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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 in a 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 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. 2022/23 was a disappointment in League terms as we lost our way quite early after a start which gave rise to play-off hopes and 15th place was the final outcome. But we did reach the London Senior Cup final where we faced Charlton Athletic Under 23s at Hendon's Silver Jubilee Park. Three down after half an hour we looked dead and buried but fought back ferociously to level with three goals all from set pieces (2 direct free kicks and a penalty) finally going down to a 3-5 defeat after extra time.

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. 2022/23 saw the North Division reduced to just 6 teams playing each other 3 times following withdrawals and the League will not be continuing with an Under 23 (Development) Section at all. 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 until falling away somewhat and finishing mid-table in 2022/23. 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 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 tie up with the Haringey Girl's Academy run by Adem Ali has proved massively successful and for the first time we are in a situation where talented young teenagers are ready and eager to compete for a place in the Women's squad as soon as they turn 16, although being a team substantially composed of schoolgirls in an Adult League is not without its problems.

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 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 ENFIELD TOWN FC



Formed on 23rd June 2001, Enfield Town FC started life in the Essex Senior League in 2001-02. The club finished runners-up in that first season before winning the league championship the following year. Their time spent in the ESL was successful, with two championships, two league cups, a Middlesex Charity Cup and wins in the Gordon Brasted Memorial Trophy and Capital Counties Feeder Leagues Trophy finals to show for their efforts.

After securing promotion to the Southern League (East) in 2005 under manager Jim Chandler, the Towners had a successful first season at that level, before eventually losing to Wivenhoe Town in the promotion play-offs. The following year, following a move into the Ryman League for 2006-07, the club again finished 3rd – this time losing out in the play-offs to AFC Sudbury. In 2009-10, the club yet again only just missed out on promotion, being beaten this time by Concord Rangers in the play-off final.

The club originally played at Goldsdown Road, the home of Brimsdown Rovers, in a ground share arrangement. But in October 2008, the London Borough of Enfield announced a deal with the club which paved the way for it to relocate to the Queen Elizabeth II Stadium. Realising a long-held dream, the club worked closely with the Council to see the old athletics arena restored and upgraded to be able to host Isthmian League football. At last the club had a home of its own, a short distance from the former Enfield FC stadium in Southbury Road. While retaining a running track as a training facility for local use, the club has been able to provide an atmospheric environment. The Stadium was formally opened in November 2011 with a match against a Tottenham Hotspur XI.

Following the move to the new ground, after finishing as Ryman League Division One (North) runners-up under manager Steve Newing, Town overcame Grays Athletic and Needham Market in two very close play-off matches to secure promotion to Step 3. Subsequently, after aiming for a period of consolidation, safety was only guaranteed on the final day of the 2013-14 campaign with a 2-1 win at Cray Wanderers.

Bradley Quinton succeeded George Borg as first team manager in August 2014 and, such was the team's improvement that a play-off place was achieved, only for three crucial points to be deducted in controversial circumstances towards the end of the campaign which consequently led to a final league placing of 7th.

In 2015-16, the side embarked upon an impressive late run, but missed out on a play-off spot by two points. Then in 2016-17, the club's Premier Division play-off dream was realised, but a 2-4 reverse at Dulwich Hamlet in the semi-final put paid to further progress.

Following the departure of Quinton to Braintree Town, Andy Leese took over the managerial reins at the start of the 2017-18 season and, under his management, the club have progressed further in the FA Cup and FA Trophy than ever before and won the Velocity Trophy (Isthmian League Cup) for the first time.

In June 2017, the club were awarded the Charter Standard Community Club of the Year by the Middlesex Football Association, one of several awards received in recognition of all the hard work being done to support the local community. In November 2017, a 3G training facility was opened adjacent to the club's stadium. This London Borough of Enfield project was made possible with a grant via the Football Foundation and is used primarily by Enfield Town FC as well as a range of local schools and other clubs. Subsequently, Enfield Town FC Community Sport Development Ltd, a not-for-profit organisation run independently of the football club, was formed to support local community activities, which currently include football schools, holiday clubs, disability football and walking football. This organisation was recently granted charity status.

In the summer of 2018, the QEII Stadium hosted eight matches (including the final) of the Confederation of Independent Football Associations (CONIFA) Football World Cup. Between January 2019 and January 2020 three players – Rian McLean, Josh Davison and Muhammadu Faal – were signed by EFL clubs. From September 2020 a partnership between the club and the Level 7 Academy was started with a view to providing a pathway for Under 18 players to progress, potentially into the first team squad in due course.

The following season, 2021-22, was the club's twentieth in existence. Enfield Town FC celebrated ten years at their current home, the Queen Elizabeth II Stadium, marking the occasion by showcasing the club's various teams at all age groups and abilities; a testament to its status as a footballing hub in the local area. The senior men's side had one of its best in recent memory, reaching the Third Round of the FA Trophy - a stage never before achieved by the club - and finishing a highest-ever third place in the Isthmian Premier Division, before falling to two late Hornchurch goals in the play-off semi-final.

Last season proved to be another largely enjoyable one for ETFC fans, and for the vast majority of the league

campaign the Towners kept up the pace for at least a play-off spot – with an impressive mid-season purple patch taking them to the summit of the Isthmian Premier Division by the end of January 2023 – only for a collapse in form towards the end of the season resulting in Town missing out on the play-offs by five points. Ahead of the 2023-24 campaign, the club parted company with first team manager Andy Leese, and a new team led by former Met Police manager Gavin Macpherson was appointed, with the hope that Town will be knocking at the door of the National League again very soon.

The first supporter-owned club in the country, growth continues at a sustainable pace. Over the years, successful Reserve, Youth and Ladies sides have been developed, alongside other teams of various age groups and abilities, including a learning difficulties squad and a walking football side. The club continues to pursue its vision as an inclusive club for all and a football and social centre for the community, with a range of teams playing at the highest sustainable levels possible.

Honours

- Isthmian League Division One (North) Runners-up & Play-off winners 2011-12
- Essex Senior League Champions 2002-03 and 2004-05
- Essex Senior League Runners-up 2001-02
- Isthmian League Cup Winners 2018-19
- Essex Senior League Cup Winners 2001-02 and 2003-04
- Middlesex Super Cup Winners 2009-10
- Middlesex Charity Cup Winners 2001-02 and 2007-08
- Gordon Brasted Memorial Trophy Winners 2002-03
- Capital Counties Feeder Leagues Trophy Winners 2001-02
- Middlesex Senior Cup Runners-up 2002-03 and 2015-16
- Middlesex Charity Cup Runners-up 2005-06 and 2009-10


Vision

An inclusive club for all and a football and social centre for the community, with a range of teams playing at the highest sustainable levels possible.

Mission

To develop football facilities for Enfield Town FC which will improve the quality and the experience of playing and spectating for the local community;

To increase and sustain participation in all club activities; and To improve the standards of play of all Enfield Town FC teams.





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THE SECRETARY'S MUSINGS

A very warm welcome to our near neighbours Enfield Town, we hope you enjoy your visit and we see a good game of Football.

We also welcome our officials, referee Chris Williams and his assistants Dele Sotimirin and Dwayne Uylett.

The start of the season could not have been more different for us and our opponents, as Enfield currently sit top of the table having won all their league games while we sit 19th following Saturday's 1-0 loss to Carlshalton. I don't need to mention our recent league form.

Today's match will be the 4th league game between the two sides at Coles Park, although we did play a Velocity Cup match last season which saw us victors on penalties.

2018/2019 Haringey Borough 3 Enfield Town 1

2021/2022 Haringey Borough 0 Enfield Town 0

2022/2023 Haringey Borough 1 Enfield Town 2

This Saturday we travel to Dulwich Hamlet in the FA Cup 1st Qualifying Round. Given the size of Dulwich's crowd it is recommended you purchase a ticket in advance it will also cut down on queuing time to get in, I'm advised. The link for tickets is

<https://app.fanbaseclub.com/Fan/Tickets/SelectType?fixtureId=3891>

The following week, Saturday 9th August we have an away game at Hastings in the league and depending on the outcome of the Dulwich game will determine if on Saturday 16th September, we play an FA Cup game, we play Whitehawk away in the league or we are without a fixture. Please keep an eye on our social media presence and websites (www.haringeyboroughfc.net or www.haringeyboroughfc.com) for updates.

Women's Team

Due to the World Cup Final the Women did not have a game on the Weekend of the 19th August and the League had designated the weekend of the 27th August a free weekend so again a football free weekend for the Women. Their next game will be the 3rd September at Coles Park versus Royston Town. Hopefully the disappointment of the Lionesses not winning the cup will be overtaken by further interest in the Women's game and that helps the team to continue to grow. It was also good to see they have acquired a fan in the Mayor of Haringey.

U23s

Following the opening day 8-1 win the U23s came up against an experienced and hard-working FC Petrocub team who gave them very little time on the ball and hassled them throughout the 90 minutes. Hopefully the 2-1 loss will be a huge learning curve as they will come up against more teams like this in the Essex Alliance League, its trite to say it was Men against Boys as that does a disservice to our talented team but it may well be the first time a number of them have played against more physical opposition.

On Friday the team were able to make amends for that loss with a 2-1 win at home against Frenford Reserves. Their next game is their first away game against Sporting Hackney 3pm which will take place at Wadham Lodge, Kitchener Road, Walthamstow, London E17 4LL.

U18s

The U18s have a big game in the FA Youth Cup this Friday, 1st September away at Bowers & Pitsea, 7.45pm kick off. Their league campaign has not started yet so they will go into the game raw but it will be a great experience and challenge for them and we wish them all the best for the game.

Their first league fixture is against our tenants New Salamis on Monday 11th September, obviously this will be at Coles Park with a 7.45pm kick off.

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NEXT HOME FIRST TEAM MATCH

Saturday 23rd September 2023 v Hornchurch Kick Off 3pm

If we win our FA Cup Match at Dulwich and are drawn at home that will take place on Saturday 16th September

NEXT AWAY FIRST TEAM MATCH

Saturday 2nd September 2023 v Dulwich Hamlet Kick Off 3pm (FA Cup)
Champion Hill, Edgar Kail Way, London SE22 8BD

OTHER TEAMS UPCOMING MATCHES (before next home game)

Sunday 3rd September – Kick Off 2pm
Haringey Borough Women's Team v Royston Town

Monday 11th September – Kick Off 7.45pm
Haringey Borough U18s v New Salamis

Saturday 15th September – Kick Off 7.45pm
Haringey Borough U23 v Woodford East

Sunday 17th September – Kick Off 2pm
Haringey Borough Women's Team v AFC Dunstable

Gerard Walker has been busy looking at the journey to Dulwich. Here are his views on the journey. A combination of rail strikes and engineering works aren't going to make this an easy trip. I'm suggesting getting the tube to Blackfriars and then the 11 minute Thameslink journey to Denmark Hill. Trains leave at 16 minutes past the hour. Return trains leave at 47 minutes past the hour. 18.47 is the last direct train. The last train is at 19.00 and includes a bus replacement! You can use Oysters/contactless. From Denmark Hill station: Turn left, this is Champion Park. You will see a bus stop opposite the Salvation Army Training College. Any bus from here passes the ground, three stops away. Or walk past the bus stop, turn right and up the slight incline on the main road. Over the lights at the top of Dog Kennel Hill, and the ground will be on your right, halfway down the hill, turning into Edgar Kail Way. **Please look out on Social Media for journey details to Hastings and potentially, Whitehawk**

MATCH REPORTS

Haringey Borough 0 v Horsham 2 - Saturday 19th August 2023

Boro's second home league game in a week ended like the first, in defeat, to a Horsham side that were 2 up at the break and were never seriously troubled after that.

Tom made 5 changes to the line up from Tuesday's game v Wingate & Finchley. After international clearance came through Khalifa Jabbar and Pawel Kowalkowski came in for Iontton and Babaloo, while Stef, Bobson and Figueira also started.

Boro lined up: Barnes, S. Georgiou, O'Donoghue, Richards, Peter, Jabbar, Bawling, Djassi-Sambu, Kowalkowski, Young, Figueira

Subs: Aidoo, Philippou, Iontton, Kennedy, Djamas.

The game quickly settled into what became the template of the afternoon. Horsham were first to threaten with Raks blocking a shot for a corner, while, after 10 minutes, Figueira forced one for Boro at the other end and it was from this that Horsham took the lead.

The ball was cleared to 30 yards out and Raks won the challenge. The ball broke to the edge of the Horsham area, but Raks challenge left Stef defending the halfway line alone. A first time long ball saw the ball land in Boro's half. Stef made a slight misjudgement which, along with 3 Horsham forwards breaking forward, left Barnes facing an impossible task. As he advanced a simple pass across the area took him out of the game and Kadell Daniel finished easily.

Boro did show some promise they'd get back in the game, but only in fits and starts. Horsham weren't creating anything clear cut. Figueira collected a long diagonal pass, cut inside but his shot was saved at the near post, and after a quiet period Raks whipped a cross in that Bobson just failed to connect with, albeit he was flagged offside.

And then, on 34 minutes, it was 2-0. Horsham worked the ball to Ajakaiye on the right and his cross fell invitingly for an unmarked Mazzone to head in from 6 yards out.

If the hope was Boro would perform better after half time, that hope never really materialised. Horsham stayed compact and Boro couldn't break them down. It was after an hour that Boro mustered a first effort of the half with MOD's shot going over.

By the time Stef was booked, for making a yellow card gesture after being fouled, he was the third Boro player to be cautioned after Figueira and MOD.

Boro made changes from the hour, Aidoo on for Young, followed soon after by Tage and Philippou for Bobson and Figueira. And while this did pick up the tempo Boro were still unable to create a clear-cut chance. Horsham, indeed, had the better chances forcing Barnes into a save at the near post then, after a Raks and Stef miscommunication shooting wide.

In the final 10 minutes it seemed Boro had more efforts at goal than the previous 80, but only one effort from Aidoo that hit the target but easily saved by Carey at his near post, meaning Boro fell to their third straight defeat, and failed to score for the first time this season.

Carshalton Athletic 1 Haringey Borough 0 - Saturday 26th August 2023

In what was a tight game Boro ended up losing by a single goal. it was incredibly frustrating to do so but it should be said Dillon Barnes in goal was our man of the match after looking commanding and pulling off a number off saves.

At the other end we didn't create too much although I felt we should have had a penalty in the first half following MoD being bundled over from behind. Other than that a chance fell to Ade Gbolahan which wasn't taken at 0-0 and towards the end there were several goalmouth scrambles where the ball could have ended up anywhere, sadly for us it didn't end up in the net though.

At the end the fans left disappointed but couldn't fault the effort and as always thank you to the players for sharing their disappointment with us after the game by shaking all our hands. We are in this together and we will get out of this together. The Boro means a lot to a huge amount of people and it's only 4 defeats. We go again as huge underdogs today but you never know in football. Come on Boro!

THE VIEW FROM THE BELL END



50 Years of the Boro

Continuing the review of the first season of Edmonton & Haringey (Haringey Borough) 1973/1974 I thought after the start to the season we have had we would celebrate our first ever league victory, in the hope it inspires the team onto 3 points today, there are a couple of similarities as well. The game was played late August and the opposition began with an E. Ok I appreciate I'm clutching at straws but who knows the spirit of '73 may help. Mind you according to the team line up we played with 15 players, that would certainly help today.

SUBSTITUTE SPARROW IS TWO-GOAL HERO

Edmonton-Haringey 3,
Eastbourne 1

SUBSTITUTE Steve Sparrow snatched two goals to inspire a thrilling come-back and earn Edmonton their first league points of the season.

Edmonton trailed to a first half goal but suddenly sprang to life when Sparrow began the second half in place of Ray Stephens, at White Hart Lane on Saturday.

When Sparrow headed the equaliser it was Edmonton's first goal after over 230 minutes of soccer—they failed to score in their two previous defeats.

That goal made the difference as it gave Edmonton confidence. Dave Pellici seemed a new player in the forward line and he was operating effectively alongside Sparrow and Sheen.

Pellici was the instigator for Sparrow's second. And Sparrow and Pellici combined for a short corner for Sheen to head home a well placed cross.

Skipper George Wakeling was operating much better in midfield with Billy Parker switched back into his normal defensive position.

New signing Les Picking made the world of difference

in midfield in his debut game and will be a strong influence on an Edmonton side which have still got their sights firmly fixed on the league title.

Manager Les Clapton commented: "We made a bad start losing our first two matches, but now the team is starting to take shape. I am still confident we can take the league championship."

Edmonton: Goymer, Han-yours, Stephenson, Clark, Parker, Pellici, Picking, Sheen, Parker, Pellici, Picking, Wakeling, Sheen, Stephens, (Sparrow), Rocco.

John Bacon

A number of fans have asked about John and how he is. He still remains in Barnet Hospital and whilst still unwell, he has been keeping up with all of the scores from our various teams. His Club Secretary knowledge and recollection of events is amazing and it has been great to visit and talk to him about football. We continue to wish him well and truly "There is only one Johnny Bacon!"

FA Cup

There was a time when you only had to look in the home column to see who we had drawn in the FA Cup such was our run of home fixtures, sadly that luck has deserted us in recent years as we now face our 4th consecutive away game, I don't need to remind anyone how we have fared in those previous games. Given the club share the gate money lets hope for a bumper crowd and it may well be aside from the Wimbledon game the biggest crowd we have been at supporting the Boro. We've been advised by Dulwich that "our fans and everyone is just there for a good time with a real family atmosphere", that reminds me of somewhere else!

Nick Hoare

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A SUNNY weekday morning, a little before 9.30am and a corner kick away from Wembley Stadium, Hanwell Town are opening up their ground for assessment.

It's part of the intensive drive to look in depth at all Step 3-6 grounds in the National League System by the end of October, with National League clubs to get the same treatment later in the season.

The NLP has been invited along to see what we'd traditionally know as a ground grading in action.

Launched at the end of July, the FA and Premier League have joined forces to launch the Stadium Accreditation Programme.

For the first time since ground grading was introduced over 15 years ago, the process has been digitalised with a new tool called StadiumPower.

Think of this process as a giant audit of Non-League grounds to essentially answer the questions: What have we got? Where are the challenges and areas of need? And, crucially, how can funding be best utilised?

"Up until now, although many will be surprised at this, there has been no central database capturing not just facility information but also the nuances around it," Mark Harris, chairman of The FA's Stadium Accreditation sub-committee, tells The NLP.

"So digitalisation will give us a central database of facilities. It will allow us to identify areas of non-compliance but, more importantly, look at common areas of non-compliance.

"It's about identifying big issues that can then be linked to funding. I don't want to set any hares running but, as an example, if we found there were high numbers of perimeter fencing not compliant for whatever reason, that enables a business case to be put together to talk to funding partners like the Premier League Stadium Fund and say: There is a common need here. Let's look at whether we should focus some funding on the bigger problems club face.

"It is not there as a bigger stick to beat clubs with. It's to bring transparency and also ensure impartiality."

That and consistency are key. Previously, grading at Steps 1-4 was handled centrally by The FA, with Steps 5 and 6 overseen by leagues themselves.

Naturally, and understandably, that has led to a variation across the country.

Stadium Accreditation assessors – 25 of them all trained together – are now undertaking the mammoth task to visit around 820 individual National League System grounds.

As part of this year one assessment, at least 400 individual items at each stadium are being recorded — of those, 160 linked to the ground grading criteria for 2023-24.

There are nine sections to be filled in by the assessor, accompanied by a league observer.

It starts with general information like ground details and who uses the pitch. Then entrances and exits, clubhouse details, how big is the clubhouse and how many can it hold. Spectator information and capacities, standing and seating.

Others areas include Medical & Safety, Pitch & Floodlights, Transport & Parking, Media & Broadcast.

With the app, photos and videos can now be taken and instantly uploaded to give a literal picture of what each ground has.

A key part of this fact-finding information will link into those extras. The FA can get an idea of suitable ground stock for England youth games as well as to aid the exploding growth of women's football to help clubs get permanent bases. Likewise, it will help the FA Competitions team at Wembley HQ with their planning.

Women's Super League games require an anti-doping room. Is there one available? It all goes into the app.

An important note, nothing in respect to the actual grading criteria has changed. But the in-depth collection

of data will be reviewed by The FA's now monthly-meeting Stadium Accreditation Sub Committee. "It may well be that arising from this first round of inspections that it actually highlights some changes we may need to think about making to criteria going forward," Harris says. StadiumPower will allow clubs to keep tabs on their own improvements, give transparency on other clubs and there will be a public-facing element so the everyday fan can see what facilities they may attend. Another feature of the app will be a stadium simulation tool where a club can, at the click of a button, see what work is required should they be promoted to the level above. "This is about trying to move the mindset from compliance to opportunity," Harris says. Nearly three hours on and there are still areas to be looked at, measured and photographed. But it's another one ticked off the list with the vision for a stronger Non-League game at the end of it.

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HARINGEY PLAYER PROFILES 2023-24



KASIM AIDOO – young left back but with plenty of Isthmian experience having been with Potters Bar Town and briefly Hastings United last season and Cray Wanderers in the previous season as well as National League Eastbourne Borough. Originally with Charlton Athletic Under 21s. Signed in close season

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.

DILLON BARNES – Goalkeeper, who has played for the Jamaican national team, appeared for Colchester United, Hibernian and most recently Queens Park Rangers.

BOBSON BAWLING – attacking midfielder in second spell with us who left for Hendon at the end of 2021/22 but came back at Christmas 2022. 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.

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 10th 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.

STEFANOS GEORGIU – signed from St. Margaretsbury a few days before the March 2022 Registration deadline; a right sided midfielder also a dangerous attacking full back who immediately looked at home at this higher level of the game.

ARTHUR IRONTTON – defensive midfielder who moved to us from Hendon in the close season. An experienced player whose earlier berths include Stevenage, Braintree Town, Kings Lynn Town, and Hampton & Richmond Borough.

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 – Goal scoring winger signed in 2022 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.

PAWEL KOWALKOWSKI – Polish striker – last Club Czarni Jaslo - who joined us in the close season. Briefly with Wealdstone in season 2018/19 then returned to Poland.

MEKHI LEACOCK-McLEOD – attacking midfielder who rejoined us earlier last 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 2022 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.

DEXTER PETER – much travelled central defender signed in the close season who was with Bowers & Pitsea last season. A product of the Millwall Academy, he was released in February 2015, and went on to play for Merstham and, Chelmsford City before joining Colchester United's Academy in June 2016, and made his first-team debut in August 2016. He was released by Colchester in May 2017 and then joined Concord Rangers and had spells at Maldon & Tiptree, Thurrock, Coggeshall Town, Grays Athletic, Hullbridge Sports and Wingate & Finchley before joining Bowers and Pitsea.

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 last season.

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 – Matt is a classy mid-fielder who was twice loaned to us by Leyton Orient in 2022/23. Having been released by the O's at the end of the season he has now signed directly for us.

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 (CLUB 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.

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

DAVID CUMBERBATCH (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.

LEE PROTHOROE (FIRST TEAM HEAD COACH) “ Provs” has joined the first team coaching staff, having previously managed Potters Bar Town and assisting at Wingate & Finchley and FC.

THOMAS O'DONOGHUE (FIRST TEAM 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.

PHIL STONE (FIRST TEAM GOALKEEPING COACH) Started out with Clapton FC then moved to Leatherhead before joining us.

EMELIE FITZGERALD (FIRST TEAM PHYSIOTHERAPIST) qualified therapist with previous experience with Potters Bar Town & Wingate & Finchley.

ILYAS BEDIR (ASSISTANT PHYSIOTHERAPIST)

KRASMIR KORACKI (HEAD OF PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS)

ENFIELD TOWN PLAYER PROFILES 2023-24



RHYS FORSTER (Goalkeeper) Town's man between the sticks this season is new recruit Rhys Forster. The 24-year-old has amassed plenty of non-league experience with the likes of Slough Town, Hampton & Richmond, Met Police – where he spent 18 months with manager Gavin Macpherson – and Ascot United, with whom he won last season's FA Vase at Wembley.

ADI CONNOLLY (Goalkeeper) Goalie Adi Connolly made the step from Enfield Town's academy to the first-team squad in the summer of 2021, gaining minutes in a number of pre-season friendlies and stepping into the senior side during the 21-22 campaign; keeping a clean sheet on his league debut against Potters Bar Town in January 2022. He has previously turned out for Berkhamsted Comrades and Leverstock Green FC.

JAMES RICHMOND (Defender)

Central defender James became a Towner during the 2022-23 off-season. The 28-year-old had previously been skipper at Merstham for three seasons and was previously at Burgess Hill Town, where he was voted their Player of the Season in 2017. He's also had stints with Carshalton, Kingstonian, Hampton & Richmond Borough, and Leatherhead.

KYLE BAILEY (Defender) A versatile defender largely deployed at centre-back, Kyle signed on at Donkey Lane in the summer of 2023 having spent last season playing at Step 2 with Hungerford Town. After starting his career in non-league with Sheerwater and Westfield, he has gone on to play professionally in Malta, Norway and Scotland.

JOSHUA OKOTCHA (Defender) Centre-half Joshua Okotcha joined the Towners in November 2022, having previously had a stint in non-league football with Hendon. A product of West Ham United's academy, where he spent three seasons, the 21-year-old is capable at the heart of defence or in midfield.

EKOW COKER (Defender) 22-year-old Ekow signed for the Towners on the eve of the league season having impressed as a trialist. A tall, progressive central defender at 6ft 5in, he represented a range of London youth sides before signing for Enfield Town's Under 18s side. He has since gained further experience with Hanwell Town, Workington, Glossop North End, Guiseley, and Macclesfield Town.

JOE PAYNE (Defender) Joe returned to Donkey Lane in September 2022, having previously had spells with Potters Bar Town, Concord Rangers, Grays Athletic and Wealdstone. He originally joined Enfield Town from Barnet on loan in March 2019, where he had been since 2010 having graduated through the youth set-up to sign a professional contract at The Hive. He made his first team debut for the Bees shortly afterwards against Peterborough United in the Checkatrade Trophy in November 2016. Primarily a left-back, he scored on his Town debut in a 3-1 win at Whitehawk, before penning a permanent deal in the 2019-20 off-season.

MICKEY PARCELL (Defender) A fans' favourite at Enfield, right-back Mickey returned to the club this summer for a second spell. After signing a professional contract at Torquay United following a two-year scholarship, he then joined Enfield Town and featured on 193 occasions during his first spell in blue and white – participating in the 2016-17 Isthmian Premier play-offs and earning man-of-the-match in Town's 2018-19 Velocity Trophy victory against Hornchurch. He would then enjoy four hugely successful seasons with the Urchins, including a remarkable 2021 FA Trophy win and, individually, being named in the Isthmian Team of the Season for the last two years running.

CARLOS GARCIA VELASCO (Defender) Carlos initially signed for the Towners in March 2023, heading on loan to Welwyn Garden City for the final months of last season and impressing with some eye-catching performances - including netting from the halfway line. A Spanish right-back, he was with Real Madrid's academy as a youngster, skipping their U15s, and has experience in the setups at Spanish sides Getafe, Leganés, and Navalcarnero among others.

LOUIS BIRCH (Midfield)

A solid, deep-lying midfielder, Louis has spent the past five years with Metropolitan Police and re-joined his former manager, as well as ex-teammates Ollie Knight and Rhys Forster, in joining the Towners ahead of the 23-24 campaign. Prior to his time at the Met, he had spent time with Welling United. While primarily operating at the base of midfield, he is also adept as a centre-half.

SCOTT THOMAS (Midfield) Formerly with Hemel Hempstead Town, Chesham United, Boreham Wood and St Albans City, Town skipper Scott joined the club in 2019. After making the short move from Boreham Wood, where he had won promotion to the National League, to St Albans in August 2015, he was subsequently on a dual registration arrangement with Royston Town for a spell and featured in the Crows side that overcame Town 2-0 in the FA Trophy in October 2017. He also featured as a defender during his St Albans days.

SAM YOUNGS (Midfield) A former Chesham United player, Sam originally made his Generals' debut at Didcot Town in March 2011, and then, after a spell away, returned to the Meadow in the summer of 2015. He has enjoyed three spells at Rugby Town, including scoring a dozen goals in season 2012-13, and has also spent time at Redditch United, Hemel Hempstead Town, Banbury United, Ware and Halesowen Town. He has made over 200 Town appearances, and was named ETFC Players' Player and Manager's Player of the Season for 2021-22.

GUCCI SOULYA-OSEKANONGO (Midfield) Local lad Gucci has signed forms with Town ahead of the coming season, having had a first stint at the QEII Stadium in August and September of last season. The 19-year-old midfielder joins from Sutton United, whose academy he captained to the third round of the 21-22 U18 FA Youth Cup. He also spent some time on loan with Corinthian-Casuals last season.

KIAN WILKES (Midfield) Academy graduate Kian has signed first-team forms once again this year after first making the jump to Town's senior side during 2022-23 pre-season. The central midfielder has impressed over the last couple of seasons at Leverstock Green, winning their Manager's Player and Young Player of the Season awards for 2022.

SAMI BESSADI (Midfield) An energetic, technically-minded midfielder, Sami joined Enfield Town in the 23-24 off-season. The 22-year-old spent much of last season at step 2, with National League South sides Weymouth and Braintree Town. He has also worn the shirts of Kings Langley, Haringey Borough, and Maldon & Tiptree.

OLIVER KNIGHT (Midfield) 26-year-old wide midfielder Ollie came through the academy at Forest Green Rovers before representing Cirencester Town and Frome Town. He has spent the last five seasons with Metropolitan Police; twice helping them into the play-offs – including chipping in with 14 assists in 31 appearances during the 2021-22 campaign. He also spent a brief stint at fellow Isthmian Premier side Horsham last year.

LEWIS TAAFFE (Midfield) Winger Lewis returned to Concord Rangers in July 2017 after spells at Hemel Hempstead Town and Billericay Town. He went on to make over 150 appearances for the Beachboys and was a firm fans' favourite with his energetic style. He has also had experience with Leyton Orient and Histon, joining Town at the start of the 2018-19 campaign.

DYLAN ADJEI-HERSEY (Midfield) Winger Dylan joined Enfield Town in August 2023 having spent the best part of a decade with AFC Wimbledon, working through the Dons' academy sides to sign a professional contract in July 2021. Prior to his release from Plough Lane, he had accrued experience on loan with Merstham, Eastbourne Borough, and Hungerford Town.

REECE BECKLES-RICHARDS (Forward) Reece has been capped at international level by Antigua & Barbuda, and joined the Towners this summer having spent the last three years up the A10 with neighbours Cheshunt. Starting out at Aldershot Town, his CV boasts plenty of non-league experience, with the likes of Woking, Farnborough, and Wealdstone among his former sides. Another versatile option, he is capable operating on the wing or as a centre-forward.

MARCUS WYLLIE (Forward) Nippy young forward Marcus signed forms at Donkey Lane in the summer of 2022, joining from Step 5 side Risborough Rangers. His former employers described him as having "the ability to score goals at will" – he chalked up an impressive 36 of them in 2021-22 on their way to an astonishing 52-game unbeaten run. He also has Berkhamsted Comrades and Apoel Nicosia's academy on his footballing CV. After finding the net in each of the Towners' first three league games this season, he'll be hoping that sets the tone for the rest of the campaign.

JAKE CASS (Forward) Powerful striker Jake joined Town in January 2022 following his surprise release from Bishop's Stortford, for whom he was top scorer in the 21-22 campaign with 15 goals. The 30-year-old quickly established himself as a fans' favourite and scooped the club's golden boot for 22-23, netting 18 league goals along the way. He possesses a good deal of experience in non-league, having also represented Chelmsford City, Braintree Town, Maldon & Tiptree and Chesham United among others.

MANAGEMENT

GAVIN MACPHERSON (Manager) Gavin joined Enfield Town ahead of the 2023-24 campaign after parting company with Metropolitan Police FC, where he spent over twenty years as a player, assistant, and manager. Following a playing career for Barnet and Carlisle, as well as spells at Wealdstone, Slough Town and Woking, Macpherson took the managerial reins at the Met for the 2018-19 season after the resignation of Jim Cooper, guiding them to victory in the Southern League playoffs – only to be denied promotion at the final hurdle against Tonbridge Angels in the ‘Super Playoff’. With another play-off campaign, as well as a couple of Surrey Senior Cups to his record, he is a widely-regarded coach who has gained a reputation for moulding highly competitive squads, often with young players.

JON NURSE (Assistant Manager) Appointed assistant manager in May 2023 as part of Gavin Macpherson’s backroom staff, Jon enjoyed a playing career which saw him earn six caps for Barbados, and feature for the likes of Sutton United, Stevenage Borough, Dagenham & Redbridge, and Barnet, where he became first-team coach at the end of the 2014-15 season. After signing for Met Police in the summer of 2015, he was appointed as their head of youth and eventually first-team coach at Imber Court. A UEFA ‘A’ Licence holder, he continues academy coaching alongside his role with the Towners.

Isthmian League Premier Division 2023/24 - up to and including 16/8/2023

		P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Enfield Town	4	4	0	0	9	1	+8	12
2	Chatham Town	4	4	0	0	8	3	+5	12
3	Lewes	4	3	1	0	8	4	+4	10
4	Horsham	4	3	0	1	9	5	+4	9
5	Billericay Town	4	3	0	1	4	3	+1	9
6	Carshalton Athletic	4	2	2	0	10	4	+6	8
7	Hornchurch	4	2	2	0	9	5	+4	8
8	Hastings United	4	2	2	0	6	2	+4	8
9	Wingate & Finchley	4	2	1	1	7	9	-2	7
10	Hashtag United	4	1	3	0	6	3	+3	6
11	Margate	4	2	0	2	6	8	-2	6
12	Whitehawk	4	1	2	1	7	6	+1	5
13	Bognor Regis Town	4	1	2	1	6	5	+1	5
14	Folkestone Invicta	4	1	1	2	7	5	+2	4
15	Dulwich Hamlet	4	1	1	2	9	8	+1	4
16	Cheshunt	4	1	1	2	4	5	-1	4
17	Kingstonian	4	1	0	3	4	7	-3	3
18	Canvey Island	4	1	0	3	6	11	-5	3
19	Haringey Borough	4	0	0	4	3	8	-5	0
20	Cray Wanderers	4	0	0	4	1	7	-6	0
21	Concord Rangers	4	0	0	4	2	12	-10	0
22	Potters Bar Town	4	0	0	4	1	11	-10	0

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HARINGEY BOROUGH FIRST TEAM 2023/24 FIXTURES & RESULTS

PRE SEASON FRIENDLIES – FIRST TEAM

Date	Venue	Kick off	Opponents	Result
Sat Jul 8	Coles Park	3pm	Harrow Borough	Won 1-0
Sat Jul 15	Coles Park	3pm	Chelmsford City	Drew 0-0
Sat Jul 22	Coles Park	3pm	AFC Sudbury	Won 4-0
Tues Jul 25	Coles Park	7.45pm	Royston Town	Won 2-1
Sat Jul 29	Coles Park	3pm	St. Alban's City	Lost 1-2
Sat Aug 5	Coles Park	3pm	Walthamstow	Drew 2-2

COMPETITIVE FIXTURES

(All Isthmian League Fixtures unless otherwise indicated)

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

DATE	VENUE	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Sat 12 Aug	Away	Canvey Island	Lost 2-3
Tue 15 Aug	HOME	WINGATE & FINCHLEY (7.45pm Kick off)	Lost 1-2
Sat 19 Aug	HOME	HORSHAM	Lost 0-2
Sat 26 Aug	Away	Carshalton Athletic	Lost 0-1
Mon 28 Aug	HOME	ENFIELD TOWN	
Sat 2 Sep	Away	Dulwich Hamlet FA Cup 1st Qualifying Round	
Sat 9 Sep	Away	Hastings United	
Sat 16 Sep	Away	Whitehawk (or FA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round)	
Sat 23 Sep	HOME	HORNCHURCH	
Sat 30 Sep	Away	Margate (or FA Cup 3rd Qualifying Round)	
Sat 7 Oct	?????	FA Trophy 3rd Qualifying Round	
Sat 14 Oct	HOME	POTTERS BAR TOWN (or FA Cup 4th Qualifying Round)	
Sat 21 Oct	Away	Cheshunt	
Tue 24 Oct	HOME	CONCORD RANGERS (7.45pm Kick off)	
Sat 28 Oct	Away	Folkestone Invicta (or FA Trophy 1st Round Proper)	
Sat 4 Nov	HOME	DULWICH HAMLET (or FA Cup 1st Round Proper)	
Sat 11 Nov	Away	Boignor Regis Town	
Sat 18 Nov	HOME	KINGSTONIAN	
Sat 25 Nov	Away	Lewes	
Sat 2 Dec	HOME	CHATHAM TOWN (or FA Cup 2nd Round Proper)	
Sat 9 Dec	Away	Cray Wanderers	
Sat 16 Dec	Away	Billericay Town	
Tue 26 Dec	HOME	HASHTAG UNITED	
Sat 30 Dec	HOME	CARSHALTON ATHLETIC	
Mon 1 Jan	Away	Enfield Town	

Sat 6 Jan	HOME	CANVEY ISLAND	
Sat 13 Jan	Away	Horsham	
Sat 20 Jan	HOME	FOLKESTONE INVICTA	
Sat 27 Jan	Away	Dulwich Hamlet	
Tue 30 Jan	Away	Concord Rangers (7.45pm Kick off)	
Sat 3 Feb	HOME	BOGNOR REGIS TOWN	
Sat 10 Feb	HOME	WHITEHAWK	
Sat 17 Feb	Away	Hornchurch	
Sat 24 Feb	HOME	MARGATE	
Sat 2 Mar	Away	Potters Bar Town	
Sat 9 Mar	HOME	CHESHUNT	
Sat 16 Mar	HOME	CRAY WANDERERS	
Sat 23 Mar	Away	Chatham Town	
Sat 30 Mar	HOME	HASTINGS UNITED	
Mon 1 Apl	Away	Hashtag United	
Sat 6 Apl	HOME	BILLERICAY TOWN	
Sat 13 Apl	Away	Wingate & Finchley	
Sat 20 Apl	Away	Kingstonian	
Sat 27 Apl	HOME	LEWES	

HARINGEY BOROUGH U 23 DEVELOPMENT TEAM 2023/24 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(All Essex Alliance League League Senior Division Fixtures unless otherwise indicated)

DATE	VENUE	OPPONENTS AND KICK OFF TIME	RESULT
Sat 12 Aug	HOME	KIT OUT LONDON (3pm)	Won 8-1
Fri 18 Aug	HOME	FC PETROCUB (7.45p)	Lost 1-2
Fri 25 Aug	HOME	FRENFORD DEVELOPMENT (7.45pm)	Won 2-1
Sat 2 Sep	AWAY	SPORTING HACKNEY (2.30pm)	
Sat 9 Sep	AWAY	LYMORE GARDENS (3pm)	

The Essex Alliance League issue their fixtures on a monthly basis. Over the course of the season we will play home and away fixtures against:- Aveley Under 23s; Chadwell Heath Spartans; Chingford Athletic; CSM London; FC Baresi; Lymore Gardens; May & Baker Reserves; Priory Park Rangers; Rapid Chingford; Sporting Hackney; Walthamstow Reserves; Woodford East plus 3 away games against Kit Out London, FC Petrocub and Frenford Development.

FINAL HARINGEY BOROUGH U 23 DEVELOPMENT TEAM 2022/23 TABLE

		Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts	GD
1	Haringey Borough Under 23s	1	1	0	0	8	1	3	7
2	Lymore Gardens	1	1	0	0	8	1	3	7
3	Rapid Chingford	1	1	0	0	3	0	3	3
4	Chadwell Heath Spartans	1	1	0	0	3	1	3	2
5	Sporting Hackney	1	1	0	0	2	0	3	2
6	FC Petrocub	1	1	0	0	4	3	3	1
7	FC Baresi	1	1	0	0	3	2	3	1
8	Aveley Under 23s	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0
9	CSM London	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0
10	Frenford Reserves	1	0	0	1	3	4	0	-1
11	Bakers693	1	0	0	1	2	3	0	-1
12	Chingford Athletic	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	-2
13	Woodford East	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	-2
14	Walthamstow Reserves	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	-3
15	Kit Out London	1	0	0	1	1	8	0	-7
16	Priory Park Rangers	1	0	0	1	1	8	0	-7

UNDER 18 TEAM 2022/23 FIXTURES & RESULTS

FINAL TABLE SOUTHERN COUNTIES FLOODLIT YOUTH LEAGUE – DELPHIAN DIVISION

		P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
1	Langley U18	18	15	2	1	58	47
2	Potters Bar Town FC Youth U18	18	14	2	2	61	44
3	Enfield Borough (Youth) U18 Jaguars	18	9	3	6	0	30
4	Hanwell Town FC U18	18	9	3	6	21	30
5	Edgware & Kingsbury FC U18	18	8	4	6	-1	28
6	Haringey Borough FC (Youth) U18	18	7	3	8	13	24
7	Hayes & Yeading United FC U18	18	7	2	9	0	23
8	New Salamis Youth U18	18	6	0	12	5	18
9	Harrow Borough FC U18	18	4	0	14	-55	12
10	Hilltop U18 Red	18	1	1	16	-102	4

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 Nov	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
Tue 4 Apl	away	Hanwell Town	Home win awarded
Mon 24 Apl	away	Hayes & Yeading United	Lost 0-1
Thur 4 May	away	Enfield Borough	Won 6-0

HARINGEY BOROUGH WOMEN 2023/24 COMPETITIVE FIXTURES

DATE	VENUE	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Sun Jul 16	Away	Enfield Town (11am at Donkey Lane)	Won 9-2
Sun Jul 30	Away	Watford Under 21 (2pm at St. Clements Danes School, Chorleywood)	Lost 4-5
Sun Aug 6	HOME	HARPENDEN TOWN	Won 15-0
Sun Aug 13	HOME	LUTON TOWN	Drew 1-1
Sun Aug 20	Away	Needham Market	
Sun Sep 3	HOME	ROYSTON TOWN	
Sun Sep 10	Away	Stevenage	
Sun Sep 17	HOME	AFC DUNSTABLE	
Sun Sep 24	Away	Barking	
Sun Oct 1	HOME	REAL BEDFORD	
Sun Oct 8	HOME	KINGS LYNN TOWN	
Sun Oct 15	Away	Bowers & Pitsea	
Sun Oct 22	HOME	ST. ALBANS CITY	
Sun Oct 29	Away	Wroxham	
Sun Nov 5	HOME	St. IVES TOWN (League Cup)	
Sun Nov 12	Away	Kings Lynn Town	
Sun Nov 19	Away	Luton Town	
Sun Nov 26	HOME	NEEDHAM MARKET	
Sun Dec 3	Away	Royston Town	
Sun Dec 10	HOME	STEVENAGE	
Sun Dec 17	Away	AFC DUNSTABLE	
Sun Jan 7	HOME	Barking	
Sun Jan 14	Away	Real BEDFOED	
Sun Jan 21	HOME	BVOWERS & PITSEA	
Sun Jan 28	Away	St. Albans City	
Sun Feb 4	HOME	WROXHAM	

FINAL EASTERN REGION WOMENS LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION TABLE 2022/23

	P	W	D	L;	F	A	GD	Pts
1 AFC Sudbury	20	16	1	3	69	29	40	49
2 Luton Town	20	14	3	3	47	21	26	45
3 Needham Market	20	14	2	4	53	39	14	44
4 Stevenage FC	20	13	3	4	56	28	28	42
5 Haringey Borough	20	10	3	7	67	49	18	33
6 Wroxham	20	8	1	11	38	57	-19	25
7 Bowers & Pitsea	20	7	1	12	41	50	-9	22
8 Royston Town	20	5	3	12	30	48	-18	18
9 Colney Heath	20	4	3	13	21	43	-22	15
10 Kings Lynn Town	20	4	2	14	26	64	-38	14
11 Bedford	20	3	2	15	33	53	-20	11



TODAYS TEAMS



From

Dillon BARNES

Stef GEORGIU

Michael O'DONOGHUE

Rakim RICHARDS

Dexter PETERS

Jorge SAMBU

Bobson BAWLING

Arthur IONTTON

Temi BABOLOLA

Matt YOUNG

Tage KENNEDY

Kasim AIDOO

Harry PHILLPOU

Paweł KOWALKOWSKI

Walter FIGUERIA

Khalifa JABBIE

Ade GBOLAHAN

Manager: Tom Loizou

Assistant Manager: David Cumberbatch

Head Coach: Lee Protheroe

Coaches: Thomas O'Donoghue
Phil Stone (Goalkeeping)

Physio: Emelie Fitzgerald

From

Rhys FORSTER

Adi CONNOLLY

James RICHMOND

Kyle BAILEY

Joshua OKOTCHA

Ekow COKER

Joe PAYNE

Mickey PARCELL

Carlos GARCIA VELASCO

Louis BIRCH

Scott THOMAS

Sam YOUNGS

Gucci SOULYA-OSEKANONGO

Kian WILKES

Sami BESSADI

Oliver KNIGHT

Lewis TAAFFE

Dylan ADJEI-HERSEY

Reece BECKLES-RICHARDS

Marcus WYLLIE

Manager: Gavin Macpherson

Assistant Manager: Jon Nurse

MATCH OFFICIALS:

Referee: Chris Williams assisted by
Dele Sotimirin & Dwayne Uylett