the other night. I think I was the most surprised person in the stadium when it went in as it was off my weaker right foot! But it was great to get over the line and win and get into the final which we can all look forward to and enjoy.

Got a burning question you really need to know the answer to? Want to interview a Boro star yourself? Let us know - tweet @stourdave or email stourdave [at] googlemail [dot] com



FULL NAME: Matthew Alan Young

FAMILY: Live at home with my Parents, Sister and Girlfriend.

CAR: Fiesta

JOB OUTSIDE FOOTBALL: Don't have one currently and I hope it stays that way.

FOOTBALL...

JOINED BORO IN: October and February

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Cambridge and Leyton Orient

FAVOURITE PLAYER: Declan Rice

"OTHER" TEAM: West Ham

MOST DIFFICULT OPPONENT: Lucas Moura

FAVOURITE ISTHMIAN AWAY TRIP: One of the close

ones - never want to go back to Hastings again.

MOST MEMORABLE GAME: Kingstonian at home when every goal was a worldie.

WORST THING ABOUT FOOTBALL: How much it goes

up and down.

FAVOURITES...

FOOD: Chicken

BEVERAGE: Cappuccino

PIZZA TOPPING: Not pineapple that's for sure

[Thanks for starting World War III, Mattyl]

CRISP FLAVOUR: Prawn Cocktail

CHOCOLATE BAR: KitKat

HOLIDAY DESTINATION: Loved Mexico

FILM: Hangover

TV SHOW: Full Swing (Netflix) ACTOR: Ricky Gervais

MUSICIAN: Ed Sheeran

HOBBIES: Golf and Snooker

OFF-SEASON ACTIVITY: Playing golf, going on holiday

CLAIM TO FAME: don't really have one, I'd hate to be

famous anyway

DISLIKES: Ben Allen

[We think - but can't be sure - that this is a joke...!]

BIGGEST INFLUENCE: My family

BIGGEST THRILL: Playing against West ham

BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT: When managers say you

aren't good enough FANTASY DINNER PARTY: Mark Noble, Tiger Woods,

Ronnie O'Sullivan

HARINGEY PLAYER PROFILES 2022-23

BEN ALLEN – attacker signed from Aveley on the last Saturday morning of January 2023 who made a scoring debut that afternoon. He was a young player at Phoenix Sports when snapped up by Gillingham, where he turned out for their Under 18 side and a few times for the first team. Loan time at Greenwich Borough followed, and then he moved to National League Bromley, before having some loan time at Lewes. Also has National League experience with Welling United, Concord Rangers and Hungerford Town.



GEORGIOS ARESTI – Cypriot International midfielder who numbers AEK Athens among his previous Clubs; 2017/18 deadline day signing and now virtually an automatic selection for every match

BOBSON BAWLING – attacking midfielder in second spell with us who left for Hendon at the end of last season but came back at Christmas. Originally joined us from Enfield Town at the start of the 2020/21 season having previously been with Crawley Town, Woking and St. Albans City.

ERALD DESA – attacker recently signed who has considerable past Isthmian experience with Merstham, Cray Wanderers, Cheshunt and, most recently, Corinthian Casuals and has also been with Welwyn Garden City and Brimsdown. Has represented Albania at Youth International level.

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 9th 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.

WILLIAM DUPRAY – tall, strong defensive midfielder in his second spell at Borough. Signed in the close season having been with Ware last season. A much travelled player who has had spells at Northwood, Corinthian Casuals, Bracknell Town, Harlow Town, Wingate & Finchley, Welwyn Garden City, Chalfont St. Peter, Cambridge City and Scunthorpe United

SCOTT DUROJAIYE – a familiar name who re-joined us early this season. "Olu" is a very experienced and widely travelled midfielder with experience at several National League sides including Hungerford Town, Welling United, Braintree Town, Maidstone United, Woking, Dartford and most recently Peterborough Sports for which Club he played two games earlier this season and is now dual registered.

SONNY FISH – deadline day signing on Youth Loan terms from Leyton Orient. Tall, strong centre-forward who has represented Wales at Youth level and was on loan at Bowers & Pitsea earlier in the season.

ANDRONICOS GEORGIOU – mid season 2021/22 signing; a forward who graduated from Stevenage Academy and played in their EFL team. Also played for Wycombe Wanderers. Has also been loaned to Kings Langley, St. Albans City and Middlesbrough Under 23s.

STEFANOS GEORGIOU – younger brother of Andronicos signed from St. Margaretsbury a few days before the March 2022 Registration deadline; a right sided midfielder who immediately looked at home at this higher level of the game.

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

ALPHANSO KENNEDY – goalscoring winger signed in close season. Was with Wingate & Finchley last season and also played for FC Romania; played against us when we lost 1-0 at Wingate & Finchley on August Bank Holiday Monday 2019.

MEKHI LEACOCK-McLEOD – attacking midfielder who rejoined us earlier this season from Farnborough. Wide attacking midfielder who also numbers Halifax Town, Accrington Stanley, Eastleigh and Romford among his previous berths and Fulham, Wolverhampton Wanderers and Glasgow Rangers at Under 23 level.

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 thereafter; now an established member of the squad who sometimes wears the captains armband.

MICHAEL O'DONOGHUE – powerful full back who re-joined us after spending some time at National League side Concord Rangers. Formerly a professional with Colchester United. Superb dead-ball deliverer.

MAX OVENDEN – a goalkeeper signed in the close season with previous Isthmian experience at Cray Valley (PM) and the now defunct Thamesmead Town as well as extensive Southern Counties East experience with Punjab United.

SAMUEL OWUSU – midfielder signed from East Thurrock United on Christmas Eve 2021 who immediately took a place on the Boxing Day bench and made a 20 minute debut appearance. After several further such appearances made his first start in the London Senior Cup game against Tooting & Mitcham United and has firmly established himself as a serious starting line up contender.

HARRY PHILIPPOU – Long serving midfielder who has come through our Under 18 and 23 teams and made a scoring debut at Kingstonian on his First Team debut.

RIO DAVIDSON – PHIPPS – Deadline day signing. A right back who was with Bishop's Stortford last season but has been out of action this season through injury.

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. Captain for 2022/23.

MATT YOUNG – Classy mid-fielder in his second loan spell from Leyton Orient with us. Has also been on loan to Hemel Hempstead Town this season.

ALEXANDER ZAMANI – Goalkeeper from last season returning for second spell at the Club as a late addition to the squad just before the deadline. Dual registered with Bexhill United of the Southern Combination Premier Division and also with Billericay Town for a time earlier in the season.

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 on their toes - not just the players! With us since early 2009

DAVID CUMBERBATCH (FIRST TEAM ASSISTANT MANAGER) Long serving back up to the Manager and the first to judge the merits of the many applicants seeking trials with the Club.

JOHNNY FITSIOU (HEAD OF FOOTBALL OPERATIONS) Has a wealth of experience in professional and non-league football. He supports Tom and the Chairman, Aki, in everything football related.

THOMAS O'DONOGHUE (FIRST TEAM HEAD 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 player Michael.

MUSTAFA BASHKAL (FIRST TEAM COACH) "Bash" has joined the first team coaching staff, having previously managed Leatherhead football club 1st team.

PHIL STONE (GOALKEEPING COACH) Started out with Clapton FC then moved to Leatherhead.

JESSICA DEHAAN (FIRST TEAM PHYSIO) Qualified therapist with previous experience in Rugby and NFL.

AVELEY FC PLAYER PROFILES 2022-23

GOALKEEPERS:

JONATHAN NORTH: Jonathan North joined Aveley from National South side Slough Town. 'Northy' joined The National South outfit in the Summer of 2021 and made 48 appearances in all competitions, keeping 6 clean sheets in the league, and helping The Rebels to a 13th placed finish. Prior to joining the National South side Jonathan was a club legend at National League side Wealdstone where he made over 400 appearances across 10 years, earning himself a testimonial in August 2021.



DEFENDERS:

HARRY GIBBS: Central defender who first made his debut for Aveley back in 2016 in a 5-2 victory over Ware and went on to make 32 appearances in his first season with the club winning Young Player of the Year. After six seasons Gibbo has made 157 appearances for The Millers, scoring 16 goals from centre half in the process. During the 2017/18 season Harry made 5 appearances before leaving when former manager Terry Spillane was in charge. That move saw him go to Brentwood Town where he featured at both right back and centre half where he made 47 appearances, scoring four goals, one of them of course coming against us. Harry moved on to Hornchurch in October 2020 and helped the Urchins on their way to win the FA Trophy. But Harry moved back to The Millers in October 2021 and went on to make 39 appearances contributing to four goals on our way to winning the Isthmian North in April 2022.

JONATHAN NZENGO: Jonathan Nzengo joined The Millers midway through September 2019 after departing Romford after starting the season with National South side East Thurrock. In 2018/19 Nzengo was on dual-registration between Romford and former National South side East Thurrock United. For Romford he was involved in 9 goals in 15 appearances, scoring four and assisting five.

JASON RING: Jason started his career at Burnham Ramblers at the age of 16 and then had three great seasons at Great Wakering Rovers in the Isthmian North where during the 2018/19 season he had the most appearances with 41 and scored two goals. Ringo joined The Millers at the beginning of the 2020/21 season and featured 11 times, winning eight of those games and only losing three before the season was cut short. Ring went on to make 31 appearances, assisting three times before missing the last few games of the season due to injury.

RYAN SCOTT: Ryan started his career in the youth set up for Barnet and moved to feature for Wingate & Finchley and at the heart of Billericay Town's defence during the 2014/15 season before making the move to Jon Coventry's East Thurrock United in the 2015/16 season. Ryan Scott played a huge part in getting East Thurrock into the National South and helped them win the Essex Senior Cup for the first time in their history. Ryan has played over 60 times in the National South for East Thurrock, Concord Rangers and Braintree Town over the last two years. The central defender brings extra in the goals department too, scoring six times during the 2015/16 season which saw East Thurrock promoted to the National South.

TOM STEPHEN: Tom Stephen joined The Millers in May 2022 after four successful years at Bowers & Pitsea, helping fellow Essex based side to the Isthmian North title in 2018/19, and a historic Emirates FA Cup run, ending in a narrow 1-0 defeat at Sky Bet League One side Lincoln City. Over his time at Bowers & Pitsea, Tom made 126 appearances, 89 of them coming in the Isthmian Premier League which will bring more experience at this level ahead of the 2022/23 season for The Millers.

SIJU ODELUSI: Siju joined The Millers mid-October and made his debut in a 3-0 victory against Haringey Borough. Odelusi joined from Leiston after spending two seasons there. Siju has previously played for Leiston, Siju played for Tilbury, Hayes & Yeading United, Northwood and Westfield.

MIDFIELDERS:

KENNY AILERU: Kenny started his career in the Aldershot Town Youth Academy set-up and featured for Clapton and Phoenix Sports. Kenny made his way up through Phoenix Sports Reserve side and made 24 appearances for the first team in the 2019/20 season scoring eight goals and was instrumental in more. Kenny joined The Millers mid-December and made 19 appearances, scoring three times and assisting a further 3 times with Kenny only suffering defeat once in the league during his first season at Parkside.

JAMIE DICKS: Jamie joined us from Bowers & Pitsea in May 2022 after he spent five seasons with the club, making 151 appearances and scoring 19 goals, helping them win the Isthmian North back in 2018/19 and helping to establish Bowers & Pitsea as an Isthmian Premier League club and reaching for Emirates FA Cup First Round.

GARRETT KELLY: A player who is comfortable at both full back and across the midfield who is in his second spell with the football club after originally joining us at the end of the 2017/18 season, making 9 appearances and scoring one goal against away at Hornchurch. Garrett made 5 appearances the following season before departing to play football in Greece.

BRENDON SHABANI: Having joined in November 2021, Brendon became an integral part to our midfield and squad making 23 appearances and notching two assists in his time at Parkside last season. Brendon started his career at Sky Bet League Two side Leyton Orient and after being there from the age of 12, Brendon signed his first professional contract in 2019. Brendon went on to be in and around the Orient squad involved with their FA Trophy Third Round victory over National North side Blyth Spartans.

BENAS VAIVADA: Vaivada, a young and exciting talent joins The Millers from Margate after scoring four goals in 20 starts for the Kent side, scoring the winner against Haringey Borough which sealed Margate's place in the Velocity Trophy Final. Prior to signing for Margate, Benas played for Tower Hamlets guiding them to survival in the SCEFL, at Step 5. Due to Benas' success at that level he caught the eye of Margate who snapped him up and he delivered them to a cup final and just outside the play-offs in the Isthmian Premier League last season.

CONNOR WITHERSPOON: Connor Witherspoon joined The Millers during the 2017/18 season for an undisclosed fee from Isthmian Premier League side Brightlingsea Regent where he helped the R's become Isthmian North Champions making 68 appearances for them. Prior to Brightlingsea Regent, Connor featured for Brentwood Town leading them to the Isthmian Premier League after winning the Isthmian North play-offs.

FORWARDS:

MANNY OGUNRINDE: Manny signed for The Millers at the beginning of the 2020/21 season from Grays Athletic and went on to make 6 appearances scoring one in the opening day winner on his debut against Dereham Town. That season was then cut short and Manny signed-on for the 2021/22 season, making 39 appearances, scoring 9 and assisting on 8 occasions.

GEORGE SYKES: George joined The Millers from local rivals Tilbury during the 2019/20 season and scored on his debut in the FA trophy match away at East Grinstead. Sykes went on to score 15 and assist 10 in 27 games before the season ended early. In 2020/21 George made 10 appearances, scoring 5 and assisting twice before moving onto Brentwood Town, however, that season was stopped in November. George then re-joined The Millers at the start of the 2021/22 season, making 42 appearances, scoring 20 goals and assisting a futher 10 times, helping us win the Isthmian North.



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HARINGEY PLAYER STATS 2022-2023 ALL COMPETITIONS

Player		League		Cup				Total		
	Starts	Subs	Goals	Starts	Subs	Goals	Starts	Subs	Goals	
Andronicos Georgiou**	5	6	0	1	1	0	6	7	0	
Anthony Mendy*	9	5	5	4	1	2	13	6	7	
Ben Allen	12	0	8	2	0	0	14	0	8	
Bobson Bawling	11	2	3	0	0	0	11	2	3	
Callum Ismail	16	5	1	5	2	0	21	7	1	
Charne Lemba*	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	
Chaynie Fage Burgin*	9	10	3	3	2	3	12	12	6	
Christos Djamas	8	2	0	0	1	0	8	3	0	
Daniel Aldana Ortiz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Daniel Boateng*	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Destiny Olapido*	3	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	
Erald Desa	6	8	3	1	1	1	7	9	4	
Georgios Aresti	17	9	4	5	1	1	22	10	5	
Harry Philippou	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Helge Orome*	7	2	0	1	0	0	8	2	0	
Johnny Ashman*	14	4	3	4	2	0	18	6	3	
Jorge Djassi-Sambu	14	8	1	6	2	0	20	10	1	
Joshua Strizovic	8	0	0	2	0	0	10	0	0	
Josiah Bridgeman*	2	3	2	1	1	0	3	4	2	
Kaylen Hinds*	12	3	4	4	2	2	16	5	6	
Kwame Danso*	6	3	0	1	0	0	7	3	0	
Lewis Byrne-Hewitt*	3	1	0	1	1	0	4	2	0	
Luke Mewitt*	23	0	0	4	0	0	27	0	0	
Matthew Young	18	0	3	6	0	1	24	0	4	
Max Ovenden	6	0	0	3	0	0	9	0	0	
Mekhi McLeod	2	5	0	1	3	0	3	8	0	
Michael O'Donoghue	28	0	1	6	0	0	34	0	1	
Micheal Dome-Bemwin*	4	3	0	2	0	0	6	3	0	
Olalekan Osideko	1	3	1	1	0	0	2	3	1	
Olu Durojaiye	26	1	4	6	0	2	32	1	6	
Rakim Richards	21	1	3	4	0	0	25	1	3	
Rio Davidson-Phipps	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Samuel Owusu	22	3	0	4	2	0	26	5	0	
Scott Mitchell	30	0	1	5	0	0	35	0	1	
Stefanos Georgiou	17	6	3	5	1	0	22	7	3	
Tage Kennedy	30	7	0	5	2	0	35	9	0	
William Dupray	15	5	1	6	0	0	21	5	1	

^{*} No Longer at Club

^{**} On Loan to Kings Langley

	Isthmian League Premi	er Divisio	n 2022	/23 - up	to and	includir	ng 28/3/	/2023	
		Р	W	D	L	F	А	+/-	Pts
1	Hornchurch	37	22	8	7	89	43	+46	74
2	Bishop's Stortford	37	22	7	8	60	32	+28	73
3	Canvey Island	37	21	8	8	68	37	+31	71
4	Aveley	37	21	8	8	58	36	+22	71
5	Enfield Town	37	19	10	8	67	37	+30	67
6	Cray Wanderers	37	17	12	8	67	42	+25	63
7	Lewes	37	17	12	8	66	47	+19	63
8	Horsham	37	16	11	10	71	53	+18	59
9	Hastings United	36	17	8	11	49	34	+15	59
10	Carshalton Athletic	37	17	8	12	47	45	+2	59
11	Folkestone Invicta	37	17	4	16	70	57	+13	55
12	Billericay Town	36	15	7	14	55	53	+2	52
13	Potters Bar Town	37	14	5	18	49	76	-27	47
14	Bognor Regis Town	37	13	7	17	61	64	-3	46
15	Haringey Borough	37	12	10	15	61	65	-4	46
16	Margate	37	11	10	16	44	55	-11	43
17	Wingate & Finchley	37	9	12	16	44	57	-13	39
18	Kingstonian	37	8	9	20	36	68	-32	33
19	Herne Bay	37	8	7	22	50	81	-31	31
20	Bowers & Pitsea	37	7	9	21	40	67	-27	30
21	Corinthian-Casuals	37	6	5	26	33	78	-45	23
22	Brightlingsea Regent	37	4	9	24	35	93	-58	21

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HARINGEY BOROUGH FIRST TEAM 2022/23 FIXTURES

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

Fri 1 July	НОМЕ	LEYTON ORIENT (Friendly) 7pm	Lost 1-2
Tue 5 July	HOME	WALTHAMSTOW (Friendly)	Won 4-0
Sat 9 July	HOME	CHELMSFORD CITY	Won 2-1
Sat 16 July	HOME	WELWYN GARDEN CITY	Won 2-1
Tue 19 July	HOME	QPR UNDER 23s	Won 2-1
Sat 23 Jul	Away	Cheshunt 3 match Round Robin Tournament - THE CHESHUNT COMMUI	NITY CUP
		First game v Cheshunt 2nd game v Kings Lynn Town 3rd game 0-0 draw between Cheshunt & Kings Lynn thus meaning BOROUGH won the Cup	Won 2-0 Drew 1-1
Tue 26 Jul	HOME	WOODFORD TOWN	Won 7-1
Sat 30 Jul	HOME	HENDON	Drew 1-1
Tue 2 Aug	HOME	NEW SALAMIS	Won 2-0
Sat 6 Aug	HOME	MARLOW	Won 5-0
Sat 13 Aug	Away	Bishop's Stortford	Lost 1-2
Tue 16 Aug	HOME	HERNE BAY	Lost 2-4
Sat 20 Aug	HOME	CORINTHIAN CASUALS	Drew 2-2
Sat 27 Aug	Away	Carshalton Athletic	Won 1-0
Mon 29 Aug	HOME	WINGATE & FINCHLEY 3pm	Drew 0-0
Sat 3 Sep	Away	Maldon & Tiptree (FA Cup 1st Qualifying Round)	Lost 0-1
Tue 13 Sep	Away	Canvey Island	Drew 1-1
Sat 17 Sep	HOME	HORSHAM	Won 2-0
Sat 24 Sep	Away	Brightlingsea Regent	Drew 1-1
Tue 4 Oct	Away	Margate	Drew 3-3
Sat 8 Oct	HOME	BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT (FA Trophy 3rd Qualifying Round)	Won 1-0
Sat 15 Oct	HOME	BOWERS & PITSEA	Won 4-2
Sat 22 Oct	Away	Aveley	Lost 0-3
Mon 24 Oct	Away	Hashtag United (League Cup - aka Velocity Cup) Won 3-1 on penalties af	ter draw 1-1
Sat 29 Oct	HOME	BILLERICAY TOWN (FA Trophy 1st Round Proper)	Lost 1-3
Tue 1 Nov	Away	Hornchurch	Drew 3-3
Sat 5 Nov	HOME	FOLKESTONE INVICTA	Won 3-0
Tue 8 Nov	HOME	KINGSTONIAN	Won 5-2
Sat 12 Nov	Away	Hastings United	Lost 1-4
Sat 19 Nov	HOME	POTTERS BAR TOWN	Lost 1-2
Tue 22 Nov	HOME	ENFIELD TOWN (Velocity Cup 4th Round) Won 4-3 on penalties after	er 2-2 draw
Sat 26 Nov	Away	Bognor Regis Town	Won 1-0
Sat 3 Dec	HOME	LEWES	Lost 1-2
Tue 6 Dec	HOME	GLEBE FC (London Senior Cup)	Won 3-1
Sun 11 Dec	Away	Cray Wanderers	Lost 1-5

Mon 26 Dec	Away	Wingate & Finchley (1pm kick off)	Drew 0-0
Mon 2 Jan	HOME	ENFIELD TOWN (1pm Kick off)	Lost 1-2
Sat 7 Jan	Away	Corinthian Casuals	Won 2-0
Sat 14 Jan	HOME	CARSHALTON ATHLETIC	Won 1-0
Sat 21 Jan	Away	Folkestone Invicta	Lost 1-2
Sat 28 Jan	HOME	HASTINGS UNITED	Won 2-0
Tue 31 Jan	HOME	BISHOP'S STORTFORD	Lost 0-3
Sat 4 Feb	Away	Potters Bar Town	Drew 2-2
Tue 7 Feb	Away	Potters Bar Town (Velocity Cup Quarter Final)	Lost 1-3
Sat 11 Feb	HOME	BOGNOR REGIS TOWN	Lost 2-5
Tue 14 Feb	HOME	CANVEY ISLAND	Lost 1-2
Sat 18 Feb	Away	Billericay Town	Lost 1-3
Sat 25 Feb	HOME	BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT	Won 6-1
Tue 28 Feb	Away	Dartford (3rd Round London Senior Cup)	Won 1-2
Sat 4 Mar	Away	Horsham	Drew 3-3
Sat 11 Mar	Away	Bowers & Pitsea	Lost 1-2
Tue 14 Mar	Away	Herne Bay	Won 1-0
Sat 18 Mar	HOME	HORNCHURCH	Drew 1-1
Sat 25 Mar	Away	Kingstonian	Won 3-0
Tue 28 Mar	HOME	WINGATE & FINCHLEY (London Senior Cup Semi-Final) (ae	et) Won 1-0
Sat 1 Apl	HOME	AVELEY	
Fri 7 Apl	HOME	MARGATE 3pm	
Mon 10 Apl	Away	Enfield Town 3pm	
Sat 15 Apl	Away	Lewes	
Sat 22 Apl	HOME	CRAY WANDERERS	
Tue 2 May	Neutral	London Senior Cup Final to be played at Silver Jubilee Park, Kingsbury. Opposition will be the survivor from Welling United, Charlton Athletic Under 23s, Barking and Hendon	

HARINGEY BOROUGH U 23 DEVELOPMENT TEAM 2022/23 FIXTURES

(All Bluefin Sports Insurance - Isthmian League Development Division North unless otherwise indicated & all kick offs at 7.45pm)

Mon 1 August	HOME	COCKFOSTERS (Friendly)	Lost 1-2
Mon 15 Aug	HOME	GET SCOUTED (friendly)	Won 3-1
Mon 22 Aug	HOME	F C WOOD GREEN	Won 9-0
Mon 5 Sep	HOME	BRENTWOOD TOWN	Won 3-2
Mon 3 Oct	Away	Felixstowe & Walton United	Lost 0-2
Mon 10 Oct	HOME	ARSENAL IN THE COMMUNITY UNDER 23s (Friendly)	Won 3-2
Mon 17 Oct	HOME	BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT	Won 3-1
Wed 26 Oct	Away	Brentwood Town	Lost 0-4
Mon 31 Oct	HOME	HEYBRIDGE SWIFTS	Lost 0-2
Mon 7 Nov	HOME	BURY TOWN	Lost 0-5
Wed 30 Nov	Away	Heybridge Swifts	Won 3-1
Wed 7 Dec	Away	Brightlingsea Regent	Won 4-2
Mon 9 Jan	HOME	HEYBRIDGE SWIFTS	Won 4-1
Mon 23 Jan	HOME	BRENTWOOD TOWN	Lost 0-2
Wed 25 Jan	HOME	MGC SPORTS (fron Greece) (Friendly)	Won 3-2
Mon 30 Jan	HOME	FELIXTOWE & WALTON UNITED	Won 4-0
Mon 13 Feb	HOME	BURY TOWN	Won 5-3
Mon 20 Feb	Away	Felixstowe & Walton United	Won 1-0
Mon 6 Mar	Away	Bury Town	Lost 2-5
Undated	Away	Brightlingsea Regent	

HARINGEY BOROUGH UNDER 18 TEAM 2022/23 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(All Southern Counties Floodlit Youth League League Delphian Division Fixtures unless otherwise indicated. Home matches kick off at 7.45pm. Away matches at discretion of Opponents)

Fri 2 Sep	Away	Heybridge Swifts (FA Youth Cup)	Lost 2-3
Wed 7 Sep	Away	Langley	Drew 2-2
Mon 12 Sep	HOME	ENFIELD BOROUGH	Lost 3-4
Wed 28 Sep	Away	Harrow Borough	Won 5-0
Wed 12 Oct	Away	Potters Bar Town	Lost 1-3
Mon 24 Oct	HOME	HILLTOP	Drew 1-1
Mon 14 Nov	Away	New Salamis - at Coles Park	Won 3-2
Wed 23 Nov	Away	Edgware & Kingsbury	Lost 2-3
Wed 28 Now	HOME	HANWELL TOWN	Lost 1-5
Mon 5 Dec	HOME	HARROW BOROUGH	Lost 3-4
Mon 19 Dec	HOME	NEW SALAMIS	Won 3-2
Tue 3 Jan	HOME	EDGWARE & KINGSBURY	Drew 3-3
Wed 22 Feb	away	Hilltop	Won 4-0
Mon 27 Feb	HOME	POTTERS BAR TOWN	Lost 0-1
Mon 13 Mar	HOME	HAYES & YEADING UNITED	Won 2-0
Mon 20 Mar	HOME	LANGLEY	Won 6-1
Thur 30 Mar	away	Enfield Borough	
Mon 3 Apl	away	Hanwell Town	
Mon 24 Apl	away	Hayes & Yeading United	

HARINGEY BOROUGH WOMEN 2022/23 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(All Eastern Region Womens League Premier Division Fixtures with 2pm kick offs unless otherwise indicated)

Sun 10 Jul	HOME	HARINGEY GIRLS ACADEMY (friendly)	Drew 3-3
Sun 24 Jul	Away	Wodson Park (friendly)	Won 9-1
Sun 31 Jul	HOME	EBBSFLEET UNITED (friendly) 1pm	Won 6-0
Sun 14 Aug	HOME	MILTON KEYNES DONS DEVELOPMENT TEAM (Friendly)	Won 8-3
Sun 21 Aug	HOME	NEEDHAM MARKET	Won 4-3
Tue 30 Aug	HOME	HARLOW TOWN	Won 5-2
Sun 4 Sep	Away	Luton Town	Lost 2-3
Sun 18 Sep	HOME	CAMDEN TOWN (friendly)	Won 2-1
Sun 25 Sep	HOME	KINGS LYNN TOWN	Drew 2-2
Sun 2 Oct	Away	Hastings United (WFA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round)	Lost 1-2
Sun 9 Oct	Away	Wroxham	Won 8-0
Sun 30 Oct	Away	Bowers & Pitsea	Lost 1-3
Sun 6 Nov	HOME	BEDFORD	Won 4-3
Sun 20 Nov	HOME	AFC ACORNS (Capital Womens Senior Cup)	Won 4-2
Sun 27 Nov	Away	Stevenage	Drew 4-4
Sun 4 Dec	Away	Royston Town	Drew 1-1
Sun 8 Jan	Away	Needham Market	Won 8-7
Sun 22 Jan	Away	London Seaward (Capital Womens Senior Cup) Won 5-3 on penal	lties after 2-2 draw
Sun 29 Jan	HOME	STEVENAGE	Won 1-0
Sun 5 Feb	HOME	ROYSTON TOWN	Lost 2-3
Sun 12 Feb	Away	Bedford	Won 5-4
Sun 19 Feb	HOME	LONDON BEES (Capital Womens Senior Cup)	Lost 3-5
Sun 26 Feb	Away	AFC Sudbury (League Cup)	Lost 4-5
Sun 5 Mar	Away	Kings Lynn Town	Won 8-0
Sun 12 Mar	HOME	WROXHAM	Won 5-1
Sun 26 Mar	HOME	BOWERS & PITSEA	Won 3-1
Sun 2 Apl	Away	AFC Sudbury	
Sun 9 Apl	HOME	LUTON TOWN	
Sun 16 Apl	Away	Colney Heath	
Sun 23 Apl	HOME	COLNEY HEATH	
Sun 30 Apl	HOME	AFC SUDBURY	



TODAYS TEAMS



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Benas VAIVADA

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Manny OGUNRINDE

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