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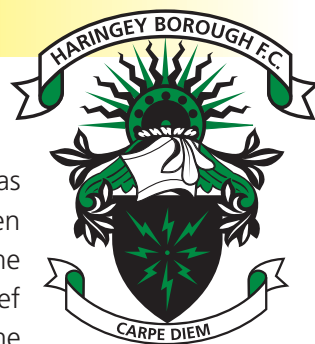
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HARINGEY BOROUGH FC - A BRIEF HISTORY



The origins of the Club go back to 1907 and the formation of Tufnell Park FC from which the Reserve team broke away in 1911 to form Tufnell Spartans and two name change in 1920 and 1930 saw them playing as Wood Green Town. 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 in 1973 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 which 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. That was also the season when our Free Season Ticket offer was introduced, and will continue for 2025/26, which has increased our then modest attendances to several hundred. 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 many 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 games 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. Season 2023/24 will live long in the memory but for all the wrong reasons. A disastrous start which saw only one point in the bag after nine League games meant there was a mountain to be climbed if the four relegation spots were to be avoided. As the season wore on it seemed that there was just a possibility that we might claw our way to safety but garnering only three points from the final nine League games put paid to any lingering optimism. So we now return to the North Division after six seasons in the Premier Division in which we had come within a whisker of promotion to the National League. Early exits from three of the four Cups entered meant that reaching the semi-final of the other - the League Cup - provided some cheer to an otherwise dismal season. The Under 23s having switched to the Essex Alliance following the winding up of the Isthmian League Development section reached the semi-final of their League Cup where they encountered the runaway League Champions. The Womens Team went one better and provided the highlight of the Clubs season by reaching the Final of the Capital Womens Senior Cup and gave National League Ashford Town a serious challenge before losing 4-2. 2024/25 will also long be remembered for similar reasons as it ended with the team in 19th position and so relegated back to the Spartan South Midlands League from which we had departed in 2013. A poor start to the League campaign was camouflaged by early successes in The FA Cup and Trophy competitions but, after elimination from both, league points continued to be scarce until a stirring comeback with an unbeaten run in the last 9 games rekindled hope only to leave us one point from safety. Had just one of several efforts

thwarted by the framework in our last two games found the net we would have been saved. The Under 23s did well to finish 3rd in the Essex Alliance and will play more accurately under the name of "Reserves" this season for there are no age restrictions in that League's Rules. The Women went through the season without drawing a single game and finished 4th with a record of 12 wins and 10 defeats also reaching the Semi-Final of the Capital Womens Senior Cup where Arsenal Academy were a little too strong for them. The Under 18s started well especially in Cups but fell away as the season wore on.

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 which had 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 decided not to run an Under 23 (Development) Section at all hence the switch to the very well run Essex Alliance.

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 2009/10 They were winners of the League's Colwyn Cup in 2004/05 and runners up in 2008/09. 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 and 2023/24. 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 with their last League game 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, but that did not stop them reaching the Final of The Capital Womens Senior Cup in 2023/24 and the Semi-final in 2024/25

The foundations are in place for us to make a swift return to the Isthmian League after major strengthening of 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 target as we renew our determination to eventually achieve National League status. The facilities and structures are also in place for the Club's other 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 PITSTONE & IVINGHOE UNITED FC



The club was formed in 1957 after the demise of Ivinghoe & Pitstone F.C. due to financial difficulties and started playing at Pitstone Recreation Ground. The club started in the West Herts League and in their inaugural season won the West Herts Challenge Cup. In the early 1960s the club then joined the Aylesbury & District League, before returning to the West Herts League in 1966.

The club moved leagues again in 1970 to join the Dunstable Alliance League, not before enjoying some previous cup success with winning the Marsworth Cup twice and both the Apsley Junior and Senior Cups. In the 1976-77 Campaign the club achieved a treble of Trophy's by winning the Premier Division, Premier Division Cup and the Reading Junior Cup. The next season with improved facilities at the Recreation Ground the club was accepted into the South Midlands League and in doing so gained Intermediate status with the Berks & Bucks F.A

The club also lifted the Division One Cup and South Midlands League Challenge Trophy. Two seasons later in the 1989-90 season saw the club gain more Silverware by winning the Premier Division. They then spent three more seasons in the top flight before having to step down to the newly formed Senior Division as their ground did not have floodlights. The club finished bottom of the Senior Division twice and were then relegated to Division One at the end of the 1994-95 season.

At the start of the 1997/98 season with the merger of the South Midlands league and Spartan League, the club became founder members of Spartan South Midlands League Division 1 North. That season also saw the return of manager Ian Magill who guided them to promotion again to the Senior Division (which was then subsequently renamed Division One), in the 2000-01 season, as Champions. In addition for that season the club enjoyed its first County Cup success by beating Hellenic Football League side Finchampstead 2-0 in the Berks & Bucks Intermediate Cup Final.

Ian Magill then stood down in the 2002-03 season and was replaced by Sean Downey. It proved a successful change as the club won Division One title by a ten-point margin, and scoring over a hundred goals in the process. However the club was not able to gain promotion as the clubs facilities did not fulfill the leagues requirements. Two seasons later, the club was then relegated to Division Two as a result of its ground not meeting the necessary requirements again. The club has since the 2004-05 seas

The club has since the 2004-05 season remained in Division Two of the Spartan South Midlands League.

A Number of Managers have been at the helm since 2005 with Alfie Elliott's team of 2012/13 winning the Berks and Bucks Junior Cup.

The club appointed a new Manager in 2019 with the job given to Danny Greany too take the club to new levels of success and he has since introduced a Reserve side for the first time in a number of years.

The club has certainly come a long way in relatively few years but we could not have done this without the help of a very supportive Parish Council who clearly understand the benefits of having a community-based club in Pitstone. Our success is also very much down to a very hard-working committee who throughout the year – not just the football season – continue to volunteer their time and commitment to the club, to help it continue to thrive and be a source of enjoyment for our supporters and the Pitstone community

Pitstone & Ivinghoe Football club Honours list

Spartan South Midlands league division one Champions - 2000-01, 2002-03

South Midlands league premier division Champions 1989-90

South Midlands league division one Champions 1987-88

DunStable alliance premier division Champions 1973-74, 1975-76, 1976-77 Runners-up 1970-71, 1974-75

West Herts premier division Champions: 1968-69

West Herts division one Champions 1966-67

Cup Honours

Berks & Bucks Intermediate Cup – Winners 2000-01 & 2012-13

South Midlands league challenge trophy Winners 1988-89

South Midlands league premier division cup – runner up 1989-90
South Midlands league division one cup Winners 1987-88
Dunstable alliance premier division cup Winners 1974-75, 1976-77
West Herts challenge cup – winners 1957-58
Reading junior cup - Winners 1976-77 Runners-up 1975-76
Apsley Senior cup Winners 1968-69
Apsley junior cup Winners 1966-67
Marsworth cup Winners: 1966-67
Leighton challenge cup Runners-up: 1971-72, 2000-01
Watford Peace Memorial Shield Runners-up 1968-69



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BOROUGH JUNIORS MASCOT MOMENTS



Our FA Cup clash with Stanway Rovers on the 16th August saw 11 year old Leo take centre stage as mascot.



Leo had a fantastic afternoon, meeting his favourite players Dillon Barnes and Derek Asamoah, before joining the warm-up and showing off his own footballing skills alongside the team.



Want to be our next mascot? Simply scan the QR code in the programme or pop by the sweet stall to see Chloe or Emmal



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THE SECRETARY'S MUSINGS

We offer a warm welcome to Pitstone & Ivinghoe United, their players, supporters and committee, we also welcome our officials, referee Jack Young and assistants Paul Riddick and Philip Mayer.

This is the first of four consecutive programmes, The Coles Park Tetralogy, in case you need reminding we have Harlow Town here on Tuesday and Tring Athletic next Saturday both in the league and then following Monday's FA Vase draw we have Eynesbury Rovers in the 2nd Round on the 8th November.

So that's looking forward looking back it is three weeks since the last home game and it has been a while since the musings can be written off the back of such a great set of results.

On Saturday we made the trip to Billericay to face Hutton in the FA Vase 1st Round and did we make hard work of progressing into the next round, 2-1 was the result but we could and should have made it much more comfortable, there was even a period at the end of the game where nails were being bitten as Hutton pressed for an equaliser. Our goals came from Herson and Matt, and both have been very impressive in recent weeks, Matt playing on the left has recaptured his goalscoring form of past seasons and Herson is an absolute joy to watch in the midfield, his ability to break up the opposition play and start attacks has been a key factor in our recent good form. One thing I noticed in watching back our goals was the impact Jorge Sambu had on both, the strength for the first winning the ball back is incredible, and there he is on right wing picking up the ball for the second goal and laying it back, by the way he was playing centre half! The next round is the 8th November as already mentioned, season tickets will not apply as we have to split the gate money but please reserve the date and show your support, we are only 6 rounds away from Wembley! The week before we ventured to Luton to play Crawley Green in a league game. With the game being played at Luton's training ground there were a number of restrictions, the hardest for the Boro fans was the no alcohol consumption rule, fortunately the team took our minds off sobriety and we ran out 5-2 winners, it comes to something when not playing that well we still manage to score five goals. A special mention to Scott who played a captain's part and so nearly had a hat-trick, two goals and an effort that hit the underside of the bar put over the line by Jorge. There cannot have been many instances of three goals from a centre half in one game.

It has been fairly disappointing to have to wait three weeks to write about the Sawbridgeworth Town away league game which took place on the 7th October, it was our second visit there of the season, following the FA Vase game which we won 6-5 on penalties after a 0-0 draw in 90 minutes, and it was a game that will live long in the memory. We also won the home league game 5-3 after being 5-0 up at half time earlier in the season so we were expecting a tough game, which got tougher when we went one down after a couple of minutes. The response though was incredible, goals from Adrian x 2, Herson x 2 and Matt meant we went in at half time 5-1 up, unbelievable but the football we were playing was mesmerising every time we came forward, we looked like we were going to score. I wrote after the home game that the football we played that night was sensational, this was even better. After two seasons of despair, this was proper Boro, this is why we do all the planning for the meet ups and why we finish work early to ensure you can get to a midweek game. The second half we scored two more goals through Johnny Cash and Alex Nicolaides to make the final score 7-1, wow! The Magnificent Seven! Horses, well cars and trains, were assembled and the ride home was particularly enjoyable.

Baldock Town, our last home game, due to the blustery conditions, was a game of two halves, Baldock made the most of turning us around at kick off by scoring just before half time to go in ahead at the break. Fortunately, the weather conditions persisted into the second half and with the wind in our favour the majority of the half was spent trying to break Baldock down, it felt only a matter of time before we equalised, and that we did through Bilal in the 60th minute. The winning goal was a goal of the season contender and worthy of winning any game by Michael O'Donoghue, a shot from the edge of the area that went into the top corner, top bins I believe, giving the goalkeeper no chance. There was one person present at the game that would have stopped it though, as Boro legend Valery Pajetat was at the game, quite rightly he received a fantastic reception, the world's greatest goalie and he plays for Haringey. Not only was it a great result but the

crowd were fantastic, Coles Park looks totally different when we have a large crowd, looking round seeing every inch of the perimeter fence either being lent on or having someone stand behind it looks amazing and the crowd behind the goal we were attacking was three / four deep. The 429 that were there were part of the biggest crowd in the Spartan South Midlands League so far this season, with a few more Saturday games coming up hopefully we can better that. We love welcoming supporters and having Coles Park packed, its pleasing when it is, as it vindicates Aki's free season ticket initiative. Special mention to the number of families in attendance, the kids that come along are the future, they will be the ones that will tell and attract their friends to the Boro, who will travel home and away, make up songs and become representatives of the club. Happy days!

There have been a few departures in recent weeks, Zayshaun Asamoah has joined Sporting Bengal, where he will team up with Ryan Hervel who has prioritised playing for them over us and Mo Matangi who played at the start of the season at centre half has joined Barking. We have signed a couple though, Pharrell Mensah joins from Belper Town, Pharrell is part of the Sky Sports Baller League so will be on screen Monday nights along with Bilal and Dillon. We have also signed a goalkeeper, Max Culverwell who joins us from Albion Sports.

Well, it is unusual for us to have a Saturday cup game that isn't an FA competition, I would imagine we will see a few of the players that have appeared on the bench and had game time restricted recently, it's always good to have good cup runs so let's get behind the team. Come on Boro!!

Women's Team

The team have a massive game tomorrow facing Bristol Rovers here at Coles Park in the FA Cup 1st Round, 2pm kick off, if you are able to make it the team would very much welcome your support. John has covered the team's recent results later in the programme.

Reserves

On Wednesday evening the team beat Fairlop Rovers 1-0 in not only the Senior Division Cup but the torrential rain. In the next round we will face, at home, the winners of the Kulture v CSM London tie.

The previous Friday there was a very entertaining game at home against London Harts United which ended in a 4-3 defeat but it was a high quality game that we could and should have got something out of, Lennon Brangan has written a report which can be found at the link below.

<https://nonleagueandacademyfootballwriter.co.uk/2025/10/17/haringey-borough-reserves-3-4-london-harts-united-fc-my-match-report-from-coles-park/>

U18s

Without a game until the 30th October when they will play Buckingham in the 2nd round of the Brian Hitchings Challenge Cup, the teams last game was a 2-0 defeat in the league to Enfield Borough.

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TRAVEL PLANS AND PUBS – GERARD WALKER

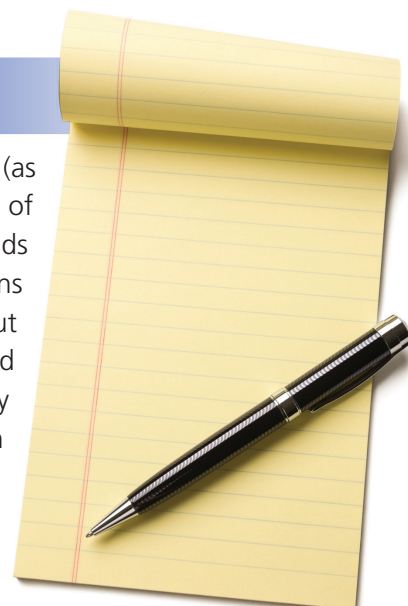
With 4 home games on the trot Gerard has gone AWOL.

THE (FORMER) SECRETARY'S MUSINGS

Pitstone & Ivinghoe United FC is an Intermediate Club formed in 1957 (as Pitstone & Ivinghoe with the United added in 2024) which has spent all of its existence in the South Midlands League and the Spartan South Midlands League after the Leagues merged in 1997. They were Divisional Champions in 2002/03 which entitled them to promotion to the Premier Division but ground grading shortcomings denied them their reward and then caused relegation to the 2nd Division in 2004. We have not met them previously as the Clubs have never been in the same Division of the Spartan South Midlands League in the same season. Pitstone is an East Buckinghamshire village five miles South of Leighton Buzzard and Ivinghoe is adjacent to it.

UPDATE ON THE WOMEN

After the disappointment of the previous Sundays last minute defeat at Royston, Borough resumed their winning habit with a 4-2 Womens FA Cup win at Coles Park when Harpenden Town visited for the 3rd and last Qualifying Round match. An even first half saw us again fall behind to a speedy breakaway goal but the deficit was spectacularly wiped out mid half by our free-kick specialist goalkeeper Erica Meale with one from the half way line which, assisted by the wind, had "goal" written all over it from the second she unleashed it. Not content with that she had a second try later in the half and only the crossbar thwarted her. The lead did not last long for Harpenden hit back a few minutes later from close range in a goalmouth scramble. Fortunately, before half-time Renea Jarrett met a corner from the left with an emphatic drive to level matters. The second half was a different affair dominated by us throughout, with Harpenden rarely threatening our goal so the two early goals gave us a comfortable win. The first was a penalty unfussily slotted home by Renea quickly followed by an accurate finish by Nia Harwood neither of which gave the 'keeper a chance to distinguish herself. Our reward is a First Round Proper tie with Bristol Rovers of the National League Division 1 South West (one step above us in the Pyramid) which will be played tomorrow at Coles Park (2pm) – and naturally a good turn out of our supporters to cheer the girls on is hoped for. The following week's League Cup match against a team in the Division below us, Chelmsford City, did not look like a "banana skin" in waiting – but it was. We fielded a team missing several regulars and with no recognised goalkeeper available Secretary Karla was drafted in, a not infrequent necessity of seasons long gone which we never expected to occur again. The game started 40 minutes late as, although the players were there, the kit was trapped in an M25 traffic snarl up. All seemed well when the game started for we were one up courtesy of a first minute penalty. By the half hour mark we were three up and it was of no great concern when City were gifted an equaliser a minute or two prior to the interval; but it should have been, for a fired up Chelmsford dominated the second half and defensive lapses enabled them to draw level mid-way through. We were denied by the crossbar, some fine goalkeeping and several missed chances with one particularly disappointing miss a few minutes from time when a "one on one" with the keeper was fired past her but just wide. The first period of extra time had barely started when a red card reduced our numbers and although City also had a player dismissed that was not until a minute or so before the end of the second period so not really relevant as we played almost the whole of extra time a player short. City scored in the first period and we netted our 4th in the second. So a penalty shoot out ensued. Chelmsford went first and confidently put away their first three while our first two were saved by their 'keeper. Hope flared briefly when we arrowed in our third but City were in no mood to throw away the chance of a Premier Division scalp and coolly drove home their fourth. If there is a crumb of comfort to be derived from the proceedings it is that we have probably improved our chance of end of season silverware as First Round losers compete for the League Plate and we will be visiting Wormley Rovers, another Division 1 side, in the First Round on Sunday 30th November. Last Sunday we were without a fixture.



HARINGEY PLAYER STATS 2025-2026 SEASON - ALL COMPETITIONS

Name	League Starts	League Subs	League Goals	Cup Starts	Cup Subs	Cup Goals	Total Starts	Total Subs	Total Goals
Adrian Clifton	10	0	4	5	0	1	15	0	5
Alex Nicolaides	0	5	3	0	1	0	0	6	3
Ashlee Jones	12	0	0	5	0	0	17	0	0
Bilal Sayoud	11	2	7	4	1	2	15	3	9
Cem Poyraz	8	1	0	2	2	0	10	3	0
Coby Rowe	9	0	0	4	0	0	13	0	0
Daniel Awokere	3	2	0	2	0	0	5	2	0
Derek Asamoah*	6	2	2	1	2	0	7	4	2
Dillon Barnes	2	11	1	0	4	0	2	15	1
Herson Alves	12	0	3	3	0	1	15	0	4
Johnville Renee	5	1	0	3	0	0	8	1	0
Jonathan Hippolyte	7	5	3	4	1	1	11	6	4
Jorge Djassi Sambu	10	1	2	4	0	1	14	1	3
Louis Maffia*	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	4	0
Matt Young	11	0	4	5	0	2	16	0	6
Michael O'Donoghue	10	0	1	4	0	0	14	0	1
Mwetsi "Mo" Matangi*	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0
Pharell Mensah	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Rakim Richards	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Rashid Bangura	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ruben Baptista	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	4	0
Ryan Hovel	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Sami Bassadi	6	2	0	1	1	0	7	3	0
Scott Mitchell	12	0	4	5	0	0	17	0	4
William Danquah*	2	3	0	1	1	0	3	4	0
Wraynel Hercules*	3	1	0	1	1	0	4	2	0
Zayshaun Asamoah*	1	3	0	0	1	0	1	4	0

*No Longer at Club

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THERE'S something about seeing an outfield player having to go in goal that always stick in the memory. Be it for an injury or a red card, the sight of a big defender – or even a slight midfielder – reluctantly standing between the posts can liven up even the duller of games.

Perhaps it's the oversized top and gloves, mixed with the emergency stopper's shorts and socks. Maybe it's that every cross into the box seems to be laced with added jeopardy.

In my case, it's happening to be at a game when the volunteer even saves a penalty as Niall Quinn once did for Manchester City!

Whether it's clearing routine low shots with a cultured hoof rather than a comfortable two hands – surely anyone who does it comes out with an appreciation of what it's like to actually be a goalkeeper. As we all know, it's position where any mistake is in the full glare of everyone watching and tends to end up in the net. It came to mind after a story we carried in last Sunday's NLP about Clevedon Town striker Sam Beresford – he played in goal for two different teams, only three weeks apart!

Beresford was called upon for what proved to be his final game for Bridgwater United when goalkeeper Ben John was forced off injured at half-time in a match against Helston Athletic.

With no keeper on the bench, Beresford, a summer signing from Clevedon, took the gloves and did enough to earn Bridgwater a 3-2 win.

Front man Beresford then left United to re-join Clevedon in September and returned to the day job, adding two goals in ten games to his previous Clevedon tally of 46 in 85.

But the striker was soon back in unfamiliar(ish) territory a week recently when the Western League leaders took on Wellington.

Goalkeeper Jacob Glover was forced to leave the field after only 18 minutes of his Seasiders debut when he injured his shoulder trying to prevent Wellington scoring.

Beresford took the gloves and pulled off a string of fine saves to keep the visitors at bay earning him man of the match honours.

Beresford's heroics went on to help secure the Seasiders a 3-1 win, but managers Nic Steadman and Jamie Smith will be banking on him to score the goals, rather than keep them out!

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Respect



SIN BINS

Temporary Dismissals - otherwise known as 'sin bins' - are mandatory for acts of dissent across all of grassroots football.

HOW DO YOU FIND YOURSELF IN THE SIN BIN?



Players will only go into the sin bin for dissent cautions



For use of words, gestures, questioning or undermining the referee's decisions



EXAMPLES OF DISSENT:

Shouting at the referee, questioning the referee's ability, slamming the ball into the ground and sarcastically clapping a decision

DURATION OF A SIN BIN



For matches of 90 minutes, players spend 10 minutes in the sin bin



For matches of all other lengths, players spend 8 minutes in the sin bin



If the sin bin period has not expired at the end of:
1st half: Continues into the 2nd half
2nd half: Continues into extra time
Extra time: Players can participate in the penalty shoot out

THE MATCH DAY PROCESS



Dissent



Dissent caution: Referee issues a Yellow Card and directs the player to the touchline



Whilst in the sin bin, if the player commits a Yellow or Red Card offence they are sent off and can not be substituted



A player can only return to the field of play with the referee's permission at a stoppage in play



If a player receives a second Yellow Card for any type of offence, they will be shown a Red Card and dismissed from the field of play

Sin bins only apply to a player's first Yellow Card. If they receive a second Yellow Card they are dismissed from the field of play.

Offensive, insulting or abusive language and/or actions is still a Red Card offence!

HARINGEY PLAYER PROFILES 2025-26

HERSON ALVES – Herson began his footballing education with Brentford and Inverness Caledonian Thistle, before carving out a career in non-league football. His journey has taken him through clubs such as Hampton & Richmond, Maidenhead United, Walton Casuals and Enfield Town. He signed for the Boro in the summer of 2025 from Hayes & Yeading United



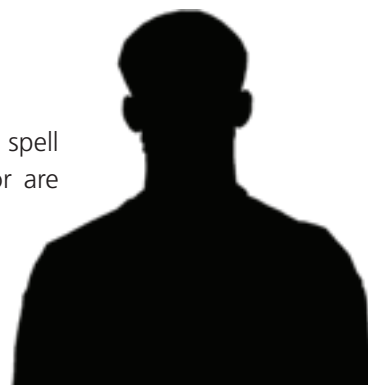
GEORGIOS ARESTI – A huge favourite with everyone at Haringey, Georgios has been with the club since 2018. A player that drives the team forward and always gives 100% although this means he plays on the edge given his desire to win the ball back. His career has seen him play for AEK Athens and numerous teams in Cyprus, he has also won international caps for Cyprus.

DANIEL AWOKERE – Joined Boro in the Summer of 2025, Daniel is a defender who normally plays centre half, previous clubs include Welling United.

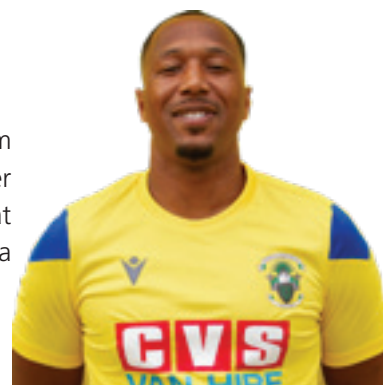


DILLON BARNES – Dillon returns to the Boro after a season away playing for Dulwich Hamlet. An excellent goalkeeper Dillon started his career at Queens Park Rangers. During the 2023/2024 season Dillon made 43 appearances for the Boro.

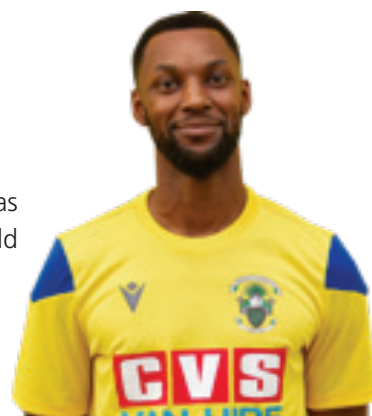
SAMI BASSADI - A popular player with the Boro faithful, now in his second spell having started his career with us, among his other clubs he has appeared for are Enfield Town, Enfield FC and Maldon & Tiptree.



ADRIAN CLIFTON – A powerful forward who joined the Boro in July 2025 from Hayes & Yeading, where he netted 18 goals last season. A former youth player at Arsenal, Norwich, and West Ham, Clifton brings vast experience from spells at Maidenhead United, Bromley, Boreham Wood, and Dulwich Hamlet. His is also a Montserrat international with 23 caps.



JORGE DJASSI SAMBU – A huge influence on the team's success in recent years, Jorge is a centre midfielder that loves to tackle and is a commanding figure in the centre of the pitch. He has now been with the club for over 10 seasons but will always be held in the highest regard for his 2 goals in the play-off semi-final of 2018.



JONATHAN HIPPOLYTE – A forward Jonathan or has he is known "Cash", has a wealth of experience in Non-League, recently with Hayes & Yeading and Enfield Town, Cash scored Enfield's winner against the Boro in January 2024.

ASHLEE JONES – A goalkeeper with vast experience having played for numerous clubs in Non-League, started as a youth team player at Southampton, Ashlee was also at Darlington where he played in the football league. Ashlee joined the Boro last season from Saffron Walden Town, making 9 appearances for us.



PHARRELL MENSAH – A forward / winger who joined Boro from Belper Town, Pharrell has played for various non-league clubs including Corinthian, Harrow Borough and Three Bridges. Pharrell also participated in the Sky Sports Baller League.

SCOTT MITCHELL – Scott is a centre back who has been with the Boro since 2017, a huge favourite with the fans he has amassed over 200 appearances and won the supporters player of the year twice. A player who brings experience and brings a love of playing for Haringey, which is why everyone appreciates him.

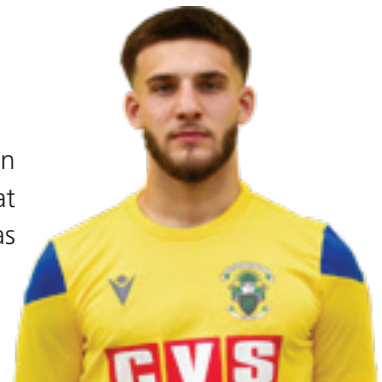


ALEX NICOLAIDES – A product of the U23s side Alex a forward holds the ball up well and brings players into the game, good in the air, Alex has made an impact coming off the bench recently.



MICHAEL O'DONOGHUE – MoD has had a couple of spells with us most notably between 2017 and 2020 where he was an outstanding in the promotion winning team of 2018 and team that finished 3rd in the Isthmian Premier in 2019. Was a member of the Hornchurch team that won the Isthmian Premier League title in 2023/2024. MoD has played in excess of 200 games for the Boro.

CEM POYAZ – Cem joined the Boro midway through last season having been signed from Leverstock Green. Such was the impact Cem had on the team that he was voted Player of the Season as voted by the Chairman. A midfielder Cem has also played right back.



JOHNVILLE RENEE – A full back Johnville has played for several non-league clubs including Briantree Town, Hornchurch and Enfield Town.



RAKIM RICHARDS – Since our foundation as Haringey Borough no one has made more appearances than Rakim. Known as Raks, his first appearance was in the season 2010/2011 and he was part of both the Essex Senior League winning team and the Isthmian North play off winning team. Injuries over the past two seasons have had a big impact on him and the team.

COBY ROWE – We welcome Coby back for the 2025/2026 season after he left in 2020 to join Sutton United where he gained promotion to the Football League and represented them in League Two, after leaving Sutton he joined Aldershot in the National League. A firm favourite at Coles Park, it's great to have Coby back with us.



BILAL SAYOED – Having scored 14 goals for Walthamstow as a winger last season, we hope Bilal recreates that form for the Boro, after starting at Coventry City, he has played for Enfield Town, Potters Bar and Hendon to name just a few of his clubs. Bilal also plays in the Sky Sports Ballers League.

RUBEN TAVARES BAPTISTA – A product of the U18s and U23s Ruben really is one of our own. He returns to the Boro after a short spell away at the end of last season Ruben made 5 appearances last season.



MATT YOUNG – A favourite with the fans Matt started his career with Leyton Orient, from where he first joined the Boro on loan. Top scorer for the past two seasons, Matt is a classy midfielder always looking to make something happen.

MANAGEMENT TEAM

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.



DAVID CUMBERBATCH (ASSISTANT MANAGER) Long serving back up to the Manager and the clubs welfare officer, Dave is the font of all knowledge about players.

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.



THOMAS O'DONOGHUE (FIRST TEAM COACH) known as 'Tucker' is an experienced coach who joined the coaching staff at the Borough in 2016.

LYS DEMETRIOU – (FIRST TEAM ASSISTANT COACH) – Lys joined the coaching staff from New Salamis in the summer of 2024.





TREVOR NOTTINGHAM (GOALKEEPING COACH) – Trevor joined the Haringey coaching staff during the 2023/2024 season.

COURTENNEY FOSTER (PHYSIO) – (PHYSIO) – Courteney joined the Boro in the Summer of 2025.



SPARTAN SOUTH MIDLANDS LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION TABLE 2025/26

	P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
1 Winslow United	14	10	1	3	31	17	14	31
2 Haringey Borough	13	8	3	2	34	15	19	27
3 Kings Langley	13	8	2	3	30	15	15	26
4 AFC Welwyn	12	8	2	2	24	13	11	26
5 Arlesey Town	12	8	2	2	24	14	10	26
6 Cockfosters FC	13	8	2	3	19	15	4	26
7 Sawbridgeworth Town	14	8	1	5	24	26	-2	25
8 Biggleswade United	13	6	5	2	26	13	13	23
9 Risborough Rangers	12	7	2	3	29	18	11	23
10 Tring Athletic	14	6	3	5	30	21	9	21
11 Harpenden Town	13	5	3	5	29	22	7	18
12 Baldock Town	15	5	3	7	24	26	-2	18
13 Harlow Town	12	5	1	6	19	18	1	16
14 Wormley Rovers	14	5	1	8	17	26	-9	16
15 Colney Heath	14	5	1	8	15	26	-11	16
16 Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	13	4	0	9	15	26	-11	12
17 Kempston Rovers	12	2	3	7	10	22	-12	9
18 Dunstable Town	15	2	3	10	16	35	-19	9
19 Crawley Green	15	2	2	11	18	45	-27	8
20 Potton United	15	1	2	12	15	36	-21	5

HARINGEY BOROUGH FIRST TEAM 2025/26 FIXTURES & RESULTS

PRE SEASON FRIENDLIES – FIRST TEAM

DATE	VENUE	KICK OFF	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Sat Jul 5	COLES PARK	3pm	WALTHAM ABBEY (Friendly)	Lost 0-4
Tue Jul 8	COLES PARK	7.45pm	HENDON (Friendly)	Lost 1-2
Sat Jul 12	COLES PARK	3pm	GRAYS ATHLETIC (Friendly)	Drew 2-2
Tue Jul 15	COLES PARK	7.45pm	CHESHUNT (Friendly)	Drew 3-3
Sat Jul 19	COLES PARK	3pm	WOODFORD TOWN (Friendly)	Won 4-2

COMPETITIVE FIXTURES – FIRST TEAM

(all Spartan South Midlands League Premier Division matches unless otherwise stated)

DATE	VENUE	KICK OFF	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Sat Jul 26	away	3pm	Dunstable Town	DREW 2-2
Tue Jul 29	COLES PARK	7.45pm	KINGS LANGLEY	Won 2-1
Sat Aug 2	COLES PARK	3pm	HALSTEAD TOWN (FA Cup Extra Prelim Round)	Won 3-1
Sat Aug 9	away	3pm	Winslow United	Won 4-0
Tue Aug 12	COLES PARK	7.45pm	SAWBRIDGEWORTH TOWN	Won 5-3
Sat Aug 16	COLES PARK	3pm	STANWAY ROVERS (FA Cup Preliminary Rnd)	Lost 1-5
Sat Aug 23	away	3pm	Stanway Pegasus (FA Vase - 1st. Qual Rnd)	Won 2-0
Mon Aug 25	away	7.45pm	AFC Welwyn	Lost 0-2
Sat Sep 6	away	3pm	Arlesey Town	Lost 0-1
Sat Sep 13	away	3pm	Biggleswade United	Drew 0-0
Tue Sep 16	COLES PARK	7.45pm	WORMLEY ROVERS	Won 4-0
Sat Sep 20	away	3pm	Sawbridgeworth Town (FA Vase 2nd Qual Rnd)	Drew 0-0 Haringey Borough Won 6-5 on penalties
Sat Sep 27	away	3pm	Harpenden Town	Drew 2-2
Tue Sep 30	COLES PARK	7.45pm	COLNEY HEATH	Won 1-0
Sat Oct 4	COLES PARK	3pm	BALDOCK TOWN	Won 2-1
Tue Oct 7	away	7.45pm	Sawbridgeworth Town	Won 7-1
Sat Oct 11	away	3pm	Crawley Green	Won 5-2
Sat Oct 18	away	3pm	Hutton (FA Vase 1st Round Proper)	Won 2-1
Sat Oct 25	COLES PARK	3pm	PITSTONE & IVINGHOE UNITED (League Cup)	
Tue Oct 28	COLES PARK	7.45pm	HARLOW TOWN	
Sat Nov 1	COLES PARK	3pm	TRING ATHLETIC	
Sat Nov 8	COLES PARK	3pm	EYNESBURY ROVERS (FA Vase 2nd Round)	
Sat Nov 15	away	3pm	Aylesbury Vale Dynamos	
Sat Nov 22	COLES PARK	3pm	BIGGLESWADE UNITED	
Sat Nov 29	COLES PARK	3pm	WINSLOW UNITED (Premier Division Cup)	
Sat Dec 6	away	3pm	Risborough Rangers	
Sat Dec 13	away	3pm	Potton United	
Sat Dec 20	COLES PARK	3pm	CRAWLEY GREEN	

Sat Dec 27	COLES PARK	3pm	COCKFOSTERS	
Sat Jan 3	away	3pm	Kings Langley	
Sat Jan 10	COLES PARK	3pm	DUNSTABLE TOWN	
Sat Jan 17	COLES PARK	3pm	RISBOROUGH RANGERS	
Sat 24 Jan	away	3pm	Tring Athletic	
Sat Jan 31	COLES PARK	3pm	POTTON UNITED	
Sat Feb 7	COLES PARK	3pm	AYLESBURY VALE DYNAMOS	
Sat Feb 14	away	3pm	Kempston Rovers	
Sat Feb 21	COLES PARK	3pm	ARLESEY TOWN	
Tue 24 Feb	away	7.45pm	Harlow Town	
Sat 28 Feb	COLES PARK	3pm	A F C WELWYN	
Sat Mar 7	away	3pm	Baldock Town	
Sat Mar 14	away	3pm	Colney Heath	
Sat Mar 21	COLES PARK	3pm	WINSLOW UNITED	
Sat Mar 28	away	3pm	Cockfosters	
Sat Apl 4	away	3pm	Wormley Rovers	
Sat Apl 11	COLES PARK	3pm	KEMPSTON ROVERS	
Undated	COLES PARK	7.45pm	HARROW BORO,CHESHUNT or BARKING (London Senior Cup)	
Undated	COLES PARK	3pm	HARPENDEN TOWN	

HARINGEY BOROUGH RESERVES 2025/26 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(all Essex Alliance Senior Division matches unless otherwise stated)

DATE	VENUE	KICK OFF	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Fri Jul 25	COLES PARK	7.45pm	F C BARESI RESERVES (Friendly)	Won 6-0
Fri Aug 1	COLES PARK	7.45pm	WINGATE & FINCHLEY RESERVES (Friendly)	Drew 1-1
Fri Aug 8	COLES PARK	7.45pm	ATHLETIC NEWHAM RESERVES (Friendly)	Won 5-0
Fri Aug 15	COLES PARK	7.45pm	CHADWELL HEATH SPARTANS	Drew 1-1
Fri Aug 22	COLES PARK	7.45pm	FRENFORD DEVELOPMENT	Drew 2-2
Sat Aug 30	away	3pm	Greengate District	Lost 0-3
Fri Sep 5	COLES PARK	7.45pm	FAIRLOP ROVERS	Won 6-2
Sat Sep 13	away	3pm	Dagenham United	Lost 2-6
Fri Sep 19	COLES PARK	7.45pm	KULTURE	Lost 1-3
Sat Sep 27	COLES PARK	3pm	FC PETROCUB LONDON (Fenton Cup)	Lost 0-1
Sat Oct 4	away	2pm	Waltham Forest Borough	Lost 0-1
Fri Oct 10	away	7.45pm	Sporting Bengal United Reserves	Won 5-1
Fri Oct 17	COLES PARK	7.45pm	LONDON HARTS UNITED	Lost 3-4
Wed Oct 22	COLES PARK	7.45pm	FAIRLOP ROVERS (Senior Division Cup)	Won 1-0
Sat Nov 1	away	2.30pm	Saint City	
Sat Nov 8	away	2.30pm	Chadwell Heath Spartans	
undated	COLES PARK		CSM LONDON	
undated	COLES PARK		DAGENHAM UNITED	
undated	COLES PARK		ONGAR TOWN	
undated	COLES PARK		RYAN	
undated	COLES PARK		SAINT CITY	
undated	COLES PARK		SPORTING BENGAL UNITED RESERVES	
undated	COLES PARK		WALTHAM FOREST BOROUGH	
undated	COLES PARK		WOODFORD TOWN RESERVES	
undated	away		CSM London	
undated	away		Fairlop Rovers	
undated	away		FC Petrocub London	
undated	away		Frenford Development	
undated	away		Kulture	
undated	away		London Harts United	
undated	away		Ongar Town	
undated	away		Ryan	
undated	away		Woodford Town Reserves	
undated	away		Kulture or CSM London (Senior Division Cup)	

ESSEX ALLIANCE SENIOR DIVISION TABLE 2025/26

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 Saint City	9	7	2	0	30	12	22
2 Ongar Town	9	7	0	2	23	16	21
3 FC Petrocub London	9	7	0	2	17	11	21
4 London Harts United	8	6	2	0	27	11	20
5 Waltham Forest Borough	9	6	1	2	15	14	19
6 CSM London	9	5	1	3	18	15	16
7 Kulture	9	4	2	3	21	16	14
8 Greengate District	8	3	3	2	16	14	14
9 Chadwell Heath Spartans	9	2	3	4	14	15	12
10 Ryan	9	3	0	6	15	22	9
11 Sporting Bengal United Reserves	9	3	0	6	21	34	9
12 Haringey Borough Reserves	9	2	2	5	20	23	8
13 Frenford Development	10	1	3	6	14	23	6
14 Woodford Town Under 23s	9	2	2	5	11	14	5
15 Dagenham United	9	1	2	6	14	19	5
16 Fairlop Rovers	8	0	1	7	14	31	1

HARINGEY BOROUGH WOMEN 2025/26 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(All Eastern Region Womens League Premier Division unless otherwise stated)

DATE	VENUE	KICK OFF	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Sun Jul 13	COLES PARK	2pm	BARKING	Lost 0-5
Sun Jul 20	away	2pm	Real Bedford Reserves	Won 7-0
Sun Aug 3	away	2pm	Clapton Community FC	Won 7-3
Sun Aug 10	COLES PARK	2pm	HACKNEY	Won 5-2
Sun Aug 17	away	2pm	Wroxham	Lost 1-2
Sun Aug 24	away	2pm	Enfield Town	Drew 2-2
Sun Aug 31	COLES PARK	2pm	HARPENDEN TOWN	Won 5-3
Tue Sep 2	away	7.45pm	Atletico London	Won 2-0
Sun Sep 7	COLES PARK	2pm	BOWERS & PITSEA	Won 3-2
Sun Sep 14	away	3pm	Stevenage	Drew 3-3
Wed Sep 17	COLES PARK	7.45pm	WYCOMBE WANDERERS (Isth Lg Womens Cup)	Lost 0-1
Sun Sep 21	away	2pm	Thetford Town (Womens FA Cup)	Won 7-0
Sun Sep 28	away	2pm	Royston Town	Lost 2-3
Sun Oct 5	COLES PARK	2pm	HARPENDEN TOWN (WFA Cup 3rd Qual Rnd)	Won 4-2
Sun Oct 12	away	3pm	Chelmsford City (League Cup) aet Lost 1-4 on Pens after 4-4 Draw	
Sun Oct 26	COLES PARK	2pm	BRISTOL ROVERS 1st Round Proper WFA Cup	
Sun Nov 2	COLES PARK	2pm	WROXHAM	
Sun Nov 9	COLES PARK	2pm	ENFIELD TOWN	
Sun Nov 16	COLES PARK	2pm	ATLETICO LONDON (Capital Womens Snr Cup)	
Sun Nov 23	COLES PARK	2pm	ATLETICO LONDON	
Sun Nov 30	Away	1.30pm	Wormley Rovers (ERWFL Plate)	
Sun Dec 7	away	3pm	Bowers & Pitsea	
Sun Dec 14	COLES PARK	2pm	STEVENAGE	
Wed Dec 17	COLES PARK	7.45pm	LONDON BEES (Combined Counttes Cup)	
Sun Jan 4	away	2pm	Hutton	
Sun Jan 11	COLES PARK	2pm	ROYSTON TOWN	
Sun Jan 18	away	2pm	Dussindale & Hellesdon Rovers	
Sun Jan 25	COLES PARK	2pm	WATFORD DEVELOPMENT	
Sun Feb 1	COLES PARK	2pm	DUSSINDALE & HELLESDON ROVERS	
Sun Feb 8	away	3pm	Watford Development	
Sun 15 Feb	away	2pm	St. Albans City	
Sun Feb 22	COLES PARK	2pm	HUTTON	
Sun Mar 1	COLES PARK	2pm	ST. ALBANS CITY	
Sun Mar 8	away	2pm	Dussindale & Hellesdon Rovers	
Sun Mar 15	away	2pm	Harpenden Town	

EASTERN REGION WOMENS LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION TABLE 2025/26

	P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
1 Stevenage FC Women	7	5	2	0	25	6	19	17
2 Watford Ladies Development FC	8	5	0	3	23	25	-2	15
3 Bowers & Pitsea Ladies FC	8	4	2	2	19	11	8	14
4 Royston Town FC Women	8	4	2	2	20	14	6	14
5 Dussindale & Hellesdon Rovers FC Women	9	4	2	3	18	12	6	14
6 St Albans City FC Women	8	3	2	3	19	14	5	11
7 Haringey Borough FC Women	7	3	2	2	18	15	3	11
8 Wroxham FC Women	8	3	2	3	12	14	-2	11
9 Atletico London Women FC	8	3	1	4	16	17	-1	10
10 Harpenden Town FC Women	8	3	0	5	23	24	-1	9
11 Enfield Town Ladies FC	9	1	2	6	13	41	-28	5
12 Hutton FC Women	8	1	1	6	9	22	-13	4

HARINGEY BOROUGH UNDER 18s 2025/26 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(all Southern Counties Floodlit Youth League Nemean Division unless otherwise stated and may be switched to another evening in the same week)

DATE	VENUE	KICK OFF	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Thur Sep 4	away	7.45pm	Tilbury (FA Youth Cup Preliminary Round)	Lost 0-2
Mon Sep 8	COLES PARK	7.45pm	WEALDSTONE	Won 3-1
Mon Sep 15	COLES PARK	7.45pm	WEST ESSEX	Lost 0-2
Sat Sep 25	away	7.45pm	Takeley	Lost 1-3
Thur Oct 9	away	7.30pm	Enfield Borough	Lost 0-2
30 Oct 25	away	7.45pm	Buckingham Brian Hutchings (League) Cup	
Mon Nov 3	COLES PARK	7.45pm	TAKELEY	
undated	COLES PARK		COCKFOSTERS	
undated	COLES PARK		EDGWARE & KINGSBURY (WHITE)	
undated	COLES PARK		ENFIELD BOROUGH	
undated	COLES PARK		LANGLEY	
undated	away		Cockfosters	
undated	away		Edgware & Kingsbury (White)	
undated	away		Langley	
undated	away		Wealdstone	
undated	away		West Essex	

SOUTHERN COUNTIES FLOODLIT YOUTH LEAGUE NEMEAN DIVISION TABLE 2025/26

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
1 Takeley Youth U18 SCYFL	5	3	1	1	3	10
2 Enfield Borough (Youth) U18 SCFYL	4	3	0	1	3	9
3 Cockfosters (Youth) U18 SCFYL	5	2	3	0	5	9
4 Edgware & Kingsbury FC U18 White	4	1	3	0	1	6
5 West Essex Y U18 SCFYL	5	1	2	2	-1	5
6 Haringey Borough FC U18 (Youth) U18	4	1	0	3	-4	3
7 Wealdstone Youth U18	5	0	1	4	-7	1

(OUR GROUND SHARERS) NW LONDON 2025/26 FIXTURES & RESULTS

(all Eastern Counties League Division One South unless otherwise stated)

DATE	VENUE	KICK OFF	OPPONENTS	RESULT
Sat Jul 26	COLES PARK	3pm	HUTTON	Lost 3-4
Wed Jul 30	COLES PARK	8pm	ENFIELD BOROUGH	Won 4-1
Sat Aug 9	COLES PARK	3pm	RAYLEIGH TOWN	Drew 2-2
Sat Aug 30	COLES PARK	3pm	F C BARESI	Won 3-2
Sat Sep 6	COLES PARK	3pm	BARKINGSIDE	Won 3-0
Sat Sep 13	COLES PARK	3pm	SOUTHEND MANOR	Won 4-2
Sat Sep 20	COLES PARK	3pm	LETCHWORTH GC EAGLES (FA Vase 2QR)	Drew 2-2
			NW London	Lost 2-4 on penalties
Sun Sep 28	COLES PARK	2pm	RISING BALLERS KENSINGTON (Midx Pre Cup)	Won 2-1
Wed Oct 8	COLES PARK	7.45pm	STANSTED	Lost 0-1
Wed Oct 15	COLES PARK	7.45pm	DUNMOW TOWN	Drew 4-4
Tue Oct 21	COLES PARK	8pm	CIVIL SERVICE(Middlesex Premier Cup)	Lost 0-4
Fri Oct 24	COLES PARK	8pm	COGGESHALL TOWN	
Sat Nov 15	COLES PARK	3pm	HODDESDON TOWN	
Sat Dec 6	COLES PARK	3pm	NEWBURY FOREST	
Sat Dec 13	COLES PARK	3pm	ALL STARS LONDON	
Sat Jan 3	COLES PARK	3pm	F C ROMANIA	
Fri Jan 23	COLES PARK	7.45pm	CANNONS WOOD	
Fri Feb 13	COLES PARK	7.45pm	LYMORE GARDENS	
Sat Mar 28	COLES PARK	3pm	BASILDON TOWN	
Sat Apl 4	COLES PARK	3pm	BRIMSDOWN	
Mon Apl 6	COLES PARK	3pm	CLAPTON COMMUNITY	
undated	COLES PARK	?	BURNHAM RAMBLERS	



TODAYS TEAMS



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Pharrell MENSAH

Scott MITCHELL

Alex NICOLAIDES

Michael O'DONOGHUE

Cem POYRAZ

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Rakim RICHARDS

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Jack ALDRIDGE

Ryan EARLE

Luke HEWITT

Adam SAWYER

James BUNDEY

Dan PAYNE

Jack STEVENS (C)

Louis GAYWOOD-GEORGE

James ORCHARD

Jimmy DOHERTY

Danny FLETCHER

Lewis COLLINS

Seb GARROD

Ben PAYNE

Ben WOOTTON

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Assistant Manager: Matt Bunday

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